



# LEONORA GOLDEN • GIFT

15TH ANNIVERSARY



*Australia's Richest Mile Running Race!*

## WEEKEND PROGRAM 2-5 JUNE 2017



#LeonoraGG

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# WELCOME MESSAGE

Welcome to Australia's Golden Outback for the 2017 Leonora Golden Gift.

The highlight of the event is the iconic 1,600 metre Elite Mile sprint, which is regarded as the nation's richest mile running race, offering a chance to share in a \$50,000 prize purse.

To celebrate its 15th anniversary, the Leonora Golden Gift will also feature a number of exciting activities for the whole family including horse racing, fireworks, market stalls, bands and street entertainment.

The Leonora Golden Gift is proudly sponsored by the McGowan Labor Government through Tourism WA's Regional Events Scheme, supported by Royalties for Regions.

Tourism is a key pillar of the McGowan Government's plan to diversify the economy, create jobs and develop business opportunities, especially in regional Western Australia. In 2016, visitors spent \$10 billion in the State, including \$4.7 billion in regional areas.

Events such as the Leonora Golden Gift are important because they provide significant economic, social and cultural benefits to regional communities. They also make regional areas exciting places to visit, as well as great places to live.

We hope everyone enjoys the event and their time in the region.



HON PAUL PAPALIA CSC MLA  
MINISTER FOR TOURISM



HON ALANNAH MacTIERNAN MLC  
MINISTER FOR REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

# WELCOME TO LEONORA!

Once again the Leonora Golden Gift will feature Australia's richest mile running race along the iconic main street. Along with horse racing, community workshops and activities for the whole family, there will be two community concerts held on the main stage on Tower Street.

Saturday night will feature The Lulus for the kids and will be headlined by Eskimo Joe frontman Kav Temperley. Also on stage will be alternative rockers Sevenhurtz (featuring Karnivool lead guitarist Drew Goddard) and Goldfields songstress Ange Leech - the night will be capped off with exciting fireworks. Sunday night's Leonora Live concert will deliver laughs a-plenty with The Comedy Emporium, headlined by Perth funny man Matt Storer. Sevenhurtz will take the stage again and The Central Desert Band will rock the night away.

Located 234km from Kalgoorlie, Leonora has a rich outback history and heritage, from the old world grandeur of the legendary State Hotel, to the simple charm of iron and hessian miners' cottages in the eerie gold rush ghost town of neighboring Gwalia.

We hope that everyone enjoys the 2017 Leonora Golden Gift and wish all competitors the best of luck.

Should visitors require any assistance or information over the weekend, please call any of the following:

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**LEONORA**  
Postcode 6438



GWALIA  
TOWN SITE

(SEE NEXT PAGE)

CEMETERY

# ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

**Leonora Lodge:** (08) 9037 7053

**Central Hotel:** (08) 9037 6042

**Whitehouse Hotel:** (08) 9037 6030

**Leonora Motor Inn:** (08) 9037 6444

**Leonora Caravan Park:** (08) 9037 6568

**Hoover House, Gwalia Museum:** (08) 9037 7122

Free camping is also offered at the Leonora Oval, Biggs Avenue

Please contact accommodation providers for rates.

For other travel details and information, please ring the

Leonora Information Centre on (08) 9037 7016.

## ROAD CLOSURE

All events conducted on TOWER Street between Rochester & Rajah Streets. This section of Tower Street is closed to vehicles from 8am Saturday 3rd June until 8am Monday 5th June.

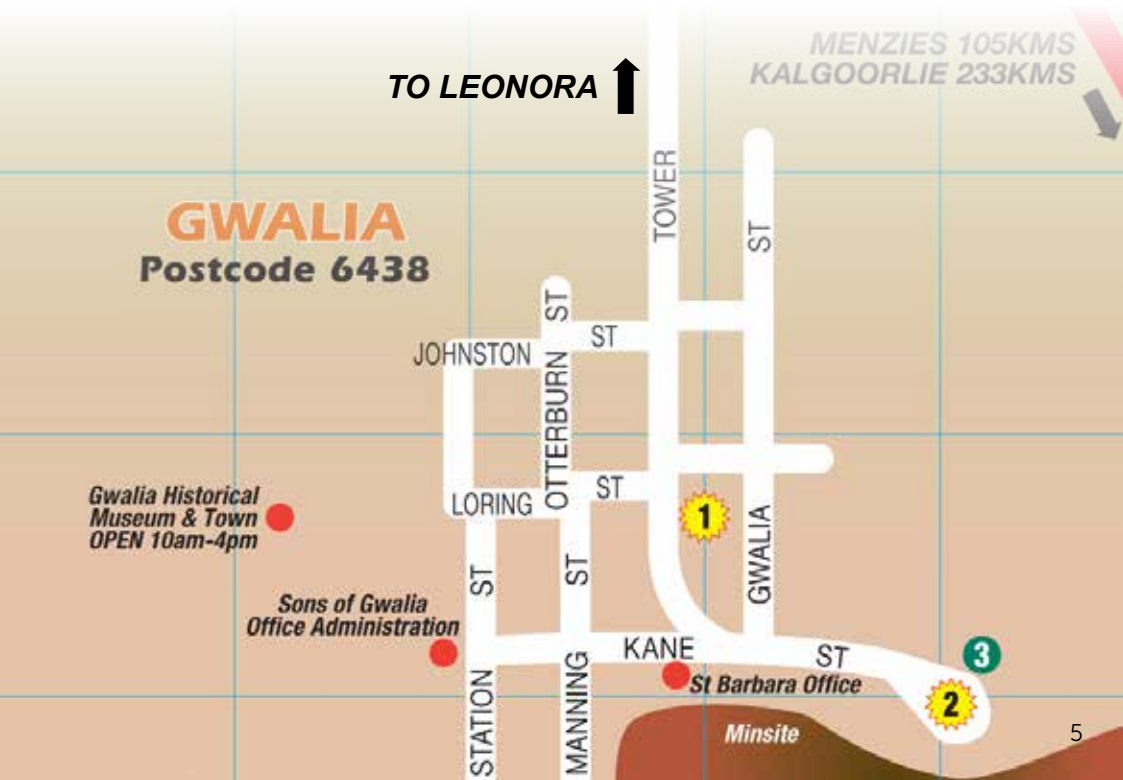
## EMERGENCY CONTACTS

**Leonora Police Station:**

**(08) 9037 6100**

**Leonora Hospital:**

**(08) 9080 4300**





# Minara Community Foundation

**Major Supporter of the  
Leonora Golden Gift**

We congratulate the Leonora community for the ongoing success of this event.

Good luck to all of the competitors.



# BUS TIMETABLE

	Date	From	To	Time
Charter flight pick-up	03/06/2017	Leonora Airport	Accommodation	9:15am / 10:00am
Saturday Horse Races	03/06/2017	Bowls Club	Race Course	12:30pm 1:00pm 1:30pm 4:45pm 5:15pm 5:30pm
	03/06/2017	Race Course	Bowls Club	12:45pm 1:15pm 1:45pm 4:30pm 5:00pm 5:45pm
Gwalia Breakfast	04/06/2017	Shell Service Station, Tower Street	Hoover House	7am 7.15am 7.30am 7.45am 8am
	04/06/2017	Hoover House	Shell Service Station, Tower Street	7.40am 7.55am 8.10am 8.25am 8.45am
Charter Flight Drop Off	04/06/2017	Shell Service Station / Accommodation	Airport	7.30pm 7.45pm 8pm
Monday Horse Races	05/06/2017	Bowls Club	Race Course	11:30am 12:00pm 12:30pm 3:45pm
	05/06/2017	Race Club	Bowls Club	11:45am 1:00pm 12:15pm 12:45pm 3:30pm 4:00pm

# ENTERTAINMENT FOR ALL!

## SATURDAY COMMUNITY CONCERT

*featuring*  
**ESKIMO JOE**  
FRONTMAN



**KAV TEMPERLEY**

*Playing all your  
favourites and his  
solo hits*



LAUGH YOUR  
SOCKS OFF WITH  
**ANDY SAUNDERS!**



**Kalgoorlie songstresses**  
**Ange and Michelle**

## The Comedy Emporium

Featuring WA Raw Comedy Winner Matt Storer  
and Andy Saunders  
Youth Zone & Silent Disco @ Town Park

## Food Trucks

### Goldfields Girl Showcase

A program which aims to bring about positive  
change and empower young Aboriginal  
women in the Goldfields to achieve their best

### Climbing Wall & Bungee Trampolines

*(Sponsored by Independence Group and  
supported by Shire of Menzies)*

Saturday @ The Races 12pm - 5.30pm  
Sunday @ The Central Hotel 9am-4pm

### Stunt Freefall

*(Sponsored by Leonora Pharmacy)*  
Sunday @ the tennis courts 9am-4pm

### High Ropes Course

*(Sponsored by Cameco Australia)*  
Sunday @ The Whitehouse Hotel 9am-4pm



**SEVENHURTZ**

*featuring*  
**DREW GODDARD**  
KARNIVOOL LEAD GUITARIST



**CENTRAL DESERT BAND**

## Kids Ultimate Adventure Zone

*(Sponsored by Shire of Leonora)*  
Sunday @ Tennis Courts

## Leonora Races

Saturday from 1pm  
*(Supported by NOV)*  
(Part of the Goldfields Winter Round)  
Featuring \$10,000 1200m, \$8000 1600m  
Live Music  
Fashions on the Field

## Fashions on the Field

*(Supported by Brown's Party Hire)*  
Saturday @ The Races  
Enter on the day  
Guest Judges  
Great Prizes!  
1st \$1200  
2nd \$600  
3rd \$200





# WEEKEND PROGRAM

## FRIDAY JUNE 2

6:30-9:30pm

### Leonora Art Prize Official Opening

Leonora Recreation Centre. Drinks and Canapés provided. Speeches around 7:30pm

8:00pm

### Auction at The Whitehouse Hotel

All proceeds to support the 2017 Leonora Golden Gift.

Supported by the White House Hotel, Terry Demasson and generous sponsors.

## SATURDAY JUNE 3

12:30pm

### Leonora Race Club Meeting (Part of the Goldfields Winter Round)

Featuring \$10,000 1200m, \$8000 1600m & Fashions on the Field

1:00pm

### Introduction of Elite Athletes

4:00pm

### Bush Two Up - Leonora Race Club

7:00-9:00pm

### Silent Disco

Sponsored by Goldfields Esperance Development Commission

Youth Zone (town park)

## ST BARBARA LIMITED SATURDAY CONCERT

### Main Stage

5:20-5:40pm

### The Lulus

Sponsored by St Barbara Limited

6:00-7:00pm

### Workboot Sprint & Elite Mile Heats Tower Street

Sponsored by Butsons Builders, Shire of Leonora,

7:00-8:15pm

### Ange & Michelle

Sponsored by St Barbara Limited

8:15-8:30pm

### Fireworks!

Sponsored by Saracen

8:30-9:45pm

### Kav Temperley

Sponsored by St Barbara Limited

9:45-11:30pm

### Seventhurtz feat. Drew Goddard (Karnivool)

Sponsored by St Barbara Limited

## SUNDAY JUNE 4

7:00am-9:00pm

### BBQ Breakfast

Sponsored by Shire of Leonora

Hoover House, Gwalia. Gold coin donation - everyone invited!

9:30am-1:30pm

### Sunday Markets

Thanks to Coates Hire and Penns Cartage

From 10:00am

### Minara Resources Athletics Carnival

(see athletics program for details)

12:30-1:15pm

### Finish of the Goldfields Cyclclassic

1:15-1:30pm

### Bike Challenge Parade

## TOURISM WA LOTTERYWEST SUNDAY CONCERT

### Main Stage

4:00-4:30pm

### Community Choir & Goldfields Girl

Sponsored by Tourism WA

4:30-5:20pm

### Seventhurtz (Feat. Drew Goddard - Karnivool)

Sponsored by Lotterywest

5:30-7:15pm

### The Comedy Emporium (feat. Matt Storer and Andy Saunders)

Sponsored by Tourism WA

7.30-8.30pm

### Central Desert Band

Sponsored by Lotterywest

# MINARA RESOURCES ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

## SATURDAY JUNE 3

**6:15pm**      **Open Female Final - Work Boot Sprint**

*Sponsored by Butsons Building Service*

\$300, \$200, \$100, \$50

**6:25pm**      **Open Male Final - Work Boot Sprint**

*Sponsored by Shire of Leonora*

\$300, \$200, \$100, \$50

**6:35pm**      **Elite Female Heat - Mile**

**6:50pm**      **Elite Male Heat - Mile**

## SUNDAY JUNE 4

**10:00am**      **Open Female Heat - 120m Sprint**

**10:10am**      **Open Male Heat - 120m Sprint**

**10:20am**      **Under 12 Female Final - 120m Sprint**

*Sponsored by Tanya Browning & Creative Custom Carpentry*

\$75, \$50, \$25

Local \$75, \$50, \$25

**10:30am**      **Under 12 Male Final - 120m Sprint**

*Sponsored by CBSL Accountants*

\$75, \$50, \$25

Local \$75, \$50, \$25

**10:40am**      **Under 16 Female Final - 120m Sprint**

*Sponsored by Silverlake Resources*

\$150, \$100, \$50

Local \$75, \$50, \$25

**10:50am**      **Under 16 Male Final - 120m Sprint**

*Sponsored by Leonora Drive Connectors*

\$150, \$100, \$50

Local \$75, \$50, \$25

**11:00am**      **Community Fitness Group Lap / Little Kids Dash**

*Sponsored by Cameco & Independence Group*

**11:10am**      **Open Female Semi-Final - 120m Sprint**

**11:20am**      **Open Male Semi-Final - 120m Sprint**

**11:35am**      **Under 12 Male/Female\* Final - 600m**

*Sponsored by Kin Mining & Outback Parks and Lodges*

\$150, \$100, \$50

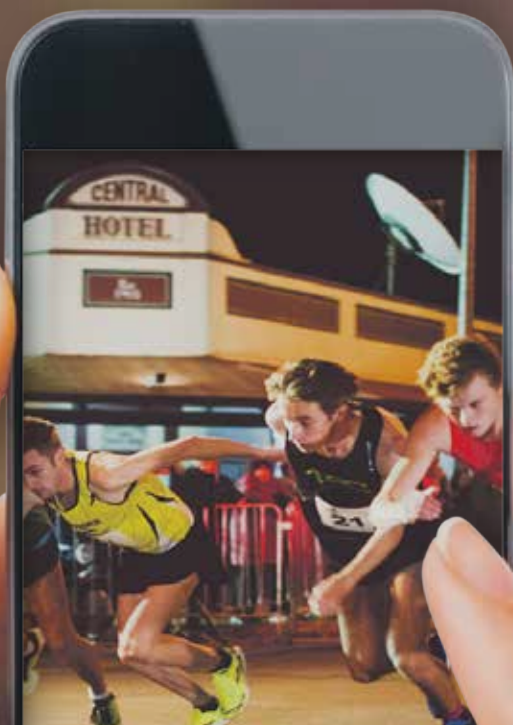
Local \$75, \$50, \$25

*\* Prizemoney values for both male and female athletes*

# MINARA RESOURCES ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

<b>11:50am</b>	<b>Under 16 Male/Female* Final - 600m</b> <i>Sponsored by Biggs Butchers, Sweet Success &amp; GTN Services</i> \$200, \$100, \$75 Local \$100, \$50, \$25
<b>12:05pm</b>	<b>Open/Elite Female Final - 600m</b> <i>Sponsored by The White House Hotel &amp; Majstrovich Building</i> \$1000, \$550, \$300 Local \$200, \$100, \$50
<b>12:15pm</b>	<b>Open/Elite Male Final - 600m</b> <i>Sponsored by Kerion, Leonora Motor Inn &amp; Horizon Power</i> \$1000, \$550, \$300 Local \$200, \$100, \$50
<b>1:30pm</b>	<b>Open Female Final - Mile</b> <i>Sponsored by Donovan Payne Architects &amp; Shire of Laverton</i> \$500, \$250, \$150, \$100 Local \$200, \$150, \$100, \$50
<b>1:45pm</b>	<b>Open Male Final - Mile</b> <i>Sponsored by Northfields WA, Shire of Leonora &amp; Express Yourself Printing</i> \$500, \$250, \$150, \$100 Local \$200, \$150, \$100, \$50
<b>2:00pm</b>	<b>Masters Male/Female Final* - Mile</b> <i>Sponsored by Peter and Kylie Craig &amp; Leinster Contracting Services</i> \$500, \$250, \$150 Local \$150, \$100, \$50
<b>2:15pm</b>	<b>Open Female Final - 120m Sprint</b> <i>Sponsored by Butson Group &amp; Cheric Leonora</i> \$1250, \$500, \$300, \$200 Local \$250, \$150, \$75, \$25
<b>2:25pm</b>	<b>Open Male Final - 120m Sprint</b> <i>Sponsored by Forman Brothers &amp; Economic Transitions</i> \$1250, \$500, \$300, \$200 Local \$250, \$150, \$75, \$25
<b>2:35pm</b>	<b>Under 12/Open Male/Female Bike Sprint (Leonora Kids) 2x races</b>
<b>2.45pm</b>	<b>Elite Female Final - Mile</b> <i>Sponsored by Minara Community Foundation, Ingot Donated by Gold Fields Australia - Agnew</i> \$6000, \$4000, \$2000, \$1500 Local \$1000, \$750, \$500, \$250
<b>3:00pm</b>	<b>Elite Male Final - Mile</b> <i>Sponsored by St Barbara Limited, Ingot Donated by Gold Fields Australia - Agnew</i> \$6000, \$4000, \$2000, \$1500 Local \$1000, \$750, \$500, \$250
<b>3:15pm</b>	<b>Presentations - Main Stage</b>

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# LEONORA GOLDEN GIFT CHAT

## TALK TO JIM

*"The Leonora Golden Gift is one of the most unique mile road races anywhere in the world. We are thrilled to celebrate the event's 15th anniversary and welcome everyone to join in the festivities."*

Jim Epis  
CEO, Shire of Leonora

## PETER SAYS ...



2016 Winner and Rio Olympian, Peter Bol said Leonora's Golden Gift was unlike any other event he races in. *"It's great to get out into the Leonora community, I love this event,"* he said.

## ASK KIARA



Kiara Reddingius is a local athlete and rising star of Australian athletics.

*"The Gift weekend is more than just something to do on a long weekend. It's a strengthening of community, a celebration of friendship and pride of our Town. No matter how people move on with their lives beyond Leonora, it's always in everyone's calendar to make an effort to return that first long weekend in June. I know I have every year since it first began, since I was a little girl. Watching the elite level athletes so close inspired me; it showed me they're still human, just like me, and anyone can work hard to improve - So I did, and I am now one of them. I am proud to be from Leonora, it is the best part of me, the reason I am who I am today."*

- Kiara Reddingius  
Multiple Open 120m Female Race Winner



# Goldfields Cyclclassic

& Community  
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## **We support many events in regional WA just like this one.**

The State Government is supporting Tourism WA's Regional Events Program through Royalties for Regions.

Regional events bring vibrancy, prosperity and growth to communities throughout regional WA.

A map of Western Australia is shown, overlaid with a series of concentric circles that emanate from a central point in the interior of the state. The circles are semi-transparent and have a slight 3D effect. The text "The benefits from Royalties for Regions..." is written in a white, sans-serif font, following the curve of the top half of the circles.

The benefits from Royalties for Regions...

can be felt throughout WA.



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