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Announcement Crosslinks 2020 Annual General Meeting

Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) will be held on Tuesday 20th October 2020 – 7pm at Midland Sports Complex.

Our AGM is an opportunity for us to share our achievements, financial results and our plans for the future.

Due to the Western Australian Government social distancing restrictions, our Annual General Meeting will have limited seating available.

Therefore, if you would like to reserve a seat please notify us via phone 93741600 or email <u>reception@crosslinksinc.org.au</u> prior to 30th September 2020.

Kind regards, Denise Michelsen – Chief Executive Officer

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Introducing a Crosslinks Superstar

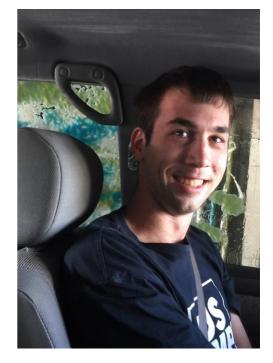


Name: Chris

Participates in: Community Inclusion & RAP

Receiving Support from Crosslinks since 2011

- Q: What is the best thing about Crosslinks?
- A: The people that support me
- Q: If you could choose a superpower, what would it be?
- A: To have a hammer like Thor's
- Q: What is the best thing you have ever learned?
- A: How to play video games
- Q: What is your all time favourite song?
- A: Love me more by Steve Aoki
- Q: What do you like to do for fun?
- A: Play basketball
- Q: What would you say to someone who wants to work at Crosslinks?
- A: Do it, it's an amazing job.
- Q: If you could do anything you wanted to, you would...
- A: Drive a motorbike





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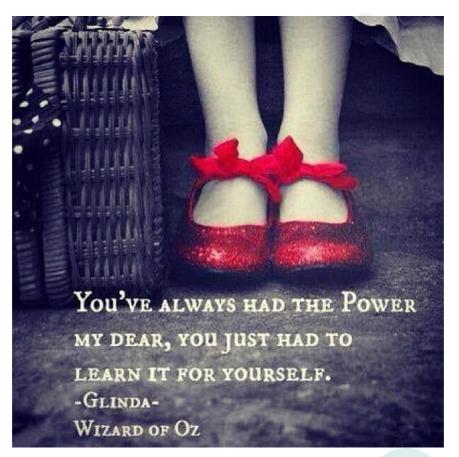
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Important dates



| Date | Time | Location |
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| Tuesday 1 st September | 10am | Parent & Carer Catch Up – Café Poste |
| Thursday 8 th October | 10am | Family & Friends Advisory Group Meeting – 6 Cale Street |
| Tuesday 20 th October | 7pm | Annual General Meeting – Midland Sports Complex |
| Friday 18 th December | 12pm | PIZZA DAY!! – 6 Cale Street, Midland |

Quote of the Month



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Parent & Carer - Morning Tea

The Parent Carer Morning Teas are a great opportunity to meet up with others, share stories and have a great laugh. For further information, please contact Cherylynn on 0407 198 938

The next morning tea will be held at Café Poste.

- Date: Tuesday 1st September 2020
- Time: 10am to 12noon (or any time in-between)

Address: Café Poste, 24 Stirling Street Guildford 6055

Next to the Old Guildford Post Office



Social Media



As you may be aware, Crosslinks Inc. has a Facebook page. It is a great way to spread the word about the achievements of the amazing individuals that we support.

We have 758 likes at the moment, so we are well on our way to our goal of 1000 likes. If you are yet to do so, please like our page and take a moment to request that your family and friends like it too.

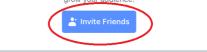
It is easy to do, in just 4 simple steps from your smartphone.

- 1. Open the page: <u>https://www.facebook.com/CrosslinksInc/</u>
- 2. Click on "Community"
- 3. Click on "Invite friends"
- 4. Select "All of your friends and family" 😇

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Invite friends to like this Page

Invite friends to like Crosslinks Inc to attract new visitors and grow your audience.



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Family & Friends Advisory Group

The Family and Friends Advisory Group meetings are open, friendly, relaxing and not stressful. The group is here to provide a voice for participants & families as well as learning and understanding how Crosslinks works.

The group meets on a bi-monthly basis at Crosslinks and we welcome you to attend.

To find out more about the group contact;

Kerrian Sale (Chairperson) Cherylynn Hunt (Secretary) Phone: 0408412901 Phone: 0407198938 Email: <u>kerruss@bigpond.net.au</u> Email: <u>book500@hotmail.com</u>

NEXT MEETING: Thursday 8th October – 10am at 6 Cale Street, Midland.



Kerrian Sale FAMILY & FRIENDS ADVISORY GROUP CHAIRPERSON



Cherylynn Hunt FAMILY & FRIENDS ADVISORY GROUP SECRETARY



Susan Wilson FAMILY & FRIENDS ADVISORY GROUP COMMITTEE MEMBER



Lorraine Jeffery FAMILY & FRIENDS ADVISORY GROUP COMMITTEE MEMBER



Christine Bell FAMILY & FRIENDS ADVISORY GROUP COMMITTEE MEMBER







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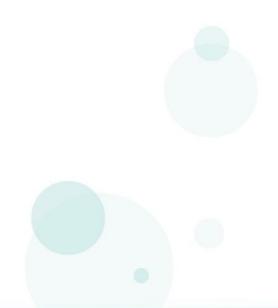
Youth News





The activities that Youth have been participating in range from Bowling, AQWA life, movies, bounce and looking forward to lots more fun to come.





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Community Inclusion News

Peter's Big Boy Toys

On the 7th of August Peter and I went to the RAAFA Aviation Heritage Museum. As you walk in, it can be a little overwhelming, the first thing you notice is just how big everything is. The first plane to stand out is the PBY-5A Catalina, with an official wingspan of nearly 32m this WW2 monster almost stretches the entire width of the hanger. (As I am writing this and inserting the Photos, I will point out that the pictures do not do these planes justice and do not look as overwhelming as seeing it in person).



PBY-5A Catalina.

Prior to being purchased this Catalina was used to advertise a Texan (USA) restaurant. The Western Australian Government provided the fund and It was bought by the Australia American Catalina Foundation and restored by 2 Texan's before being shipped to Perth.

After walking around for a little while, Peter started talking to one of the many volunteers that generously donate their time to the museum. As it happened the kind volunteer's name was also Peter (Peter Tickner). I asked Peter T if he had a spare 5-10 minutes to show Peter L the more interesting things in the museum. A big shout out and thank you goes to Peter T for taking over an hour of his time to take Peter L around the whole Museum. Peter T's knowledge of the displays, the planes and where, when and how the items on the display were used, was exceptional.

The Bell UH-1 IROQUOIS or more commonly known as a HUEY. It was widely used by the US and Australian forces in Vietnam. You may recognise this chopper from a lot of Vietnam movies such as Apocalypse Now, and well.... just about any other Vietnam war movie.







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The Lancaster Bomber Used in WW2 to drop bombs on enemy targets. Peter T also explained how the Lancaster was used to drop the huge and devastating DAM BUSTER Bombs

If you like models, then this is the place for you. There are little models, big models and the real





Peter L (left), Peter T (right). A big thank you to Peter T and all the volunteers at the RAAFA Aviation Museum. The RAAFA Museum is Wheelchair friendly. 2 Bull Creek Drive, Bull Creek. WA 6149 (08) 9311 4470 Opening hours Tues – Sun 10am - 4pm Monday – 10am - 5pm Seniors/Pensioners \$10 Carers - Free

Paul De Chaufepie - Support Worker

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RAP News

IT'S NOT HOW YOU BOWL, IT'S HOW YOU ROLL!



The RAP Participants enjoying the bowling and catching up with everyone.

With RAP in full swing we have had recent activities of live music, group bowling, mini golf, laser tag along with the latest movies at the cinema.

The participants have enjoyed being back out in the community catching up with their peers and having fun times at the activities.



Daniel enjoying learning about the different types of fish at the pet shop, after a friendly competitive game of Laser tag with the group, nothing like healthy competition.

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Community Living News

The Roberts Reporter August 2020

As things return to the new normal here at Roberts. Luke and Glenn have been getting organised.

Glenn and I went op shopping to find a bag to put all his precious motorcycle magazines. We settled for a large laptop bag for the princely sum of \$8. He has yet to fully embrace it, but I think he will.

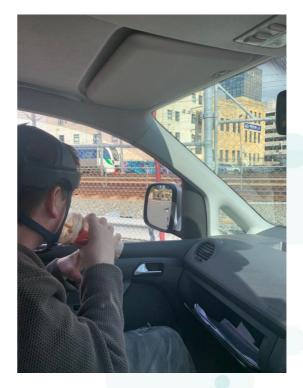
Luke got organised via some new furniture, a beautiful solid marri chest of drawers and a storage unit that came flat packed.

Luke enthusiastically helped me put it together, he particularly liked the cordless impact driver, which was a jaunty gold colour. Together we soon knocked it together, and like any good tradies and so my offsider didn't get too bored, we went for "smoko". Which consisted of a quite decadent chocolate frappe for Luke and plain old coffee for me, then we drove to our favourite trainspotting place, while we sip sipped away.



Neil Wakeford - Support Worker







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Community Living News (cont.)

On Thursday the 30th July all of the Margaret Street ladies enjoyed an afternoon Christmas in July party.





The staff cooked many wonderful treats and had the traditional Christmas roast too, all the ladies and some of their family were treated to a real feast. Kylie and Ada decorated the tree for everyone and some of the ladies dug out their Christmas t shirts for the occasion.

The party also served as a farewell to support worker Jessemy, who started maternity leave on the same afternoon.

We all wish Jessemy good luck and want her to know we will miss her bustling around the house with the ladies and everyone can't wait to see some pictures of her baby girl when she arrives.





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All Abilities Soccer

Do you want to get fit, have fun and make new friends? Kalamunda United All Abilities Soccer may be for you!



When: Thursday nights Where: Maida Vale Reserve, 35 Acacia Road, Maida Vale Time: 6pm to 7pm

Bring a water bottle, shin pads and boots for a fun training session

For enquiries contact Cherylynn on 0407 198 938 or follow them on Facebook. https://www.facebook.com/All-Abilities-football-team-103743597971746/

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Win with Crosslinks

Throughout the month of September, Crosslinks will feature on Shopa Docket within the Midland area.

If you shop in Midland, check the back of your receipts and if you see the Crosslinks advertisement, take a selfie with the Shopa Docket and send it to photos@crosslinksinc.org.au to go in the draw to win a prize.



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