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PEARCE NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH NEWSLETTER

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NEXT MEETINGS

We invite all members of the Pearce community to join us for our monthly meetings to discuss any issues or events going on in the neighbourhood. Meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of each month from 7.30pm in the SHOUT meeting room, Pearce Community Centre. Our next meetings are on 28 February and 28 March.

Happy Chinese New
Year.



DRONES

Did you receive a drone for Christmas? If you did, please familiarize yourself with the rules relating to flying your drone. These include:

1. Flying your drone above or over people.
2. Keeping your drone at least 30m away from other people.
3. Flying your drone during the day and keeping it within visual line-of-sight.
4. Flying higher than 120m.
5. Keeping at least 5.5km away from controlled aerodromes if the drone weighs greater than 100 grams.
6. Not fly over or near an area where emergency operations are taking place.
7. Not record or photograph people without their consent.

Residents should also be aware of the increase in popularity of these devices and consider activities they conduct, such as sunbaking, in areas where drones may have access.

BACK TO SCHOOL FEBRUARY 4TH.

Please observe all signs relating to school zones, with 40km/h speed limits coming into effects between 8am and 4pm on school days.

Also, be aware that School Crossing Supervisors are patrolling some schools across the ACT; this includes Torrens Primary School. Please be aware of crossings and ensure that you do not proceed through a crossing until all pedestrians, including the crossing supervisor, are off the road.

Beasley St has also been trialling the digital speed sign on uphill traffic approaching Sacred Heart Primary School. Please be aware that this sign sits within the school zone and 40km/h limits apply on the approach to this sign.

POLICE RECRUITMENT

ACT Policing is looking for a diverse group of people who have the skills and qualities to be community policing officers as part of the AFP's 'Unique Opportunities Remarkable Careers' recruitment campaign which launched on 24 January 2019.

ACT police play an integral role within our neighbourhood and have a chance to contribute positively to people's lives in our community.

Candidate information packs for are available from the AFP Careers page www.afp.gov.au/careers/vacancies

PET CARE

As we are still in the think of summer and we have some scorchers still on the way, please be vigilant of your pets. Make sure you always leave plenty of water for them to drink and consider the environment in which they are left while you are away.

Also, be aware that leaving a pet unattended in a car on hot days, even with a window open, is not recommended as it can take as little as 6 minutes for a pooch to begin suffering heatstroke. For more information on this please visit www.rspcansw.org.au

POLICE REPORTS – NOVEMBER

- 1 Assaults GBH – Marr St.
- 2 Assaults other – Hodgson Cr/Pl.
- 1 Motor Vehicle Theft – Hodgson Cr/Pl.
- 1 Burglary dwelling – Julius St.
- 1 Other theft – Hodgson Cr/Pl.

POLICE REPORTS – DECEMBER

- 1 Assaults Other – McNamara St.
- 1 Burglary dwelling – Sheehan St.
- 1 Theft Number Plates – Marr St.
- 1 Other thefts – Whitelaw St.
- 1 Other property damage – Murphy St.

POLICE REPORTS – JANUARY

- 1 Other property damage – Marr St.
- Other Thefts = thefts other than burglary of dwellings*

USEFUL NUMBERS

Emergencies (life threatening)	000
Police Attendance (minor crimes)	131444
Crime Stoppers	1800 333 000
Graffiti Hotline	13 22 81
Canberra Connect	13 22 81
State Emergency Service	132500
Area Coordinator	6286 9999
ACT Policing website	www.police.act.gov.au

Firms and businesses in these spaces support Neighbourhood Watch in Pearce

<h1>Cafe Viin</h1> <p>Pearce shops Mon-Fri: 8:00-5:30 (Wed 4:30) Sat: 8:00-3:30</p>	gluten free bread and other <i>deeks</i> products sold Ph: 6179 6733 viin2018@gmail.com
<h2>TORRENS NEWSAGENCY</h2> <p>Newspapers, stationery, fax and photocopying, postal items, bread, eggs, ice, confectionery, dry cleaning and other services</p> <p>Mon – Fri: 7am – 7pm • Sat: 7am – 6pm Sun: 7am – 5:30 pm</p> <p>Ph 6286 1479 Fax 6286 6325</p>	 <h2>Canberra Yoga Centre</h2> <p>Relax your mind, strengthen your body, open your heart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Dru yoga leads to stillness through movement.◆ It is a graceful and potent form of yoga.◆ Dru yoga is an effective antidote to stress.◆ Designed for all ages, fitness levels and flexibility.◆ Evening, daytime and weekend classes available  <p>Classes held at the Pearce Community Centre P- 6286 7134 E- info@canberrayogacentre.com.au</p>
 <h2>SONG & YANG CLINIC</h2> <p>in PEARCE Chinese Herbal Medicine, Acupuncture, Massage Therapy & More</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sports and Work Injuries• Acute and Chronic Pains• Ear, Nose and Throat Issues• Women and Children's Health• General Medicals <p>Call Us 61610866 8am-6:30pm Health Fund Rebates, Comcare and Work Compensation</p>	 <h2>back in balance</h2> <p>Chiropractic & Massage</p> <hr/> <p>Pearce Shopping Centre Cnr of Macfarland & Hodgson Cr Pearce 62901000</p> <p>Chiropractic Massage Therapy Cupping Acupuncture Custom Made Orthotics Gift Vouchers HICAPS Appointments Available: Monday – Sunday www.backinbalance.net.au</p>
 <h2>REAL ESTATE</h2> <p>Thinking of selling or renting your property? Contact the Real Estate Agent (<i>living locally</i>) that you can trust.</p> <p>Fleur Scheele fleurscheele@icloud.com</p> <p>PH: 02 62958888 MB: 0407958881</p>	 <h2>Elixir Beauty Therapy</h2> <p>Waxing, Tinting, Manicures & Pedicures, Facials, Spray Tanning and more.</p> <p>Tue, 10: 00-5:00 Wed, Thu, 10:00-8:00 Fri, 9:30-5:00, Sat 8:30-1:00</p> <p>Shop 4, Torrens Place Torrens ACT 2607 6162 2885</p>