



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

On Sunday 27 August I was proud to officially open the Dolphin Olympics, one of my favourite events of the year.

Held annually at Wanneroo Aquamotion and now in its 18th year, the event saw more than 80 special needs participants from across Perth take part in the fun-filled swimming competition.

Congratulations to everyone who participated and to our wonderful swim team for their outstanding organisation of the day.

I am also delighted to share that the City of Wanneroo was awarded the inaugural 2017 WALGA / RSL WA Anzac Day Award at the Western Australian Local Government Association Annual General Meeting last month.

The Award is in recognition of the City's strong collaboration and engagement with the Wanneroo RSL Sub-Branch and community, in relation to the coordination and management of the Branch's 2017 Anzac Day Service. Well done to all who worked so incredibly hard to ensure the success of the event.

With the weather warming up more people will be enjoying time

outdoors; therefore it is timely to remind dog owners to ensure they are responsible.

Please remember to keep dogs on a lead unless you are in a designated off-lead area and ALWAYS pick up after your dog.

Irresponsible dog ownership reflects badly on everybody, including those who do the right thing!

The 2017 Local Government Elections will take place next month.

The City is conducting this election as a postal election with the Western Australian Electoral Commission (WAEC) and election packages will be delivered to homes from Wednesday, 27 September 2017.

All election packages must be posted to the Returning Officer using the reply-paid envelope provided.

Please ensure you allow sufficient time for your package to be received before close of polls at 6pm sharp on Saturday, 21 October 2017.

The Wanneroo Civic Centre will be open on 21 October from 8am-6pm if you require replacement or provisional voting papers.

Please visit the City's website at wanneroo.wa.gov.au for more information.

Mayor Tracey Roberts JP

Birds of Tokyo set to soar in Wanneroo



Birds of Tokyo will rock the stage at the Wanneroo Showgrounds for the City of Wanneroo Presents Concert on 4 November.

The hugely popular band will thrill the crowd with songs from new album *Brace*, as well as smash hits *Lanterns* and *I'd Go with You Anywhere*.

Recently winning a fourth APRA award for Best Rock Work, Birds of Tokyo has previously been recognised for a long list of ARIA gongs and a suite of platinum plaques, defining the five-piece group as one of Australia's top contemporary rock bands.

Wanneroo Mayor Tracey Roberts is encouraging the community to

be there and enjoy the free event, featuring extraordinary live music from one of Perth's most well-known exports.

"It is exciting to have secured such a top act for this year's event, and fans should get ready to be entertained by the hugely anticipated performance from Birds of Tokyo," Mayor Roberts said.

"The highly acclaimed band has seen huge national success, and no doubt tickets to the show will be snapped up, so make sure you register early.

"Families can indulge in a range of delicious offerings from Perth's best food trucks or pack a picnic and enjoy quality entertainment under the stars."

According to the Birds of Tokyo, *Brace* was created to be played live, with the opening lines of the first track



Birds of Tokyo members Glenn Sarangapany, Adam Weston, Ian Kenny, Ian Berney and Adam Spark.

inviting listeners to 'come take a seat, enjoy the show'.

"The setlist is pretty varied," keyboardist Glenn Sarangapany said. "Songs right from the start of our career up to the latest stuff. I love the fact that our crowds seem to dig the variety in the show."

Tickets are FREE but essential and will be available exclusively to City of Wanneroo residents from 9am, Monday 2 October 2017.

Any remaining tickets will open to the general public at 9am, Monday 16 October 2017.

Visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/concert

2017 Council Meetings

Council Briefing Session

Tonight 12 September / 6pm

Council Meeting

Tuesday 19 September / 7pm

23 Dundobar Road, Wanneroo

Garage Sale Trail

Register today and choose to reuse

ECO

This multi-award winning sustainability and community campaign powered by local Councils is back in the City of Wanneroo as a weekend-long event.

Households, community groups, charities, local businesses and schools in the City of Wanneroo are set to join more than 350,000 Australians in this annual event to turn unused items into cash, in addition to creating positive social and environmental change.

21 and 22 October 2017

Visit garagesaletrail.com.au



Immunisation catch-up

Meningococcal W

FREE

The City is holding a clinic to administer catch-ups for students who missed out on the *Meningococcal W* immunisation. Students in Years 10, 11 and 12 or in tertiary education aged between 15 and 19 are eligible.

Wednesday 27 September

8.30am-12pm

Wanneroo Library and Cultural Centre

Bookings 9405 5000



Community Funding

Applications open now

FUND

The City of Wanneroo provides opportunities for community groups to apply for funding support for a variety of activities and events.

The next 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



Australia Day Awards

Nominations open

AUS

Do you know someone who works hard for the City of Wanneroo community? Nominate them for an Australia Day Award.

These awards recognise and thank people who have made a significant contribution to the City of Wanneroo community.

Nominations close Friday 17 November. Please visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/forms Enquiries 9405 5012



Free local exhibition

Yokayi Waarbiny Wer Malayin Djin-Djin

ART

This exhibition is the culmination of months of work created by Aboriginal girls from Year 7 through to 11. Presented in collaboration with the City of Wanneroo, ECU and Girrawheen Senior High School.

14 September to 7 October 2017
Monday to Saturday
10am-4pm

City of Wanneroo Gallery
3 Rocca Way, Wanneroo



Youth Services

School holiday events

FUN

Get into spring and join the City of Wanneroo for two fun-filled weeks of action, exploration and creative activities throughout the school holidays in September and October.

26 September to 6 October
Various times

For event information and bookings, please visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au or [facebook.com/cowoyouth](https://www.facebook.com/cowoyouth)



Spring activities

Get back to nature

FREE

Welcome spring by getting involved in guided walks, workshops and bush-care events across the City.

Visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au to view all the events.



Did you know?

The City of Wanneroo's Customer Relations Centre took 96,802 phone calls in the 2016/17 financial year.

