

# Annual Report

## 2019 - 2020



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2020



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# Executive Summary



1. To remain the leading environmental group in the Goldfields.
2. To facilitate Kalgoorlie-Boulder becoming a more environmentally aware community.
3. To inspire the Kalgoorlie-Boulder community to be environmentally active.
4. To ensure the sustainability of KBULG.

The Kalgoorlie-Boulder Urban Landcare Group (KBULG) is a community-based Environment and Conservation Organisation.

The group has been working to improve the environment in and around Kalgoorlie-Boulder for over 40 years. KBULG is a registered Charitable Organisation.

## VISION

KBULG's vision is to work for a "better environment and better lifestyle" for the people of Kalgoorlie-Boulder through "collaboration, education and participation". While Kim's personal motto is "Connecting People to Parks and Nature"





## CEO Report

I am pleased to present the Annual Report for the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Urban Landcare Group (KBULG) for the financial year ending 30 June 2020.

The KBULG team is delighted to once again look back at an extremely successful and eventful year, despite the upheaval of the Covid-19 pandemic, with the organisation achieving all its ambitious goals, and much more! We are grateful to the community of Kalgoorlie-Boulder for wholeheartedly supporting and attending our many annual community awareness/education events during the past year.

KBULG is deeply impressed by the enthusiastic commitment of the City's residents to contribute to a better lifestyle and healthier environment. It was a great compliment for our community to be recognised for our ongoing commitment to the improvement of our City in all areas by Tidy Towns WA. Michael Aspinall and his team requested that they be allowed to launch the 2019-2020 Tidy Towns Awards at the Clean Up Kalgoorlie-Boulder Day event.

Over the last year KBULG has continued to increase its visibility across the region by supporting many other organisations and their events, by proposing new collaborative partnership projects, and by getting involved in other agencies' existing projects. Our group's ongoing success and accomplishments are largely attributed to wonderful working relationships with our partners, sponsors and friends. Long-term mutually beneficial relationships with our immensely valued sponsors are the key to the success of our community engagement projects.

As always there is more work to do and we will continue to engage the community through our annual events, projects and activities, whilst using every opportunity to grow our involvement in the community. We look forward to our con-

tinued interaction, safely and Covid-19 approved, with the residents of the Goldfields within our open community nursery, monthly Native Plant Group and through our events and competitions.

Thank you to each and everyone who has been part of our projects, activities and events over the last year - Thank you for your enthusiasm, motivation and dedication, which makes it possible for us to continually, year on year, accomplish our milestones and goals for creating a "better environment and better lifestyle" for the people of the Goldfields.

I would also like to sincerely thank our dedicated KBULG staff team (past and present), the committee, members, partners and sponsors (both financial and in-kind). I really appreciate your enthusiastic support and constant input and am looking forward to continue working with you this year to develop and implement many more rewarding community events and projects.

*Many Thanks and Regards,*

*Kim Eckert*



# Achievements 2019–2020

<b>JUNIOR LANDCARE</b>	Kalgoorlie-Boulder Primary schools were involved in the Junior Landcare Programme this year through KBULG conducting Bushwalks through Karlkurla Bushland Park and Tree Planting Projects with the schools. KBULG also presented talks at schools and participated in school expositions.
<b>NEWSLETTER</b>	KBULG continued to produce a community newsletter which is published as a full page centre spread in Saturday's Kalgoorlie Miner. With approximately 15,000 copies printed, we are reaching a wide audience.
<b>RECONSTRUCTED ART COMPETITION</b>	The rECONstructed Art Competition & Exhibition in November 2018 encouraged members of the community to source and utilise waste products and materials to create innovative pieces of art. Reduce—Reuse—Recycle, celebrated as part of National Recycling week.
<b>CLEAN UP DAY</b>	KBULG hosts the "Clean Up Kalgoorlie-Boulder Day" in conjunction with Clean up Australia Day. In March 2020 over 120 residents of the community cleaned up bushland between Gatacre Drive and Atbara Street, filling two skip bins of rubbish supplied by Cleanaway.
<b>TIDY TOWNS &amp; SUSTAINABLE CITIES AWARDS</b>	KBULG entered Kalgoorlie-Boulder into the 2019-2020 Tidy Towns Sustainable Communities Awards
<b>SUSTAINABLE GARDEN QUEST</b>	KBULG launched its annual Sustainable Garden Quest in conjunction with the major sponsors Kalgoorlie Miner and Water Corporation. The competition focused on all aspects of creating and maintaining a sustainable garden, the overall appearance, colour and tidiness of gardens and verges.
<b>COMMUNITY TREE PLANTING DAY</b>	KBULG coordinated the Annual Community Tree Planting day in conjunction with the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder and core sponsors. The site for 2018 was along Gatacre Drive in Somerville, approximately 5000 seedlings, adapted to site conditions, were planted by as many as 150 volunteers in 2 hours.
<b>NATIVE PLANT GROUP</b>	Participants in the KBULG Native Plant Group in 2018/2019 propagated local natives from seed & cuttings. Plants grown by the group were distributed to local schools and community groups free of charge. The Native Plant group meets on the last Sunday of every month. Residents as far as Leonora have come to participate in this inclusive community event.
<b>KARLKURLA BUSHLAND PARK</b>	KBULG continually supports the Kalgoorlie-Boulder City Council with the park management, along with organising bush walks, tree plantings and school projects. Improvements to the park over the last few years include pedestrian counters and a new boardwalk bridge constructed from recycled plastic.
<b>GIFSA</b>	KBULG continues to support the Goldfields Individual Family Support Association (GIFSA) through encouraging people living with disabilities and their carers to further develop interests & training opportunities at the Karlkurla Community Nursery.
<b>SCATTER THE SILKY PEAR</b>	This program enables tourists to pick up a brochure and a packet of Karlkurla seeds (for a small donation) from the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Visitor Centre and scatter them at designated locations within Karlkurla Bushland Park. Funds from seeds sold contribute to projects within Karlkurla Bushland Park.
<b>REGENERATION ZONES</b>	A series of fenced Regeneration Zones encompass an area of approximately 3,500 hectares around Kalgoorlie-Boulder. The Regeneration Zones safeguard habitat fragments for endemic species with locally restricted habitats such as rare <i>Eremophila</i> species. KBULG carries out continuous awareness—raising through the media and the organisation's newsletter, educating the community to preserve the buffer zones' environment. KBULG also undertakes strategic audits of the regeneration zones, evaluating the adequacy of existing fencing and identifying issues arising from illegal rubbish dumping and weed infestations.
<b>PUBLIC AWARENESS AND PROMOTION</b>	KBULG frequently gets out and about within the community to promote the local environment and the importance of living sustainably. This is achieved by attending community events like the Spring Festival, Kids Fest, Lighting of the Xmas tree, schools and public/group forums, in addition to KBULG's own education and conservation events/projects.
<b>RECYCLING</b>	KBULG continues its ongoing support of the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder with community awareness promotion and education in regard to waste cycle management, with a particular focus on recycling. KBULG constantly promotes for business and commercial recycling in the Kalgoorlie-Boulder area.
<b>MEMBERSHIP</b>	KBULG consistently promotes its services, projects & activities throughout the community and continues to welcome new members. In 2018-2019 we had over 560 members.

## Sponsors and Partnerships



To achieve all of the organisation's goals and objectives KBULG is strongly reliant on the support of its core sponsors: The City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, Northern Star Resources (Kanowna Belle), KCGM, Keep Australia Beautiful, Evolution Mining, the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation & Attractions (Kalgoorlie-Boulder) and Water Corporation.

These organisations collaborate with KBULG and work in partnership with us to achieve our vision of a "Better Environment and Better Lifestyle" for the people of the Goldfields.

Our sponsors meet the continuous funding needs required for the implementation of all of KBULG's projects including Junior Landcare activities, Tree-planting events, publication of KBULG's Community Newsletter, upkeep of Karlkurla Bushland Park, operation of Karlkurla Community Nursery, regular Native Plant Group Meetings, Regeneration Zone Management, numerous other projects and activities, in addition to KBULG's general administration duties.

Our core sponsors are vital for maintaining the profile, respect and credibility that we hold within the community.

KBULG maintains strong links and working relationships with all of our core sponsors, mining companies and businesses in the region, who provide in-kind support to our programs and initiatives.

All of KBULG's projects are built on partnerships that facilitate mutually beneficial outcomes.

KBULG acknowledges the integral role of sponsors to the group's successful operations whenever the opportunity arises.



Department of  
Biodiversity, Conservation  
and Attractions



# Kalgoorlie Miner



## Sponsors and Partnerships (continued)

### SPONSORS & CONTRIBUTIONS

City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder	\$99,000
Northern Star Resources	\$20,000
KCGM	\$30,000
Water Corporation	\$ 5,000

### OTHER SPONSORS / IN KIND DONORS AND PARTNERS

Artgold Inc  
 BGC  
 Bergie's Soils  
 Birdlife Australia  
 Bunnings Kalgoorlie  
 Central Regional TAFE  
 Cleanaway  
 Coles, Hannans and Kalgoorlie  
 DBC&A Kalgoorlie-Boulder  
 Department of Transport WA  
 Eastern Goldfields College  
 GEDC  
 GIFSA  
 GNRBA  
 Goldfields Naturalists' Club Inc  
 Goldfields Toyota  
 GWHCC  
 Kalgoorlie-Boulder Business Development  
 Centre  
 Kalgoorlie-Boulder Community Fair

Kalgoorlie-Boulder Visitor Centre  
 KBCCI  
 Keep Australia Beautiful, WA  
 Lotterywest  
 McDonalds, Kalgoorlie-Boulder  
 MCM Protection  
 Museum of the Goldfields  
 Nickel West - Kalgoorlie Smelter  
 O'Connor SUPA IGA  
 Onsite Safety Services  
 O'Reilly Consulting  
 Piccadilly Butchers  
 Rotary Club of Boulder  
 Rotary Club of Hannans  
 Rotary Club of Kalgoorlie  
 Section 95 Day Release Prisoners  
 Skill Hire Work for the Dole Program  
 The Kalgoorlie Miner  
 Tin Dog Consulting  
 Vissign  
 WA Parks Foundation

## Management of KBULG

The KBULG committee comprises a large and diverse group of individuals, and includes representatives from government, local industries and interested members of the community.

The Kalgoorlie-Boulder Urban Landcare Group coordinates and promotes many projects and is associated with many activities around the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder. All of KBULG's engagements are coordinated from the KBULG office, which is located at Karlkurla Bushland Park.

KBULG employs a fulltime paid CEO. Kim Eckert has been employed within this position since January 2013. Kim is accountable for the day-to-day management and coordination of the organisation, under the direction from the KBULG committee.

Part-time and casual staff along with volunteers assist with the implementation of KBULG's various projects, including; the Junior Landcare Program, Clean up Australia Day, guided bushwalks, Community Tree Planting Days, manning the KBULG stall at displays and community events, the rECON-structed Art competition and Sustainable Garden Quest along with administration and community nursery operation tasks.

The KBULG CEO is responsible for developing and maintaining successful avenues of community liaison through reaching a high diversity of groups and organisations, consequently involving community members from all socio-economic backgrounds. The CEO ensures that projects are adequately devised, implemented, maintained and monitored. Major tasks overseen by the CEO include project development and funding, public education and coordination of community events. KBULG's staff also liaise with the Council, schools, government departments, sponsors and the media on local landcare projects and issues.

The elected Committee supports and guides the KBULG CEO in relation to any arising issues, along with offering advice on project management decisions as required. The

committee also provides input in regards to the group's strategic planning and overall direction.

### Committee Members 2019/2020

#### **Executive Committee**

##### **Chairperson**

Peta Osborne

##### **Vice Chairperson**

Susan Stirling  
Community Representative

##### **Treasurer**

Graeme Campbell  
Community Representative

##### **Secretary**

John Rees  
Community Representative

#### **Committee Members**

David Strickland                      Community Rep

#### **Sponsor Representatives**

Lisa Malicky	City of Kalgoorlie Boulder Rep
Kelly Nelson	KCGM Rep
Kratonga Ohuma	Northern Star Resources Rep

#### **KBULG STAFF**

Kim Eckert	CEO
Helen O'Sullivan	Administration Officer
Gabrielle Scannell	Administration Officer
Shane Scully	Nursery Officer
Ross Munday	Nursery Officer
Brenden Westbrook	Nursery Assistant
Edie Ulrich	Aboriginal Tour Guide

# Environmental & Community Achievements

- KBULG held its very first Recycled Art Competition and Exhibition named "rECONstructed" in November 2009. In 2019 and now in its 11th year, the competition and exhibition was viewed by thousands of people at the Western Australian Museum of the Goldfields. The competition was again extremely successful with a great turnout from local community members with the artworks displaying the enormous artistic talent in the Goldfields.
- Over 200 volunteers planted around 5000 trees, shrubs and ground cover plants along the edge of Gribble Creek in Centennial Park at KBULG's Annual Community Tree Planting Day in 2019.
- In 2018/2019 over 60,000 plants were propagated in KBULG's nursery, providing us with necessary plant numbers for tree planting events around town, and allowing thousands of plants to be donated to local community groups, schools and the community.
- Many gardening enthusiasts entered their gardens into our 2019 Sustainable Garden Quest Competition. Judges were extremely impressed by the gardens' creative layouts, displaying innovative aspects of waterwise gardening, edible gardening and the use of natives.
- All primary and secondary schools in Kalgoorlie-Boulder and hundreds of students participated in KBULG's Junior Landcare Program in 2019/2020. Frequently organised activities included tailor-made educational bushwalks, tree planting events on school grounds and classroom talks adapted to the individual needs and interests of classes.
- Updating promotional and community educational material continues to be a key focus. KBULG has increased its social media presence, and is constantly working on updating existing educational materials and interpretive signage across Karlkurla Bushland Park.
- Education distribution is constantly changing as methods of information dispersal change and evolve. KBULG is likewise constantly updating and working on getting information out in as many different ways as possible including our website, Facebook and written media like the Kalgoorlie Miner.
- KBULG continues to promote the conservation significance of the Great Western Woodlands through conducting educational bushwalks for school students in the community and visiting schools from the region, at community events and through donating and distributing the Great Western Woodlands field guide & pamphlets to schools, sponsors and community partners.
- All outcomes were achieved within this reporting period across all projects and activities. All measurable outcomes relating to projects and activities have been enhanced from previous years.

## AWARDS & CERTIFICATES

KBULG is always willing to make themselves available to support any community organisations event within the community of Kalgoorlie-Boulder. Often this included other not-for-profit organisations, schools and our sponsors events.

KBULG has received certificates from:

- ◆ KCGM for our support of the 2019 KCGM 30 Year celebration at the Hannans North Tourist Mine
- ◆ Appreciation certificate from Kalgoorlie Primary School for our 'valued contribution to the pre-primary excursion.
- ◆ O'Connor Primary School for KBULG's support during a NAIDOC event.



# KBULG & The Keep Australia Beautiful WA Council

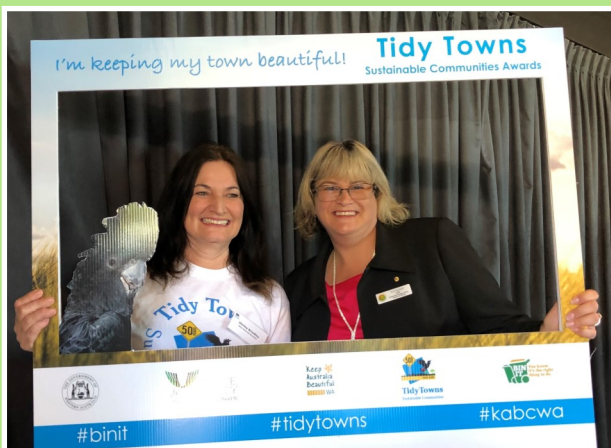
## TIDY TOWN 2019

In collaboration with the City of Kalgoorlie Boulder KBULG again entered Kalgoorlie-Boulder into the 2019 state-level **Tidy Towns Sustainable Communities Competition** and was a finalist for the categories:

- ♦ Overall State Award Title
- ♦ Heritage and Culture

Judges were particularly impressed with the restoration of the Goldfields War Museum, after it was damaged by the 2010 earthquake it was in need of a new home. It was reopened as part of The Boulder Town Hall combining two very historically significant exhibits.

Kim Eckert was able to attend the tidy town awards to represent Kalgoorlie-Boulder and although Kalgoorlie-Boulder was not a winner we were nominated as a community to launch the 2020 Tidy Towns, which after the initial launch was cancelled due to Covid 19 however after much deliberation was relaunched in an effort to showcase how many communities pulled together in difficult times.



## BIN STICKER COMPETITION

Residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder were challenged to create a bin sticker design that encouraged people to put their rubbish in the bin and to not litter during the April School holidays. From these designs 6 lucky artists had their work turned into bin sized stickers courtesy of KAB WA. KBULG also received a set of the stickers to display on the nursery bins.



## KAB WA - ANTI-LITTERING & DUMPING CAMPAIGN

Late 2018 KBULG put in a grant for funds to run an anti-littering and anti-dumping project in the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Area with the assistance from the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

Early 2019 saw the beginnings of the project start to form as KBULG visited schools of Kalgoorlie-Boulder to talk to teachers and students about the effect of littering and dumping.

KBULG then challenged all the primary school students to design a concept sign which would then be used to design a sign to be placed around Kalgoorlie-Boulder to prevent dumping and littering.

The lucky student was presented with an Ipad at the unveiling of the first of nine signs, erected at the end of Graeme street, which is a known hotspot for illegal dumping. Likewise the other signs were erected around town at other areas on the advise of the local Council Rangers.



# Projects and Activities

## MEMBERSHIP

In 2003 KBULG introduced the possibility of becoming a member of KBULG and being enlisted as a friend of KBULG. During the 2019/2020 time period the number of registered members approximated 620. KBULG regularly updates its members with information about its activities and upcoming events, while also encouraging members to get involved in landcare activities and to assist KBULG with the organisation and delivery of events.

KBULG is very grateful to those members who contribute their valuable leisure time to various aspects of KBULG's work, including nursery work/Karlkurla Bushland Park maintenance and stallholder activities at events. It is an extremely rewarding and gratifying privilege for the KBULG team to witness a growing interest in conservation activities among community members from all age groups and cultural & professional backgrounds.

## KBULG JUNIOR LANDCARE

A major focus of all aspects of KBULG's work and envisaged future projects is the education of younger generations, providing for a more sustainable future of the Kalgoorlie-Boulder region and all of Australia. The Junior Landcare Program (JLP) is thus one of KBULG's most significant priorities and KBULG continues to assess the success of ongoing education activities and opportunities for new projects involving the young.

Over the last year all Kalgoorlie-Boulder schools have been involved in environmental activities, with KBULG inviting all school teachers of the region to benefit from the organisation's environmental expertise and welcoming any type of interest from schools in educational programs. KBULG accommodated any request from schools in relation to Junior Landcare education and over the last year continued to go out of its way to respond to specific requirements. Frequently organised activities included educational bushwalks with the duration and educational content adapted to the class needs, tree planting events on school grounds and classroom talks & activities (with a strong emphasis on promoting sustainable resource use and conservation of biodiversity). KBULG provided schools with regular updates, information and remind-

ers about its activities, in addition to encouraging schools' involvement in KBULG's major community events such as the rECONstructed Art Competition, the Annual Clean-up Kalgoorlie-Boulder Day and the Annual Kalgoorlie-Boulder Tree-Planting Day.

Over the last year KBULG received exceptionally positive feedback from participating schools in regards to the group's ongoing commitment to Junior Landcare education. KBULG has also recently gained some success with the inclusion of high school students in the program, including a year 11 geography class utilized the park to conduct a mapping exercise of the parks flora and a request from EGC for KBULG to participate in a gardening project they have started at their school.

The program encourages the young generation to gain an appreciation of the unique biodiversity values of the region, and to actively consider the implications of urban and industrial developments. KBULG is grateful to Northern Star Resources who continue to provide funding and on-ground support to the program.





## Projects and Activities (continued)



**Volunteers** Gabrielle Scammell, Kim Eckert and Helen O'Sullivan. Picture: Toni O'Connor

**Tegan Guthrie** gloves to help freshen up the area near the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Airport, and KBULG chief executive Kim Eckert said she needed the same turnout, if not more, this year. "We need as many volunteers as possible to help us out on the day, even if it is just for half an hour," she said. "It is a fantastic event for families and the community to come along on Sunday and help plant more than 5000 shrubs and ground cover in the bank of Grillobs Creek. At last year's event more than 150 people donned

Ms Eckert said the planting day continued to grow over the years, previously only having the capacity to plant two or three thousand in selected areas. "The areas we are wanting to rehabilitate are getting bigger because as KBULG has grown, so has our capacity to help the environment and attract more native fauna," she said. "The ground cover and shrubs we will be planting will attract a lot of native birds, bees and lizards like the bobtail."

She said the planting program not only helped beautify the area, but helped with salinity issues in the soil. The planting takes place from 11am on Sunday, with volunteers meeting in the Centennial Park carpark. They should bring their own gloves, trowel, hat and water bottle, and to wear enclosed shoes and sun screen. There will be a free sausage sizzle and prizes on the day.

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### MEDIA

KBULG is regularly featured in the local media and over the 2019/2020 period 109 articles reporting about KBULG's activities, events and various projects were published. KBULG aims to reach a diverse range of community members with information about its activities and ongoing projects, and therefore invests considerable efforts into maintaining fruitful working relationships with a variety of media outlets, including but not limited to: the Kalgoorlie Miner, Radio West, ABC Radio, GWN.

KBULG proactively informs the local media about its activities and responds to requests for interviews or other information in a timely manner. Our successful working relationships with media outlets encourage KBULG's frequent local news presence, numerous feature articles, and regular interviews with KBULG staff.

### NEWSLETTER

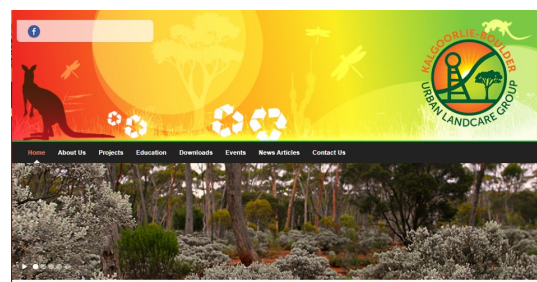
KBULG's community newsletter features educative components about opportunities for a more environmentally sustainable household, with a particular emphasis on correct recycling techniques, ideas to get started on composting, and ways to reduce your footprint on the planet. The four-page, coloured centre-spread newsletter is featured in the Saturday edition of the Kalgoorlie Miner. With the newsletter content presented in an entertaining and easily understandable way, KBULG consistently receives exceptionally positive feedback from the community. Any

interested individual can also request the latest issue of the newsletter from KBULG and additionally they can download it off the KBULG website.

### SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBSITE

With the growing use of social media, community engagement in our projects and activities has become increasingly straightforward and effective. KBULG's Facebook page is very active and publishes daily posts. The page is currently followed by approximately 620 people, with numbers steadily increasing. In addition to sharing KBULG's events and activities with a growing number of Facebook followers KBULG provides news and recommendations on sustainable living and green households through multiple daily posts. We also utilise facebook to promote our Partners and Sponsors.

KBULG's website facilitates public access to a wealth of information about KBULG's projects & activities, upcoming events, and the region's conservation needs. A large proportion of membership requests are received via the online membership form, available as a website link. The website can be viewed at [www.kbulg.org.au](http://www.kbulg.org.au).





## Projects and Activities (continued)

### ANNUAL TREE PLANTING DAY

KBULG's Annual Tree Planting Day, the region's major conservation-focussed event, enjoys steadily growing popularity among residents and attracts many environmentally-conscious individuals and families. KBULG and the CKB Council select a barren area in Kalgoorlie-Boulder for re-vegetation each year and this year's tree-planting day, organised on Sunday, 28 July 2019, focused on revegetating a section of Gribble Creek located in Centennial Park that had undergone works to combat flooding that occurred after heavy rainfall. Not only was this a chance to revegetate but also a chance to increase the biodiversity of an area that had been dominated by one species. Thus creating a self sustaining habitat for many of the bird species of the Goldfields.

Over 200 hard-working volunteers assisted KBULG to plant 5000 seedlings. Because of the wonderful community support, in particular from local industry professionals and families, the seedlings, donated from KBULG's community nursery and selected to be well suited to the harsh environment of the site, were planted in just under 2 hours.

Witnessing the wholehearted unified work effort and enthusiastic community spirit demonstrated by community and corporate groups, mining companies, families and individuals, was a truly heart-warming experience for the KBULG Team. Each and every participant was deeply committed to do their bests to contribute to the 'Greening of the Goldfields' and an enhanced lifestyle for the entire community, as well as building on the sense of community. To reward participants for their hard work and motivation KBULG organised a free sausage sizzle for everyone and thanks to the generosity of MacDonald's was also able to hand out vouchers for a small treat, a welcome thank you for the volunteers.

KBULG again received crucial support from the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder who carried out important site preparation works, provided on-ground support on the day and have maintained the area since allowing the area to flourish. KBULG's core sponsors KCGM, Northern Star Resources, Evolution Mining provided essential resources for the events, and the Kalgoorlie Miner sponsored the advertising. KBULG

would like to once again thank everyone for a highly successful and fun day of greening Kalgoorlie-Boulder.



## Projects and Activities (continued)



**BERGIE'S**  
**Kalgoorlie-Boulder**  
**Sustainable Garden Quest 2019**

ENTER NOW for your chance to  
win a Gift Voucher from Bergie's

**CATEGORIES**  
Residential  
(Owner & Tenant Combined)  
Community Organisation  
Edible Garden  
(Vegetables/Fruit/Bush Tucker)  
Commercial  
(Business and Industry Combined)  
Schools

This year's competition provides you with the opportunity to showcase your sustainable garden, with winners selected based on the overall appearance, colour and tidiness of gardens and verges.

For entry forms and judging criteria please email  
admin@kbulg.com.au or visit the KBULG nursery (between Mon to Friday  
from 9am-12pm), Bergie's Soils or the Kalgoorlie Miner.  
Follow us on KBULG Facebook page for competition updates

Entries/nominations close COB Tuesday 3rd of September 2019  
Judging occurs on Saturday 7th September (Entrants need to provide garden access)  
Winners will be announced via the KBULG facebook Page & Email  
on the 13th September 2019

**Kalgoorlie Miner**

**WATER CORPORATION**  
**KALGOORLIE-BOULDER**  
**NORTHERN STAR**  
**KCGM**  
**Evolution**

### SUSTAINABLE GARDEN QUEST

KBULG's Sustainable Garden Quest has established itself as an important spring event for everyone engaged or interested in sustainable, waterwise gardening within the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Region. In 2019 the competition again met its core objective - promoting, educating, and raising awareness about opportunities and varied techniques for waterwise gardening. The competition consisted of five separate categories and the different category winners were announced on facebook and via email on the 13th of September. Due to high publicity of the event and enthusiastic uptake of the community the event has demonstrated to be very effective in promoting innovative ideas for waterwise gardening and sustainable landscaping.

The event calls for everyone engaged or interested in waterwise gardening and sustainable landscaping practices within the Kalgoorlie-Boulder Region to share their passion and individual approaches with like-minded residents, with the KBULG Team ready to provide encouragement and useful advice as well as giving out prizes. Winning entries of last year's competition were selected from following five categories: Residential (Owner & Tenant combined), Commercial (Business and Industry combined), Schools, Community Organisation, and Edible Garden. The winners can be seen on our website.

The Water Corporation is the major sponsor of the event as it aligns with the Corporation's vision to promote sustainable water use to a wide audience. KBULG is thankful to the Kalgoorlie Miner who sponsored the advertising of the competition as in previous years.





## Projects and Activities (continued)



### RECONSTRUCTED ART COMPETITION

KBULG's rECONstructed Art Competition and Exhibition has become a major annual community event, and inspires individuals, community groups and schools to get creative while helping to raise awareness about the waste cycle and the importance of recycling by spreading the key message of Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle.

Coinciding with National Recycling Week, in 2019 KBULG once again encouraged the community to submit artwork for this exciting and thought-provoking exhibition.

Held in November 2019 the rECONstructed Art Competition again met its objective to reach a wide audience, in particular the younger generation, to communicate the significance and complexity of the waste cycle in our everyday lives.

The competition comprised of 7 separate categories with cash prizes for each, and judges had the difficult task to choose from some superbly creative pieces of artwork from Kalgoorlie-Boulder and surrounding regions. The thoughtfully designed artworks from recycled and no longer used materials were exhibited at the Western Australian Museum of the Goldfields in the British Arms Hotel in an educational, and highly visible 2-week Arts exhibition that proved popular with a wide audience consisting of locals and visitors to the popular landmark.

Competition category winners were announced at the exhibition opening night on

Friday, 15th November 2019. The event was themed "Anything Goes" and received 33 entries of many varied mediums and style. KBULG and the independent volunteer judges from art and waste management backgrounds were delighted by the variation in entries. KBULG is proud to have attracted the continuous interest of local schools and community groups in this unique event.

### The winners of 2019's competition

**Community Group:** Goldfields Childcare Centre - "Harry the Dragon"

**Community Group:** Goldfields out of School Hours Centre - "Paper Christmas Tree"

**Primary School:** East Kalgoorlie Primary School Kangaroo Class - "Bush Christmas"

**Junior Individual:** Elijah Jones - "Clean Up Boat"

**3D Sculpture:** Claudia Becker - "A Fish Called Dine"

**3D Sculpture:** Suzanne Burger - "Bows, Bubbles and Beads"

**High School:** Eugene Winters - "Eastern Goldfields College Year 11 - Recycled Milk Cartons and Hanging Baskets"

**Peoples Choice Award:** Sheree McCutcheon - "Jilla-Ruin & Toy Box Sunset"

KBULG is grateful to the event sponsors KCGM, the Museum of the Goldfields, the Kalgoorlie Miner, Evolution Mining and the Water Corporation, in addition to its core sponsors the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder and Northern Star who also supported the event.





## Projects and Activities (continued)

### KBULGS SPECIAL EVENTS SHOWCASE COMMUNITY INTERACTION

Over the last year KBULG has organised new family-friendly events to raise the community's awareness about the Community Nursery and KBULG's many projects & activities. Due to Covid 19 KBULG's Open Day, which was scheduled for the 3rd of May, had to be cancelled due to the restriction on gatherings. To combat the loss of this event KBULG organised mini-Native Plant Groups to retain a connection with the community. These were held on Saturdays, 9:30 - 11:30am, from May 16th to June 21st. To abide by the social safety restrictions the group was kept to a maximum of 10 members including KBULG staff and all safety precautions were taken to minimise direct person to person contact. As of June KBULG has resumed the regular NPG held on the last Sunday of the month. However we have also continued the Saturday NPG sessions but changed them twice monthly, as events permit.

As a result of Covid restrictions KBULG had to change the way we presented our holiday activities. Instead of on site activities held in the morning KBULG organised a school activity held in the park. The "Recycled Rainbow Jellyfish Hunt" was held over the April school holidays and aimed to not only 'connect people to parks and nature' but also to educate park goers on the problems of plastic bottles in the environment and other plastic pollution.

The hunt was a great success and many families found Remy and his 6 friends in the park. The participants were asked to send in their activity sheets and those who had correctly answered the questions were put into a draw to win a prize. We split the participants into 2 groups, those 8 % under and those 9 & over, the competition was offered for those who were under 18.

We received over 30 entry forms and many more people participated as was evidenced by the need to top up the activity sheets on a regular basis and the amount of exposure that the event was getting on social media.

We also ran a second school holiday project in partnership with the Keep Australia Beautiful WA team. Residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder, of all ages, were invited to create an anti-littering bin sticker design. The designs had to feature a catchy positive anti-littering message. We were able to pick 6 designs out of the 17 entries by various residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder. The designs were sent off to the team at KAB WA and they were turned into full length bin stickers, 2 stickers were produced of each design, one copy was presented to the winning designer and one copy was kept by KBULG to showcase on our Community Nursery bins.

KBULG will continue to look at engaging the community with different activities whatever form they take. Covid-19 has proven how flexible KBULG can be as an organisation and how community interaction comes in many forms.



## Projects and Activities (continued)

### DISPLAYS, EXPOS AND FESTIVALS

KBULG has always maintained its status as one of the Goldfields most active environmental community organisations, this year has been no different. KBULG was present at both the 2019 Spring Festival and the 2020 KBCCI Community Expo where KBULG staff engaged the community by answering questions, encouraging people to sign up and become part of a friendly network and by selling local native plants from the community nursery.

Our public displays and stalls enable KBULG to raise awareness on local environmental issues, and to share educational materials and advice with its diverse target audience. KBULG's presence at events also allows the organisation to promote its many environmental projects and activities, and to



Ross Munday and Helen O'Sullivan.

raise environmental awareness within a fun setting.

KBULG was all set to provide activities at the 2020 Community Fair, KidsFest and the WA Museum Open Day, however COVID-19 soon saw that those events were sadly cancelled. KBULG has had to innovate so we have turned to social media as a platform to engage people, with fun sustainable craft activity ideas, gardening advice and small projects to attempt, as well as environmentally sustainable tips.

### CLEAN UP KALGOORLIE-BOULDER DAY 7TH MARCH 2020

One of KBULG's key objectives is to spread the message to 'Reduce, Re-use, Recycle'.



This entails educating the wider community about aspects of the waste cycle such as relevant waste decomposition time spans, whilst also sharing innovative waste reduction and recycling ideas with residents. In addition to ongoing education projects that educate the community about methods of waste prevention and waste recovery, KBULG hosts an annual Kalgoorlie-Boulder Clean Up Australia Day – a nationwide initiative promoted through state-specific Keep Australia Beautiful Councils.

The Clean-Up Day event is held at a different location every year, selected based on litter quantity, conservation significance and visual amenity priority.





## Projects and Activities (continued)

This year's event was held on Saturday, 7th March 2020, and focused on cleaning up a bush land area between the Arboretum and the golf course, one of the original regeneration zones established by the Goldfields Dust Abatement Committee in the 70's.

The participants, over 120 residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder and the Goldfields region collected approximately 3 tonnes of litter items of varied shape and size as well as illegally dumped household goods. These items affect the bush lands visual amenity, the native animals and have the potential to introduce toxic chemicals into the environment.

The many hard-working volunteers were rewarded with a sausage sizzle and various raffle prizes, making this event a fun morning and achieving a great outcome. Thank you to all our sponsors and the people of Kalgoorlie-Boulder for all your hard work and a morning full of smiles!

This year KBULG was assisted by a class of local students in year 12 at EGC as part of their .... Course/unit. Miss Gavan reached out to Kim and asked if her class could be involved in the event planning process. This included 2 visits to talk about the event at the school and the participation of the student as organisers on the day itself. The students took over the role of registrations, bag drops, delivering instructions and even picking up rubbish. They were a great help on the day and we hope they learned a lot from the experience.

### TIDY TOWNS

In 2019 Kalgoorlie-Boulder was a finalist for two categories of the Tidy Towns awards. Unfortunately Kalgoorlie-Boulder didn't win however the city was chosen to host Michael Aspinall and the Keep Australia Beautiful Team WA team to announce the opening of the 2020 Tidy Towns Awards. KBULG was asked to host the team at our annual Clean-Up Kalgoorlie-Boulder Day and use the day as a platform to launch the Tidy Towns Awards. KBULG have long had a good relationship with the Keep Australia Beautiful WA team and have recently been tasked by the Waste Authority to be the on-ground support for the schools of Kalgoorlie-Boulder for the Waste Wise Schools Program.

The Clean-Up day was therefore the perfect event to use as the launch with over 122 volunteers coming out to spend two hours picking up rubbish and participating in games run by the KAB WA team.

KBULG will once again be entering Kalgoorlie-Boulder in the 2020 Tidy Towns competition to showcase all the remarkable programs that have been completed in the last 12 months.

Note: Due to Covid-19 the Tidy Towns was cancelled but has since been reinstated so KBULG will once again prepare the submission for the community of Kalgoorlie-Boulder. Submission is due in September.



## Projects and Activities (continued)

### NEW UPGRADES TO THE FACILITIES AND IMPROVED ACCESS TO THE NURSERY FOR ALL

KBULG is constantly working to make improvements to our Community Nursery this year that has included increasing the amount of storage room at our community nursery with the installation of a 15 meter Stratco kit shed that was purchased with funds provided by evolution mining and built with the assistance of the Section 95 Prison Crew and making the nursery more accessible to the general public including those who have mobility issues. Concreting was completed on the front half of the nursery to connect the kitchen, office, Eco & Cultural Education Centre and toilet block making all buildings accessible to anyone who is wanting to make use of our facilities.

We are also working hard to build on what infrastructure we already have to make the Community Nursery a multi-use area including the addition of a kitchenette in the Eco & Cultural Education Centre complete with dining ware, cutlery and glassware.

This wouldn't have been possible without the generosity of Lottery West who provided the grant money to make all these improvements possible.

We will continue to make improvements to ensure that our Community Nursery is an area that can be utilised by residents and other organisations for the betterment of the community and to bring a greater understanding of the environment to anyone who wishes to learn.



### KBULG & THE WASTE WISE SCHOOLS PROGRAM

KBULG in late 2019 submitted an tender to become the Kalgoorlie-Boulder support team for the Waste Wise Schools Program. In early 2020 our tender was accepted and

KBULG will be contracted for the next 3 years to administer the Waste Wise Schools Program to the Schools of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

To kick off the partnership KBULG hosted a member of the Keep Australia Beautiful WA team and the Waste Wise Schools Program when they came to Kalgoorlie-Boulder to facilitate a Waste and Litter Workshop. KBULG provided the EC & EC facility, at no cost to the organisations, and attended the workshop to show support, cooperation and a willingness to be available to the teachers and the presenting organisations. For the newest member of staff, Gabrielle, this proved to be a very valuable learning opportunity.

The workshop was attended by many members of staff from different schools located in Kalgoorlie-Boulder and surrounds and the sustainability officer from the City of Kalgoorlie Boulder, Robert Lavis.

As KBULG was getting ready to start performing waste audits as incursions Covid-19 effectively shut down any visitor interactions at schools so KBULG and the WWSP had to change the way support was offered. This included the establishment of a Facebook group, the presentation of two webinars and the production of posters celebration key internationally celebrated days, i.e. Compost Awareness week and International day of Biodiversity, with links to Waste Wise Schools curriculum linked resources.



More learning for Colin Radici, Michelle Hawkins, Chelsea Griffiths and Chantal Cornthwaite. Pic: Kelsey Reid

**Back in class for waste-wise tuition**

Landcare Group chief executive Kim Ebert said the day provided information about the tools required to create more sustainable schools.

KBULG-Boulder teachers look a seed in the classroom yesterday to learn how to have a waste-wise school.

The State Government's Waste Authority targets education centres in WA armed with strategies to reduce waste sent to landfill.

The Waste Wise Schools program provided Kalgoorlie-Boulder teachers and council members professional development and curriculum materials focused on sustainable waste management.

Landcare Group chief executive Kim Ebert said the day provided information about the tools required to create more sustainable schools.

"We hope that the teachers gather this information and the tools they need to be able to go back to their schools and implement these systems," she said.

"The session touched on some very topical issues such as the container deposit scheme which we were able to learn a little bit more about."

Representatives from the Waste Authority and Keep Australia Beautiful spearheaded the forum, complete with take-home materials which tie into the Australian curriculum.

Plastic-free lunches, worm farms, green teams and gardens were some of the other environmentally focused topics explored.

The Statewide sessions are tailored to individual regions and schools, in order to educate teachers on practices relevant to their environment.

Kalgoorlie-Boulder is one of the few regional centres with a local recycling facility which was reflected in the session.

Mrs Ebert said there was an overwhelming appreciation for the facility throughout the day.



## Projects and Activities (continued)

### SCHOOL INCURSIONS & EXCURSIONS

KBULG continues to actively engage with the students of Kalgoorlie Boulder. Our aim is to educate and create awareness about the environmental impacts of mining and agriculture both historically and in the present day.

We also wish to foster an interest in the biology of the park and the greater Western Woodlands area, we do this by bringing awareness to key species in the park, explaining their significance not only as flora but also their significance to the aboriginal population as bush tucker and bush medicine.

This year KBULG was approached by both local schools and non-local schools to conduct incursions, excursions and participate in school hosted events. Some of these events included NAIDOC celebrations at schools, Yr 11 topic specific tours and invitations to come to schools to present and run activities.

Our park tours continue to be a popular service with schools both local and those from outside the Goldfields Region.

In July of 2019 KBULG was approached by the Kalgoorlie Rotary Club to conduct a culture tour for the students on an exchange trip from the USA & Canada.

This provided the students with a cultural experience to take home and share with their friends and family.



### COMMUNITY GROUPS

The KBULG Community Nursery is much utilised by many of the other community groups and organisations in the Goldfields.

The Rotary Club of Boulder and the Goldfields Naturalists are just some of the groups who request the use of our facilities to host small events. These events often are inclusive of the overall community and so providing our facilities to these groups benefits the wider community.

Likewise KBULG is a staunch supporter of other community groups and organisations and we work with organisations and organise KBULG run activities at their events to show our support.

KBULG has happily assisted other organisations with their events in the past year including but not limited to:

- ◆ Step into Spring - GWHCC
- ◆ Karlkurla Culture Tour - Our GEMS
- ◆ Walk for Mental Health - KBVC
- ◆ East Kalgoorlie Primary Schools Community Connect Group
- ◆ The Spring Festival
- ◆ The Christmas Street Party
- ◆ East Kalgoorlie Primary School - celebrating NAIDOC

KBULG is open to any invitation to participant in community events as long as they align with our missions 'Better environment. Better lifestyle' and vision 'Communicate, Educate, Participate'.



## Projects and Activities (continued)

### SHOWCASING LONG-TERM RELATIONSHIPS WITH SPONSORS

KBULG receives strong support from its many industry partners. KCGM is one of KBULG's core long-term sponsors and continues to be. VOCONIQ is a KCGM sponsored program that looks to interact with the residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder to ensure that KCGM is in touch with the concerns of the community. KBULG has actively participated in this study not only by participating but encouraging members to participate as well. Ensuring that they are heard and that KCGM is connecting with the residents of Kalgoorlie-Boulder.

The City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder continues to be a major sponsor for KBULG through the renewal of the Annual Grants Program and its acceptance of KBULG as a recipient for another 3 years. As a major sponsor the CKB ensures that KBULG is able to continue to provide free services for the schools of Kalgoorlie-Boulder and run community events throughout the year.

### SHOWCASING NEW RELATIONSHIPS WITH SPONSORS

The Rotary Club of Boulder supported KBULG in 2019/2020 through the donation of funds from the Radio Auction held in August 2019. These funds have been used to improve the facilities of the KBULG Community Nursery for the betterment of the community.

Have you seen the signs around town? KBULG applied for a Community Litter Grant in late 2018 through KAB WA and with the support of the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder and the artistic talent of the students of Kalgoorlie-Boulder we were able to erect 9 signs around town with the message, don't litter.

### PROMOTING INDIGENOUS KNOWLEDGE & CULTURAL UNDERSTANDING

KBULG regularly conducts Culture Tours within Karlkurla Bushland Park, employing Aboriginal guides. A KBULG guide together with Aboriginal guides takes guests on a walk through the park, explaining our local flora and fauna, bush tucker and bush medicine. Guests then enjoy billy tea/coffee and homemade damper with quandong jam a local specialty. This unique experience of a KBULG guide working alongside Aboriginal guides to share their combined knowledge to the community and visitors is truly amazing and rewarding. It also brings the community together in the hope to bridge the social issues we have been facing.

KBULG's employment of local guides enables local Indigenous residents to share their knowledge on bush tucker & bush medicine and to convey their stories to the community. The enthusiastic interest of cultural trail participants invokes feelings of cultural pride and fosters cultural understanding within the community. KBULG also continues to expand its engagement with aboriginal youth who regularly visit the nursery to partake in education and training courses.

This year KBULG was asked to organise a culture tour to support the Our Gems WA initiative. KBULG was able to invite a

group comprised of major sponsors and some very hardworking volunteers to participate. The Our Gems WA group organised for a photographer to document the tour and the photos will go on to be used to showcase our



Goldfields-Esperance region.

## Chairperson's Report 2018–2019

Welcome to the KBULG AGM 2020.

I would like to start off by thanking the KBULG staff who have worked hard over the last year to keep things running

I would also like to acknowledge the sponsors that have continued to support our wonderful organisation, without you we would not be able to do all the wonderful projects and activities we do throughout the year.

A huge thank you to Kim who has been able to keep KBULG busy over the astounding time we have had with COVID, continuing to operate in such a way that when conditionals have allowed, all the events were able to be picked up and carried out in a very professional manner, and of course a huge thanks to the staff that continued to support her and the organisation.

Some of the regular community programs have been interrupted by COVID such as work for the dole programs and the Prisoner day release program. We hope that as things continue to settle down, these programs will be able to pick up where they left off.

Despite all the interruptions over the year, KBULG has continued to be very busy with regular and new activities.

Some of these have been:

- ♦ A very successful series of school holiday programs to encourage families to exercise in the park.
- ♦ A bin sticker competition, supported by the Keep Australia Beautiful WA council, to encourage Kalgoorlie-Boulder residents to create a positive message to combat littering.
- ♦ Reconstructed Art Competition
- ♦ Running fun activities at the Lighting of the Christmas tree 2019
- ♦ Reconfigured Native Plant Group
- ♦ Explore the Goldfields Community Expo
- ♦ Kalgoorlie-Boulder Clean up Day
- ♦ Tree Planting Day - Which proceeded

with the support of the City of Kalgoorlie-Boulder after Planet Ark cancelled the official National Tree Planting Day.

- ♦ Clean up Day - run in conjunction with the Tree Planting Day
- ♦ Joined in the Science Night at the Museum of the Goldfields
- ♦ Sustainable Garden Quest
- ♦ Funded to do the Waste Wise Schools program

It is also very encouraging to see the Eco Cultural Education Centre is being used by a number of community groups, emphasising how valuable the centre is.

The upcoming year looks to be just as busy, so it will be wonderful to see our members stepping up to help where they can. Don't be afraid to put your hand up to help - it is so much fun and a great way to meet new people.

We hope to see you all soon

Warm regards  
Peta Osborne  
Chairperson  
KBULG



## Conclusion

KBULG's vision is to work for a *better environment and better lifestyle* for the people of the Goldfields by encouraging *communication, education, participation and collaboration*.

The group aims to involve the community in all its activities, events and is committed to working with other community groups, schools, business and government to achieve its goals.

The Kalgoorlie-Boulder Urban Landcare Group, previously the Goldfields Dust Abatement Committee, has conserved and established native vegetation in the Goldfields for over 40 years. Due to past, present and future impacts and threats to

the Kalgoorlie-Boulder environment, planning and promoting our activities and the need for conservation and rehabilitation of the Goldfields environment is given high priority.

KBULG has achieved all aims, objectives and outcomes over this reporting period and is committed to continuing to serve the Goldfields Community and its environment. Once again a very big thank you to all of our sponsors, partners, supporters, staff, committee and members.





# Financial Report

## Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc Independent Auditor's Report to the Members

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### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc (the association), which comprises the Statement by Members of the Committee, the Income and Expenditure Statement, Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2020, a summary of significant accounting policies and the certification by members of the committee on the annual statements giving a true and fair view of the financial position and performance of the association.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the association as at 30 June 2020 and [of] its financial performance for the year then ended in accordance with the accounting policies described in Note 1 to the financial statements and the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 2015.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the association in accordance with the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Emphasis of Matter – Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared to assist the association to meet the requirements of Associations Incorporation Act 2015. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

#### Responsibilities of the Committee for the Financial Report

The committee is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial report in accordance with the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act 2015 and for such internal control as the committee determines is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of a financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the committee is responsible for assessing the association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the committee either intends to liquidate the association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**  
**Independent Auditor's Report to the Members**

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**Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit.

We communicate with the committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Signed on : 28 July 2020

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**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**  
**Income and Expenditure Statement**  
**For the year ended 30 June 2020**

	2020 \$	2019 \$
<b>Income</b>		
Keep Australia Beautiful	1,231.82	2,816.36
Lotteries WA	4,014.54	36,579.36
Waste Wise Authority - Grant	11,000.00	
Evolution Funding		30,000.00
Unexpended Funding Evolution	23,000.00	(9,800.00)
TAFE Income	909.10	
Grant - Stronger Communities		6,376.00
KCGM	30,000.00	30,000.00
Skill Hire - WFD		15,518.94
Northern Star Resources	25,000.00	20,000.00
Grant - CKB	90,363.64	90,000.00
Membership	64.54	99.99
Nursery Sales	14,108.73	19,296.36
Bushwalks	340.00	125.00
Culture Tours	363.64	3,327.73
Park Maintenance	40,763.52	47,557.44
Refunds	855.07	41.85
Donations	4,320.00	
Interest received	96.92	388.63
Waste Authority Grant	4,545.45	
Other income	272.73	6,315.01
Income - Employment Services	50,846.59	29,802.48
JobKeeper Income	30,000.00	
Cash Flow Boost	10,000.00	
<b>Total income</b>	<b>342,096.29</b>	<b>328,445.15</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Advertising Expenses	7,972.25	426.55
Laminating		578.55
Computer Maintenance & Software	1,201.89	1,220.92
Insurance - Workers Compensation	1,536.19	1,085.95
Audit/Accountancy	3,480.00	3,380.00
Meetings	1,206.19	1,159.71
Sponsorship Costs		13,931.70

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.



**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**  
**Income and Expenditure Statement**  
For the year ended 30 June 2020

	2020 \$	2019 \$
Newspeller		3,056.36
Gifts/Donations	1,508.27	410.88
Uniform	242.55	217.02
Promotions/Displays		30.00
Bank Charges	138.00	109.50
Reconstructed Art Comp	2,423.08	2,137.22
Special Events	4,960.77	1,493.49
Tree Planting Day	185.00	435.74
WFD Hannans North Project	1,594.60	
Clean Up Australia Day	486.95	212.27
Culture Trail	509.27	1,096.78
Depreciation	1,417.00	1,828.00
Equipment - Computers		1,206.36
Equipment < 1000	964.34	5,229.38
Stronger Communities - Kitchen		3,034.55
Evolution Expenses	11,045.45	
Plants/Nursery Expenses	4,008.42	948.68
Lottery West Grant - 420170148	17,212.09	36,579.36
Insurance - Voluntary Workers	913.26	754.90
Insurance - Business	6,842.20	3,465.45
M/V Fuel & Oil	1,347.27	1,366.33
M/Vehicle - Registration/Insurance	1,770.43	1,329.06
M/V Repairs & Maintenance	741.52	651.28
Provision for Employee Entitlements	1,123.23	(4,519.00)
Patio - Nursery		3,600.00
Postage	124.82	210.41
Office Consumables	4,189.68	3,769.03
Rent Expenses	909.10	981.09
Secretarial Service	24,751.14	6,820.14
Repairs & maintenance	1,926.94	6,886.51
Security	1,562.52	900.00
Subscriptions/Memberships	1,527.61	1,126.14
Sundry expenses		338.21
Superannuation Expense	20,152.51	18,402.81
Telephone/Internet	5,000.08	4,648.91
Travel, accom & conference	2,019.58	1,616.27
Sustainable Garden Comp		227.27

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**  
**Income and Expenditure Statement**  
For the year ended 30 June 2020

	2020	2019
	\$	\$
Salaries & Wages	221,769.27	194,931.64
Work For The Dole	19,596.65	11,016.06
Total expenses	378,360.12	338,331.48
<b>Net Income over Expenditure</b>	<b>(36,263.83)</b>	<b>(9,886.33)</b>

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The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**  
**Detailed Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2020**

	2020	2019
	\$	\$
<b>Current Assets</b>		
<b>Cash Assets</b>		
Cash At Bank - 14 4731	12,539.33	6,827.98
Maxi-Direct Account	78,912.28	131,165.56
Cash At Bank - 2504	1,891.08	3,516.59
Electronic Clearing Account		83.64
	<u>93,342.69</u>	<u>141,593.77</u>
<b>Receivables</b>		
Trade debtors		35,316.35
		<u>35,316.35</u>
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<u><b>93,342.69</b></u>	<u><b>176,910.12</b></u>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>		
<b>Property, Plant and Equipment</b>		
Educational Building Costs	123,239.04	123,239.04
Motor vehicles - at cost	36,703.75	36,703.75
Less: Accumulated depreciation	<u>(31,826.00)</u>	<u>(30,409.00)</u>
	<u>128,116.79</u>	<u>129,533.79</u>
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>	<u><b>128,116.79</b></u>	<u><b>129,533.79</b></u>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<u><b>221,459.48</b></u>	<u><b>306,443.91</b></u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.



**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**  
**Detailed Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2020**

	2020 \$	2019 \$
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
<b>Current Tax Liabilities</b>		
GST Payable Control Account	(0.15)	15,540.06
Input tax credit control account	(0.14)	(4,269.84)
GST Control Account	9,086.00	
PAYG Withheld	(0.12)	7,435.00
Superannuation Payable	6,540.81	4,044.49
	<u>15,626.40</u>	<u>22,749.71</u>
<b>Provisions</b>		
Provision for Employee Entitlements	15,627.80	14,504.57
	<u>15,627.80</u>	<u>14,504.57</u>
<b>Other</b>		
Unexpended Funding Evolution		23,000.00
Funding in Advance - Northern Star		5,000.00
		<u>28,000.00</u>
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<u>31,254.20</u>	<u>65,254.28</u>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<u>31,254.20</u>	<u>65,254.28</u>
<b>Net Assets</b>	<u>190,205.28</u>	<u>241,189.63</u>
<b>Accumulated Funds</b>		
Accumulated surplus (deficit)	190,205.28	241,189.63
<b>Total Accumulated Funds</b>	<u>190,205.28</u>	<u>241,189.63</u>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

**Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc**

**Statement by Members of the Committee**

**For the year ended 30 June 2020**

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The Committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity and that this special purpose financial report should be prepared in accordance with the accounting policies outlined in Note 1 to the financial statements.

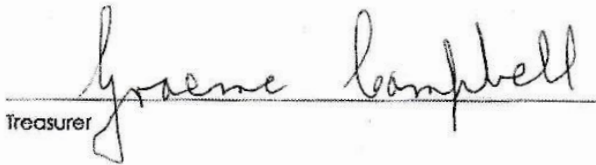
In the opinion of the Committee the Income and Expenditure Statement, Statement of Financial Position, and Notes to the Financial Statements:

1. Presents fairly the financial position of Kalgoorlie Boulder Urban Landcare Group Inc as at 30 June 2020 and its performance for the year ended on that date.
2. At the date of this statement, there are reasonable grounds to believe that the association will be able to pay its debts as and when they fall due.

This statement is made in accordance with a resolution of the Committee and is signed for and on behalf of the Committee by:



Chairperson



Treasurer

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The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# 2019-2020 PROMOTIONAL POSTERS







## NATIVE PLANT GROUP

*This Sunday*

**9 - 11 am**

**We need your help to  
'Green the Goldfields'**



Meet new people whilst learning how to propagate and seed local native plants. KBULG Nursery, Karlkurla Bushland Park (Located off Tumberri way).

For more information please contact us at  
[admin@kbulg.org.au](mailto:admin@kbulg.org.au) or 0418 935 498

*all Welcome*

## MINI - NATIVE PLANT GROUP

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**9:30 - 11:30 am**

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### Dates for 2020 NPG

May 23rd

N/A Long Weekend May 30th

June 6th

June 13

June 14

Further Dates to be Decided



# Kalgoorlie-Boulder Tree Planting Day

Don't forget to  
wear gloves and  
bring a trowel,  
water, hat and  
sunscreen

Free  
Sausage Sizzle & Prizes  
to Win!

Gatacre Drive  
Opposite O'Connor IGA

Sunday 29th July  
9am - 11am

**PLANET ARK**

**TOYOTA**

Facebook KBULG (page)  
admin@kbulg.org.au  
Ph: 0418935498



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# Kalgoorlie-Boulder Sustainable Garden Quest 2019 CATEGORIES



## **Residential**

(Owner & Tenant Combined)

## **Community Organisation**

## **Edible Garden**

(Vegetables/Fruit/Bush Tucker)

## **Commercial**

(Business and Industry Combined)

## **Schools**



This year's competition provides you with the opportunity to showcase your sustainable garden, with winners selected based on the overall appearance, colour and tidiness of gardens and verges.

For entry forms and judging criteria please email [admin@kbulg.com.au](mailto:admin@kbulg.com.au) or visit the KBULG nursery (between Mon to Friday from 9am-12pm), or the Kalgoorlie Miner.

Follow us on KBULG Facebook page for competition updates

Entries/nominations close COB Tuesday 3rd of September 2019

Judging occurs on Saturday 7th September (Entrants need to provide garden access)

Winners will be announced via the KBULG facebook Page & Email  
on the 13th September 2019



# Kalgoorlie Miner





REDUCE - REUSE - RECYCLE

reconstructed

# RECYCLED ART COMPETITION



## CATEGORIES



*3D Sculpture—\$200 Cash Prize*

*2D Posters / Painting / Collage—\$200 Cash Prize*

*Junior Individual (13 and Under) - \$100 Cash Prize*

*Primary School Class entry— \$200 Cash Prize*

*High School Class entry— \$200 Cash Prize*

*Community Group— \$200 Cash Prize*

*Peoples Choice Award—\$200 Cash Prize*



## ENTRY DETAILS

Entry forms and conditions will be available  
from the KBULG email: [admin@kbulg.org.au](mailto:admin@kbulg.org.au) or

**[www.kbulg.org.au](http://www.kbulg.org.au)**

Exhibition Opens Friday 15th November 2019



**Kalgoorlie Miner**



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KALGOORLIE-BOULDER

**KBCCI**



# Kalgoorlie-Boulder Clean Up Day



## Just 1

Piece of rubbish can  
make a difference!



## Saturday 7th March

9am start (for approx 2hrs)

Registration at: The end of Hawkins St, past the Arboretum

(Please bring your gloves, hat, sunscreen and waterbottle)



## SAUSAGE SIZZLE AFTERWARDS & PRIZES TO BE WON!

Thank you to our following sponsors



For more information please contact KBULG on 0418 935 498 or [admin@kbulg.org.au](mailto:admin@kbulg.org.au)



# Clean Schools and Waste Wise Schools Workshop

Friday 6 March  
9am - 3pm

KBULG's Eco and Cultural Education Centre  
Karlkurla Bushland Park  
Tumbarri Way  
Hannans, WA 6430

This free workshop will inspire students to reduce waste and litter. It includes:

- a step-by-step guide on how to run a whole school litter and waste prevention campaign
- loads of resources to take back to your school—USBs, posters, booklets
- laws relating to litter, social and environmental impacts and behaviour change
- practical advice and curriculum links to run a plastic reduction program at your school
- information on how to become Accredited and apply for Waste Wise grant funding.

[Register here](#)

For more information please email  
Sam Culbertson [samantha.culbertson@kabc.wa.gov.au](mailto:samantha.culbertson@kabc.wa.gov.au) or  
Jennifer Weston [jennifer.weston@dwer.wa.gov.au](mailto:jennifer.weston@dwer.wa.gov.au)



Do you need ideas  
for dealing with litter  
and waste in your  
school?



Clean Schools and  
Waste Wise Schools  
offer teacher relief  
subsidy for two  
representatives from  
your school.



# SCHOOL HOLIDAY BOREDOM BUSTER BIN COMPETITION

MAKE YOUR BIN ISOLATION OUTING AS FABULOUS AS YOU WITH A PERSONALISED STICKER

We need your help to give our bins at KBULG a little artistic spruce up!

What you need to do!

Design a bin sticker that positively persuades people to use bins and not litter!

Make sure your design is bold, colourful and the text is easy to read.

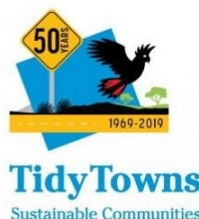
Must include Kalgoorlie-Boulder and a snappy catch phrase.

Download the template from KBULG (on the website, email and facebook) and get designing. Return your design to KBULG before 12pm on May 8 to be in the running.



**Competition will run April 17 – May 8 2020**  
Winners notified on May 15 2020

**6 Winners will receive their very own bin sticker for their home bin  
& artistic bragging rights.**



Contact us

KBULG Office: 0418 935 498

Email: [nursery@kbulg.org.au](mailto:nursery@kbulg.org.au)

Facebook: [kbulg1](https://www.facebook.com/kbulg1)

[www.kbulg.org.au](http://www.kbulg.org.au)





**OH NO!!**

**Our Recycled Rainbow Bottle Jellyfish have run off and now Remy needs your help to find them all.**

**There are 6 coloured jellyfish hiding in Karlkurla Bushland Park. Go to our web-site <http://www.kbulg.org.au/competitions/> to download & print the activity sheet and go into the running to win some cool prizes.**

**Can you help Remy find all his friends?**





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## THANK YOU

the Community of Kalgoorlie-Boulder,  
KBULG Staff, the KBULG Committee,  
Members, Supporters, Partners and Sponsors for  
an extraordinary 2019/2020!



*We are looking forward to many exciting  
Projects, Activities & Events working  
towards a more sustainable future  
with you in 2020/2021*



**Kalgoorlie-Boulder Urban Landcare Group INC**