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OUTBACK FESTIVAL CELEBRATIONS

Information from Outback Festival, Winton, Queensland - Facebook Page

🎂 HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUTBACK FESTIVAL! 🎂
Last night we blew out the candles for our 50th anniversary and we gotta say... that has to be the best icing goanna we think we've seen!
Festival Coordinator Robyn Stephens and [Stirling Hinchliffe MP](#) had the honour of cutting our huge celebration cake.
Who enjoyed a piece (or two) of the cake?



Surprise! Our Outback Festival Sculpture! 🎉🎉🎉

Yesterday we unveiled our brand new festival sculpture to commemorate our 50 years! Without the many dedicated volunteers past and present that have been part of the Outback Festival's journey devoting so much of their time and energy, this award-winning Festival would not have been so successful.

❗ We can't wait for you all to join us once again in 2023 from 19 - 23 September.



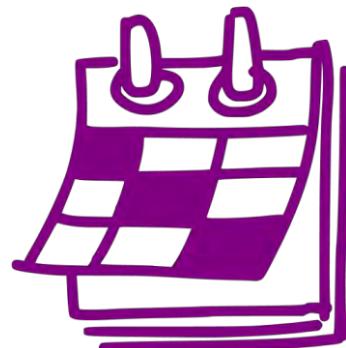
What's On?

Date	Event	Information
Fri 7 th Oct	Senior Lunch & Cent Sale	12.00pm North Gregory Hotel
Fri 7 th Oct	Trivia Quiz Night	6.00pm Winton Club – 0434 894 811
Sat 8 th Oct	Golf Fun Day	9.30am Winton Golf Club
Tues 11 th Oct	60's & Better Meeting	9.30am Club Rooms
Thurs 13 th Oct	Morning Melodies Trivia - Seniors	10.00am Library
Thurs 13 th Oct	WDHS & Museum Inc Meeting	5.30pm
Fri 14 th Oct	Seniors Lunch	12.00pm Winton State School
Sat 15 th Oct	WBTA Business Dinner Awards	
Mon 17 th Oct	WBTA Monthly Meeting	5.30pm Neighbourhood Centre
Tues 18 th Oct	Community Morning Tea	10.00am Neighbourhood Centre
Thurs 20 th Oct	Seniors Pancake Breakfast	8.00-10.00am - W.S.S Primary
Sat 22 nd Oct	Rangeland Sunset – Red Dirt Tours	5.15pm - Seniors

Help keep us up to date!

Please submit your events, with location and time to
wintonheraleditor@gmail.com

The WBTA hopes to have your event in our calendar at least two weeks prior to its occurrence to give those living out of town a chance to attend. In the past, many have commented that they did not know an event was on until it was too late - we are hoping to change that!



Editorial Submissions

The Winton Herald currently does not have a local journalist and as such we rely on community members to submit articles for publication. If you have recently been involved in running an event, please send a short article and a photo or two to the Editor at wintonheraleditor@gmail.com for inclusion in the next available issue. Please note **submission deadline of 8pm Monday** for all articles and photos. Articles may be edited for length or consistency.

Cont' from front page

The walls of the historic Corfield & Fitzmaurice building in Winton's main street reverberated with stories of past tallies on Friday night as the Wool Museum and Honour Board  was opened as part of the celebrations for the 50th anniversary of Winton's Outback Festival.



Did we see you at our 50th Anniversary Gala Dinner? 

Guests waltzed down memory lane on Winton Airport's tarmac with us including returning Outback Festival Queens who have played an integral part in the event's charity fundraising for the Royal Flying Doctor Service, raising over \$4M between 1973 and 1995 in the Queen of the Outback Quest 



The evening finale included the RFDS Lighting of the Lantern; the lanterns essential to illuminating outback airstrips for landings at night. Maree Cummins, an RFDS employee for the last 31 years and a previous Queen of the Outback, had the honour of lighting the lantern to mark the special occasion and partnership between the festival and Royal Flying Doctors 

Thanks to everyone who joined in on our celebrations and danced the night away under the outback stars. Here's to more Outback Festival memories to be made in the coming years!





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Variety Heart Scholarships help kids who show talent and passion in the areas of Sports, Academia, Music and the Arts but need extra support to reach their full potential due to sickness, disadvantage or disability. Applications for 2022/23 scholarships are closing soon! Apply here  www.variety.org.au/qld/variety-heart-scholarships/

Annual Business Awards 2022

You are invited to

A Night of Stars

6pm - Saturday 15th October 2022
Winton Shire Hall

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Winton Shire Council currently have employment opportunities available for highly motivated, positive people with a passion for their community. The successful applicants will have the opportunity to join a conscientious and progressive team that are making a difference in their community.

Position	Department	Term of Employment	Closing Date
Chief Executive Officer	Corporate and Regulatory	Full Time Contract- call for further details	Monday 26 th September 2022
Group Manager-Operations	Works and Utilities	Full Time Contract- 3 year term	Applications open until filled
Hospitality and Events Officer	Community and Economic Development	Full Time, Part Time and Casual roles	Applications open until filled
Personal Care Attendant	Community Care Services	Casual	Applications open until filled
Visitor Experience Officer	Community and Economic Development	Casual	Applications open until filled
Children's Services Worker	Child Care	Casual	Applications open until filled

Applicants are required to obtain a copy of the role-specific information package and familiarise themselves with the position requirements before submitting their application. For further information about any of the positions please contact Christine Parker on 07 (4657 2666) or email jobs@winton.qld.gov.au

NOTICE TO RATEPAYERS

All property owners in the Winton Shire are advised that Rate Notices for the current half year were issued on Friday 9th September 2022.

There is only one discount period which closes on Monday 10th October 2022. Under no circumstances will the discount be applied on payments received after 5pm that day.

Notices have been issued to the last advised address on Council records. Please understand it is the responsibility of the owner to advise of any change of address in writing.

Any person not in receipt of their Rate Notice/s should contact the Council immediately on 07 4657 2666.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Please note that the Winton Saleyards Weighing Facility will be unavailable for use from November 3rd through to November 31st due to the upgrading of the weighbridge scales.

Please note that spelling facilities will still be available during this time.

If you have any concerns or queries please don't hesitate to contact the Rural Service Manager Geoff Cox on 07 4657 2666.



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50% DISCOUNT OFF DOG REGISTRATIONS

2022-2023

50% discount applies if dog registration fees are paid before the due date which is Monday 10th October 2022.

Notice is hereby given to all dog owners in the Winton town area that dog registrations are due again. In accordance with Local Law No.2 all dogs over 3 months of age located in Winton town area must be registered.

Registration Fees:

Entire dog	\$110.00
Desexed dog	\$18.00 (Vet's certificate required)
Pensioner's first dog - desexed	Free (Vet's certificate required)
Declared dangerous dog	\$660.00
Declared menacing dog	\$560.00



Rates Payment Incentive

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Mental Health Week

GOLF FUN DAY

Teams of 4 \$10 Per Person

Prizes

- Best costume
- Nearest to the pin
- Longest drive
- NAGA
- Winning team
- Other prizes

BBQ and Cash Bar will be available

2022

SATURDAY
8TH, OCTOBER 2022
9.30AM START

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- prepare and serve a range of espresso coffees
- handle or serve food safely in any type of food outlet
- use Microsoft software confidently and efficiently

DURATION: 5 Days

Fully funded under the Workforce Transition Support program. Eligibility criteria applies. Availability of equipment in certain locations may require changes to classes offered.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Provide Responsible Service of Alcohol (SITSS00055)	Food Handling (Hygiene) Skill Set (SITSS00050)	Basic Barista (NONAC11001)		

When	Where
From Monday 7 November to Wednesday 9 November From 8:30am to 3:30pm each day Please enquire as soon as possible as places are limited. Applications required by Monday 24 October 2022	WINTON Winton Shire Hall – Supper Room 75 Vindex St Winton QLD 4735

For more information or to apply call (07) 4694 1944

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Contact Brittanyb@winton.qld.gov.au 4657 2680 to obtain enrolment forms, and register your interest. Enrolments close 24th October 2022.



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Seniors Month October 2022 Winton



Contact Bronwyn 0438937790 bronwyns@winton.qld.gov.au
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Winton Seniors Lunch

North Gregory Hotel

Friday October 7th, 12:00pm
Roast Lunch and Desert \$10

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RSVP Friday September 23rd
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2	9			8		7	
7		3	9				
7		4					
1	3				4	6	
				3			1
				4	9	3	
5	7			9		6	
3	2	8					

Using logic and reasoning you must fill the remaining empty cells in each of the 12 puzzles with a digit from 1 to 9, such that each digit from 1 to 9 appears:

- ✓ exactly once on each row
- ✓ exactly once in each column
- ✓ exactly once in each of the nine delineated 3x3 squares.

Last week's solution:

7	4	5	9	1	6	3	8	2
9	6	3	5	2	8	1	4	7
8	1	2	7	4	3	9	6	5
4	7	9	3	5	1	6	2	8
3	2	1	8	6	7	5	9	4
6	5	8	2	9	4	7	3	1
1	3	4	6	7	2	8	5	9
2	9	6	1	8	5	4	7	3
5	8	7	4	3	9	2	1	6



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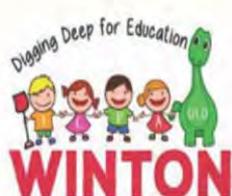
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