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## Appendix 1. Additional demographic details

### Age structure

The peak participation rate in organised sport among adults is within the 15-17 age-group, at 75.7% for males and 69.9% for females. These numbers generally decline with age, with working adults at around 40%, and over 55s dipping under 30%. Conversely, older adults tend to engage in more non-organised physical activity, especially in activities such as walking, golf, swimming and fitness.

The median age in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley is 33, which is lower than the Western Australian median of 38. This is because of a higher proportion of working adults aged 25-34, and a lower proportion of adults aged 70-84. The population is becoming older over time, as the number of older adults has increased between 2016 and 2021.

Wyndham has a median age of 36, whereas Kununurra’s is 32.

Wyndham has a higher proportion of young children and older working adults, whereas Kununurra has a higher proportion of younger working adults and a lower proportion of older adults. The following table, sourced from .id, shows the different age-cohorts in Wyndham and Kununurra, as compared to the Western Australian average.<sup>12</sup>

Table 1. Percentage of residents by 5-year age cohort by township (2021)

| Age   | Kununurra | Wyndham | Western Australia |
|-------|-----------|---------|-------------------|
| 0-4   | 7.6%      | 6.8%    | 6.1%              |
| 5-9   | 8.2%      | 8.8%    | 6.5%              |
| 10-14 | 7.6%      | 8.1%    | 6.4%              |
| 15-19 | 5%        | 5.8%    | 5.8%              |
| 20-24 | 6.4%      | 5%      | 6%                |
| 25-29 | 9.4%      | 7%      | 6.6%              |
| 30-34 | 10.7%     | 6.9%    | 7.4%              |
| 35-39 | 7.8%      | 10.5%   | 7.6%              |
| 40-44 | 6.5%      | 5.7%    | 6.7%              |
| 45-49 | 6.5%      | 7%      | 6.6%              |
| 50-54 | 6.7%      | 7%      | 6.5%              |
| 55-59 | 5.7%      | 6.1%    | 6.1%              |
| 60-64 | 5.1%      | 5.9%    | 5.7%              |
| 65-69 | 3.1%      | 3.7%    | 5%                |
| 70-74 | 1.8%      | 2.2%    | 4.3%              |
| 75-79 | 1%        | 2.3%    | 2.9%              |
| 80-84 | 0.6%      | 1%      | 2%                |
| 85+   | 0.4%      | 0%      | 1.9%              |

Both townships have high proportions of children under 14, who are the core participation base of all sport and recreation. There is also an increased number of those aged 20-39 and a lower rate of older adults.

As a result, residents of the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley have an increased demand for sport programs and facilities. There is likely to be high

1 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Kununurra, Census QuickStats.

2 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Wyndham, Census QuickStats.

demand for any recreation and event initiatives that allow for the mass participation of children and young adults.

**SEIFA index**

Socially disadvantaged populations engage far less in organised sport, reporting barriers such as low affordability, disability and poor health. These populations require targeted interventions to minimise barriers to participation. The Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley has a SEIFA Index of Disadvantage of 899, which indicates considerable disadvantage<sup>3</sup>. It is a considerably worse figure than the average of 1011 for Western Australia.

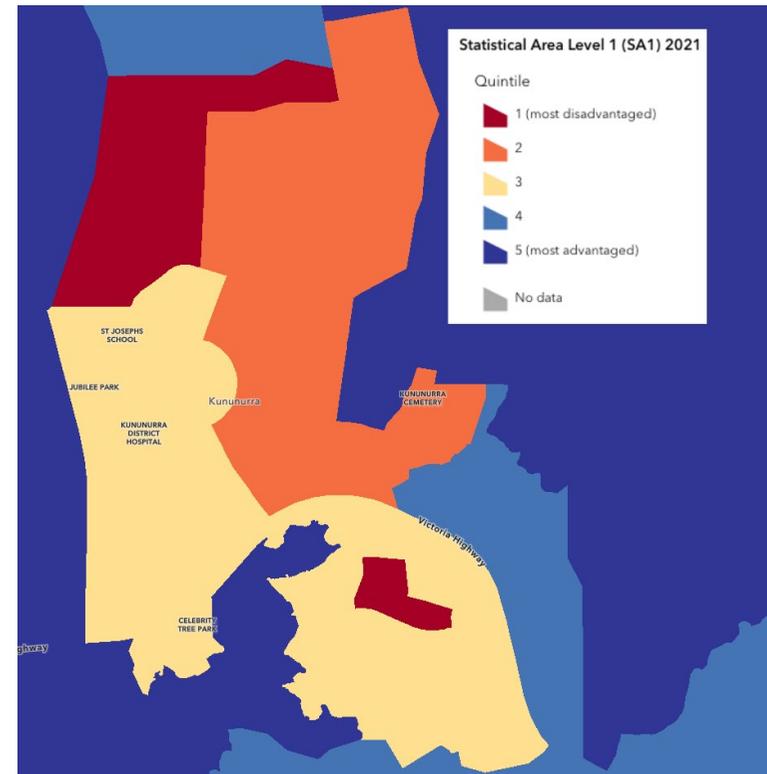
This disadvantage is particularly concentrated in Wyndham, which is entirely classified as “most disadvantaged.”

On the other hand, the town centre and foreshore in Kununurra are classified as “average,” although other areas of the town are less so. This is reflected in the following SEIFA map of Kununurra from 2021.

Those in the most disadvantaged areas are more likely to be lacking opportunities to engage in sport and physical recreation.

Facility upgrades and programs should therefore prioritise “most disadvantaged” residents in both Wyndham and Kununurra. This is achieved by actively considering physical, social, and financial accessibility for disadvantaged populations.

Figure 1. Kununurra SEIFA map (2021)



<sup>3</sup> Australian Bureau of Statistics (2023). Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA).

## Cultural background

In Australia, as in many other countries, attendance at sporting events or participation in sporting activities has been a common avenue for individuals to engage with the wider community. This is particularly true for the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley, which uses sport as a vehicle for creating community connection and pride.

The ancestry of residents influences the demand for sport and recreation activities, programs and facilities. It also has a bearing on spatial behaviour and cultural responses to social situations.

There is a substantial Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population (ABS est. 48% in 2023) who typically face additional barriers to participation, including health and transport. This is particularly relevant for Wyndham, which has a 60.1% Indigenous population. It is likely that this group faces considerable barriers to participation, including lower discretionary incomes with lower rates of labour engagement and motor vehicle access than Kununurra. Kununurra has an Indigenous population of 28.1%.

The very English ancestry suggests many of the traditional sporting codes of soccer-football, cricket, tennis, touch rugby and equestrian are likely to be well known and better supported. There will likely be an increase in Asian influences, due to upcoming schemes to bring workers to the region.<sup>4</sup> International workers are likely to influence demand, including higher participation in diverse sports like volleyball, badminton, and martial arts.

The following image shows ancestry of current residents.

Figure 2. Ancestry in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley

## Ancestry - Ranked by size

| Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley - Total persons (Usual residence) |        | 2021 |                     |
|---|--------|------|---------------------|
| Ancestry  | Number | %    | Western Australia % |
| Australian Aboriginal   | 2,358  | 31.5 | 3.0                 |
| Australian  | 1,835  | 24.5 | 29.7                |
| English   | 1,813  | 24.3 | 37.6                |
| Irish   | 491    | 6.6  | 8.8                 |
| Scottish  | 441    | 5.9  | 8.7                 |
| German  | 201    | 2.7  | 2.9                 |

As per AusPlay data<sup>5</sup>, Indigenous populations in Western Australia have a higher participation rate in Australian football (8.8% compared to 3.5%), basketball (8.2% compared to 3.8%), cricket (4.9% compared to 2.7%) and netball (6.9% compared to 2.9%). This demonstrates a preference towards community-based sporting activities, as seen in the below nation-wide Indigenous participation figures.<sup>6</sup>

<sup>4</sup> Interview with Regional Development Australia.

<sup>5</sup> AusPlay. (2024). Data Portal: Participation by activity.

<sup>6</sup> AusPlay. (2023). Australia's First Nations Peoples and Sport.

Figure 3. Popular sports by age-group in Western Australia

| Young Adult aged 18-24      | Adult aged 25-54           | Mature Adult aged 55+     |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Running/Athletics - 19,000  | Running/Athletics - 41,000 | Swimming - 13,000         |
| Swimming - 12,000           | Swimming - 34,000          | Cycling - 7,000           |
| Basketball - 10,000         | Cycling - 24,000           | Bowls - 5,000             |
| Australian Football - 8,000 | Football/Soccer - 12,000   | Running/Athletics - 4,000 |
| Netball - 7,000             | Basketball - 11,000        | Golf - 4,000              |

These Indigenous populations tend to engage less with cycling (8.4% compared to 14.6%), fitness/gym (27.6% rather than 36.6%), football/soccer (2.2% compared to 4.5%), golf (2.5% compared to 5.4%) and swimming (14.8% compared to 17.8%). It is unclear to what extent these differences are due to cultural preferences, or whether they are due to facility and program availability, or remoteness.

As seen in the following image, the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley has a low percentage of overseas-born residents.<sup>7</sup> The largest ancestries are Australian Aboriginal, Australia, English, Irish, and Scottish, in that order. Similarly, the Shire has a small percentage of residents who speak a language other than English at home, sitting at 13.1%, compared to Western Australia’s average of 20%.

Figure 4. Birthplace of Wyndham-East Kimberley residents

## Birthplace - Summary

| Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley - Total persons (Usual residence) |              | 2021         |                     |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Birthplace  | Number       | %            | Western Australia % |
| Total overseas born   | 945          | 12.6         | 32.2                |
| Australia   | 5,225        | 69.9         | 62.0                |
| Not stated  | 1,308        | 17.5         | 5.8                 |
| <b>Total Population</b>   | <b>7,478</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b>        |

Kununurra is a common destination for travellers from overseas to refresh their working VISAs. Additionally, there is a large group of workers who populate the region depending on specific infrastructure projects.

As such, there is likely more cultural diversity than reflected in census data. This is important because cultural background is a key influence on activity preferences.

The Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley face a unique challenge in accommodating the needs of permanent residents alongside those of the transient population.

7 .id (2024). RDA Kimberley Community Profile.

### Employment

Employment levels are a key influence on physical activity, organised sport participation and community engagement.

Less stable employment situations can make it harder to access sport and recreation activities. As per the Australian Bureau of Statistics, those in society who are “most disadvantaged” are 9.4% more likely to report doing zero minutes of physical activity in a week than those who are “least disadvantaged.”<sup>8</sup>

The following image sourced from .id shows that the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley has strong employment status rates.<sup>9</sup> A higher proportion of people are employed, and unemployment is lower than the state average.

Reports from the Australian Bureau of Statistics show that the most common occupations in the Shire are professionals (20.2%), managers (15.4%) and community workers (14.8%). These figures support sport and recreation, although full-time employees do face time-management barriers, or may report having an overly physical job.<sup>10</sup>

Figure 5. Employment status in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley

### Employment status

| Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley - Persons in the labour force (Usual residence) |              | 2021         |                     |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------------|
| Employment status   | Number       | %            | Western Australia % |
| Employed  | 3,203        | 96.3         | 94.9                |
| Employed full-time  | 2,294        | 69.0         | 57.1                |
| Employed part-time  | 664          | 20.0         | 32.0                |
| Employed, away from work  | 245          | 7.4          | 5.8                 |
| Unemployed (Unemployment rate)  | 124          | 3.7          | 5.1                 |
| Looking for full-time work  | 77           | 2.3          | 2.7                 |
| Looking for part-time work  | 47           | 1.4          | 2.4                 |
| <b>Total labour force</b>   | <b>3,327</b> | <b>100.0</b> | <b>100.0</b>        |

There is again a strong distinction to be made between the townships of Kununurra and Wyndham.

8 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Kununurra, Census QuickStats.

9 .id (2024). RDA Kimberley Community Profile.

10 AusPlay. (2024). Data Portal: Barriers to participation.

The following graphic from the Australian Bureau of Statistics shows that Wyndham has far lower labour force engagement than Kununurra.<sup>11,12</sup>

Figure 6. Labour force engagement for Wyndham and Kununurra

Income and work

| Participation in the labour force<br>People aged 15 years and over | Wyndham (L) | %    | Kununurra | %    | Western Australia | %    | Australia  |
|--|-------------|------|-----------|------|-------------------|------|------------|
| In the labour force  | 239         | 41.6 | 2,141     | 62.0 | 1,376,251         | 63.9 | 12,695,853 |
| Not in the labour force  | 210         | 36.5 | 704       | 20.4 | 641,842           | 29.8 | 6,888,081  |
| Not stated   | 117         | 20.3 | 607       | 17.6 | 136,153           | 6.3  | 1,200,851  |

Note 1: Calculated percentages represent a proportion of people aged 15 and over in the area.

Note 2: The ABS Labour Force Survey provides the official estimates of Australia's labour force. More information is provided in [Comparing 2021 Census Labour Force Survey](#).

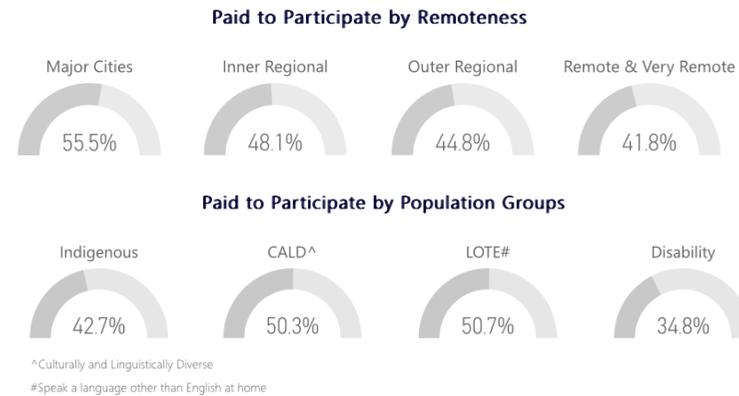
Overall, these employment statistics present strong conditions for sport and recreation in the Shire. However, the two townships require different focuses. Wyndham needs a greater level of support for their sport programs, given the higher levels of disadvantage and unemployment in the town.

Income

Families with higher disposable incomes are more likely to spend money to participate in sport and outdoor recreation activities. As a result, it is crucial to ensure that all community members have access to appropriate facilities and spaces, regardless of their financial circumstances.

A disadvantaged population is less able to pay requisite fees, which can lead to lower rate of participations. On average, 53% of all adult sporting participation is classified as paid, rather than free. The following data from AusPlay shows that paid participation is lower for remote populations, as well as for Indigenous and disabled groups.<sup>13</sup>

Figure 7. Paid participation by remoteness and population group



As compared to Western Australia, the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley has a higher proportion of people earning a middle-tier income, with less people earning a very high or very low income.<sup>14</sup>

11 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Kununurra, Census QuickStats.

12 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Wyndham, Census QuickStats.

13 AusPlay. (2024). Participation Expenditure.

14 .id (2024). RDA Kimberley Community Profile.

The median income of both Kununurra and Wyndham is shown in the following graphic sourced from the Australian Bureau of Statistics.<sup>15,16</sup> Kununurra residents are above the state average, whereas the median weekly incomes for Wyndham residents are far lower.

Figure 8. Median weekly income for Wyndham and Kununurra

| Median weekly incomes (a)<br>People aged 15 years and over | Wyndham (L) | Kununurra | Western Australia | Australia |
|--|-------------|-----------|-------------------|-----------|
| Personal (b)   | \$564       | \$1,127   | \$848             | \$805     |
| Family (c)   | \$1,156     | \$2,278   | \$2,214           | \$2,120   |
| Household (d)  | \$1,125     | \$1,987   | \$1,815           | \$1,746   |

(a) Incomes are collected in ranges. The medians are then calculated using information from the Survey of Income and Housing.

(b) Excludes people aged 15 years and over who did not state their income.

(c) Excludes families where at least one family member aged 15 years and over did not state their income.

(d) Excludes households where at least one household member aged 15 years and over did not state their income.

Equivalised household income is an indicator of the economic resources available to each member of a household. It reflects the fact that larger households require a higher income to maintain their standard of living. In these terms, the Shire has a slightly higher rate of the lowest income quartile, as well as the medium-highest, and highest. This leaves the medium-lowest, which is underrepresented by 5.7% as compared to the Western Australian average.

Overall, this income data indicates that financial accessibility of sport and recreation is a significant issue for the Shire, particularly for residents of Wyndham. Program providers need to take steps to ensure that their offerings are low-cost to ensure accessibility for the entire community.

## Household type

Despite relatively strong income statistics, residents in the Shire of Wyndham-

15 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Kununurra, Census QuickStats.

16 Australian Bureau of Statistics (2021). Wyndham, Census QuickStats.

East Kimberley tend to face disproportionate expenditure as well. According to .id just 20.5% of households fully own their home, compared to 28.3% in Western Australia.<sup>17</sup> Similarly, 41.8% rent their home, compared to 26.4% in Western Australia.

This has been the trend of recent years, with the Shire adding nearly 200 renting households and losing 180 owned households between 2016 and 2021. Many of these rented homes belong to the bottom quartile in terms of rental cost.

The Shire has a large proportion of visitor-only households, with 34.9% compared to just 2.7% in Western Australia. The Shire has a lower proportion of “couples with children,” “couples without children,” and “lone person” households than for the State.

This data reveals a tendency for large population fluctuations, as home ownership is low, and the transient population is high. This presents a challenge for community clubs, as there is a lack of continuity with volunteers, coaches and participants moving in and out of the area.

17 .id (2024). RDA Kimberley Community Profile.

## Health status

Individuals who participate in physical activities are healthier in mind and body and have a reduced risk of cardiovascular and related diseases. Participation also builds social cohesion and connectedness, thereby reducing isolation, which can be highly detrimental to health outcomes.

According to the WA Country Health Service, the East Kimberley region has a number of health risk factors.<sup>18</sup> The region was similar to the state average regarding physical activity, obesity, and healthy eating, but a higher incidence of alcohol abuse, more smokers, and people with mental health issues.

The Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley has nearly double the proportion of developmentally vulnerable children than the state average. 41.5% of children in the Shire are vulnerable on one or more domains, as compared to 20.3% in Western Australia.

These disproportionate health issues in the Shire highlight the importance of sport and recreation participation. Physical activity and community belonging are associated with health benefits for the population. Many health programs use sport as a hook to encourage improved behaviour and outcomes.

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<sup>18</sup> WA Country Health Service. (2022). Kimberley Health Profile.

<sup>19</sup> AusPlay. (2024). Data Portal.

## Transport

Safe, reliable and affordable transport is a key determinant of people's opportunities to access education, employment, recreation and health services. Lack of transport is associated with social isolation and sedentary lifestyles. This is a particularly crucial concern for already marginalised population groups, such as older adults and people with a disability.

The Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley is vulnerable to these issues because of its remote location. The population density is low, and some community members must travel long distances to their nearest sport or recreation facility. This vulnerability is reflected in state data, with adults living in "outer regional" and "remote" areas being 7.7% more likely to report no physical activity in the last, as compared to those in "major cities."<sup>19</sup>

Residents of the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley have reduced access to motor vehicles<sup>20</sup> with 11% of households have no access to a motor vehicle, compared to the Western Australian average of 4%. Similarly, a much lower percentage of people use public transport, owing to a lack of services. Instead, a much higher percentage of people walk. These issues may reduce access to sporting facilities in the Shire.

<sup>20</sup> .id (2024). RDA Kimberley Community Profile.

## Regional challenges

There are several challenges that are unique to recreation and events in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley.

Owing to the remote and secluded location, the cost and access to necessary construction materials and labour is difficult. Grant programs that require 50% contribution from a local government are often out of reach as capital works project are likely to cost in order of 4 times what the equivalent project may cost in Perth.

The weather is also a major consideration. Outdoor sport is sometimes only possible during the dry season, so many sporting codes are competing for the same facilities, volunteers and players from April to September. This leads to issues with facility sharing, access times, maintenance, and funding. It also means that some sports operate out of step with their governing bodies, reducing their opportunities for support.

These climate issues elevate the cost of sport in the region. For example, most competitions need adequate lighting to hold night matches when the temperatures are lower. Similarly, outdoor sports require roofing and lighting to operate in the wet season, otherwise they cease operations entirely. There are further challenges to accessibility, namely that some roads become impassable, therefore blocking residents from certain locations and facilities.

It is not always feasible for individuals or teams to progress to higher levels within their state due to distance and cost, even though they may be paying registration fees to state-based organisations.

Support from state-based sporting bodies is also more difficult. In the case of swimming and basketball, support comes more from Darwin than it does Perth. Given that Kununurra is much closer to Darwin (flight time 1hr) than Perth (3hr. 30 min), regional level competitions are more accessible in the Northern Territory than other parts of WA.

## Appendix 2. Community survey findings

Eighty-two residents responded to the survey. The sample shows more responses from older adults and women than that of the rest of the population. The survey also did not reach young children. This will influence the nature of some responses. An analysis of the survey sample is provided at the end of the chapter.

Following is an analysis of the survey results.

### Facilities used regularly in Kununurra

The survey asked, “Which facilities do you use regularly in Kununurra or Wyndham?”

The most used facilities in Kununurra were Celebrity Tree Park and Swim Beach, followed by the Leisure Centre, and the Town Oval. The following table details the percentage of responses per facility.

Table 2. Facilities used regularly in Kununurra

| Facility                 | % respondents regularly using this site |
|--------------------------|---|
| Celebrity Tree Park      | 51%                                     |
| Swim Beach               | 51%                                     |
| Leisure Centre           | 45%                                     |
| Town Oval                | 34%                                     |
| Agricultural Oval        | 30%                                     |
| Swimming Pool            | 30%                                     |
| Ord River Sports Club    | 24%                                     |
| Water Ski Club           | 16%                                     |
| Netball Courts           | 15%                                     |
| White Gum Park           | 13%                                     |
| Lake Kununurra Golf Club | 12%                                     |
| Race Club                | 10%                                     |
| Skate Park               | 10%                                     |
| Other                    | 24%                                     |

The most frequent “Other” response was boat ramps and water for sport and recreation. Respondents use these facilities for fishing and sight-seeing, but they want upgraded boat ramps and better access to the water.

## Features liked most and improvements in Kununurra

The survey asked, “What do you like about these facilities?” and “What, if anything, could be improved at these facilities?”

Features liked most included trees and shade, access to the water, scenery, a convenient location, wide open spaces, and a mix of activities and users at each site.

In terms of facility improvements, there were some key themes across all responses:

- Storage space. There is a general lack of storage space for community clubs and groups at facilities across the Shire.
- Clubrooms. Existing clubroom facilities are outdated and often lacking in capacity for women, umpires, and disabled groups.
- Shade. Residents requested better provision of shade and sun protection at nearly every facility in Kununurra.
- Toilets. Respondents indicated that toilets need upgrading /or inaccessible at several community parks and open spaces.
- Access to water. Kununurra residents want better access to rivers and waterways for land-based fishing and boating. They want upgraded boat ramps and easier access to the water.

The following table outlines what respondents liked and suggested improvements. The full range of comments is available in Appendix 2.

Table 3. Kununurra facilities, what is liked and suggested improvements

| Facility                | What is liked  | Improvements   |
|-------------------------|--|--|
| Celebrity Tree Park     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Green space</li> <li>• Shade</li> <li>• Walking trails</li> <li>• Playground</li> <li>• Proximity to river</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More water access</li> <li>• Better park upkeep</li> <li>• Install more seating and shade</li> <li>• Allow for more support facilities, e.g. BBQs, food vans</li> </ul>   |
| Swim Beach              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Open space</li> <li>• Opportunities for picnicking, dog walking, and swimming</li> </ul>                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Safer boat ramp area</li> <li>• Clearer demarcations to avoid mixing user-groups</li> <li>• Reticulated grass area for picnics</li> <li>• Upgraded playground</li> <li>• Upgraded toilets</li> <li>• General care for the area</li> </ul> |
| Leisure Centre          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central location</li> <li>• Gym affordability and after-hours access</li> <li>• Multiple sport offerings</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More floor space in the gym</li> <li>• Additional indoor courts</li> <li>• Upgrade to the squash courts</li> </ul>  |
| Town Oval               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central location</li> <li>• Playing surface</li> <li>• Lighting</li> <li>• Atmosphere at sport events</li> </ul>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support facilities apart from Sporties, e.g. changerooms, storage, water fountains</li> </ul>   |
| Agricultural Oval       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Standard of facility</li> <li>• Caters for multiple user groups</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clubrooms, toilets and water access, separate from the Magpies</li> <li>• Better shade</li> <li>• Issues with parking and road access</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Swimming Pool | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Central location</li> <li>• Various pool options for kids</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improved access at new facility</li> <li>• More shade at the new facility</li> </ul>  |
| Ord River Sports Club   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social community hub</li> <li>• Event space</li> <li>• Atmosphere at sport events</li> </ul>                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minor upgrades to the bar space</li> <li>• Better cleanliness around the venue</li> <li>• (space for change rooms separate to this facility)</li> </ul>   |

| Facility                           | What is liked   | Improvements   |
|------------------------------------|---|--|
| Water Ski Club                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community atmosphere</li> <li>Multi-purpose event space</li> </ul>                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgraded toilets</li> <li>Better weeding, e.g. cumbungi</li> </ul>  |
| Tennis, Basketball, Netball Courts | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central location</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Court lighting</li> <li>More shade</li> <li>Resurfacing the court to fix cracks</li> </ul>  |
| White Gum Park                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Varied and interesting events</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cleaner facility with less rubbish and broken glass</li> </ul>  |
| Lake Kununurra Golf Club           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scenic views</li> <li>Course layout</li> <li>Accessibility of the venue</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fully irrigated course</li> <li>Turf greens</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Race Club                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Well-maintained facility</li> <li>Good toilets and support facilities</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More Council support for the venue</li> <li>Upgrade the entry road</li> </ul>   |
| Skate Park                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Play space for children</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete upgrade due to poor condition</li> <li>Cleaner facility with less rubbish and broken glass</li> <li>More seating and more shade</li> </ul> |

### Facilities used regularly in Wyndham

The survey asked, “Which facilities do you use regularly in Kununurra or Wyndham?”

The most used venue in Wyndham was Clarrie Cassidy Oval, followed by the swimming pool, and the Ted Birch Youth and Recreation Centre.

The following table lists facilities used regularly in Wyndham.

Table 4. Facilities used regularly in Wyndham

| Facility                              | No. who use regularly |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Clarrie Cassidy Oval                  | 9                     |
| Wyndham Swimming Pool                 | 7                     |
| Ted Birch Youth and Recreation Centre | 3                     |
| Outdoor Basketball Court              | 2                     |
| Community Club                        | 2                     |
| Peter Reid Memorial Hall              | 2                     |

### Features liked most and improvements in Wyndham

The survey asked, “What do you like about these facilities?” and “What, if anything, could be improved at these facilities?”

Residents appreciated green space, shade, and a central location in town. In terms of facility improvements, they frequently suggested more shade, more air-conditioned indoor space, and more activity and facility options.

The following table outlines what residents liked and suggested improvements from survey respondents. The full range of comments is available in Appendix 2.

Table 5. Wyndham facilities, what is liked and suggested improvements

| Facility                              | What is liked  | Improvements suggested  |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|
| Clarrie Cassidy Oval                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Green space</li> <li>New changerooms</li> <li>Shade</li> <li>Atmosphere at sporting events</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better playground equipment</li> <li>More seating</li> <li>More shade</li> </ul>           |
| Swimming Pool                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central location</li> <li>Well-maintained</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Earlier opening hours</li> <li>More activities and classes</li> <li>More shade</li> </ul>  |
| Ted Birch Youth and Recreation Centre | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central location</li> <li>Covered for sport</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Courts other than basketball</li> </ul>  |
| Outdoor Basketball Court              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central location</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resurfacing of courts</li> <li>Re-installing the skate park</li> <li>More shade</li> </ul> |
| Community Club                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only social space for adults</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Longer opening hours</li> </ul>  |
| Peter Reid Memorial Hall              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central location</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fix acoustics for events</li> <li>Fix air-conditioning duration</li> </ul>                 |

## Feedback on events, attendance and improvements

The survey asked, “What events do you usually attend in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley?”

The most well attended events in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley are the Markets, followed by the Agricultural Show and the Ord Valley Muster. The responses are listed in the following table.

Table 6. Event attendees

| Event                           | % who attend |
|---------------------------------|--------------|
| Kununurra Markets               | 74%          |
| Kununurra Agricultural Show     | 72%          |
| Ord Valley Muster               | 62%          |
| Kununurra Picture Gardens       | 41%          |
| Kununurra Camp draft and Rodeo  | 41%          |
| Kununurra Races                 | 39%          |
| Taste of the Kimberley Festival | 29%          |
| Dam to Dam Dinghy Dash          | 28%          |
| Lake Argyle Swim                | 22%          |
| Kununurra Parkrun               | 21%          |
| Kimberley Writer’s Festival     | 12%          |
| Other                           | 26%          |



Other events mentioned were the Barra Bash (6), the Squash tournament (3), the Lake Argyle Adventure Race (2), sport grand finals (2), the Wyndham Picture Gardens (1), the Stars on the Bastion (1), the Wyndham Races (1), and the Munumburra Festival (1).

The survey asked, “What could be improved about these events, or the facilities that they use?”

The following table summarises the issues raised by residents regarding these events. A more detailed summary of comment by event is provided in Appendix 3.

Table 7. Summary of suggested improvements by event

| Event                       | Improvements in descending order of responses   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Kununurra Markets           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More variety/stalls/stall holders</li> <li>• Clean surrounds/broken glass/grass maintenance</li> <li>• More seating/spread out</li> <li>• More local stalls/ indigenous involvement</li> <li>• Encourage local businesses to attend</li> <li>• More parking</li> <li>• More food options</li> </ul>                    |
| Kununurra Agricultural Show | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More stalls/events</li> <li>• Great event</li> <li>• Reposition the main stage</li> <li>• Better toilets</li> <li>• Lower entry fee</li> <li>• More shade/undercover areas with seating</li> </ul>   |
| Ord Valley Muster           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More focus on locals/community engagement</li> <li>• Better bands/acts</li> <li>• Better disability access/more inclusive</li> <li>• Lower ticket prices/value for money</li> <li>• Move it back to the golf course</li> <li>• Run biannually</li> <li>• Better dates</li> <li>• Better/more secure parking</li> </ul> |

| Event                           | Improvements in descending order of responses   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Kununurra Picture Gardens       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Seating/bean bags and picnic tables</li> <li>• More grass/trees and shade</li> <li>• Great multipurpose facility</li> <li>• Upgrade facilities/important historical venue</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Camp draft and Rodeo  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Upgrade on the kitchen and bar/ including capacity</li> <li>• Music/DJ</li> <li>• Better/more toilets</li> <li>• More food options</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Races                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Shade/misters</li> <li>• Great event</li> <li>• More seating/more standing barrels</li> <li>• Timing earlier in year</li> <li>• Better support the club</li> <li>• Reduce prices</li> <li>• Other single responses: buses, toilets, stabling, new barriers, flatter ground, upgrade the bar and kitchen, fix the entry road</li> </ul> |
| Taste of the Kimberley Festival | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fabulous event!</li> <li>• More diverse exhibitors/vegetarian options</li> <li>• Spread out</li> <li>• More advertising</li> <li>• Too late in the year, too hot</li> </ul>  |
| Dam to Dam Dinghy Dash          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More access to the Upper Ord</li> <li>• More crowd engagement through the race</li> <li>• Better event set up and space</li> <li>• More facilities</li> <li>• Parking</li> <li>• Toilets are old</li> </ul>  |
| Lake Argyle Swim                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Upgrade boat ramp/launch</li> <li>• Access from finish line to resort</li> <li>• Better parking</li> <li>• Not much – good event</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Parkrun               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All single responses: more shade where they run, storage, 7am is too late in the day for most of the year, upgrade the loop so it can be run year-round</li> </ul>   |

| Event                       | Improvements in descending order of responses   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Kimberley Writer's Festival | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More workshop options</li> <li>• Library is great venue</li> </ul> |

### Priority event precinct

The survey asked, "Where would be the best place for a premier events space in Wyndham-East Kimberley? Please organise in order of priority"

Out of seven sites, Celebrity Tree Park was the preferred event space. It was followed by the Golf Club, Race Club and Swim Beach. The lowest ranked site were the Picture Gardens, Rotary Centenary Park, and White Gum Park. The results are detailed in the following table.

Table 8. Priority event precinct

| Facility                        | Responses; Priority | Ranking based on mean priority |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| Celebrity Tree Park             | 24                  | 1                              |
| Golf Club Kununurra             | 12                  | 2                              |
| Race Club, Kununurra            | 7                   | 7                              |
| Swim Beach, Kununurra           | 5                   | 3                              |
| Picture Gardens, Kununurra      | 4                   | 5                              |
| Rotary Centenary Park Kununurra | 2                   | 4                              |
| White Gum Park, Kununurra       | 2                   | 5                              |

### Other comments about events

The survey asked, "Do you have any further suggestions about events and their facilities?" The main comments were regarding:

- Better road maintenance and sealed road access
- More events in Wyndham, due to its rich history
- More music events, including traditional owners
- A need for indoor and air-conditioned spaces

- More boat ramps and well-maintained boat ramps, allowing for fishing tourism
- The Ag society oval being the best option for the events space
- The underutilisation of the golf club.

The comments are detailed in the following table.



Table 9. Other comments about events, by theme

| Themes   | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Sealed road access/better road maintenance                                   | 4                |
| More events in Wyndham, due to its rich history                              | 4                |
| More music events, including traditional owners                              | 2                |
| A need for indoor and air-conditioned spaces                                 | 2                |
| More boat ramps and well-maintained boat ramps, allowing for fishing tourism | 2                |
| The Agricultural society being the best option for the events space          | 2                |
| The underutilisation of the golf club  | 2                |
| Issues with transport to the race club                                       | 1                |
| Racetrack subject to damage  | 1                |
| Use water for Kununurra events   | 1                |
| Shire owned spaces   | 1                |
| Involve private enterprise in funding  | 1                |
| Improve swim beach   | 1                |
| Race club and rodeo grounds could be used more                               | 1                |
| Celebrity TP is not appropriate for large events                             | 1                |
| Celebrity TP is great other than transport noise                             | 1                |
| More indigenous inclusion  | 1                |
| Bookable system for courts and facilities                                    | 1                |
| More activities out of tourist season  | 1                |

### Additional facility priorities for Kununurra

The survey asked, “What additional sport or recreation facilities should be a priority in Kununurra, to serve the whole community, if funds become available?”

For Kununurra, the main comments were as follows, in descending order:

- Improve access to and around the water, particularly for fishing and boating facilities
- Untapped marketing and tourism potential of fishing
- Better maintenance of existing facilities, e.g. White Gum Skate Park
- A need for trees, vegetation, and shade
- A redesign of Swim Beach, with a better path
- Indoor/covered sporting facilities for the wet season
- More paths and off-road trails
- Better use stages and parks for events
- More fitness and swimming classes needed
- Consolidate and centralise facilities close to town
- Improve bins and waste collection at sporting facilities
- More affordable and inclusive facilities and clubs
- Expand the leisure centre and gym
- More storage for clubs
- More parking and signage at sporting facilities
- Careful use of funds and resources to avoid overspending

The main activities related to these comments, listed in descending order of responses, were:

- Fishing and boating, walk, cycle and run, music and arts, group fitness gym, Pilates, dance, yoga classes, and skate
- Other activities with single responses included indoor sports, BMX, basketball, outdoor gym, play, netball, pickleball, indoor table games, putt-putt golf and rollerblading.

### Other comments

These comments related to the following facility types, listed in descending order of responses:

- Waterways/boat ramps
- Leisure Centre
- Swim Beach
- Parks/green space/natural features
- Ovals
- Skate Park/White Gum Park
- Off-road trails
- Golf course (stage and putt putt)
- Basketball/netball courts
- Celebrity Tree Park
- Improved pool
- Outdoor gym facilities
- Playground

Other single responses included:

- BMX track
- Rifle range
- Outdoor amphitheatre
- Pool tables
- 50m pool

A detailed table of responses is available in Appendix 2.

### Additional facility priorities for Wyndham

The survey asked, “What additional sport or recreation facilities should be a priority in Wyndham, to serve the whole community, if funds become available?”

Wyndham respondents identified four types of facilities that should be a priority, listed in descending order of responses:

- A playground
- Public gym
- Water park
- Skate park

The key themes in the responses included:

- A need for baseline facilities to attract residents to live in Wyndham
- The need for shade to combat excessive heat
- Issues relating to crocodiles in the water, stray dogs, and vandalism



## Other comments

The survey asked, “Do you have any further comments or suggestions about sport and recreation facilities in the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley?”

These comments included:

- Providing more events in Wyndham
- Praise for the efforts of the Shire
- The need for more sealed roads
- More music events and traditional owners’ music
- Better access to boat ramps

The table of individual responses is provided below .

## Survey data tables

### Kununurra features liked most

#### Town Oval

Table 10. Features liked most, Town Oval

| Features liked most                                     | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| Oval is great/ good playing field                       | 3                |
| Green grass/ shade                                      | 3                |
| Location to town, central hub                           | 2                |
| Great atmosphere for footy/ambience                     | 2                |
| Views, he beautiful boabs and backdrop of Kelly's Knob. | 2                |
| Access /parking   | 2                |

#### Agricultural Oval

Table 11. Features liked most, Agricultural Oval

| Features liked most                    | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Maggies Club House/facilities          | 3                |
| Good venue for show/the show           | 2                |
| Multiple users, family friendly/ cheap | 2                |
| Presentation/well maintained           | 2                |
| Views                                  | 2                |
| Quiet location                         | 1                |
| Toilets                                | 1                |
| Nothing                                | 1                |
| Dog walking                            | 1                |

| Features liked most             | No. of responses |
|---------------------------------|------------------|
| Community grassroots management | 1                |
| Horse agistment                 | 1                |
| Oval is great                   | 1                |

#### Kununurra Tennis Courts

Table 12: Features liked most, Tennis Courts

| Features liked most | No. of responses |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Lots of room        | 1                |

#### Kununurra Netball Courts

Table 13. Features liked most, Netball Courts

| Features liked most  | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| They are big and popular                                   | 1                |
| Allows the opportunity for expanding netball participation | 1                |
| Nice, clean facilities with good lighting                  | 1                |
| Location   | 1                |

### Kununurra Leisure Centre

Table 14. Features liked most, Kununurra Leisure Centre

| Features liked most                                  | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Temperature controlled large space/ Air conditioning | 4                |
| Location/ease of access/convenient                   | 4                |
| Gym and pool   | 3                |
| Cheap/well priced gym/free events                    | 3                |
| Multiple users/family friendly                       | 2                |
| Clean  | 2                |
| Squash courts  | 2                |
| Splash Park  | 1                |
| Opening hours  | 1                |

### Celebrity Tree Park

Table 15. Features liked most, Celebrity Tree Park

| Features liked most                       | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| Trees/shade/green space                   | 11               |
| Location/views/proximity to the river     | 10               |
| Paths walking/dog walking                 | 6                |
| Multiple activities users/family friendly | 5                |
| Boat ramp/access to water                 | 3                |
| Gym and playground                        | 3                |
| Accessibility                             | 1                |

### Swim Beach

Table 16. Features liked most, Swim Beach

| Features liked most                 | No. of responses |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Location/ scenic and views          | 7                |
| Access to the water/river/boat ramp | 5                |
| Dog beach/dog walking               | 4                |
| Meet friends/family/multiple users  | 2                |
| Swimming                            | 2                |
| Clean/tidy                          | 2                |
| Running trails                      | 1                |
| Grass                               | 1                |

### Skate Park

Table 17. Features liked most, Skate Park

| Features liked most                              | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| New skate park needed                            | 1                |
| Kids always have a great time during the markets | 2                |
| Good we have one                                 | 1                |
| Shady  | 1                |
| BMX riding                                       | 1                |

### Kununurra Golf Course

Table 18. Features liked most, Kununurra Golf Course

| Features liked most  | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Easy access, convenient location   | 1                |
| Open area to safely walk dog and see native animals and birds                  | 1                |
| Sport of golf, family & friends events   | 1                |
| Cheap membership, low commitment, easy to play/use                             | 1                |
| It is a fantastic layout which should blend Hwy/Airport with Lake Kununurra    | 1                |
| The scenic views whilst playing, especially along the river front, holes 1 & 2 | 1                |

### Kununurra Race Club

Table 19. Features liked most, Kununurra Race Club

| Features liked most                       | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| Well maintained, shaded, clean, organised | 1                |
| Lots of bathroom facilities               | 1                |
| Tidy, pretty spot                         | 1                |
| Race club and rodeo                       | 1                |
| Stunning, cheap family friendly events    | 1                |
| Community grassroots management           | 1                |

### Kununurra Water Ski Club

Table 20. Features liked most, Kununurra Water Ski Club

| Features liked most   | No. of Responses |
|---|------------------|
| Access to river   | 1                |
| Location and purpose  | 1                |
| Excellent multi-purpose area  | 1                |
| Stunning, cheap family friendly events, community grassroots management | 1                |
| Beautiful location for a variety of activities                          | 1                |

### Ord River Sports Club

Table 21. Features liked most, Ord River Sports Club

| Features liked most   | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| Great location to watch footy and play indoor cricket (when there is a competition) | 3                |
| Great staff   | 2                |
| Friendly atmosphere   | 2                |
| Having a few different sports in one spot/ indoor cricket, bowls                    | 2                |
| Central location  | 1                |
| Fair priced drinks  | 1                |
| Playground  | 1                |
| Plenty of space   | 1                |

## Improvements suggested to events

### Kimberley Muster

Table 22. Suggested improvements, Kimberley Muster

| Suggested improvements                                      | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| More local focus/acts/community involvement                 | 6                |
| Better bands/acts   | 4                |
| Lower ticket prices/better value for money/seating capacity | 4                |
| Need disability access/more inclusive                       | 3                |
| Move back at the golf course                                | 3                |
| Need to run biannually/Main event has lost its sparkle      | 3                |
| Better dates/so do not compete with Darwin                  | 2                |
| Make more family friendly                                   | 2                |
| Parking/security of cars parked                             | 2                |
| A festival site on the water or views of elephant rock      | 1                |
| A portable commercial kitchen                               | 1                |
| More relevant acts at Moon to draw tourists                 | 1                |
| Less reliance on generators                                 | 1                |
| The lake needs cleaning                                     | 1                |

### Argyle Swim

Table 23. Suggested improvements, Argyle Swim

| Suggested improvements                    | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| Boat ramp/boat launch                     | 3                |
| Access from the finish line to the resort | 1                |
| Not much - good event                     | 1                |

### Agricultural Show

Table 24. Suggested improvements, Agricultural Show

| Suggested improvements                            | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| More stalls, events/music                         | 4                |
| Great event                                       | 4                |
| Main stage does not work- off to side/missed etc. | 3                |
| Toilets   | 2                |
| Lower entrance fees/Free entry for kids           | 2                |
| Reopening the school pavilion                     | 1                |
| Dates/ Moved away from NAIDOC week                | 1                |
| Public dump-point elsewhere                       | 1                |
| Additional parking outside fence                  | 1                |

*Campdraft/rodeo*

Table 25. Suggested Improvements, Campdraft/rodeo

| Suggested improvements   | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Upgrade on the kitchen and bar/ including capacity                   | 2                |
| Music/DJ   | 2                |
| Better/more toilets  | 2                |
| More food options  | 2                |
| Good event/facility  | 2                |
| Safer  | 1                |
| Banners in town  | 1                |
| Moving food trucks to allow for more easy access into area when full | 1                |
| The road in  | 1                |
| Better lighting in arena   | 1                |

*Kununurra Market*

Table 26. Suggested Improvements, Kununurra Market

| Suggested improvements                         | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| More variety/stalls/stall holders              | 11               |
| Clean surrounds/broken glass/grass maintenance | 4                |
| More seating/spread out                        | 3                |
| More local stalls/indigenous involvement       | 2                |
| Encourage local businesses to attend           | 2                |
| More parking                                   | 2                |
| More food options                              | 2                |
| Lower fee                                      | 1                |
| Longer season                                  | 1                |
| Toilets  | 1                |

### Kununurra Races

Table 27. Suggested Improvements, Kununurra Races

| Suggested improvements             | No. of responses |
|------------------------------------|------------------|
| Shade/misters                      | 3                |
| Great event                        | 2                |
| More seating/more standing barrels | 2                |
| Timing earlier in year             | 2                |
| Buses                              | 1                |
| More toilets                       | 1                |
| Stabling, new barriers             | 1                |
| Upgrade the bar and kitchen        | 1                |
| Better support the club            | 1                |
| Fix road in                        | 1                |
| Reduce prices                      | 1                |
| Flatter ground                     | 1                |

### Dam to Dam Dinghy Dash

Table 28. Suggested Improvements, Dam to Dam Dinghy Dash

| Suggested improvements   | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| More access to the Upper Ord                                   | 1                |
| More crowd engagement through the race                         | 1                |
| Prickles can sometimes get out of control at back near toilets | 1                |
| Better event set up and space, more facilities                 | 1                |
| Parking  | 1                |
| Toilets are old  | 1                |

### Kununurra Picture Gardens

Table 29.. Suggested Improvements, Kununurra Picture Gardens

| Suggested improvements  | No. of responses |
|---|------------------|
| Seating /Bean bags and picnic tables                                | 4                |
| More grass/Trees and shade  | 3                |
| It is a great multipurpose facility/ Nothing, love it the way it is | 2                |
| Better toilets  | 2                |
| Upgrade important historical venue                                  | 2                |
| Parking outside the fence for long vehicles shopping in town        | 1                |
| More ambiance   | 1                |
| Move light in chestnut that shines under the screen                 | 1                |
| Food vans/food options  | 1                |
| More/better films   | 1                |

### General comments made about recreation and events

Table 30. General comments regarding SWEK recreation and events

| General comments   | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Wyndham has been forgotten/needs more facilities/as a place of equal opportunity to Kununurra/ Hold some events in Wyndham-rich history/need support etc., | 9                |
| Shire does pretty well. Great to see the upgrades  | 4                |
| Pleased to be asked  | 4                |
| Sealed road access/better road maintenance   | 3                |
| More music events/traditional owners music   | 2                |

| General comments   | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Indoor/air conditioned spaces                              | 2                |
| More/maintained boat ramp access/ fishing tourism          | 2                |
| Ag society best events space                               | 2                |
| Golf club underutilised                                    | 2                |
| Events cost too much                                       | 1                |
| Transport to race club is major issue                      | 1                |
| Racetrack subject to damage                                | 1                |
| Face the lake/Use water from for events in K               | 1                |
| Shire owned spaces   | 1                |
| Involve private enterprise in funding                      | 1                |
| Improve swim beach   | 1                |
| Race club, Rodeo grounds could be used more                | 1                |
| Celebrity Tree Park is not an appropriate for large events | 1                |
| Celeb Tree Park is great other than the transport noise    | 1                |
| More indigenous inclusion                                  | 1                |
| Bookable system for courts etc.,                           | 1                |
| More activities out of tourist seas                        | 1                |
| Vandalism ruins some sport and recreation activities.      | 1                |
| Call for donations at camp sites                           | 1                |
| Speedway incredible facility run by volunteers             | 1                |
| Need to keep gravel roads maintained                       | 1                |
| Fishing community and tourism                              | 1                |

| General comments   | No. of responses |
|--|------------------|
| Events too exclusive, expensive and difficult to attend                                  | 1                |
| Better placed rubbish bins and recycling   | 1                |
| More family friendly free events and open spaces   | 1                |
| Verge trees, walk trails pathways/lit paths  | 1                |
| Indigenous history signage   | 1                |
| We can only sustain so much with the high cost of vandalism & upkeep to everything       | 1                |
| Better facilities at race club and swim beach  | 1                |
| Squash courts need upgrading   | 1                |
| Gym station at Celebrity Tree Park should not be used for Maria's boot camp.             | 1                |
| Other areas could probably do with the focus funds/prior to these areas                  | 1                |
| Netball courts need resurfacing  | 1                |
| Assist with management/governance of volunteers  | 1                |
| Protect Upper Ord as free of crocs   | 1                |
| Leave golf as is   | 1                |
| Gym for Wyndham  | 1                |
| We need more facilities but how do we make it fair for operators who are not subsidised? | 1                |
| Transport to service sports in Wyndham   | 1                |

### About the survey sample

Eighty-two residents from the Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley completed an online survey. Of these respondents, 53 provided demographic information. The highest proportion of respondents by five-year age cohort was in the 45-49 age group, slightly older than the population where the highest proportion is in the 30-34 age group.

Table 31. Age of survey respondents

| Age group   | % Respondents | % of SWEK population |
|-------------|---------------|----------------------|
| 9-14 years  | 0%            | 7.5                  |
| 15-19 years | 0%            | 5.3                  |
| 20-24 years | 0%            | 6.2                  |
| 25-29 years | 5.66          | 8.2                  |
| 30-34 years | 18.87         | 9.2                  |
| 35-39 years | 13.21         | 8.1                  |
| 40-44 years | 13.21         | 6.6                  |
| 45-49 years | 20.75         | 6.5                  |
| 50-54 years | 11.32         | 7.2                  |
| 55-59 years | 9.43          | 6.1                  |
| 60-64 years | 3.77          | 5.8                  |
| 65-69 years | 1.89          | 3.5                  |
| 70-74 years | 0             | 2.0                  |
| 75-79 years | 1.89          | 1.3                  |
| 80+ years   | 0             | 0.5                  |

Table 32. Locality of survey respondents

| Locality  | Number of Respondents | % Respondents |
|-----------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Kununurra | 42                    | 79.25%        |
| Wyndham   | 9                     | 16.98%        |
| Other     | 2                     | 3.77%         |

Table 33. Length of residency of survey respondents

| Length of residency | Number of Respondents | % Respondents |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------|
| Less than one year  | 1                     | 1.89%         |
| One to four years   | 15                    | 28.30%        |
| Five or more years  | 37                    | 69.81%        |

More females than males answered the survey, which is common, however a much higher percentage than for the population.

Table 34. Gender of survey respondents

| Gender                  | % Respondents | % of SWEK population |
|-------------------------|---------------|----------------------|
| Man                     | 28.30%        | 49.5%                |
| Woman                   | 66.04%        | 50.5%                |
| Non-binary              | 0%            | 0%                   |
| Prefer to self-describe | 5.66%         |                      |



### Appendix 3. Interviews with user groups and stakeholders

#### Participation trends

A wide range of stakeholders, clubs, program providers, and user groups were contacted during this project. A number were not able to respond in the time available.

Stakeholders were interviewed surrounding their membership and participation data (see projected participation), their recent trends, their facility needs, and their administrative issues. These responses are summarised in the following tables.

The key trends are that sports face high levels of competition due to everyone playing during the dry season. They are often unable to meet demand due to a shortage of coaches, officials, and volunteers. These trends are summarised in the following table.

Table 35. Participation trends raised by clubs and associations

| Stakeholder                     | Participation trends   |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Kununurra Crocs Swim Club       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participation is down from 2-3 years ago with 95 members prior to pool redevelopment, but way up on 6-7 years ago.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Gymnastics Club       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Struggled with lack of finances during COVID, which has limited their operations.</li> <li>They are at capacity with coaches and programs, so they have waiting lists.</li> <li>Hoping to take on more coaches and run more sessions soon.</li> </ul> |
| East Kimberley Football League  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They restructured this year into a smaller league, with five teams to reduce travel times.</li> <li>The men’s numbers have been consistently strong, while the women’s numbers can fluctuate and struggle.</li> </ul>                                 |
| Ord River Magpies Football Club | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Stable participation for the men’s team</li> </ul>  |

| Stakeholder                                | Participation trends   |
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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The women’s competition has struggled since COVID with forfeits and teams dropping out. This is mainly due to the popularity of netball.</li> </ul>                       |
| Kununurra Junior Football Assoc. & Auskick | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The numbers of teams and players has remained stable.</li> </ul>  |
| Waringarri Crows Football Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New changerooms are needed at the Town Oval to include females.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Demons Football Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have developed a women’s senior team</li> </ul>   |
| Wyndham Crocs Football Club                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Their men’s numbers are down, but their women’s numbers are growing.</li> <li>Auskick comes and goes depending on the number of kids and available volunteers.</li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Junior Soccer Association        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The club has grown from nothing to full capacity in seven years. They are forced to turn away players.</li> </ul>   |
| Ord River Paddlers                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They are challenged with long-term members leaving</li> <li>Their marathon entries are as strong as ever.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Netball Assoc.                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Their numbers are stable, but they have not reached pre-COVID levels.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Junior Cricket Association       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No operating since COVID.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Basketball Assoc.                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Healthy numbers, but they fluctuate season-to-season, particularly on whether Wyndham provide any teams.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Tennis Club                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lower membership numbers than ten years ago, but increased popularity for lessons and social tennis.</li> </ul>   |

| Stakeholder                          | Participation trends   |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| WA AFL Commission                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They restructured this year into a smaller league, with five teams to reduce travel times.</li> <li>• The men’s numbers have been consistently strong, while the women’s numbers can fluctuate and struggle.</li> </ul> |
| Lake Kununurra Golf Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They are rebuilding following a loss of funds during COVID.</li> <li>• The membership has remained largely the same.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Warriors Boxing Club       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Established in 2021, with a steady number of participants.</li> <li>• They offer as many classes as they can, but they are not always full.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Water Ski Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Growing since 2019 with 146 members. At capacity given the number of volunteers required to run programs and classes. Venue size can manage greater capacity</li> </ul>   |
| Ord River Sports Club (Sporties)     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consistent participation numbers for lawn bowls since replacement of synthetic grass – 40 Tuesdays and 32 Thursdays</li> <li>• Indoor cricket court is currently under repair</li> </ul>                                |
| Kununurra Campdraft and Rodeo Assoc. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They are growing, despite a dent from COVID. Their events are well-attended.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Moto-X Club                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They have been struggling since 2019, with less events and less senior riders.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Race Club                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Two race meetings per year with 7 races each totalling 42-44 horses in 2024. An increase from 2023 where there was one less race and a total of 31-34 horses competing</li> </ul>                                       |
| Kununurra Agricultural Society       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In 2022 there were 6,900 attendees at the Show. An increase from previous years that were affected by border closures</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Squash Club                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sixty six current members and 15 reserves. Fluctuates across the 3 seasons of the year. Competitions run year-round</li> </ul>  |
| Wyndham Community Club               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Up to 32 participate in darts and 16 for indoor cricket</li> </ul>  |

### Facility issues and potential upgrades

Items raised by stakeholders and user groups about recent developments and facility needs are provided in the following table.

Table 36. Reported facility issues and suggested upgrades

| Stakeholder                     | Developments   | Facility needs  |
|---------------------------------|--|---|
| Kununurra Crocs Swim Club       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The pool is being redeveloped.</li> <li>• New 50m pool provides opportunity for regional swimming carnival to be shared between Darwin and Katherine that has economic benefits to town.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nil.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Gymnastics Club       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Moved their dance classes to the Kununurra Neighbourhood House following issues with the squash club.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More storage at the Leisure Centre would mean less volunteer labour needed for pack-in and pack-out.</li> <li>• More spaces at the leisure centre so they can run all their offerings, e.g. program room.</li> </ul>                         |
| East Kimberley Football League  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nil.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Agricultural Oval needs better change rooms.</li> <li>• The Town Oval needs new changerooms and a lighting upgrade.</li> <li>• The Town Oval could do with a sports office for administrative needs and scoreboard operation.</li> </ul> |
| Ord River Magpies Football Club | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nil.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The changerooms at the Agricultural Oval need to be redeveloped, particularly to allow for female players.</li> </ul>  |



| Stakeholder                                | Developments   | Facility needs   |
|--|--|--|
| Kununurra Junior Football Assoc. & Auskick | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They are trying to self-fund a storage container on the Agricultural Oval so that they do not have to rely on the Magpies.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New storage space for junior football at the Town Oval.</li> <li>Standalone toilets and changerooms at the Town Oval.</li> <li>New changerooms at the Agricultural Oval.</li> </ul>   |
| Waringarri Crows Football Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Four changes rooms needed for home and away men's and women's teams. They play on the same day.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Demons Football Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Four changes rooms needed for home and away men's and women's teams. They play on the same day.</li> <li>Social space – cannot afford to always hire Sporties.</li> <li>Storage.</li> <li>Improved playing lights.</li> </ul> |
| Wyndham Crocs Football Club                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New lights – best in the Kimberley.</li> <li>New changerooms.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved playing surface that drains better preseason.</li> <li>Social space.</li> <li>Trees and shade.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Junior Soccer Association        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bigger storage at the Agricultural Oval.</li> <li>Better maintenance schedule to ensure pitches are mowed.</li> </ul>   |
| Ord River Paddlers                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They have recently moved to a new location on the river.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Power to the site.</li> <li>The entry road is impassable in wet season.</li> <li>Storage for boats.</li> <li>They do not have their own toilets but share with the Rodeo.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Race Club                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They have plans to build a function room, with a bar and kitchen.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade stables and build 14 more.</li> <li>Upgrade the jockey's room.</li> <li>Upgrade the power.</li> <li>Upgrade the internet.</li> </ul>  |

| Stakeholder                      | Developments  | Facility needs  |
|----------------------------------|---|---|
|                                  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The entry road is impassable in wet season.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Netball Association    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Council has recently put in a car park.</li> <li>The lines have been re-marked.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resurface courts due to cracking.</li> <li>Cover courts for sun protection.</li> <li>Improve lighting for safety.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Junior Cricket Assoc.  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Defunct since COVID.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade nets at the Town Oval (in disrepair).</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Basketball Association | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better changerooms, toilets, and access to water, potentially shared with the PCYC.</li> <li>Cover courts for sun protection.</li> <li>Resurfacing of courts</li> <li>More indoor courts at the Leisure Centre.</li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Tennis Club            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cover courts for sun protection.</li> <li>Resurfacing of courts.</li> </ul>  |
| WA AFL Commission                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wyndham Oval lighting and change rooms</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shared women's facilities at Town Oval.</li> <li>Separate Sporties from the sporting functions of the oval.</li> <li>Light upgrades at both the Agricultural Oval and the Town Oval.</li> </ul>                            |
| Lake Kununurra Golf Club         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Looking at installing sound panelling to improve the acoustics in their clubroom.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the Shire takes some land for redevelopment, they will have to redesign the course.</li> <li>Proper irrigation and maintenance for full grass greens.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Warriors Boxing Club   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Picture Gardens are likely to put in a grant to replace the</li> </ul>                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A new shed with space for an on-site boxing ring, and walls that can have equipment mounted on them.</li> </ul>  |



| Stakeholder                                | Developments  | Facility needs  |
|--|---|---|
|  | wooden floorboards.   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alternatively, a community indoor space for various non-profit sports.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Water Ski Club                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collaborating with Council on upgrading toilets but costing came back higher than expected.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade to three-phase power, reducing the need for generators.</li> </ul>   |
| Ord River Sports Club                      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Synthetic bowls green installed in September 2021</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Install a roof cover for shade, and to protect the bowls green from damage.</li> <li>A toilet closer to the bowls green.</li> <li>More storage.</li> </ul>                   |
| Kununurra Camp draft and Rodeo Association | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recently updated the bar and created more green turf.</li> </ul>                                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade to power to allow for events and camping.</li> <li>Improve entry road.</li> </ul>  |
| Ord Valley Muster/Kimberley Moon Festival  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Power access at Celebrity Tree Park.</li> <li>Toilets at Celebrity Tree Park.</li> <li>Portable event facilities like stage, kitchen, and waste.</li> </ul>                  |
| East Kimberley College                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Access to toilets/change at the Agricultural Oval.</li> <li>Upgrade air-conditioning at the Leisure Centre.</li> <li>A second indoor court at the leisure centre.</li> </ul> |
| Lifestyle Solutions                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor programs space in Wyndham.</li> <li>Cover the basketball court in Wyndham.</li> <li>A fence to separate the small pool and the main pool in Wyndham.</li> </ul>       |
| Wyndham Youth                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Renew the Lion's Park BMX track and playground.</li> </ul>   |

| Stakeholder              | Developments   | Facility needs   |
|--------------------------|--|--|
| Aboriginal Corporation   |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consolidate the Ted Birch Centre and the swimming pool.</li> <li>Upgrade power and air conditioning at the Peter Reid Memorial Hall.</li> </ul>   |
| Garnduwa Amboorny Wirnan | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Additional indoor court at the Leisure Centre, with air-conditioning.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Moto-X Club    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They need to undertake track repairs to their back tracks.</li> </ul>   |
| SWEK Youth Officer       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade lighting at the Wyndham outdoor basketball court.</li> <li>Water fountain for outdoor court users.</li> <li>Install CCTV cameras to deter vandalism and break-ins viewable by centre staff.</li> <li>Indoor gym.</li> <li>Skate park - covered and water park.</li> </ul> |

## Administration and club management

Issues raised by stakeholders and user groups about general administration, partnerships, and club management are provided in the following table.

Table 37. Reported administrative issues

| Stakeholder                                | Administration issues  |
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| Kununurra Crocs Swim Club                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Distance to compete against other clubs.</li> <li>Affiliated with NT swimming despite being in WA.</li> <li>Securing qualified coaches to comply with state requirements and insurance.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Gymnastics Club                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Expensive hire of the Kununurra Leisure Centre.</li> <li>Lack of qualified teachers, particularly for boys.</li> <li>More support from the Council/Leisure Centre to facilitate programs and make the club sustainable.</li> </ul>  |
| East Kimberley Football League             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No space at the Town Oval for administration, or umpire safety.</li> <li>They need assistance to maintain or upgrade the electronic scoreboards.</li> </ul>   |
| Ord River Magpies Football Club            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of volunteers, and a wider volunteer culture.</li> <li>Confusion around their MOU with Council. They want more transparency surrounding their costs.</li> </ul>  |
| Waringarri Crows Football Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited access to Sporties facilities limits fundraising options.</li> <li>Lack of volunteers.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Demons Football Club             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>League administration – no guidance on funding. Player registration follow-up pre finals was slow.</li> <li>They are forced to turn away children who cannot produce the \$100 registration fee.</li> <li>Limited access to Sporties facilities limits fundraising options.</li> <li>Senior clubs do not get registration fees for junior players.</li> <li>Lack of volunteers.</li> <li>Disconnect between Council, Sporties, and Club.</li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Junior Football Assoc. & Auskick | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Transition between junior and senior football is difficult because there is only one league and level of competition.</li> <li>Clubs struggle with a lack of volunteers, and a wider volunteer culture.</li> </ul>  |

| Stakeholder                         | Administration issues  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Wyndham Crocs Football Club         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of volunteers.</li> <li>Lack of male players.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Junior Soccer Association | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They struggle to provide representative pathways due to prohibitive travel costs. They need a funding stream to access these opportunities.</li> <li>Ensure that mowing and maintenance is correctly scheduled around their bookings.</li> </ul>  |
| Ord River Paddlers                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Public liability issues with other private boats using there launching for mooring.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Race Club                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of volunteers.</li> <li>Racing schedule designed by Racing WA competes with races in Broome/Darwin.</li> <li>Need to attract more large regular events.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Basketball Association    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of volunteers and committee members, particularly in term 4.</li> <li>Struggle to deal with disciplinary issues, particularly as they only have neutral referees for finals.</li> <li>They run a half/half system with PlayHQ and pen and paper, due to bad internet and mixed community uptake. Players get pushed away by mandatory fees.</li> <li>No support from basketball governing bodies. Kimberley manager currently vacant.</li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Tennis Club               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A lack of time and resources to prepare and submit grant applications.</li> </ul>   |
| WA AFL Commission                   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of volunteers at some clubs.</li> <li>Lack of facilities (e.g. canteen) for clubs to raise funds.</li> </ul>   |
| Lake Kununurra Golf Club            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not enough funds to provide a full-time course manager.</li> <li>Consideration of a hotel that will impact golf course land and layout.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Warriors Boxing Club      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They try to partner with other community groups, but staff turnover is high, and programs fall apart quickly.</li> <li>Lower costs for community groups to hire facilities.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Water Ski Club            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of volunteers.</li> </ul>  |



| Stakeholder                   | Administration issues   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Ord River Sports Club - Bowls | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lack of volunteers to extend numbers of nights or provide a wet season competition for Bowls.</li></ul>   |
| Lifestyle Solutions           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lack of volunteers to run programs.</li><li>• Lack of staff to take in children, and a lack of available houses.</li></ul>  |
| Kununurra Moto-X Club         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Struggling to comply with new and comprehensive requirements from Motocross WA, considering leaving the governing body.</li><li>• Lack of understanding of regional issues from governing bodies.</li><li>• Expensive to get external coaches to travel and facilitate clinics.</li></ul> |

## Appendix 4. Issues raised by Council staff and elected members by theme

The interviews and workshops held with staff and Councillors are provided under themes, issues and opportunities in the table following.

Table 38. Issues and opportunities raised by staff

| Theme               | Issues and opportunities   |
|---------------------|--|
| Events              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need for cultural and social spaces accessible and covered</li> <li>Lack of easy access to lake, limits events - Lake Argyle Swim, Dam to Dam</li> <li>Events of varied sizes have different requirements – can be served by portable staging, kitchen and toilets</li> <li>Lack venue with commercial kitchen for larger community events</li> <li>Caravan Park/camping overflow area required at peak times.</li> </ul> |
| Sports development  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Affiliation requirements to state sports bodies when nearest support and competition is in NT</li> <li>No state funding for Club Development Officer</li> <li>Covered basketball/netball/tennis courts could extend playing season</li> </ul>   |
| Celebrity Tree Park | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development of All Abilities Play space</li> <li>Requires toilet block development and accessibility</li> <li>Requires power upgrade and outlets</li> <li>Grey water disposal points</li> <li>Improve visual connection to water</li> <li>Concert noise potential concern</li> <li>Walkable site for many towns people</li> </ul>   |
| Racecourse          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Road access</li> <li>Distance from town</li> <li>Changes to racing calendar</li> <li>Facilities required for events – stage, ablutions, kitchen, cold storage, sewage management</li> <li>Host music events without no noise concerns</li> <li>Potential for other horse events – polo crosse, pony club, equestrian</li> </ul>   |

| Theme                            | Issues and opportunities  |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Fishing and boating              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Infrastructure improvements for fishing including upgrading boat ramps.</li> <li>Provide opportunities for beginner fishers.</li> <li>Continuation of restocking program for Lake</li> <li>Water Corporation controls access at some points</li> </ul>   |
| Resourcing and funding           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Importance of strong grants writing</li> <li>Lack of road funding</li> <li>Application to Disaster Ready Funding for Leisure Centre</li> <li>Removing weed in Lake restricted by lack of funding</li> </ul>  |
| Asset management                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reactive to asset repair rather than management through better planning</li> </ul>   |
| Trees and shade                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Trees often get pulled from the budget because of inadequate budgets to complete facilities</li> <li>If large trees are planted just before the wet season, they have more time to establish</li> <li>African Mahoganies not suitable -require regular maintenance for safety</li> <li>List of suitable tree species for region that provides shade is required</li> </ul> |
| Leisure Centre and surrounds     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade as an evacuation centre – 300 people. Include second court, kitchen, playground climbing wall. Expand storage</li> <li>Drain line/water course issue near tennis courts and leisure centre</li> <li>Gym needs expanding</li> </ul>   |
| Support facilities for the ovals | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No access to leased buildings when oval/s are hired out</li> <li>Lack of community meeting space and shared spaces</li> <li>10-year leases of key sporting assets, need reworking to suit sports clubs and community groups.</li> </ul>  |
| Wyndham redevelopment            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consolidate infrastructure.</li> <li>Develop Ted Birch Centre as an evacuation centre. Include indoor 24/7 gym</li> <li>Lack of volunteers and chef at Wyndham Community Club.</li> </ul>  |

| Theme | Issues and opportunities   |
|-------|--|
|       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Port upgrade. Playground, water park, outdoor gym, pump track</li> <li>• Programs limited by lack of indoor space due to hot weather or rain.</li> <li>• Lack of free all-weather active spaces facilities for youth</li> </ul> |
| Power | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Power capacity upgrade required at racecourse and Celebrity Tree Park</li> <li>• No power at speedway</li> </ul>  |
| Other | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Managing alcohol related activities and club fundraising endeavours</li> <li>• Direct flights from Melbourne and tourism impact</li> </ul>  |

## Councillor workshop meeting notes

### Agenda

1. Introduction to the project
2. Development proposals at key facilities?
3. Events?
4. Funding and resourcing?
5. Other issues?
6. Next steps

### Kununurra Town Oval

- Lights at end of life. Ord River Sports Club – role etc., new change rooms needed. Town Oval is the primary oval. Central user infrastructure. Investment into the primary oval – better return.
- Fix Indoor cricket. Lease boundary issues. Could have a good, combined community space and meeting rooms. Sport is really a connector – but need to have a good committee – good resources – different sports need storage, social space, parking etc., playground accessible. Create a nice space to play, to be and more welcoming, to go to afterwards and meet. Help with social connections, encourage people to linger. More community feel the bigger it is.
- Should be signalling with lease holder that next lease will include requirements for wider community use of amenities.
- Should consider adding greater community use to existing lease
- Darwin / Broome – provide central change and canteen facility (Do we get rid of roads and make park as a central facility. design as a whole precinct).
- Could put courts on the other side of leisure centre. Side of town oval?
- Could include lawn bowls. Want a roof.

### Kununurra Agricultural Oval

- Orientation of the Ag oval – runs the wrong way. Lack of change facilities.
- Need for more multi use spaces.
- Council needs some community facilities there for events etc., High informal use too due to caravan park.
- Soccer do not have access to change etc., Footy club not willing to grant access to toilet even for events etc.
- Interschool cross country/athletics important there.

### Kununurra Outdoor Basketball/Netball

#### Courts

- No commercial kitchen and change rooms for Netball- want to have these for carnivals – limiting opportunities. Possibility of co share with the tennis. Is this the preferred locations for courts?
- Foreshore development plan includes courts there.
- Parking ad hoc – poor traffic flow. Drive over the curb etc. lack shade. More vibrant when in central spaces – the more we put in the better.
- What sports would be supported?
- Need diversity of opportunities – for all ages etc., what can older adult and preschoolers do?
- Move PCYC??

#### Events

- Celebrity Tree Park: get started by creating walkable access to and around the lake. Support for markets. Consider small stage lagoon beach. Muster brings lights in – nothing really lit?
- Was a stage at the Golf course. Three phase electricity. Not much space with trees. For viability – want events in town so you can see it.

### Kununurra Race Club

- Plans to develop club rooms. Donovan Payne Architects to do concepts for the whole precinct. Race club needs new bar and kitchen 2 storeys. Community hub – core events etc., Has had youth facilities built adjacent- not finished. stock handling on same road. will eventually leave. Unsealed road is an issue, as is power.
- Racing impacted by Racing WA - clashes with Broome.
- Reached out to Glen - but no response re river swim etc.,

### Swim Beach

- Dogs and park run out there. Grassy area and water access, natural sandstone seating – drop sand there for a beach. Beautiful having more sandy beach entry, protected beach, empties once a year.

### Diversity and capacity of sports

- Indoor cricket good to have something in the wet season. Has a stand-alone committee – is in process of recarpeting at Town Oval. Struggled to get a full team.
- Reason why do not have a basketball competition – all want to play footy then do not have time for basketball during dry season – Another indoor court would help grow basketball for wet season competition and better link age with outdoor courts.
- The only sports you can play in the wet season are squash and bowls.
- Leisure Centre upgrade, needs to be a staged approach

### Golf Course

- Reticulation, free water from corporation – hotel development proposed?
- Club not big enough to make viable. Is played all year. Is viable on main road.

- Residential development, around. Need to go to grass greens to attract new members.
- Important club development officer role.

## Wyndham

Are there key facilities where developments should be a priority for Council?  
Yes.

- Wyndham Oval (Clarrie Cassidy Oval), Community Club and pool sites.
- Eight sites to look at.
- New change rooms and lights are great – surge in participation. Storage shed also helped. Water extremely expensive in Wyndham – good quality water is needed.
- Indoor cricket out at the community club. Very strong in Wyndham. Very social – lighting an issue, building needs to be looked at. is it in the right location?
- Build a new facility near oval or a caravan park for all the community. Same people on the club. Say it should be here – because it has always been. Someone has to be a driver of change.
- Wyndham Swimming Pool; add splash park at the pool. Small scale. Community very keen on a playground.
- Wyndham Race club is dead.
- Road need drainage - 5 years of woes – to make the drive safer.
- Used to do billy cart race and para gliding etc.,
- Ted Birch Youth and Recreation Centre key focus area.

## Wyndham outdoor basketball court

- Want indoor and other courts.
- New skate park proposed. Had some moveable items. Tony was to do some concepts for Wyndham – outdoor fitness and skate park. Will seek Lotteries West by end of the month. Tender? At another north end of Ted Birch Centre -in vacant block.

## Fishing

- Liveability - needs to be a big reason for investment. Fishing part of that.
- Need to have functions – no club rooms for these.
- Boat ramps are a part of activation.
- Pub / fish and shop. Commercial options can add to that - close to the Wyndham port. Shop would work there in tourist season.
- Could do a zip line, downhill mountain bike trails.
- Jetty and good safe boat entries essential.

## Events

What would make them more sustainable?

- More permanent/or portable ablutions, power. Sharing of these sites is an issue. Could but some regional councils have issues
- Staging. Portable modular stage required. Question about the stage at the golf course.
- Staff checked and is ok – just not where events need it. Engineered.
- Fishing competition at the Ski Club - traffic management major issue needs to be resolved or move the fishing to somewhere else?
- Transportable commercial kitchen at Race club? Job pathways had a commercial kitchen.

## Funding and resourcing?



- What opportunities exist to provide more resources for development or management of recreation facilities?
- It is about shared human capacity - help for community groups re governance. Partnership office – leverage officers. Look for the commonality that may fit, syncing is core business for us in making those linkages. Sport development role key.
- With the muster – for example – a role have you can make it work. Sharing of information.
- The need to provide 50/50 contributions + remote capital penalty costs prohibitive. Difficult to get the 50%.
- Community cohesiveness- so important. Making sure facilities build strong communities. Free facilities, in the shade.
- Strong cultural heart; fishing, rodeos – more equal participation.
- Spaces which are inclusive of all ages / abilities. Where everyone feels welcome – boat ramps etc., (Playgroups – all Anglo).

#### Other issues:

- Are there any other issues we need to consider in this strategy?
- How are we doing? Performance indicators and community measures of growth are needed. These need to be built into the strategy. Are critical in the plan. May be annual and mid-term.
- What are the criteria for success?
- A club development officer needed and could be required to collect and evaluate data.
- Motocross must take portable lights to the track.

## Appendix 5. Comments made by the community related to the key strategy themes

### Fishing and boating

Key points raised about this issue in the community and stakeholder engagement included the following:

- There is no land recreational fishing, based in spots in town, the dam wall was cut off and locals went there every day.
- The lake has no access to fishing land based; all locals would be able to fish the lake if you made spots to fish.
- Swim Beach has signs saying no fishing, which there are a million barramundi.
- No one really marketing it which we should there are 30000 recreational fishers right next door to us in the NT. They would flock if the facilities were better, and the local business would benefit as well
- Improve access to and around the water, particularly for fishing and boating facilities (was the main priority identified in the survey)
- More boat ramps and well-maintained boat ramps, allowing for fishing tourism
- Maintain Mambi boat ramp. Fishing is massive tourism in Kununurra
- Use the water in Kununurra events
- Upgrade boat ramp and fish cleaning facilities and toilets at these locations
- Consider moving the boat ramp out of the main swimming activity area at Swim Beach
- Improvements suggested by the community survey were safer boat ramp area at Swim Beach
- More access to the Upper Ord re Dam to Dam Dingy dash.
- Upgrade boat ramp/launch for the Argyle Swim, and access from finish line to the resort.
- The Ord River paddlers identified the need for power to their site, that the entry road is impassable in the wet season, and there is a need for storage for boats, and better access to toilets.
- Tidy up theoretical Ord boat ramp area, include signs so visitors do not park vans across boat ramp area.
- No lower Ord boat ramps or roads maintained past Buttons camp. Fishers risks fines for fishing lower Ord in runoff, even when roads are not maintained.
- Have a weed removal programme (belly ache bus, noogoora burr).
- Maintain Parry Creek Road and Valentines Road. Also put effort into Ivanhoe Crossing - fix potholes, access to crossing, signals simpler to stop people parking on the crossing - needs to be policed to prevent conflicts. It is the only alternative roadway to Kununurra and popular for fishing and visitors.

## Access to affordable and inclusive sports and recreation opportunities

Key points raised about this issue in the community and stakeholder engagement included the following:

- Kununurra Swimming Pool. Better access for older residents .... hours of opening, disabled access.
- Easy and clean access to water areas
- More accessible indoor facilities for wheelchair users.
- Women's change rooms at the Maggies clubhouse would increase inclusion for women's sport.
- Strong cultural heart; fishing, rodeos – more equal participation.
- Spaces which are inclusive of all ages / abilities.
- Where everyone feels welcome – boat ramps etc., (Playgroups – all Anglo).
- Ord Muster; Better disability access/more inclusive
- More indigenous inclusion in events.
- Events too exclusive, expensive and difficult to attend.
- Upgrades to the walk paths along Lily Creek lagoon to make them more family/mobility friendly (for people with prams/walking frames etc).
- More affordable and inclusive facilities and clubs In Kununurra.
- Footy clubs are forced to turn away children who cannot produce the registration fee.
- Players get pushed away by mandatory fees.
- Lower costs for community groups to hire facilities.
- Developing an All Abilities Play space
- Lack of free all-weather active spaces facilities for youth

- Build a new facility near oval or caravan park, for all the community. Same people on the club. Say it should be here – because it has always been. Someone has to be a driver of change.

## Indoor facilities that can be programmed, extend the core active recreation /events season, and provide evacuation centres

- Key points raised about this issue in the community and stakeholder engagement included the following:
- Squash courts are at capacity and could do with either more courts or an extension which includes a collapsible wall. When it gets hot, (after footy/ netball season) squash boost its numbers. It would be good to have 2 x 2 courts opposite each other, and after hours exit access. The floors need replacing. Spectator seats, and compliant ceilings are needed. Sharing impacts on the floors and the times squash need to play.
- The heat up here needs to be considered when allocating sports funding.
- Indoor/air conditioned spaces
- Need to have a multipurpose room for Pilates and yoga, dance, fitness and strength classes. Needs an additional area for multi-use e.g. dance. Group fitness classes would be great.
- Consider how private sport operators (e.g. gym owners) might be impacted by public facilities. We need more facilities but how do we make it fair for operators who are not subsidised?
- Potentially pickleball in the future. A facility for badminton without the fans interfering. Need for another indoor court.
- Bigger gym as it gets used the whole year round especially when it is too hot outside, but it is such a small, cramped space. A larger functional gym space with more squat racks and free weights. Really needs a rethink and upgrade.

- More accessible facilities for wheelchair users.
- More storage facilities in the leisure centre.
- Roof on the basketball courts, majority of communities in the Kimberley have a roof over their court, besides Kununurra.

### Greening of the Shire and development of off-road trails

- The beautiful view of Kelly's knob in the background, sitting under the shade of the Maggie's shed to watch soccer to get away from the heat. It needs a water tap though  
Trees / vegetation/ shade
- Plant more trees (appropriate for the area & big enough to not be broken, pulled out etc) around existing facilities."
- LandCare, rehabilitation of deforested areas, botanical gardens.
- Verge trees, walk trails pathways/lit paths
- Walking tracks in Wyndham - Bastion, Highway . Port
- Running tracks, walking trails, more green spaces with big trees.
- More shared bike and running trails and signage.
- Upgrades to the walk paths along Lily Creek lagoon would be very welcome and make them more family/mobility friendly (for people with prams/walking frames etc)." "Walkways along the waterways."
- "Redesign/ better path to Swim Beach."
- "Better shaded streets, better footpaths and pedestrian friendly walkways, speed humps around town, disability access." "More verge trees, walk trails pathways e.g. Coolibah, Weaber Plains Rd along highway Ivanhoe Rd etc to promote pedestrian safety." "Footpaths along the whole of Coolibah, increased shaded streets, bike friendly, walk trail to elephant rock and round town, bike racks."
- "Paths are good for kids..... pathways are good for rollerblading, good and a mix of uses. "

- "Solar lights along the footpath in Celebrity Tree Park and along the highway would be good for people who want to use the space after 5pm in the afternoon."
- A walk to Elephant Rock should be designated with First Nations people.

### Consolidated and shared sport and recreation infrastructure in existing hubs with greater capacity

Key points raised about this issue in the community and stakeholder engagement included the following:

- Consolidation centralise facilities / close to town

#### Ag Oval

- Better access to water, less reliant on Maggies for toilets and water. Maybe easier access from the highway, currently single lane access.
- Women's change rooms at the Maggies clubhouse would increase inclusion for women's sport. No car access to the northern side of the oval.
- More seating and purpose- built shade. Maggies bar can create a poor crowd atmosphere at football.

#### Town Oval

- Great community space/ family /social interaction
- Having a few different sports in one spot/ indoor cricket, bowls etc.,
- Oval is great/ good playing field, location to town, central hub.
- Fenced oval and Sporties good for kids.

### Essential community recreation facilities in Wyndham

The key issues on this theme in the community consultation included:

- Too many people who are seeking employment in Wyndham ask if there is a gym before accepting a job. They do not feel comfortable walking around town for exercise, nor do they play football to keep up their fitness. This would promote employment opportunities for those working at the gym and may actually entice people to move to Wyndham to work.
- A need for baseline facilities to attract residents to live in Wyndham
- The four types of facilities that should be a priority, listed in descending order of responses: A playground, Public gym, Water park and Skate park.
- Wyndham needs more recreational facilities. We are pretty well catered for in Kununurra. Wyndham needs more.
- Please have a gym for public use in Wyndham.
- Indoor cricket out at the community club. Very strong in Wyndham. Very social – lighting an issue, building needs to be looked at. Is it in the right location?
- Build a new facility near oval or caravan park to serve all the community. Same people on the club. Say it should be here – because it has always been there. Someone has to be a driver of change.
- Wyndham is often forgotten/ disadvantaged
- If it were not for Wyndham, Kununurra would not exist, yet Wyndham has been forgotten.
- Start looking for funding for Wyndham, surely, it is not hard to look for a small grant for a skatepark etc, stop ignoring Wyndham!
- Sport is very Kununurra focused and there should be more opportunities to train and play in Kununurra e.g. netball.
- We drive our children once a week to sport in Kununurra at night with cattle on the roads. If you cannot justify weekly and regular sport comps in Wyndham, then please think about a transport service.

- See Wyndham as a place of equal opportunity to Kununurra. With 2 schools, hospital and police station, there are constant opportunities.
- Provide some events in Wyndham that promote the history and significance of Wyndham and the Port to visitors.
- Bring events to Wyndham. Tourists love it but they walk around looking for things to spend their money on then jump in their cars and travel on.
- The need for shade to combat excessive heat
- Issues relating to crocodiles in the water, stray dogs, and vandalism.

### Encouraging and supporting sustainable events that benefit the community

The key issues on this theme in the community consultation included:

- Ski Club: Stunning, cheap family friendly events, community grassroots management
- Better line ups, variety of activities, better range of activities/ family friendly activities
- More music events / traditional owners music.
- Champion local musicians/artists to support the headline acts
- Sealed road access/ better road maintenance
- Hold some events in Wyndham (rich history / needs support etc.),
- More local acts/community involvement
- Need to run biannually / Main event has lost its sparkle
- All the events cost too much and do not support the community.
- More stalls, local sporting events, community events representing, more agricultural events, more animals in the pet pavilion, more produce, car show at the Show.
- The Show: Again, another fabulous event. A favourite for our family.
- In town, so not to promote drink driving and opportunity for all to attend if they do not have transport.



- Upgrade on the kitchen and bar facilities (at the race club) to better service the demands of the crowd)
- “Supportive banners in town for events.” “More advertisement and make clearer what each event actually is. Individual event advertising.”
- Timing earlier in year before it gets too hot.
- (The market): Clean surrounds /broken glass/ grass maintenance
- Encourage local businesses to attend.
- More exhibitors to reduce wait times for service. It would be great to have some more diverse offerings than vendors who we can go to every week. Maybe invite other food stalls if they use local suppliers.
- Improved access to the local rivers would improve the Barra Bash as it has become a significant event on the northern Australia fishing calendar.
- As facilities the golf and race clubs are great for bigger events, but they are out of town and create logistical challenges for event access.
- “The race club has an iconic backdrop of elephant rock, near lake, camping space, out of town so less noise issues, lots of space to grow bigger and to have various stages and breakout areas.”
- “The racetrack is subject to major damage issues if the infield is used for major events which could lead to safety and environment issues for the race club (and ultimately lead to the cessation of racing).
- Do NOT desecrate the golf course. It is widely used not only by the members but to visitors from all around Australia and even overseas. It needs to be left as it is as it is very unique.
- The ag oval! That is the best event space bar none.
- Be good to have something Shire owns so we do not just give money to larger businesses such as the Grande every time a large workshop or event space is needed. The town does lack some nice indoors event spaces like conference rooms, would be great to have an indoor venue that is usable the entire year round.
- Celebrity Tree Park: close to town, big open space, beautiful setting.

## Appendix 6. Submissions made by the community

Two submissions were received in relation to the Strategy for venues and events in and around Kununurra.

### Submission One

The following points were raised in a submission from FitEvents Kununurra on 30/7/24 via email.

#### *Sports Events*

- Continue to support the wide range of sporting events with grants and facilities. This includes standard sports/events: AFL, Tennis, Netball, Basketball, Gymnastics, Swimming, and Sports events unique to Kununurra: Lake Argyle Swim, Dam to Dam, Lake Argyle Adventure Race.

#### *Recreation*

- Seek further recognition and support for the non-competitive recreation activities that are important to community:
  - Fishing, bush walking, water skiing, paddling, boating

Specific facilities and venues:

#### *White Water Park*

- Aspirational target - A world class sporting facility in Kununurra
- Our unique point of difference is warm flowing fresh water, with incredible reliability. Making us the most suitable town in Australia for a river off-take white water park.
- Details at: <https://www.fitevents.com.au/water-project.html>

#### *Rodeo Precinct*

- Attached is the Site Plan for the bike lease area of this precinct and an aerial image of the site now. [Attached at end of submission].

- We will hopefully complete the surfacing of the BMX track with a significant DLGSC grant in 2024/25.
- Our next highest priority after that would be a pump track – drop-in image attached (estimated \$450k to purchase and install).
- Other priorities after that:
  - Irrigation
  - Landscaping
  - Shade/BBQ
  - Skills track.

#### *Agricultural Oval*

- The orientation of this oval is East/West and should be changed to North/South if this was ever re-developed.

#### *Kununurra Pool*

- The 50m pool opens opportunities for local/regional/state swim meets. However, it is critical the new pool meets competition standards with features that include:
  - Correct pool depth for diving entries at both ends (swim relays),
  - The deep end (25m) suitable for Water Polo,
  - Starting blocks at both ends (modern 'track start' blocks with suitable starting straps/holds for back stroke)
  - Correct lane number (10) and lane width for competition,
  - Timing clock
  - Please see Swimming Australia/WA for full specs

#### *Town Oval*

- Improved lighting – as almost inadequate at the moment (more lights and higher light towers).

**Lake Argyle Boat Ramp**

- 100's of passenger movements each day and current limit on Lake Argyle Swim event capacity.

**Rectangular Playing Fields**

- Dedicated soccer/ruby rectangular ovals – possibly part of Rodeo precinct?

**Golf Club**

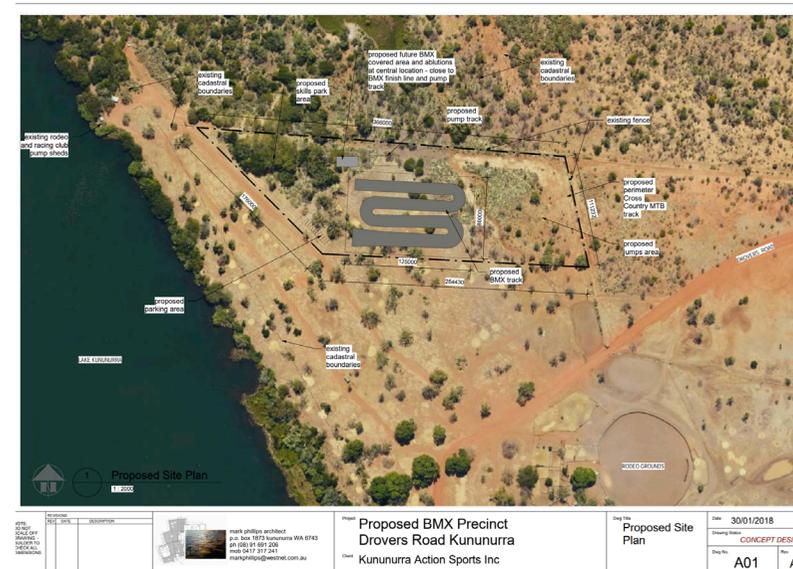
- Progress wastewater irrigation plan for greening the Golf Course

**Swim Beach**

- Adequate/functioning toilets please

**Trails**

- Refer to previous information submitted for the 'Trails Master Plan.'
- Recognise the use/demand across the informal trail network that currently exists for:
  - Mountain bikes
  - Off road running
  - Horse riding
  - Trail bikes and quad riding



## Submission Two

The following is a submission from the Kununurra Squash Club on 3/10/24 via email.

### *Squash Club current membership*

- Squash is a very popular sport in Kununurra and has gained a lot of momentum.
- “We insure 100 players per year”.
- The extreme climate is a big factor in Squash’s popularity. “When it gets hot, we boost our numbers.” “During the winter months we shed players to other outdoors sports like football and netball.”

### *Squash Club existing facilities*

- “We love many things about the squash court set up at the moment.” “We love the grand level, glass back arrangement.” They have a two-tiered seating system with one set of chairs and a bench at the back, “which works really well.” The club currently own about 4 cupboards for storage and a drinks fridge.
- “We currently are granted the privilege of leaving after hours via the after-hours gym exit access and this has been very valuable to us as a club. We would value the continuation of this.”
- “Probably the biggest issue we’ve had is sharing the courts with other groups.” The club has issues with dance classes or taekwondo classes, mainly due to bottlenecks of squash players waiting to get on the courts, or safety issues with children coming onto the courts, or damages to the flooring. The club has “come to an agreement with the Shire about allowing squash exclusive access to the courts during peak hours,” but they would like these other user groups to access other facilities that are not purpose-built for squash.

### *Squash Club preferences for facility upgrades*

- If there were to be changes, the clubs would want “courts opposite each other rather than a 3-court long row”. They would want the viewing area to not be reduced in size, and a 2x2 court would be good. Everyone in the club would prefer 4 courts.
- The club would prefer concrete walls (due to bounce consistency), so they oppose collapsible walls that make squash courts multi-purpose, although they are open-minded to glass walls if they play similar to concrete.
- The floors in the squash courts need replacing after 40+ years.
- The ceiling of the squash courts is not regulation height.
- The club want their own water fountain, to reduce reliance on the functioning of all water fountains in the hallway.
- In an ideal world, the club would have benches for everyone to sit up on, as well as a large secure fridge and secure storage.
- “Solid air conditioning is a must; it is a very intense sport! A lot of money has been spent on the air con system; it mostly works well now but has been problematic in the past.”

## Appendix 7. List of stakeholders consulted

The following table lists all stakeholders contacted.

Table 39. Clubs and organisations contacted as part stakeholder engagement

| Name of Club/Organisation                                       | Status of Interview |
|---|---------------------|
| AFL Commission WA   | Completed           |
| Kununurra Basketball Association                                | Completed           |
| Waringarri Crows Football Club                                  | Completed           |
| Kununurra Demons Football Club                                  | Completed           |
| Department of Local Government Sport and Cultural Industries WA | Completed           |
| East Kimberley College x 2                                      | Completed           |
| East Kimberley Football League                                  | Completed           |
| Garnduwa Amboorny Wirnan  | Completed           |
| Infrastructure Services   | Completed           |
| Kimberley Regional Development Commission                       | Completed           |
| Kununurra Camp draft and Rodeo Association                      | Completed           |
| Kununurra Crocs Swim Club                                       | Completed           |
| Kununurra Gymnastics Club                                       | Completed           |
| Kununurra Junior Cricket Association                            | Completed           |
| Kununurra Junior Football Assoc. & Auskick                      | Completed           |
| Kununurra Leisure Centre  | Completed           |
| Kununurra Moto-X Club   | Completed           |
| Kununurra Race Club x 2   | Completed           |

| Name of Club/Organisation                             | Status of Interview |
|---|---------------------|
| Kununurra Junior Soccer Association                   | Completed           |
| Ord River Sports Club. Kununurra Sporties. Lawn Bowls | Completed           |
| Kununurra Tennis Club                                 | Completed           |
| Kununurra Visitor Centre                              | Completed           |
| Kununurra Warriors Boxing Club                        | Completed           |
| Kununurra Water Ski Club                              | Completed           |
| Lake Kununurra Barramundi stocking group              | Completed           |
| Lake Kununurra Golf Club                              | Completed           |
| Lifestyle Solutions                                   | Completed           |
| Kununurra Netball Association                         | Completed           |
| Ord River Magpies Football Club                       | Completed           |
| Ord River Paddlers                                    | Completed           |
| Ord Valley Muster/Kimberley Moon Festival             | Completed           |
| PCYC/ Garnduwa  | Completed           |
| SWEK Planning and Health Regulatory Services          | Completed           |
| Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley CEO                   | Completed           |
| Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley Officers x 5          | Completed           |
| Shire of Wyndham-East Kimberley Shire President       | Completed           |
| Squash Western Australia                              | Completed           |
| Wyndham Crocs Football Club                           | Completed           |
| Wyndham Memorial Swimming Pool                        | Completed           |

| Name of Club/Organisation   | Status of Interview                        |
|---|--|
| Wyndham Youth Aboriginal Corporation (WYAC)   | Completed                                  |
| Kununurra Squash Club   | Submission received.                       |
| Action Sports/Lake Argyle Swim  | Submission received.<br>Interview declined |
| Basketball WA   | Contacted, no response                     |
| St Josephs - Catholic Primary School  | Contacted, no response                     |
| Warringarri Aboriginal Corporation  | Contacted, no response                     |
| Wyndham District High School  | Contacted, no response                     |
| East Kimberley Job Pathways - East Kimberley All Abilities Sport & Recreation Program | Contacted, no response                     |
| MG Corporation - Kununurra  | Contacted, no response                     |
| Clontarf  | Contacted, no response                     |
| Crazy Crocs Playgroup   | Contacted, no response                     |
| Kununurra Markets   | Contacted, no response                     |
| Kununurra Taekwondo   | Contacted, no response                     |
| Ord River Pistol Club   | Contacted, no response                     |
| Kununurra Touch Rugby   | Contacted, no response                     |
| Triple J Tours  | Contacted, no response                     |
| DIAC Disability Access  | Contacted, no response                     |
| Kununurra Agricultural Society  | Contacted, no response                     |
| Lake Argyle Cruises   | Contacted, no response                     |
| School of Alternative Learning Settings   | Contacted, no response                     |
| East Kimberley Cricket Assoc.   | Not operating                              |

## Appendix 8. SWEK Calendar of events

Table 40. Calendar of events Shire of Wyndham and Reast Kimberley

| Month    | Event                                     | Location  | Site                                      |
|----------|---|-----------|---|
| January  | Kununurra Aust. Day                       | Kununurra | Kununurra Leisure centre / Kununurra Pool |
| January  | Wyndham Aust. Day                         | Wyndham   | Wyndham Pool                              |
| January  | Baby Tree                                 | Kununurra | Swim Beach                                |
| January  | Citizen Of The Year                       | Kununurra | Kununurra Leisure Centre                  |
| February | Community Garage Sale                     | Kununurra | Kununurra Picture Gardens                 |
| February | 20K In a Day                              | Kununurra | Kununurra Pool                            |
| March    | St Joseph's Quiz Night                    | Kununurra | Kununurra Leisure Centre                  |
| March    | International Women's Day                 | Kununurra | Kununurra Neighbourhood House             |
| April    | Dam to Dam                                | Kununurra | Ski Beach                                 |
| April    | Wyndham ANZAC                             | Wyndham   | The Bastion / 5 Rivers Lookout            |
| April    | Kununurra ANZAC                           | Kununurra | ANZAC Hill                                |
| April    | Kununurra Markets                         | Kununurra | White Gum Park                            |
| April    | Brown Water Classic                       | Wyndham   | Wyndham Waterways                         |
| April    | Sidewalk Astronomy                        | Kununurra | Town Oval                                 |
| May      | Argyle Swim                               |           | Lake Argyle                               |
| May      | Swim Presentation Dinner                  |           | Lake Argyle Caravan Park                  |
| May      | Ord River Paddle                          |           | Ord River                                 |
| May      | Ord Valley Muster                         | Kununurra | Celebrity Tree Park                       |
| May      | Corroboree under the stars                |           | Waringarri Aboriginal Arts Centre         |
| May      | Muster Rodeo                              | Kununurra | Kununurra Rodeo Grounds                   |
| May      | Gibb Challenge                            | Kununurra | Gibb River Road                           |
| May      | East Kimberley Business Excellence Awards | Kununurra | Kimberley Grande                          |
| May      | World No Tobacco Day                      | Kununurra | White Gum Park                            |
| June     | KNX Half Marathon                         | Kununurra | BMX Track Old Darwin Road                 |



| Month     | Event  | Location  | Site  |
|-----------|--|-----------|---|
| June      | Dragon Boat Marathon                         | Kununurra | Ord River   |
| June      | Teddy Bear's Picnic                          | Kununurra | Celebrity Tree Park                                   |
| June      | Story Walk Opening                           | Kununurra | Celebrity Tree Park                                   |
| June      | Maggies ladies day                           | Kununurra | Ag Oval   |
| June      | Picture Gardens Anniversary Event            | Kununurra | Kununurra Picture Gardens                             |
| June      | Black Tie Fundraiser                         | Kununurra | Kununurra Race Club                                   |
| June      | WA Ski Show                                  | Kununurra | Ski Beach   |
| June      | R U OK Day                                   | Kununurra | White Gum Park  |
| June      | Munumburra Festival                          | Wyndham   | Wyndham Picture Gardens                               |
| July      | Ag Show                                      | Kununurra | Ag Oval   |
| July      | NAIDOC Week                                  | Kununurra | Town Oval / White Gum Park / Kununurra Leisure Centre |
| July      | Ski Beach Night Market                       | Kununurra | Ski Beach   |
| July      | Inflata-Fest                                 | Kununurra | Town Oval   |
| July      | East Kimberley Aboriginal Achievement Awards | Kununurra | Kununurra Picture Gardens                             |
| July      | Career Expo                                  | Kununurra | Kununurra Leisure centre                              |
| August    | Lake Argyle Adventure Race                   |           | Lake Argyle   |
| August    | East Kimberley Economic Forum                | Kununurra | Kununurra Race Club / Kimberley Grande / Ord River    |
| August    | Kununurra Races                              | Kununurra | Kununurra Race Club                                   |
| August    | Campdraft and Rodeo                          | Kununurra | Kununurra Rodeo Grounds                               |
| August    | Build up Bash                                | Kununurra | Ski Beach   |
| August    | Taste of the Kimberley                       | Kununurra | Kununurra Picture Gardens                             |
| September | Barra Bash                                   | Kununurra | Ski Beach   |
| September | Ski beach markets                            | Kununurra | Ski Beach   |
| September | Kununurra Beats on the Streets               | Kununurra | Kununurra   |
| September | Ladies (race) day                            | Kununurra | Kununurra Race Club                                   |
| October   | Mental health week mural                     | Kununurra | White Gum Park  |



| Month    | Event   | Location  | Site                     |
|----------|---|-----------|--------------------------|
| October  | Waringarri Radio Anniversary event  | Kununurra | Waringarri Radio         |
| November | Christmas Markets   | Kununurra | Kununurra Leisure Centre |
| November | White ribbon Day KNX and WYN  | Kununurra | White Gum Park           |
| December | Thank a Volunteer Cruise  | Kununurra | Ord River                |
| December | International Day of People With Disability                               | Kununurra | White Gum Park           |
| December | Kununurra Family Fun Day - Raising awareness for family domestic violence | Kununurra | Kununurra Leisure Centre |
| December | Kununurra Silent March Against Family Domestic Violence                   | Kununurra | White Gum Park           |
| December | Wyndham Family Fun Day - Raising Awareness For Family Domestic Violence   | Wyndham   | Wyndham Pool             |
| December | Santa Float Parade  | Kununurra | Kununurra                |

## Appendix 9. Key facilities assessment

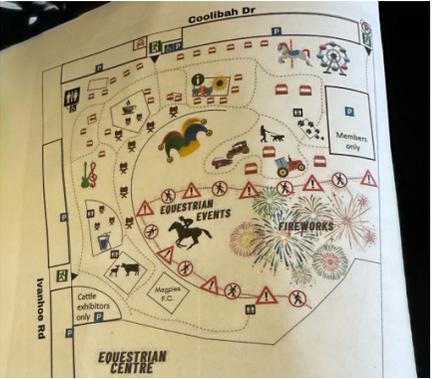
The following table outlines information about demand, findings from the site inspections, what the community and stakeholders said, and strategic directions for each key site.

| Facility                  | Potential demand. Current known usage   | Site analysis   | What community/stakeholders said   | Strategic directions (#Strategic Direction in Draft Report)   |
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| Celebrity Tree Park (CTP) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hosts up to 3500 during Kimberley Moon Festival</li> <li>• Most viable event location (Interviews, survey), setting, close to town, etc.</li> <li>• Celebrity Tree Park is one of the Shire's most used parks.</li> <li>• More activities for older children are desirable.</li> <li>• Park used for large events.</li> <li>• Preferred location in town for large events by organisers.</li> <li>• Stop off point for tourists.</li> <li>• Local play space - is being made into an accessible play space.</li> <li>• Popular park for walking and viewing the lake foreshore.</li> <li>• Can contribute to meeting the high demand for walking (D&amp;C), AusPlay, children's play, visitors (interviews)</li> <li>• Need affordable activities close to town (Councillors, D&amp;C), including fishing (interviews, D&amp;C, AusPlay.</li> <li>• Need accessible facilities (Staff, Councillors, Interviews)</li> <li>• Walking, fishing and play projections (See pp 12-14 D&amp;C).</li> <li>• Facilities used by the most survey respondents in Kununurra were:</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mosquito control required (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Lack of lighting for public safety.</li> <li>• Noise from events may impact the hotel/residents? (Staff )</li> <li>• Need for grey water disposal during events.(Interviews, Staff)</li> <li>• Large mature trees are a key benefit. Some in poor condition. Providing open area with limbed up new trees would work for events. Some tree plaques no longer have details.</li> <li>• Maintenance and replacement of trees, needed, robust species for shade, play value, reflect indigenous cultural significance and provide separation from the main accessible playground and other activity areas.</li> <li>• Path access along only part of the Park now with some nice interp. signs.</li> <li>• Wheel stops on the jetty required for safety at the Lily Lagoon jetty and boat ramp.</li> <li>• A swimming beach not recommended here due to conflicts (Foreshore Plan).</li> <li>• Poor parking/ road interface, need path along road to jetty . A continuous foreshore trail circuit is desirable and park perimeter trail.</li> <li>• Need for environmental preservation. Protect shoreline vegetation (all or part) for bird habitat given national significance (Foreshore Plan)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is liked "green space, shade, walking trails, playground, proximity to river." What need improvement: "More water access, Better park upkeep, Install more seating and shade, Allow for more support facilities, e.g. BBQs, food vans" (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Power access at Celebrity Tree Park for events (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Toilets at the park, servicing events and casual users/visitors (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Portable event facilities like stage, kitchen, and waste (D&amp;C). Not permanent.</li> <li>• Install a shelter and BBQ facilities (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Disability access for events, including all access toilets (LR)</li> <li>• Fitness equipment and dog exercise area desirable (LR)</li> <li>• Use trees as bollards (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• More lighting (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Ranked in community survey as the preferred event space (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Want double entry toilet – to serve events and foreshore users when events on – must be accessible, in design. (Staff, Interviews).</li> <li>• Could include permanent lighting of trees that could be turned on for events.(Interviews)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Continue to improve Celebrity Tree Park." "Undertake tree planting, increase shade, and develop a main off-road trail and circuits". "Provide a continuous pathway around CTP and manage vegetation to maintain habitat for small birds, views and provide a backdrop to events (3)."</li> <li>• "Support further master planning of Swim Beach and Celebrity Tree Park as the priority for water-based sites in Kununurra (9)."</li> <li>• "Continue the waterfront path in Celebrity Tree Park around both road edges to create a full circuit, safe separation between cars and direct access to the jetty (21)."</li> <li>• "Progressively enhance Celebrity Tree Park as a natural space, replacing plaques and trees at the end of their lives. (22)"</li> <li>• "Plant additional ornamental canopy trees along the road frontage. Trees should be suitable for the park's uses and the setting, limbed up for views, leaving an open area for events with a backdrop of the water (23)."</li> </ul> |

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|                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Celebrity Tree Park and Swim Beach.(Survey)</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Weed control not viable long term (staff, Council).</li> </ul>   |   |   |
| Celebrity Tree Park (CTP) |    |   |    |    |
| Kununurra Town Ova        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High usage: 2 AFL Clubs with 2 teams each - 1 x mens, 1 x women's, Junior Football Mixed Under 12 and Under 16s, Touch Rugby Monday nights (Men) and Friday night mixed). Women's competition 42% growth since 2019. Multiple development programs. Considerable potential but Women's league and club in development. Need support and facilities to grow (Interview, D&amp;C). Rugby League.</li> <li>Demand for change facilities for all genders to encourage growth in women and juniors (Club interviews)</li> <li>Strong juniors. To play seniors have to play juniors, keeps numbers in the competition. Many secondary schoolers leave for boarding school.</li> <li>Seasonal use patterns, the number of sports, and current levels of use, affirm all ovals are required to meet demand sports include Aust. Rules football, cricket, soccer, and league.</li> <li>PCYC use the oval etc.,</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cricket nets in poor condition, with torn carpet, Wicket damaged - major risk observed and reported.</li> <li>Poor oval drainage during wet season. Oval surface otherwise in good condition at time of visit.</li> <li>Oval lighting not compliant needs replacement.</li> <li>Need changeroom access x 4 for compliance - woman and men. Men now use Sporties Club - not dedicated. Not suitable for women.</li> <li>Lease with Sporties restricts access to toilets, social facilities etc.,</li> <li>Proximity of licensed bar and children's sport – e.g. AusKick, junior football a concern.</li> <li>Lack of ability to raise funds e.g. canteen, club bar, club social space. (Clubs), some conflict with Sporties and alcohol.)</li> <li>Lack of club storage space.</li> <li>No dedicated umpire change facilities.</li> <li>Oval and extended precinct need major work to replace functionally obsolete infrastructure, reduce duplication, extend</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liked central location, playing surface, lighting, atmosphere at sport events. (Clubs). Need: support facilities, apart from Sporties, e.g. changerooms, club storage, water fountains club better lights (Clubs).</li> <li>Four new change rooms needed for overlapping male and female games, compliance etc., (Clubs, D&amp;C)s</li> <li>More storage and community social space (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Lighting upgrade (LR)</li> <li>A small office for sports administrative needs and scoreboard operation (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Need for standalone toilets and changerooms at the Town Oval (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Upgrade cricket nets (LR)</li> <li>A viewing area needed – not part of a commercial club (D&amp;C)</li> <li>LED lighting upgrade to allow small ball sports, incl. cricket nets (LR)</li> <li>Need for a community activity room in a new pavilion (D&amp;C)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Provide a shared facility incorporating a club/community room, toilet/change facilities, and food and beverage in association with the Town Oval, bowls and cricket facilities (25).”</li> <li>“Remove the cricket wicket in the oval, which is currently dangerous (38).”</li> <li>“Prepare a master plan for the Town Oval and courts associated support facilities, car and parking, etc (40).”</li> <li>“Collaborate with the oval users and Sporties to develop a consolidated, accessible, and code-compliant building overlooking the oval (41).”</li> <li>“Upgrade the sports lights on oval to LED to reduce operational costs and allow small ball sports (43).”</li> <li>“Ensure the oval, netball courts, swimming pool and Leisure Centre are upgraded as an integrated precinct (44).”</li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Town Oval       |   |   |   |   |

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|                                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No active cricket club because of the need to cover the wicket for football constantly, in the same season, no other ground and very poor-quality facilities.</li> <li>Seasonal capacity challenges (D&amp;C).</li> <li>AusPlay indicates<sup>21</sup>, Indigenous populations in WA have a higher participation rate in Australian football (8.8% compared to 3.5%).</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>opportunities to meet community needs and minimise resourcing costs.</li> <li>Large number of children using the PCYC and oval – not very safe.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New water supply and formalised roadway on eastern side of the oval (LR)</li> <li>Electronic scoreboards at all three ovals need maintenance and league seeks Councils assistance for these.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>   |
| <p>Kununurra Town Oval</p>         |   |    |   |   |
| <p>Kununurra Agricultural Oval</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Senior (1 men's and 1 women's team) and Junior football (Under 12 and Under 16, Auskick including and all girls Auskick</li> <li>Soccer - Seniors and Juniors. Junior soccer numbers now capped due to number of participants (150 in 2024)</li> <li>Oval very important to the school – due to size- i.e. for the athletics carnival, and limited school fields.</li> <li>One of the largest K-12 schools in WA 1,100 students. (Interview)</li> <li>Important to the community as carrying capacity of the Town Oval is exceeded</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In addition to the oval, there is a polocrosse to the south. Multiple sheds and Magpies club rooms.</li> <li>Oval in nth west/ sth east layout is 196 m. Could run a 166m m oval north south or simply provide support facility on the wing in the north.</li> <li>Poor oval drainage during wet season. Oval surface in good condition otherwise.</li> <li>The orientation of the oval is sth west-nth east and has pavilion on south rather than north as per AFL Preferred Facilities</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clubs: Like: Standard of sports club facility. Caters for multiple user groups. Improvements needed: Clubrooms, toilets and water access, separate from the Magpies. Better shade.</li> <li>The changerooms at the Agricultural Oval need to be redeveloped, particularly to allow for female players (D&amp;C)( League)</li> <li>More storage required (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Better maintenance schedule to ensure pitches are mowed (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Upgrade the lighting (D&amp;C)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consider renegotiating lease of facilities to allow some public access to toilets and change facilities and for other hirers.</li> <li>Seek funds to install oval drainage to extend usage into wet season, and provide public support facility (toilets/change, access to power and water etc.) for school, casual and community event use.</li> <li>Consider slight realignment of the oval and providing the support facility on the northwest (26)."</li> </ul> |

<sup>21</sup> AusPlay. (2024). Data Portal: Participation by activity.

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|          | <p>and seasons limit other activities being played.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Important also for use by the camping ground and for Council planned community activities.</li> <li>• Community access to toilet etc not available for community events.</li> <li>• Toilets etc needed for other events could be provided in association with the buildings on the north – Club would not provide access when public facility broken (Staff).</li> <li>• In 2022 there were 6,900 attendees at the Show. An increase from previous years that were affected by border closures. Show most highly rated event in community survey (D&amp;C).</li> <li>• High casual use by caravan park (interview).</li> </ul>  | <p>Guidelines 2019. The club facilities are on the wrong side for viewing, and sun protection.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Need safe space for umpires., They have no room for admin after games.</li> <li>• Lack of storage for number of users.</li> <li>• The equestrian uses – whilst good to have central for children’s access (interview) - are not high priority here if other options.</li> <li>• Outdated lighting infrastructure.</li> <li>• The Agricultural Oval is an important sports and events space that is central to the town and close to the schools.</li> <li>• Old Show building on north, could be replaced to include community accessible toilets etc.,</li> <li>• Proposal to develop housing on part of Show land (staff). If equestrian were to move. A very small housing development on the south side of the road could overlook a full-sized oval and provide benefit to both. With new street between.</li> </ul>  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Club lease the building footprint – the Council hire out the oval. In future may put change and toilets with the oval and may be bar and function could be licenced.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Public access to toilets/change at the Agricultural Oval (LR)</li> <li>• Improve drainage (LR)</li> <li>• Housing would like the land with the equestrian activities for community housing. (Staff)</li> <li>• School says this access to the oval is vital to long term accessible sports opportunities for kids. (Interviews)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Retain the Agricultural Oval and its footprint for football codes/athletics, the Kununurra Show, and other events and sporting activities, including school sports (32).”</li> <li>• “Allow for reconfiguring the oval north/south in the longer term (34).”</li> <li>• “Provide additional public toilets and locate support facilities overlooking the ground from the northwest (35).”</li> <li>• “Consider the future benefits of relocating the equestrian area to the south and providing funds for the oval’s development and landscape (36).”</li> <li>• Upgrade oval lighting to LED to reduce operational costs</li> </ul> |

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| Kununurra Agricultural Oval |    |   |   |  <p>a</p>  |
| Kununurra Leisure Centre    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Shire has nearly double the proportion of developmentally vulnerable children than the state average, hence high demand for programs.</li> <li>After fishing and boating, walk, cycle and run, music and arts, group fitness gym, Pilates, dance, and yoga classes, (activities that could be accommodated at the leisure centre) were identified by the survey respondents as those in demand as well as indoor sports such as basketball.</li> <li>Very high projected participation in gym and fitness, and social sports based on State participation.(D&amp;C)</li> <li>Important as these target women those who do not want to play outdoor team sports and can keep people fit all year. (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Facilitates activities such as Pilates, yoga, taekwondo, all year activities not directly catered elsewhere.(D&amp;C) Taekwondo – 80 members.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Leisure centre has one courts, a small gym reception and squash courts. The sports court hall as a stage.</li> <li>Limited car parking and drainage issues at rear (staff). Water course issues - run past the Leisure Centre to around the courts.</li> <li>Limited site access. Limited space for expansion.</li> <li>Some Leisure Centre facilities unavailable during redevelopment of the pool.</li> <li>Multi-use of courts also means a lot of pack-up and pack-down for volunteers.</li> <li>A number of activities in the hall, including activities not dependent on a court, would be better in programmable indoor rooms to free up court space, i.e. group fitness. (As the carrying capacity appears exceeded) and these use whole court, not required by the activity.</li> <li>Very small gym considering range of patrons being catered for.</li> <li>Not directly linked to outdoor courts.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ceiling of the squash courts is not regulation height. The club would prefer concrete walls (due to bounce consistency),</li> <li>The floors in the squash courts need replacing (Submission)</li> <li>The club want their own water fountain, to reduce reliance on the functioning of all water fountains in the hallway.</li> <li>Need for an emergency evacuation centre (Staff).</li> <li>More storage at the Leisure Centre for different sports (D&amp;C).</li> <li>More activity spaces (D&amp;C).</li> <li>Squash would like extra court and contemporary configuration; court on each side of a central social space (D&amp;C).</li> <li>More indoor courts at the Leisure Centre (D&amp;C).</li> <li>Upgrade air conditioning (D&amp;C).</li> <li>Existing club use of the courts hampered by need to share with a wide range of activities such as fitness martial arts etc., (Club interviews).</li> </ul> | <p>“Redevelop the Kununurra Leisure Centre, starting in 2027/28”</p> <p>“Prepare a master plan for the extension of the Kununurra Leisure Centre integrated into the Town oval and outdoor courts precinct behind, parking, the swimming pool, pedestrian access ways, etc (13).”</p> <p>“Extend the number of indoor air-conditioned basketball/netball courts at the Leisure Centre in Kununurra (14).”</p> <p>“The Kununurra Leisure Centre should include, at minimum, a major extension to the gym, a program room for Pilates, fitness classes and similar activities, four squash courts facing each other, and two indoor netball/basketball courts with a dividing curtain. The centre’s design should facilitate its use as an emergency evacuation centre (15).”</p> |

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|                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Need for second court with air conditioning for wet season activities.(Interviews).</li> <li>In Aug 2024, 465 gym and gold members. Demand likely to be double that but limited space for range of typical activities.</li> <li>Gymnastics 80 members+ waiting list. At capacity given space and staff requirements.</li> <li>Squash 66 active members and 15 reserves. Do not have access every night. In 2023 80 members. Strong social squash – especially in wet season.</li> <li>High demand for gym related activities – including wet season.</li> <li>School; very high demand and very limited indoor courts especially air-conditioned space for over 1000 students. Some public use of school court for Futsal (interview).</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Should include programmable spaces to support community activities for all target groups reduce demand on court.</li> <li>The indoor spaces are at capacity.</li> <li>Major drainage issues at rear – would be good to integrate facility better with the oval and courts behind.</li> <li>Court floor in good condition.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very high demand for gym, group fitness Pilates etc, in community survey -in wet and dry season not met.</li> <li>Are local small fitness providers who could run Pilates, group fitness etc if space were available (Interviews surveys)</li> </ul> |  |
| Kununurra Leisure Centre |    |    |   |  |

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| Kununurra Basketball Courts | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Run an outdoor competition in the dry season, just after football ends. Indoor competition in the wet season in the early year. Indoor comp at Leisure Centre limited by court space.</li> <li>Youth competition Kununurra and Wyndham – 4 boys teams and four girls teams.</li> <li>Aussie Hoops Term 4.</li> <li>Carnival in June. 8 men’s teams and 5 women’s teams over 2 days.</li> <li>PCYC programming is strong- large number of children participate in social programs.</li> <li>Support comes more from Darwin than it does Perth.</li> <li>Based on state participation rates the highest potential demand for club-based sport is likely to be in swimming, Australian Rules football, and basketball.</li> <li>Healthy numbers, but they fluctuate season-to-season, particularly on whether Wyndham provide any teams.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of shade over courts.</li> <li>Poor lighting.</li> <li>Only one water bubbler in precinct.</li> <li>Except for Kununurra, the majority of communities in the Kimberley have a roof over their basketball courts.</li> <li>Large social program around basketball run by PCYC.</li> <li>Spectator seating available</li> <li>PCYC changerooms are old and outdated.</li> <li>Condition of the surface</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better changerooms, toilets, and access to water potentially shared with the PCYC. (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Cover courts for sun protection (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Resurfacing of courts (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Upgrade lighting (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Poor internet connection affects some administration tasks.</li> <li>Reason why do not have an outdoor basketball competition – all want to play footy then do not have time for basketball during dry season.</li> <li>Another indoor court would help grow basketball for wet season competition and better link age with outdoor courts.(D&amp;C)</li> <li>Covered basketball/netball/tennis courts could extend playing season(D&amp;C)</li> <li>Roof on the basketball courts, majority of communities in the Kimberley have a roof over their court, besides Kununurra.(Survey)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update lighting to LED to reduce operational costs</li> <li>Plan for court resurfacing in 4-5 years</li> <li>Install permanent shade structure over at least 2 courts</li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Basketball Courts |   |    |   |   |
| Kununurra Tennis Courts     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Junior Tennis Coaching Tuesday Afternoons 4:00pm To 6:00pm</li> <li>Adult Social Tennis Every Tuesday Night From 6:00pm To 7:30pm</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Six dedicated courts and an additional six shared with netball.</li> <li>Central space between court has shelter - not well presented, utilised and shelter/ support</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cover courts for sun protection (LR).</li> <li>Resurfacing of courts (LR).</li> <li>could extend playing season</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Reconstruct the tennis courts, provide courtside shade and support facilities (42).”</li> </ul>   |

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|                                 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8 members</li> <li>20-24 social players</li> <li>Use 6 courts</li> <li>Lower membership numbers than ten years ago, but increased popularity for lessons and social tennis.</li> <li>The sports of golf and tennis, which can be played either socially or in a club environment, both have high potential demand.</li> </ul> | <p>facilities antiquated. Likely dust etc from that areas will migrate on the courts, with leaf litter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Poor accessibility into the courts and wayfinding for someone with a disability</li> <li>Some court surface cracking, although surface looks not very old.</li> <li>Lack of shade over courts. Large perimeter trees around edge – some may be a little too close to the courts- possible root drainage.</li> <li>Good external fencing and court numbering.</li> <li>Good court lighting- not sure if LED .</li> <li>Line marking in good condition (not competed when inspected)</li> <li>Abuts the PCYC. Several buildings in the central are the tennis and basketball courts/ PCYC in the long term may be better redeveloped and to consolidated to be more fit for purpose and serve all three activities.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lots of room</li> <li>They are big and popular, Allows the opportunity for expanding netball participation, Nice, clean facilities with good lighting, Location is good. (Survey)</li> <li>Picture Gardens rear entry has been impacted by the new car park.</li> <li>Prevalent antisocial behaviour due to lack of lighting outside of playing hours.(Interview)</li> <li>Club say they have no commercial kitchen.</li> </ul> |  |
| <p>Kununurra Tennis Courts</p>  |    |    |    |    |
| <p>Kununurra Netball Courts</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gym/fitness and Australian Rules Football has the highest club membership, followed by netball.</li> <li>220 members. 13 senior teams across 2 grades. 11 junior teams across 2 grades. Net Set Go Term 1. Mixed Social – 10 weeks. 10-12 teams. Use 3 courts sometimes 4 courts. Growing males: No</li> </ul>                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Council has recently put in a car park. The lines have been re-marked. Lack of court shade. Some court surface cracking, about 7 years since redeveloped Improve lighting for safety. Cover some courts. (Interview).</li> <li>Antisocial behaviour in area.</li> <li>No social space for participants. Use the Grand, Sports Club or Golf Club for functions. Juniors use covered area at courts.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No commercial kitchen and change rooms for netball- want to have these for carnivals – limiting opportunities. Possibility of co share with the tennis. Is this the preferred locations for courts? (Councillors).</li> <li>They are big and popular, Allows the opportunity for expanding netball participation, Nice, clean facilities with good lighting, Location. (Survey).</li> </ul>                                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Reconstruct the courts, provide courtside shade and support facilities (42).”</li> </ul> |

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|                                       | <p>senior males other than mixed. Some boys in juniors.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As per AusPlay data<sup>22</sup>, Indigenous populations in WA have higher participation rates in netball (6.9% compared to 2.9%).</li> <li>Higher participation pre-COVID</li> <li>The women's football competition competes with the popularity of netball. Indigenous populations in Western Australia have a higher participation rate in netball (6.9% compared to 2.9% for the rest of the population).</li> <li>After fishing and boating, walk, cycle and run, music and arts, group fitness gym, Pilates, dance, yoga classes, and skate, other activities that survey respondents would like to do more included netball, and pickleball.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No commercial kitchen and change rooms for Netball- want to have these for carnivals – limiting opportunities.</li> <li>Possibility of co share with the tennis. Is this the preferred locations for courts?</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Continue to support a wide range of sporting events with grants and facilities. This includes standard sports/events for netball.....”(Submission).</li> <li>Resurface courts due to cracking (LR)</li> <li>Cover courts for sun protection (LR)</li> <li>Improve lighting for safety (D&amp;C).</li> <li>Aust, rules coordinate training and matches with the netball club to allow girls to play both.</li> </ul> |  |
| <p>Kununurra Netball Courts</p>       |   |   |   |    |
| <p>Kununurra Race Club + Precinct</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two race meetings per year with 7 races each. A total of 42-44 horses in 2024.</li> <li>Has capacity to introduce new activities as other sports ground are overused.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Corner of racetrack entering main straight to be redesigned to increase safety of horse and jockeys.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade stables and build 14 more (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Upgrade the jockey's room (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Upgrade the power (LR)</li> <li>Upgrade the internet (D&amp;C)</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The priority and scale of works required at the Town oval and Leisure Centre precinct and the Ag oval mean the racecourse (and its distance from town) is not practical or a priority to</li> </ul> |

<sup>22</sup> AusPlay. (2024). Data Portal: Participation by activity.



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| Kununurra Race Club + Precinct | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2028 solar eclipse will increase demand for camping in the area.</li> <li>Potential to add equestrian, dressage, polorosse</li> <li>Potential to relocate equestrian use from the Ag Oval to here.</li> <li>Potential for field sports such as soccer, cricket, rugby or third football oval.</li> <li>Could meet need for larger indoor events space e.g. weddings and funerals.</li> <li>Demand for a function centre with commercial kitchen - as few others in town (interview)</li> <li>High demand for walking in Kununurra – a Australia wide trend especially where very scenic landscapes. Survey identified this location as where designated walking track required and to be promoted to visitors.</li> <li>Racing schedule designed by Racing WA competes with races in Broome/Darwin.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large site with potential to accommodate major events, and camping. High scenic backdrop quality of site.</li> <li>High cost of developing and maintaining playing field in centre for events, if not regular use.</li> <li>A commercial development zone identified in vicinity.(Foreshore Plan)</li> <li>Great connection to water from rear of facilities.</li> <li>Power transformer is too small for larger groups and events.</li> <li>Surrounding Ramsar wetland.</li> <li>Perceived as too far town centre/Not walking distance. Road upgrade would improve perceptions.</li> <li>Sewer very close to the river.</li> <li>Damage to the River foreshore outside lease area and race club sign erected.</li> <li>Lack of power and all-weather road access.</li> <li>No accessible toilets.</li> <li>The road leading into the precinct is not reliable. Dusty, corrugated in summer. Can flood in wet season.</li> <li>Campsite during events adjacent.</li> <li>Adjacent paddle and rodeo clubs and land have limited facilities.</li> <li>Former boating facility not removed.</li> <li>Adjacent bike jumps remote from where community can access – and left incomplete.</li> <li>Boating facilities do not have power.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fix the entry road for all-seasons access (D&amp;C)</li> <li>New walking trails and roads to increase access (LR)</li> <li>Opportunity to expand onto the decommissioned landfill site (LR)</li> <li>Upgrade to all infrastructure facilities, as well as kitchen, ablution, and outdoor stage, for events (LR)</li> <li>Two-storey pavilion and function room desired (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Lighting for the track, and security lighting (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Internal space for sport playing fields and events proposed (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Formalise parking (D&amp;C)</li> <li>The community suggested a walk to Elephant Rock should be designated with First Nations people. (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Racecourse (due distance from town) is not practical or a priority to develop for events (Interviews).</li> <li>Need to attract more large regular events. (Interview)</li> </ul> | <p>develop as a regular use outdoor sports facility hub, and cricket.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The racecourse could be improved for equestrian, community and private functions and niche events.</li> <li>The commercial development zone should retain a public riparian corridor and include a campground, (as accommodation in Kununurra is in high demand (Council)).</li> <li>A public jetty/ pontoon and mooring facility in the precinct should be supported as well as the other club based water-based users such as Dragon boats.</li> <li>Upgrade power to site so it can better service large or multiple events.</li> <li>“Construct a new public jetty/boat launching area near the Race Club to help activate the precinct (7).” And provide for the water based clubs.</li> <li>“Support improvement to the road to the Race Club to encourage activation of the precinct (30).”</li> <li>“Prepare a master plan for the precinct, including action sports, rodeo and Ord River paddlers area (31). To create:</li> <li>A hub of integrated facilities</li> <li>Public access to the water jetty and boat launching area</li> <li>Protection of foreshore vegetation and the crown riparian reserve.</li> <li>Use of the area for events</li> <li>Additional tree planting and protection of foreshore vegetation</li> </ul> |

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|                                       |   |  |  | <p>with select areas for viewing onto the water.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The future development of a new campground in the development area with a public toilet.” Continued camping areas for the race club and rodeo during events</li> <li>Services such as access to power</li> <li>Facilitating a race club /community gathering space to support race days, club meetings, small events, and hireable function space.</li> <li>Encourage the development of walking routes including to Thethebeleng (Elephant Rock).</li> <li>Require lessees to remove dilapidated infrastructure and restrict public access to uncompleted works.(29)</li> </ul> |
| <p>Kununurra Race Club + Precinct</p> |   |   |    |    |
| <p>Swim Beach</p>                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A swimming space away from boats and other watercraft that use the Lake. Highly valued by residents. Very accessible and relatively prominent off main road.</li> <li>Growth in swimming across the country – especially informal for play and fitness.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Served by shared path that makes accessible to range of people. Bring into the space and provide several bike hoops. Has free camping area.</li> <li>Small play space, a rotunda and very small, covered picnic table. Higher value would be created by pulling back the car park, and ski</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A proposed commercial boating facility (LR)</li> <li>Walking trails and passive recreation areas (LR)</li> <li>Increase the access to the water (LR)</li> <li>Extend the beach area (LR)</li> <li>Formalise the parking area (LR)</li> <li>Extend the trail to Swim Beach (LR)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Improve fishing and boating facilities at key nodes and protect foreshore quality, with one upgrade every five years.”</li> <li>“Allow for a public open space corridor along all foreshores, including at the Foreshore Plan’s recommended</li> </ul>   |

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|            | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Most swimming is unorganised, with family and friends, and may include just a dip.</li> <li>Projected total participants (organised and unorganised) for swimming up to 1600 people 2031.</li> <li>Also likely to be in high demand by visitors – although possibly more cautious due to crocodiles.</li> <li>Park second most used by survey respondents in Kununurra after Celebrity Tree Park. 51%. (Survey)</li> </ul> | <p>beach road from the water and providing designating spaces (even if unsealed) to leave a larger green space for play and picnics, with the provision a formed path into the park to several larger multiple table picnic shelters and overlooking more pleasing play elements (for supervision. Play elements are quite domestic. Could include specimen trees for shade and play, more nature based, unique flora etc., . Retain open grassed areas, for kick to kick and picnic.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No clear boundaries or fencing of the reserve.</li> <li>Limited disability access.</li> <li>Some antisocial behaviour reported. Retain sight lines with any new design.</li> <li>The boat ramp at Swim Beach needs to be relocated as identified in the Foreshore Plan to reduce conflicts between activities.</li> <li>Potential conflicts with the road to the Ski Beach, and the off road trail proposed by the Foreshore Plan and the park area around the swim beach – need to be carefully master planned. Ski beach area gated and only accessible to members.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve disability access and lighting (LR)</li> <li>Adequate and functioning accessible toilet facilities (D&amp;C)</li> <li>What is liked (survey): Location/ scenic and views., Openness, Access to the water/river/boat ramp, Dog beach/dog walking, Meet friends/family/multiple users, Swimming, Clean/tidy, Running trails, Grass. What is needed: Safer boat ramp area. Clearer demarcations to avoid mixing user-groups, cars and pedestrians. Reticulated grass area for picnics. Upgraded playground. Upgraded toilets, General care for the area. Requires mosquito control. Redesign with a better path. Dog park. Grassy area and water access, natural sandstone seating – drop sand there for a beach. Beautiful having more sandy beach entry, protected beach, empties once a year (interviews).</li> </ul> | <p>development nodes, to support a trail, public fishing and boating access, habitat and important views (1).”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Develop a foreshore trail and road alignments at water-based nodes that protect a sustainable area for social family recreation and water-based activities and provide a lower-order circuit trail at each to minimise the conflict between activities (20).”</li> <li>“Support further master planning of Swim Beach and Celebrity Tree Park as the priority for water-based sites in Kununurra (9).”</li> <li>“Seek funding for boat ramps at Swim Beach (relocation) (4).”</li> </ul> |
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| <p>Kununurra Golf Club</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>85 members play competitions Thursday, Saturdays and Sundays.</li> <li>Potential to be over 200+ visitors.</li> <li>Older adults tend to engage in more non-organised physical activity, especially in activities such as walking, golf, swimming and fitness.</li> <li>Opportunity for schools to use also as growth in younger ages in the sport.</li> <li>The golf course is a highly valued facility in the Shire and enhances the diversity of recreation opportunities.</li> <li>Prominent facility from town entry could attract tourists, but low number of volunteers limit service offered.</li> <li>Aging population: the sports of golf and tennis, which can be played either socially or in a club environment, have high potential demand.</li> <li>Based on state participation rates the highest potential demand for club-based sport is likely to be in swimming, Australian Rules football, basketball, soccer, golf, and tennis.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sand scrape greens. Turf alternative will increase operational costs.</li> <li>Large air conditioned brick clubhouse with bar and kitchen facilities in good condition. Large veranda providing ample shade</li> <li>Fairways in good condition.</li> <li>A wastewater irrigation plan for greening the Golf Course is desirable.</li> <li>There is a stage on the side of hole #1 that juts onto the fairway. It annoys members, and is largely unused, although the golf club can hire it out.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>After Celebrity Tree Park the Golf Club, was rated as the most preferred event space.</li> <li>Formalise the greens, make them into grass, and further develop the general area (LR)</li> <li>Progress the wastewater irrigation plan for greening the course (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Redesign the course if the Shire purchases more land (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Install sound proofing to host more clubhouse events (D&amp;C)</li> <li>The underutilisation of the golf club considered an issue (Survey)</li> <li>Club looking at installing sound panelling to improve the acoustics in their clubroom (Interview). Concerned Shire will take some land for a hotel development, and they will have to redesign the course.</li> <li>Proper irrigation and maintenance for full grass greens is the vision. (Interview).</li> <li>What survey respondents like about the golf course: Easy access, convenient location, Open area to safely walk dog and see native animals and birds, Sport of golf, family &amp; friends events, Cheap membership, low commitment, easy to play/use, It is a fantastic layout which should blend Hwy/Airport with Lake Kununurra, The scenic views whilst playing, especially along the river front, holes 1 &amp; 2.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Continue to support the Golf club with club development and infrastructure projects where resources allow (28).”</li> <li>“Progress wastewater irrigation plan for greening the Golf Course (45).”</li> </ul> |

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|                          |   |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Was a stage at the Golf course. Three phase electricity. Not much space with trees. For viability – want events in town so you can see. (interview)</li> <li>Nothing wrong with the stage there -just in the wrong location. (interviews)</li> <li>Lack of volunteers is main issue. (interviews)</li> </ul>   |  |
| Kununurra Golf Club      |    |    |    |   |
| Kununurra Water Ski Club | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large family based club with 146 members.</li> <li>Hold 4 events each dry season attracting 500-600 people plus the Dam to Dam attracting around 1000 people. Membership at capacity given the number of volunteers required to run programs and classes.</li> <li>Venue size can allow greater capacity.(club interview)</li> <li>Club has been growing since 2019.</li> <li>At capacity given number of volunteers required to run activities.</li> <li>Gym/fitness and Australian Rules Football has the highest club membership in the Shire, followed by netball and water skiing.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One phase power but require 3 phase power for events</li> <li>Unsealed access road subject to flooding</li> <li>Basic ablutions facilities - no disabled access. No change rooms.</li> <li>Do not meet requirement for larger events.</li> <li>Moving the access road to the Ski Club back from the foreshore would be desirable so that pedestrian activities, the community picnic and play, and water-based activities at Swim Beach and a local trail circuit are not constrained.</li> <li>Open bar and BBQ area clean and well maintained.</li> <li>Boat ramp in relatively good condition, Shore based facilities look well maintained – water access less so.</li> <li>Grass foreshore to water’s edge well maintained</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade the ablutions (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Upgrade to three-phase power (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Provide a ski clubhouse that may allow commercial businesses such as a bar or café (LR)</li> <li>Lack of volunteers (Interview)</li> <li>What is liked most by residents: Access to river, Location and purpose, excellent multi-purpose area, Stunning, cheap family friendly events, community grassroots management. Beautiful location for a variety of activities.(Survey)</li> <li>Fishing competition at the Ski Club - traffic management major issue needs to be resolved or move the fishing to somewhere else?(interview)</li> <li>Seal the road access/ better road maintenance (Survey)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“It would be desirable to pull the main road to the Ski Club back from the foreshore, so that pedestrian activities and the community picnic and play and water-based activities at Swim Beach and a local trail circuit are not constrained.”</li> <li>“Improve fishing and boating facilities at key nodes and protect foreshore quality, with one upgrade every five years.”</li> <li>“Allow for a public open space corridor along all foreshores, including at the Foreshore Plan’s recommended development nodes, to support a trail, public fishing and boating access, habitat and important views (1).”</li> </ul> |

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| Kununurra Water Ski Club |   |   |    |    |
| Dragon Boat Club         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Operate year round</li> <li>Annual event – Dam wall to Lily Lagoon (55km) 8 boats, 14 paddlers per boat plus steering.</li> <li>Approx 150 people.</li> <li>Weekly 5-12 paddlers</li> <li>International growth in Dragon Boating. As Australian population reflects more of those with a cultural interest. Also new and growing participation by older women-as health and wellness activity, for team work etc., promoted through Breast Cancer network – multiple “pink” dragon boat clubs establishing.</li> <li>Marathon entries are very strong as ever.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>They have recently moved to a new location on the river, but old defunct infrastructure not removed.</li> <li>Road to club only accessible by 4 WD /or not passable at all at times</li> <li>No power at site, No toilets/showers, but they share with rodeo, Need more storage for boats.(interview)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Better entry road (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Power to the site (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Storage for boats (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Public liability issues with other private boats using there launching for mooring (interview)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Improve fishing and boating facilities at key nodes and protect foreshore quality, with one upgrade every five years”</li> <li>“Allow for a public open space corridor along all foreshores, including at the Foreshore Plan's recommended development nodes, to support a trail, public fishing and boating access, habitat and important views (1).”</li> </ul> |

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| <p>Kununurra BMX Track/Action Sports Centre</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Potential event location once completed. Co-ordinator involved in other major events in district.</li> <li>• Free access to encourage young riders.</li> <li>• Small potential market but adds diversity to range of opportunities for young people, especially those who do not play teams sports.</li> <li>•</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Under further construction at time of visit. (Now complete)</li> <li>• High investment subject to damage from the weather, required very regular safety inspections and upkeep to keep transitions in good order, especially after rain and regular use.</li> <li>• requires high standard of skill, but not fenced, no public surveillance.</li> <li>• will require skill development programs so potential young riders learn to use safely and what bikes to use how to maintain bikes in good order.</li> <li>• The road leading into the precinct is not reliable. Dusty, corrugated in summer. Can flood in wet season.</li> <li>• No Support facilities and adjacent clubs and land have limited facilities.</li> <li>• Unreliable power to the site.</li> <li>• Not heavily utilised due to distance from town, for young people.</li> <li>• To be successful typically need access by shared path and to be located in busy central locations.</li> <li>• Needs access to water to maintain track in good condition.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Install shade and shelter facilities (D&amp;C).</li> <li>• Improve irrigation and landscaping in the area (D&amp;C).</li> <li>• Better entry road (D&amp;C).</li> <li>• Complete surfacing of the track (D&amp;C).</li> <li>• Want to install a pump track (D&amp;C).</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Undertake tree planting, increase shade, and develop off-road trail circuits to and around the area.”</li> <li>• Ensure management arrangements are in place to do regular inspections and maintenance.</li> <li>• Ensure those able to do programs can include bike skill development safety education and maintenance.</li> <li>•</li> </ul> |

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| <p>Kununurra BMX Track/Action Sports Centre</p> |   |    |  |   |
| <p>White Gum Park / Skate Park</p>              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Market every second or third month.</li> <li>Markets are highly sought after and supported by local communities and visitors.</li> <li>Important community and cultural activities.</li> <li>The Kununurra markets, and the show are strongly supported by respondents to the community survey.</li> <li>Skate park- 10 % of survey respondents use this regularly This is a typical participation rate.</li> <li>More respondents attended these regularly than other events.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good sized park and very central to shops.</li> <li>No everyday use observed except few people sitting on the large rocks and walking through. No active frontages around the park. Blank walls of the supermarket etc., Hard to improve unless this is address. Could have a café spilling out on the site for example.</li> <li>Large mature canopy trees.</li> <li>Poor condition of concrete skate park facilities in places. Needs sweeping and cleaning when observed. One area of the Skate facility is damaged.</li> <li>No tables- yet should be a social focus for all. Considerable amount of glass in the park. May not have a regular maintenance schedule.</li> <li>Grass surface was worn and unattractive when visited. Path lighting could be improved.</li> <li>Grass well maintained. Well treed providing good shade</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Redevelop the skate park (LR)</li> <li>More lighting (LR)</li> <li>Antisocial behaviour reported.(interviews, Staff.)</li> <li>White gum Park is a drinking area.</li> <li>Better maintenance of existing facilities, e.g. White Gum Skate Park</li> <li>Skate park – needs to be covered and water the park.</li> <li>Survey found: Cleaner facility with less rubbish and broken glass. Complete upgrade due to poor condition, Cleaner facility with less rubbish and broken glass, More seating and more shade needed. Varied and interesting events at the site but not a site preferred for other major events.</li> <li>Survey indicates children use it heavily when market is on – when it is busy.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintain the market in this location in any master planning of the Central business district consider providing active frontages around the Park with things such as cafes or where activity generators.</li> <li>Repair the damaged part of the skate park and introduce a maintenance program.</li> <li>Continue to support the market and its relevance to and input by community local businesses, and cultural components.</li> </ul> |

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| <p>Ord River Sports Club</p> <p>Ord River Sports Club</p> | <p>High and increasing demand for social sports such as bowls, tennis and indoor cricket where patrons do not need to train, need to volunteer and can enjoy a drink. Club offers food and beverages, darts, pool, indoor cricket and bowls as well as social activities, and supports oval activities. Bowls play Tuesday and Thursday night in dry season with up to 40 social players. Could operate year-round but requires more volunteers.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Well positioned overlooking the Town Oval.</li> <li>Facilities appear only fair in condition.</li> <li>Used as Support facility for the oval – but not compliant for male and female sports change and toilets not open space access.</li> <li>Site leased by Council could orchestrate combination of compliant sports club change toilets, small are club area and referees are etc colocated with the commercial social club. Some mutual objectives. Clear community and commercial separation required including servicing of alcohol when sport is being played.</li> <li>Need compliant separate changeroom access x 4, for woman and men, accessible and referee and club space for admin etc.,</li> <li>Lease agreement with Sporties restricts access to toilets, social facilities.</li> <li>Proximity of licensed bar and children's sport – e.g. Auskick, junior football.</li> <li>Lack of facilities for clubs to raise funds e.g. canteen, club bar, club social space.</li> <li>Lack of club storage space.</li> <li>Indoor cricket was in disrepair when inspected. Recently refurbished.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Install a roof cover for shade, and to protect the bowls green from damage (D&amp;C), The only sports you can play in the wet season are squash and bowls. (D&amp;C),</li> <li>A toilet closer to bowls green (D&amp;C)</li> <li>More storage (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Club not able to raise money as no space to run a canteen event. and need to hire Sporties for get togethers.</li> <li>Need for separate club facilities for admin, small social space, toilet and change and viewing, and alcohol.</li> <li>Still benefit from adjoining commercial club . Hire for function nights etc., Need for public toilets in the vicinity (Interviews).</li> <li>Separate Sporties from the sporting functions of the oval.(Interviews)</li> <li>Limited access to Sporties facilities limits fundraising options. Interviews</li> <li>Disconnect between Council, Sporties, and Club (interviews)</li> <li>Need support facilities apart from Sporties, e.g. changerooms, storage, water fountains (Survey)</li> <li>Fenced oval and Sporties good for kids.(Survey)</li> </ul> | <p>Collaborate with the users of the oval and Sporties to develop a consolidated accessible and code compliant building in this location, overlooking the oval, and including change facilities for the oval bowls and cricket, a shared community space for club and community activities/programs and an associated facility for food and beverage that can be run as a business but support the activities on the oval.(41)</p> |

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|                                       |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New bowls surface recently installed in good condition. No roof shelter to encourage daytime use.</li> <li>• Adequate lighting for night bowls. Upgrade to LED would reduce operational costs.</li> <li>• Perimeter of green has scoria base with weeds and grasses growing profusely detracting from presentation.</li> <li>• Mesh wire fence with single barb in reasonable condition provides security to rink.</li> <li>• Small wire and corrugated iron storage shed (Approx 3m x 6m) on east side of rink.</li> <li>• 'Administration area' is a small shelter with a tin roof.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Council's Standard Leases will be reviewed. Opportunity to create incentives for changing way things currently done (Staff).</li> <li>• Toilets closer to green so participants do not have to walk to Sporties Club</li> <li>• Great location to watch footy and play indoor cricket (when there is a competition) Survey.</li> <li>• Enclose storage cage</li> <li>• Concrete around green to stop weeds</li> </ul>                                      |   |
| <p>Ord River Sports Club</p>          |   |    |   |   |
| <p>Kununurra Camp Draft and Rodeo</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Three events per year that attract tourists and competitors from as far as Darwin and Katherine.</li> <li>• Over 2000 attended in August 2024, camp at the site.</li> <li>• Could provide some more permanent facilities and provide potential overflow camping area when caravan parks are full in peak season. (Interview).</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The road leading into the precinct is not reliable. Dusty, corrugated in summer. Can flood in wet season</li> <li>• Adjacent clubs and land have limited facilities.</li> <li>• Foreshore plan suggested commercial node on river.</li> <li>• Unreliable power</li> <li>• A public jetty/ mooring in the vicinity of the racing club /rodeo/camp draft and/or Ord</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improve entry road (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Upgrade back holding yard for cattle (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• A camping area for the 2028 eclipse (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Power to site for events and camping (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Permanent power to new toilet block (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Suggested improvements: Upgrade on the kitchen and bar/ including capacity, Music/DJ, Better/more toilets, More food options, Good event/facility, Safer, Banners</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A public jetty/ mooring in the vicinity of the racing club /rodeo/camp draft and / Ord paddlers would be desirable, in the long term to activate the precinct and reduce conflict between the existing water based recreation clubs as well as support the Foreshore Plan's suggestion to allow a caravan park in the vicinity.</li> </ul> |

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|                                       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Potential for more horse/equestrian events.</li> <li>Added Gymkhana to rodeo schedule in 2024.</li> <li>Licensed area for 1200 people.</li> <li>Growth in participation in past few years.</li> <li>Strong cultural heart: fishing, rodeos – are important to Aboriginal people -more equal participation.(Council)</li> </ul> | <p>Paddlers would be desirable to activate the precinct.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Caretakers live on site</li> <li>Well maintained. Grass and seating area for spectators. Good natural shade.</li> <li>Bar area recently upgraded.</li> <li>Plenty of parking space.</li> <li>Fencing in good order</li> </ul> | <p>in town, Moving food trucks to allow for more easy access into area when full, The road in, Better lighting in arena (Survey).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Submission: surfacing of the BMX track with grant in 2024/25. Our next highest priority after that would be a pump track – drop-in image attached (estimated \$450k to purchase and install).</li> <li>Other priorities after that Irrigation, Landscaping, Shade/BBQ, Skills track.</li> <li>Council has MOU with Rodeo to build toilets.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Undertake tree planting, increase shade, and develop an off-road trail circuit.”</li> <li>(31) Prepare a master plan for the precinct including action sports, rodeo and Ord River paddlers area to encourage the development of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A hub of integrated facilities</li> <li>Public access to the water jetty and boat launching area</li> <li>Protection of foreshore vegetation and the crown riparian reserve.</li> <li>Use of the area for events</li> <li>Additional tree planting and protection of foreshore vegetation with select areas for viewing onto the water.</li> <li>The future development of a new campground in the development area with a public toilet.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| <p>Kununurra Camp Draft and Rodeo</p> |   |    |  |   |
| <p>Kununurra Indoor Cricket</p>       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Competition between Wynyard and Kununurra.</li> <li>Eight teams in previous season.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Covered pitch with lights on edge of the Town Oval, and beside Sporties.</li> <li>Wyndham Community Club has a pitch.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repair the carpet/surface (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Fix Indoor cricket. Lease boundary issues. Could have a good, combined community space and meeting rooms. Sport is really a connector – but need to have a good</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Collaborate with the indoor cricket group to upgrade the covered indoor cricket nets and carpet (39).”</li> <li>Collaborate with the users of the oval and Sporties to develop a</li> </ul>   |



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|                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>With changes in migration and major increases in people from south Asia Australia wide there has been a corresponding increase in demand for all forms of cricket, including female participation.</li> <li>Likely to be strong demand as outdoor cricket not able to be played at present.</li> <li>The large proportion of the population with English ancestry suggests many of the traditional sporting codes of soccer-football, cricket, tennis, touch rugby and equestrian are likely to be well known and better supported.</li> <li>AusPlay indicates<sup>23</sup>, Indigenous populations in WA have a higher participation rate in cricket (4.9% compared to 2.7%) compared to the rest of the population.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Synthetic turf recently replaced (March 2025)</li> <li>Netting is reasonable condition.</li> <li>Roof in good condition.</li> <li>Lighting present. Upgrade to LED would reduce operational costs</li> <li>Storage container on site.</li> <li>Support facilities from Ord River Sports Club close by.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>committee, good resources. Different sports need storage, social space, parking etc.,(Councillors)</li> <li>Should be signalling with lease holder that next lease will include requirements for wider community use of amenities.(Councillors)</li> <li>Indoor cricket good to have something in the wet season.(Interviews)</li> </ul> | <p>consolidated accessible and code compliant building in this location, overlooking the oval, and including change facilities for the oval bowls and cricket, a shared community space for club and community activities/programs and an associated facility for food and beverage that can be run as a business but support the activities on the oval. (25, 41)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul> |
| Kununurra Speedway Club | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Six meets planned in 2025</li> <li>Up to 30 drivers at big meets.</li> <li>Racing Divisions: Midget Go- Karts, Junior Go-Karts, Senior Go-Karts, Juniors Stocks, Street Stocks,</li> <li>Modifieds, Modlites &amp; Wingless</li> <li>Host carnivals with participants from Darwin and Perth.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Speedway is a highly valued facility in the Shire and enhances the diversity of recreation opportunities.</li> <li>Good location of the main road to the Airport. Leased from Council.</li> <li>No power. Generators in use.</li> <li>Basic facilities and ablutions.</li> <li>Minimal shade available for spectators</li> <li>Track lighting available. Installation of LED lighting would reduce operational costs.</li> <li>Further improvements to the Speedway's safety and support facilities are desirable.</li> <li>Considerable water lies inside the track after rain.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Speedway incredible facility run by volunteers (Survey)</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Continue to support the Golf and Speedway clubs with club development and infrastructure projects where resources allow (28).”</li> <li></li> </ul>   |

<sup>23</sup> AusPlay. (2024). Data Portal: Participation by activity.

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| <p>Kununurra Speedway Club</p>       |    |   |   |    |
| <p>Clarrie Cassidy Oval, Wyndham</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Football - 1 mens teams, 1 womens team</li> <li>• Auskick – 30-50 participants</li> <li>• School athletics and other sports</li> <li>• Other user groups include Garnduwa, Wyndham Aboriginal Youth Corporation, WAPOL Youth Programs, Ngnowar-Aerwah Aboriginal Corporation.</li> <li>• The most used venue in Wyndham based on the survey of residents.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The facility is located on the edge of river flats of the King River. The Facilities include a fenced Aust Rules football oval, 163*137m) no cricket wicket, with pipe rail boundary fence, three public toilets, 2 unisex and one unnamed. Old change rooms, with a veranda, and large shelter, on the northeast. Very small play equipment area positioned adjacent to the car park. New LED oval lighting was installed in 2023. The new accessible changerooms were constructed in 2024 with irrigated spectator area, storage, accessible car park and sealed path, no social space. Light weight building to suit budget, not insulated etc., very hot. Construction work appears not completed. Old rooms remain on the other side of oval. +Storage container. Mature canopy trees adjacent to old rooms.</li> <li>• Trees needed around oval particularly on west side for shade, amenity and heat reduction, and to shade new rooms which are very hot. Council can plant trees before the wet season, and they survive without watering (Staff).</li> <li>• Oval prone to flooding, is waterlogged up until start of football season. But in dry water</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New lights – best in the Kimberley.(Survey).</li> <li>• Better playing surface and drainage needed (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• More trees and shade (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• A social space (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Develop into the hub of Wyndham (LR)</li> <li>• Better playground equipment, More seating, More shade (Survey)</li> <li>• Install outdoor fitness equipment, a possible skate park or pump track and an improved viewing area and BBQ area for spectators (LR)</li> <li>• Children’s play area (LR)</li> <li>• Better space for dog leash area (LR)</li> <li>• Build a new facility near oval or caravan park for all the community. Same people on the club. Say it should be here – because it has always been. Someone has to be a driver of change.(Councillors)</li> <li>• Council cannot maintain the playground due to age and condition of all their assets (staff).</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “In Wyndham, focus on developing two sport and recreation hubs: one in conjunction with the pool and Ted Birch Centre and the other at Clarrie Cassidy Oval (27).”</li> <li>• “Provide a covered cricket facility at the oval (50).”</li> <li>• Commence tree planting program for shade and windbreaks around oval.</li> <li>• Improve viewing area for spectators and include shaded BBQ area</li> </ul> |

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|  |  | <p>extremely expensive in Wyndham – and good quality water is needed.(Staff)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Old change rooms require upgrade if retained for club social space or community gym. Not fully enclosed and exposed to dust and heat.</li> <li>• Option to relocate Community Club and covered cricket to this site as building is end of it life.</li> <li>• If the flooding is likely to increase significantly an alternative site on the highway to the east of the town should be considered.</li> </ul>                    |   |  |
| <p>Clarrie Cassidy Oval, Wyndham</p>   |   |    |    |   |
| Facility                               | Potential demand Current known usage   | Site analysis  | What community/stakeholders said  | Strategic directions (# Strategic Direction in Draft Report)   |
| <p>Ted Birch Youth Centre, Wyndham</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wyndham needs a greater level of support for sport and programs, given the higher levels of disadvantage and unemployment in the town, lower income and lower ownership of cars than Kununurra.</li> <li>• The Shire has nearly double the proportion of developmentally vulnerable children than the state average.</li> <li>• Programmed by Council Youth Officer.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The complex including a building with open sided covered basketball court with lights, an office, program room and lounge. Outdoor facilities include a seating area long the building, a relatively new multi marked, basketball /netball court, with lights and cameras, a play space with a roof, outdoor play sculpture, and an additional outdoor lit basketball court with a very poor surface. A small concrete area to the Sth of the building has a single rail. This had prefabricated skate</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improvements suggested in the survey: Courts other than basketball. Resurfacing of courts, Re-installing the skate park. More shade. Facilities that should be a priority, from the survey: A better, playground, Public gym, Water park and Skate park.</li> <li>• More indoor programs space in Wyndham.(Interviews).</li> <li>• Link multiple facilities together and create a hub, with an evacuation centre, a council</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Provide one indoor court at Wyndham that is also designed to meet evacuation and emergency response centre standards (15).”</li> <li>• Consider providing opportunities for tennis on the outdoor court. An provide new skate elements in association with the centre.</li> <li>• “Focus on developing two sport and recreation hubs: one in conjunction with the pool and Ted Birch Centre</li> </ul> |

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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Basketball focus with boys under 15 training and games. Girls and mixed games.</li> <li>Demand evident for other sports and gym.</li> <li>Centre locked outside of program times leaving uncovered outdoor court only open facility.</li> <li>Garduwa (Indigenous sporting body) events and activities.</li> <li>School basketball</li> <li>Youth discos</li> <li>Hangout space in evenings for young people if staffed (either paid or volunteers)</li> </ul> | <p>elements (seen in 2010 photos, not present when inspected in 2024.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Venue opened in 2003.</li> <li>Welcoming lounge foyer with couches TV, pull down screen and air conditioning in good order.</li> <li>Two billiard tables with felt requiring replacement.</li> <li>Covered 'indoor' court space with lighting, marked basketball, tennis and netball. Two basketball backboards on east side.</li> <li>Backboards in good condition.</li> <li>Centre usage limited to staffed hours.</li> <li>Outdoor court with lighting, marked for basketball, tennis and netball.</li> <li>Basketball rings and backboard in good condition</li> </ul> | <p>office, swimming pool, indoor courts, and a gym (LR)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Install CCTV cameras in front of the buildings to deter vandalism and break-ins viewable by centre staff (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Programs limited by lack of indoor space due to hot weather or rain. Lack of free all-weather active spaces facilities for youth. Requires additional indoor programable space and an air conditioned court. (Interviews)</li> <li>Upgrade the lighting at the Wyndham outdoor basketball court (D&amp;C)</li> <li>Provide a water fountain for outdoor court users (D&amp;C),</li> <li>Roof over the additional court for sun protection (D&amp;C).</li> <li>Lack of facilities for youth in Wyndham</li> <li>Redevelop the skate park on this site, including more shade, seating and lighting (LR).</li> <li>Wyndham needs a gym and a play space to attract workers and families to the town.</li> </ul> | <p>and the other at Clarrie Cassidy Oval (27)."</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consider redesign entry points for swimming pool and Youth Centre and provide a linking building so both venues are better integrated to maximise use of staffing. Consider more programable indoor spaces including a gym.</li> <li>"Develop a community playground and integrated skate park next to the swimming pool (47)."</li> <li>"Replace the existing swimming pool change facilities with integrated accessible and functional facilities (48)."</li> <li>"Enable staff to share responsibilities for the pool, courts, programs, and community facilities (49)."</li> </ul> |
| <p>Ted Birch Youth Centre, Wyndham</p> |   |   |   |   |



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| Wyndham Swimming Pool | Learn to Swim, Swim for Fruit, Junior Lifeguard and a range of other health promotion programs. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Venue opened in 1966, Now a 6 lane pool with accessible ramp in very good condition. Program pools with step entry in good condition.</li> <li>• Grounds well maintained a good pool water quality. Shade sails over pool. Shaded spectator area</li> <li>• The pool's ablution blocks and office are dated and not accessible.</li> <li>• New toilet and change with accessible entry from the street could possibly serve the adjacent undercover courts or a new indoor court which is desirable to provide a daytime air conditioned for sports. and large meetings/ cultural events.</li> <li>• The shade sails are a series of triangles that do not cover the whole main pool. The small pools do not have shade cover. If money ever became available a different style of shade- such as a retractable shade may be more effective.</li> <li>• The local tourist map does not show the pool, and signs from the high are not prominent. Given the climate it is highly there will be high demand for a pool from visitors and it may provide a reason to stop in Wyndham.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What is like most be residents : Central location and Well-maintained. (Survey). What is disliked most: Earlier opening hours, More activities and classes, and More shade.</li> <li>• A fence to separate the small pool and the main pool in Wyndham (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Provide a water park (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Construct a dedicated First Aid room (LR)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Erect a major sign on the highway to promote the Wyndham swimming pool (52).”</li> </ul> |

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| <p>Wyndham Swimming Pool</p>    |    |    |    |    |
| <p>Peter Reid Memorial Hall</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Capacity of 300 people</li> <li>• Only used about 4 times a year (staff).</li> <li>• Used by the school, local community groups such as WYAC.</li> <li>• There is a major and ongoing need in the town for stage – for a place for meetings/ cultural and civic activities, especially for school activities.</li> <li>•</li> <li>•</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Constructed in 1982. Now in very poor condition. (staff).</li> <li>• The major benefit of this facility for the town is the stage, which is 6 metres deep and providing space for small shows.(Interviews)</li> <li>• The facility has 3 phase power Light rigging serving stage. Back stage dressing rooms with showers and toilets. (Interviews)</li> <li>• Air-conditioning not functioning adequately. Toilet blocks up. Constant power issues.(Staff)</li> <li>• Venue capacity 300 people. Parquetry floor.</li> <li>• As a stand along building not cost effective with small community.</li> <li>• More sustainable if civic and other community functions were able to share a building, and reception. (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Some cross over with activities in</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fix acoustics for events and Fix air-conditioning duration. (Survey).</li> <li>• Upgrade power and air conditioning at the Peter Reid Memorial Hall (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Staff sit on their own in these facilities- OHS issue (staff )</li> <li>• Not cost effective to maintain all infrastructure in the Wyndham hub Rebuild as one facility. (Staff)</li> <li>• New toilet facilities (D&amp;C)</li> <li>• Would like to use for Bingo, pool tournaments, gymnasium. Liquor Licence (Interviews).</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reduce the number of buildings in the hub to a more manageable number that reduced duplicated amenities and parking etc , and importantly the cost of maintenance.</li> <li>• Consider integrating the function of a meeting place with a stage, into the redeveloped pool /Ted Birch Centre, (or a civic facility to replace the existing hall).</li> </ul> |

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| Wyndham Community Club |   |    |   |   |
| Wyndham Community Club | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Used by locals as a social club, music venue, cricket, pool, table tennis and darts, and by local community groups such as WYAC.</li> <li>Up to 32 participate in darts and 16 for indoor cricket. (Interview).</li> <li>High demand for range of activities that attract permanent residents to town – especially gym and range of adult activities other than football.</li> <li>Wyndham needs a greater level of support for sport and programs, given the higher levels of disadvantage and unemployment in the town, lower income and lower ownership of cars than Kununurra.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A small facility outside the main township, run by volunteers.</li> <li>The facility offers pool, table tennis, darts, and a social club. Outside there are tables and cricket enclosure.</li> <li>The facility is in very poor condition.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only social space for adults in Wyndham. Longer opening hours are needed. (Survey)</li> <li>Indoor cricket out at the community club. Very strong in Wyndham. Very social – lighting an issue, building needs to be looked at. is it in the right location? (Councillors)</li> <li>Build a new facility near oval or caravan park for all the community. Same people on the club. Say it should be here – because it has always been. Someone has to be a driver of change.(Councillors)</li> <li>Have not been able to get able to find a chef and volunteer so hard</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>“Focus on developing two sport and recreation hubs: one in conjunction with the pool and Ted Birch Centre and the other at Clarrie Cassidy Oval (27).”</li> <li>Replace the building with a new combined social and covered cricket facility.</li> </ul> |

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| Wyndham Community Club |  |  |  |  |

## Appendix 10 Event details, Strengths, Weaknesses Opportunities by Site

The following table provides a list of sites that currently have events, the name, capacity, nature of infrastructure, as well as strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, threats and recommendations by staff for each site and issues arising from engagement.

| Location            | Attendees 2024 | Event  | Capacity | Infrastructure   | Other events  | Opportunities  | Weaknesses  | Strength  | Threats  | Action (staff)  | Consultation Findings   |
|---------------------|----------------|--|----------|--|---|--|---|---|--|---|---|
| KUNUNURRA           |                |  |          |  |   |  |   |   |  |   |   |
| Ag Oval             | 65             | Maggies Ladies Day   | 3000?    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Club, changerooms/ toilets, several sheds, show pavilions, equestrian area, unofficial parking.</li> <li>Some show pavilions buildings in the north, and equestrian facilities in the south.</li> <li>Access to 3 phase power/ some kitchen, access to water/ ability to provide storage / wastewater disposal / adjacent campground</li> <li>Low costs /scale of infrastructure required to improve for events.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Toy and Puzzle Library open days</li> <li>School events, Athletics carnivals</li> <li>Football Carnival and Games</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Expand the Ag Show to be bigger</li> <li>Type of events: large shows/ festivals, and sporting finals/ carnivals.</li> <li>Provide facilities, toilets and change etc., to support events and visiting teams.</li> <li>Facilities for visitors will also assist local clubs and user groups and increase informal local use.</li> <li>Could provide more dedicated parking.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No direct connection with the river/ or other significant scenic destination.</li> <li>Limited dedicated parking.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large area flexibility to scale up and down depending on the event</li> <li>Centrally located easy to get to and prominent - to maximise patronage.</li> <li>Close to the school. Campground adjacent.</li> <li>No major conflict with other uses/ residents.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sale of part of the space, for community housing, may reduce potential for sport, the diversity of show activities , and large events (land and noise conflicts)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More toilet facilities</li> <li>Football change rooms</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide a public support facility at the Ag oval to support school, casual and community event use. Provide the support facility on the northwest. Clubrooms, toilets and water access, separate from the Maggies. Better shade. The changerooms at the Agricultural Oval need to be redeveloped, particularly to allow for females. More storage required. Better maintenance schedule of the pitch. Upgrade the lighting. Public access to toilets/change at the Agricultural Oval. Improve drainage. Ag society best events space. Council needs some community facilities there for events etc., , Footy club not willing to grant access to toilet even for events etc. Interschool cross country/athletics important there. Better access to water, less reliant on Maggies for toilets and water. Maybe easier access from the highway, currently single lane access. No car access to the northern side of the oval. More seating and purpose- built shade. Maggies bar can create a poor crowd atmosphere at football.</li> <li>The ag oval is the best event space bar none.</li> <li>After the Kununurra Market, more survey respondents attended the show than any other event. (72%) Suggested improvements included: More stalls/events, Reposition the main stage, Better toilets, Lower entry fee, More shade/undercover areas with seating. Dates; moved away from NAIDOC week. Public dump-point elsewhere. Additional parking outside fence. Survey respondents said Ag Oval was a good venue for the Show.</li> <li>The school currently relies on the Ag oval for sports activities due to its large student numbers and close proximity.</li> <li>New storage space for junior football at the Town Oval.</li> </ul> |
|                     | 6000           | Agricultural Show<br>Schools Athletics carnival / Junior Footy carnivals |          |  |   |  |   |   |  |   |   |
| ANZAC Hill Memorial | 500            | Kununurra ANZAC Day  | 500      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flagpole, open flat area, unofficial parking.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kununurra ANZAC Dawn Service</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve the experience for the Anzac Day Dawn Service</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formalised parking. Provide lighting</li> </ul>                  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No comments.</li> </ul>  |



| Location                    | Attendees 2024 | Event                                      | Capacity | Infrastructure   | Other events  | Opportunities   | Weaknesses   | Strength   | Threats  | Action (staff)   | Consultation Findings  |
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| BMX Track Old Darwin Road   | 120            | KNX Half Marathon                          |          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No comments.</li> </ul>   |
| Gibb River Road – to Durack | 200            | Gibb River Rd Challenge (MTB)              | ?        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Private</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No comments.</li> </ul>   |
| Celebrity Tree Park         | 3500           | Ord Valley Muster/ Kimberley Moon Festival | ?        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Toilets</li> <li>Some tree uplighting</li> <li>Rotunda</li> <li>Playground and fitness Station</li> <li>Water bubbler.</li> <li>Low cost/scale of infrastructure required to improve for events.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ord Valley Muster (major)</li> <li>Teddy Bear Picnic (local)</li> <li>Weddings, Private parties</li> </ul>               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hold more community events, sporting events, market style events.</li> <li>Replant some specimen trees .</li> <li>Provide a perimeter path, to enhance pedestrian safety during events, but encourage informal use at other times.</li> <li>Utilise the water as a backdrop.</li> <li>Investment will also encourage additional local use outside event season.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Some conflict with road/ boat ramp use etc., and no buffer or path separation.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good size, Mature trees for shade, beautiful views across the water. Some interpretive information.</li> <li>Very close to town. Campground adjacent.</li> <li>Suits what providers require.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Permanent facilities may reduce space for events. Noise may impact resident across the Lagoon. Manage environmental impact of activity on shoreline.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More toilets, formalised parking, lighting, access to power.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improvements suggested: More local focus/acts/community involvement, Better bands/acts, Lower ticket prices/better value for money/seating capacity, Need disability access/more inclusive, Move back at the golf course. Need to run biannually/Main event has lost its sparkle, Better dates/so do not compete with Darwin. Face the lake/Use water.</li> <li>Create walkable access to and around the lake. Support for markets. Consider small stage. Muster brings lights in – nothing really lit?</li> <li>Make more family friendly, Parking/security of cars parked, A festival site on the water or views of elephant rock A portable commercial kitchen, More relevant acts to draw tourists, Less reliance on generators, The lake needs cleaning Portable modular stage required. Power access at Celebrity Tree Park. Toilets at Celebrity Tree Park. Portable event facilities like stage, kitchen, and waste.</li> <li>Requires toilet block development and accessibility. Requires power upgrade and outlets</li> <li>Grey water disposal points. Improve visual connection to water. Concert noise potential concern</li> </ul> |
|                             | 260            | Teddy Bear's Picnic                        |          |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|                             | 50             | Story Walk Opening                         |          |  |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Gibb River Road             | 350            | Gibb Challenge (MTB)                       |          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No comments.</li> </ul>   |
| Kimberley Grande            | 150            | East Kimberley Business Excellence Awards  | 150      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Function room with bar, kitchen, toilets and parking</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kimberley Economic Forum</li> <li>High School Formal Business Excellence Awards</li> <li>Other private events</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Function room with bar, kitchen, toilets and parking</li> </ul>  |  |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Private facility.</li> </ul>  |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Be good to have something Shire owns so we do not just give money to larger businesses such as the Grande every time a large workshop or event space is needed. The town does lack some nice indoors event spaces like conference rooms, would be great to have an indoor venue that is usable the entire year round.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Golf Club         |                | Not known                                  | 3500     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Golf course, toilets, kitchen, indoor hall, Stage.</li> <li>Three phase electricity. Not much space with trees for amenity during events.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not known.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large air conditioned brick clubhouse with bar and kitchen facilities in good condition.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Underutilised</li> <li>Sand greens.</li> <li>Lack of permanent water supply.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Close to the airport, the water and highway.</li> <li>Large air conditioned brick clubhouse</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of water, (irrigation).</li> <li>Would need to redesign the course if the Shire</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nil</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If the Shire takes some land for redevelopment need to redesign the course. Proper irrigation and maintenance for full grass greens.</li> </ul>   |



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|                                       |                |                                   |                               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Low scale of investment required to improve site for events.</li> </ul>   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Install sound proofing to host more clubhouse events.</li> <li>Investment will also encourage additional local use outside the event season</li> <li>Investment will assist the clubs sustainability, proving sport options for older adults, and allow then to host tournaments/ retaining /attracting new population.</li> <li>Type of events—large concerts, and golf tournaments.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For viability – want events in town so you can see.</li> <li>No affordable accommodation close by.</li> <li>Limitations with the narrow road in.</li> <li>Permanent stage and orientation - low flexibility to scale up/ down.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>with bar and kitchen facilities in good condition. Existing stage. Easy access, convenient location. Scenic views.</li> <li>Low impact on permanent residents</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>purchases more land for a hotel.</li> <li>The stage on the side of hole #1 juts onto the fairway. It annoys members and is largely unused.</li> </ul> |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>After Celebrity Tree Park the Golf Club, rated in the survey as the most preferred event space.</li> <li>Nothing wrong with the stage there -just in the wrong location. (interviews)</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Streets                     | 500            | Santa Float Parade                |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
|                                       | 500            | Kununurra Beats on the Streets    |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
| Kununurra Leisure Centre              | 50             | Citizen Of The Year               | 500?                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor sports court with stage, storage, toilets and showers, water bubbler,(squash courts and gym)</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Christmas markets, End of year school events, Careers Expo, Family Fun Day, Australia Day event, various ceremonies, NAIDOC Week Ball</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Expand the Christmas Markets, host more indoor events, functions and ceremonies.</li> <li>Additional court would provide for</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited if any capacity available for events.</li> <li>Airconditioning not reliable.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enables events in all seasons.</li> </ul>  |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade air-conditioning at the Leisure Centre.</li> <li>At least one preferably two indoor courts needed at the leisure centre.</li> <li>Upgrade as an evacuation centre – 300 people. Include second court, kitchen, playground climbing wall. Expand storage</li> </ul>   |
|                                       | 320            | St Joseph's Quiz Night            |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
|                                       | 500            | Christmas Markets                 |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
|                                       | 500            | ?                                 |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
|                                       | 200<br>200     | Kununurra Aust. Day               |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
| Kununurra Leisure Centre Squash Court |                |                                   | Three squash courts in a row. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Three squash courts.</li> </ul>   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Potential for tournaments. Very strong sport tin WA and NT.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not available for squash all the time.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ver string sport in WA and NT and option in wet season.</li> </ul>   |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The ceiling is not regulation height / Floors in the squash courts need replacing. 2x2 court would be good. 4 courts in total for competition.</li> <li>Need squash water fountain. Benches to sit up on, secure fridge and secure storage. Solid air conditioning. Need 4 courts in total.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Neighbourhood House         | 50             | International Womens Day          | 100                           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kitchen, toilets, small conference room, larder conference rooms, kids creche area, office, small outdoor area</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>100</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not known</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not known</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not known</li> </ul>                     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No comments.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Picture Gardens             | 200            | Community Garage Sale             | 1000                          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fenced area, toilets, canteen, stage, unofficial parking.</li> <li>Projection area, ticket gate, temporary signage.</li> <li>Relative low investment required: services, basic building / toilets, signage</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular movie nights. Taste of the Kimberley Festival.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Expand events.</li> <li>Upgrade grass surface, food trucks/ coffee cart / family use.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Facilities tired.</li> <li>Poor surface quality.</li> <li>Not well signed</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very central, very large. Great flexibility for music, festival markets and cultural events, Potential overflow</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not Council's.</li> <li>May be ultimately lost to development ?</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Building and service upgrades</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improvements suggested: Seating /Bean bags and picnic tables, More grass/Trees and shade, Nothing, love it the way it is.</li> <li>Better toilets, Upgrade important historical venue, Parking outside the fence for long vehicles, More ambiance, Move light in chestnut that shines under the screen,</li> <li>Food vans/food options, More/better films.</li> </ul> |
|                                       | 250            | Picture gardens anniversary event |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |
|                                       | 350            | East Kimberley                    |                               |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |



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|                         |  | Aboriginal Achievement Awards                      |          | etc., surface improvement.  |   |  |  | camping if required.   |  |   |  |
|                         | 1020   | Taste of the Kimberley                             |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| Kununurra Pool          | 100  | 20K In a Day Carnivals                             |          |   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>New 50m pool provides opportunity for regional swimming carnival to be shared between Darwin and Katherine that has economic benefits to town.</li> </ul>   |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central location</li> <li>Various pool options for kids</li> </ul>  |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Must meet competition standards: depth for diving, entries at both ends (swim relays), The deep end (25m) suitable for Water Polo, Starting blocks at both ends, suitable starting straps/holds for back stroke. 10 lanes and competition lane widths. Timing clock.</li> </ul>   |
| Kununurra Race Club     | 400  | Black Tie Fundraiser East Kimberley Economic Forum |          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Access to power, toilets, multiple closed offices, bar, stage (semi-permanent), shade, kitchen (outdated)</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kununurra Cup, Ladies Day</li> <li>Black Tie Fundraiser</li> <li>Kimberley Economic Forum</li> <li>Taste of the Kimberley</li> <li>Private weddings, private events</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grow current events and increase facility hire for other events year-round.</li> <li>Option for another function centre( limited no in town/ commercial kitchen that can help others.</li> <li>"The race club has an iconic backdrop of elephant rock, near lake, camping space, out of town so less noise issues, lots of space to grow bigger and to have various stages and breakout areas."</li> <li>Formalise campground that can attract fees. And serve water based use, rodeo and bike facilities.</li> <li>Other river, walks, and cultural options to extend the experience in the precinct.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Distance from town / lack of prominence.</li> <li>Poor condition of support facilities. Limited number of sports that would use the facilities regularly.</li> <li>Lack of all-weather road.</li> </ul>               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Low impact on permanent residents</li> <li>Access via the river for experience.</li> <li>Scenic backdrop</li> <li>Space available.</li> <li>Could add accommodation function centre what town needs.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cost of development – support infrastructure, infield, for core activities- only 2 race meets a year, and cost of road upgrade.</li> <li>Racing impacted by Racing WA - clashes with Broome.</li> <li>High scale of investment required / road/. Site fencing / major building design and development</li> <li>Further degradation of riverbank.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More reliable access to power</li> <li>Enclosed registered kitchen,</li> <li>More toilets</li> <li>Formalise parking</li> <li>Seal access road</li> <li>Accessible path to event areas.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Transportable commercial kitchen at Race club? Job pathways had a commercial kitchen</li> <li>An increase in patronage from 2023 where there was one less race and a total of 31-34 horses competing.</li> <li>Upgrade stables and build 14 more. Upgrade the jockey's room.</li> <li>Upgrade the internet. The entry road is impassable in wet season.</li> <li>Distance from town an issue for events.</li> <li>Facilities required for events – stage, ablutions, kitchen, cold storage, sewage management</li> <li>Host music events without no noise concerns</li> <li>Potential for other horse events – polo crose, pony club, equestrian</li> <li>Improvements suggested: Shade/misters, More seating/more standing barrels</li> <li>Timing earlier in year, Buses? More toilets, Stabling, new barriers, Upgrade the bar and kitchen</li> <li>Better support the club, Fix the road in, Reduce prices, Flatten the ground.</li> <li>The racetrack is subject to major damage issues if the infield is used for major events which could lead to safety and environment issues for the race club (and ultimately lead to the cessation of racing</li> </ul> |
|                         | 2000<br>42-44 horses<br>Two race meetings per year with 7 races each | Kununurra Races                                    |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
|                         | 2000   | Ladies Day   | 2000     |   |   |  |  |  |  |   |  |
| Kununurra Moto-X Club   | ?  |  |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs track repairs to the back tracks.</li> </ul>  |
| Kununurra Rodeo Grounds | 2200*  | Ord Valley Muster May Rodeo                        | 2200     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Overflow camping, bar area, fenced rodeo ring, grandstands, toilets, parking</li> </ul>                              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Campdraft and Rodeo, Muster Rodeo, BMX Track open days, Kununurra Half Marathon</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grow rodeo events, potentially look into overflow camping.</li> <li>Strong following for campdraft and rodeo. 2 events a year. Space for camping.</li> <li>Future development of one main commercial kitchen / function and support facilities that serve both rodeo and race club.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of toilets,</li> <li>Poor quality road access.</li> <li>Not a prominent location.</li> <li>Other than support facilities few other users of the specific facilities. Limited number of events a year.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apart from road, low level of infrastructure required.</li> <li>Strong following of rodeo and campdraft in state and region.</li> </ul>   |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide more accessible toilet facilities, accessible path to event areas.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large no. of people from out of town.</li> <li>Upgrade on the kitchen and bar/ including capacity, Music/DJ, Better/more toilets, More food options, Good event/facility, Make safer, Banners in town, Moving food trucks to allow for more easy access into area, The road in, Better lighting in arena.</li> <li>Larger proportion of people from within region and NT.</li> <li>Upgrade to power to allow for events and camping.</li> <li>Improve entry road.</li> </ul>  |
|                         | 2132   | August Campdraft*                                  | 2200     |   |   |  |  |  |  |   |  |



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|                          |  |                                 |          |   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formalised campground facilities to service another river and precinct</li> <li>Other river, walks, and cultural options to extend the experience in the precinct.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Needs power upgrade.</li> </ul>   |  |  |  |   |
| Lake Argyle              | 900  | Argyle Swim                     | 900      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Relies on River access for support craft and entry</li> <li>Some use caravan park jetty, riverbank near wall as well as existing boat clubs access and boat ramps.(ie SkiClub Ord Paddlers and Lagoon boat ramp.)</li> <li>Toilets, bar, kitchen, stage, outdoor area.</li> <li>Bank reinforcing mats to make entry safer and protect bank.</li> <li>Np public toilets for Marathon Paddlers.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lake Argyle Swim,</li> <li>Lake Argyle Swim Dinner, Argyle Adventure Race</li> <li>Ord River Paddle, Dragon Boat Marathon, Thank A Volunteer Cruise, Dam to Dam</li> <li>Various organisations have boats and barges to hire, a few triple J stops.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Formalising safer water entry and parking adjacent to the wall and caravan park.</li> <li>Grow events.</li> <li>Bigger</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited scale of events</li> <li>Slope associated with existing jetty nearest to the caravan park</li> <li>Lack of formal / safe car parking</li> <li>No direct pedestrian access from the resort/ caravan park.</li> <li>No formal boat launch - and car parking potential.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spectacular scenery, warm weather.</li> <li>Wide still water.</li> <li>Always has water.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Some events reliance on one single operator boat and craft capacity.</li> <li>Single event organiser – can run them any more</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improvements suggested: Boat ramp/boat launch, Access from the finish line to the resort, Not much - good events.</li> <li>Lack of easy access to lake, limits events - Lake Argyle Swim, Dam to Dam</li> <li>The boat ramp/ access limits the Lake Argyle Swim event capacity.</li> <li>Dragon Boat Marathon entries are as strong as ever. Power to the site and issue. The entry road is impassable in wet season. Storage for boats. They do not have their own toilets but share with the Rodeo.</li> <li>Improvements suggested: More access to the Upper Ord, More crowd engagement through the race, Prickles can sometimes get out of control at back near toilets, Better event set up and space, more facilities, Parking, Toilets are old.</li> </ul> |   |
|                          | 200  | Lake Argyle Adventure Race      |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Ord River                | 45   | Ord River Paddle                | ?        |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | 150  | Dragon Boat Marathon            |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | ?  | Dam to Dam Dinghy Dash          |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | 50   | Thank a Volunteer Cruise        |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Lake Argyle Caravan Park | 700  | Argyle Swim Presentation Dinner | 700      |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Ski Beach                | 400  | Hired for private functions     | 400      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Club facilities only</li> <li>Toilets (outdated), bar, undercover open area, storage shed, unofficial parking, boat ramp, minimal power.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Barra Bash, Ski Show, Dam to Dam, Night Markets, Build Up Bash, Hired for private functions.</li> <li>4 events each dry season plus the Dam to Dam.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grow current events and increase facility hire for other events year-round.</li> <li>Move the road back a little from the foreshore to provide more land for events / activities / boat launch along the foreshore.</li> <li>Promote easy access to fishing and boating off the highway.</li> <li>Move the boat ramps away from the swimming area to reduce conflict</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Standard of toilets/ public facilities.</li> <li>Main road to the Ski Club limits pedestrian activities and foreshore park.</li> <li>Dusty road</li> <li>No separated of pedestrian and cars.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Excellent multi-purpose area.</li> <li>Beautiful location for a variety of activities.</li> <li>High visitor potential as connection with the river/ other significant scenic destination.</li> <li>Access by shared trail</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lack of traffic management.</li> <li>Safety of pedestrian without designated car parking and car free spaces.</li> </ul>                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Storage, Clubrooms, More toilets, Seal access road.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fishing competition at the Ski Club - traffic management major issue needs to be resolved or move the fishing to somewhere else?</li> <li>Upgrade to three-phase power, reducing the need for generators.</li> <li>Stunning, cheap family friendly events, community grassroots management.</li> <li>Need for upgraded toilets, and better weeding, e.g. cumbungi.</li> </ul>                        |
|                          | 500  | Ski Beach Night Market          |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | 500  | WA Ski Show                     |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | 250  | Build up Bash                   |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | (1026)*                                      | Dam to Dam                      |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
|                          | 1000   | Barra Bash (fishing event)      |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |
| Swim Beach               | 100  | Baby Tree                       | 200      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Toilets, small playground, 2 x BBQ shelters, boat ramp, swim area.</li> <li>Off road trail in circuit following the shared path, unsealed roads and irrigation channel</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Private parties</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade to allow local and small scale events</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Poor standard of toilets.</li> <li>Poor playground Relatively small area for events.</li> <li>Conflict between swimmers, jet skis and boats.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very scenic spot, well used.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A proposed commercial boating facility.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More toilets, upgrade boat ramp, increase sandy swimming area, remove cumbungi</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improve swim beach. Drop sand there for a beach. Adequate/functioning toilets. Safer boat ramp area. Clearer demarcations to avoid mixing user-groups, cars and pedestrians. Reticulated grass area for picnics. Upgraded playground. Upgraded toilets, General care for the area. Requires mosquito control. Redesign with a better path.</li> <li>Relocate boat ramp away from swimmers</li> </ul> |
|                          | 11,116 runners since 2018 Approx.34 each run | Kununurra parkrun               |          |   |   |  |  |  |  |  |   |



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|                           | 1170           | Taste of the Kimberley; FEASTival                            |          |  |  |  |   |  |   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>26% of people from outside the Kimberley</li> </ul>   |
| Pumphouse Restaurant      | 40             | Taste of the Kimberley                                       |          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Restaurant</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Salute   Pumphouse Brunch</li> </ul>  |  |   |  |   |   |  |
| ?                         | 28             | Farm to Market Tour  |          |  |  |  |   |  |   |   |  |
| ?                         | 75             | Sundaze  |          |  |  |  |   |  |   |   |  |
| Town Oval                 | 200            | Inflata-Fest<br>Major Sports carnivals<br>Sidewalk Astronomy | 300?     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large Oval</li> <li>Sporties, lighting, Lawn Bowls. Indoor cricket, adjacent to the PCYC</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sport, Youth events, Sidewalk Astronomy, NAIDOC Week events</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Larger sporting carnivals and events, if public facilities provided for hirers</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Poor public support facilities, especially for women.</li> <li>Pedestrian safety – no formal crossing point access to tennis and PCYC.</li> <li>Lights on oval need to be upgraded.</li> <li>Dangerous cricket wicket</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Central Spectacular backdrop</li> <li>Support facilities with good viewing of the ground.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited access to funds for needed support facilities.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade lighting, changerooms with toilets and showers, club room with canteen and kitchen area</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved lighting – as almost inadequate at the moment (more lights and higher light towers).</li> <li>New changerooms are needed to include females.</li> <li>No access to leased buildings when oval/s are hired out</li> <li>Lack of community meeting space and shared spaces</li> <li>10-year leases of key sporting assets, need reworking to suit sports clubs and community groups.</li> <li>Oval is great/ good playing field, location to town, central hub.</li> </ul> |
| Sporties at Town Oval     |                |  | 300?     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Toilets, kitchen, bar, outdoor undercover area, stage, playground</li> </ul>                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kununurra Pride</li> <li>Sports finals</li> <li>Fundraisers</li> <li>Private events and functions.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Redevelop, collocated with a sports toilet/ change support facility to serve the sports facilities, still offering food and social space to support clubs and social sports activities, as well as UpToDate function space for medium sized events.</li> <li>Could support additional social sports such as touch?</li> <li>Could support reasonably large sports events, including more than one sports code- if suitable support facilities are provided to serve people of all gender identities and abilities.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Done have public support facilities, especially for women.</li> <li>Access to alcohol during junior football etc.,</li> <li>Poor condition of the facility.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Great location on west side of the ground.</li> <li>Supports social sports such as cricket and bowls – not likely to be sustainable as stand-alone club.</li> <li>Greater diversity of opportunities assists in attracting new/ retaining existing population.</li> <li>Space to scale up and down depending on the event</li> <li>Low scale of investment required in partnership with a private club to support sports and events.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Condition of the facility remaining without provision for female participation, and club facilities, will limit participation and sustainability of existing clubs, and ability to host events.</li> </ul> |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Separate Sporties from the sporting functions of the oval.</li> </ul>   |
| Town Oval / Whitegum Park | 200            | NAIDOC Week  |          |  |  |  |   |  |   |   |  |



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| / Kununurra Leisure Centre        |                |  |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
| Waringarri Aboriginal Arts Centre | 500 (408)*     | Corroboree under the stars                                 |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
| Waringarri Radio                  | 160            | Waringarri Radio Anniversary                               |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
| Whitegum Park                     | 100            | World No Tobacco Day                                       | x        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Skate park.</li> <li>Barbeque area, car park/coach parking</li> <li>Public toilets and minimal seating.</li> </ul> |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To create more active frontages around the park to enhance community surveillance and sense of activity.</li> <li>Enhance the quality of grass.</li> <li>Strong market supports local business and culture.</li> <li>Suits small local events could include skate competition.</li> <li>May extend the season depending on weather.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Poor condition of concrete skate park in places.</li> <li>Poor presentation:</li> <li>Needs regular sweeping and cleaning.,</li> <li>Grass surface was worn and unattractive.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good sized park and very central, close to shops etc.,</li> <li>Large mature canopy trees.</li> <li>Strong community support for the market .</li> <li>Low impact on permanent residents.</li> </ul> |         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More variety/stalls/stall holders at the Market Clean surrounds/broken glass/grass maintenance.</li> <li>More seating/spread out, More local stalls/indigenous involvement, Encourage local businesses to attend.</li> <li>More parking, More food, options, Lower fee, Longer season, Toilets.</li> <li>More exhibitors to reduce wait times for service. It would be great to have some more diverse offerings than vendors who we can go to every week. Maybe invite other food stalls if they use local suppliers.</li> <li>Varied and interesting events at the site but not a site preferred for other major events.</li> </ul> |  |
|                                   | 100            | R U OK Day   |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 92             | OV Muster Storytelling Night                               |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 100            | International Day of People With Disability                |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 200            | White ribbon Day KNX and WYN                               |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 100            | Mental Health Week Mural                                   |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 200            | Kununurra Silent March Against Family Domestic Violence    |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 200            | Market Every Sat – April to September                      |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
| Waringarri Arts Centre, Kununurra | 500            | Corroboree Under the Stars Youth and Aboriginal workshops. |          | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kitchen, toilets, fenced outdoor area, gallery</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Corroboree Under the Stars</li> <li>Youth and Aboriginal workshops.</li> </ul> |   |   |   |         |  |  |
|                                   | 21             | Waringarri Arts Experience (OVM)                           |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
| Waringarri Radio, Kununurra       | 160            | Waringarri Radio Anniversary                               |          |   |   |   |   |   |         |  |  |
| Off Road Trails – various         |                |  |          |   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opportunities to run additional events, MTB challenges, trail running (as well as new school sports etc., (as well as local programs). develop circuits around the town and connect to the key attractions as well as get to events.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Would rely on local provider / or AusCycling to organise.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very limited investment required for large benefit.</li> <li>With careful alignment in conjunction with Aboriginal co-operatives to include/ view specific feature</li> </ul>                        |         |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognise the use/demand across the informal trail network that currently exists for: Mountain bikes</li> <li>Off road running , Horse riding Trail bikes and quad riding.</li> </ul> |



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|                                      |                |  |                             |  |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provides another opportunity for visitors and encourages people with a disability to get out and about.</li> <li>Could add side event to the Gibb Challenge. Or add to a paddle and run type event.</li> </ul>   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>on country. Investment will also encourage additional local use outside event season</li> </ul>   |   |   |  |
| <b>WYNDHAM</b>                       |                |  |                             |  |   |   |   |  |   |   |  |
| Location                             | Attendees 2024 | Event Name   | Capacity (Council provided) | Infrastructure   | Other Current Events  | Opportunities   | Weaknesses  | Strengths  | Threats   | Staff Event Recommendations   | Consultation Findings  |
| The Bastion / 5 Rivers Lookout       | 50             | Wyndham ANZAC Day  | 500                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One drop toilet</li> <li>One large picnic shelter, and several small Seating</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ANZAC dawn service, Stars on the Bastian</li> </ul>                                    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grow the "Stars on the Bastian".</li> <li>Encourage other community events.</li> <li>Could provide walks etc from the look out.</li> <li>Sign post to local cafes etc., on way down.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Difficult stone surface facilities not accessible to people using mobility devices</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spectacular views.</li> </ul>   |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add toilets, improve access road and existing facilities.</li> </ul>   |  |
| Peter Reid Hall, Wyndham             |                | Wyndham Community Xmas Event, Private parties and events, ceremonies | 200                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Indoor hall, stage, toilets, bar area, access to power Old building</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wyndham Community Xmas Event, Private parties and events, ceremonies</li> </ul>        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consolidate with other council facilities to enable cost effective maintenance, and fit for purpose suite of community facilities in Wyndham that will attract future residents, minimise staffing etc.,</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very poor condition – Limited funds to maintain as separate venue.</li> <li>Poor acoustics for events</li> <li>Air-conditioning needs upgrade.</li> <li>Power needs an upgrade.</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Has a stage.</li> <li>Very central.</li> <li>Only indoor community centre in Wyndham.</li> </ul>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Poor condition of the facility, and cost to maintain a stand-alone building</li> </ul>                       |   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgrade power and air conditioning at the Peter Reid Memorial Hall.</li> </ul>  |
| Ted Birch Recreation Centre, Wyndham |                |  | 250                         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Undercover court, water bubbler, access to power, kitchen, indoor program room, small storage room, offices/ lounge.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sport carnivals, youth events,</li> <li>Could include Community challenges.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Opportunity to host more small community events.</li> <li>Could have multiple fun challenges involving courts sports and the pool, and not just youth focus.</li> <li>Create one indoor court and seal others.</li> <li>Collocate with emergency/ evac centre/ gym needed for the population at large.</li> <li>Serve the role of a hall to reduce maintenance costs of separate building an cost of staffing</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Limited by lack of indoor space due to hot weather or rain, and availability at night.</li> <li>Constrained space more suited to local events.</li> <li>Doesn't include courts other than basketball.</li> <li>Programs limited by lack of indoor space due to hot weather or rain.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Very central</li> <li>Investment will also encourage additional local use outside event season</li> <li>Adjacent to the pool.</li> <li>Investment will assist in attracting new/ retaining existing population</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A basic range of facilities are required to continue to encourage residents to call Wyndham home.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Undercover court, water bubbler, access to power, kitchen, indoor room, small storage room, offices</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Not accessible at night. Outdoor courts are, but not suitable surfaces.</li> <li>Central location, Covered for sport. Courts other than basketball needed.</li> </ul> |
| Wyndham Picture Gardens              | 350            | Munumburra Festival  | 350                         |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Munumburra Festival</li> </ul>   |   |   |  |   |   |  |
| Wyndham Community Club               |                |  | 300?                        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bar, kitchen, toilets, indoor area very dated</li> <li>Covered cricket pitch</li> </ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brown Water Classic.</li> <li>Private events e.g. Wyndham</li> </ul>                   |   |   |  |   |   |  |



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|                               |                |   |          |  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Teachers End of Year windup</li> <li>Cricket competitions</li> </ul> |  |   |  |  |  |   |
| Clarrie Cassidy Oval, Wyndham |                |   | 500      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Upgraded sports lighting.</li> <li>Upgraded changerooms, old changerooms and associated shade trees,</li> <li>Very small play space.</li> <li>Separate accessible public toilets (3).</li> <li>Fenced Aust Rules football oval, 163*137m) no cricket wicket, with pipe rail boundary fence. Large shelter, on the northeast.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sporting carnivals and events, family fun days.</li> </ul>           | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide some events in Wyndham that promote the history and significance of Wyndham and the Port to visitors.</li> <li>Tourists love it but they walk around looking for things to spend their money on then jump in their cars and travel on.</li> <li>Plant trees needed around oval and on west side for shade, amenity.</li> <li>Bring additional facilities here such as Community Club and cricket nets to create more of a destination.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No wayfinding from town.</li> <li>Not centrally located . Located on the edge of the King River – So flood prone.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Large space with irrigated grass.</li> <li>The most used venue in Wyndham.</li> <li>New sports lights – best in the Kimberley. New change facilities. Atmosphere at sporting events.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The site is flood prone.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improved playing surface that drains better pre-season. Social space. Trees and shade. Playground poor quality. More seating, More shade. Considerable shade is needed around the perimeter of the oval and to shade the change facilities.</li> <li>Most used facility in Wyndham.</li> </ul> |
| Wyndham Pool                  | 50             | Australia Day   |          |  |   |  |   |  |  |  |   |
|                               | 100            | Wyndham Family Fun Day - Raising awareness for family domestic violence |          |  |   |  |   |  |  |  |   |
| Wyndham Waterways             | 500            | Brown Water Classic   |          |  |   |  |   |  |  |  |   |

