

Cubby Town comes to Yanchep National Park

The City of Wanneroo is thrilled to be supporting Cubby Town - an interactive, back-to-nature fun day out for families and children.

Being held at beautiful Yanchep National Park this Sunday 30 April, the free community event is the first of its kind in Western Australia.

Hosted by Nature Play WA, Cubby Town gives children the chance to enjoy a host of activities, including cubby building, rope climbing, mud play and nature crafts, in a delightful bush setting.

Wanneroo Mayor Tracey Roberts said she hoped families from across the City take the opportunity to enjoy a fun day out, and get close to nature at one of the state's great natural assets.

"The City of Wanneroo is extremely proud to be supporting this unique event," Mayor Roberts said.

"Not only is it a fantastic family day out; it also showcases the Yanchep National Park which is an amazing attraction, right on our doorstep."

"In a world of ever-increasing technology, and with 15 per cent of the City's 200,000-strong population made up of children aged 0-8 years, we understand how important it is for children to experience nature.

"Yanchep is the perfect place to enjoy the great outdoors."

Nature Play WA Chief Executive Officer Griffin Longley said Cubby Town provides opportunities for families to learn more about bringing outdoor, unstructured play into their children's lives.

"Getting our kids outdoors is critical for their development, their physical and mental health, for developing imaginative and creative play," he said.



The City of Wanneroo is proud to be supporting Cubby Town at Yanchep National Park this Sunday. Images courtesy of Nature Play WA.

"Cubby Town is a great opportunity for families with children of all ages, from babies through to teenagers, to get together in nature, enjoy outdoor play, and spend some quality time

together, without the distraction of screens or digital entertainment."

Visit natureplay.org.au/programs/cubby-town to register.

Groyne works continue at Quinns Beach



Groynes are due to be extended and another added at Queenscliff Park.

Major coastal engineering works, designed to stabilise and widen Quinns Beach, will be carried out during the next three financial years.

The multi-million dollar project will add a fourth groyne at Queenscliff Park in addition to extending existing groynes.

The longer groynes will enable additional sand to be trapped between them, resulting in a wider beach and an improved buffer against erosion during winter storms. The existing Quinns Beach carpark will be retained.

The project includes the design and construction of beach access staircases at Waterland Point with physical works to be undertaken in 2017/18.

The City will seek financial assistance from the state government's Coastal Adaptation and Protection Grant Fund.

The annual beach re-nourishment, dune rehabilitation and other maintenance works will continue during and after the groyne construction project.

Council Meetings

Council Briefing Session

Tuesday 2 May 2017 / 6pm

Council Meeting

Tuesday 9 May 2017 / 7pm

23 Dundobar Road, Wanneroo

National Volunteer Week

Volunteer Information Sessions 2017

Do you have some spare time to meet new people, learn new skills and take on new challenges?

Volunteering can make a real difference in your community.

Find out how to get involved during National Volunteer Week (8-14 May) *Give Happy, Live Happy.*

Monday 8 May / 10am-12pm
Clarkson Library

Tuesday 9 May / 1pm-3pm
Wanneroo Library

Thursday 11 May / 12.30pm-2.30pm
Yanchep/Two Rocks Library

Friday 12 May
12.30pm-2.30pm
Girrawheen Library
Enquiries 9405 5000



Kingsway Dog Park

Open now

DOGS

A dedicated area for fun and exercise activities with your dog is now open. Dogs may run off-leash and under voice control within the confines of the fenced area.

Kingsway Regional Sporting Complex

Corner of Hartman Drive and Sporting Drive, Madeley

Your feedback is welcome, visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/contactus



Meet the Mayor

Meet the Mayor on the Road 2017

HELLO

Do you have some ideas you would like to discuss with the Mayor?

On **Wednesday 31 May** from 11am-1pm, the Mayor will be at the Carramar Community Centre 5 Rawlinna Parkway, Carramar.

Mayor Tracey Roberts also makes time every Tuesday from 10am-2pm to meet with residents at the Civic Centre.

Appointments essential 9405 5654

Girrawheen Hub

Open Day 2017

FREE

Preview our new space, have your say on local priorities and help us create a community resource for Girrawheen and surrounding suburbs.

Enjoy refreshments featuring native herbs and spices from *Bindi Bindi Dreaming*.

Thursday 18 May / 10am-2pm
11 Patrick Court, Girrawheen (Behind the Library)
Enquiries 9405 5916



Food truck trial

Have your say

TRIAL

The City of Wanneroo is conducting a food truck trial across various locations in the City.

The program will run until June 2017.

For more information, please visit our website wanneroo.wa.gov.au

The City also has a feedback survey running for the trial period via surveymonkey.com/r/QBWHT2P



Wanneroo Aquamotion

Free upgrade - pool, gym and group fitness

SAVE

Join Wanneroo Aquamotion in May and receive a free membership upgrade when you purchase any 12 month membership package up-front.*

Discover your potential as you experience the fun atmosphere of our centre.

Enquiries 9405 5999
19 Civic Drive, Wanneroo

*Terms and conditions apply. Offer valid during May 2017.



Winter planting events

A greener future

ECO

Join the City of Wanneroo and your neighbours in planting for a greener future.

18 June - Ridgewood Park
9 July - Koondoola Bushland
23 July - Mindarie Foreshore
Enquiries 9405 5000



Did you know?

On average there are eight babies born each day in the City of Wanneroo.

