



## MAYOR'S MESSAGE



Mayor Tracey Roberts with local chaplains (L-R) Sue Dutton, Steve Jansz, Amelia McIntosh, Scotty Currie, Lyn Bayakly and Estelle Van Niekerk

On Friday 5 October we recognised volunteers from Buckingham House, Cockman House, the Community History Museum, City of Wanneroo libraries, and the Wanneroo Gallery at the annual heritage and library services volunteer appreciation dinner.

The City has more than 500 active volunteers, including the 82 volunteers who donate their time to heritage and library services. It is important that we take time to thank these dedicated

community members, and show gratitude for their commitment.

Congratulations to Peter Roberts, Maree Allen, Iris Geneve, David Boudeville, Simon Kenrick and Nicholas Romney who were each awarded the City's Volunteer Excellence Award for their continued and invaluable service.

The City's annual Charity Golf Day was held on Thursday 18 October at the local Carramar Golf Course.

The event raises funds for YouthCARE Chaplaincy Services, who offer social, emotional and spiritual support to students at six secondary schools in the City of Wanneroo.

With the help of sponsors and donors, this year's event raised \$40,000 – a fantastic result! The City has been running the Charity Golf Day for a number of years and has now raised more than half a million dollars for YouthCARE.

I would like to extend my sincere thanks to everyone who donated, sponsored or was involved in this year's important event for helping to make it such a success.

Spring brings the transition from winter to summer sports competitions and I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge four of our local winter sporting teams who achieved particular success this past season.

Congratulations to Wanneroo Districts Rugby Union Club who won the Fortescue Championship Division, defeating Palmyra in the Grand Final on 25 August. This season's ultimate success represents a miraculous turnaround for the team who only won one game last season and is testament to their hard work and commitment. Well done Roodogs!

Congratulations also to Olympic Kingsway who won the Football West State League Division 2, finishing the season undefeated and to Wanneroo City who finished runners up.

Finally, well done to Quinns FC Amateur Sunday Side whose efforts will see them promoted to the Sunday Amateur Premier League in 2019. We also congratulate Vicki Frost, Quinns FC Treasurer, for being awarded the Football West Club Administrator and Volunteer of the Year Award at the 2018 WA Football Awards.

Mayor Tracey Roberts JP

## Get your skates on for Banksia Grove Skate Park

The official opening of the eagerly awaited Banksia Grove Skate Park will be celebrated with a fun-filled community event on 27 October.

Located at Grandis Park in Banksia Grove, the new skate park is sure to be a popular place for local young people to get active and meet new friends while working on their skating, scooter and BMX skills.

The opening event will provide fun for the whole family, including food trucks, a community barbeque, giant garden games and community stalls.

There will also be a chance for young people to show off their skills in the bowl, atop the fun box and along

the rails in a hair-raising competition. Don't forget your helmets!

The free event has been organised by a passionate group of young volunteers with support from the City's youth officers.

The Banksia Grove Skate Park is a jointly funded project between the City of Wanneroo, Lotterywest and Banksia Grove Development, at a cost of \$600,000.

A new sport amenities building at Grandis Park will also officially open on the day.

Mayor Tracey Roberts said both facilities will benefit residents of Banksia Grove and surrounding



Youth Working Group Members with the Mayor.

suburbs for many years to come.

"The City of Wanneroo is committed to providing facilities that enable our residents to be active and healthy, and I look forward to seeing more of our young people out and about."

### Event details:

Banksia Grove Skate Park Official Opening

Saturday 27 October, 2pm-7pm

Parking off Splendens Ave or Joseph Banks Blvd

FREE

### Spring Activities



**Bushcare Event**  
Friday 26 October 2018  
9am-12noon  
Koondoola Regional Park  
Koondoola

FREE

**Guided Coastal Walk**  
Sunday 4 November 2018  
9am-11am  
Claytons Beach, Mindarie

**Night Stalk**  
Friday 9 November 2018  
6.45pm-8.15pm  
Lake Joondalup Foreshore, Wanneroo  
Call Conservation on 9405 5000  
or visit [wanneroo.wa.gov.au](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au) for more information!



### Exhibition



#### In the Service of Humanity: 60 Years of St John Ambulance in Wanneroo

Discover the history and growth of this amazing volunteer based organisation at the Wanneroo Museum.

On exhibit until 24 November.  
Wanneroo Regional Museum  
3 Rocca Way, Wanneroo

FREE

#### Did you know?

By law, swimming and spa pools, including portable pools, containing water more than 30cm deep must have effective safety barriers that restrict access by young children.

For more information visit [dmirs.wa.gov.au/portable-pools](http://dmirs.wa.gov.au/portable-pools)

### Australia Day Awards 2019

Do you know someone who works hard for the City of Wanneroo community?

Nominate them for an Australia Day Award.

For more information call 9405 5012 or visit [wanneroo.wa.gov.au](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au)

Nominations close 16 November 2018.



### Wanneroo Library

#### Open Sundays!

The Wanneroo Library has opened its doors to the public on Sundays from 11am-3pm for a six month trial period.

If successful, the City will consider permanent Sunday opening at the library, and review opening hours of other City facilities.

Have your say on the extended City of Wanneroo Library hours at [wanneroo.wa.gov.au/yoursay](http://wanneroo.wa.gov.au/yoursay)



### Council Meetings

#### Council Briefing

Tuesday 6 November // 6pm

#### Council Meeting

Wednesday 14 November // 7pm

All meetings are held at 23 Dundobar Rd, Wanneroo



### Armistice

#### Wanneroo's Tribute to the Great War



Commemorative Service  
Sunday, 11 November // 10.45am  
Wanneroo Memorial Park,  
Civic Drive Wanneroo

#### Wanneroo Remembers: the Centenary of Armistice

Between 1914 and 1918, 23 members of the Wanneroo community served in the 'War to End All Wars'.

Exhibition runs until 24 November.  
Conference Room,  
Wanneroo Library and Cultural Centre  
3 Rocca Way, Wanneroo