

## City of Wanneroo WANNEROO LINK



**MAYOR'S MESSAGE** 



Prime Wanneroo produce on show in the Pavilion, 2017

Members of Wanneroo Central Bush Fire Brigade

The 2018 Wanneroo Agricultural Show is on again this Friday 23 and Saturday 24 of November at the Wanneroo Showgrounds.

Now in its 109th year, this fantastic event showcases some of the best produce, creativity and talent our region has to offer. There are also fabulous fireworks; sideshow alley and livestock displays. There truly

is something for everyone. More information at wannerooshow.com

Congratulations to everyone at the Wanneroo Central Bush Fire Brigade for winning two gold medals and two bronze medals at the XVII Australasian Police and Emergency Services Games 2018 held in Mandurah from 28 October to 3 November.

The Brigade entered two teams in the

Games with Team 1 winning the gold medal for the Heavy Hose Drill and the bronze medal for the Fire Truck Pull. Team 2 won the gold medal for the Bucket Brigade Event and the bronze medal for the Heavy Hose Drill.

For many of us, Christmas is a wonderful time of year where we enjoy time with family and friends exchanging gifts and sharing a meal, but for some in our community, Christmas can be an incredibly difficult time.

There is still time for you to help bring a smile to the faces of those who are facing difficult times this year by donating to the City of Wanneroo Mayor's Christmas Appeal.

Donations of food items, toys and other items can be made until Friday 23 November at the Civic Centre, City libraries, schools and other locations across the City. Simply place your donation in one of the red Christmas Appeal Bins. For more information please call 9405 5000.

The City is again supporting the Wanneroo Christmas Lunch which brings together community volunteers from across the City who work together to provide a hot meal, carols and a Christmas message to those in need of company this Christmas Day.

Bookings are essential for this FREE event and can be made at wanneroochristmaslunch.com

## Stop, separate and listen: recycling right starts small

On the face of it, cutting down household waste seems like a big ask - after all, the average City of Wanneroo household generates a staggering 1.1 tonnes of waste every year - half of which ends up in landfill.

But if National Recycling Week reminded us of anything, it's the little steps we can take when sorting through our household waste that can have a big impact on bringing that figure down.

- "With just a few small changes to our everyday routine, we can make a big difference," Mayor Tracey Roberts said.
- "And these small changes start with understanding the key do's and

don'ts when separating recyclables from the rubbish.

"The only way to ensure recyclables are recovered to become new items is to put the right items in the right bin."

Items that can be disposed of in your yellow top recycling bin are:

- Paper (excluding shredded paper)
- Cardboard (flattened)
- Glass (even if it's broken)
- Plastic containers and plastic bottles
- Aluminium cans
- · Steel cans.

All items should be clean and empty,

with lids removed and placed loose in the bin.

As for what can't go in your yellowtopped bin?

- Plastic bags and light plastic film
- Clothes or other textiles
- Nappies
- Food or garden waste
- Building waste
- Gas bottles, aerosols or batteries
- Ropes, cables, garden hose pipes
- Takeaway coffee cups

**Council Meetings** 

**AGM of Electors** 

**Council Briefing** 

**Council Meeting** 

**Special Council Meeting** Tuesday 27 November // 6pm

Monday 3 December // 6.30pm

Tuesday 11 December // 5.30pm

Tuesday 4 December // 6pm

23 Dundebar Rd. Wanneroo

Meat trays.

For more information on waste and recycling, visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au/ wasteandrecycling or call 9405 5000.





\* Fri 21 Dec \*

## **Spring Activities**

All meetings are held at



**Guided Coastal Walk** Friday 23 November 2018 9.30am-11.30am Yanchep Boardwalk South Call Conservation on 9405 5000 or visit wanneroo.wa.gov.au for

more information.



Monday 3 to Monday 17 December 2018 // 10am-4pm Weekdays in the Conference Room

Celebrate Christmas holidays beneath the sea, by the beach and under the Australian sun.

Have oceans of fun making fish kites, mini turtles and playing with kinetic sand or enjoy traditional Christmas crafts, carols and other activities available in the Museum and Library.

## Did you know...

How Alexander Heights got its name? Originally named 'Alinjarra' - an Aboriginal word for 'north' - in 1977, the suburb was renamed Alexander Heights in 1987. The name is derived from Alexander Drive, the main arterial road into the area.



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