

Still waiting on my ton

Long before Paul Hazzard's letter in August (22/8) gave the easy way to claim Rita's \$100 fuel subsidy via the Transport WA website, my hard-copy application sent two months ago must have landed in Rita's bad-idea tray. Then on Monday an acknowledgement-of-receipt email arrived, advising it may take a further eight weeks to process.

Has GST overspend on vanity projects turned Rita and Roger into Ebenezer Scrooges?

Sid Breeden, City Beach

Keeping culture alive

Excellent story on the women running the Perth Symphony Orchestra (*Coffee Break*, 7/9)

As the international and interstate theatricals appear to have given up on Perth, thank goodness brilliant music and theatre still prevails, courtesy of homegrown creativity.

The Perth Symphony Orchestra and Theatre 180 both proudly feature West Australian productions and talent which they take throughout the State. So not only featuring in Perth, but also staged in country regions.

Suzanne John, Fremantle

Anyone booked yet?

There has been plenty said about Rita Saffioti's unwanted racetrack and Roger Cook's rugby team. But it has been quiet about the large grey buildings on Marshall Road.

I am not sure if they are an elephant graveyard or just another Labor white elephant.

It would be interesting to see the cost to build, and whether there are any actual bookings to use these movie sets.

Mark Duder, Kallaroo

