Have your say on a new City Centre

The City Centre will need to grow to accommodate a forecast regional population of over 450,000 by 2050, an increase of almost 250,000 from 2011 figures. The Plan is a 30 year vision and aspires to guide the growth of the City Centre.

The City has worked with landowners and stakeholders including the State Government’s Metromet team to prepare the draft plan which responds to the need to grade separate vehicle and pedestrian crossings along the rail line to support the ultimate rail extension to Byford. The draft plan proposes lowering the rail line and Train Station, enhancing development potential, creating a piazza at ground level linking with the Jul St Mall and better connecting the areas east and west of the line.

The public will have the opportunity to engage with staff and consultants who have worked on the Plan at displays in both City Centre shopping centres, ask questions, and make submissions on the draft.

Colourful project stands will be on display in Armadale Shopping Centre on Saturday 12 May from 9am to 4pm, and Armadale Central Shopping Centre on 16 May from 11am to 3pm.

More information and a submission form will be available on the City’s website from 7 May.

Wildflowers of Armadale Exhibition

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Presented by the Armadale Branch of the Wildflower Society of Western Australia and the City of Armadale, the exhibition is open until 31 October and can be viewed during normal business hours at History House.

Seville Grove Library Renovations

The Seville Grove Library will close from noon on Saturday 23 June for renovations.

It is anticipated that the library will reopen in autumn 2019.

During the closure we encourage you to visit the Armadale or Kelmscott Libraries instead. For more information visit library.armadale.wa.gov.au

CALL FOR BANDS:

Enter now to get FRAMED!

The City’s annual youth music event is fast approaching and we are on the hunt for some talented youth bands to perform at FRAMED. If you know some talented local band members aged 13 to 18 years, encourage them to contact the City by Friday 20 July for a chance to showcase their talents and skills, with prizes awarded to the chosen bands.

To register your interest to play at this not to be missed event visit armadale.wa.gov.au/framed

Rossiter Pavilion and Playing Field

The City is seeking Registration of Interest to use the recently completed Rossiter Pavilion and Playing Field in Parra Waters from suitable sporting clubs, community groups and other users.

Situated on Turobbe Road in Parra Waters, the community hub hosts a playing field, playground and off street parking, a large pavilion for sports and community use which includes a large main hall, multipurpose room, meeting room and a clubroom with canteen facilities.

Interested users can contact the City’s Sport & Recreation Coordinator on 9394 5000 to Friday 28 June.

Paws up for Dog Park opening

Unleash your four legged friend at the John Dunn Memorial Park Dog Exercise Area community opening day from 10am to noon on Saturday 5 May.

The newly completed park is the first designated off leash dog exercise area the City has built, and features three separate fully fenced exercise areas to cater for small, medium and large dogs.

Let your pooch run free to explore the sand pits and dog exercise equipment. You can purchase a coffee from Café Swift or buy an ice cream from The Milky Monster, and mingle with local dog groups, businesses and City Rangers.

Look it in your furry friend’s calendar, it’s sure to get a woof-of-approval!

Armadale Young Writers’ Awards

WRITING WORKSHOPS

Come and hear some writing tips from award winning WA children’s author, Norman Jorgensen.

Year 3 & 4
Sat 5 May 1 – 2pm

Year 5 & 6
Sat 5 May 2.30 – 3.30pm
Sat 12 May 1 – 2pm

Year 7 to 12
Sat 12 May 1 – 2pm

Sessions are open to students in years 3 to 12 who reside or attend school in the City of Armadale.

Places are limited and bookings are essential. To book your place, call Armadale Library on 9394 0125.

Entrees to the Armadale Young Writers’ Awards will open from 1 to 30 June. Visit library.armadale.wa.gov.au for more information.

Your Garden with Josh Byrne

9 May 6.30 – 8.30pm
Harrisdale Pavilion

Carers Workshop
Agent of Change
16 May 12.30 – 3.30pm
Keilmscott

Firewise Garden Installation
6 June 12.30 – 4.30pm
Roleystone Hall

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

For further information on these and other local events please visit the City’s website or Facebook page.