Food festival focus on local flavours

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The Go for 2 & 5 Gascoyne Food Festival is fast approaching, with a number of special events and talented chefs set to highlight the region's best local flavours.

From August 13 to 16, foodies and chefs from around the country will flock to the Gascoyne for events including the paddock-to-plate experience of the chef's tour, familystyle dining at the barbecue on the beach, the premier long-table lunch at Bentwaters Plantation and the Gascoyne Growers' Markets.

In a festival first, the shires of Shark Bay and Exmouth will also be hosting two mouth-watering events.

Dirk's Dinner Plate is to be held on Dirk Hartog Island at Cape Inscription and Surf and Turf on Sunrise Beach will be held in Exmouth, hosted by the Novotel Ningaloo.

Chefs from well-known Perth restaurants, including Poach Pear, The Print Hall, The Peasant's Table, Fraser's Restaurant, Incontro, the Atrium Buffet, Ultimo Catering, Musk Wine Bar and the Old Brewery will be joining the event.

"The festival provides chefs with a unique opportunity to network with each other and to meet with growers to learn more about the provenance of produce," said Print Hall executive chef Dan Fisher.

"It's also really rewarding to be able to use our creativity at the long-table lunch in such a stunning location."

Gascoyne Food Council acting executive officer Doriana Mangili said the event will mark the sixth



Pep Caltanissetta from Sebastian's Butchers with Cath Walsh and Sean D'Arcy from Lyndon Station and Edwina Shallcross. Picture: Anton Blume

anniversary of the long-table

"The event has grown from 80 to

195 guests over that time and is greatly anticipated by foodies tickets are extremely limited for

the event, so we encourage people to get in quick to avoid disappointment," she said.

Those interested in the Carnarvon-based events can purchase tickets at www.eventopia.co.



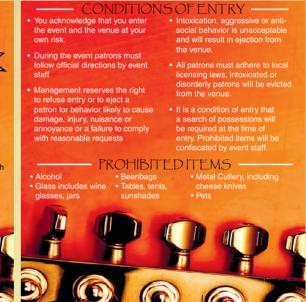
The Shire would like to introduce Carmen Taylor as the recently appointed Co-ordinator of Ranger services, joining our existing Rangers - Luke De Sousa and Theo Brugman.

Carmen brings a wealth

of knowledge to our Ranger unit and community. Some of her past experience includes working within the Perth metro area as a Ranger, off shore as a FIFO Security and Safety Project Manager and in Security Management at both Learmonth and Broome International Airports. Carmen has also worked in remote Aboriginal communities near Geraldton and South Hedland.

With a passion for the outdoors and environment, Carmen enjoys travelling and exploring our natural wonders on land and in the sea. Carmen moves to town with 2 young kittens she rescued from a mine site in South Hedland, and a blind







MOBILE GARBAGE BIN PICK-UPS

The Shire would like to remind residents and business/commercial operators that rubbish bin collections occur once per week unless other arrangements are made. Bins are collected in designated areas on the following days:

Monday

HOME

Morgantown and Babbage Island (including Binning Road). Includes Wooramel St, James St, Hill St and Airport precinct

Tuesday South Carnarvon and Carnarvon

Wednesday Brockman

Thursday East Carnarvon; Kingsford; Greys Plain; Inggarda Massey Bay and Brown's Range

Friday

North and South Plantations: Inggarda

Please ensure your bin is verge side before 6am on your designated collection day. Bins must be placed with the front facing the road and separate from your neighbours to ensure collection If business/commercial operators require more than once per week rubbish collection please contact the Rates Department on 9941 0025 to arrange additional bin services.



Enquiries

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SATURDAY 8TH **AUGUST 2015** Please ensure you are waiting at each pick up point to avoid missing the bus!!

SRR (Ag Dept) SRR (near giles rd) NWC High (Geraldton turn off) OTC (bus shelter) Boor st (bus shelter)

(near boundry rd)

2.30pm Aquatic Centre Carpark 2.37pm Wheelock way (bus stop) Skipworth st (near glass st) 2.43pm 2.37pm

8.15pm Diver & Town Eus will leave at \$.15pm from the venue For more information please contact Melissa Frearson on 9941 0039

2.40pm

ART ON THE MOVE, Jilinbirri Weavers and Sarah Trant present an exciting exhibition that delicately captures intricate woven designs and traditional Aboriginal craft in a new and contemporary art form.



The Jilinbirri Weavers are a small group of Aboriginal artists from Carnarvon in WA, including Antoinette Roe, Elaine Moncrieff, Marjorie Winmar and Avy Robinson. They have worked together since 2004, dedicating their lives to cultural heritage and community through their arts practice, creating a unique and contemporary style that celebrates the Gascyone region and their community.

> Mudlark (Jilinbirri) Metals will be showing at: Carnarvon Library and Gallery 18 Egan Street, CARNARVON WA

Exhibition Dates: August 7 - September 11, 2015 Opening Hours: Monday - Friday: 9am - 5pm Saturday: 9am - 12pm

Closed Sundays & Public Holidays Contact Details: 9941 3727 / library.staff@carnarvon.wa.gov.au











