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Burnside  
community  
newsletter

Spring 2024

Beulah Park resident Rebecca and daughter Amelia will be a part of the new weekly organics trial starting this month.



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## Mayor's Message

After a particularly cold and wet winter, I am really looking forward to getting outdoors more and enjoying some sunshine.

The rain has been great for our parks, gardens and reserves and for filling dams and waterways. It has been excellent for our new tree and shrub plantings and our staff have been really busy with this over the past months.

Since our last issue, many important events have occurred that you can read about in this issue. Firstly, we adopted the Annual Budget and Long Term Financial Plan after much consultation and consternation. We had to cut or defer projects and make difficult decisions that impacted our community in different ways. You have told us in surveys what you hold dear to you and those comments inspire me. A good community is a cohesive, safe, confident, prosperous and happy place and positive communities are groups that inspire their members in ways that promote a sense of self-discovery and group connection. That goal is reflected in our Strategic Plan.

We have celebrated diversity and culture through the annual Japanese Cultural Day, Firstival SA, National Reconciliation Week, Disability and Inclusion Expo, NAIDOC Week, Environment and Sustainability Expo, a Citizenship Ceremony and the Pepper St Arts Centre reopening. I have celebrated with the Beaumont Scouts, Rotary, Lions, Burnside Hockey Club, Men's Breakfast, English Speakers, Ladies' Probus, Kent Town Swimming Club, Burnside Painting Group, Dulwitches, Burnside Legacy Widows and enjoyed the company of our fabulous volunteers. I also enjoyed great shows at The Regal Theatre, attended a Ukrainian

fundraiser, welcomed a new minister to St David's Church, met with Local and Federal members of Parliament, and planted my purchases from the annual Conyngham Nursery Plant Giveaway in my garden. We have also received a wonderful donation from Josephine Dey (pictured) of a beautiful table that was brought out to Australia by the Clark family (Hazelwood Park) in 1850 and it is now located in the Mayor's Parlour.

I was delighted to support the learning of children from Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 from Loreto College, Pembroke School, Burnside Primary and St Peter's Girls' during the months of June and July. It is never too early for students to learn about local government, rules and decision-making. I welcome all schools to take the opportunity to learn about what councils do and how they operate, to visit the Chamber and the Mayor's Parlour. They are the level of government most directly connected to local communities.

I have been lobbying for nearly 14 years to get interstate freight off the South Eastern Freeway and Portrush Road. State and Federal Governments have come and gone to no avail. But at least now there is a plan, and our CEO Chris Cowley and I ventured to Canberra in July to talk with the Federal Minister of Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government, the Honorable Catherine King MP about the Greater Adelaide Freight Bypass funding.

We want to get the B-doubles off Portrush Road to improve the safety and liveability for our residents and all those traversing our city. We produced a fact sheet to give to the Minister to support the bypass through Truro and support productivity by building such a bypass. You will find it on our website. The health of all those who live in our suburbs near the current transport route is impacted by air and noise pollution as well as traffic concerns. 2,404 heavy vehicles drive along Glen Osmond and Portrush Roads every day and another eight metropolitan councils are impacted by this freight movement. 273 people have lost their lives or were seriously injured between 2017-2021 as a result of road crashes on Portrush and Glen Osmond Roads and the South Eastern Freeway within our council boundary. This bypass will not happen without Federal Government funding and the State Government needs to provide financial support too. Adelaide is the only capital city in Australia where the National Highway network runs through residential suburbia. We will continue to lobby both governments.

**Anne Monceaux**  
Mayor



Mayor Anne Monceaux and Josephine Dey sit around the Clark family table which Mrs Dey generously donated to the City of Burnside.



## CEO's Message

### Weekly green organics trial

This month the City of Burnside will be launching a six-month trial of weekly green bin collections, with red landfill bins moving to fortnightly collections.

The trial, occurring only in the suburbs of Beulah Park and Kensington Park (north of Magill Road) will encourage residents to reduce their landfill waste and encourage more environmentally conscious choices.

Disposal of garden organics and organic kitchen waste through green bin composting is 85 per cent cheaper than sending the same material to landfill and assists in taking pressure off council rates.

Residents not included in the trial zone can still make a difference through the use of kitchen caddies and remaining vigilant in placing waste in the correct bins. If you do not currently have an organics kitchen caddy for your home, each household in the City of Burnside is entitled to one free caddy and two free rolls of compostable bags which can be collected from the Civic Centre.

For more information on the trial see pages six and seven or visit our website:

[bit.ly/BurnsideGreenOrganicsTrial](http://bit.ly/BurnsideGreenOrganicsTrial)

### Greater Adelaide Freight Bypass

At the beginning of July Mayor Anne Monceaux and I travelled to Canberra to attend the Australian Local Government Association's National General Assembly and to lobby on behalf of the Council in support of reinstating federal funding for the Greater Adelaide Freight Bypass (GAFB). These efforts included a meeting with Federal Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government the Hon Catherine King MP (pictured).

Adelaide is the only capital city in Australia where the National Heavy Vehicle Regulator's heavy vehicle network, the major arterial route, runs through the residential suburbs of a city, a unique distinction we no longer wish to hold as a matter of public health and safety.

Through the creation of a freight bypass, we will reduce the volume of heavy vehicles on Portrush Road and Glen Osmond Road thus increasing traffic flow and reducing noise and pollution. National Freight Data Hub statistics from 2018 reveal on average over 2,400 heavy vehicles access these roads every day and the creation of the bypass would relocate 877,000 heavy vehicles from the route per year.

It is our hope that through these efforts we will see federal funding return to the Greater Adelaide Freight Bypass and a reduction of heavy vehicles on our roads.

### Expo success

The Burnside Civic Centre recently hosted both the Environment and Sustainability Expo and the Disability and Inclusion Expo, with both events an outstanding success.

Thank you to all those who came along and spoke with industry leaders as well as supported local businesses and community groups. We look forward to these annual events continuing to service the community in future.

### Carols in the Park

Mark your calendars now, our premier event of the Christmas season has been announced with Carols in the Park scheduled for Friday 29 November 2024.

This night is the highlight of the year for both the community and Council and it was with great sadness we had to cancel last year's celebrations due to dangerous weather. We can't wait to see you there!

**Chris Cowley**  
Chief Executive Officer

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CEO Chris Cowley, Federal Minister for Infrastructure, Transport, Regional Development and Local Government Catherine King MP and Mayor Anne Monceaux.



# Burnside News

## Re-use and Recycling Hub

Did you know the City of Burnside has introduced the Re-use and Recycling Hub to help you dispose of some unwanted items that cannot be thrown in landfill?

Items like mobile phones, spare cords and chargers, empty printer cartridges and old X-rays need to be disposed of properly to avoid damage to the environment. Other household items like light bulbs, eyeglasses, loose CDs and DVDs, small e-waste and blister packs are better recycled than put into landfill.

This new free drop-off point located at the Burnside Civic Centre allows anyone to dispose of the listed items during Civic Centre business hours. Larger items, like televisions, microwaves and computers can be disposed of at the monthly e-waste drop-off location at the City of Burnside depot.

## KGR dogs on-lead trial amendment

Following a Council Resolution, there has been an amendment made to the specifications of the dogs on-lead trial in the north-western corner of Kensington Gardens Reserve / Kensington Wama.

The trial will now be in effect until 13 December 2024 under the following new rules:

- The area declared as a dog on-lead area is all land within the area bounded by the below map in red, totalling approximately 7,840 square metres.
- During school terms set by the South Australian Department for Education, the dog on-lead area will operate between **8 am and 9 am** as well as between **3 pm and 4 pm Monday to Thursday**.



## City of Burnside Environment Awards

Congratulations to the City of Burnside Environment Award winner for 2024 – Rose Park Primary School.

Runner-ups - The Australian War Widows SA Inc, Rose Park Childcare Centre and Botanica Enviros Club.

The awards were presented at the 2024 Environment and Sustainability Expo with Rose Park Primary School taking home a \$1000 sponsorship and the runner-ups with a \$500 sponsorship each.



## 90 years of Burnside CFS

This year the Burnside Country Fire Service is celebrating 90 years of protecting and serving the city.

Dedicated community members, the Burnside CFS is an institution of the area and holds a proud place in community hearts.

Congratulations Burnside CFS on your 90th birthday!

## Carols in the Park 2024

**Friday 29 November**

Carols in the Park is back for 2024 – the biggest event on the Burnside calendar, be sure to come along and celebrate the Christmas joy with your community. See more details on page 22.



# Burnside News

## Appeal for the Greater Adelaide Freight Bypass

On 2 July, CEO Chris Cowley and Mayor Anne Monceaux travelled to Canberra to attend the Australian Local Government Association's National General Assembly, using the opportunity to lobby on behalf of Council in support of reinstating federal funding for the Greater Adelaide Freight Bypass (GAFB).

The City of Burnside is in favour of a reduction in the volume of heavy vehicles on Portrush and Glen Osmond Roads via the GAFB, which will have a range of benefits, including an increase in freight productivity, a reduction in damage and injuries because of traffic collisions, improved traffic flow, a reduction in noise and pollution and more. Find out more here [bit.ly/CoBFreightBypass](https://bit.ly/CoBFreightBypass)



## Wheelchair squash is coming to Burnside

A new wheelchair squash program will be coming to the City of Burnside later this year, with almost \$40,000 of federal funding supporting this inclusive initiative.

As part of the Australian Sports Commission's Play Well Participation Grant Program, the City of Burnside is one of 29 councils to receive funding and the only metro council in South Australia to share in over \$10 million of funding nationwide.

This exciting new program will be held in the Kensington Community Leisure Centre, 342 The Parade, Kensington Park, in partnership with Squash Australia, Squash SA and YMCA SA.

If you are interested in getting involved, contact our Community Connections team at [communitydevelopment@burnside.sa.gov.au](mailto:communitydevelopment@burnside.sa.gov.au)

## Frank's Coffee SA partners with Wellness Hub

At the Glenunga Hub, Frank's Coffee has partnered with the Wellness Hub to donate \$2 for every coffee sold during the program to the Rotary Club of Burnside, until the end of the year. The owner and founder of Frank's Coffee, Julian La Starza, said supporting the program was a great way to give back to the local community.

The Burnside Wellness Hub is a collaboration between the City of Burnside and the Rotary Club of Burnside, providing a monthly program for elderly residents featuring unique guest speakers and the opportunity to connect with like-minded members of the community to increase social interaction.

## New dog on-lead areas

Earlier this year the City of Burnside went out to the community to consult on whether four areas with high biodiversity value should be declared dog on-lead areas. In total, 751 valid responses to the community consultation were received, with strong support for requiring dogs on-lead to protect wildlife. This ranged from 75 per cent support for Michael Perry Botanic Reserve, to 79 per cent support for the wetland at Kensington Gardens Reserve / Kensington Wama.

At the 18 June 2024 Ordinary Council Meeting, Council supported new dog on-lead areas in Chambers Gully Reserve, Heatherbank Reserve, Michael Perry Botanic Reserve and the wetland area at Kensington Gardens Reserve / Kensington Wama.

Signage will be installed, followed by a period of education. You can view the results of this community consultation at [engage.burnside.sa.gov.au](https://engage.burnside.sa.gov.au)

## Plant Giveaway raises funds for local conservation

This year, residents have generously donated just under \$6,000 in return for native plants grown in the City of Burnside Biodiversity Nursery as part of the annual Native Plant Giveaway. These funds will be given to Friends of Ferguson Conservation Park to help support community bush care volunteers working to restore Ferguson Conservation Park, including the preservation of threatened native orchid populations.

Register for next year's plant giveaway at [burnsidebiodiversity.com.au](https://burnsidebiodiversity.com.au).



# Weekly Green Organics Trial

The City of Burnside has commenced an exciting new initiative - a trial of weekly green organics bin collection.

Starting in September, around 1,300 households and businesses in Beulah Park and the northern side of Kensington Park will have their green organics bin

collected weekly and their red landfill bin collected fortnightly. The collection of yellow recycling bins will remain fortnightly.

Although a first for the city, similar trials have been successful in other South Australian councils. These trials have had great support among participating households and have reduced waste going to landfill.

## Why trial weekly green organics collection?

### • Bin collection should meet the needs of most households

Most household waste is organic waste from the kitchen and the garden. Additionally, most household landfill bins do not need to be collected weekly because they are half full or less. So it makes sense to increase the capacity of the green organics bin collection to better suit the community.

### • Ease of use

Households will have their organics collected weekly, so do not need to worry about the smell or waiting another week for the collection of organics.

### • Reducing landfill volumes

Providing weekly organics collection has been shown to increase the use of green organics bins for food waste. In this way, households are sending less material to landfill.

### • Financial savings

It's five times cheaper to compost organic material such as food waste, rather than sending it to landfill. Therefore by increasing the composting of food waste, weekly organics collection keeps pressure off Council rates.

### • Improving environmental sustainability

The contents of the green organics bins are turned into valuable compost, rather than being wasted in landfill. When food waste is composted, it breaks down quickly. In contrast, when food waste goes to landfill, it breaks down slowly and releases methane, a powerful greenhouse gas.

### • Creating local jobs

The composting industry creates and supports more jobs than landfill sites.

**CATCH 'EM IN A CADDY. FEED 'EM TO THE GREEN BIN!**

Fruit and vegetables	Bread, pasta and rice	Cooked food	Meat, seafood and bones	Dairy products	Leaves and flowers
Paper towel and tissues	Compostable takeaway	Compostable bags (labelled A54736 and/or A55810)	Shredded paper	NO plastic bags	NO plastic containers

Logos: EastWaste, City of Burnside, WHICH BIN? EASTWASTE, Government of South Australia, Green Industries SA

*'I encourage people to be invested in the trial because the more we do as individuals, it can make a big difference collectively.'*  
 - Rebecca

# What do locals think?

## Rob from Beulah Park

City of Burnside resident for 25 years, Rob said his household is always mindful of what materials are placed in the organic and landfill bins.

'This just makes sense to me and I'm very keen to be a part of the trial,' Rob said.

As part of his gig on Coast FM, Rob produces a monthly radio segment called 'Which bin', where he 'talks trash' and the benefits of proper waste disposal. Rob said he tries to instil his passion for waste into his family and the wider community.

'We use a kitchen caddy for kitchen scraps, and we are very mindful – even when our grandchildren are here – that they know the right product that goes in the green bin and caddy.

'The trial is an excellent initiative and I fully support it.'



Rob from Beulah Park

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- Rob



## Rebecca from Beulah Park

Resident for 10 years and a busy mum to Amelia, Rebecca is another resident who will be part of the six-month trial.

'We compost any food scraps that we have, and we make sure to not over shop and buy too much food,' Rebecca said.

'It's quite easy to do at home. Council provides the caddies and liners for free. All you need to do is have it on the bench, chuck your scraps in it and take it out to the green bin. It's no more difficult than recycling or taking out landfill.'

'I just encourage people to be invested in the trial because the more we do as individuals, it can make a big difference collectively.'



Rebecca and Amelia from Beulah Park

*'It's no more difficult than recycling or taking out landfill.'*  
- Rebecca

## Further information

The trial was approved by Council to support responsible waste management. The trial will run until the end of February 2025. The results will be reviewed by Council prior to the conclusion of the trial and residents will be updated on progress.

Households involved in the trial will receive a welcome pack, including detailed information and project resources. While most households are ready for this change, some households will need extra support. For example, Council can provide a larger landfill bin to help households.

Residents can call to find out more about the project on Council's website, at [burnside.sa.gov.au/weeklyorganics](http://burnside.sa.gov.au/weeklyorganics) (or scan the QR code).

If you have any questions, please contact Council on 8366 4200 or email [burnside@burnside.sa.gov.au](mailto:burnside@burnside.sa.gov.au)





# Olympic Medallist Thrives in 3R's Program



Norma Thrower (bronze), Shirley Strickland (gold) and Gisela Köhler (silver) at the 1956 Melbourne Olympics.

The City of Burnside is proud to be home to many remarkable individuals, including Norma Thrower of Glenside, a former Olympic 80-metre hurdler who now participates in the city's 3R's program.

Representing Australia at the 1956 Melbourne Olympics, Norma earned a bronze medal in the 80-metre hurdles, finishing behind fellow Australian Shirley Strickland. However, it was her gold medal win at the 1958 Commonwealth Games in Cardiff that Norma cites as the pinnacle of her athletic career.

'Winning the Commonwealth Games in Wales, that was my career highlight. In Rome, I was in the team, but I bombed out in the semi-final,' Norma said with a laugh. Inducted into the South Australian Sports Hall of Fame in 2023, Norma was honoured as one of the state's premier athletes. Beyond her Olympic achievements, she has excelled in golf and tennis and was formerly the captain of the South Australian A-grade women's basketball team.

Norma's family has always been at the core of her journey. Married at 20, she has two children and four grandchildren. Her father, Arnold Austin, was a pivotal figure in her career as her lifelong athletics coach.

Norma has been a member of the City of Burnside's 3R's program – Respite, Recreation, and Revitalisation – since the start of this year. Encouraged by her daughter, she now attends weekly sessions at the Civic Centre.

'A group of us come every Wednesday; we're all over 80. I enjoy coming in, I always have a ball,' she said.

The 3R's program offers a variety of activities designed to keep participants engaged and uplifted, while also providing essential social support. 'We have musicians come in, and we have a dance. It really boosts your mood. Other days, we've had an exercise instructor visit and art workshops,' Norma said.

The program aims to foster a sense of community and wellbeing among senior residents, offering opportunities for social engagement. Norma's experiences reflect the program's impact.

'After a few years, the girls start to rely on each other and lean on each other to talk. It's a supportive environment.'

The 3R's program is designed for individuals over the age of 65 who are socially isolated and want to connect with the community. Funded by the Federal Government through the Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP), the program is accessed via a My Aged Care referral. Groups meet weekly from 10 am – 2 pm, with coffee and lunch provided, and offer a variety of activities including exercise, art, music, puzzles, and entertainment, all with the goal of getting people out of the house and enjoying themselves.

If you or a family member would like to join the 3R's program, contact Council's Home Support Program on [8366 4193](tel:83664193).







## Koala Season is Here

Spring is now here, and with it, our local koalas are becoming more adventurous.

September to February is peak koala breeding season, with male koalas more mobile, and young koalas becoming independent and moving away from their mother in search of their own territory. This increased activity results in a high number of reported koala incidents across parklands, private property and roadways. Early evening and hours of darkness are when koalas are most active and may come down to the ground.

It is the responsibility of all residents and visitors to remain vigilant when driving through koala-inhabited areas as they may venture onto the road in search of food.

If you're walking your dog in our parks and reserves, please ensure your pet is always under control. Koalas often descend to the ground to move between trees, making them vulnerable to curious or aggressive dogs. Keeping dogs on lead and under supervision helps safeguard both your pet and the koalas.

If you come across any injured wildlife including koalas, please call Fauna Rescue SA, or another wildlife rescue group.



## Men's Breakfast

An initiative of the City of Burnside funded by the Commonwealth Home Support Program, the Men's Breakfast has been meeting every Monday morning for over 10 years to provide mateship, social interaction and general life support to one another.

Member of the Men's Breakfast since day one, Burnside resident Graeme said the group dynamic always rings with positivity and is a great social outlet for so many in the area.

Having formed a cycling group with other members, Graeme and others have shaped tight bonds extending beyond the breakfast.

Meeting every Monday morning, the Men's Breakfast promises jokes, stories, positive vibes and a delicious hot meal. Always welcoming of new members, all you need is a Social Support Group referral from My Aged Care and be registered with the Burnside Home Support Program.

To learn if you are eligible for services call the Burnside Home Support Program team at **8366 4193** or visit our website.





# Your Neighbourhood Budget Webb Street Reserve Little Library



**In Rose Park, tucked away in Webb Street Reserve, is the newest community project as funded by the 2023 Your Neighbourhood Budget.**

Full of books for all ages stands the Little Library, the latest in a lineage of community projects funded through the program.

Webb Street Reserve is known for its red firetruck play equipment and is bordered by Rose Park Preschool and Rose Park Norwood Scout Group. Both Rose Park Community Childcare and Rose Park Primary School are also within a stone's throw.

Submitting the proposal in 2023 for the Little Library was Rose Park resident of 57 years Joy Shepherd. The submission also covered the restoration of the fire truck play equipment.

Joy's idea was sparked after comments from her grandchildren regarding the lack of play equipment in the park for older children, and after seeing an advertisement for Your Neighbourhood Budget, she set to work.

With assistance from her daughter, Joy letterboxed all the houses along Watson Avenue and Hewitt Avenue asking for suggestions of equipment to help widen the appeal of the park.

Joy said she was thrilled with the engagement from residents in the area.

'Some people replied with quite clever ideas, one of them was the little library.'

After deciding on the Little Library, Joy reached out to Rose Park & Toorak Gardens Council Member Lilian Henschke to assist her with the submission process. During the following community voting period, the Little Library received the most votes of all proposed projects.

'We had the support of the kindergarten, the parents and members of the community, they all voted for us. We hope this will appeal to people of all ages in the community,' Joy said.

Following approval, the Little Library was constructed by members of The Shed on Conyngham Street, before being handed over to local artist Sarah Moller, who in collaboration with the children at Rose Park Preschool designed the artwork for the exterior of the Little Library.

'I came in and spoke with the children about some designs,' said Sarah who is also a parent at the preschool.

'We incorporated designs from various picture books including *Garden Stew* by Carrie Gallasch.

'We have a pear tree on the box that is inspired by the pear tree at the back of the preschool and the lemon-scented gum from Webb Street Reserve. It took about 20 hours over one month to paint.'

Director of Rose Park Preschool Marie Kelakios said after working with Sarah the children were extremely excited to see the new installation and be able to read the books inside.

Known as a community hub for the area, Webb Street Reserve is utilised daily by the preschool parents, Scouts group, nearby businesses and a local mother's group.

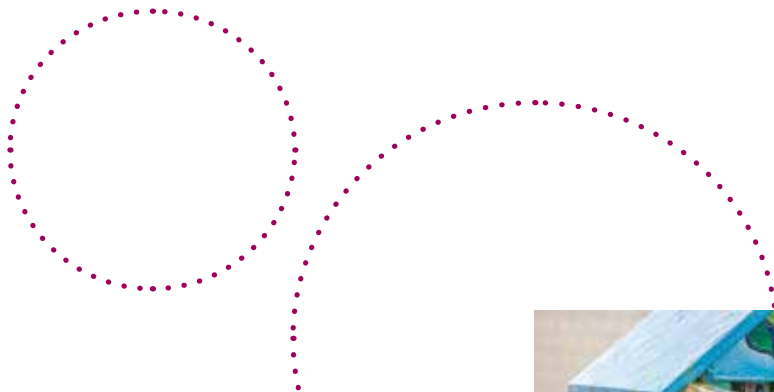
In attendance for the installation of the Little Library that she assisted with the submission for, Council Member Lilian Henschke said community initiatives like those from Joy were important for community and youth development.

'When we hear from the community, ideas emerge, especially from the youth,' Cr Henschke said. 'This time it was from the grandchildren of a long-term resident.'

'Spots like this where a child can walk out into the open air near a playground and then to be able to engage with a book in play is so important for their development and their growing love of reading.'

'The experience of where you read is really important. We all reflect on our first memories of when we started reading, it is fundamental to create that foundation.'

The Webb Street Reserve Little Library is now available for your reading needs. Residents are encouraged to take and leave appropriate books for all reading levels.



Constructed at The Shed on Conyngham Street



Left to right: Joy Shepherd, Sarah Moller, Marie Kelakios and Cr Lilian Henschke.



2024/2025

## Annual Business Plan and Budget Summary

### Rates

This summary of the Annual Business Plan highlights Council's key priorities for the 2024/25 financial year in addition to providing information on how Council's funds will be allocated. The Summary also reflects on the previous year's achievements.

Council is committed to fair and equitable rates with an average rate rise of 9.8 per cent in 2024/25 (excluding growth).

Council did consult on an alternate one year increase of 14 per cent with future years to be inline with CPI. Feedback from the community consultation indicated that a multi-year increase model of 9.8 per cent (2024/25) and future year increases between 4 per cent and 7 per cent was preferred.

The City of Burnside's Rating Policy provides detail on land valuations and valuation objectives. Council's rating strategy can be found in the full 2024/25 Annual Business Plan and Budget document which is available to read and download from [www.burnside.sa.gov.au](http://www.burnside.sa.gov.au)

### 2024/25 Initiatives

*Burnside 2030* outlines the Council principles, key themes, goals and priorities in the delivery of Council services and projects that are responsive to community desires and needs. The 2024/25 initiatives are in line with *Burnside 2030*.

#### Community

- Disability Access and Inclusion Plan.
- Penfold Park Master Plan Implementation Works.
- Tregenza Oval Master Plan Implementation Works.

#### Place

- City Master Plan and Historic Area Overlay Code Amendments.
- City Master Plan Open Space Layer.
- City Master Plan Traffic Initiatives.

#### Environment

- Sustainable Kerbside Service Trial (weekly green organics).
- Wood Park building - demolition and reinstatement as open space.
- Newland Reserve revegetation of biodiversity site.
- George Bolton Swimming Centre - pool heater upgrade.

## Our Finances

Where the funds will go  
**\$63.7m**

**\$1.84m**

### Community Support and Wellbeing

3Rs program\*, The Shed\*, Community Transport\*, grants, sponsorship, Home Support Program\*.

**\$4.07m**

### Library and Community Learning

Library materials, toy library, outreach library service (library bus), author events, cultural days and history events.

**\$3.72m**

### Community Centres and Events

Managing school holiday programs and community centres across the City and coordinating events at the centres, The Regal Theatre, Pepper Street Arts Centre and the George Bolton Swimming Centre.

**\$1.95m**

### Strategic Projects and Planning

For projects such as Marryatville Master Plan, The Regal Theatre Precinct Master Plan and 40km/h speed areas community engagement.

**\$17.10m**

### Environment and Infrastructure Management

Renewal of council assets and infrastructure, waste (recycling, organic, landfill and hard) collection, illegal dumping collection, carbon footprint management.

**\$1.48m**

### Communications and Engagement

Have Your Say and find out what is happening in your community – website, social media, online consultation, Business Plan and Budget, Focus newsletter, eNews, community consultations, Annual Community Survey.

**\$4.97m**

### City Development and Safety

Bushfire prevention, dog control and animal management, Eastern Health Authority (immunisations, public health, food safety in food businesses), licensing, development applications, heritage, Rangers and compliance.

**\$24.42m**

### Technical Services and Operations

Graffiti removal, city cleaning, street sweeping, footpath maintenance, storm damage response, park furniture maintenance, park watering, biodiversity nursery, tree maintenance, tree planting, playground maintenance, verge mowing, park and reserve maintenance, maintenance of assets and infrastructure, traffic management.

\* Funding for these services are provided by the Federal Government's Commonwealth Home Support Programme (CHSP) at no cost to ratepayers.

**\$1.93m**

### Customer Experience

Call centre, after hours call centre, waste enquiries, possum and cat trap hire, bookings for parks, tennis courts and banners, venue hire, parking permits, new resident information, possum box sales, compostable bags, compost bin sales.

**\$2.07m**

### Landscape Levy

The Regional Landscape Levy is a State Government imposed tax, which councils are required to collect on behalf of the State Government under the Landscape South Australia Act 2019 with all funds going to the State Government and not the City of Burnside.

All enquiries or concerns about the Regional Landscape Levy should be directed to the Green Adelaide Board at [www.landscape.sa.gov.au](http://www.landscape.sa.gov.au)

## For more information

The complete 2024/25 Annual Business Plan and Budget document, including more detail on the 2024/25 initiatives, can be found at [www.burnside.sa.gov.au](http://www.burnside.sa.gov.au)

Details on rates, application forms for rate rebates and hardship relief can be found at [www.burnside.sa.gov.au](http://www.burnside.sa.gov.au)

Please contact us if you have any questions about the information in this Annual Business Plan and Budget Summary.



# Council Members



**Beaumont  
Ward**  
Cr Paul  
Huebl

The chamber recently adopted our latest budget and long-term financial plan for 2024/5 which represents a rate rise of 9.8%.

The original recommendation from the administration, via our Audit and Risk Committee, was a one-year rate increase of 14%, keeping us in surplus, with a return to regular rates next year, with no disruption to services.

As it stands, the endorsed plan for the coming financial year sees the budget in deficit and a reliance on a second year of an above inflation rate rise in 2025/26. Alongside this is a cut in expenditure to recurrent programs, operating projects and new and renewal capital projects. It also relies on councillors not introducing any new projects, upgrades or service provisions until 2026/7 at the earliest.

The underlying issue has been, at least for the six years we have been in the chamber, that we are collecting income at a rate too low to match our expenditure. We have generally had community satisfaction both with our low rates (nearly the lowest in Adelaide) as well as the services we provide. The solution council has adopted has been to fund new capital expenditure through debt over 15 years, which of course comes with additional interest payments. It also means that today's projects are being paid for by future residents.

An alternative model would be to have higher rates now, giving us a 'war chest' with which to pay for new capital, with little to no borrowing. However, our economic reality involves operating with debt, which is done by governments, businesses and households world-wide.

Council's financial situation then further deteriorated because of the two-year rates freeze put in place during the COVID-19 pandemic.

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**Beaumont  
Ward**  
Cr Harvey  
Jones

We did this during the previous council term, to help out ratepayers without cutting any spending. We need to play catch up now, but the proposed 14% solution comes during a 'cost of living crisis' which many cite as a reason to reject such a band-aid measure.

The difference between the adopted budget and the proposed adjustment equates to a difference of \$88 for the average household, which is \$1.70 a week. It might be easy for some to write this off as an insignificant saving but this 'cup of coffee a fortnight' argument discounts the other 'cups of coffee' that are proverbially being sacrificed by cost-of-living pressures from utility bills, mortgage rates and supermarket visits.

What seems clear to us is that if we want to remain a council that has rates lower than most other places in the state, then curbing our spending and avoiding debt as much as possible needs to be a priority. How to spend less though, but still provide the services and facilities that are so valued by the residents of Burnside?

The answer will lie in us making tough decisions about future funding levels and service provision, which is what you have elected us to do. We are always available at

**hjones@burnside.sa.gov.au** and  
**phuebl@burnside.sa.gov.au** to discuss these and any other matters.

**Harvey Jones** M 0414 595 473  
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**Kensington  
Park Ward**  
Cr Jane  
Davey

As we anticipate some warm spring weather it's great to see our many community, cultural and sporting activities resume apace.

Burnside is proudly an increasingly culturally diverse community with around 33% of our population born overseas. We have developed into a rich multi cultural society of distinct ethnic and cultural groups – from our First Nations people with their rich history, to our pioneering Anglo Celtic and German settlers, to post war migrants from Italy and Greece and our more recent Chinese, Vietnamese and Indian migrants.

While blended into a fantastic community, we celebrate our diversity by aiming to provide an environment where all of us enjoy equal access to life's opportunities and our terrific staff coordinate important programs promoting inclusion, offering a range of services so there is no cultural or social isolation.

On environmental matters, with my dedication to preserving our tree canopy it has been a great concern to lose so many of our SA blue gums across Kensington Oval Reserve over the last 18 months.

Expert investigations indicate this may be caused by a Phytophthora pathogen and treatment has been started by soil drenching sites with phosphoric acid before any tree replanting can take place. It is anticipated that understory plantings with acacia species will then help manage, if not control, the impact of this soil pathogen.

There have also been some tree losses in Hazelwood Park, east of Wombat Waterhole with the cause yet to be determined for these.

As always, please don't hesitate to contact me if I can be of any assistance.

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**Kensington Park Ward**  
Cr Andy Xing

**I am thrilled to share some exciting developments in our community.**

One significant change is the approval of 40km/h speed limits in many new areas. This measure is a crucial step towards enhancing road safety for all residents, particularly pedestrians and cyclists.

We are embarking on an innovative research project: a local repair hub. This investigation aims to create a space where residents bring broken their items and skilled local volunteers offer support to repair them. This project fosters community spirit and promotes sustainability by reducing waste. While exploring this concept, we are also investigating the possibility for a hard waste exchange hub within the City of Burnside. Essentially, this hub would function as a central location where residents can bring used goods to trade with others. Unlike our current hard rubbish system, which requires scheduling, this aims to create a more accessible and efficient solution for reusing items. A report is due back to Council by October.

Our trial for weekly green bins will soon commence in parts of Kensington Park Ward. This initiative is designed to reduce landfill waste and support the circular economy, which is becoming an integral part of our community activities.

Addressing the concerns from residents about prolonged traffic congestion caused by parked cars, we have implemented new safety measures around Pembroke School, particularly on The Parade and Walsall Street.

Please reach out if you have concerns or suggestions. Together, we can continue to make our community a safer and more sustainable place to live.

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**Rose Park & Toorak Gardens Ward**  
Cr Lilian Henschke

**Spring is 'lovely and lush' - a time for new beginnings and transformation.**

We know the overall perspective of the community is for rates to be set as low as sustainably possible.

I've been asked to *"concentrate on reductions in spending rather than simply making ratepayers pay more [emphasis added]."*

As your voice in this long-term business with long-lived assets I'll advocate for :

- Simplification of services that ratepayers value and monitor them to ensure they're not stretched
- Management of the long-term assets to minimise their lifetime cost and reassessment of asset renewals
- Balance between the costs of infrastructure necessary to meet community expectations and potential increases in costs.

There's a state of flux this Spring with macroeconomic inflationary impacts on the community. Council's internal costs are no different. Efficiencies and savings will keep rates as low and affordable as possible over the long term with a commitment to meet community needs.

This Spring as council concentrates on reductions in spending, I hope you'll continue to enjoy the quality and character of the glorious natural and heritage assets of the Rose Park Toorak Gardens Ward.

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# Burnside Ballroom Goes Platinum

Officially opened on Saturday 11 December 1954 by Mayor J H Parkinson, the Burnside Ballroom is this year celebrating its milestone 70th birthday.

With the interior of the building on the State Heritage List, the Ballroom is an iconic building in the history of the City of Burnside and the wider Adelaide region. Mostly untouched since its unveiling, there are few known examples of this modernist style of interior left in South Australia, with most of the Ballroom's fixtures and fittings still in their original condition.

The Ballroom was originally built to accommodate the growing population, as the Burnside Town Hall was unable to handle the increasing numbers. The residents voted overwhelmingly in favour of the concept and the construction took place over twelve months at a cost of £32,000. Architects Evans, Bruers, Philpott & Partners designed the building and Fricker Brothers Limited were contracted for construction.

The Ballroom offers a spacious ground floor and mezzanine level, entrance foyer, ladies' powder rooms and gentlemen's cloakrooms, bar areas on both levels and a ground floor kitchen. The venue also features a stage and seating booths with tables along the eastern and western walls. As an additional wing to the 1928 Town Hall and Council Chambers, the exterior was designed to complement the existing Inter-War Free Classical architecture. The interior is an exceptional example of 1950s modernist design, with art-deco style proscenium, vinyl seating booths, and decorative metalwork.

A high-quality venue with world-class features, the Ballroom was a popular hot spot for many in the community. In the three weeks alone following its grand opening, the Ballroom hosted three balls, three concerts, and a radio show. The space also became the home of the Princeton Club, a popular venue for teenagers from across Adelaide in the 1960s.

Established in 2020, the City of Burnside Heritage Reference Group was created to discuss and propose strategies and projects that identify, promote, preserve, and enhance the City of Burnside's built and cultural heritage including the Ballroom.

One member of the Heritage Reference Group is Colin Harris. For Colin, the Burnside Ballroom holds a special place in his heart and history, having had his first date with his wife Elizabeth at a Burnside Ballroom event.

Following their date at a Girton Girls' School (now Pembroke School) Old Scholars Ball in 1965, the two were married in 1969.

'For us, the Burnside Ballroom was the start of a wonderful partnership with two daughters. Whenever I see the Ballroom my thoughts go back to that date,' Colin said.

A third-generation Burnside resident, Colin is also a Former President and now Life Member of the Burnside Historical Society and a Fellow of The Royal Geographical Society of South Australia.

Today, the Ballroom continues to be a popular community space for parties, musical events, concerts, exercise classes, volunteer celebrations and civic receptions. Annual events in the Ballroom include the Japanese Cultural Day and the upcoming Annual Glenside Lions Art Show. It has also played host to music acts such as the Penny Rockets, Vonnie Jay, The Clefs, Fraternity, the Twilights and John Farnham.







# Have Your Say



## Access and Inclusion Stakeholder Panel

Council is seeking expressions of interest from people with lived experience of disability, their carers and service providers in the disability, access and inclusion sector to be part of the City of Burnside Access and Inclusion Stakeholder Panel.

The role of the Panel is to help shape the access and inclusion outcomes for key projects across the City of Burnside. For eligibility requirements see the attached insert.

If you would like to register your interest to be a part of the panel, fill out the insert included with this magazine and return it to the City of Burnside using the reply-paid envelope. You can also follow the below QR code or call our team on **8366 4200** for more information.



## Future Living Code Amendment

The State Planning Commission is seeking feedback on draft planning rules to enhance housing diversity for South Australians and provide more affordable options for different household types, life stages and lifestyle choices.

The proposed Future Living Code Amendment seeks to enable new forms of co-located housing development that allows more homes to be built without impacting on the existing character and streetscape of established suburbs. This Code Amendment encourages existing houses to be retained, altered and extended to create co-located housing, rather than demolished and the site subdivided for multiple homes.

The co-located housing model incorporates communal, open gardens and shared facilities, which could include laundries, rubbish bins, car parking or activity rooms, to help build a sense of community.

Each home that is part of the co-located housing development could be bought and sold separately, while the shared garden would be managed through community title.

For more information **scan the QR Code** or visit [bit.ly/FutureLivingCA](https://bit.ly/FutureLivingCA)



## Upcoming community engagements

Find out more about upcoming engagements at [www.engage.burnside.sa.gov.au](http://www.engage.burnside.sa.gov.au) Register to receive a monthly email to keep up with news and events.

### Soon to open:

- Review of Council By-laws.



# Upcoming Works

## Rekerbing:

Brand Street, Beulah Park  
Seaton Avenue, Hazelwood Park

## Road Resurfacing:

Allendale Grove - Rosebank Terrace, Stonyfell  
Edmund Wright Avenue, Auldana  
Penfold Road, Stonyfell  
Rebecca Avenue, Auldana



# Completed Works

## Lighting upgrades:

Rochester Street, Leabrook (\$1.6k)  
Traminer Way, Auldana (\$11.5k)

## Rekerbing:

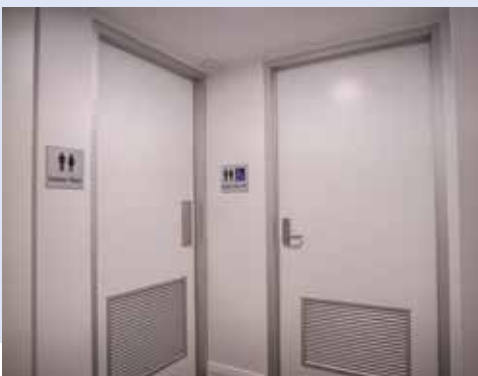
Chessington Avenue, Frewville (\$95k)

## Road Resurfacing:

Katoomba Road, Beaumont (\$115k)

## Pepper Street Arts Centre :

Accessible bathroom and Dorrit's Coffee shop redevelopment (\$267k)



## Knightsbridge Reserve playground:

Knightsbridge Reserve playground has recently been upgraded and is now open again for use. Designed following community suggestions, the playground now has something for children of all ages and play types. All timber features were created from a tree in Hazelwood Park that fell last year during a storm. Rubber softfall is present throughout the space of the inclusive play elements. River rocks unearthed during the site excavation have been distributed around the trees to be used in creative imagination play.





# Capital Works in Your Area

## Capital Works Projects 2024/25 Interactive Map:

Did you know the City of Burnside has an online interactive map of all the Capital Works Projects for 2024/25?

On this map you can see all ongoing works and filter by program, suburb, or even by street address to see what is happening near you.

Visit the map and see what is happening in your area: [bit.ly/CapitalWorksProjects](https://bit.ly/CapitalWorksProjects)

The screenshot displays the interactive map interface with the following components:

- Program List:** A list of 25 programs, each with a 'Google Street View URL' icon.
- Projects by Suburb:** A horizontal bar chart showing the number of projects in each suburb.
- Projects by Status:** A section showing 'In Progress' projects: 166.
- Map View:** A map showing project locations with blue circular markers. A legend indicates 'PROJECT STATUS' with 'Approved' projects marked by blue circles.
- Map Controls:** 'Street Map' and 'Satellite Map' tabs, a search bar, and a 'mapbox' logo.

Suburb	Number of Projects
AULDANA	4
BEALMONT	9
BEULAHK	5
BURNSIDE	20
DULWICH	2
EASTWOOD	7
BRINDALE	1
FREWVILE	1
GLENOSMD	4
GLENSIDE	4
GLENUNGA	4
HAZELWPK	13
KENSIGDS	9
KENSIRK	15
LINDENK	9
MAGILL	7
MTOSMND	3
ROSEBARK	10
ROSSLINK	1
SKYE	1
STONYFEL	11
TOORKENS	7
TUSMORE	13
VARIOUS	1
WATTLEK	3

**Projects by Status**

**In Progress** 166

Select a Project to see more info



# Be ... Connected

## Kensington Marryatville Bowling Club

The Kensington Marryatville Lawn Bowling Club, home to one of South Australia's best lawn bowling facilities, nestled amongst the gum trees of Kensington Gardens Reserve.

With year-round activities, there is something to suit everyone including winter, summer, same sex and mixed competitions, with people of all ages and abilities welcome.

With a relaxed inclusive atmosphere, the club hosts weekly happy hours, raffles and fortnightly club dinners, while also being available for private functions.

The Kensington-Marryatville Bowling Club shines as part of the Eastern Suburbs sporting community. Call Patrick 0449 018 849. Kensington Marryatville Bowling Club ([kensclub.org.au](http://kensclub.org.au))

[www.facebook.com/kensikookaburras](https://www.facebook.com/kensikookaburras)

[www.instagram.com/kensikookaburras](https://www.instagram.com/kensikookaburras)

## Lions Club of Glenside

Planning is in full swing for the 2024 Glenside Lions Art Show, to be held at the Ballroom 14th–18th November (\$5 entry, children free). As well as a wide variety of paintings to admire and buy, there will be felting works, embroidery and jewellery. On the Saturday a canine trainee of the Lions Hearing Dogs Centre will visit, and our "Where's Leonie?" competition is on again. This year the beneficiary charity is Second Chances SA, which runs programs to restore hope to children of prisoners.

We welcome new members. Telephone Frank (0403 949 745) to know more.

## Rotary Clubs of Eastwood and Regency Park

invite you to enjoy a walk through the South-East Parklands whilst raising Research Funds for Australian Rotary Health – one of Australia's largest independent funders of mental health research Sunday 13th October 2024 8.30am. Beaumont Road Carpark, corner of South & East Terraces, Adelaide. Adults \$25, Teens \$10, U13 Free Registrations Try Booking - <https://www.trybooking.com/1258265>

The route is through the WETLANDS, the Elm tree lined CARRIAGEWAY, and the HIMEJI JAPANESE GARDENS

Free Sausage Sizzle or Vegetarian Pattie for all Participants

Coffee Van from 8.00am

ph: 71294465

## Burnside Historical Society

Actively protecting and promoting the significant history of the City of Burnside for 44 years.

MEETINGS: 7.30pm, Burnside Community Centre

Monday 16 September Theatre Life in Adelaide 1836 – 1856, Ian Sellick

Monday 21 October Stories of three historic Burnside buildings: One gone but not forgotten and two remaining, Dianne Wilson, Liz Silz and Bob Stace

Monday 18 November The Canning Stock Route, the story of Alfred Canning and personal experiences of traversing the route in the 1970's, David Lyne then the launch of the 2024 BHS JOURNAL EVERYONE WELCOME – members free, visitors a donation please.

WEBSITE: [burnsidehistory.org.au](http://burnsidehistory.org.au)

MEMBERSHIP: SINGLE \$30, FAMILY \$45

## Norwood High School 60 year reunion for

Leaving Honours classes of 1964 and Leaving classes of 1963.

A luncheon will be held Nov 15 2024.

To register your interest, or obtain further information please contact:

Helen Burgan on 0407 720 221 or [forrests304@bigpond.com](mailto:forrests304@bigpond.com)

John Whitford on 0417 871 342 or [johnwhitford@outlook.com.au](mailto:johnwhitford@outlook.com.au)

## Burnside Rostrum Public Speaking Club 32

We are a friendly Public Speaking Club

We meet on the first and third Monday each month from 7.30pm to 9pm

We meet at The Glenunga Hub, 70 Conyngham St, Glenunga

In The Margaret Bond Room, No 2

In a friendly, encouraging atmosphere you can develop the following skills and have fun at the same time.

- Speaking and presentation skills
- Speech preparation
- Meeting procedure
- How to chair a meeting

Contact Geoff Sherlock, [geoffreysherlock75@gmail.com](mailto:geoffreysherlock75@gmail.com), 0401223327

## LAUREL AVENUE COMMUNITY GARDEN

### open day & plant sale

SATURDAY  
12TH OCTOBER  
11AM - 3PM

31 LAUREL AVE,  
LINDEN PARK  
ACCESS VIA WEYMYSS ST

#### Garden tours:

- 11am-11:30am
- 1pm-1:30pm

#### All Day:

- Sausage sizzle, drinks, tea & coffee
- Spring seedlings
- Succulents, houseplants & more
- Guest stall from Wombats SA



# The Regal Theatre

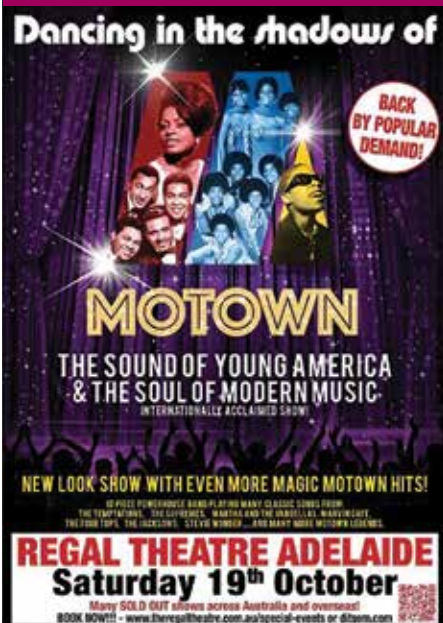


## Dancing in the Shadows of Motown

**Saturday 19 October 8 pm. \$40 - \$66.**

After sell-out shows in 2022 and 2023, *DANCING IN THE SHADOWS OF MOTOWN* returns to the Regal with an even bigger and better show!

DON'T MISS this 10 Piece Powerhouse band featuring internationally renowned singers and musicians who faithfully recreate the dynamic live performances of: The Temptations, Stevie Wonder, The Supremes, Marvin Gaye, Martha and The Vandellas, The Four Tops, Fontella Bass, The Jackson Five, Junior Walker and many more MOTOWN Legends. Bass, The Jackson Five, Junior Walker and many more MOTOWN Legends.



## The Australian Barbra Streisand Show

**Saturday 14 September  
2 pm & 8 pm. \$49 - \$69.**

Happy days are here again! In an homage to the show-stopping six-decade-long career, Rachael Grace presents *The Australian Barbra Streisand Show*.

Performing songs from the sensational catalogue of Streisand's classic films, musicals and hit records, *The Australian Barbra Streisand Show* honours the endless talent and legacy of this icon of musical royalty



## Two Of Us –The Songs of Lennon and McCartney

**Saturday 5 October 8 pm. \$69 - \$89.**

Two of Australia's most applauded artists, Damien Leith and Darren Coggan, celebrate two of the most inspiring songwriters of all time, John Lennon and Paul McCartney.

A magical, intimate and acoustic portrait of the songs that changed the world, *TWO OF US* traverses immortal songs from The Beatles treasure trove of pop history along with the richness and diversity of Lennon and McCartney's solo careers.



## Bobby Fox – Careless Whisper

**Saturday 28 September  
2 pm & 8 pm. \$59 - \$85.**

Bringing the depth, heart, raunch, fun and vocal range which made George Michael's music so unique. From *Careless Whisper* to *Freedom* and *Jesus To A Child*, Bobby Fox presents a concert of George Micheal's greatest hits that you'll never forget.



# Events

## Carols in the Park

**Save the date: Friday 29 November 2024**

This year's Carols in the Park is nearly here!

Unfortunately, last year's event was cancelled due to weather. This year, however, promises twice the fun and Christmas joy.

Free for all ages hosted at Hazelwood Park, the night will feature live music, food trucks and lots to do for the kids. A magical evening full of colour, arts, crafts, laughter, joy, gourmet food and a program of music that will have you dancing and singing to your favourite carols.

See you there!



## Free Bike Health Check

**Thursday 26 September at the Civic Centre.** Bring your bike along for a free safety check by expert technicians from Adelaide Mobile Bicycle Service and ensure your bike is roadworthy.

The check-up is for your daily ride and not a restoration project. If the technician spots an issue on the day, you will be able to purchase some equipment on-site.

Please note that bookings are essential. You need to be a person living, working or studying in the Burnside area.

If you require further information please visit our website, email [communitydevelopment@burnside.sa.gov.au](mailto:communitydevelopment@burnside.sa.gov.au) or call **83664200**.

This free initiative is brought to you by the City of Burnside and supported by Burnside Bicycle User Group.

## Fitness in the Parks

Burnside is home to the most stunning parklands in all of Adelaide, why not make the most of these spaces and get moving outdoors with Fitness in the Parks. Come meet new people and enjoy our beautiful parks and reserves. Our activities cater for all fitness levels and abilities - beginners are encouraged!

## Wellness Hub for Aged Residents

Are you or someone you know looking to increase your social connections and learn more about how the City of Burnside can support you? We have partnered with the Rotary Club of Burnside to provide a monthly Community Wellness Hub program, featuring a light lunch, unique guest speakers and an opportunity to connect with like-minded community members.

Sessions are held on the third Thursday of every month.

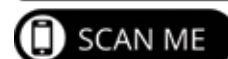
**11 am – 1 pm at Glenunga Hub, 70 Conygham Street, Glenunga. 19 September 2024. 17 October 2024. 21 November 2024.**

Gold coin donation is appreciated. Bookings are not required. Contact Margie from the Rotary Club of Burnside for more information on **0412 383 827**.

## FISCH

Family Initiative Supporting Children's Health (FISCH) is a program that helps you as a family with the tools and information needed to feel safe, secure and confident in your ability to support your child's development.

FISCH is a series of accessible workshops from local service providers for new parents on topics such as emotional literacy, social development, developmental milestones and more.





# Events

## Burnside Library

### Dementia Action Week – Face Dementia Community Seminar

Thursday 19 September 2024 6.30 - 7.30 pm

#### Burnside Library

Join registered nurse, Heather Engelhardt, from Face Dementia, to learn about dementia and how to recognise the early signs and changes.

Hear about treatments and supports. Find out how, why and when to get an assessment as well as how you can reduce your risk of dementia.

### Children’s Book Launch – Willow’s Gumboots – Beverley McWilliams

Saturday 28 September 2024 1.30 - 3.30 pm

#### Burnside Library

A delightful story for anyone who has ever had a favourite piece of clothing.

Join us for a fun afternoon to celebrate the launch of Beverley McWilliams’ charming new children’s picture book.

### Author Talk – *A Periodic Tale: My Sciencey Memoir* – Dr Karl Kruszelnicki

Monday 23 September 2024 7 - 9 pm

#### Regal Theatre

How did a shy Polish immigrant kid - Karl Sven Woytek Sas Konkovitch Matthew Kruszelnicki - evolve into the fabulously eccentric Dr Karl? Join Dr Karl Kruszelnicki to find out more about his long-awaited memoir.

The only child of Holocaust survivors who fled to Australia in 1950, Karl has always forged his own destiny in an idiosyncratic way. Before he became one of the world’s favourite scientific storytellers, he ambled through a convoluted cacophony of a career.



### Author Talk – *The Fallen Woman* – Fiona McIntosh

Monday 30 September 2024 7 – 9 pm Regal Theatre

Join bestselling author, Fiona McIntosh, as she shares her new, heart-stopping historical adventure, *The Fallen Woman*. The heart-stopping new historical adventure from the bestselling author of *The Sugar Palace*.

Botanical artist Jane Saville is devastated when her manipulative mother banishes her to the countryside to protect someone else’s honour. Isolated far from home, she is forced to live an impoverished, secretive life to save the family from public shame.



### Author Talk – *Things Will Calm Down Soon* – Zoë Foster Blake

Thursday 17 October 2024 7 - 9 pm Regal Theatre

Welcome to the hectic world of beauty and business in this highly relatable novel following a talented hair stylist turned entrepreneur juggling family dramas, workplace near-catastrophes and relationship crises. Things will calm down soon...right?

As the founder of Go-To Skincare, Zoë Foster Blake has learned a lot in her decade of business. *Things Will Calm Down Soon* blends her love of fiction with the knowledge she has acquired in business, entrepreneurship, and mergers and acquisitions. Part entertainment, part founder insight, *Things Will Calm Down Soon* is an entirely new breed of illuminating storytelling.



### My Aged Care Information Session

Monday 4 November 2024 10 - 11 am Burnside Library

Join members of the Department of Health and Aged Care for a discussion on Commonwealth funded aged care services. They will talk you through the range of aged care services, the assessment process and finding services that meet your needs. They will also answer any questions that you may have.

For these events, regular programming and more please visit:

[www.burnside.sa.gov.au/Community-Recreation/Community-Venues/Burnside-Library/Whats-on-at-the-Library](http://www.burnside.sa.gov.au/Community-Recreation/Community-Venues/Burnside-Library/Whats-on-at-the-Library)

# Pepper Street Arts Centre



## 2024 FEATURED EXHIBITIONS

[bit.ly/PepStExhibits](https://bit.ly/PepStExhibits)

### Anything Goes

#### SA Mosaics

30 August – 27 September

### Nature's Foundations 3

#### 2024 Artist Residency Program

4 October – 8 November

### Little Treasures for Christmas

#### Handmade Art and Craft Gifts

17 November – 19 December

## ARTISTS OF THE MONTH

[bit.ly/PepStArtOfMth](https://bit.ly/PepStArtOfMth)

## DORRIT'S COFFEE SHOP

Affordable light menu, locally baked.

[bit.ly/Dorrits](https://bit.ly/Dorrits)

## CLASSES & GROUPS

Beginners through to experienced, weekdays, evenings and weekends.

[bit.ly/PepStArtClass](https://bit.ly/PepStArtClass)

[bit.ly/PepStArtCmtyGrps](https://bit.ly/PepStArtCmtyGrps)

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARTISTS

Monthly submissions.

[bit.ly/PepStArtistOpps](https://bit.ly/PepStArtistOpps)

## INFORMATION

Free newsletter to your inbox

[bit.ly/PepperStNews](https://bit.ly/PepperStNews)

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## We're back!

Pepper Street Arts Centre is open again after a short absence for renovations. Now with brand-new Disability Discrimination Act (DDA) compliant toilet facilities and a refreshed Dorrit's Café, our team is waiting to welcome you to Burnside's number one art destination. Come in, grab a coffee and enjoy the works of some of South Australia's most talented artists.

This month the City of Burnside is hosting its annual *Anything Goes: SA Mosaics Exhibition*.

Mosaic art, with its intricate and vibrant compositions, stands as a testament to human creativity and craftsmanship. This art form, rich in history and cultural significance, captivates the eye and evokes a sense of wonder, showcasing the harmonious blend of meticulous detail and artistic vision.

This year's SA Mosaics exhibition will explore a variety of different materials that can be creatively brought together to create a cohesive mosaic.

Come celebrate the launch of *Anything Goes* and join us on Friday 6 September at 6 pm for the Presentation and Awards night. All are welcome with no bookings required. Complimentary drink and nibbles on arrival.



Pepper Street Arts Centre is located at 558 Magill Road, Magill, open Tues – Fri 10 am – 5 pm and Saturday 12 noon - 5 pm. Closed public holidays and Easter Saturday. Phone 8364 6154 or visit [www.pepperstreetartscentre.com.au](http://www.pepperstreetartscentre.com.au) or [www.facebook.com/PepperSt](https://www.facebook.com/PepperSt) or Instagram. Exhibitions. Gift Shop. Art Classes. Coffee Shop. Free Entry. Car Parking. Disability Access.



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