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## Mother's Day on Cocos



The Cocos (Keeling) Islands comprises of 27 coral islands forming two atolls - situated 2768km north-west of Perth and 3685km due west of Darwin - an untouched paradise in the Indian Ocean.

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## Raya Vibes

Photos by: Rohan Newton

Rainfall Stats

Monthly Statistic up to 20th  
May:  
41.0mm

Latest 2021 Statistics:



960.8mm  
LATEST WEATHER  
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Emergency Contact List

- AFP 9162 6600
- VHF Ch20
- IOTHS WI Clinic 9162 6655
- IOTHS HI Clinic 9162 7609
- VHF Ch24
- DFES HI 9162 7788
- DFES WI 9162 7777
- VMRS VHF Ch20
- Shire HI 9162 6649
- Watercorp 9162 6722



Thumbs Up

- 👍 Hari Raya decorations lighting up the streets of Home Island
- 👍 Hari Raya karaoke train
- 👍 Cocos Club for a wonderful Mother's Day celebration



Photos by: Shak Keegan

Feel free to email your thumbs up to the Shire for inclusion.



# Statutory Advertisement

## Notice of Proposed Disposition of Property

In accordance with Section 3.58 (3) and (4) of the *Local Government Act 1995 (WA) (CKI)*, Council is required to give public notice of any disposition of property. This includes selling, leasing, or otherwise disposing of, whether absolutely or not.

The Council resolved to enter into a Commercial Lease Agreement for the following properties:

Lease Address	Lessee	Permitted Purpose	Date of Council Resolution	Lease Term (Years + Option)	Valuation
Part Lot 249 Home Island	Cocos Cooperative	Timber Paint Store	26 August 2020	5 + 5	\$4,524.00
Part Lot 250 Home Island	Cocos Cooperative	Demountable Office/Hardware	7 October 2020	5 + 5	\$4,131.84
Part Lot 103 Home Island	Cocos Cooperative	Fuel Depot	7 October 2020	5 + 5	\$2,094.00
Part Lot 243 Home Island	Shamroks Enterprise Pty Ltd	Supermarket	24 February 2021	5 + 5	\$20,592.00
Port Lot 18 Home Island	Rizan Saharil & Saharil Amat	Retail	24 February 2021	5 + 5	\$1,144.00

The Lessee will be required to pay the above amount, plus annual CPI adjustments, as well as the assessed annual Council Rates set from year to year.

Council invites written submissions from residents regarding the proposed disposition with submissions to be received by 12noon on 7 June 2021 marked confidential and addressed to the undersigned.

Joanne Soderlund  
Acting Chief Executive Officer



## Hari Raya Lights Competition 2021

What an amazing display of creativity and effort! This competition gets better every year and getting harder to judge. This year's Hari Raya decorations has proven the best yet and you all deserve a pat on the back for your efforts. Well done everyone!

Without further ado, below are the winners of our Hari Raya Lights Competition 2021. Congratulations to all!

Winner: House 96 – Nek Zamani

2<sup>nd</sup> Prize: House 5 – Pak & Mak Nuraz

3<sup>rd</sup> Prize: House 21 – Rizal & Norashifah

We look forward to an even better event next Hari Raya!

Isa Minkom  
Community Development Coordinator



# Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands

## WI Library Service Officer

Permanent Part-time Position

Are you looking to be part of an innovative and dynamic team?

The Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands is looking for a dedicated and customer-focused individual for the position of Library Service Officer on West Island.

This position has a particular emphasis on customer service and will include:

- Desk duties and assisting customers with self-serve technology
- Connecting customers with library and community resources and services
- Maintain collections using established procedures and systems
- Assist with other library activities and promotion

Applicants must have relevant customer service experience, although a library qualification is not required. They will have a good general knowledge with an interest in reading and current affairs.

To apply please submit your resume and a covering letter outlining your interest in the position marked attention to the Chief Executive Officer. A position description which includes the Selection Criteria for the position is available upon request at the Shire office. Applications can be emailed to [info@cocos.wa.gov.au](mailto:info@cocos.wa.gov.au) or hand delivered to the Shire Offices.

Applications close at 12pm Monday 24th May 2021.

For further information regarding the position, please contact Isa Minkom at the Shire Office on 91626649 or alternatively email [cdc@cocos.wa.gov.au](mailto:cdc@cocos.wa.gov.au).

Applicants may be subject to a pre-employment medical, including drug screening, and willing to apply for a Working With Children Check.

The Shire of Cocos Keeling Islands is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer and is committed to a fair recruitment process in selecting the best applicant for the position.

*"Challenges are what make life interesting and overcoming them is what makes life meaningful"*

*Joshua J. Marine*



## Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands

### Jokes of the Week



A little boy, at a wedding looks at his mom and says, "Mommy, why does the bride wear white?"

His mom replies, "The bride is in white because she's happy and this is the happiest day of her life."

The boy thinks about this, and then says, "Well then why is the groom wearing black..."

#### Short Story...

A university writing class were given an exercise - to write as short a short story as possible using three themes - religion, sexuality and mystery.

The only A\* entry was as follows:

"Good God, I'm pregnant, I wonder who did it?"

## CASUAL POOL – OUTDOOR AND INDOOR STAFF

Are you passionate about serving the Community? If so, you may be interested to know that the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands is creating a casual pool for people interested in general working for the Shire on an as required basis until June 2022. Individuals in Casual pool team will be used to meet operational requirements for projects as well as the potential to backfill for permanent staff during periods of leave. Applicants interested in being considered for this opportunity should submit an application addressing the following selection criteria:

#### Selection Criteria:

- Demonstrate a commitment to Occupational Health and Safety
- Demonstrate reliability and commitment to our organisational values of - Service, Accountability, Support, Respect, Integrity and Achievement
- Be able to be flexible.
- Demonstrate confidence & safety using equipment and machinery or computers.
- Capable of working in a team environment.
- Be self-motivated and able to work unsupervised.
- Desirable - A current 'C' class license

This exciting opportunity offers a chance to work for a Shire that is focused on quality customer service and takes pride in delivering services of a high standard with its team of approximately 35 employees.

**We want the people who join our team to share our passion for the community we all live in and love.**

The positions will be paid in accordance with the Local Government Industry Award 2020 depending on the requirements of the position being filled.

#### Applying

1. Your application must include the following:
2. A cover letter clearly demonstrating your suitability for the position based on the selection criteria above;

A resume with your personal contact details, a summary of your work history, education, training, a copy of your qualifications and a minimum of 2 contactable referees.

Additional information about the role can be obtained by contacting the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Governance and Risk Coordinator, Ibrahim Macrae.

Applications addressed to the Chief Executive Officer must reach the Home Island Shire Office no later than 4.00pm on Monday 31 May 2021. Applications can be mailed, hand delivered or emailed to

[info@cocos.wa.gov.au](mailto:info@cocos.wa.gov.au).

Applicants may be subject to a pre-employment medical, including drug screening.

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### Cocos Malay Words

- \* Forget - Lupa
- \* Remember - Ingat
- \* Dark - Gelap
- \* Bright - Terang
- \* Brave - Berani
- \* Afraid - Takut
- \* Listen - Dengar
- \* Deaf - Pekak / Tuli
- \* Slow - Stedeh / Pelan
- \* Fast - Deras / Laju

# 2021 COCOS ISLANDS COMMUNITY EVENTS

**26 MAY**

Shire Council Meeting  
Cocos Islands CRC

**27 MAY**

Australia's Biggest Morning Tea  
Cocos Islands CRC

**27 - 30 MAY**

Cocos Golf Open  
Cocos Islands Golf Club

**05 JUNE**

Administrators Ball  
IOT Administrator  
POSTPONED

**16 JUNE**

Info Session  
Consumer Protection & Others  
Cocos Islands CRC

**17 JUNE**

Home Island Opening  
Cocos Islands CRC

**26 JUNE**

Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

**30 JUNE**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**28 JULY**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**25 AUGUST**

Shire Council Meeting  
Cocos Islands CRC

**28 AUGUST**

Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

**24 SEPTEMBER**

Ardmona Cup  
Cocos Club

**29 SEPTEMBER**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**27 OCTOBER**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**01 NOVEMBER**

Calcutta Cup  
Cocos Club

**02 NOVEMBER**

Melbourne Cup  
Cocos Club

**24 NOVEMBER**

Shire Council Meeting  
Cocos Islands CRC

**15 DECEMBER**

Shire Council Meeting  
Council Chambers, HI

**18 DECEMBER**

Market Day  
Cocos Islands CRC

**This is a FREE service for our Community.**

**If you would like to include your community event,  
please contact the CRC with your details.**



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**We're hosting a  
Biggest Morning Tea  
Please help us  
support people  
impacted by cancer!**



**9:30AM - Thursday 27th May**

We would like to invite all members of our community to meet at the CRC for a delicious morning tea.

**Registration donation: \$20 per person**

RSVP by Thursday 20th May

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# INFO SESSION

**Consumer Protection,  
Office of the Ombudsman,  
Health and Disability Services  
Complaints Office,  
Equal Opportunity Commission**

**Wednesday 16th June 4PM**

Join Consumer Protection, the Office of the Ombudsman, the Health and Disability Services Complaints Office and the Equal Opportunity Commission, to hear about their services and the help and support they can offer you to stop dodgy businesses and scams, discrimination and harassment, problems with health, mental health and disability providers, and problems with Western Australian government agencies and local governments (shires).



# **CRC HOME ISLAND Official opening! Pembukaan resmi!**

Join us to celebrate the official opening of Home Island Community Resource Centre over coffee and cake.

Mari merayakan pembukaan resmi Home Island Community Resource Centre dengan kami.

Dengan hidangan kueh dan kopi.

**Thursday 17th June 8AM-10AM**

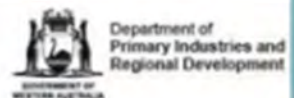
**Location: Seniors Centre /**

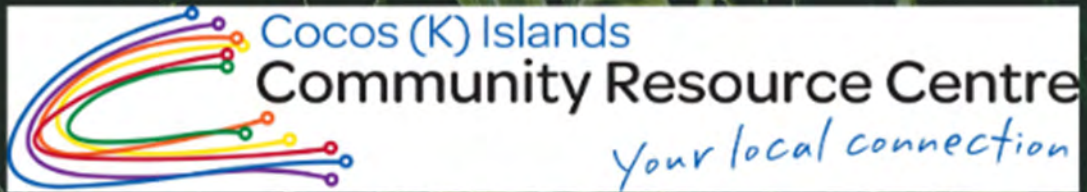
**Tempat: Suka and Duka**

Please RSVP by Thursday 10th June

Tolong RSVP sebelum hari khamis 10hb June

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WEST ISLAND

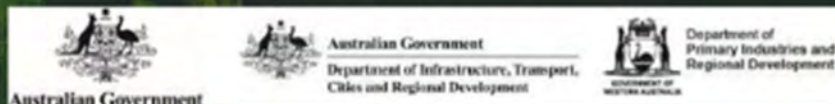
# Market Day

SATURDAY 26TH JUNE  
10AM - 12PM

- AMAZING FOOD ✓
- REUSABLE PLASTIC ALTERNATIVES ✓
- UNIQUE LOCAL ARTWORK ✓
- GIFTWARE ✓

Contact Cocos Islands CRC today, to book your free table.  
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"LAWA's IOTs Service is fully funded by the Australian Government"**Offences against the administration of justice**

These are short articles about legal issues that may interest you. They are not legal advice. You should always get individual legal advice for your situation.

This article will look at several criminal offences that are broadly called "offences against the administration of justice". These are offences that try to stop proper justice occurring. They are regarded as very serious offences.

There are a number of offences that fall into this category. They include perjury (giving false evidence), destroying evidence, fabricating evidence, attempting to pervert or conspiring to pervert the course of justice (doing something which would have the effect of defeating or preventing justice), corrupting or threatening a juror, corrupting a witness, deceiving a witness, preventing a witness attending and a number of others. Almost all of these types of offences are indictable-only (cannot be dealt with by the Magistrates Court).

We will only look at the offences of perjury, attempting to pervert and conspiring to pervert the course of justice and some offences to do with interfering with witnesses.

**Perjury**

Perjury occurs where you deliberately (as opposed to mistakenly) give false evidence in a judicial proceeding, or in order to start a judicial proceeding, about something that could affect a decision of the decision-maker. A judicial proceeding is a proceeding before a court, a tribunal or a person in which evidence on oath (sworn evidence) can be taken.

False evidence can be given orally, by giving false evidence in the witness box, or by giving false evidence in a written form, such as in an affidavit. An affidavit is a document in which you give written evidence, swearing or affirming that what you have said in your affidavit is true, before a person authorised to witness your affidavit.

The penalty for perjury is a maximum of:

- 14 years imprisonment or
- life imprisonment if you commit perjury to try to get someone else found guilty of an offence that has life imprisonment as its maximum sentence.

Perjury occurs if you lie in the witness box about something that could affect a decision in the proceedings. Another example is lying in an affidavit in your family court property proceedings about what assets you own.

**Attempting to pervert the course of justice**

Attempting to pervert the course of justice occurs where you try to defeat or obstruct or prevent the course of justice, which means preventing justice being served on you, or on someone else.

You commit this offence if you try to affect the result of an investigation or a trial. For example, you might ask someone to provide a false alibi for you in court, or you persuade someone to plead guilty to an offence that they did not commit.

Another example might be where you are driving your vehicle with a very high blood alcohol level and have an accident. You get your sober passenger to swap places with you and when the police arrive, you say that the passenger was driving.

The penalty for attempting to pervert the course of justice is a maximum of 7 years imprisonment.

**Conspiring to pervert the course of justice**

This offence occurs where you conspire (plan) with someone else (or more than one person) to defeat or obstruct or prevent the course of justice. The penalty for conspiring to attempt to pervert the course of justice is a maximum of 7 years imprisonment.

An example might be where you plan with someone else that they will go to see a witness to try to persuade the witness to give false evidence in a trial against you.

**Corrupting a witness**

If you:

- Give or promise to give anything to a witness

- by any other means try to induce (persuade) a witness
- ask for or receive anything from a witness for you or someone else

because you have an agreement that a witness will give false evidence or withhold evidence from a judicial proceeding, you commit the offence of corrupting a witness.

The penalty for corrupting a witness is a maximum of 7 years imprisonment.

#### Deceiving a witness

If you do anything deceitful (dishonest) with someone called as a witness or who will be called as a witness, intending to affect their evidence in a judicial proceeding, you commit the offence of deceiving a witness.

The penalty for deceiving a witness is a maximum of 3 years imprisonment.

#### Preventing a witness attending to give evidence when they have been summonsed to do so

If you stop or try to stop a witness:

- attending a court or tribunal where they have been called to attend as a witness
- producing in evidence anything they have been subpoenaed (ordered by the court) to produce (eg records)

you commit the offence of preventing a witness attending.

The penalty for preventing a witness attending a court or tribunal is a maximum of 1 year imprisonment.

All of the above offences must be dealt with by the District Court because they are so serious.

Annie Gray, Legal Aid WA

*"Serbis LAWA's IOTs dibiayai sepenuhnya oleh Kerajaan Australia"*  
***Pelanggaran terhadap administrasi peradilan***

*Ini adalah artikel pendek mengenai perkara undang-undang yang mungkin menarik untuk anda. Ini bukan nasihat undang-undang. Anda mesti selalu mendapatkan nasihat undang-undang sendiri untuk keadaan anda.*

*Artikel ini akan melihat beberapa kesalahan jenayah yang secara umum disebut "kesalahan terhadap administrasi peradilan". Ini adalah kesalahan yang coba menghentikan keadilan yang berlaku. Mereka dianggap sebagai kesalahan yang sangat serius.*

*Ada sejumlah pelanggaran yang termasuk dalam kategori ini. Ini termasuk sumpah palsu (memberikan bukti palsu), menghancurkan bukti, memalsukan bukti, mencoba untuk memutarbalikkan atau bersekongkol untuk memutarbalikkan jalan keadilan (melakukan sesuatu yang akan berakibat mengalahkan atau mencegah keadilan), merusak atau mengancam juri, merusak saksi, menipu saksi, mencegah saksi menghadiri dan sejumlah orang yang lain. Hampir semua jenis pelanggaran ini hanya dapat didakwa (tidak dapat ditangani oleh Pengadilan Magistral).*

*Kami hanya akan melihat pelanggaran sumpah palsu, mencoba untuk menyesatkan dan bersekongkol untuk memutarbalikkan jalannya keadilan dan beberapa pelanggaran yang berkaitan dengan mengganggu saksi. Kami hanya akan melihat pelanggaran sumpah palsu, mencoba untuk menyesatkan dan bersekongkol untuk memutarbalikkan jalan keadilan dan beberapa kesalahan yang berkaitan dengan mengganggu saksi.*

#### **Sumpah Palsu**

*Sumpah palsu berlaku dimana anda dengan sengaja (bukan secara keliru) memberikan bukti palsu dalam proses peradilan, atau untuk memulai proses peradilan, tentang sesuatu yang dapat mempengaruhi keputusan membuat keputusan. Proses peradilan adalah persidangan di depan pengadilan, tribunal atau orang dimana bukti sumpah (bukti tersumpah) dapat diambil.*

*Bukti palsu dapat diberikan secara bersuara, dengan memberikan bukti palsu di kotak saksi, atau memberikan bukti palsu dalam*

cara tertulis, seperti dalam surat sumpah. Surat sumpah adalah dokumen dimana anda memberikan bukti tertulis, bersumpah atau mengesahkan bahawa apa yang anda katakan dalam surat sumpah anda adalah benar, sebelum seseorang yang diberi kuasa untuk menyaksikan surat sumpah anda.

Hukuman untuk sumpah palsu adalah maksimum:

- 14 tahun penjara atau
- penjara sepanjang hidup jika anda melakukan sumpah palsu untuk mencoba membuat orang lain dinyatakan bersalah atas pelanggaran yang ada hukuman penjara seumur hidup sebagai hukuman maksimum.

Sumpah palsu terjadi jika anda berbohong di kotak saksi tentang sesuatu yang dapat mempengaruhi keputusan dalam persidangan. Contoh lain adalah berbohong dalam surat sumpah dalam proses pengadilan properti pengadilan keluarga tentang hak apa yang anda miliki.

### **Mencoba untuk merosakan jalan keadilan**

Percubaan untuk merosakan jalan keadilan berlaku dimana anda cuba mengalahkan atau menghalangi atau mencegah jalan keadilan, yang bermaksud mencegah keadilan diberikan kepada anda, atau pada orang lain.

Anda melakukan kesalahan ini jika anda cuba mempengaruhi hasil siasatan atau perbicaraan. Contohnya, anda mungkin meminta seseorang memberikan alibi palsu untuk anda di mahkamah, atau anda memujuk seseorang untuk mengaku bersalah atas kesalahan yang tidak mereka lakukan.

Contoh lain mungkin di mana anda memandu kereta anda dengan tahap alkohol darah yang sangat tinggi dan mengalami kemalangan. Anda meminta penumpang anda untuk bertukar tempat dengan anda dan ketika polis tiba, anda mengatakan bahawa penumpang itu yang memandu.

Hukuman kerana cuba merosakan jalan keadilan adalah maksimum 7 tahun penjara.

### **Bersepakat untuk merosakkan jalan keadilan**

Kesalahan ini berlaku di mana anda bersepakat (merancang) dengan orang lain (atau lebih dari satu orang) untuk mengalahkan atau menghalang atau menghalang jalan keadilan. Hukuman untuk bersekongkol untuk cuba memutarbalikkan keadilan adalah maksimum 7 tahun penjara.

Contohnya ialah di mana anda merancang dengan orang lain bahawa mereka akan pergi menemui saksi untuk cuba meyakinkan saksi untuk memberikan bukti palsu dalam perbicaraan terhadap anda.

### **Merosakkan saksi**

Jika anda:

- beri atau berjanji untuk memberikan apa sahaja kepada saksi
- dengan cara lain cuba memujuk seorang saksi
- meminta atau menerima apa-apa dari saksi untuk anda atau orang lain

kerana anda mempunyai kesepakatan bahawa saksi akan memberikan bukti palsu atau menahan bukti dari proses kehakiman, anda melakukan kesalahan merosakkan saksi.

Hukuman kerana merosakkan saksi adalah maksimum 7 tahun penjara.

### **Menipu saksi**

Sekiranya anda melakukan sesuatu yang menipu (tidak jujur) dengan seseorang yang dipanggil sebagai saksi atau yang akan dipanggil sebagai saksi, yang bermaksud untuk mempengaruhi bukti mereka dalam proses persidangan, anda melakukan kesalahan menipu saksi.

Hukuman untuk menipu saksi adalah maksimum 3 tahun penjara.

### **Mencegah saksi hadir untuk memberi keterangan apabila mereka dipanggil untuk melakukannya**

Sekiranya anda berhenti atau cuba menghentikan saksi:

- menghadiri mahkamah atau mahkamah di mana mereka telah dipanggil untuk hadir sebagai saksi
- menghasilkan bukti apa sahaja yang mereka telah dipanggil (diperintahkan oleh pengadilan) untuk mengemukakan (contohnya rekod) anda melakukan kesalahan menghalang saksi hadir.

Hukuman kerana menghalang saksi menghadiri mahkamah atau penjara maksimum 1 tahun penjara.

Semua kesalahan di atas mesti ditangani oleh District Court kerana ia sangat serius.



**Australian Government**  
Department of Agriculture,  
Water and the Environment

## Need to apply for an import permit?

From 5 May 2021, importers will be able to submit an import permit application online through the Biosecurity Import Conditions system (BICON).

BICON is an online system that houses the Australian Government's Biosecurity import conditions database. The upcoming upgrade will allow importers from Christmas and Cocos (Keeling) Islands to register an account, and then lodge and track their import permits online.

For further information, please visit [agriculture.gov.au/BICON](https://agriculture.gov.au/BICON). If you need help or require further information, please contact the Christmas Island office of the Department of Agriculture, Water and the Environment on +61 8 9164 7456 or 0439 215 456, or email [iot@agriculture.gov.au](mailto:iot@agriculture.gov.au).

To see if your goods require a permit, visit [agriculture.gov.au/externalterritories](https://agriculture.gov.au/externalterritories) or contact the department's import team on [imports@agriculture.gov.au](mailto:imports@agriculture.gov.au).

## Housing Project on Home Island



### CRISS-CROSS

Fill in the blanks with the words. To help you get started one letter is already in place.

**5 letter words**

- ATLAS
- CORAL
- DAISY
- DEFOE
- DIARY
- ENJOY
- FAIRY
- FIX UP
- HIKER
- JEWEL
- LEMON
- SCOPE

**6 letter words**

- ACACIA
- COOKIE
- ENGINE
- KETTLE
- PEANUT
- POTATO
- SOURCE
- SURVEY

**7 letter words**

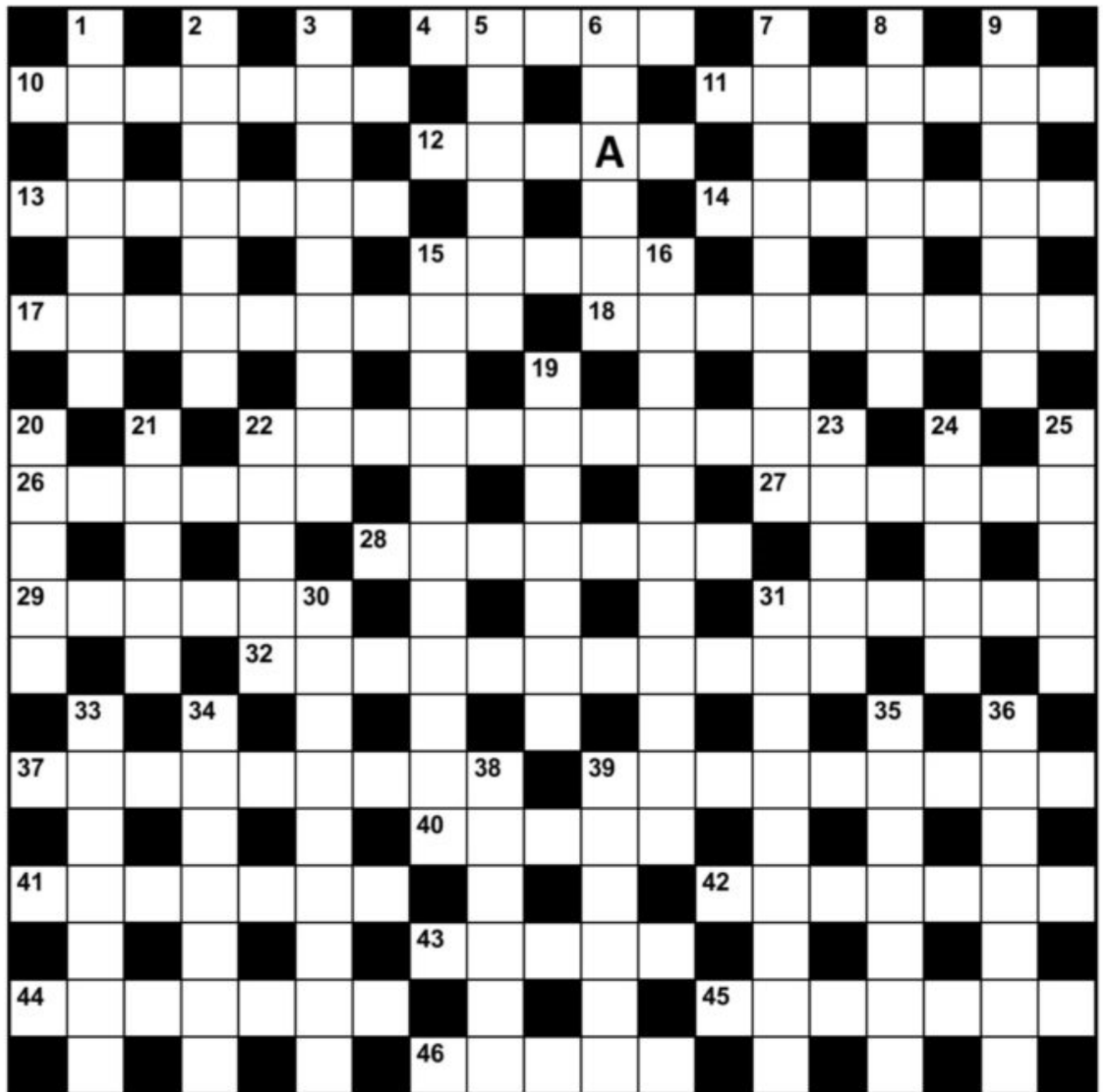
- BRONCHO
- COLOMBO
- CONAKRY
- DEBUSSY
- DIGITAL
- EPAULET

**9 letter words**

- CHIHUAHUA
- FIREPLACE
- PTARMIGAN
- STORYBOOK

**11 letter words**

- FLAMBOYANCE
- HUMMINGBIRD
- PROBABILITY
- RECALCULATE



- OBVIOUS
- PENGUIN
- PIONEER
- PRETZEL

- TEENAGE
- UNKNOWN
- UTRECHT
- VAMPIRE

- TRUMPETER
- VEGETABLE
- WATERMARK
- YELLOW TIT

			1	8				7
	3		2			6	5	
1		9			5	4		8
4			7	6		8		5
	7						4	
2		5		9	8			6
3		1	6			9		2
	5	7			4		6	
6				3	1			

# KID'S CORNER



### Math Mystery Addition

Black = 100  
 Blue = 90  
 Orange = 80  
 Brown = 70

### Complete the Puzzle

Write the shape names and complete the puzzle

s h e  
 t c  
 p r m  
 c d  
 s n p m  
 c e w e  
 e



## FIND THE RIGHT PATH

1	2		
		2	1
2	4		
		4	2

Hari Raya lights competition winner  
Congratulations Nek Zamani!



Photo by: Rohan Newton

Birthdays & Anniversaries



*Wish to send loved ones special messages on their birthdays and anniversaries?*

*Drop an email to Azia Bulka at [comms@cocos.wa.gov.au](mailto:comms@cocos.wa.gov.au)*

The next edition of The Atoll will be produced on:

*Edisi The Atoll selanjutnya akan  
dikeluarkan pada:*

**Friday 4th June 2021**

All items/materials must be received by:

*Semua majalah mesti diterima sebelum:*

**3pm, Tuesday 1st June 2021**

Have Your Say



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