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And that's a wrap...



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Presentation day at the Clubhouse

On Saturday 5th August, Auskick participants enjoyed their final round of footy for the year with yet another morning of gorgeous, sunny weather. The session included the traditional grown-ups versus kids game, followed by the presentation of certificates, medals and team photos.

Congratulations to all participants, especially our Walpole Auskickers!

Heartfelt thanks are extended to the Walpole Op Shop, the Walpole CRC and the Denmark-Walpole Football Club for funding, and enabling the hire of the CRC bus to transport Walpole Auskick participants to and from Denmark each week. Likewise, heartfelt thanks go to all the volunteer coaches, coordinators, team managers and committee members at the Denmark-Walpole Football Club for making Auskick possible.

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Thanks to this collective generosity, ten girls and boys from Walpole had the opportunity to take part in the super fun, game-based activities that are the hallmark of the Auskick programme. For some, it was their first introduction to AFL and it was wonderful to see players' skills and confidence in kicking, handballing, marking and game-play develop throughout the season.



And while less tangible, though just as important Auskick teaches the spirit of the game and what it means to play as part of a team. Our Walpole players rose to the occasion, from ball-sharing with teammates during mini-matches to demonstrating on-field enthusiasm and encouragement, as well as building budding friendships with future High School classmates.

Book-ending each week's footy session was the bus trip to and from Walpole. At times, it was difficult to tell which aspect the players enjoyed more. The road trips were filled with fun, laughs and lots of music! The children's eclectic DJ tastes took us to all corners of Spotify from the Richmond Tigers Club song to the Sri Lankan national anthem, with TNT emerging as the group's weekly theme song, replete with hand horns.

Plans are afoot to secure funding for the Auskick shuttle bus in 2024, should there be sufficient interest. A number of this year's Auskickers will be over-age for Auskick next year, which opens up opportunities for other families to take advantage of a free shuttle bus service should a funding application be successful.

Children can start playing Auskick in the year they turn five and can participate until the end of Year 2 (though some exceptions may be possible if your child is older and hasn't previously participated in Auskick). If you are keen for your child(ren) to have a spot on the shuttle bus, please message Brooke on 0439 242 878. Please note that for the shuttle bus to operate, parents must commit to a rotating roster throughout the season. It will also require a roster/bus coordinator. If you're able to help, please let Brooke know.

Well done to ALL Auskickers for a fabulous season. Bravo 'pies!!

~Brooke Halkyard

Walpole Times to Remember

Walpole CRC

Tue to Fri 9am-4pm

Walpole Nornalup Visitor Centre

Monday-Saturday 9-4pm, Sunday/Public hols
9am-2pm

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Wed 9am-12pm and 1pm-3:30pm

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Sat 9am-12pm

Walpole Weekly

Monday 10am Deadline:

Tues to Fri 10:30am-3pm

Walpole Op Shop

Mon- Fri 9:30am-11:30am; Sat 10am-1pm

St Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

Sat 3:45 pm

St George's Anglican Church

Sun 10am

Walpole Waste Transfer Station

Tues and Thu 1pm-5pm; Sun 9am-5pm

Peaceful Bay Refuse Site

Wed 9am-1pm; Sun 1pm-4:30pm

Menstrual Intimacy Night
 with Sandra Walker
 FREE
 For all women, mothers and daughters
 Friday 18th August @ 5:30pm to approx 8:00pm
 Walpole Community Hall Dining Room
 Warm soup and dessert provided
 Book via info@walpole.org.au or phone 9840 1935



Communities engaging in conversations about mortality at Death Café Gatherings



A Death Café is a social gathering where people come together to discuss topics related to death, dying, and the end of life. It

provides a comfortable and open environment for individuals to share their thoughts, feelings, and experiences surrounding mortality.

At a Death Café, participants engage in respectful conversations about a range of death-related subjects, including personal beliefs, fears, cultural practices, grief, and end-of-life planning.

The goal is to create a supportive space for individuals to explore and normalise the topic of death, allowing for greater awareness and acceptance.

Death Cafés are typically held in various settings such as cafés, community centres, or private homes. They are usually facilitated by individuals who are interested in promoting open conversations about death. Attendance is voluntary, and participants are encouraged to engage with respect, empathy, and an open mind.

One of the primary advantages of a Death Café is the opportunity it provides for people to confront their own mortality. By addressing the taboo nature of death, individuals can begin to reflect on their own lives, values, and priorities. These conversations prompt participants to contemplate their aspirations, regrets, and the legacy they hope to leave behind. Acknowledging death as an integral part of the human experience can lead to a renewed sense of purpose and a more profound appreciation for the present moment.

The conversations at Death Cafés are not limited to personal reflections on death. Practical matters, such as end-of-life planning, advance care directives, and funeral arrangements, are also discussed.

These discussions can assist individuals in making informed decisions about their own end-of-life preferences, ensuring that their wishes are respected and understood by loved ones.

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By embracing these conversations, Death Cafés empower individuals to reclaim control over their own lives and deaths, ultimately reducing stress and uncertainty for both themselves and their families. Thus leading to meaningful conversations and a deeper appreciation of life and a more compassionate approach to the end-of-life journey.

At our visits to the Death Café at Denmark CRC we have had discussions around the following with Death Doula Kit Brewely:

- Natural burial sites in the Denmark Shire Cemetery and the laws around burials on private property (check with Local Government)
- Voluntary Assisted Dying (VAD) regulations and personal experiences
- Embalming, shrouds and coffin regulations
- Coffin making workshops to be held in Denmark
- Cold plate for body preservation, recently purchased by Death Doula, Kit Brewely, Denmark
- Funeral arrangements/requirement other than through Funeral Directors
- Sitting with loved ones at end of life

When someone dies at home in Western Australia, certain steps must be followed to comply with legal requirements.

- Confirm the death: If someone passes away at home, call emergency services or the person's doctor to report the death and seek guidance.
- Obtain a Medical Certificate: Request a medical certificate from the deceased person's doctor to certify the cause of death. If unavailable, contact the police.
- Register the Death: Within seven days, register the death with the Registry of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in Western Australia. Obtain forms from their website or contact them directly.
- Arrange for the body: Decide whether to keep the body at home temporarily or transfer it to a mortuary or funeral home for preparation. You can legally keep a body at home for 5 days with arrangements made to ensure body preservation - eg cold packs around organs, cold plate etc.
- Transportation: Contact a funeral home or transport company to arrange the transfer if needed. They will guide you through legal requirements and provide assistance.
- Notify authorities: Inform the deceased person's doctor and local police station if not already done,

especially in cases of unnatural deaths or when a medical certificate is unavailable.

- Plan the funeral: Choose the type of funeral or memorial service, select a venue, and make arrangements for religious or cultural practices.
- Burial or cremation: Coordinate with a cemetery or crematorium to make arrangements based on whether the deceased person will be buried or cremated.
- Obtain Death Certificate: Apply for a death certificate from the Registry of Births, Deaths, and Marriages after registering the death. The Death Certificate is a crucial legal document for various purposes, including estate settlement.

It is important to note that this step-by-step process provides a general guideline. The specific requirements and procedures may vary depending on the circumstances of the death. It is advisable to consult with the relevant authorities, such as the Registry of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and seek guidance from professionals or legal experts to ensure compliance with all legal obligations and procedures.

A Death Doula is a trained professional who provides emotional, spiritual, and practical support to individuals and their families during the dying process and after death. They are professional, confidential and caring people. We are very lucky to have Death Doula Dianne Pickersgill in Walpole. If anyone would be interested in joining/creating a Death Café right here in Walpole please contact the Walpole CRC on 9840 1395 or email info@walpole.org.au to express your interest etc. If you are interested in the Death Doula services available in the Walpole/Denmark area, please let us know and we can help you get in touch.

In the meantime you can join us on the bus to the Death Café in Denmark on the third Monday of every month to catch up with Kit Brewely, Death Doula at the Denmark CRC. The next Death Café at Denmark CRC on 21st August will be centred around Advanced Care Planning facilitated by Irene Montefiore. Bookings are essential as places are limited. There is also a coffin making workshop for anyone dying to know.

This is a link to view the WA guidelines for preparation of a deceased for burial or cremation: https://www.health.wa.gov.au/Articles/N_R/Preparation-of-the-deceased-for-burial-or-cremation
There are related links on this website with other useful information.

~Walpole Weekly

DYING TO KNOW

Free Community Workshop

Would you like to make your own decisions about your future care?

Advance Care Planning

It can also relieve your family of the burden of making tough decisions on your behalf AND give you a sense of control over your own well-being.

Topics will include: What is Advance Care Planning? Why does it matter? What are the documents involved?

A free workshop facilitated by Irene Montefiore to help you get started:



WHERE:
Denmark CRC
the 'Garden Room'

WHEN:
Monday 21st August
1 - 3:30 pm

RSVP:
Thursday 17th August
Denmark CRC
9848 2842

Afternoon Tea Provided
Registration essential
Places are limited



DYING TO KNOW

COFFIN MAKING WORKSHOP

Facilitated by John Purdom

More a conversation than a workshop, but fun for everyone- I'm sure we'll all be in one someday, so come and find out how to make a comfortable one.



WHERE: Denmark CRC The 'TRAINING ROOM'

WHEN: Saturday 26th August 10 - 12pm

COST: Free

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL



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Weekly events

Upcoming Activities

| Time | Date | Details |
|---------|----------------------------|--|
| 10am | Friday 18th August | Storytime at Walpole Library |
| 6pm | Friday 18th August | Menstrual Intimacy workshop with Sandra Walker at Walpole Community Hall |
| 12pm | Monday 21st August | Death Café and shopping at Denmark |
| 12:45pm | Tuesday 29th August | Bibbulman Track 25th Anniversary beginning at Walpole Visitor Centre |
| 10am | Thursday 31st August | Women's Health Forum with Myrna from Silverchain at Walpole CRC |

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Weekly events

| Day | Details |
|------------------|--|
| Monday | <p>Mahjong at Walpole Community Hall, 10am - Noon Mahjong at Nornalup 2pm - 5pm Contact Gail on 0427 689 028 for venue details. Zumba at Walpole Sport and Recreation Centre, 5:30pm - 6:30pm Doctor Services at Walpole Silver Chain by appointment 9840 1173 Pilates with Anna-Marie, 20 Bellanger Rd Nornalup. 10.30am fortnightly</p> |
| Tuesday | <p>Weight Watchers at the Anglican Church Walpole, 9:30am Country Club Scourgers Golf 12:30pm Autumn Club at Walpole Sport and Recreation Centre, 1pm Pilates with Anna-Marie, 20 Bellanger Rd Nornalup. 6.00pm</p> |
| Wednesday | <p>Basketball for Kids Every Wednesday at the Walpole Sport and Rec Centre - 3pm Tone and Stretch Class at Walpole Sport and Rec Centre, 9 - 10am Doctor Services at Walpole Silver Chain by appointment 9840 1173 - Telehealth only 10am - 2pm (Every last Wednesday each month) Walpole Country Club Social Bowls 12:30pm Yin Yoga with Emelie at 20 Bellanger Road, Nornalup 10.30am and 6pm</p> |
| Thursday | <p>Pathology Pathwest at Walpole Silver Chain 8:30am - 11:30am JR Karate at Walpole Sport and Rec Centre 3:15 - 4:15pm Yoga with Jenny Nornalup Hall 5:30pm Anglicare Financial Counselling 1st Thursday every month by appointment - contact CRC Ladies golf 10.30am at Walpole Country Club Pilates with Anna-Marie, 20 Bellanger Rd Nornalup. 10.30am Community Lunch at Walpole Hotel/Motel 12pm</p> |
| Friday | <p>Walpole Menshed at LIA Miguel Place, Walpole, 9.30am - 12:30pm Table Tennis and Games at Nornalup Community Hall, 5 - 7pm Zumba Gold at Walpole Sport and Rec Centre, 9 - 10am Craft Group at Walpole Community Hall, 2nd and 4th Friday 9:30am Storytime at Walpole Library 10am (Held fortnightly during school term) Meals on Wheels Delivery Walpole Community Bus trip every second Friday of every month Yin Yoga with Emelie at 20 Bellanger Road, Nornalup 10.30am</p> |
| Saturday | <p>St Francis of Assisi Catholic Church Service at Walpole, 3:45pm Yoga with Jenny Nornalup Hall 9am Ficifolia Community Garden Market Stall/ Trading Fortnightly 10am - 12 noon</p> |
| Sunday | <p>St George's Anglican Church Service 10am Ficifolia Gardens Busy Bee 10am, second Sunday of every month - all welcome Walpole Country Club Scourgers Bowls 12:30 pm Walpole Country Club men's Golf 12pm</p> |

Nature Notes: Slipper Orchid



The slipper orchid, also known as the western tongue orchid (*Cryptostylis ovata*) is the only member of the genus *Cryptostylis* found in Western Australia. It favours our wet southwest

forest areas. It is quite unique as it has leaves all year around. The leaves are egg-shaped and have a white vein running down the middle. They are also quite large, about 250mm long (from 4-10 inches) and are a dark green colour.

These orchids grow in colonies, although only one or two plants may flower at a time. Each plant has up to fifteen flowers with one flower showing at any one time. As this one is fertilised and dies it becomes a seed pod and a new flower emerges. This gives the plant a long flowering season and prevents self-fertilisation.

Like all Western Australian orchids, slipper orchids are masters of deceit. The flower gives off the pheromones of the female wasp of the *Lissopimpla excelsa*. The male wasp lands and tries to mate with the flower, in the process he accidentally collects the *pollinia* (bundle of pollen). He then transfers this to a different plant when he lands on its flower and tries to mate with it!

In orchids, the stigma and stamens (pollen receiving parts) are combined together in a structure known as the *column*. Because the pollen is in a bundle, an exceptional number of ovules are pollinated at the same time. The slipper shape of the flower is especially designed so the insect will land on it. This is a example of how west Australian orchids may have bizarre-shaped flowers in order to allow specific pollinators to be attracted to them.

Most flowers provide their insect visitors with nectar and pollen but not all orchids do this. Some provide false pollen while others mimic other flowers, but our orchid is specially designed to attract the male *Lissopimpla excelsa* wasp. As we have had a good rainy season I expect our spring to be spectacular, so look out for orchids - they are fascinating and some of the best flowers for tricking insects.

~Alison Kenworthy



How embarrassing! I thought you were a girl!

Women's Wellness in The Walpole Wilderness
AUGUST

- **Friday 18th August** - Menstrual Intimacy with Sandra Walker who will be facilitating conversations among women and daughters about menstruation, covering health, empowerment, hygiene, emotions, and support - 6pm @ Walpole Community Hall
- **Monday 21st August** - Death Café & Shopping - Denmark
12:00noon depart
- **Thursday 31st August** - Women's Health Forum with Myrna from Silver Chain discussing various health topics, what to look for, advice, wellness help and discussing health resources available to women in Walpole 10am @ Walpole CRC

Please book and register your expression of interest via info@walpole.org.au or Ph 9840 1395
Child minding is available on request

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Ficifolia Community Garden



St John Denmark Sub Centre's team deliver 'D Day' to Tingledale Hall.



Wednesday 9th August was Defibrillator delivery and familiarisation day at Tingledale Hall.

Team members David and Marion brought the potentially lifesaving asset to the Hall for all users of its facilities. This includes the immediate local community, the Tingledale Tennis Club, local farmers and property owners in the surrounding areas, not to mention tourists passing by.

The delivery was followed by a very informative and much appreciated training session about using the device. Twelve people were able to attend.



Further to this, a General First Aid course will also be conducted by a St John Denmark sub centre team member in the near future. This event will be at the Hall for anyone who would like to refresh their skills or learn new ones.

A lovely afternoon tea was shared by all at the conclusion of the information session.

~BTH Ladies

A Message from the Andimaps Team

To all our Andimaps Walpole family, You may or may not have been aware that Andi had been unwell over the past couple of years, maybe even in extra time.

Andi lived his life to the fullest, delivering the newest map editions to Denmark on his last morning, glad I packed the laptop for a hospital visit, for tests, in the late afternoon, so he could finish the delivery spreadsheet for Dunsborough.

He took his leave like the considerate gentleman he was, peacefully, still with many plans, in the early morning of August 1st.

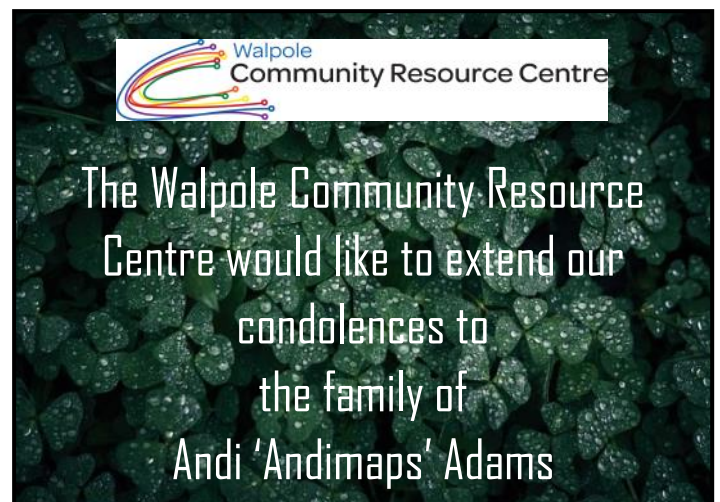
For those interested, there are details of Andi's farewell this Saturday, 12th August on Andi Adams facebook page. If you would like me to email details directly to you, please ask.

I would also like to reassure you that, with the collaboration of Andi's daughter, celebrated graphic designer Chiara, we are committed to produce the 30th year anniversary editions of Andimaps in 2024.

We will do our best to honour Andi's art of helping people find their way while supporting local businesses.

Andimaps are in the world because of Andi's passion, meticulous care and your support.

~Andimaps team - <https://andimaps.com.au/>





Your weekly fOOD and coffee guide



What's on offer in and around Walpole this week...

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|---|-----------|
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| Tree Top Walk Motel - a la Carte Dining Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights - 45 Nockolds Street | |
| Walpole Hotel/ Motel 'Open for Lunch and Dinner 7 days a week' | 9840 1023 |
| Open every day Lunch 12pm-2pm, Dinner 6pm - 8pm, Cnr Boronia Ave & South West Hwy, Walpole | |

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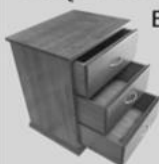


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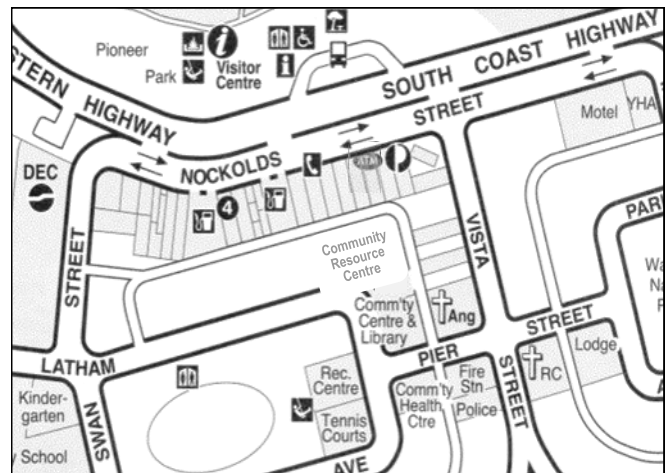
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Community Resource Centre
Your local connection

You can do it at the CRC!

Centre Facilities include;

- Fully Serviced Offices/Conference/Training Rooms
- Walpole Weekly Production and Printing
- Internet services: WIFI/Computer use
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 - ✓ Local knowledge
 - ✓ Friendly advice
 - ✓ Free tea/coffee while you wait/work

To stay connected to your home, work or business, visit the Walpole CRC



We are open Tuesday - Friday 10am - 4pm
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| Status: | Full-time/Part-time |
| Salary: | Up to \$61,500.00 per annum (full-time equivalent), depending on experience. Plus up to 16% Superannuation & additional benefits |

About us:

The Shire of Denmark is a high performing local government with 99% of staff rating the Shire as a positive place to work and appreciate the people they work with.

The positive values and culture demonstrated by staff at the Shire, create an environment where co-workers can connect and EMBRACE a workplace that empowers staff to bring the organisation's values to life through their daily business interactions with the community.

Opportunity:

The Shire of Denmark is seeking a suitably qualified and experienced person to fill the Civil Infrastructure Admin Officer position within the Shire's Assets & Sustainable Development Directorate.

We're looking for someone who;

- Will provide a high level of administration and customer service support for the Civil Infrastructure team (including Waste, Parks & Reserves).
- Has proficient computing skills and is well versed in Microsoft Office Programs.
- Is able to multi-task, prioritise workloads and has strong time management skills.
- Is able to deliver customer service with a high level of inter-personal and communication skills both internally and externally.
- Is solution focused with a 'can do' attitude.
- Has initiative and flexibility.
- Will look for opportunities to innovate.
- Wants to be a part of a strong team culture.
- Will Champion the Shire's vision, values and mission statement.

In return we can offer you

- A challenging and rewarding position, additional superannuation contributions, professional development opportunities, as well as the opportunity to work in a friendly environment and contribute to a forward-thinking Local Government organisation.

The Shire welcomes you to apply

For more information on the position or to apply we encourage you to visit the Shire's website www.denmark.wa.gov.au/employment.

If you have any questions about the position, Human Resources can be contacted on (08) 9848 0305.

Applications are to be received no later than 4.00pm on Friday 1st September 2023.

David King

Temporary Chief Executive Officer

PO Box 183, Denmark WA 6333

Telephone: (08) 9848 0300 Email: enquiries@denmark.wa.gov.au Web: www.denmark.wa.gov.au



**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINARY ELECTION
CLOSE OF ENROLMENTS
Shire of Denmark
ROLL CLOSE: 5:00 PM Friday, 25 August 2023**

You may be eligible to be enrolled to vote in the local government elections on 21 October 2023 if you live in or are an owner or occupier of rateable property in the Shire of Denmark.

Residents

You are automatically enrolled to vote if you are on the State Electoral Roll as at 5:00 PM Friday, 25 August 2023. If you are not already on the State Electoral Roll and meet the eligibility criteria, or if you have changed address recently, you must complete an enrolment form.

Enrolment Forms

You can enrol or update your details online, or download an enrolment form, via the Western Australian Electoral Commission website (www.elections.wa.gov.au/enrol). Forms are also available from the Australian Electoral Commission (www.aec.gov.au). Enrolments and updates must be completed and received by 5:00 PM Friday, 25 August 2023.

Non-Resident Owners and Occupiers

If you are a non-resident owner or occupier of rateable property in the Shire of Denmark and are on the State or Commonwealth Electoral Roll, you are eligible to enrol to vote. If you are **not** on the State or Commonwealth Electoral Roll and own or occupy rateable property in the Shire of Denmark you may be eligible to enrol to vote. This applies if you were on the last electoral roll for the Shire of Denmark prior to May 1996 and have owned or occupied rateable property in the district continuously since this time. Please contact your local government for details. Owners of land who were on the last Local Government roll continue to retain that status until they cease to own the rateable property to which the enrolment relates. Occupiers do not have continuous enrolment and should contact the Shire of Denmark to confirm their enrolment status. To be eligible to enrol as an occupier, you will need to have a right of continuous occupation under a lease, tenancy agreement or other legal instrument for at least the next three months following the date of the application to enrol.

Joint Owners and Occupiers

If a rateable property is owned or occupied by more than two people, a majority of the owners/occupiers may nominate two persons from amongst themselves who are on either the State or Commonwealth Electoral Roll, to enrol as owner/occupier electors.

Corporations

A body corporate that owns or occupies rateable property may nominate two people who are on either the State or Commonwealth Electoral Roll to enrol as owner/occupier electors.

Enrolment Forms – Non-Resident Owners and Occupiers Only

Enrolment forms can be obtained from local governments and must be lodged with the Chief Executive Officer by 5:00 PM Friday, 25 August 2023. Further information can be obtained from the Shire of Denmark.

ROBERT KENNEDY
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