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Big Christmas show at Broome Civic Centre

Tues 29 Nov – The Kazoos Search for Santa

Broome Civic Centre, 11am and 4.30pm. How will Santa get all the presents made in time if he's forgotten how many sleeps there are until Christmas! Join The Kazoos on a jolly romp around the North Pole to find Santa who has forgotten how many sleeps there are until Christmas. With heaps of laughs, silliness and Christmas favourites this show is sure to get everyone into the Christmas Spirit. Suitable for ages up to 12 years. Tickets at www.broomeciviccentre.com.au.

"The Kazoos rock my world!" - Chris Cheney - Lead Singer, The Living End



A production by Christine Harris & HIT Producti Australia's Premier Theatre Company

www.ithekazoos.com

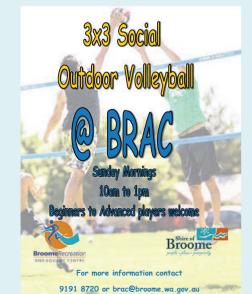
Get into weekend volleyball at BRAC

A new volleyball program is underway at BRAC each Sunday from 10am to 1pm through to Christmas.

The fun, casual three-a-side matches are played on grass, with the format allowing beginner players to touch the ball more often.

There is no need to join a team with sides created on the day, and there are gazebos for shade, sunscreen, music and cold water.

BRAC staff are on hand to provide tips and coaching for those looking to improve. Cost is \$8.50 for the three hours.





A double celebration for Peter Moore on his birthday and his 15th anniversary at the Shire of Broome.

Peter chalking up the milestones

A very special Shire of Broome staff member has celebrated two milestones.

Peter Moore has a vision impairment and recently chalked up 15 years of working as a volunteer in the Shire's Records Services Department.

The celebration coincided with Peter's birthday and he was joined by work colleagues and family at a special

morning tea where he was presented a certificate of appreciation, a birthday cake and gift.

Peter's mother says he is very proud to tell people he works for the Shire of Broome, and Shire Records Coordinator, Jennifer Jones, says Peter is a favourite in the workplace with his cheeky sense of humour and willingness to get the job done.

Bushland back open after asbestos clean-up

Bushland to the south of Demco Estate in Broome has been reopened following work to remove material that contained asbestos and the development of a plan for managing the area.

The discovery of the material on land managed by the State Government, Shire of Broome and Yawuru was reported in late August 2016 and the area was closed to the public before samples sent for testing confirmed the material did contain asbestos.

Licensed asbestos handling contractors were employed by the Shire to inspect the area and remove the material, and test pits were dug at two locations but found no evidence of more material buried underground. Shire of Broome Chief Executive Officer, Kenn Donohoe, said public safety and the importance of the area for public use and recreation were the key considerations.

"We acknowledge the closure caused some inconvenience to members of the public who access this area, but our main consideration was for the safety of the community," Mr Donohoe said.

"The Shire has stepped up to manage any potential risk to the public and incurred costs of more than \$30,000 in doing so.

"We have now developed an asbestos management plan for the area that will be implemented once it's approved by Yawuru."

Annual Electors Meeting up next month

The Annual Meeting of Electors for the Shire of Broome will be held on Thursday 15 December at 4pm in the Council Chambers at the Shire Administration building.

The meeting will include a report from Shire President Ron Johnston, reception of the 2015/16 Annual Report, and general business including questions from electors. The 2015/16 Annual Report is available on the Shire website, or printed copies can be made available on request from the administration office.

Electors with queries about the Annual Financial Report are invited to seek clarification prior to the meeting during normal office hours, Monday to Friday from 8am to 4pm.

Electors with specific questions are asked to provide written notice by 4pm on Tuesday 13 December to enable adequate time to research responses. Public question forms are available on the Shire website

and can be emailed, faxed or delivered to the Shire.



The Broome Shire Council's Annual Meeting of Electors will be held on Thursday 15 December.

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