



February 2013

Wiluna Townsite—Land Release

Residential, Commercial and Industrial Land Release by Conditional Purchase Lease

The lots listed in the schedule (see overleaf) are available under a conditional purchase lease under section 80 of the Land Administration Act 1997.

Subject to the lessee paying the purchase price and constructing a building on the lot in accordance with development conditions and meeting other obligations within the timeframe specified in the lease, the Minister for Lands will transfer the fee simple interest on the land to the lessee.





*Lots have sewer mains passing, but to make connection available will require extension from across the road prior to commencement of any building development with cost of such to be borne by the purchasers. Such cost estimates have been deducted to provide the current price for the respective Lots.

Residential Schedule

Purchase Price/Rent

Lot 151	Lennon Street	\$11,500
Lot 152	Lennon Street	\$11,750
Lot 153	Lennon Street	\$12,000
Lot 155	Lennon Street	\$12,000
Lot 157	Lennon Street	\$11,750
Lot 160	Lennon Street	\$11,750
Lot 163	Lennon Street	\$12,000
Lot 168*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 170*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 173	Scotia Street	\$12,000
Lot 334	Scotia Street	\$12,000
Lot 336	Scotia Street	\$12,000
Lot 337	Scotia Street	\$11,750
Lot 338	Scotia Street	\$12,000
Lot 518	Scotia Street	\$12,000
Lot 520	Scotia Street	\$12,000
Lot 521	Scotia Street	\$11,750
Lot 534*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 981*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 982*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 1090*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 1554*	Scotia Street	\$5,000
Lot 562*	Trenton Street	\$5,000
Lot 561*	Trenton Street	\$5,000
Lot 558*	Trenton Street	\$5,000
Lot 557*	Trenton Street	\$5,000
Lot 556	Trenton Street	\$12,000

Industrial Schedule

Purchase Price/Rent

Lot 1480	Woodley Street	\$7,500
Lot 1500	Woodley Street	\$7,500
Lot 1016	Thompson Street	\$3,000
Lot 1017	Thompson Street	\$3,000
Lot 1080	Thompson Street	\$5,000
Lot 1081	Thompson Street	\$5,000
Lot 1063	Thompson Street	\$5,000
Lot 1064	Thompson Street	\$5,000
Lot 1065	Thompson Street	\$5,000
Lot 1074	Thompson Street	\$5,000
Lot 1079	Thompson Street	\$5,000

Commercial Schedule

Purchase Price/Rent

Lot 65	Wotton Street	\$15,000
Lot 66	Wotton Street	\$15,000

Further details are available from the Shire Administration Office or by contacting John Healy, Project Officer, Department of Regional Development and Lands, West Perth.
Telephone 6552 4595
Free Call 1800 735 784
Quote reference 02188-1995-02



Australia Day Breakfast
26th January 2013
Wiluna Swimming Pool



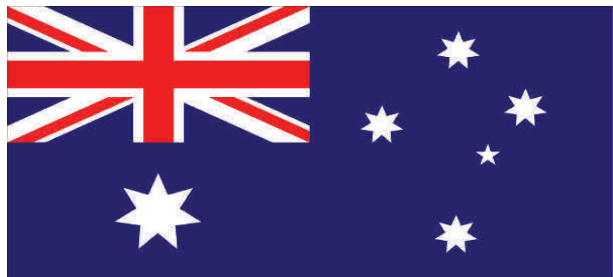
An Australia Day Breakfast was held at the Wiluna Swimming Pool on Saturday 26th January.

Nick from the medical centre supplied the Aussie music and George, Cindy, Wayne and Mandy from Wiluna Traders kindly assisted shire staff with the cooking and serving.

Wiluna Traders donated cooler bags for those that came and the pool was a great way to cool off.



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Australia Day Citizenship Ceremony

The Deocampo family became Australian Citizens on Australia day.

Glenn and Abraham both work at the Shire and along with their two boys, Keanu and Kirk became fully fledged Aussies with a ceremony held at the Shire Art Gallery.





Glenn and Abe Deocampo along with their two boys Keanu and Kirk, proudly hold their Citizenship Certificates and model their new Aussie headwear.

Shire President Graham Harris officiated at the ceremony and also pictured is Shire Chief Executive Officer Tony Doust.

Kirk Deocampo waving the Australian flag after his Citizenship Ceremony at the Shire Art Gallery





Get **READY** for digital TV in 8 easy steps

On 25 June 2013*, areas of regional and remote Western Australia will switch off their analog TV signals and switch to digital-only TV.

To ensure you still get TV...

1 Do you live in one of the khaki areas on the map?

If so, your area is **switching** to digital TV. **Read on...**

Areas of regional and remote WA



2 Is your TV analog or digital?

An **easy way** to tell you have digital TV is if you can watch **ABC2, ABC3** or **SBS TWO**.



If digital,
you don't
have to do
anything.



If analog, read on...

3 For every analog TV you have, you will need to either...



Buy a digital
set-top box
or digital TV
recorder for
each analog TV.



OR... buy a digital TV.

*Some towns may switch off earlier and will be informed of the date.



4

Getting your TV or set-top box ready for digital TV.

Check your TV or set-top box manual to help you retune your channels if required.

mySwitch on the Digital Ready website can also help you with reception and transmission issues. It's an easy-to-use, interactive web-based tool that provides information about how to get ready for the switch to digital TV.



5

Is your antenna still giving you a clear picture?

If you are worried about your picture quality, talk to an endorsed antenna installer.

mySwitch will provide a list of endorsed antenna installers in your area.

If you are renting, talk to your landlord about any antenna issues before upgrading.



6

Are you eligible for assistance?

The **Household Assistance Scheme** provides an entire package of assistance including installation of easy-to-use digital equipment, 12 months aftercare support and equipment warranty.

You may be eligible if you receive the **maximum rate** of the Age Pension, Disability Support Pension, Carer Payment, Veterans' Service Pension or Veterans' Income Support Supplement Payment. Call **1800 556 443** to find out if you're eligible.



7

Do you need a satellite to watch TV?*

Anyone not able to receive television services from a local transmission site will have access to free-to-air satellite service through the Viewer Access Satellite Television (VAST) service. VAST provides a minimum of 16 free-to-air digital channels plus in some areas a dedicated news channel.

*Some people relying on the Aurora satellite service need to switch to VAST before it is switched off.

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Need more information?

- Visit www.digitalready.gov.au
- Call the Digital Ready Information Line **1800 20 10 13**
- Use **mySwitch** on the website for location specific information.

It's time to get





Get **READY** for DIGITAL TV

5 easy steps to get digital TV in your house

On 25 June 2013 remote and regional Western Australia will switch off their analog TV signals and switch to digital-only TV.

You or someone you know may be eligible for the Household Assistance Scheme to help get digital TV in your house.

To apply for FREE help...

1

Do you or your partner receive a full rate pension from the government? →

If so, and if you have a working TV that is not yet converted to digital, the government will give you a FREE set-top box so you can get digital TV. You may also get upgrades on your cabling, antenna or satellite dish. READ ON....

- Age Pension
- Disability Support Pension
- Carer Payment
- DVA Service Pension
- DVA Income Support Supplement

2

Don't spend any money!



Your old TV will still work



Digital TV will give you more channels



Don't buy a new TV



Don't buy a set-top box



Don't pay anyone to install digital equipment

If you pay someone money to get digital TV, you won't get any money back from the government.





3

Call the Department of Human Services (DHS) on 1800 556 443 or visit a Centrelink Service Centre.

DHS will ask you some questions to make sure you can get the free assistance. You will also be asked for a password to protect your security.



4

Arrange a time for the government contracted antenna installer to come to your house.

The government contractor will call you to arrange a time for an installer to visit your house. They will use the password every time they call or visit you to prove their identity.



5

Make sure you are at home when the installer comes or you may miss out!

The government contractor will install a set-top box, a satellite (if you need one) and give you a remote control and instructions. They will also show you how to use the equipment.



APPLY NOW Applications close 25 July 2013.

It is important to apply as soon as possible so that you get your installation before the switchover to digital TV. For more information call the Department of Human Services on 1800 556 443 or visit the Digital Ready website at www.digitalready.gov.au



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Sports Talk

During February and March, there are a range of sports and recreation activities available for members of the township of Wiluna and nearby communities.

Except for activities in the swimming pool which require the entrance fee to the pool to be paid first – \$3 for adults/older youth (aged 16 years and over) and \$2 for children – there is no charge for participating in any of the other activities.

For enquiries regarding sports and recreation activities within the Shire of Wiluna, please contact Sports and Recreation Manager Rod McGrath (Ph. 0419-154-185).

Sports and Recreation Activities for Adults and Older Youths

WATER AEROBICS – Monday and Wednesday evenings

A 45 minute water aerobics session for participants (aged 16 years and above) occurs at the swimming pool on Mondays and Wednesdays from 6.00pm to 6.45pm.



BASKETBALL SCRIMMAGES (Practice Games) -- Monday and Thursday Evenings

Practice games (scrimmages) take place on Monday and Thursday evenings at the outdoor sports courts (near the Wiluna Recreation Centre) between 7pm and 8.30pm. These practice games enable players to prepare for future basketball tournaments plus players attending these evenings can also be eligible for selection in games against nearby towns and mine sites.

TRAIN FOR THE 2013 WILUNA BLESSING OF THE HIGHWAYS FUN RUN – Tuesday and Thursday Mornings

Prepare for the 2013 Wiluna Blessing of the Highways Fun Run to be held on 24 March by coming along to twice-weekly running training sessions (very light) on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 6am to 7am. Meet at the Wiluna Recreation Centre just before 6am.



MIXED NETBALL TRAINING & SCRIMMAGES (Practice Games) – Tuesday Evenings.

Practice games (scrimmages) occur on Tuesday evenings at the outdoor sports courts (near the Wiluna Recreation Centre) between 7pm and 8.30pm. Players whom attend these training and practice games will be in the consideration to be selected as members of the Wiluna mixed netball team which is scheduled to play its first game this year against a team from the BHP Billiton Mt Keith mine site at the Mt Keith netball court on the evening of Tuesday 19 March.



“WALK AND TALK” – Wednesday Mornings

Walk with other members of the local community on a Wednesday morning from 6am to 7am and while talking with your fellow walkers, you will also be improving your level of fitness. Meet at the Wiluna Recreation Centre just before 6am.

ROAD CYCLING TRAINING SESSIONS – Saturday mornings

Ride your bicycle with other members of the local community on Saturday mornings from 7am to 8am. The riding pace of the training session will vary as it will take into account the fitness levels of the various riders participating. Meet at the Wiluna Recreation Centre just before 7am.



TENNIS GAMES - Saturday evenings

The outdoor sports courts are available on Saturday evenings for interested tennis players to play games under lights from 7pm to 8.30pm, whether singles or doubles games.

Note: The Wiluna Recreation Centre has tennis equipment that can be borrowed via prior arrangement.

SUNDAY MORNING GOLF AT THE WILUNA GOLF COURSE

If you would like to play a round of golf at the Wiluna Golf Course with other local golfers of all abilities on a Sunday morning, interested players are invited to come to the golf course on the following Sundays (on a fortnightly basis) during February and March commencing from 7.00am:

3 and 17 February

3, 17 and 31 March

Note: The Wiluna Recreation Centre has golf equipment that can be borrowed via prior arrangement.





QUIZ NIGHT FOR ADULTS AND OLDER YOUTHS – SATURDAY 23 FEBRUARY

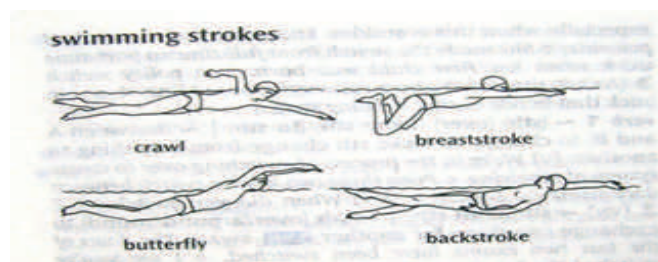
Enter your team of eight persons in Wiluna's first bi-monthly quiz night for 2013 which will be held at the Wiluna Recreation Centre. These quiz nights will be designed to test the "brain power" of adults and older youths. Cost of entry is \$5 per person and monies raised from the door entry will go to the Royal Flying Doctor Service. Teams wishing to enter and participate in Quiz Nights need to contact the Shire of Wiluna (Ph. 9981-8011) prior to a Saturday that a quiz night is held so as to secure a table for their team of eight.



Sports and Recreation Activities for Children & Youths

WATER ACTIVITIES – Monday/Wednesday/Thursday afternoons from 3.00pm to 4.30pm

During each week, three types of water activities will be held at the Wiluna Swimming Pool after school has ended: Mondays (water volleyball), Wednesdays (water polo), and Thursdays (swim club). Participants will learn the skills of both water volleyball and water polo and play friendly games utilising these skills. During Thursday's swim club sessions, participants - whom already know how to swim - will be able to fine-tune different types of swimming strokes for freestyle, breaststroke, butterfly and backstroke.





AUSKICK – LEARN TO BECOME AN AUSTRALIAN RULES FOOTBALLER

Mondays and Wednesdays afternoons from 5.00pm to 6.00pm

The pathway to being a player competing in the senior levels of Australian Rules Football commences with learning the skills of this sport. Auskick training sessions for children and younger youth are held on Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 5pm to 6pm on the Wiluna Sports Oval. At the end of all of the Auskick training sessions, participants will receive a backpack with various sports items, including a football and water bottle.



JUNIOR GOLF – Tuesday afternoons from 4.30pm to 6.30pm

Learn to play the sport of golf. These sessions are for participants aged 10 years and over. Initially, training sessions will be held in the area between the Wiluna Sports Oval and the school. Later, playing sessions will be held at the Wiluna Golf **Course** and players will play a round of six holes. The Wiluna Recreation Centre has golf equipment that can be borrowed by participants.



CRICKET TRAINING – Thursday afternoons from 5.00pm to 6.30pm

Learn to play the sport of cricket. Training sessions will be held initially in the cricket practice net at the Wiluna Sports Oval. In later training sessions, skills instruction will occur on the oval followed by playing the game of cricket.





POOL TABLE AND TABLE TENNIS GAMES – Friday afternoons from 3.00pm to 4.30pm

Competitions for pool and/or table tennis for participants aged 10 years and over are held on Friday afternoons after school has ended for the week. Winners of different competitions can win prizes.



MOVIE NIGHTS – Generally on Saturday evenings but sometimes on Friday evenings. From 7pm.

Movies are shown in the activities room of the Wiluna Recreation Centre, generally on Saturday evenings but sometimes on Friday evenings when Saturdays are not available.

In February and March, movies will be shown on the following nights: February (2, 16 and 22) and March (2, 16, 22 and 30).



BASKETBALL TRAINING – Friday afternoons from 5.00pm to 6.30pm

Learn to play the sport of basketball. Training sessions are held on the outdoor sports courts near the Wiluna Recreation Centre. Those players whom attend training sessions may be in consideration to represent Wiluna in games against nearby towns or in future tournaments.





MULLEWA SAINTS FOOTBALL CLUB ARE COMING TO WILUNA – FRIDAY 8 MARCH TO SUNDAY 10 MARCH

The Mullewa Saints FC play in the Great Northern Football League (GNFL). The Mullewa Saints were admitted to the GNFL in 1963 and since that time they have been in 27 grand finals, won 13 premierships, and have finished 33 times in the top four teams of yearly competitions. Mullewa Saints have teams playing in the GNFL's senior, reserves and colts competitions.

The Mullewa Saints have produced 11 Clune Medallists – more than any other club in the GNFL. Their colours are black, white and red – similar colours to AFL team, St Kilda Saints FC.

Three former AFL players will be playing with the Mullewa Saints in 2013: Ben Cousins (West Coast), Darren Gasper (Sydney Swans, Richmond) and Damian Gasper (Melbourne). Fremantle Dockers' round one AFL draft choice in 2012, 19 years old Josh Simpson, played for the Mullewa Saints last year. Another former AFL player, Travis Gasper (West Coast), is the co-ordinator of a program run at the local high school called the Advanced Coaching Academy. The program focuses on life skills, healthy living and goal-setting. In 2013, this program will also be run at the primary school in Mullewa.

The Mullewa Saints FC has big plans over the next five years to establish a football academy and a boarding facility while supporting education and employment opportunities for their players, with 95 per cent of their players being of indigenous origin.

Additionally, the Mullewa club is providing a pathway for players from this region to achieve their potential through playing in the GNFL and then to be recruited to the WAFL and hopefully on to the AFL. The Mullewa Saints pays players to play for them and expects their players to be professionals, with the contracts between the club and player outlining the expectations required.

The Mullewa Saints FC is looking to expand their recruitment area for players to play with them in the GNFL. A Wiluna player with the potential to play in this level of competition (GNFL) will have an opportunity to meet representatives of the club whom will be travelling to Wiluna in early March to scout for talent. Representatives from the club will include: Revis Ryder (seniors coach and former WAFL player), Brett Del Nero (club president and former WAFL player), and Steven Jacobs (colts coach and former WAFL player).

What will be the program of activities in Wiluna during the visit by the Mullewa Saints FC in March?

Sessions at the Wiluna Sports Oval and Recreation Centre

Friday 8 March: 6pm - Football Clinic

Saturday 9 March: 3pm – Junior Football Clinic; 4pm – Senior Football Clinic;

5.30pm – BBQ; 6pm – DVD movie outlining the rise of the Mullewa Saints FC; 7pm – Mullewa Saints FC information session

Sunday 10 March: 9am – Recruitment Training Session

For further details:

contact Mullewa Saints FC president Brett Del Nero (Ph. 0457-518-759) or Shire of Wiluna Sports and Recreation Manager Rod McGrath (Ph. 0419-154-185).



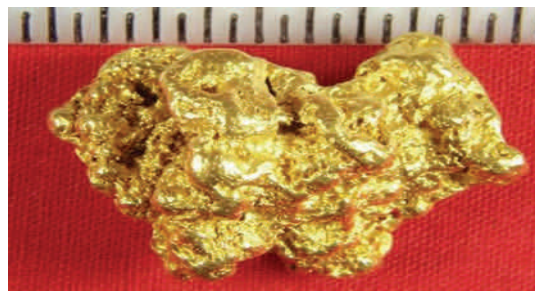
LEARN ABOUT HOW TO FIND GOLD WITHIN THE WILUNA AREA SEMINAR WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH

A free seminar for recreational hobbyist gold prospectors will be held on Wednesday 13 March from 7pm in the Wiluna Recreation Centre.

The seminar will provide information about how to find gold within the Wiluna area.

From a historical perspective, the first European discovery of gold in the Wiluna area occurred in the late 19th century with a gold rush evident during the 1930s and the population booming to reach more than 9000 people – all driven by the desire to find the magical gold nugget!

At this seminar, will be some local hobbyist gold prospectors whom have kindly agreed to share their knowledge and also tell a few stories about how they find gold. Hopefully, they will provide some tips on how others here within this area might be able to find gold too!



MURCHISON JUNIOR SPORTS DEVELOPMENT DAY – SATURDAY 16 MARCH 2013

The Department of Sport and Recreation is hosting a professional development day in Meekatharra on Saturday 16 March for all teachers, community members and sports program providers interested in promoting physical activity.

This Junior Sport Development Day, which will run from 9am to 2pm, is being held at the Meekatharra Sporting Complex Oval and be an opportunity to gain new ideas on sports coaching and how to make sessions more exciting and inviting.





2013 WILUNA BLESSINGS OF THE HIGHWAYS FUN RUN – SUNDAY 24 MARCH

Following on from the success of the Wiluna Blessing of the Highways Fun Run event held in 2011 (see picture below from the start of the event) and the road safety measures promoted to the community as part of that event, the 2013 Wiluna Blessing of the Highways Fun Run will be held on the morning of Sunday 24 March.

The 2013 Blessings of the Highway Fun Run event will incorporate both 10 km and 5 km Fun Runs (participants are also able to walk either course they enter). The Fun Run route travels along the Gunbarrel Highway between the town of Wiluna and the Bondini Aboriginal Community. There is no cost to enter either the 10km or 5km events.

The aim of this event is to relay a strong message to the community and tourists that the people within the Shire of Wiluna wish them safe journeys as they travel along each of the highways leading into and out of the township of Wiluna:

Gunbarrel Highway
Goldfields Highway (which also incorporates the Meekatharra – Wiluna road)
Canning stock Route

Road safety issues involving increased traffic around the Wiluna township, and also within the Shire of Wiluna, plus community concern for the protection of our community members is the rationale for the promotion of the road safety message concerning safe road user behaviour.

The 2013 Fun run event, which is being held on the weekend before this year's Easter holidays, will also encourage and promote community health and fitness.





ACTIVITIES THAT HAPPENED DURING THE RECENT JANUARY SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Visit of the Curtin Volunteers

Wiluna children enjoyed a variety of sports and recreational experiences when five volunteers from the Perth-based Curtin Volunteers (CV!) organisation came to Wiluna for four days (15th to 18th January) during the recent school holidays period. The Curtin Volunteers worked with the Shire of Wiluna Sports and Recreation team in organising and conducting a range of thoroughly enjoyable activities for all the children and youth in attendance at the Wiluna Recreation Centre. The Curtin Volunteers also prepared yummy lunches each day for everyone.

Thank you to the five members of the CV! organisation whom came to Wiluna: Stella Meyer (Wiluna Co-ordinator and trip leader), Sophie Barden-Brown, Lauren Schoer, David D'Orazio and Tenneka Jenkins. Also, thank you to Sineed Lehane, CV!s Director of Remote and Indigenous Programs for her pre-trip organisational efforts. And a further thank you as well to Gerard Leahy (MEEDAC) for assisting with bus transport for children from the Bondini community to attend this school holiday program.

Tennis in Wiluna

Two tennis coaches from Perth, Darren and Brett Patten, came to Wiluna in the third week of January (21st to 24th) to run clinics in the evenings for junior and adult players.

Darren has previously played in the first round of the Australian Tennis Open in 1990 – Australia's premier international tennis tournament and had also been a former coach of Australian women's tennis player Casey Dellacqua.

Brett Patten's tennis background includes having a current world ranking on the Senior International Tennis Federation (ITF) playing circuit of 19 for singles and 21 for doubles in the 40 years plus categories.

Besides the tennis coaching sessions, a session was held in the Wiluna Recreation Centre which provided information about pathways in sport, particularly with tennis, but also discussing pathways with other sporting organisations– from juniors to seniors

Thank you to Darren and Brett for an enjoyable week of tennis instruction.





**FIRST DISCO OF THE YEAR HELD SATURDAY 9 FEBRUARY
(ON THE EVE OF THE CHINESE NEW YEAR – YEAR OF THE SNAKE)**

At the Wiluna Recreation Centre on the eve of Chinese New Year, DJ Nick D'Silva (NAHS) turned up the music for a fun night for all with the first disco for children and youths held for the year.

37 children and youth enjoyed the music that Nick played and with up to 11 adults also attending, most of whom assisted with supervision, it was a great start to a Chinese New Year – the Year of the Snake.

Besides Wiluna being fortunate to have an experienced musical DJ in Nick (in his younger days he DJ'd through Europe), a thank you also to Senior Constable Wendy Kelly and Department of Child Protection officer Lisa Lockyer for the provision of prizes that they bought to be handed out to lucky dance recipients .



Kane Guiliano showing the crowd at the disco a move or two of his!





ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING DATES 2013

DATE	TIME	EVENT	VENUE
Wed, 27th Feb 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 27th Mar 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 24th Apr 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 22nd May 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 26th Jun 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 24th Jul 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 28th Aug 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 25th Sep 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 23rd Oct 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 27th Nov 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers
Wed, 18th Dec 2013	1.00 PM	Ordinary Council Meeting	Council Chambers

