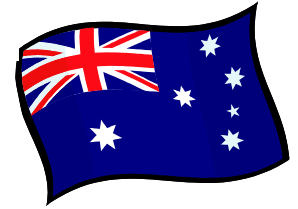




The Atoll

Thursday 6 July - Wednesday 19 July



Cocos (Keeling) Islands

The Cocos (Keeling) Islands comprises of 27 coral islands forming two atolls, situated 2768km NW of Perth and 3685km due West of Darwin, is an isolated speck in the Indian Ocean.

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Cocos Snapshots

Gambaran Cocos



Boomerang Bags at the West Island Supermarket, Jukung Races and Mask Decorating at the CRC's school holiday activity session.



We would love to receive your feedback or suggestions on what you would like to read in The Atoll - please contact the Cocos CRC at cocosislands@crc.net.au



Administration Building (PO Box 1039) Cocos Keeling Islands WA 6799
 P: 08 9162 7707 E: cocosislands@crc.net.au W: www.cocos@crc.net.au

Rainfall Stats

July Statistics
 (latest up to 5 July)
 118.4mm

Latest 2017 Statistics:
 (latest up to 5 July)
 1095.8mm



LATEST WEATHER
www.bom.gov.au

The Cocos Community are joining the challenge and reducing our single-use plastic!



Emergency Contact List

AFP	91626600
VHF	Ch20
IOTHS WI Clinic	91626655
IOTHS HI Clinic	91627609
	VHF Ch24
DFES HI	91627788
DFES WI	91627777
VMRS	0406329056
	VHF Ch20
Shire HI	91626649
Shire WI	91626740
Watercorp	91626722

Thumbs Up

- 👍 To Chubbz for an awesome Boomerang Bag box
- 👍 To all involved with the Hari Raya Jukung Race 2017. Special thanks goes to Jukung Sailing Club, AFP, VMRS, IOTHS and the Cocos Community.
- 👍 To all participants who did beach clean up at the Old Jetty. Great Work!
- 👍 To HIRSA for their wonderful efforts organising the Hari Raya activities.
- 👍 To PKPK for a sensational night organising the Dondang Sayang Hari Raya Party.

Feel free to email your thumbs up to:
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Re-usable Coffee Cups	\$19.95
Stainless Steel Drink Bottles	\$27.95
Lunch Wraps (recycled PET plastic)	\$12.95
Fruit/Veg Produce Bags (pack of 8)	\$19.95

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SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES



**WEDNESDAY 28TH JUNE
WEDNESDAY 5TH JULY
WEDNESDAY 12TH JULY**

8.30AM TO 10.30AM

FREE!

Colour by numbers
Playdough
Mask Decorating

WEST ISLAND CONFERENCE ROOM



SHIRE OF
COCOS
KEELING ISLANDS

PRIVATE RECYCLING BINS

The Shire of Cocos Keeling Islands will be upgrading the 140L recycling bins on West Island to 240L bins, with one set of bins being shared between 2 households.

The Shire will have a surplus of the 140L bins available for any household wishing to have their own private set for Aluminium and Glass bins. These bins will have to be stored out of sight, preferably at the back or the side of your property.

Anyone wishing to obtain these bins should contact Ian Evans via email at mws@cocos.wa.gov.au

Ian Evans
Manager for Works & Services

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

The Shire of Cocos Keeling Island are seeking expressions of interest on a as is where is basis of 1 x caterpillar vibe roller (CP-433E).

Submissions can be emailed no later than **12 noon on Friday 21 July 2017** to mws@cocos.wa.gov.au





SHIRE OF
COCOS
KEELING
ISLANDS

KEEPING CHICKENS IN BACKYARDS

The Shire Ranger would like to remind that 12 weeks old chickens should be re-located at the designated area (Garden plot).

Chicken pens should not be placed straight onto the ground behind back backyards at any time.

I would like advise that all chicken pens carrying less than 12 weeks chicks should carry a 'catchment device' or tray underneath pens to catch waste and to avoid waste from entering straight through the ground.

HOME ISLAND BACK LANEWAY FENCING

I have noticed that some residents have been using the newly installed PVC fence to hang and dry heavy items over the fence.

The fencing is designed to identify the boundaries. It is not designed to withhold heavy item such as carpets, fishing nets, Ezygo curtains, mortar and etc.

It would be appreciated if this practice does not continue.

For more information please don't hesitate to contact me on shire office 9162 6649 or email me on my details provided below.

Thank you for your Co-operation.

MENYIMPAN AYAM DIBELAKANG KEBON

Shire Ranger ingin mengingatkan yang anak ayam yang lebih dari 12 minggu mesti dimengalahkan ke kawasan kebon parma yang telah disediakan.

Kandang ayam tidak boleh diletak terus ditanah dibelakang kebon bila-bila masa saja.

Saya menasihati yang semua kandang ayam yang mengandungi anak ayam berusia kurang dari 12 minggu mesti ada alasan untuk menangkap kotor dan najis ayam supaya tidak jatuh dan meresap kedalam tanah.

PAGAR DIJALAN BELAKANG KEBON HOME ISLAND

Saya telah tandakan yang berberapa penduduk telah menggunakan pagar PVC yang dipasang dibelakang kebon untuk menjemur barang-barang yang berat atasnya.

Pagar ini di disain untuk menandakan boundary. Ia bukan di disain untuk memikul barang-barang yang berat seperti karpet, jaring, tutupan Ezygo, mota dan sebagainya.

Sangat dihargai kalau perbuatan ini tidak diteruskan.

Untuk keterangan selanjutnya silah hubungi saya diopis shire 9162 6649 atau email saya diketerangan dibawa.

Terima kasih atas kerjasama kamu.



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO LEVY DIFFERENTIAL RATES

In accordance with Section 6.36 of the Local Government Act 1995, notice is hereby given with respect of the intention of the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands to adopt the following rates in the dollar for Gross Rental Value differential and minimum rates for each category for the 2017/2018 financial year.

The figures above are estimates only and may change as part of Council's budget deliberations and consideration of any submissions received from electors and ratepayers.

A statement of objectives and reasons for adopting these rates is available for inspection at the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands Home Island office, between 7am and 4pm Monday to Thursday and 7am to 12 noon Fridays, or at the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands West Island office on Tuesday & Thursday between 11:30am and 3:30pm.

Electors and ratepayers may make submissions and any submissions should be received by 3.30pm noon on 31st July 2017.

If any further information is required please contact Joanne Soderlund on 08 9162 6649.

Joanne Soderlund
Deputy Chief Executive Officer

Active After School JULY Get Creative lets paint Wed: 19th & 26th From 4pm - 5pm CKIDHS - WI Campus This months active after school program is proudly coordinated by our community volunteer Mrs Sue Blaney and supported by the Shire of Cocos (Keeling) Islands.

SKIPPERS WE NEED YOU!!!

**2017 Cocos Keeling Islands Lagoon Swim
Skippers registration evening – Wednesday 12 July 2017 at
the Home Island Jetty**



Dust off those outboards, fill up those water bottles, and get ready for a flashy new fishing shirt -The 2017 Cocos Keeling Islands Lagoons swim is being held on Saturday the 11th November 2017!

YOUR help is needed to make this year's lagoon swim the BEST yet! Come sign up as a volunteer support boat skipper and show our brave competitors how GREAT Cocos is!

PLUS, you'll get all these FREE goodies;

- Free food at the Registration evening
- Free fuel for your boat
- Limited edition skippers hat
- Limited edition skippers Fishing Shirt
- Cocos Keeling Islands Aluminum
- Water Bottle



So come down to the Jetty at 5.00pm on Wednesday 12 July, have some free food, and sign up as a Skipper!

Don't miss out – Registrations close on registration night!

SKIPPER-SKIPPER KAMI PERLUKAN KAMU!!!

**2017 Cocos Keeling Islands Lagoon Swim
Malam rejistresen skipper-skipper – Rebo 12 July 2017 di Jetty Home Island**

Sekat tu abok-abok dari injin penohkan tu botol ayer, dan siap-siap untuk baju mancing baru yang menarik - 2017 Cocos Keeling Islands Lagoons swim akan diadakan pada hari Sabtu 11^{hb} November 2017!

Bantuan KAMU diperlukan untuk membuat lagoon swim tahun ini yang TERBAIK! Mari datang untuk sign-up sebagai voluntir skipper sekoci bantuan dan tunjukkan petanding-petanding yang berani bagaimana HEBATNYA Cocos!

Tambahnya, kamu akan dapat semua barang - barang ini FREE;

- Makanan free dimalam Rejistresen
- Minyak free untuk sekoci kamu
- Edisi terbatas topi skipper
- Edisi terbatas baju mancing skipper
- Botol ayer aluminium Cocos Keeling Islands

Jadi mari datang di Jetty pada jam 5.00pm hari Rebo 12 July, makan makanan free dan sian untuk menjadi Skipper!

Jangan ketinggalan – Rejistresen tertutup pada malam rejistresen!

**2017 Cocos Keeling Islands Lagoon Swim
REGISTRATION EVENING - Friday 14 July 2017 at The Cocos Club**



Warm up the wax pots and dust off the crowd pleasers, it's the annual Cocos Keeling Islands Lagoon Swim, being held on Saturday the **11th November 2017**.

Registration for swimmers and support boat skippers is on Friday 14th July from 5.30pm – 7.30pm at the Cocos Club.

Registration is \$110 per person and includes;

- event participation
- commemorative swim cap
- commemorative t-shirt
- water bottle
- finish line lunch & briefing night dinner.



Registration forms are available from the Visitor Centre or on the night.

Don't miss out – Registrations close on registration night!

A great start to the season for tennis with great camaraderie and fun (with a hint of competitiveness thrown in). 5 teams battled it out over the season with Bumpheads winning the Grand Final and Barracudas coming a close Runner up. Thankyou to those who have expressed an interest in playing again next season (starting Monday 17th July). For last minute inclusions (either as a player or fill in), please contact Cathy Howitt on 91627617 or send her a Private Facebook message. This needs to be done by 11th July. Please pass message on to anyone who may be off island. Looking forward to a fun but exciting season.
The WISRA Committee.



Here is the winning Grand Final team from last season's tennis (Bumpheads). Peter Wicks (who filled in for Leigh Nelson), Leah Stratford, Megan Clunies-Ross and Jai Howitt.



Quote of the Day

Coming together is a beginning, keeping together is a progress, working together is a success.

Thought for the Day

You never cross the ocean, unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shore.

Joke of the Week

Marvin, was in the hospital on his death bed. The family called Marvin's Preacher to be with him in his final moments. As the Preacher stood by the bed, Marvin's condition seemed to deteriorate, and Marvin motioned for someone to quickly pass him a pen and paper. The Preacher quickly got a pen and paper and lovingly handed it to Marvin. But before he had a chance to read the note, Marvin died. The Preacher feeling that now wasn't the right time to read it put the note in his jacket pocket. It was at the funeral while speaking that the Preacher suddenly remembered the note. Reaching deep into his pocket the Preacher said "and you know what, I suddenly remembered that right before Marvin died he handed me a note, and knowing Marvin I'm sure it was something inspiring that we can all gain from. With that introduction the Preacher ripped out the note and opened it. The note said "HEY, YOU ARE STANDING ON MY OXYGEN TUBE!"

Public Notices

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2017 AFL Broadcast Guide Cocos Keeling Islands

Round 16

Friday July 7th

Adelaide Crows V Western Bull dogs 3.30pm 7 Mate

Saturday July 8th

St Kilda V Richmond 3.30pm 7 Mate

Sunday 9th July

North Melbourne V Fremantle 1.30pm GWN 7

West Coast V Port Adelaide 1.00pm GWN 7

Round 17

Friday Jul 14

St Kilda V Essendon 4pm 7 Mate

Saturday July 15

Melbourne V Adelaide Crows 4pm 7 Mate

Sunday 16 July

Fremantle V West Coast 1pm GWN 7

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This Months Special

2016 E-Z-GO Express S4

This Beauty is finished in Bright White and includes the following features:-

- * Full length Sun Top with Fold-down screen
- * Rear 4-seat kit with fold down cargo area
- * Lifted suspension with 22x11-10 All-Terrain tyres on 10" alloy rims
- * Limited Slip Differential for added traction
- * LED headlights w- dual tail/brake & turn signals
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- * Side steps
- * Battery Fill Maintenance System
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Yacht Club Barefoot Ball

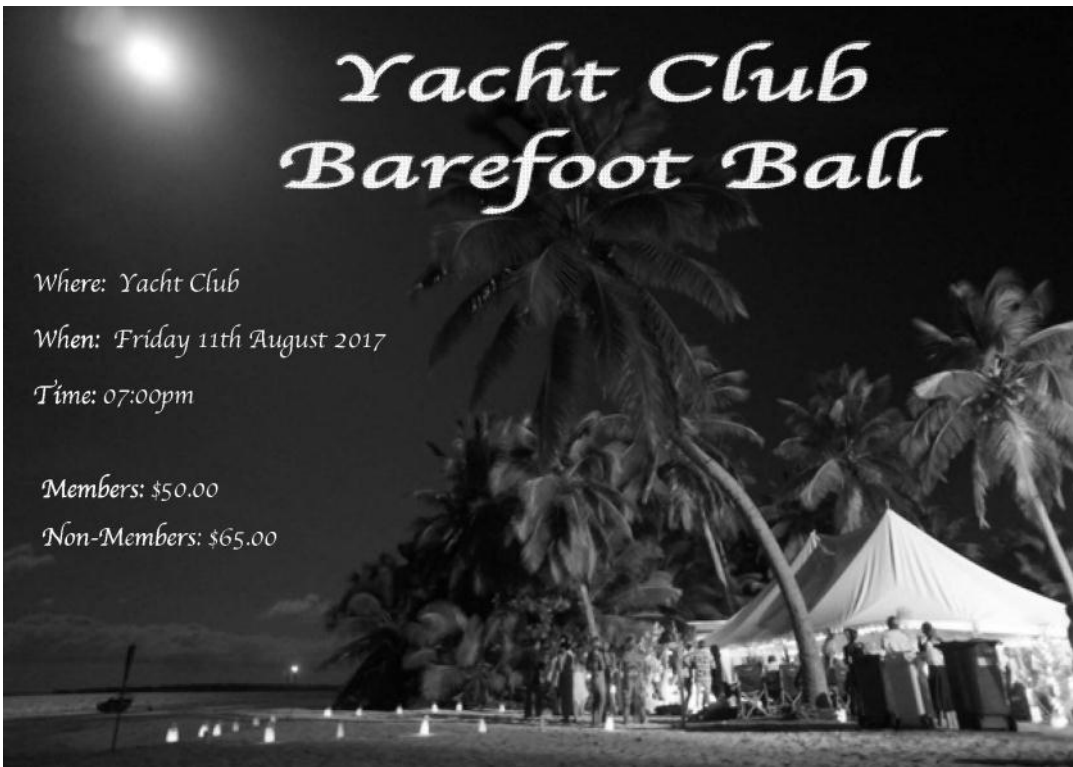
Where: Yacht Club

When: Friday 11th August 2017

Time: 07:00pm

Members: \$50.00

Non-Members: \$65.00



50TH COCOS OLYMPICS 2017!!

Its coming soon and we need a new, special, snazzy t shirt design!!!
Putting it out there to all community members to create a design for our
t-shirts.

YOUR NAME WILL BE INCLUDED ON THE SHIRT!!



Cocos Club Inc

We need a design submitted by 14th July to get printing underway.

Have fun and good luck!!

Email design to manager@cocosclubinc.com

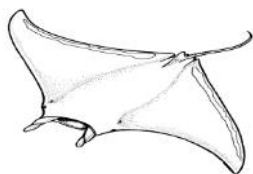
The Olympic sub-committee are Di, Wendy, Taffey, Megs, Rohan and Carly.

Team lists available from the Cocos Club.

Olympics will run from 13 - 21st October 2017

Like the Cocos Olympics Facebook Page for more info www.facebook.com/cocosolympics

MANTAS



MORAYS



PERSONAL CARE USES FOR BAKING SODA

Soak Oral Appliance
Soak oral appliances, like retainers, mouthpieces and dentures, in a solution of 2 teaspoons baking soda dissolved in a glass or small bowl of warm water. The baking soda loosens food particles and neutralizes odors to keep appliances fresh.

Use as a Facial Scrub and Body Exfoliant
Give yourself an invigorating facial and body scrub. Make a paste of 3 parts baking soda to 1 part water. Rub in a gentle circular motion to exfoliate the skin. Rinse clean. This is gentle enough for daily use.

Skip Harsh Deodorant
Pat baking soda onto your underarms to neutralize body odor.

Treat Insect Bites & Itchy Skin
For insect bites, make a paste out of baking soda and water, and apply as a salve onto affected skin. To ease the itch, shake some baking soda into your hand and rub it into damp skin after bath or shower.

Make a Hand Cleanser and Softener
Skip harsh soaps and gently scrub away ground-in dirt and neutralize odors on hands with a paste of 3 parts baking soda to 1 part water, or 3 parts baking soda to gentle liquid hand soap. Then rinse clean.

More tips in next edition...

Did You Know???

A group of people set out for North Borneo now called Sabah in 1949. As new home for the Cocos Malay people the new colony at Tawau made a new beginning.

Cocos Malay Words

Rice– Nasiak
Fried Chicken– Ayam Goreng
Fried Fish– Ikan Goreng
Fried Egg– Telor Goreng
Fried Potato– Kentang Goreng
Cocos Vegetable Soup—Sayur Manis

Healthy Living Tips

As a relaxing magnesium bath soak- Add at least 1 cup to a warm bath and soak for 20 minutes.

Splinter Removal– Soak in concentrated epsom salt water to pull out a splinter.

Better Vegetables– Add a tablespoon of epsom salt to the soil below a tomato plant to boost growth.

Facial Wash– Add a pinch to your usual face cleaner (or to your oil cleansing routine) for a skin exfoliating magnesium boost.

Tile/Grout Cleaner– Mix equal parts of liquid dish soap and epsom salts and use to scrub tile and grout. Rinse well for a streak free shine.

Body Aches– Add 2 cups to a warm bath and soak for at least 20 minutes to help relieve muscle sprains and for a transdermal magnesium boost.

Homemade Sea Salt Spray– Make your own sea salt spray to add texture and volume to hair- recipe here.

Water House Plants– Help house plants grow by adding a couple tablespoons of epsom salt to the water when you water them.

Foot Soak– For a concentrated magnesium boost, add 1 cup to a hot foot soak and soak for 20 minutes.

More tips in next edition...

Cocos Snapshots



Heading off to a Malaysian Wedding

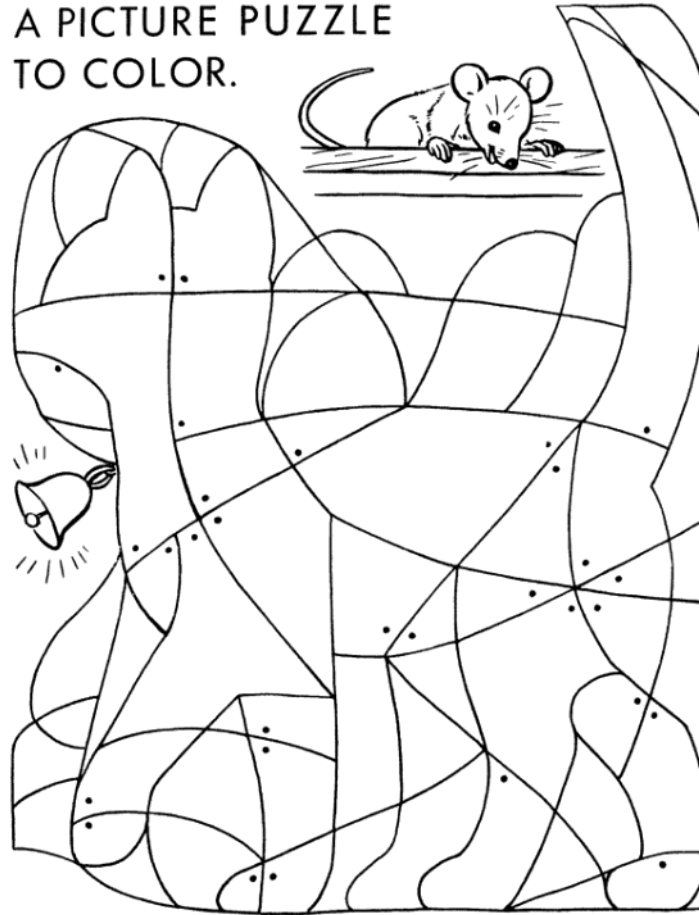


An audience watching the kilters out on the western side of West Island



Blue Earth Games

A PICTURE PUZZLE
TO COLOR.



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Color the dot pieces blue.

Sudoku Station

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

Solution on Page 17

Crossword

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25							26					

Across

1. Venus de Milo versus some Valentine couples (6)
4. Find refuge in easy lumber (6)
9. Plunder with arms (5)
10. Palindrome instrument (5)
11. Decorate a garment (5)
12. Short publication catches attractions (7)
13. Replace pieces of land beginning of February with crops end of July (6)
15. For each child is individual (6)
19. Fidgets with musical instruments (7)
21. Complete range found in mega mutation (5)
23. Some warning given in ideal army (5)
24. More ironic machine (5)
25. Endlessly shake a woody plant, to a greater extent (6)
26. Disoriented hikers shout (6)

Down

1. Sounds like clean cut grass, not wet (7)
2. Serve a jumble of poetry (5)
3. Short umpire employed and turned down (7)
5. Some foolish rugged gesture (5)
6. Used with snakes for a game (7)
7. Replace an apple core in public places with a meal starter that makes the grade (5)
8. Supports rays (5)
14. Final stage could lead to checkmate (7)
16. Confused his glen with a language (7)
17. Communicate to catch employment (7)
18. A facet of speaking (5)
19. Find cafe astir, so wine and dine (5)
20. Dance, slim body essential (5)
22. Sounds like clemency in France, thanks (5)



Hari Raya Junior Soccer Game - photo by Dan Williams

Do you have a Cocos Moment you would like to share?

Email your favourite photo to cocosislands@crc.net.au or drop into the Community Resource Centre

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Happy 1st birthday to Zeeyad Ezahri for the 27th July. Lots a love from Mum Dad and big sister.

Wish to send loved ones special messages on their birthdays and anniversaries? Drop an email to cocosislands@crc.net.au

Have Your Say



Letters to the Editor will either be accepted or rejected by the Editor. Items need to be:

- Accurate and/or factual
- Not defamatory or inflammatory
- Identified by author

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2017 Community Events
Contact the CRC to add your event.

Event Name	Event Date	Event Host
Plastic Free July	July	Cocos Islands CRC
School Holiday Activity	12/07/2017	Cocos Islands CRC
Skippers Registration Evening - Home Island	12/07/2017	CKITA
Lagoon Swim Registration Evening - West Island	14/07/2017	CKITA
Council Meeting - West Island	26/072017	Cocos Islands Shire Council
Plastic Free July Wrap-Up Afternoon Tea	02/08/2017	Cocos Islands CRC
Barefoot Ball	11/08/2017	Yacht Club
Corporate Golf Day	23/08/2017	Cocos Islands Golf Club
Council Meeting - Home Island	30/082017	Cocos Islands Shire Council
West Island Market Day	09/09/2017	Cocos Islands CRC
ECM Golf Open	12-19/09/2017	Cocos Islands Golf Club
ECM Open 18 Holes	16/09/2017	Cocos Islands Golf Club
School Fete/Auction	17/09/2017	Cocos Islands P&C Association
Council Meeting - Home Island	27/092017	Cocos Islands Shire Council
AFL Grand Final	30/09 2017	Cocos Club
Cocos Olympics	13-21/10/2017	Cocos Club
Round 1 Club Championships	15/10/2017	Cocos Islands Golf Club
Toga Party	21/10/2017	Cocos Club
Round 2 Club Championships	22/10/2017	Cocos Islands Golf Club
Council Meeting (Special) - Home Island	25/10/2017	Cocos Islands Shire Council
Halloween	28/10/2017	Cocos Club
Calcutta	06/11/2017	Cocos Club
Melbourne Cup	07/11/2017	Cocos Club

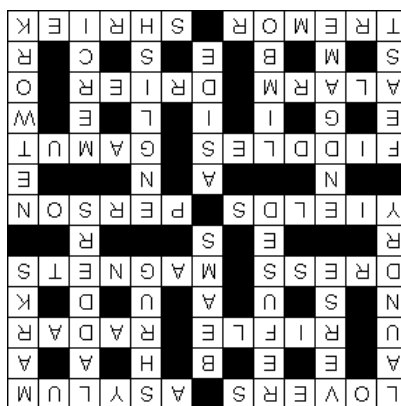
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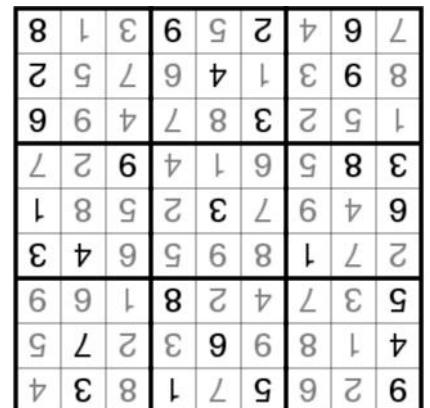
Thursday 20th July

All items/materials must be received by:
Semua majalah mesti diterima sebelum:

3:00pm Tuesday 18th July



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Sudoku Solutions