



## MAYORAL COLUMN

WELCOME TO THE WANNEROO LINK, OUR FORTNIGHTLY COMMUNICATION WITH CITY RESIDENTS.

### SUPPORT FUND OUR FUTURE

Residents are encouraged to 'rail' against the lack of transport connections in your area and join the bid for a better deal in the lead up to the Federal election. The City's Fund Our Future campaign is gaining momentum as the 2 July poll draws closer. We are determined to get a better deal for our community, particularly when it comes to accessing vital rail and road networks. We want to ensure people living in the northern suburbs of Perth don't get left behind. The Fund Our Future priorities in the City of Wanneroo are:

- Expanding the northern suburban rail from Butler to Yanchep including creation of new stations
- Extending the Mitchell Freeway from Hester Avenue to Romeo Road, Alkimos
- The continuation of Wanneroo Road as a dual carriageway (northbound)

To join the Fund Our Future campaign or find out more visit [fundourfuture.info/act-now](http://fundourfuture.info/act-now)

### SHARK NET FUNDING

The State Government has announced it will provide \$200,000 funding for a shark barrier at Quinns Rocks beach, providing peace of mind to the thousands of swimmers who use this beach every year. We have been campaigning for support to install a barrier for a long time, so this is a great outcome. The 300 metre shark barrier is expected to cost \$300,000 with the City of Wanneroo contributing one third of the cost. We will now work with key stakeholders to have this important safety equipment in place by the end of 2016.

### AUSTRALIAN SUPERBIKE CHAMPIONSHIP

Following the tremendous 2016 V8 Supercars Perth SuperSprint, WA's premier motorsport complex Barbagallo Raceway will host another major event next week, the Australian Superbike Championship. The Round 4 meet will take place Friday, 3 June to Sunday, 5 June. There is nothing more exhilarating than the rumble of some of the world's most powerful superbikes. I had the thrill of riding with road racing legend Steve Martin and to see him in action is truly amazing - I encourage residents to soak up the excitement at the event.

### REMINDER ON COMMUNITY SURVEYS

Time is running out to have your say in two important community surveys. Residents are encouraged to take part in the Community Waste survey, on current services and future waste needs. The survey closes 26 May.

Residents aged over 55 are also being asked to have their say on age friendliness, the results of which will assist with the City's first Age Friendly Strategy. Prizes are up for grabs for participants of both surveys, which are available under Your Say on the City's website.

### WANNABEINSPIRED WORKSHOPS

If you've ever wanted to do something positive in your community, the City of Wanneroo may be able to help. Two workshops are being held in Clarkson (25 May) and Landsdale (2 June) with Peter Kenyon, social entrepreneur and community enthusiast, to inspire and chat about your ideas. Phone 9405 5916 or visit [wannabeinspired.com.au](http://wannabeinspired.com.au) for details.

Mayor Tracey Roberts JP



City of Wanneroo Community Art Awards and Exhibition overall winner Andy Quilty with his Works on Paper piece Papa #3.



## COMMUNITY ART AWARDS AND EXHIBITION

THE 15TH CITY OF WANNEROO COMMUNITY ART AWARDS AND EXHIBITION IS ON NOW, WITH ALMOST HALF OF THE 230 ENTRIES COMING FROM CITY OF WANNEROO RESIDENTS.

Andy Quilty was awarded the main prize, taking home \$7500 for his incredible artwork entitled Papa #3 in the Works on Paper category.

Judges commented that "the vibrant artwork displays high energy line making. The strong stare creates a powerful image, which has a very Australian feel to it".

Wanneroo Mayor Tracey Roberts said she was thoroughly impressed with all of the entries this year, which included 144 paintings, 50 works on paper and 28 sculptures.

"I am so proud of Wanneroo's creativity - each year, the quality of artwork submitted is always of such a high standard," Mayor Roberts said.

"I am delighted that almost half of the artworks on show are from local artists."

More than \$16,000 in prizes was awarded at the well attended opening night, and a further prize of \$600 will be given out to the People's Choice Award winner based on public votes, so make sure you visit the exhibition and have your say on which artwork deserves to be highlighted.

The exhibition runs until 11 June at the Wanneroo Library and Cultural Centre Gallery from Monday to Saturday 10am-4pm. Entry is free.

Visit our website [wanneroo.wa.gov.au](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au) to view all the winning artworks.

## MyPOST MYPOST DIGITAL MAILBOX

The City of Wanneroo is introducing an electronic delivery option to residents for their annual rates notices.

For the first time, residents will be given the option to sign up for the system and receive their rates notice thanks to a new partnership with Australia Post.

Bills and payments will be conveniently available in the same place and residents can also set up payment reminders through the system. It will also mean less paper mail which is better for the environment.

Open your **FREE MyPost Digital Mailbox** in four easy steps:

1. Visit [digitalmailbox.com.au](http://digitalmailbox.com.au)
2. Enter your details
3. Verify your account
4. Connect to the City of Wanneroo



### COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council Meeting  
Tonight 24 May 2016 // 7pm

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Council Briefing  
Tuesday 14 June 2016 // 6pm

All meetings held at the City of Wanneroo Civic Centre  
23 Dundobar Road, Wanneroo

### STOP. SWAP. SLEEP

Ensure your safety on the roads this WA Day with a coffee stop at the City of Wanneroo Driver Reviver Caravan.

**Monday 6 June // 8am-4pm**

INDIAN OCEAN DRIVE,  
(5kms north of Breakwater Drive, Yanchep)

## WANNEROO AQUAMOTION KINGSWAY INDOOR STADIUM SPECIAL JUNE OFFER\*

12 visits for the price of 10. Purchase this deal during the month of June and you will receive:

- 12 visits for \$119 or \$99 concession for Aquamotion Gym and Group Fitness classes.
- 12 visits for \$99 or \$85 concession for Kingsway Group Fitness classes.

Visit [wanneroo.wa.gov.au](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au) \*Conditions apply.

SPECIAL

## WINTER PLANTING EVENTS

The City will hold a number of free planting events this Winter. Please bring gloves, a trowel, water bottle and wear sturdy shoes. Morning tea will be provided. Registration is essential, please call 9405 5000.

- 12 June // 9am-12pm - Rufus Park, Madeley
- 26 June // 9am-12pm - Ashley Park, Tapping
- 10 July // 9am-12pm - Quinns Beach Bushland
- 20 July // 9am-1pm - Yanchep Foreshore
- 31 July // 9am-1pm (National Tree Day) Longbeach Reserve, Mindarie

For details visit [wanneroo.wa.gov.au](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au)

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## NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF WASTE LOCAL LAW 2016

The City of Wanneroo Waste Local Law 2016 came into effect on 11 May 2016.

The purpose of the local law is to regulate the storage, collection and disposal of waste and refuse from residential premises and on waste facilities in the City. The effect is that unless otherwise authorised, the storage, collection and disposal of waste and refuse within the City must be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the local law. The local law may be inspected and copies obtained from the City's office at 23 Dundobar Road, Wanneroo during normal office hours. An electronic copy can be downloaded from the City's website at [wanneroo.wa.gov.au](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au)