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Evaluation Report – Projects over \$4,000

Funding from the Community Road Safety Grants Program was made available to your group/organisation on the condition that the group complete an evaluation report for the Local Government and Community Road Safety Committee (LG&CRSC) within eight weeks of project completion, this report should include a financial acquittal, project achievements and assessment against project objectives stated in the original application

By completing the report you are assisting the LG&CRSC in evaluating the performance of the Community Road Safety Grants Program in Western Australia. Not only will the information provided be used to improve the efficiency of the program, but will be used to assist other groups /organisations to apply for and undertake projects, providing evidence of successful approaches

The following proforma is designed to assist you in preparing your final report for the project.

Please ensure you have attached copies of the following information:

- X Financial acquittal/statement
- X Any resources produced for your project
- X Any media associated with your project. (Include both print and audiovisual media).
- X Photos

PART A.

Please provide a report using the following headings.

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY (The executive summary should be no longer than half a page and should state clearly and concisely the aims of the project, what the project involved, resources developed, media coverage, what the project found (outcomes) and recommendations for future projects. Please note this summary will appear on the RoadWise website).

The City of Bunbury “Slow Down in Bunbury Project” was implemented by the Bunbury RoadWise Committee to encourage motorists using our roads to slow down through the implementation of community education strategies that fosters community participation and reduces the social acceptability of speeding. The project engaged the City of Bunbury to launch a comprehensive strategy targeting speeding and delivering key messages as outlined within the WA State Road Safety Strategy 2003-2007. The project was supported by the City of Bunbury Neighbourhood Watch Members and the South West Parenting Centre. 2,700 bin stickers were distributed at locations near the 12 local primary schools throughout the City including roads where there have been a number of complaints about speeding vehicles. The project also involved the distribution of the 9,000 Neighbourhood Speed Watch report brochures aimed at reducing the incidence of excessive speed and dangerous driving on our streets. Community members were encouraged to complete the traffic incident report form distributed throughout the City, complete and deliver or post it to participating venues the City of Bunbury, Bunbury Police Station and Bunbury RAC office to assist the police in following up the reports. This program offers community members an avenue to report any concerns of unsafe driving practices (mainly speed) in Bunbury. It is also an educational tool for the public to change attitudes about speed. The City of Bunbury Mayor David Smith launched the project in the media and promotion will continue through the community reporting on speeding incidents. The reporting process has been slow but will increase over a period of time as more people become aware of the opportunity to report incidents of speeding in the community.

2. TIMELINE: July 2006 and completed August 2007

3. EVALUATION (include comments on evaluation of project materials and results of any promotional, educational, structural and community development activities. If you conducted a survey as part of your evaluation, comment on the process and any problems etc. Link this back to the evaluation you described as part of your application.)

The message Please Slow Down – Consider Our Kids aimed at promoting slower speeds on City of Bunbury roads by:

- Raising awareness of the issue of speeding;
- Directing motorists to slow down on local roads;
- Enhancing compliance with the built up speed limit of 50km/h; and
- Encouraging social responsibility by requesting consideration of children.

Lists were collated on the distribution of the bin stickers in the City of Bunbury with an overflow to the greater Bunbury region with increasing requests for more stickers.

2,700 bin stickers were distributed with instructions and Road Safety Council information on speeding ie speed dials and brochures. The stickers were placed correctly on the bins by individuals.

The Speed Alert trailer was located as a reminder to drivers within close proximity to schools.

Four individual schools requested more stickers and an increasing number of individual residents continually requested the stickers. Eight neighbouring Councils have requested information on the stickers and three are currently preparing grant applications for the project.

Displays of road safety material particularly on speed were provided at local events including the Christmas Parade, Bunbury Speedway events, Bunbury police road block stations, new car and service vehicle dealerships, City of Bunbury including the public library, Main Roads SW regional centre, Bunbury Police Station, DPI Bunbury and RAC Bunbury office.

The Bunbury RoadWise Committee did not run a competition at the display preferring to distribute the material for broader access to a greater number of residents and through media outlets HotFM and Spirit 621. The Committee prepared a post implementation survey of the community to determine the results perceived by residents and an incentive prize was awarded in place of the planned competition.

From the surveys received the results indicated:

40% residents believed the placement of stickers improved the incidence of speeding. 56% responded positively to the sticker message.

92% it is not acceptable to speed 5kms over in residential areas. 84% it is not acceptable to speed 5kms over on the open roads. Over 90% had not seen or filled in the report cards. Further promotion of the report cards resulted from this survey.

The traffic count analysis showed only a slight change in the speed of vehicles in the streets fronting local primary schools. Copies of media articles are attached.

To date 10% of Neighbourhood Speed Watch reports have been received by police with only 25% with correct information for police to follow up and take necessary action. Engaging community support with correct details is a slow process and the Committee re-advertised information for the public to supply correct information on the report cards.

4. OTHER RESULTS (any other anecdotal, qualitative or quantitative results of the project)

One of the most successful results is the communities in neighbouring Shires have requested their Council to also supply the bin stickers so they are in the process of applying for grants. This is a great result where the community is raising their concerns and the local Council is responding. The South West Parenting Centre, Bunbury was continually asked by concerned parents where they could access the stickers and other material on speeding vehicles as was the City of Bunbury. They were directed to the Bunbury RoadWise Committee (via the local brochures in the Centre) and to the South West Regional Road Safety Officer. Local primary schools also had requests from parents and the general school community for more stickers. The City of Bunbury also had numerous requests for the stickers and a continual supply of the Neighbourhood Speed Watch report cards. Bunbury Police reported the difficulty taking action on incorrect or insufficient information supplied on the report cards. Anecdotal information from police patrol officers have indicated that there has been a slight reduction of speeding vehicles but certain school zones still are of concern.

5. COMMENT ON THE IMPLICATIONS OF YOUR WORK FOR ROAD SAFETY

The Bunbury RoadWise Committee are generally concerned with road safety issues in the City of Bunbury and are continually working on projects to educate the community about safer driving behaviours and awareness of effective management of traffic speeds in compliance with the Arriving Safely WA Road Safety

Strategy 2003-2007.

6. COMMENT ON THE SUSTAINABILITY OF YOUR PROJECT (how will the project outcomes be sustained in the community in the longer term).

The Slow Down in Bunbury Project is a part of the ongoing commitment of the Bunbury RoadWise Committee in promoting the outcomes of "Arriving Safely". The plan has been created by the committee to provide clear direction for the types of activities they wish to implement with the community and will be reassessed on an annual basis. The bin stickers will remain in the community for a lengthy period of time as a reminder to drivers to slow down and be aware of children and other pedestrians on a weekly basis when the bins are on the street verge. The City of Bunbury will also continue with our current process in handling residents concerns regarding traffic speeds and will actively continue to use the Speed Alert trailer on local streets. The Neighbourhood Speed Watch report cards will be available for a long period time to enable residents to take action when they are concerned about speeding and dangerous driving in their streets and general community with the support of police enforcement. The committee is considering other projects including signage and educational opportunities to value add to this project.

PART B

1. Contact Details

Project ID: 399

Project Name: SLOW DOWN IN BUNBURY

Contact Person: Beatrice Plant

Name of Organisation: City of Bunbury

Email Address: bplant@bunbury.wa.gov.au

Phone number: 9792 7090

Fax number: 9792 7184

2. List each of the project objectives and rate how successful you were at achieving each of these objectives (refer to your grant application).

Objective 1 (*State Objective*): To foster community participation in the Slow Down in Bunbury Campaign

1	2	3	4	5
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Not successful
at all

Very
successful

Please provide evidence of your rating: The increasing number of requests for the bin stickers determined that the community had a keen interest to participate in reducing the speed of vehicles. The speed watch report cards enabled the community to address the speeding incidences throughout the local streets and report them to police.

Objective 2: (*State Objective*): To decrease the social acceptability of speeding in the City of Bunbury community.

1 2 3 4 5
 _____|_____X_____|_____

Not successful
at all

Very
successful

Please provide evidence of your rating: With the continual provision of Drop 5. Save Lives and speed reduction information, articles in the media, bin stickers, speed watch report cards, use of the speed trailer and police enforcement the Bunbury community are continually reminded that driving over the speed limit on local streets is not acceptable.

Were any resources produced specifically for this project e.g. Promotional items, educational literature?

- Yes (Please attach a sample) speed watch report cards and bin stickers.
 No

Were any other resources distributed during the project?

- Yes
 No

If yes, please indicate which resources were distributed and approximately how many of each and indicate the source e.g. litter bags from the Office of Road Safety

- | | |
|----------------------|------------------------|
| 1000 Litter bags | _____ Air fresheners |
| 1500 Brochures | 10 Posters |
| _____ Balloons | _____ Wallet cards |
| _____ Coasters | _____ Tattoos |
| _____ Water bottles | _____ Pencils |
| _____ Stubby holders | Other 1000 speed dials |

How did you promote your project?:

Was there any publicity or media generated from the project?

- | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Print media articles or advertising | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Radio coverage or advertising | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Television coverage | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Other, please specify Road safety promotional litter bags were given to drivers via the HotFM Roadrunner promotional vehicle and by Police with Spirit 621 promotional competition.

Please attach copies of all publicity. Copies attached

Where appropriate please attach photographs of the project activities and any information that was produced as part of the project. Please remember to date and describe the photographs.

4. Community Participation and Volunteer Support

Please indicate the partnerships involved in implementing this project:

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local Government | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Police |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Schools | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Local businesses |

X	Health Department	<input type="checkbox"/>	Youth Advisory Council
X	Department for Planning & Infrastructure	X	Other: Main Roads, Neighbourhood Watch, SDERA, SW Parenting Centre

Estimate the amount of in kind support and volunteer hours for the project e.g. Using Police Vehicle to tow trailer to Driver Reviver locations outside working hours

Estimate approximate number of volunteer hours: 80

What, if any funding was provided from other sources? N/A

5. Conclusions and Recommendations

Were there any major obstacles with the project?

X Yes

No

If yes, what were they?

Not a major obstacle but it is a slow process engaging the support of the community to take action and complete the speed watch report cards correctly. The Committee readvertised the report cards to generate more interest and have been included with all local promotions and giveaway materials.

The Police 'Dob in a hoon' project did support the promotion of the report cards and the local MLA John Castrilli MP was also very supportive of the report cards particularly with distribution.

Do you have any suggestions for overcoming them?

X Yes

No

Please provide details:

Continue to promote speeding as a socially unacceptable behaviour and educate drivers on the potential results of speeding, particularly on vulnerable road users such as pedestrians and children. Encourage the community to be vigilant and report unsafe driving practices by informing police by filling out the Neighbourhood Speed Watch report cards to enable them to take action.

Based on your evaluation make some concluding statements about your findings and make any recommendations about how the project could be improved.

The bin sticker part of the project was highly successful and the public reaction to it very positive to the point where neighbouring Councils will also seek funding to purchase the stickers and display them throughout their communities. Initially purchasing more stickers would have been better as the demand is high throughout the City instead of only placed in areas close to schools.

The neighbourhood speed watch report cards is a much slower process at first engaging the public to complete the report cards to enable police to take action. The public has a genuine concern about speeding on their local streets but are not always convinced that taking assertive action will provide them with the results they are seeking. The Bunbury RoadWise Committee will continue to promote the project to the community with the support of the police to ensure that excessive speeding and driving dangerously on our local streets is identified and reduced.

6. Signature of Project Officer

Name: Beatrice Plant

Organisation: City of Bunbury

Signature: B Plant

Date: 21/5/08

Please return by email to:

Community Road Safety Grants Officer

Email: roadwise@walga.asn.au

SUNTIMES 21.9.06



Bunbury Mayor David Smith, Sen. Const Lindsay Harding and Bunbury Primary School students Alex Tom 11, and Shannon Popowski, 8, unveil the new stickers which will be put on wheelie bins to get motorists to slow down in school zones.

Wheelie warnings for drivers

WARNING signs will be stuck to wheelie bins around Bunbury schools in the latest attempt to get motorists to slow down.

The stickers are part of a Slow Down Bunbury campaign, launched by the Bunbury Roadwise committee and the City of Bunbury to change driver behaviour and reduce speeds in residential streets.

The signs say "please slow down, consider our kids" and will hit letterboxes in streets near schools in the October school holidays.

Mayor David Smith said the signs were eye-catching without being a roadside hazard.

"The household wheelie bins will be placed on individual street verges once a week to reinforce the road safety message rather than being permanently placed and ignored," he said.

Roadwise committee chairman Cr Linda Rose said the stickers were being distributed in the holidays to create the maximum impact on adhering to the 40kmh speed limit ahead of children going back to school.

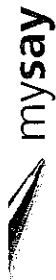
"The project will raise awareness of the issue of speed and encourage social responsibility in the community by requesting consideration of children," she said.

The committee believed that involving the community in the initiative would create awareness and ownership of the road safety initiative.

Bunbury Police Sen. Const Lindsay Harding said the campaign aimed to get people to focus on the importance of looking out for children when driving.

"Expect the unexpected when driving — slow down and get to your destination safely and drive safe to arrive safe," he said.

The stickers were part of a \$15,000 Community Road Safety grant awarded to the committee for its campaign.



100th anniversary for fire service

Last Saturday week was the 100th anniversary reunion of the Bunbury Fire and Rescue service which was formed by Superintendent Stokes in 1906.



the mayor's week

with David Smith

House's beginnings. Community houses like Milligan House play an essential role in the services they provide and support they give to many other groups and individuals.

They succeed because of the work done by their coordinators, and their committee chair when Milligan began was Maureen Myers and the first coordinators - Beth Hewton and Rhonda Parks. They and their successors did a great job making Milligan House what it is today.

Also that Sunday morning there was a naturalisation ceremony with 34 candidates from all over the world including England, Scotland, Ireland, South Africa, Zimbabwe, New Zealand, the Sudan, Taiwan, Indonesia, and Singapore.

Last Tuesday week I helped launch council's Road Wise committee's new road safety cam-

noon, while the Eagles were playing at their best, I attended a national broadcast on how to improve survival rates and provide better treatment and services in regional areas for cancer patients. While the football reduced attendances, there will be DVDs available so I encourage cancer sufferers, survivors, carers, families, and professionals, to get a copy from the local Cancer Council office. I congratulate Wendy Maslin and her team for arranging for Bunbury to be part of this event.



Saturday night was the Junior Football Association presentation with Ron Bazzo, and Robbie Drummond presenting. Tresslyn and I shared a table with some of the life members. Aussie rules football continues to be a success at junior levels despite competition from soccer and other sports. Congratulations to everyone, especially trophy and award winners, and life members.



On Sunday I attended the presentations of the 27th South West Drama Festival, organised by the Bunbury Repertory Club. The festival is an ongoing success for Bunbury Repertory Club.



WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR CITY ... September 27, 2006

LIBRARY

FREE School Holidays Activities Bunbury City Library

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Withers Public Library

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For more information please call Wendy 9792 7190

EXTENDED TRADING

City of Bunbury : 10am - 4pm Sunday October 22.

An extended trading permit has been approved for City of Bunbury on Sunday, October 22 to facilitate Bunbury Forum Shopping Centre's annual Telethon weekend.

The permit is city-wide and all businesses are invited to open for the day from 10am - 4pm.

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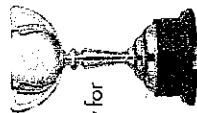
EVENT

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The 18 carat gold Emirates Melbourne Cup 2006 will be on display in Bunbury for one day only!

From 12.30pm - 6pm : Tuesday October 17, 2006

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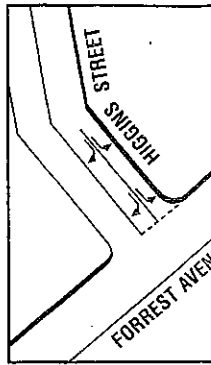


ROAD WORKS

Forrest Avenue & Higgins Street

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...been approached by U R Safe manager Jeff Rodwell to present his case along with a copy of the brochure to the council. ...stest growing regional city in Australia did not allow businesses to put up big fences? ...people g g zapped during the day."



Sen. Const. Lindsay Harding, Bunbury Primary School deputy principal Franca Dillon and Bunbury Roadwise committee chairman Cr Linda Rose want people to report dangerous driving to make streets safer. PICTURE: PAUL VERHAGEN

Brochures allow people to dob in hoons

BUNBURY people have been urged to dob in hoons as part of a campaign to stop speeding and dangerous driving.

About 10,000 speed watch brochures will be available at businesses, the City of Bunbury, Bunbury Police Station, the RAC and schools for residents to report excessive speed and bad driving.

Bunbury Mayor David Smith said the traffic incident reports, developed by the Bunbury Roadwise committee, would arm residents with the power to

make a difference and minimise road trauma.

"Neighbourhood Speed Watch will raise awareness of the issue of speed and encourage responsibility in the community which I think will have a positive impact on driver behaviour and vehicle speeds," he said.

"If you see a driver speeding or driving dangerously, simply fill in a report and drop it into the City of Bunbury, Bunbury Police or the RAC at the Bunbury Forum."

Roadwise committee chairman Cr Linda Rose said the initiative was part of a Slow Down in Bunbury campaign, aimed at engaging the community to help improve road safety.

"Speeding is a contributing factor in a third of all serious injuries and fatal crashes in WA," Cr Rose said.

"Research shows that the risks of involvement in a casualty crash double with each 5kmh increase in speed above the posted speed limit."

The campaign recently received a

\$15,000 Community Road Safety grant to fund the brochures and distribute wheelie bin stickers to residents near schools asking motorists to slow down.

Road safety officer Jennifer Kaye said the campaign also included placing a mobile speed trailer with safety messages around Bunbury and using traffic counters near schools to monitor driver speeds and measure the success of the new strategy.

persons from entering their property legally or illegally."

Big value in your Times

TODAY'S edition of the *South Western Times* is a huge 220 pages of great reading.

The bumper edition features the latest news, sport and entertainment happening in your backyard.

There is also a massive 88 pages of real estate for those house hunting, 28 pages of the latest motoring news, a special 20-page feature covering the upcoming Housing Industry Association awards and your popular Classifieds Liftout.

Also today our football experts name the South West Football League Footballer of the Year and preview the big match between Augusta-Margaret River and Harvey-Brunswick-Leschenault to see who will play Carey Park in the grand final.



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CITY UPDATE

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN OUR CITY...

MARKETS

MARKETS AT HANDS OVAL

The following groups have been allocated the dates listed below to conduct Markets at Hands Oval for the 2006/07 summer season.

For further details please contact these organisations directly.

South Bunbury Football Club - Contact: 9795 6330
4, 11, 18, 25 March.

Make a Wish Foundation - Contact: 9795 6330
22 Oct; 26 Nov; 1 Apr (tbc)

Australind SHS French Study tour - Contact: Donna
9725 8098 : 12 November

Bunbury Timber, Jetty Environment & Conservation Society Inc.

Contact: 9795 5266; 9727 2918 :
19 November & 3 December

Bunbury Orchid Society - Contact: 97258098;
97971842 : 10 December & 18 February

2nd Bunbury Brownie Guides -
Contact: 9791 4273 : 17 December

South West Rose Group - Contact: Kevin
97957522 or Kevan 9795 5893 : 7 January

Bunbury Southern Residents Assoc
Contact: 9795 7418 : 14 January 07

Bunbury & Districts Little Athletics
Contact: 0419254790 : 28 January 07

5th Bunbury FC Past Players & Officials Assoc
11 February 07 (tbc)

Australind SHS Band Committee
Contact: Honnleore 9725 8718 : 25 February 07.

MEETINGS

The City of Bunbury council is in recess until it meets again for a committee meeting at 6pm Tuesday October 24.

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EVENTS

The Festival is Coming!
Shore Lines Writing for Performance Festival

Victoria Street and pubs and cafes
3pm to 8pm Saturday, October 7
Keep your eye open - full program of events out NOW!

Or check out the website:
www.bunbury.wa.gov.au (Bunbury community: Festivals & Events)

also - Don't miss the chance to meet Bunbury's own town Crier, Tommy Ryan. He'll be in the streets all day.

Plus - have your say on the community "scoop box" set up in Victoria Street.

Just book a time on the blackboard and away you go.
In the evening, Bunbury's own version of "Grumpy Old Men" and "Bolski Women" will be held in the Rose Hotel to round off the festival.



TOWN PLANNING

Public comments are invited on the following proposal.
Mixed use commercial & residential (Variation to Marlston Hill (Stage 2) Design Guidelines - Building height and setback variation at - 12 Abrahamson Mews, Bunbury.
Details of the proposal are available for inspection at our Customer Service Centre.
Written submissions close 5pm Wednesday, October 25

For more information please contact Paul Davies, Planning Consultant 9792 7063.

ROAD CLOSURE

Stirling Street

Saturday, November 11.

Public comments are invited on the intention to temporarily close Stirling Street - from Parkfield to Wittenoom Streets from 10.40am - 11.15am Saturday, November 11 for Remembrance Day march.

Submissions close 5pm Friday, November 3

For more information please call Community Law & Safety 9792 7106

NEIGHBOURHOOD SPEED WATCH

Take action - say NO and help reduce speeding vehicles on our streets

Say NO to speeding and dangerous driving in our community. Report incidents by filling out a traffic incident Report and delivering it to Bunbury Police, RAC or City of Bunbury.

Collect your report forms now from a wide range of outlets including schools, City of Bunbury, Police and RAC or phone Roadwise 9792 7078 or 0438 982 563.

Bunbury Roadwise - Working together to save lives.



ROADWISE

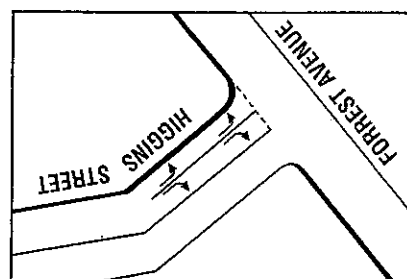
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rescuer of the Year.

Mr Snelling makes our beaches safer

Mr Snelling is one of the nominees for the national Surf Lifesaver of the Year award. He is a life member of the Bunbury Surf Life Saving Club and has been a major drawcard for the community.

When asked what he gained from volunteering, Mr Snelling said the family involvement was a major drawcard.

"My wife is an education officer and my two 20-year-old sons are also involved," he said.

"Surf lifesaving has been through enormous change recently and it's only going to grow."

Mr Snelling will find out if he is the national Surf Lifesaver of the Year on Saturday.

Respite crisis

The demand for service provision is increasing and the limited service proposed for the CSA is proving extremely difficult in the current market and we need staff to provide this respite service to proceed."

We are looking for suitable staff for all shifts including night awake shifts required for the operation of this particular respite service.

There is a large pool of potential staff at the university in Bunbury which we hope will take the opportunity to come and work for us and take part in the respite service.

Day for brides

PLANNING a wedding? This year's Bridal Expo at the Sanctuary All Seasons Golf Resort is promising to be bigger than ever.

On Sunday May 5, the Sanctuary's marquee and function centre will be brimming with wedding suppliers.

The Sanctuary and Bunbury Mail are giving away two full makeovers.

Keep an eye on the paper for information.

Bouncers assaulted

TWO security officers were assaulted at the three monkeys bar on Saturday.

Police are investigating the attack but no charges have been laid.



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THERAPY: Reflexology, Reiki, Kinesiology, Pranic, Massage
REIKI 2: March 25/26 (Mon eve)
Weekend Pampering Retreat JULY
MAY 26 & 27 Also Sept
Therapy Rooms to Rent
Available on hourly basis
Massage Tables & Accessories
www.blueskytherapy.com.au

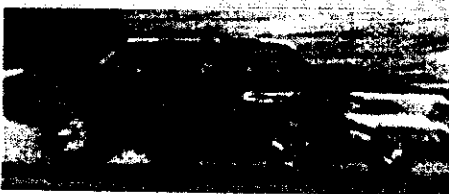
E: BlueSky_Training@westnet.com.au

SLOW DOWN IN BUNBURY

Speeding is a leading cause of road deaths and injuries. In Bunbury, we have a high rate of speeding vehicles on our roads. This is a major concern for the community and we need your help to reduce the number of speeding drivers on our streets.

Please include your contact details to assist us to take the right action.

Say NO to speed and dangerous driving in our community!!!




Bunbury RoadWise - Working together to save lives.



Senior Constable Lindsay Harding, Jennifer Kaye of Roadwise and Councillor Linda Rose urge drivers to slow down in Bunbury.

Stickers to remind drivers to stick to the speed limit

By **BIANCA MARTIN**

SPEEDING vehicles have been identified as one of the leading causes of road related deaths and serious injury in WA.

'Slow Down in Bunbury' is a project initiated by Bunbury RoadWise to encourage all road users to be concerned about speeding and dangerous driving on local roads.

This scheme involves the 'Please Slow Down-Consider Our Kids' wheelie bin stickers, which aim to raise awareness of speed as an issue in localities near primary schools.

Committee chair and Bunbury councillor Linda Rose said the wheelie bin stickers had been a successful project throughout the City of Bunbury.

"The stickers were distributed close to the vicinity of schools to emphasise the importance of adhering

to the 40km/h speed limit," she said.

"Warning signs are eye-catching to motorists without being a roadside hazard."

Neighbourhood Speed Watch Traffic Incident Report cards were also introduced as part of the 'Slow Down in Bunbury' scheme.

These cards allow members of the community to identify dangerous driving and speeding in the community.

"If you see a driver speeding or driving dangerously, simply fill in all the details on a report card and drop it into one of the participating locations, City of Bunbury, Bunbury Police and RAC Bunbury Forum," said Cr Rose.

Senior Constable Lindsay Harding would like to emphasise that people need to fill out the report cards in detail with their name and contact to ensure that the police can follow up on the complaints made.

Look out for the survey that will be running in the *Bunbury Mail* over the next two weeks for your opportunity to express your concerns with speeding cars.

Traffic Count Analysis Sheet

Road Name	30 November Count		30 November Count		30 November Count		30 November Count		30 November Count		30 November Count	
	Total Vehicle Count (Classes 1-13)	AAADT Total Vehicle Count	AAADT Commercial Vehicle Count (Classes 3-13)	85%tile Speed	Morning Restriction 8am to 9am 85%tile Speed	Afternoon Restriction 3pm to 4pm 85%tile Speed	Bin Collect Day	85%tile Speed 8am - 9am	Day After Bin Collect	85%tile Speed 8am - 9am	Location of Counter	
Westwood Street	1719	1874	135	57	45	55	Monday	44	Tuesday	43	Inside 40k zone outside #22	
Westwood Street East Bound	872	950	50	57	-	-	Monday	-	Tuesday	-		
Westwood Street West Bound	847	924	85	57	-	-	Monday	-	Tuesday	-		
Stockley Road	1086	1184	74	54	46	49	Wednesday	45	Thursday	46	Inside 40k zone outside #55	
Stockley Road East Bound	445	485	21	54	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Stockley Road West Bound	641	699	53	54	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Mary Street	1593	1736	80	55	47	50	Wednesday	69	Thursday	unable to read	Inside 40k zone outside #9A	
Mary Street North Bound	595	648	43	55	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Mary Street South Bound	998	1088	37	55	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Ecclestone Street	5413	5900	1120	77	62	66	Thursday	68	Friday	62	Inside 40k zone outside #45	
Ecclestone Street North Bound	1972	2149	61	77	-	-	Thursday	-	Friday	-		
Ecclestone Street South Bound	3441	3751	1059	77	-	-	Thursday	-	Friday	-		
Adam Road	2183	2379	113	58	41	44	Tuesday	41	Wednesday	41	Inside 40k zone outside #30	
Adam Road East Bound	1108	1207	50	56	-	-	Tuesday	-	Wednesday	-		
Adam Road West Bound	1075	1172	63	56	-	-	Tuesday	-	Wednesday	-		

Traffic Count Analysis Sheet

Road Name	23 September Count		23 September Count		23 September Count		23 September Count		23 September Count		23 September Count	
	Total Vehicle Count (Classes 1-13)	AAAT Total Vehicle Count	AAAT Commercial Vehicle Count (Classes 3-13)	85%ile Speed	Morning Restriction 8am to 9am 85%ile Speed	Afternoon Restriction 3pm to 4pm 85%ile Speed	Bin Collect Day	85%ile Speed 8am - 9am	Day After Bin Collect	85%ile Speed 8am - 9am	Location of Counter	
Westwood Street	1634	1781	112	57	44	54	Monday	43	Tuesday	43	Inside 40k zone o/side #22	
Westwood Street East Bound	833	903	33	57	-	-	Monday	-	Tuesday	-		
Westwood Street West Bound	801	873	79	57	-	-	Monday	-	Tuesday	-		
Stockley Road	1042	1136	85	56	47	49	Wednesday	43	Thursday	48	Inside 40k zone o/side #55	
Stockley Road East Bound	423	461	20	56	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Stockley Road West Bound	619	675	65	56	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Mary Street	2095	2284	172	57	47	50	Wednesday	47	Thursday	46	Inside 40k zone o/side #9A	
Mary Street North Bound	772	842	100	57	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Mary Street South Bound	1323	1442	72	57	-	-	Wednesday	-	Thursday	-		
Ecclestone Street	3507	3823	332	59	44	51	Thursday	44	Friday	45	Inside 40k zone o/side #45	
Ecclestone Street North Bound	1845	2008	223	59	-	-	Thursday	-	Friday	-		
Ecclestone Street South Bound	1662	1815	109	59	-	-	Thursday	-	Friday	-		
Adam Road	1145	1246	368	61	44	52	Tuesday	45	Wednesday	45	Inside 40k zone o/side #30	
Adam Road East Bound	890	970	325	61	-	-	Tuesday	-	Wednesday	-		
Adam Road West Bound	255	278	43	61	-	-	Tuesday	-	Wednesday	-		

SLOW DOWN IN BUNBURY & WIN A PRIZE

We invite you to complete this survey and win a \$100 Voucher



Slow Down in Bunbury is an initiative from the Bunbury Region Roadwise committee targeting the behaviour of speeding and raising the awareness about the consequences of speeding within the community. The project included the Please Slow Down - Consider our Kids wheelie bin stickers and the Neighbourhood Speed Watch Traffic Incident Report cards to identify dangerous driving and speeding in the community.



SURVEY

Personal Details

Age: 15-30 30-45 45-60 60+

Name:

Street Name:

Suburb: Phone:

- Do you believe incidences of speeding have reduced since the bin stickers have been placed in your area? YES NO
- Have people responded positively to the sticker message? YES NO
- Do you believe it is acceptable to exceed the speed limit by 5km/h in residential areas? YES NO
- Do you believe it is acceptable to exceed the speed limit by 5km/h on open roads? YES NO
- Have you seen the Neighbourhood Speed Watch Traffic Incident Report cards which enables you to report speeding and dangerous driving in your community? YES NO
- Have you completed a Neighbourhood Speed Watch Traffic Incident Report card? YES NO

• **General Comments:**

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Post to: Bunbury Roadwise Competition,
 PO Box 1291, Bunbury WA 6231

Neighbourhood
Speed Watch



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to speed and dangerous driving in our community!!!

PERSONAL DETAILS

Age: 15 - 30 6 30 – 45 1 5 45-60 4 60+ 7

Gender Female 17 Male 2

Street Goldsmith Karri Stickland North Collinsville Way Adam R Celosia W Devonshire Borya Bend William Venn
 Coral Hayes Pairy O'Meehan Brittain Gibbs Eaton Australind Dalyellup
 Suburb Bunbury E Bumb Carey Park

Do you believe incidences of speeding have reduced since the bin stickers have been in placed in your area?
 Yes 10 No 13

Have people responded positively to the sticker message?
 Yes 14 No 10

Do you believe it is acceptable to exceed the speed limit by 5km/h in residential areas?
 Yes 3 No 23

Do you believe it is acceptable to exceed the speed limit by 5km/h on open roads?
 Yes 6 No 21

Have you seen the NSWatch Report cards which enables you to report speeding and dangerous driving in your community?
 Yes 3 No 22

Have you completed a Neighbourhood Speed Watch Traffic Incident Report card?
 Yes 1 No 23

General Comments

I think the idea is great although not many bins have the sticker in my street
I live in a street which people use to bypass the Spencer St/Forrest Ave lights.
They often speed down the street mainly at peak hour times. No-one in our street has the stickers, where do you get the report cards?
Would speed bumps help?
More police presence required
I have worked at Withers Primary School for 10 years and I have noticed since the stickers have been put on the bins on Westwood St drivers are taking more care
Slowing down and being more courteous.
Our bins have not got any stickers, yet it would be nice as there are lots of children in this area (*Different Council*)
Though the bin stickers are good they are only seen by drivers on garbage day the other 6 days they forget.
People continue to speed regardless of the stickers. The stickers should protect adults (aged, disabled etc) too.
I haven't seen any of these stickers in my area but would like to. I think they are a great idea. I don't know where to get the report cards from.
Young drivers think speed limits and road rules don't apply to them and drive accordingly.
Speeding increases the likelihood of serious injury in an accident, more education initiatives needed to remind drivers of all ages of road rules and why we have them.
Use print media more. It is safe to speed 5km over the limit only when overtaking and safe to do so.
Responsible people won't speed, non-responsible people will still speed - sticker message or not.
I believe the bin stickers are a gently reminder to the normal driver & should get a positive response. BUT the habitual speeder won't notice or comply.
The only way to get through to them is to hit their pockets.
We don't have stickers in our area. I would welcome them. I would distribute and ask people to put them on bins otherwise they may not use them.
I have just moved from Victoria and I think it's a great idea as you are more cautious in these streets.
There do no appear to be any bin stickers in our area. We still get hoons speeding on Turner St & Picton Crescent Thursday & Saturday nights.
I think we need more things than bin stickers and I have never seen a speed watch report card.
As I live near a school I feel generally people are aware of children in the area and drive accordingly.
I think it's a great idea to put the bin stickers on the bins.
It is not possible while driving to take note of all details requested on the report cards.
Recently a workman driving a ute with trailer sped through a red light on Blair/Strickland Sts intersection driving north.
Behind the main group that always fly past are the p-plate drivers who think they own the road.
Speeding in Britain Road workers early morning going to work, weekends, speeding evenings and at night. Roads back of Brittain, squeely tyres and revving vehicles.
I seriously believe being able to report speeding and dangerous driving is a fantastic safe measure. There are too many idiots that think they can get away.
Lights should be at Robinson Rd where the round-a-bout is to give vehicles a chance to leave the hospital on Bussell Hwy. It is a danger spot that needs fixing.
Keep up the good work.
In Victoria I noticed a speed limit sign with constantly flashing red lights (circular) to draw attention to speed limit.
P.S. Would be a brilliant solution to introduce in WA to remind drivers of the speed limit and may alert and train people to be aware of the speed limit in that area.
P.S.S. Please present this note to Main Roads and see if they could do something like his for country roads to help present so many untimely deaths from speeding.

Neighbourhood Speed Watch



Report Collection Centres

If you see a driver speeding or driving dangerously simply fill in a report and get it into one of the following locations:-

Bunbury Police Station
Wittenoom Street, Bunbury

City of Bunbury
4 Stephen Street, Bunbury

The Royal Automobile Club of WA (RAC)
Bunbury Forum Shopping Centre

or

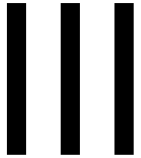
Email concern to
waps. reply @ police.wa.gov.au

Delivery Address:
PO Box 21
BUNBURY WA 6231



City of Bunbury
RoadWise
Speed Watch
Reply Paid 21
BUNBURY WA 6231

No stamp required
if posted in Australia



**SAY NO to speed and
dangerous driving in
our community!!**



BUNBURY ROADWISE
Working together to save lives

Are you tired of speeding and dangerous driving in your community but think there's not much you can do to stop it?

All law abiding citizens should be concerned about speeding and dangerous driving. Road crashes cause fatalities, serious injury and heartbreak to families.

But you can do something about it!

Police enforcement is the best way of reducing the incidence of speed and dangerous driving. But they can't be everywhere. They need your help.

About Community Speed Watch

Community Speed Watch is designed to target and reduce the incidence of excessive speed and dangerous driving on our streets. Community Speed Watch is a community action program to identify the drivers who continue speeding and driving dangerously on our streets.

How to make a report

Complete as many of the details on the attached Traffic Incident Report and deliver it to the participating places listed in this brochure. It is important you give plenty of details in the report.

What will happen with my report?

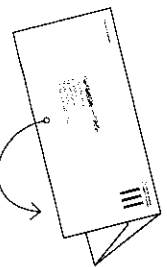
All Reports will be collated and the data used by Police and RoadWise to identify and target offenders and high risk areas.

Please send concern

With completed Traffic Incident Report secure front page to back (NO STAPLES) postal address facing on the outside & send free. **NO STAMP REQUIRED**

OR
Place the completed form into a sealed envelope with postal address on front. **NO STAMP REQUIRED**

Email: wapss.reply@police.wa.gov.au



Don't wait until it's too Late



Time: _____ am/pm day _____ / _____

Location: _____

Suburb: _____

Direction of travel: _____

Weather: _____

Vehicle Make: _____ Model: _____

Colour: _____ Reg No: _____

Driver Male/Female: _____

Age: _____

Description of Incident: or other areas of concern

To ensure any follow up action please supply the following details:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Contact Phone No: _____

Names of other witnesses: _____
