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"The City of PAE acknowledges and pays respect to the traditional custodians of the land on which we stand, the Kaurna people of the Adelaide Plains and pays respect to Elders past, present and emerging. We recognise and respect their cultural heritage, beliefs and relationships with the land. We acknowledge that they are of continuing importance to the Kaurna people living today"



A message from the

CEO Mark Withers

elcome to the spring edition of PAE Today. I am delighted to be writing this message on behalf of the Council as we head towards the voting phase of the 2022 Council elections. Enrolments have now closed, and you will be receiving your ballot papers from 15 October. Voting in Council elections is not compulsory but it's a great way for you to have a say on what will happen in your community, both now and in the future.

We are building a city where everyone can belong and participate in social, cultural, economic and civic life and since 2017 we have been members of the Welcoming Cities network. In July we announced our Kilburn Community Centre as the new home for the Welcoming Centre. With its vibrant, diverse population, PAE is proud to host this safe,

supportive space for refugee families, people who are new to Australia and the local community. This announcement came the same week we celebrated the completion of the upgrade of nearby Prospect Road, with better lighting, new shady outdoor spaces and some wonderful new pieces of artwork to enjoy. With the arrival of spring, the days are getting longer, giving everyone a reason to get out and about and enjoy the warmer weather. There are plenty of events to choose from in PAE this spring, including special film screenings as part of the Adelaide Film Festival, workshops for the Nature Festival, and the Semaphore Street Fair. Whether you are looking for fun and food or artwork and culture, there is plenty to keep you busy while you soak up the sun.

Enjoying the outdoors is not just about fun and festivities. Environmental protection has become increasingly important to everyone's wellbeing and it plays a vital part in the creation of our policies and programs. Recently we have seen a pleasing growth in the use of our electric vehicle (EV) charging stations, with a total of 6,397kWh of energy delivered between April to June at 950 charging events. This is almost double the amount of energy that we delivered in the previous quarter. There are eight charging stations located around PAE and we are planning to install another eight stations in early 2023. For interested users, the first 7kWh is free for use, and charging takes between 20 to 30 minutes.

However you choose to spend your spring, we look forward to seeing you out and about in

Spring Projects in the City of PAE *at a glance*

Reserves

Gepps Cross Reserve change rooms and softfall replacement

Edward Smith Reserve change rooms

Greenacres Reserve playscape

Lefevre Recreation Reserve upgrade

St Patricks Square public toilet

Paringa St Reserve upgrade

Peter Cousins Reserve softfall replacement

Polonia Reserve upgrade

Fotheringham Reserve irrigation upgrade

Francis St Reserve irrigation upgrade

Glanville Golf Course bore works

Road Reconstruction

Sutherland Rd, Holden Hill

Flint St, Hampstead Gardens

Stormwater

Wigley St, Largs Bay

Walcot St, Largs North

This is just a snapshot of the projects we're working on, to see a full list visit our website (cityofpae.sa.gov.au/projects





The City of Port Adelaide Enfield is made up of 132,400 people and 9,000 businesses across seven wards. Each ward is represented on Council by either two or three Elected Members who are elected via a public vote during Council elections to represent their local residential and business community. The Mayor leads the Council and is also voted in during the election.

Elected Members set strategies to shape the future development of the City and are required to make decisions on a diverse range of matters. These matters include Council budget allocations, the provision of services and programs such as Libraries and waste management, major projects, asset management and the provision of open space and recreation facilities. While they make decisions on things that affect the whole of PAE, they also act on behalf of their own local ward to ensure that the issues that matter most to their local community are heard and

acted on.

The best way to have your say and ensure that the people representing your community do the best job for you is to cast a vote at the local government elections. Voting takes just a few minutes, but the impact is long-lasting. If you have enrolled to vote in state elections, or if you applied and were added to our supplementary roll, you will receive your voting papers in the mail in late October. The ballot pack you receive will include information about all the candidates, and this information will also be available online at www.lga.sa.gov.au/council-elections

Polls close at 5pm on Thursday 10 November
— so make sure you post your ballot with
plenty of time. Once you have done so you
can rest assured that your voice will be
heard.

Authorised by Mark Withers, Chief Executive Officer

Notes from PAE Council Meetings

May

- Appointed Susan Dixon to the Aboriginal Advisory Panel
- Endorsed a proposal to install signage that recognises the contribution that Mr Robert Crouch made to the establishment of the sandhill fitness circuit at White Hollow Reserve, Taperoo
- Endorsed the Barker Inlet Central Stormwater Management Plan
- Endorsed the Klemzig, Windsor Gardens and Holden Hill Draft Local Area Traffic Management Scheme for public consultation

June

- PAE was officially recognised as an Established Level Welcoming City
- Allocated funds for a replacement toilet at Largs Pier
- Endorsed the concept design for Semaphore Foreshore for public consultation
- Agreed to prepare a Biodiversity Action
 Plan for Roy Amer Reserve, Oakden

July

- Endorsed the Built Heritage Strategy and the Communications and Engagement Framework 2022–25
- Approved the TK Shutter Reserve change rooms project
- Agreed to provide sponsorship for the Adelaide Film Festival in PAE for the next three years
- Adopted By-Laws
- Endorsed a consultation on a proposed 40km/hr Speed Consideration for part of Alberton

August

- Provided funding for One Culture to deliver the Football Connection project
- Decided not to extend the escooter trial for an extended period
- Heard deputations and received a report regarding the draft Semaphore Foreshore Master Plan
- Endorsed City of PAE Walking and Cycling Plan to improve road safety



At the City of PAE, we are proud to see ourselves as a growing, thriving and diverse community. From the rich heritage of our First Nations people to the different cultures of people who were born in many countries around the world, together we are creating a City that is a unique place to live, work, learn and play.

We gather statistics about PAE every five years through the Australian Census. Knowing who we are, how we live and what we do helps us make decisions about how our community can continue to thrive and prosper.

PAE is a growing City. Since 2016, the number of people living in our City has increased about 9% from 121,230 to 132,400 in 2021.

Many of PAE's residents are young and active. There are more people aged between 25 to 49 years old in PAE than in many other councils in SA. This age group has also grown more than any other in the last five years.

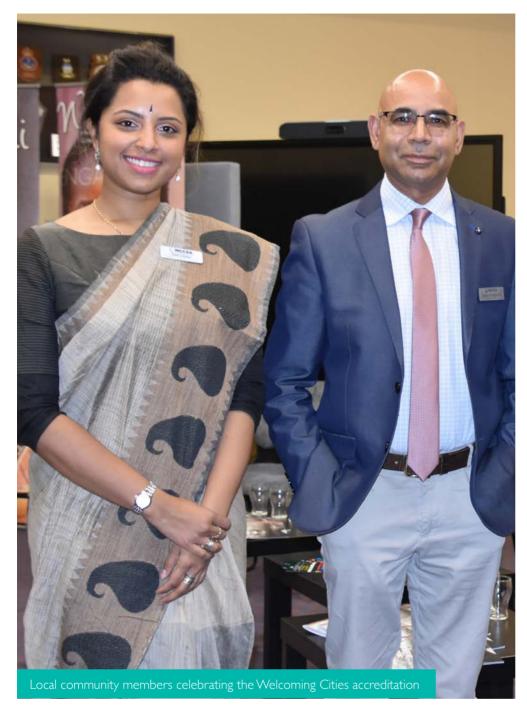
PAE is one of the most culturally diverse councils in South Australia. Our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander population of 3,296 makes up 2.5% of our entire population and about 35% of PAE residents were born overseas, with 23% having arrived in Australia in the previous five years.

PAE residents are keen volunteers. Over 13,950 of our residents reported doing some voluntary work in 2021.

You can find out more about our community profile on our website. Visit cityofpae.sa.gov.au and search

Our Profile





A WELCOMING CITY AND A WELCOME CENTRE

On Wednesday 22 June, we celebrated our official Welcoming Cities Accreditation.

Over lunch, we listened to the stories of some of our newer community members, who shared their journeys of migration and settlement in Australia — its joys and challenges.

PAE was the first council in South Australia to join the Welcoming Cities network in 2017. Now, as an accredited Welcoming City, we are part of a national network of cities, shires, towns and municipalities who are committed to an Australia where everyone can belong and participate in social, cultural, economic and civic life.

In July, Kilburn Community Centre was announced as the new home for the Welcoming Centre. In its new location the Centre will continue to provide a safe,

supportive and welcoming space for refugee families, people seeking asylum, recently arrived migrants and the local community. Its members will work alongside diverse and vibrant local communities and organisations such as Vinnies Refugee and Asylum Seeker Service, the Peace and Welcome Garden, the Kilburn Football and Cricket Club, One Culture Football, Lutheran Care, St Brigids and other local schools, businesses and community groups.

PAE's diversity has long been reflected in our food, art, enterprise, traditions, festivals and celebrations. Now with a Welcoming Centre in the heart of our Welcoming City, we are proud to see ourselves as a safe, inclusive and welcoming City for residents, businesses and visitors alike.

CONTACT YOUR COUNCILLORS

At the City of PAE we have a Mayor and 17 Councillors who are located around seven wards. They are your representatives, so if you have any concerns, ideas or issues you would like to discuss with them please contact an Elected Member in your Ward.

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PAE abounds with a unique variety of natural environments — from the saltmarsh and mangroves on the Lefevre Peninsula to the river red gums along the Torrens River. Protection of the environment is crucial for our health, economic and social wellbeing, both now and in the future.

In 2021, the City of PAE established the Living Environment Program to accelerate our environment and climate change action. We have allocated a total of \$2.3 million in additional funding over the next three years to fund a range of initiatives.

From a new community environmental grant program to citizen science volunteer projects through to the Living Landscapes Writers' Festival, there are plenty of opportunities for us to work together to take climate action.

ADAPTING TO CLIMATE CHANGE

The local impacts of climate change include a trend towards warmer, drier weather. Scientists also predict more frequent and intense storm events like floods, heatwaves and rising sea levels. The City of PAE is continuing to partner with the Cities of Charles Sturt and West Torrens in the AdaptWest program to assess the risks that

climate change presents for our region. Together, we have produced a series of community resources to assist households and communities to take action to improve their resilience to the 'cascading impacts' of heatwaves, floods, bushfires and power outages.

For more information about the AdaptWest program, adaptwest.com.au/adaptnow

FUNDING FOR GREENER BUSINESSES

discuss your idea.

Are you a local business owner wanting to use your business to contribute towards a sustainable future? Our new Green Business Incentive Scheme funds projects that use renewable energy, energy efficiency and sustainable transport to help reduce the City's greenhouse gas emissions. The scheme also supports projects that use water-efficient irrigation systems and newly planted trees to cool our City and increase our tree canopy. So far, we have provided funding to 14 recipients for projects that use solar photovoltaics, battery storage, rainwater tanks and electric vehicle charging to improve sustainability. There will be further funding rounds in the future — so if you own a business in PAE, keep an eye on our website or contact us now to

BECOMING RESILIENT

In April this year we received funding from the Federal Government towards the design and construction of a cultural and ecologically sensitive 'Living Shoreline' at the site of Yitpi Yartapuultiku, the new Aboriginal Cultural Centre. The Living Shoreline will improve the site's resilience to sea level rise and coastal inundation.

In addition, we are working on a submission to Infrastructure Australia to have Port Adelaide recognised as a national priority for investment to reduce the current and future risk of coastal inundation in the Port River region.

GETTING SHADIER

We are working hard to green our City by increasing our tree canopy. This year we have planted 3,500 new trees in our streets and reserves. These trees will make our environment cooler and shadier, provide more habitat for our wildlife, and improve the quality of our air, water and soil.

Since March this year, through our Get Shady Project, we have also given away 150 advanced trees to residents who live in suburbs with low tree canopy coverage. Next year we aim to expand the target suburbs for this project, so that more residents can plant and care for a tree



on their own property.

Meanwhile, a draft of our Urban Greening and Biodiversity Management Plan is now well underway. We have also completed two new Action Plans for our Coastal Dunes and Folland Park sites.

FUNDING LOCAL PROJECTS

Everyone can play a part in helping us achieve our goals for our environment, and we want to empower people to learn and participate. Through our Environment Grants program we are funding environmental project initiatives that will protect and enhance our waterways, coastline and open spaces.

So far we have provided funding to:

- The Semaphore Largs Dunes Group, for their work to control the False Caper weed at beaches in Largs Bay
- AUSMAP, for their nationally acclaimed research on the prevalence of microplastics around our City
- CareWorks SA, for their sustainability-themed community education program called 'Let's Get Growing'

There will be further funding rounds in the future, so give us a call if you have an idea for an environmental project that you would like to see in your community.

SCIENCE IN YOUR OWN BACKYARD

Are you interested in observing and monitoring birds and plants once a month? Our volunteer citizen scientists provide us with information that is entered into a nationally recognised database known as the Atlas of Living Australia. Through this central 'live' database, scientists, organisations and local councils can better manage biodiversity conditions over time. If you have the flexibility to volunteer one hour per month at varying times and would like to be involved, please let us know.

Our citizen scientists have reported over 45,000 bird observations since 2020!

Citizen Science

ANNUAL PLANTING DAY

On Sunday 26 June, we held our annual Community Planting Day event at Falie Reserve in Osborne. Over 150 families and individuals volunteered their time to plant a mixture of 2,000 native trees, shrubs and grasses to improve the biodiversity in the area. There was also live music, face painting, a free BBQ lunch and native plant giveaways — including 100 seedlings for

locals to plant in their own yards. We held this great event in partnership with Green Adelaide, Australian Naval Infrastructure (ANI), Trees for Life and the Port Environment Centre. We hold several local planting events from June to August every year. There may be an event close to you! If you would like to volunteer for the next season, please contact us at

🖂 environment@cityofpae.sa.gov.au

NET ZERO EMISSIONS

Since 2008, we have decreased our corporate greenhouse gas emissions by 43% by investing in renewable energy, energy efficiency and low emission vehicles. We have also reduced the amount of waste that goes to landfill. To further respond to climate change we recently endorsed an ambitious corporate Net Zero Emission Plan that outlines the most promising pathways and initiatives and commits us to reduce corporate greenhouse gas emissions by at least 30% by 2025 and at least 60% by 2030.

Now, by using a Fleet Transition Plan and an EV Charging Infrastructure Review, we are ready to fast-track our switch to low-emission technologies.

Together we can play our part for the environment — today and every day.









EXPLORING NEW PROSPECTS

Celebrating the major redevelopment

On Saturday 9 July we celebrated all the colour and culture of Prospect Road at a community event in Kilburn and Blair Athol. This distinctive shopping strip has so much to offer — unique food, shops and businesses, and a strong local community.

Whether you enjoy shopping, seeing new art or simply wandering in the fresh air, you're now sure to find something you love on Prospect Road.

RECYCLING IS IN THE BIN

Trial of new bins underway

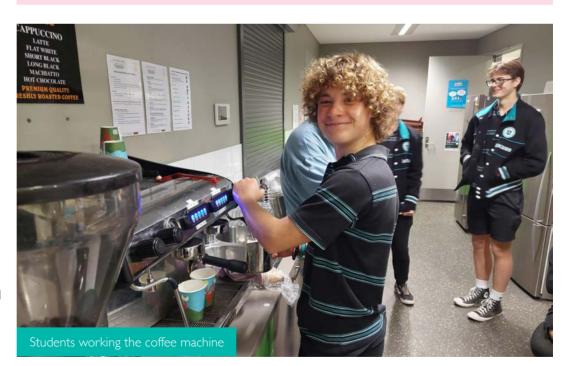
PAE's Waste Team is trialling black-body wheelie bins made with 100% recycled plastic. In early July, with funding from Green Industries SA, we delivered the trial bins to approximately 100 households across three streets in Klemzig, North Haven and Lighstview.

Our local bin manufacturer, Trident Plastics, has tested the new bins in a wide variety of controlled environments. They believe that the bins perform to the same standard as our current bins, which are made from 30% recycled plastic. Residents involved in the pilot project have been keen to try them out and will let us know how the bins perform over the next two years. If the pilot is successful, we hope to be able to provide 100% recycled plastic bins to all properties requiring new bins.

Our Material Recovery Facility (MRF) has been operating for six months, and this move towards recycled bins is a great next step for us in supporting the local circular economy.

The completed upgrades include:

- more outdoor dining spaces to encourage people to shop and stay longer
- new shady local 'nodes' to enhance the amenity and create more 'places for people'
- · new trees for shade and landscaping
- murals by Thomas Readett on Kintore Ave,
 Matt Fortrose on LeHunte St, and Kintore
 Ave and Josh Trenwith on Gladstone Ave
- better lighting, lower speed zones, a road reseal and new on-street bike lanes
- a major contemporary new artwork by Sam Songailo, which incorporates pavers and LED lighting pillars. The unique pavers pay homage to the traditional cultural designs of the different groups of people who live and work here, while the lighting pillars shine brightly at night with hope and optimism



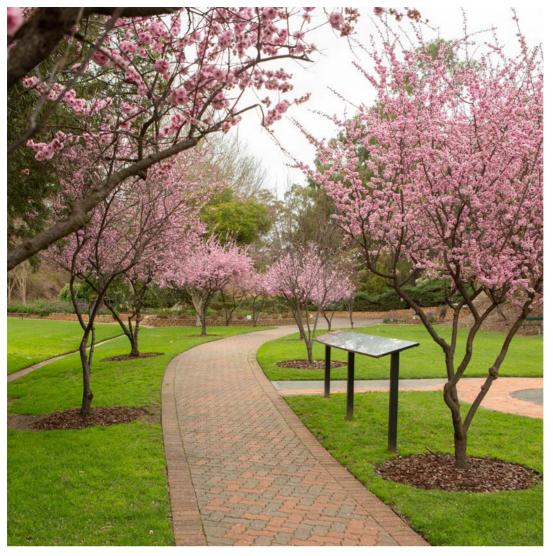
MAKE IT A LATTE

Barista training program on the peninsula

Local high school students now have the chance to learn how to make good coffee. Recently, the Lefevre Community Stadium acquired a commercial coffee machine, and our Active Living Team invited students from Le Fevre High School to undertake a Barista Training and Food Safety Handling course. The young

people thoroughly enjoyed learning the basics of coffee preparation, using the machine to create flat whites, lattes and long blacks for grateful visitors to the community centre. Each participant earned a certificate for their attendance.

We hope that these short courses will equip the students with the skills and confidence to gain casual work this year — or even a permanent job once they finish school.



A BLOOMING GOOD SEASON

Spring is on the way

With the end of winter, it is time to stop planting new trees and start enjoying the warm, sunny days of spring. This is one of the busiest and most exciting times of the year in the garden because it is when trees and plants bloom and grow in abundance.

Spring is a good time to compost, fertilise and mulch your garden to trap in any moisture in the ground from the winter months. Trees and plants love compost because it adds muchneeded nutrients into the soil — especially if your soil is depleted.

You can buy ready-made compost from any good garden centre. Alternatively, if you have a compost bin, you can make your own compost by layering kitchen scraps and small pieces of garden waste between thin layers of soil in your bin. Top up the soil and turn it over from time to time to help it break down quickly.

Later in the year it will be time to start pruning. The aim of our street tree pruning program is to give our street trees a sound, strong structure and make them look beautiful. Pruning them regularly also makes mowing the grass around them easier. Have fun in your garden, and remember: a busy gardener is a happy one!

STEP BACK IN TIME

Reimagine the past with Fiona McIntosh

Fiona McIntosh is an internationally bestselling author of novels for adults and

children. Her historical romance adventures are regularly shortlisted for the General Fiction Book of the Year category in the Australian Book Industry Awards. Fiona's latest release is The Orphans, a historical fiction novel set primarily in the town of Port Adelaide. The story follows the unique bond that develops between two children, teaching them both the true meaning of life, loss and love. As part of a nation-wide book tour, Fiona will discuss her new novel at a ticketed event at the Flour Shed at Hart's Mill on Wednesday 23 November from 6pm. The event will be licensed and catered, and books will be available for sale on the night. Tickets are \$25 and are on sale now. For bookings, go to Eventbrite.com.au and search:

Fiona McIntosh



CALL FOR NEW MEMBERS

Clearview Senior Citizens at Enfield

This September marks 50 years since the Clearview Senior Citizens Club was formed and began meeting at their purpose-built clubrooms at 11 Clearview Crescent. In the early days, members met twice a week and on the occasional Saturday for carpet bowls, cards, darts, board games and afternoon tea. These days, members meet each Tuesday in the Enfield Community Centre and are keen to grow their numbers.

To arrange to meet the group contact Alison Kastelein, Secretary, **Q 0404 362 641**

SLOW DOWN FOR ART

Studies show that public art makes streets safer by increasing the visibility of pedestrian spaces and encouraging drivers to slow down. That was the inspiration for a new piece of artwork on the road to calm traffic flows around St Patrick's School, Linsell Lodge, the Parks Library and Parks Children's Centre. Drop by to enjoy the bold, graphic images, designed and painted by the renowned artist team, Dave Court and Haris Koutlakis.





BRIGHT FUTURES

Aboriginal scholarship winners announced

Congratulations to the two recipients of the City of PAE Aboriginal Tertiary Education Scholarship for 2022! These scholarships will enable them to continue university studies in their chosen area.

Lauren Whitington is studying a Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery. Having grown up in Cairns, Queensland, she moved to Adelaide alone at the age of 17, where she has lived for the past three years. The scholarship will allow her to purchase technology and attend study-related events that would normally be out of her financial reach. Lauren's long-term aspiration is to work in the hospital system, caring for patients in her local community. Courtney Bouzikos is studying a Bachelor of Secondary Education (Honours). It was a First Nations teacher who originally inspired Courtney to become a teacher herself. Through her teaching she hopes to deepen Aboriginal students' connection to culture as well as to help them achieve their SACE. In addition to her studies, Courtney is heavily involved in sports and expressing culture in the forms of dance, art and weaving.

RECORD YOUR MEMORIES

Creating living histories

Oral History Australia SA/NT have received a Placemaking grant to provide two free oral history training workshops to residents and organisations from around PAE.

Australian oral historian Siobhån McHugh says: 'Listening to a recording as opposed to reading a transcript gives a sense of not only who is speaking, but also the subtle dynamics and narrative rhythms of the interview'.

The beauty and passion of oral history can be empowering for people who have not had a chance to tell their story. Perhaps you'd like to share your memories of life in our City — your involvement in a significant activity or event, or a story from the street in which you live. At these two workshops you will gain the initial knowledge to plan, prepare and ethically undertake an oral history project of your own, whether it is for a family member or an organisation.

The first workshop will be held at the Port Adelaide Library on Tuesday 15 November from 9.30am to 4.30pm.

To register your interest, please email

contact@oralhistoryaustraliasant.org.au by Friday 21 October.

FLUME FOR IMPROVEMENT

Music Production classes for teens

Are you interested in music production? Want to see your name up there with the likes of Timmy Trumpet, Alison Wonderland and Flume? Drop into one of our monthly Music Tasters sessions for young people aged 13–17 and dip your fingers into the world of music production. No bookings required. For dates, visit: cityofpae.evanced.info/signup and search:

Music Production



BRAVE NEW WORLD

Reconciling our Future

communities.

talk to leaders about ideas and issues shaping our world today. The next event in this series is at Port Adelaide Library on Wednesday 14 September at 7pm. The guest speaker will be Natalie Gentle from Reconciliation SA. Natalie's experience includes over a decade of work in community children's centres, most recently as a team leader in South Australia's Inclusion Agency. In her role at Reconciliation SA, Natalie works alongside teachers and educators to create reconciliation strategies for students and their

In the PAE Libraries Brave New World series, we

Natalie will be speaking about the opportunities



we can harness in the classroom to guide children and young people towards a reconciled Australia.

To book, visit **cityofpae.evanced.info/signup** and search:

Brave New World



BEING DIGITAL

Spring into technology

Would you like to feel more comfortable using your mobile phone, computer or tablet? Your local libraries are here

to help you gain confidence with all things tech-related. We offer a variety of learning opportunities in a supportive environment across the week, with themed classes as well as general 'Drop-in' sessions at Semaphore, Port Adelaide, Parks and Greenacres Libraries. Come along and learn Apple Mac basics, internet and email, digital phone camera skills, iPhone/ Android phone and iPad/tablet skills. For more information visit

cityofpae.evanced.info/signup and search:

Being Digital

THERE BE DRAGONS

Roll your way to adventure

Join a merry band of travellers as you create a character and are guided through an immersive in-game adventure by an experienced Dungeon Master. You will have the chance to learn skills, combat enemies and save the kingdom! Brought to you by Adelaide Queer Gamers, PAE Libraries and PAE Youth, sessions are held monthly at Greenacres or Enfield Library and are suitable for people aged 15+. Check out the latest sessions at cityofpae.evanced.info/signup:

Dungeons & Dragons



Active Storytime

If your child finds it hard to sit still during traditional storytime sessions, relax in the knowledge that they're able to talk and move about freely during Active Storytime. Designed by the Libraries' Children's team and UniSA's final-year physiotherapy students, this fun and engaging initiative includes music, learning and social development activities for children aged 3–5 years. Sessions are held during school term and no bookings are required. Tuesdays 9.30am at Lefevre Community Centre, and Fridays 10.30am at The Lights Community & Sports Centre.

SPRUCING UP OUR SPORTS FACILITIES

Gepps Cross Reserve upgrade

Work has started on a major upgrade at Gepps Cross Reserve to build two new unisex change rooms, two new umpire change rooms, a medical room, a new kitchen and a new public access DDA-compliant accessible bathroom. As well as providing a better space for community use, the upgrade will enable North Adelaide Lacrosse Club and Enfield United Community Cricket Club to share the facilities throughout the year.

In 2021 we undertook an assessment of all our sports facilities across PAE and found that many were in severe need of an upgrade. We are progressively working to upgrade all these facilities to ensure that they are appropriate for their intended use and that they maximise community participation — and that they are safe for everyone to use.

For this project we received additional funding assistance from the State Government's Office for Recreation, Sport and Racing, and we contracted local PAE business BluBuilt Constructions to complete the work.

VOLUNTEER WE GO AGAIN

Meet Shirley, a volunteer

Shirley (pictured on the cover of this issue) volunteers with the Social Support program, supporting older members of our community with social connection. She assists people to play games, participate in activities and build friendships. She's always ready with a hot cuppa and a warm smile.

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer like Shirley, our volunteers provide community transport, remove graffiti, help in our libraries and support food relief efforts — just for a start. You can choose from different levels of involvement, whether you'd like to help out a few days a week, assist on weekends or just volunteer for the occasional special event. On our website you can find out more information, search the current volunteer vacancies or submit an enquiry to talk to our Volunteer Development Officer, Luke.

Volunteering is a great way to give back to your community, learn new skills, stay connected and have fun. To get started, contact us through our website or call us on 8405 6871.



NO SHORTCUTS TO SAFETY

Local area traffic management

As part of our ongoing commitment to making our community safer and improving local streets, we have been developing a Local Area Traffic Management (LATM) study for the suburbs of Klemzig, Windsor Gardens and Holden Hill. We have been consulting with local residents and the wider community throughout the preparation of the study, which began in 2021.

The LATM schemes set out how we aim to constrain excessive vehicle speeds, discourage drivers from taking shortcuts through local streets and encourage road users to park their vehicles safely. We are also working to improve local walking and cycling infrastructure to make it easier for people in these suburbs to get around on foot or on a bike.



SOMEWHERE DOVER THE RAINBOW

Open Space update

Work has begun on our new open space on Dover Street in Blair Athol. After consulting with our community, we are constructing a new area that provides more open space for people to enjoy, as well as an upgraded play space and improved stormwater infrastructure to protect residents from localised flooding.

Although progress was delayed due to bad weather and heavy winter rains, we have

now completed stormwater basin works. This included installing retaining walls, rockwork, irrigation and turf. We have also completed our underground stormwater pipe works and we have finished constructing our footpaths. Construction of the play space areas, shelters, garden beds and furniture is currently underway. This project is one of our major projects for 2022–23, combining our commitments to upgrade both playgrounds and stormwater infrastructure. We look forward to opening the area to the community later this year.

YITPI YARTAPUULTIKU

Cultural Centre officially named

The Aboriginal Cultural Centre that we will be building at Western Region Park now has an official name. The project group met with local Elders to discuss ideas and concepts, and together they selected a Kaurna name: Yitpi Yartapuultiku. This means 'Soul of Port Adelaide': Yitpi meaning Soul, Yartapuulti being the name that the Kaurna people gave to the land around the Port River and ku meaning 'of', which is a Kaurna joining word. On Tuesday 16 August we held a naming ceremony at the site, which included a Welcome to Country by Senior Kaurna Elder Lewis O'Brien, a Smoking Ceremony by Michael O'Brien and three ceremonial fires.

Yitpi Yartapuultiku will be a community place providing a range of activities and opportunities for both First Nations and non-First Nations people. It will be an authentic place to be immersed in local culture with indoor and outdoor activity and performance spaces, public amenities, office and meeting rooms, extensive landscaping, artwork and entry statements and areas with access to the water.



AUSTRALIA DAY AWARDS 2023

Who makes a difference in your community?

With the new year on the horizon, it's time to think about the service and achievements of local people who have enhanced the quality of life in PAE. From September we will be calling for nominations for the 2023 Australia Day Awards, which are conducted in conjunction with the Australia Day Council of South Australia. This year there is a new award category, Older Citizen of the Year, for residents aged at least 65 years. If you know someone whom you would like to nominate, head to our website to complete and submit the form.



EVERY X-RAY HAS A SILVER LINING

Recycling is best for old X-rays

Did you know that X-rays contain precious silver in the form of halides? Because of this, you cannot put them in your general bin. However, there are several places around PAE that will accept your old X-rays for recycling, including all Australian Red Cross secondhand stores.

Recycling X-ray films involves processing them in a refinery at temperatures of over 1,000°C to extract the silver, which is then converted into pure silver. This can then be reused for things such as silver solder, jewellery, the silver plating of utensils, electrical components and film manufacture.

Esma, Manager of the Red Cross Superstore in Hampstead Gardens, says that recycling X-rays is the best way to divert them from landfill. But

X-ray films are just one of the materials you can donate in-store. We are always on the lookout for donations of clothing, books, accessories and furniture and even have a delivery service if you would like to donate larger items.' Esma manages a team of 60 volunteers at the North East Road store, which is open seven days a week.

Before you donate your X-rays, make sure that you have removed all the packaging and notes. The X-rays are placed straight into a large bin before they are taken away and melted down, so you don't need to worry about your medical information being accessed.

Other local places you can take your X-rays for recycling are the Red Cross Shop at North Haven Shopping Centre, the Port Environment Centre on North Parade in Port Adelaide, or SiltechPMR at 3/17–19 Plymouth Rd, Wingfield, where a 24-hour drop-off bin is available.

BBQ IN BIRKENHEAD

Birkenhead Naval Reserve opening

In early June, we officially unveiled the upgraded Birkenhead Naval Reserve. With an underground stormwater detention basin to hold water during heavy rain, the new reserve also has an upgraded nature space, playground, BBQ area, shelter and basketball hoop. At the opening event, members of the local community pitched in to help us plant over 2,500 trees and shrubs around the

We received additional funding for this project through the Federal Government's 'Building Our Future' Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program. We hope to see the community enjoying the reserve long into the future.



NUNGA WEEK 2022

Celebrations set for November

Nunga Week is the City of PAE's acknowledgement of the contribution that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people make to our community. With a special focus on partnerships between PAE and other local groups and organisations, it is held in the second week of November each year and includes celebrations across the region. Attending and participating in these events provides an opportunity for cultural engagement and shared understanding of our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities and their culture. This year Nunga Week starts on Monday 7 November. It will include the Turkindi Expo on Tuesday 8 November and a Tauondi College Open Day on Thursday 10 November. For the full program of free activities, visit our website and search:.

Nunga Week



Buzz, Buzz, Buzz!

Don't be afraid of bees! During spring and summer, it's good to see bees out and about, busily pollinating garden trees and street trees alike. Bees play an integral role in our ecosystem — they are truly an asset to have in any park or garden. You can also safely view bees up close at the Enfield Library beehive, in the children's area.



Adelaide Sarvajanik Ganeshotsav Fri 9 – Sun II Sep

Everyone is invited to join in this joyful celebration for a famous Indian festival. This event will be launched with the musical band Shivgarjana Adelaide marching towards the Parks Theatre. Followed by two full days of performances, food and festivities. Parks Recreation and Sports Centre, 46 Cowan Street, Angle Park.

Community Fun Day at Kilburn

Sat 10 Sep | 2-4pm

A fun and free day out for the whole family, with a silent disco, travelling farm, giant games and mini-golf. Kilburn Community Centre.

Spring Gardening Talks

Sat 17 & 24 Sep | 11am-12.30pm

Free sustainable gardening workshops with Alan Shephard. Greenacres Community Garden, 12 Swan St, Greenacres.



South Australian Women's Keelboat Regatta

Fri 30 Sep - Mon 3 Oct | 9am-7pm

An all-women sporting event consisting of six races over the long weekend. The Cruising Yacht Club of SA (CYSA) will be open to the public (with no cost for entry). Lady Gowrie Drive, North Haven.

Movin' & Groovin' w/ Peter Combe Wed 5 Oct | 12–3pm

Join us at The Lights for a day of excitement, nostalgia and entertainment as the one and only Peter Combe performs his classic hits live!

Nature Festival

Thu 6 – Sun 16 Oct

Our annual Nature Festival inspires us to find creative ways to connect with nature and each other. Full program to be published online.

Festival of Motorcycling

Sat I – Sun 9 Oct

A week to celebrate motorcycles, including rides, a cavalcade parade along the coast and the "Classics at Hart" display at Harts Mill on 8 - 9 Oct. Visit formsa.org for more info.

Sweet Pea Markets

Sat 15 Oct & 12 Nov | 9am-2pm

Browse a selection of 15 market stalls offering child-friendly and parenting-related products made by creatives and small businesses. 793 Torrens Road, Alberton.

Bengali Festival

Sun 16 Oct | 12pm-6pm

Experience the best of dynamic Bengali culture with music, food and performance. Meet local artists and entrepreneurs, browse the stalls and chat to people from the Bengali community. Semaphore Foreshore Reserve.

Adelaide Film Festival in Semaphore

Wed 19 - Sun 30 Oct

A full program of fantastic films to engage and inspire. Semaphore Odeon, 65 Semaphore Road, Semaphore

National Garage Sale Trail

During Nov

Host a garage sale at home or online to divert valuable resources from landfill and make or save some money in the process. Various locations around PAE, for more information:



Fort to Fort Remembrance Walk

Sun 6 Nov | 7.45am-12.30pm

An opportunity for veterans and their families to walk the foreshore from Fort Largs to Fort Glanville and enter the historic fort.

Passports to Fishing

Fri 18 Nov | from 9am

If your child is keen to learn to fish, this Kids' Fishing Clinic is a great way to start. Open to junior anglers aged 6–16. Esplanade, Semaphore.

Froth and Fury Fest

Sat 19 Nov | 11.30am-1.30pm

Alternative Music festival showcasing some of South Australia's and Australia's best hardedged, punk, rock and alternative live bands alongside large international headliners. Pirate Life Brewing, 18 Baker Street, Port Adelaide.

Christmas Craft Fair

Sat 19 Nov

Stock up on lovely and local handmade Christmas crafts and gifts at this fun, friendly fair. Browse the stalls, have a bite to eat and grab a Christmas bargain. Kilburn Community Centre.

Semaphore Street Fair

Sun 27 Nov | 10am-5pm

The free family-friendly event returns! There are over 250 unique stalls, a kids' corner with live performances, roving street performers, handmade arts and craft and more. Semaphore Road from Esplanade to Swan Terrace.

Save the Date

Fri 9 – Sun II Dec

Celebrate and enjoy the Port River with our inaugural three-day Port River Sports Festival featuring sports, performance, culture and food

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Town Hall

34 Nile St. Port Adelaide

Visitor Information Centre

66 Commercial Rd, Port Adelaide t: 8405 6560

Enfield Library Council Office

I Kensington Cres, Enfield t: 8405 6530

Greenacres Library Council Office

2 Fosters Rd, Greenacres t: 8405 6540

Port Adelaide Library

2 Church St, Port Adelaide t: 8405 6580

Semaphore Library

14 Semaphore Rd, Semaphoret: 8405 6540



Your local libraries are a hub of exciting learning opportunities, and our springtime Life Long Learning Program is no exception. Incorporating International Literacy Day on 8 September, the program, happening across all of our PAE Libraries, is full of events and activities designed to promote the benefits of learning.

How to Transform Your Life Thurs 22 Sept | 2-3pm

Gen Kelsang Tsalden presents a guided session to meditation based on the book How to Transform Your Life by Geshe Kelsang Gyatso. Gen Tsalden is a fully ordained, western Buddhist nun and Resident Teacher of Maitreya Kadampa Buddhist Centre in Adelaide. Greenacres Library.

Self-Publishing Workshop

Thurs 6 Oct | I-3pm

Experienced writer and poet Dorothy Shorne guides participants through the process of self-publishing. Greenacres Library

Waterwise Gardening

Thurs 13 Oct | 1.30-2pm

In conjunction with the Greenacres Community Garden, Alan Shepard presents how to be waterwise when gardening. Greenacres Library.

For the full program, or to book, visit cityofpae.evanced.info/signup and search:

Aboriginal Artefacts Talk

Fri 9 Sept | 2-3pm

This talk will be hosted by Trent Hill, an Indigenous educator who will show his collection of artefacts. Trent will talk about how people made and used the artefacts, as well as women's and men's roles and people's seasonal movements. Port Adelaide Library

Art Journalling

Parks Library: Mon 12 Sept | 10am-12pm Semaphore Library: Tues 13 Sept | 1-3pm

An art journal is a visual diary, where you can record your thoughts, ideas and emotions through images and words. It is usually made of recycled materials. There are no rules with art journalling, though, so your art journal can be almost anything you want it to be. Come along to this session by Trent Hill to be inspired and get started.

Life Long Learning

WHATS ON IN OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Growing for Gold

Young people aged 3–16 can try our new sporting and recreational activities as part of our popular Growing for Gold program these holidays. Local sporting clubs open their doors to provide young people with the opportunity to come and try something new. With many sports included in the program,

there is plenty to choose from. Scan this QR code to see all the options and make sure you register by 18 September.



Kilburn Community Centre

Head on over to the community centre on both Wednesdays (5 and 12 October) of the school holidays from 10am – 1.30pm. There will be games, roller skating, face painting, a disco and plenty of fun. Contact the centre on

8405 6730

The Lights Community and Sports Centre

There are plenty of options to choose from at the Lights, with sports to come and try, games to play and lots of fun to be had! Session details available at thelights.com.au

Lefevre Community Stadium

Stay busy and connected at Lefevre, with roller skating sessions, a Kid's Zumba session and netball and tennis clinics. There are also board games and arts and crafts to enjoy. For more information, please call the stadium on

8405 6908

Libraries

Come and celebrate diversity at the Libraries this October. There will be a huge variety of free storytelling, STEM activities, exclusive performances and more. Sessions are designed to be educational and entertaining, and help your child grow a love of learning from the ground up. The program is open for bookings two weeks before the holidays begin, and copies of the schedule will be available in all our Libraries as well as online.

Parks Theatre

Catch a hilarious (and slightly gross) kid's comedy show at the Parks Theatre these holidays! parkstheatre.ymca.org.au

Parks Library

46 Trafford St, Angle Park t: 8405 6550

Kilburn Community Centre

59 Gladstone Ave, Kilburn t: 8405 6730

Hillcrest Community Centre

27-31 Queensborough Ave, Hillcrest t: 8266 7267

Enfield Community Centre

540 Regency Rd, Enfield **t**: 8405 6556

Lefevre Community Stadium

541 Victoria Rd, Osborne **t:** 8405 6908

The Lights Community & Sports Centre

Corner East Parkway and Hampstead Rd, Lightsview t: 8405 6670





Adelaide Film Festival in Semaphore 19–30 October Celebrating...
Screen Culture
Musical Culture
Our Culture



Discover more creative experiences across our region at cityofpae.sa.gov.au/explore/arts-and-culture