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Shire of Derby /
West Kimberley

SHIRE NEWS

The official newsletter of Shire of Derby/West Kimberley

Derby Wharf Restaurant & Public Toilets set for revitalisation

An upgrade of the Derby Wharf restaurant and public toilet facilities commenced last week. Work on the toilets is anticipated to be complete by mid-July. During this time toilets may be closed to allow painting and other work to progress. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

The Shire will soon be calling for Expressions of Interest for a Commercial Lessee for the newly revitalised restaurant. Please stay tuned for more exciting updates in the coming weeks.



Shire Facility needing repair? Report it.

The Shire has undergone some internal changes to staffing and are looking forward to engaging users and the general community in how we report issues.

If you as a member of the public or the user of a facility notice anything that requires repair or maintenance please report it by contacting reception on 9191 0999 or via email at reception@sdwk.wa.gov.au. The item will be logged and followed up by our staff at the earliest possible convenience.



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Photo: Councillors and contractor Buckley's outside completed road works.

Road Works Progressing in Fitzroy Crossing

Over 5kms of road works are progressing in Fitzroy Crossing with work underway on various sections of the Geikie Gorge Road including the intersection with Russ Road, Russ Road from Forrest Road over the Brooking Channel, the Sanford and Skuthorpe intersection realignment and Bell Road. The works are set to be completed by June 30 and total work cost is approximately 2 million (inc gst). The work is part of Council's current budget and Road Management Strategy 2020-25 Sealed Roads – April 2020.

Keeping our community healthy

Have you noticed the new hand washing facilities installed at our recreation facilities in Derby and Fitzroy Crossing?

Five new hand washing basins are now located at the Derby undercover courts, Derby Youth Centre, Nicholson Square (Derby), Fitzroy Undercover Basketball Courts and the Derby Recreation Hall (facing the Oval).

Some new signage will also be installed at Shire facilities to remind our community and visitors about keeping our community healthy.

Stay tuned for more updates!

Derby Youth Service back in action

The Derby Youth Service team welcomed back over 800 youth in their first two weeks of opening after COVID-19 restrictions forced the temporary closure of the service.

The program takes place at the Youth Centre and Derby Recreation Centre. Youth are provided with dinner and can be dropped home by the Youth team after attending the program.



Photo: Testing out the new basin at Nicholson Square (Derby Oval)

All Youth are welcome and encouraged to attend.

The Derby Youth Service is open during the following times:

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| Monday- Wednesday: | 2.00pm - 6.00pm |
| Thursday: | 2.00pm - 8.00pm |
| Friday: | 2.00pm -10.00pm |
| Saturday | 6.00pm -10.00pm |
| Sunday: | Closed |