

Armada City News



Welcome to your new Councillors

Two newly elected Councillors and five returning Councillors were sworn in for a four-year term ending in October 2021 at a Special Council Meeting on Monday 23 October.

The City welcomed newly elected Councillors, Gary Smith (Minnawarra Ward) and Jeff Munn (Ranford Ward) who has previously served as a Councillor.

Councillors Donna Shaw (Heron Ward), Caroline Wielinga (Hills Ward), Carole Frost (Lake Ward), Ruth Butterfield (River Ward) and Colin Campbell, who was re-elected unopposed to Palomino Ward, were returned to Council.

Cr Henry Zelones OAM, JP was returned as Mayor, and Cr Ruth Butterfield as Deputy Mayor, at the first meeting of the new City of Armadale Council on Monday 23 October.

City of Armadale Chief Executive Officer Ray Tame thanked retiring Councillors Guenter Best and Matthew Norman for their service and dedication to the City.

Carols by Candlelight & Christmas Parade

FRIDAY 1 DECEMBER | 6 – 9PM

Come and join in the festive holiday spirit at Carols by Candlelight on Friday 1 December from 6 to 9pm.

Watch well-known colourful characters and performances by local community groups at the Christmas Parade through the Jull Street Mall.

Follow the parade to Memorial Park, where Santa will address the audience. Collect your songbook and LED candles for a gold coin donation, and join the musical spectacular.

In the spirit of giving, bring down a non-perishable food item to give to those in need in your community.



Community Liaison Officers return

The Council has approved a continuation of the trial of Community Liaison Officers in the Jull Street Mall from November 2017 to February 2018.

The officers will work in co-operation with the two major shopping centres and the Armadale Police, and monitor any issues related to anti-social behaviour, identify those who may be causing discomfort to others on a regular basis and enlist direct intervention by the police if necessary.

The Community Liaison Officers are no substitute for real police but will be able to move people on who display anti-social behaviour, and call the police if needed.

Write-ins at the Library

The Armadale Library will be hosting two write-ins on Sundays 12 and 26 November from 1 to 3pm.

Writing can be a solitary gig, but it doesn't always have to be that way. Write-ins support people participating in National Novel Writing Month. Come and meet like-minded people to help you stay motivated throughout the journey.

Refreshments will be available. This session is presented by Write Along The Highway as part of National Novel Writing Month.

For more information visit writealongthehighway.org



City contributes funds for much needed services

In October proceeds from registration fees for the Perth Kilt Run were donated to three local charities that service the Armadale community.

The Intensive Care Foundation, Amanda Young Foundation and headspace Armadale each received a \$1000 donation boost.

City of Armadale Mayor Henry Zelones OAM, JP said he was pleased that the Perth Kilt Run continues to contribute registration proceeds to such valued charities.

This year's Armadale Highland Gathering and Perth Kilt Run saw record attendance numbers of 20,000 and almost 600 participants in the Run.

The City of Armadale will present the event again in September 2018, providing an excellent family day out for residents and visitors and raising much needed funds for charity.

A Smarter Way to Pay

Did you know you can pay your rates through direct debit on a weekly, fortnightly or monthly ongoing basis?

There are no fees or charges when you stay on the program for two years.

Four lucky, randomly selected, households that pay their rates on the City's A Smarter Way to Pay direct debit option each received a prize of \$1000 provided by the City of Armadale in October:

- **HL & JG Craill**, Seville Grove
- **EP & CH Wepa**, Champion Lakes
- **RT Lawton**, Harrisdale
- **PM & FA Pegter**, Armadale

Sign up today for your chance to win in 2018. Phone the City's Rates Team on 9394 5164 to have a payment package tailored for your budget.



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

For further information on these and other local events please visit the City's website.

NOV 10
Hawkers Markets
Memorial Park, Armadale

NOV 14
Lego Encounters
Armadale Library

NOV 20
Golden Oldies Afternoon: Session 2
Armadale Library

NOV 21
Social Media – The Big 3
City of Armadale Function Room