



# THE UNITED PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS UNION OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

## CIRCULAR

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## VALE SO Dave Parkin

### Attention All Members:

It is with great sorrow that we advise all members of serving Station Officer Dave Parkin's recent death.

We extend our sympathy and condolences to his widow Tash and to his daughters: Bernadette, Tegan, Emily, Hayley and Melissa and to his grand-children and extended family, colleagues and friends. Dave was a proud and loving family man.

Dave Parkin joined the Fire and Rescue Service in 1982 and served at Perth, Kalgoorlie and Geraldton Fire Stations. Dave Parkin was at Geraldton Fire Station from 1997 until 2019.

In addition to his service to the community, Dave Parkin was also a Delegate for our Union at Geraldton Fire Station and he was a fierce and protective advocate for our members on the Country Fire Stations. He will be missed by our serving and retired members who worked with him and by our Union Delegates and Committee members as well.

With Tash's permission we advise you all of the details of Dave Parkin's funeral:

**Date:** Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> of October 2019

**Time:** 12.00 noon

**Place:** Crematorium – Utaarra Cemetery Geraldton  
130 Eastward Rd Utaarra

Please be advised that all members can wear Dress Uniform (short-sleeved dress shirts and cargos for FF's and dress pants, long sleeves and ties for officers no akubra hats required). You will be called to assemble for a **Guard of Honour at 11.30** at the Crematorium.

May He Rest In Peace.

Strength in Unity,

Lea Anderson  
Secretary

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