

GOLF CLUB AND SPORTING FIELD UPGRADE FOR 'THE RIDGE'

You'll have to pardon the pun but Lightning Ridge is one of the gems of Western NSW, and it is great to announce funding for a pair of projects in the town through the Stronger Country Communities Fund.

Walgett Shire Council will receive a total of \$174,153 for the projects, which will be split between the local sporting field (\$84,153) and the Lightning Ridge Golf Club (\$90,000).

At the golfy, the repair of water and termite damage to the club house roof, and the replacement of flooring, is a priority. There's also plans down the track to upgrade the greens and add a putt putt golf and/or driving range to increase community participation.

The sporting field project will see a white powder-coated picket fence added to the facility, which will improve the aesthetics and provide a wonderful facility for everyone.

