For the last 15 months the Mandorah jetty has become a disaster area where dangerously drunk, abusive people who think nothing of blocking the walkway with their fishing gear, dead fish and rubbish, and in some cases even defecating on the jetty have become the norm.

“As soon as people found out the cops couldn’t do anything to stop them drinking there it became a real problem” said Peter Clee the Wagait Shire Council president.

Sober ferry commuters and gentle fishing folk will be pleased to learn however that things are about to change when the jetty will return to an alcohol free zone in March.

Not everyone is happy about it however. Cathy Winsley from the Belyuen Council says she was disappointed with the lack of consultation about the decision to make the jetty alcohol free.

In a letter addressed to Peter Clee, Cathy named the jetty, the car park and the ‘tree’ as being alcohol free zones, but according to the licence, the ban applies to the jetty and the adjacent car park only.

Wagait Shire Council made an application to the licensing commission to make the jetty a restricted private premises back in 2014 as a way of coping with the drinking problems on the jetty.

Councillor VJ pointed out in the council meeting on February 17 that she agrees better consultation should have taken place, at the very least, to demonstrate a good relationship between Wagait Beach and Belyuen communities.

The exact date of the ban is yet to be decided as police cannot enforce the ban without correct signage, and the exact timing of when the signs will be put up is unclear.
Spike in dog attacks on pet chooks

Fenced or unfenced it seems that no chook is safe from vicious dog attacks.

A spike in dog attacks on pet chooks has left more than six households angry and upset about dogs coming onto their properties and killing their chooks.

Melissa Bush’s chooks were well fenced in when they were killed on February 12.

“A sad day…we lost our super cool chooks…to some beast or dingoes were probably responsible for the killings.”

Jodie Clegg also commented on Facebook saying her two chooks were killed in early February.

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“We’ve had a black kelpie in our yard lately too” he said.

The second was a large white dog with a black collar and black patches on its eyes”.

Nick said while domestic dogs had been on his property, he felt dingoes were probably responsible for the killings.

“It’s the time of the year when there are pups around and hungry dingoes are looking for food.”

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Councillor VJ Thorpe commented at the February council meeting the dog situation is getting out of control.

“Someone is going to get hurt and people are talking about taking matters into their own hands.

“Some people are saying they are going to shoot dogs so we need to do something.”

Other locals have threatened to leave poisoned baits on their property as a way of stopping vicious attacks on chooks.

VJ described three dogs that people have complained to her about as being a beige dog with a collar, a black dog and a large brown dog also wearing a collars.

VJ has agreed to consult with the Litchfield council as a starting point in creating Wagait Shire animal management by-laws.

It is difficult to say why there has been a recent escalation of chook attacks but given the number of different dogs spotted it appears more than one animal is doing the killing.

Most residents agree it is time for something to be done as the current lack of law leaves dog owners with almost no accountability for keeping their animal fenced and under control.

There in an animal registry at the council where dog owners can register their animal.

Annoyances with dogs should continue to be reported to the council so animal management issues are well understood by our decision makers.

Hungry dingoes are a threat to pet chooks.

The Bottle-O Neighbourhood supports the responsible service of alcohol. Some products may not be available in country stores due to Liquor Licensing Accord. Some products may not be available at all outlets. Tobacco and alcohol not sold to under 18s. These specials are only available at the Bottle-O Neighbourhood stores. E.&E.O.
Disease spreading mozies plentiful

The Department of Health visited Wagait Beach in January to trap mosquitoes and determine mosquito populations in the area.

The findings of the traps show that Wagait Beach, like many areas in the Top End experienced somewhat of a mosquito population explosion in December and January because of drier than average build up rains which meant the salt marsh mosquito season was longer than usual.

Five sites were set with traps around the Wagait Beach area and the trap at the eastern end of De Lis sa Drive, adjacent to the mangrove swamp trapped the most.

The CDC believes this area to be a major breeding area for the salt marsh mosquito.

The trap set at Lot 133 Erickson Street was the second most productive trap site.

According to the report written by Allan Warchot, the Advice and Control Officer for the Centre for Disease Control, “the most common mosquito collected in all of the traps was the northern salt marsh mosquito Aedes vigilax.

According to the report, this mosquito is the principal pest mosquito in coastal areas of the Top End from September to January, and is considered one of the main vectors of Ross River virus and Barmah Forest virus.

It breeds in salt water and looks like a mid-sized mosquito of dark appearance with banded legs and would have been the most annoying to people who live close to the beach.

It was concerning the second most abundant mosquito was the common banded mosquito Culex annulirostris, which is considered the principal vector of Ross River virus, Barmah Forest virus, Kunjin virus and the potentially fatal Murray Valley encephalitis virus.

This mosquito is most common from January to August in the Top End, and the female (which is the one to look out for) is a medium sized mosquito of brownish to dark appearance with banded legs and breeds in freshwater.

The health department advises people to protect against mosquitoes all year round but particularly during the wet when the nasty mosquitoes are in season.

The female Aedes vigilax

The female Culex annulirostris

CEO and Vice President resign from Council

Michael Campaign’s last day as Wagait Shire CEO will be May 15

The Wagait Shire Council is going to be busy in the near future with two significant resignations announced in February.

Michael Campaign, the CEO returned from his annual leave with the big news of his resignation.

He has given the respectable three month notice to council and his last day will be on May 15.

It was agreed in the February council meeting there would be no delay in trying to find a replacement CEO and the plan would be to employ LGANT to start the process but give existing councillors the final say on the shortlist of candidates.

Matt Prouse, the council vice president has also announced his resignation.

His position on council will need to be replaced, which means locals can expect an election in the near future.

Matt Prouse resigned as vice president at the end of February

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Weather report for February...

Total rainfall February 2015.......................... 283.8mm
Days of rain.................................................. 21 days
Wettest day February 20.............................. 50 mm
Daily average.............................................. 10.9 mm
Next full moon........................................... March 6
Hottest temp.................................................. 32.2 degrees (1/2)
January average temp.............................. 28.5 degrees

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Ferry business

by Captain Mark

G’day Mandorah,

Gangways gangways gangways. It seems the last 3 years of my life have been spent thinking about gangways at Mandorah.

I’m finally pretty happy with the latest incarnation. It’s wide enough to be stable.

Grippy enough not to slip on, solid enough to take a beating when its rough and light enough for the crew to manage.

A lot of thought has to go into a fairly simple thing.

The new gates which clip on to the engine room hatches to give a solid handrail to hang on to getting on and off the boat are another big improvement.

Keen observers of ferry operations will have noticed the new rope we are using for our lines.

Smaller diameter but twice the breaking strain poly propylene rope has been trialled.

The big killer of our lines is that they chafe through on the poles at Mandorah in the rough. The smaller diameter rope is much easier to fit with protection from the chafing, and is so far performing well.

Looks like a winner at this early stage.

As I write this the first cyclone of the season is threatening. Here’s hoping it crosses the coast somewhere a long way from Darwin!

That’ll do for this month

See you on the ferry!

Captain Mark

Crime on the rise

Long term Wagait Beach resident Fred has had alcohol stolen from his place so many times that he now locks up his outside fridge at night.

Fred isn’t sure who is nicking his beer, but he is sure his lifestyle of never having to lock the house is a thing of the past.

“We lock the house now every time we go out, we never used to but now we do and it’s a real pain’ he explained.

In a separate incident, a man who had just moved into Dylan Place had thieves jump over his back fence in late January and steal expensive fishing gear.

“They climbed over my back fence and stole my shimano rods and reels” he said.

Wagait Beach locals believe crime is on the rise, and its not just house break ins that have people worried.

In January, local teenagers were caught smoking dope in the toilets at the sports ground according to the Wagait Shire CEO Michael Campaign.

Regular incidences of mindless vandalism at the sport ground have also angered rate payers who end up footing the bill for repairs.

A disturbing domestic fight between a man and a woman on Uhr Road spilled out into the street on Saturday February 21 which prompted worried neighbours to call the police.

Police were also called to the sports ground incident and the theft on Dylan Place but the delay in the time it takes for the police based at the Humpty Doo Police Station to arrive makes it difficult to catch any criminal in the act.

While police do regular patrols of the area, there is not permanent police presence at Wagait Beach and this has some locals worried that the safe lifestyle they have long enjoyed is in jeopardy.

TRIVIA is on the first Sunday of the month, starting from 4pm. Get your table organised early!

WORLD’S GREATEST SHAVE is on Saturday March 14th beginning with a ‘CAR BOOT SALE’ from 10 am and ‘LIVE MUSIC’ in the pm. All proceeds to ‘WGS’ so get your stall booked now!

BINGO Sunday 15th March. Jackpot is at $550 & eyes down @ 4pm!

TRIVIA FUNDRAISER on Saturday March 28th for Amber & Sandy with their ‘Shitbox Car Rally’ entry. Come down and enjoy the night from 7 pm!

FOOTY TIPPING is starting next week with NRL and AFL is coming soon! Get your names in now!

‘BLUE COCONUT LOUNGE’ will be happening on Easter Saturday April 4th with local DJ’s LB & L-M!! Come down and get your groove on!

MUFF is taking shape with some great headline acts. Put Saturday June 27th in your diary!

WIFI is coming to your club soon! Watch this space!!!
COUNCIL RESIGNATIONS
It is with regret we received two resignations this month. CEO Michael Campaign and Cr Matthew Prouse.

Michael will be leaving us in May of this year, and Matt will remain in his role as Acting President until President Peter Clee returns on 27 February.

On behalf of the community, the Council would like to thank Michael and Matt for their great contribution to Council and the Wagait way of life during the respective tenures.

Once the electoral process for by election is confirmed there will be a call for nomination to fill the vacant position on Council.

Stay tuned!

ROADS TO RECOVERY FUNDING
At the Council meeting on Tuesday 17 February, CEO Michael Campaign reported that he is in the process of securing Roads to Recovery funding to start the process of mending our road verges. Michael will also be putting together a proposal for drain management and maintenance for the 2015 operational plan.

It has been observed and reported that some of our drains are becoming overgrown and have a build-up of run off material.

Both of these issues have been of ongoing concern in the community so Council are pleased to be taking steps toward rectifying this in 2015.

DOG MANAGEMENT
A more immediate issue discussed at the meeting regarded dogs in the community.

There has been another surge in the number of wandering and unrestrained dogs in the estate.

This has had a tragic and unfortunate consequence of many residents having chickens slaughtered and other pets terrorised on their own property.

Cr Shenagh Gamble is now doing some research in order to present a business paper to Council to consider how to take the next step in animal management in the community.

Remember, just because your pet dog is friendly and gentle in your presence doesn’t mean it is free to roam the estate.

Roaming dogs behave differently to how they are at home and every roaming dog is a serious concern.

FRACKING UPDATE
Cr Ally Richmond updated Council on the “Fracking” situation.

Ally has spoken to the Department of Mines and Energy and they have confirmed that Mining Exploration Licence #EP255 has not yet been gazetted because this area (including Wagait Beach and surround) is being considered as a possible gas reservation zone.

Gas reservation zones are automatically excluded from exploration and extraction processes.

This is excellent news and a tribute to the hard work and community spirit demonstrating we don’t want these risks on the Cox Peninsula.

Cr Ally Richmond will keep us all informed of any updates.

INVITATION TO VOICE COMMUNITY CONCERNS
Just a reminder that every meeting we have a standing agenda item addressing any written community concerns.

If you have something you would like Council to consider, if you are seeking information or answers, please provide your requests in writing to the Council Office one week prior to any meeting.

Send these to council@wagait.nt.gov.au, or drop it in to the Council Office during business hours.

Council meets on the third Tuesday of every month

Full minutes of the meeting are available at Wagait Beach Supermarket, at the Council Office and on the web http://www.wagait.nt.gov.au/

Next council meeting
Tuesday 17 March 2015, 7pm, council chambers. Meetings are open to the public.
February was a special month for Karen Duncan (pictured). Not only did she turn 60 but she also celebrated 41 years of marriage to Kenny Duncan (pictured). In typical Karen fashion, she had a cracker of a birthday party at the Cox Club on February 14 with friends and family who danced and sang till the wee hours.

Saturday February 21st was the inaugural Wagait Beach ‘Pink Stumps Day’ and there was pink stuff everywhere!! TEAM JAMES came up trumps making 70 runs with TEAM JORDAN just coming up short on 54. We didn’t get to see the full potential of Shirley due to her early exit; which was a great shame as Shirley has the goods! A great catch taken out in the deep.

The certificate for the ‘Best Family Effort’ went to the ‘Bay-Vitski’ mob with 5 representatives. ‘Best Adult Effort’ was awarded to James Arratta for his 41 not-out and 3 classic catches at silly mid-on. The ‘Best Junior Effort’ went to the best water-boy this side of the equator in Tomasi Eaton! We should have measured how many metres Masi covered during the match!

Well done to everyone!! Our contribution to the ‘McGrath Foundation’ for the day was $511.90. Thank you to everyone who participated and helped out on the day. Look forward to 2016 being bigger and better!
National Banana Freckle Eradication Program

WHAT IS BANANA FRECKLE?

Banana Freckle in the Territory

Banana Freckle is a fungal plant pest that affects the health of banana plants. This new strain of Banana Freckle has been found to infect a number of banana varieties across the Top End of the Northern Territory. Under the National Banana Freckle Eradication program, $26 million has been allocated to help eradicate Banana Freckle from the Territory by 2017.

Banana Freckle can damage leaves and shorten the banana plant’s life, which in turn affects fruit yield and quality. Overseas observations of the effects of this strain of Banana Freckle include fruit yield reduced by 35%, leaf life reduced by 50% and up to 76% of fruit affected by freckling.

What’s the Plan?

Phase One (October 2014 – April 2015):
- Destruction of all banana plant material in the 6 eradication Red Zones
- Confirmation that the Green Zones outside the Red Zones are free of Banana Freckle.

Phase Two (April 2015 – April 2016):
- No bananas can be planted in Red Zones for a minimum of 6 months, including one wet season
- Monitoring will confirm that no bananas have regrown within the Red Zones
- Surveillance to show the Green Zone remains Banana Freckle free
- Zero movements of banana plants into the Red Zones.

Phase Three (April 2016 – April 2017):
- Controlled replanting of a number of varieties of banana plants within Red Zones
- Plants must come from authorised suppliers and a permit will be required to move the plants. Permits will be supplied when purchasing banana plants from authorised suppliers.

Phase Four (April 2017 onwards):
- Return to normal, with some ongoing monitoring
- NT seeks national recognition that the NT is free of Banana Freckle (Proof of Freedom).

Did You Know?

- The new strain of Banana Freckle Phyllosticta cavendishii only survives on banana plants and banana fruit
- The observed effects of P cavendishii overseas include up to 78% of fruit affected by freckling
- Everyone in the Red Zones can replant from April 2016 to April 2017
- The observed effects of P cavendishii overseas include yield reduced by up to 35%
- The new strain of banana freckle Phyllosticta cavendishii is only suppressed by fungicides

For more information, or to fill in the survey about preferred banana species when replanting starts from April 2016 visit the Banana Freckle website www.banana.nt.gov.au,
Wagait’s newest baby

Little Evie is the newest family member for Chani Verhess and Ash Pitkin (the dog Jesus being their first child). Evie Mavis Pitkin was born on February 11 weighing 2.6kg and measuring 51 cm.
Evie gave her parents a shock by arriving five weeks early, but mum and baby are doing fine. Congratulations!

Pumpkin Soup

Chop up 2 onions and some garlic, fry in big pot with some oil/butter until softened.

Add chopped and peeled medium (or half large) pumpkin, a litre of chicken stock, lotsa salt and pepper and enough water to cover the pumpkin at least 2 cm deep.

Boil the pumpkin until soft and the liquid has reduced and just covers the pumpkin.

Carefully blitz in a blender, or use a handheld blitzer in the pot, until smooth.

Serve with a spoonful of coconut milk yoghurt, or sour cream, or plain yoghurt, and top with a sprinkle of chopped fave herbs - coriander goes really well - and some crusty bread, rolls or grilled cheese on toast.

Cook’s Tips

Add leeks, sweet potato, corn etc to the soup while its cooking

Serve it with chopped cooked chicken, bacon, cheese sprinkled on top etc - jazz it up as you like!
With the month of February now coming to a welcoming close, it’s time to focus on arguably the most exciting month of fishing for the year, and that is the runoff.

Concerningly however, this ‘so called’ runoff could be short lived because of the lack of rain we have experienced over the last three months.

This isn’t a good thing for most anglers chasing barra! Without any runoff around our local creeks means it is hard fishing.

This is because the barra are not congregating around the mouths of our creeks and instead sticking up the creeks and becoming harder to catch.

The jetty was unusually good throughout the month of February with plenty of big queenie action on the poppers.

Somedays I was hooking onto 10 plus queenies over the meter mark in a single afternoon or morning session.

I’ve also hooked up on some massive trevally who pretty much eat anything you put in front of them.

I’ve also won with plenty of decent sized spanish mackerel smashing the all sorts of lures and baits at the jetty over February.

Until next time rods in hands

James Arratta

Queenie picked up off the jetty on a popper

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May Thomson

Answers to last puzzle

Across
1. Be confusing or perplexing to (6)
4. What everybody is for 15 minutes, so they say (6)
9. The highest female voice (7)
10. A foot traveller (5)
11. Synthetic silk like fabric (5)
12. Guts, perhaps (7)
13. Unable to see too far (11)
18. Dried seedless grape (7)
20. Take up with the tongue (3,2)
22. Tangled mass of prickly plants (5)
23. Said of pants that sit on the hips (3-4)
24. Joint (6)
25. With the letters slanting to the right (6)

Down
1. Choux or Danish, for example (6)
2. Quick and energetic (5)
3. An apprentice is one, a scholar is another (7)
5. Anaemic looking (5)
6. Tree with acorns (3,4)
7. Mental or emotional strain (6)
8. Concerning public affairs (11)
14. Long and thin and sinuous (3-4)
15. Not the full quid (4-3)
16. A curve running through places of equal pressure (6)
17. Relating to a transient cessation of respiration (6)
19. Be in accord (5)
21. A small glass bottle (5)

Wagait’s Mr Fixer

Mr Fixer is smiling this month because the sign at the end of Wagait Tower Road has been straightened up and looks good.

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Wagait Wagon driver viciously attacked

On the night of February 14 the Wagait Wagon driver was attacked by three men who demanded to be taken Belyuen.

Neil White was on his way to pick up passengers off the 8.20pm ferry when three men jumped out in front of the bus at the Mandorah pub turnoff.

Neil had to swerve to miss the men, whom he presumed were trying to flag the bus for a lift.

He didn’t pick the men up, instead he proceeded to the normal wagon pickup spot for passengers he was expecting to come off the 8.20pm ferry.

The bad weather meant the ferry couldn’t park and while he was waiting, one of the men approached Neil and demanded to be driven to Belyuen.

Neil explained it was Wagait Wagon policy not to drop off to Belyuen after 5pm but did offer to take the three men to the shop for shelter because he could see a big storm was coming.

The men agreed and got into the wagon, two in the back and one in the passenger seat.

On the way to the shop Neil was attacked. The attack started from the man sitting in the back who put his arms around the front of Neil, grabbed his shirt and pulled back on the shirt to choke him.

While this was going on, the man sitting in the passenger seat punched him from the side.

“They said they were going to steal the wagon and the money, so I knew I had to get out of the van and take the keys with me” said Neil.

Neil stopped the car so fast that one of the men in the back seat was flung forward towards the steering wheel.

He did manage to get out of the car with the keys, and when he did, the guy in the passenger seat got out too and came around to attack him further.

“I punched him in the ribs and he fell down like a sack of potatoes, then he got up and I made the mistake of punching him on the jaw, which is how I broke my hand”

The other guy who was now sitting in the driver’s seat started whacking me with the car door.

It was then that Neil realised that he was in a lot of trouble, and he yelled to the men that he would drive them to Belyuen. “I only had one hand working and I knew that I needed to do something otherwise I was going to get really hurt”

On the trip to Belyuen, the men who were clearly drunk tried to make friends with Neil by complimenting him on his fighting technique, they even ended up telling him their names.

“I got home and rang the police, they came at about 11pm, and I told them the names the men had given me”

Neil said he has had a lot of support from the Belyuen community who were furious the men had tried to steal the Wagait Wagon and attacked Neil.

“The police told me they don’t live in Belyuen, they live in Palmerston and they had stolen two mini buses in Palmerston before trying to steal the Wagait Wagon”

Neil was pleased to learn last weekend that the men had been charged.

As a result of the attack, the Wagait Wagon is going to put a barrier in the wagon to protect the driver and also install cctv.

Neil White with his broken hand was pleased to learn the men who attacked him have been charged.

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**Darwin Harbour tide times for March ’15**

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