

WATERWISE GARDEN COMPETITION RESULTS



Kalgoorlie-Boulder's annual Waterwise Garden Competition 2006 was again hotly contested with entrants vying for \$1200 worth of Waldecks-Kalgoorlie gardening vouchers and 6 trailer loads of mulch donated by the Water Corporation.

Typically those gardens that were successful had little or no lawn, a variety of Waterwise and local native plants on drip type reticulation and were weed free. The gardens that had an attractive layout and used coarse, environmentally friendly mulch were also held in high regard.

Winners of the 2006 Waterwise Garden Competition were:

RESIDENTIAL — OWNER/OCCUPIER

- 1ST Tania Kentish, 50 Carrington St
 2ND Steve Leipold, 41A Lyall St
 3RD Robin Lonsdale and Morrie Goodz, 132 Lyall St
 4TH Ian & Leila Worth, 98A Ward St

COMMUNITY

- 1ST Family Training Institute, Wilson St
 2ND O'Connor Special Ed Garden, Osmetti Dve

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL—Small Owner Maintained

- 1ST Goodz & Associates GMC P/L, 134 Lyall St
 2ND Dr A Schmidt, 27 Charlotte St

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL—Professionally Landscaped

- 1ST Australian Prospectors & Miners Hall of Fame
 2ND Broadwater Resort Hotel

If you believe your garden is worthy of consideration for next year's Waterwise Garden Competition look out for the entry forms in August 2007.



JUNIOR LANDCARE DRAWING COMPETITION

The Drawing Competition was the final activity for Junior Landcare in 2006.

Children were asked to 'draw the bush around their home or school' and the upper primary students were also instructed to include things which may cause harm to bushland.

These drawings are currently on display at the Kalgoorlie Airport.

The individual winners of the KBULG drawing Competition were:

School/Student	Year	Teacher
<u>KALGOORLIE PRIMARY SCHOOL</u>		
Ashley	Year PP2	Ms Tangney
Amy Stokes	Year 3/4	Mrs Wostear
<u>O'CONNOR</u>		
Rachel Thomas	Age 8	Ms Talbot
Piwiki	Year 4	Ms Cavaney
Kathrine Reed	Year 4	Ms Cavaney
<u>NORTH KALGOORLIE</u>		
Tania Loone	Year 3	Ms Wales
Michael Callaghan	Year 3	Ms Wales
<u>South Kalgoorlie PS</u>		
Katy	Year 6	Ms Giles



2006 COMMUNITY TREE PLANTING DAY

The corner of Maxwell and Speculation Street was the site for the 2006 Community Tree Planting Day. Individuals and teams planted over 4,000 trees.

Congratulations to BHP Billiton Nickel West for winning the Corporate Challenge and the 1st Boulder Scout Group for winning the Community Challenge and the best tree planting song (again). This time the Tree Planting song was to the tune of Time Warp from the Rocky Horror Picture Show.



Thanks to McBrides Nurseries, Ace Cinema, Kalgoorlie Sound Centre and Civic Video for contributing some great prizes, the BHP Billiton Community Participation Team for manning the Registration Desk and to the Golden Mail for letting Korker Roo come out to play.

The day would not be possible of course without our core sponsors, with a special thank you to Western Power and the City of Kalgoorlie Boulder.

We thank everyone who came along and participated during the day. Your fantastic efforts help create a better environment and a better



JUNIOR LANDCARE TREE PLANTING 2006

Over 1000 children were involved in completing planting at the 2005 Johnston Street site opposite the Oasis.

Younger students were paired with older buddies who helped them plant their trees, giving them valuable lessons about sharing, helping and mentoring.

Students from Goldfields Baptist College, Eastern Goldfields Education Support Centre, Kalgoorlie and O'Connor Primary Schools and the Bushrangers all helped out by planting trees along Johnston Street.



Thank you for all of your hard work!

For more details on any of the articles in this newsletter or to find out more about the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Urban Landcare Group, call or visit the Landcare Office located in Lotteries House (corner Wilson and MacDonald Streets, Kalgoorlie).

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