



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Quinns Rocks Caravan Park

The City is committed to working towards a positive outcome for the Quinns Rocks Caravan Park. Due to the environmental significance of the site and the nature of proposed redevelopments, it is very important for the appropriate planning and environmental studies to be conducted and verified. The City has appointed a dedicated officer from the City's Property Services team to oversee the project and to date the site has been cleared of all pre-existing structures, closure signage has been erected and gates have been installed to prevent unauthorised access. Once the outcomes of the studies are available the City will be able to consider the appropriate course of action. Community consultation would also be required.

Integrated Services Community Hub

The City of Wanneroo and MercyCare have jointly launched a new hub in Merriwa that offers high quality services and programs for local residents. The hub aims to strengthen the community by providing a place for services in a safe, central and affordable location that will complement services already available in the area. Statistics show there is a high percentage of people, including seniors, who need help in their day-to-day core activities. Consultation and engagement with the community, in addition to service providers, will be undertaken to ensure the hub meets local service gaps while building on the community's strengths.

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A Crash of Rhinos Exhibition

A Crash of Rhinos is now open at the Gallery at the Wanneroo Library and Cultural Centre.



A Crash of Rhinos by Patricia Mullins.

The City of Wanneroo, in conjunction with the State Library of Western Australia, is exhibiting work from highly acclaimed children's author/illustrator, Patricia Mullins.

The exhibition includes original illustrations with a number of preliminary sketches, drawings and

notes Patricia Mullins used to create her magnificent book A Crash of Rhinos.

Entry is free and the exhibition runs until Wednesday 12 October 2016.

Mayor Tracey Roberts JP

City joins Australia's biggest garage sale



For the first time the City of Wanneroo will be taking part in Garage Sale Trail where more than 350,000 people across the country will host simultaneous garage sales.

Garage Sale Trail is powered by some 150 local councils and is expecting an excess of 13,000 garage sales to be held across the country. Mayor Tracey Roberts said the event is a fun way to declutter, meet your neighbours and uncover some unique bargains.

"The initiative aims to reduce waste by encouraging residents to reuse and recycle pre-loved items whilst making some pocket money along the way," Mayor Roberts said.

"The City is pleased to be part of an award-winning community and sustainability event that is making a positive change for residents," she said.

While the big day is not until Saturday 22 October, now is the time to get ready.

Community groups, schools and charities can use the activity to fundraise and make an average \$735-\$2,000 on the day. If you would like to declutter, buy someone else's treasure, raise funds

for a cause or connect with your community, make sure you join Australia's biggest garage sale. Put Saturday 22 October in your diary and get ready for a fun day of buying and selling.

It is free to get involved and registration is open to households, schools, community groups, makers and creators, cultural institutions, charities and anyone who's up for a day of fun.

To join, head to garagesaletrail.com.au



Council Meetings

Council Briefing Session
Tuesday 6 September 2016 / 6pm

Council Meeting
Tuesday 13 September 2016 / 7pm

Meetings held at the City of Wanneroo Civic Centre 23 Dundobar Road, Wanneroo Enquiries 9405 5000

Hester Avenue closure

To facilitate the upgrade of Hester Avenue as part of the Mitchell Freeway Extension, the Hester Avenue/Hidden Valley Retreat intersection will be closed from 10 September to late October 2016, weather permitting. When the intersection re-opens, the right turn from Hidden Valley Retreat to Hester Avenue (eastbound) will be permanently closed for the safety of road users. In its final format, access to Hester Avenue (eastbound) will be available via the new roundabout at Ridgewood Boulevard. For maps and all enquiries, please visit www.mainroads.wa.gov.au or contact 138 138.

Free spring activities

Guided nature walks **FREE**
Explore your local bushland with an experienced guide.

Sunday 11 September 9am-11am
Marangaroo Conservation Reserve

Wednesday 21 September 9.30am-11am
Tranquil Park, Carramar

Registration and enquiries 9405 5000. A range of activities will run throughout spring. Visit our website for details.



Race in your Rates

Your chance to win **WIN**
Residents who pay their rates in full*, or pay the first instalment by Monday 5 September will go in the draw for a chance to win. Prizes include a \$5,000 holiday package*, \$2,000 shopping spree at Ocean Keys Shopping Centre, two Bubble Sports event packages, two Mindarie Marina getaways and six Coles/Myer gift cards. Visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/rates



*Prize only valid for Rates paid in full by 05.09.2016

Free seniors' forums

Staying Healthy Body and Mind **FREE**
Guest speakers will present on how we can maintain good physical and mental health as we age.

Monday 19 September 10am-11.30am
Koondoola Community Centre

Wednesday 28 Sept 10am-11.30am
Wanneroo Civic Centre

Registration and enquiries 9405 5600.



Wanneroo Aquamotion

Enjoy six weeks free* **SAVE**
Purchase a 12 month membership upfront and receive an additional six weeks free. Workout and discover your best summer body as you experience the gym, group fitness classes and aquatic facilities. Enquiries 9405 5999

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*Terms and conditions apply. Valid from Thursday 1 September to Monday 31 October 2016.

Australia Day Awards

Nominations now open **AWARD**
Do you know someone who works hard for the City of Wanneroo community? Say thank you, by nominating them for a Australia Day Award. Visit the City's website wanneroo.wa.gov.au for award categories and full details on how to nominate. Nominations close Friday 18 November 2016. Enquiries 9405 5012



Community Funding

The City of Wanneroo provides opportunities for community groups to apply for funding support for a variety of activities and events. The September funding round is now open and community groups are encouraged to visit our website to determine whether their project or event is eligible for funding. Visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/communityfunding

