



## Playspaces Implementation Plan

Community input is sought into a review of the Town of Bassendean Playspaces Implementation Plan.

The Plan was adopted in 2009 with the purpose to provide guidance for the provision of playspaces and the associated infrastructure on public open space within the Town. The Plan had a number of short and long-term objectives on the provision, upgrade and/or relocation of play structures. The recently opened district playspace at Ashfield was achieved as part of this Plan.

The Town of Bassendean, in conjunction with its Children & Family Services Committee, is planning a review of the Playspaces Implementation Plan and is seeking community input into the Terms of Reference for the review, so a community workshop will be held (details below).

**When:** 7.00 pm on Wednesday 26 October 2011

**Where:** Bassendean Senior Citizens' Hall, 50 Old Perth Road, Bassendean



Full details of the workshop, together with a copy of the existing Plan, are available by visiting the Town's website at [www.bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://www.bassendean.wa.gov.au), or by calling the Town's Community Development Unit on 9377 8006.



### Keep The Faith: Remembrance Day Commemoration Friday 11 November

**AT 11.00AM** on 11 November, Australians pause for one minute's silence to remember the servicemen and women who gave their lives while serving Australia in wars, conflicts and peace operations.

To commemorate Remembrance Day, a memorial service will be held on **Friday 11 November at 11.00 am** at the Town's War Memorial in Old Perth Road, Bassendean. You are invited to come along and join in the service to remember those Australians who fought and those who lost their life during times of conflict.

Wear a poppy and keep the faith that those who gave their lives will not be forgotten.



from the mayor

**AS THE 2011** Council Elections draw closer I would like to thank the Town of Bassendean Councillors for all their efforts and their commitment to our wonderful Town and community.

Inside you will find a Q&A on the upcoming elections. I would urge all Town of Bassendean electors to take the time and cast your vote in the elections and I wish all candidates the best of luck for the elections.

Also in this edition of the *Bassendean Briefings* you will find full details on the two community workshops being conducted by the Children and Family Services Committee in relation to the Playspaces Implementation Plan and the 'One Stop Shop' Children and Family Centre.

There is also information on the following upcoming community events: Old Perth Road Markets, Railfest 2011, Ashfield Can's Dogs' Breakfast, fish kite-making morning, Bassendean Primary School Fete, Kidz Fun Day, and the Bassendean Boom Festival.

A special thank you to all stakeholders of the Town of Bassendean for your support and the dedication you have shown towards our Town and Council. It is greatly appreciated.

**Cr John Gangel**

Mayor, Town of Bassendean

### Out for Public Comment

Registrations of interest to undertake the following services are being sought by Council:

■ **Provision of Food and Beverage Service at Sandy Beach Reserve on a Trial Basis.**

Registrations should be in writing and to the Chief Executive Officer, Town of Bassendean, PO Box 87 Bassendean WA 6934, by email to [mail@bassendean.wa.gov.au](mailto:mail@bassendean.wa.gov.au) and should be clearly marked "Registration of interest for the Provision of Food and Beverage Service at Sandy Beach Reserve".

**Registrations close on 30 September 2011.**

# Make your vote count on 15 October

Local Government elections will be held on Saturday 15 October. This year's election will be very different from previous ones, as all wards have been abolished and the number of councillors has been reduced from nine to six. These changes mean that all councillor positions will be vacant, and all candidates will face election by the whole Town.



The ballot paper will be larger, and electors will need to place a tick alongside each of the candidates of their choice, up to a maximum of six. Any more than six ticks will be an informal vote. Below are a number of frequently asked questions from the Western Australian Electoral Commission's website.

**Q: Do I have to vote? If I don't vote will I get fined?**

**A:** You are encouraged to vote, however it is not compulsory to do so in a Local Government election.

**Q: I own more than one property in the Town. Why do I only get one vote?**

**A:** You will only get one vote, irrespective of how many properties you own in the Town, as all wards have been abolished.

**Q: I want to vote on election day. Can I do this?**

**A:** This is not a voting in-person election. The election is being conducted by post. You can however, take your completed package to the local government office on election day and hand it to the Returning Officer or polling staff. Replacement packages are also available if you have mislaid or spoiled the one sent out.

**Q: How can I be sure that my vote is secret?**

**A:** No-one will know how you have voted. The Commission will mark you off the roll when your package is returned. The flap that you sign on the declaration is then removed from the ballot paper envelope. The ballot paper envelope is processed. The ballot paper is placed into a sealed ballot box. That box is not opened until 6.00pm on election day.

**Q: When will the ballot papers be counted?**

**A:** Counting will start at 6.00 pm on Saturday 15 October 2011 at the local government office.

**Q: I've made a mistake on the ballot paper. How do I correct it?**

**A:** You can cross out your mistake and mark the ballot paper correctly. Alternatively, you can go into your local government office and ask for another ballot paper.

**Q: Can I use pen or pencil to mark the ballot paper?**

**A:** You can use either.

**Q: How do I mark the ballot paper?**

**A:** You will need to place a tick alongside each of the candidates of your choice, up to a maximum of six.

**Q: When will I receive my package?**

**A:** Packages will be delivered from Wednesday 21 September 2011.

**Q: I have not received a package.**

**A:** Please wait until Wednesday 28 September and if you have not

received a package by then, contact your local government office who can provide you with a replacement package.

**Q: Can I take my package to the local government office instead of posting it?**

**A:** Yes, you can drop in your package at your local government office during office hours. You can do this up to and including Saturday 15 October, between 8.00 am and 6.00 pm.

**Q: I want to post my package but I am unsure if it will be received on time.**

**A:** We cannot guarantee your package will be received on time. A special delivery by Australia Post will be made to the Commission on Saturday 15 October. The very last day you should post your package in the metropolitan area is Thursday 13 October. After this, take your package to the office of your local government. The packages will be placed in a sealed ballot box and counted after 6.00 pm on election day.

**Q: I have moved to a new address. What can I do to get a package?**

**A:** You vote at the local government you are enrolled in as at the close of rolls on 26 August 2011.

**Q: I have received a package for someone who used to live here.**

**A:** Return the package to the Western Australian Electoral Commission with the endorsement 'No longer lives here'. The Commission will follow it up.

**Q: Can I sign the ballot paper envelope on behalf of my wife, son or daughter, husband, or relative?**

**A:** No. Proxy voting is not permitted. You must sign your own declaration. Making a false declaration is an offence. There is no provision in the *Local Government Act* to allow another person to sign and complete the election package on their behalf even for those with power of attorney.

**Q: I do not want to sign the declaration on the ballot paper envelope.**

**A:** The *Local Government Act* requires that you sign the declaration. If you do not sign, your vote will not be counted.



Further information on local government elections can be found on the WA Electoral Commission's website at [www.waec.wa.gov.au](http://www.waec.wa.gov.au), or on the Department of Local Government's website at [www.dlg.wa.gov.au](http://www.dlg.wa.gov.au).



## A dogs' breakfast!

**Sunday 16 October at 9.30 am  
at Ashfield Flats/Sandy Beach Reserve**

Yes, it's on again so come and join the fun! Bring your four-legged friend down for a walk on Ashfield Flats and, for a gold coin donation, get a cooked breakfast, courtesy of the Bassendean SES. There will be lots of fun and games for the whole family with walk trails, treats and competitions.

The AshfieldCAN is here to support any positive community initiatives that will improve or promote Ashfield as a great place to live. We welcome anyone who would like to join us.

The Town's Rangers will support this program and will be in attendance with registration papers, information pamphlets and a microchip scanner so you can check your dog! Come and see us on the day.



For more information about this event contact Lucy Bromell on 0402 257 965 or check the website at [www.ashfieldcan.info](http://www.ashfieldcan.info).

## Gift of films made available for borrowing

The Town gratefully acknowledges the gift of a series of films by award-winning director, Associate Professor Glen Stasiuk of Murdoch University, and has made the films available for borrowing at the Bassendean Memorial Library.

Associate Professor Stasiuk is a Minang-Wadjari Nyungar man with family living in this area.

Professor Stasiuk presented the Mayor, Cr John Gangell, with a copy of his seven short films as a gesture of appreciation for the Town in embracing cultural harmony and in working with the local Aboriginal community on their needs and aspirations.

The films were first screened at the NAIDOC Family Fun Day in July at Ashfield Reserve and are now accessible to the community as a part of the Library collection.

Included in the collection is *The Forgotten*, voted Best Documentary at the 2003 WA Screen Awards, which documents and examines the Aboriginal community's contribution to the Australian Armed Forces in the 20th century. Other film productions include: *Noongar of the Beeliar (Swan River)*; *The Ngallak Koort Boodja Project*; *Weewar—A Bindjareb Warrior*; *Footprints in the Sand*; *Gnulla Katitjin Quoppadar Boojar*, and his latest film that is the basis of his PhD: *Wadjemup: Black Prison – White Playground*.

## ... and a Halloween scream!

### Community Arts activities for all ages

**1 Surrey Street, Bassendean  
1.00–4.00 pm on Sunday 30 October**

Well-known special effects artist Kate Anderson will do Halloween Scream makeup and other activities include tissue painting, propping, and lots more.

Visitors can also experience the amazing Pensioner Guard Cottage which will be open at that time.

The fun day has been sponsored by the Town of Bassendean.

For more information contact Joyce on email [bassendeanac@gmail.com](mailto:bassendeanac@gmail.com).



# know your facilities



## Ashfield Sports Club

**DID YOU KNOW** there are a number of venues within the Town of Bassendean available to hire? Some of these are managed by the Town of Bassendean, while others are managed by a range of sporting and community groups. These venues can be hired for a wide range of functions. More information on all of the facilities can be found on the Town's website at [www.bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://www.bassendean.wa.gov.au).

Ashfield Dynamo Soccer Club was the original name of the club some 40 years ago. In 2011 the Club changed its name from the Ashfield Soccer and Sports Club to the Ashfield Sports Club to reflect a desire to be a community facility for many sports, not just soccer. Although soccer is the main focus, the Club is happy to accommodate any sporting association/club willing to contribute in a positive manner to the community and the Club.

Ashfield Sports Club is located on the corner of Colstoun Road and Haig Street, Ashfield. The venue offers a large open area with wooden/carpeted floor, with tables available to seat up to 100 persons for a meal, with a maximum capacity for functions of up to 250 persons.

The main hall has an audiovisual system available and features a mural of the Ashfield area before development. There are both fixed and portable BBQs available, two pool tables, table tennis and dartboards. The facility is air-conditioned, with heating also available.



A fully functional kitchen with gas cooker/oven, fridge, freezer, electric deep fryer, bain-marie and microwave is available to hirers.

There are fully licensed bar facilities available, with a picturesque elevated balcony overlooking Ashfield Reserve. Outdoors there is a large covered grandstand with seating overlooking a grassed area large enough to host international football/rugby with floodlighting.

This facility can be used for all functions, fundraisers, dance groups, quiz nights, special interest groups, meetings and much more.



Bookings and more information can be obtained by contacting Sean Kelly via email at [ashfieldsc@iinet.net.au](mailto:ashfieldsc@iinet.net.au) or phone Tracey Mackay, Club Manager, on 0420 733 050.



# Bassendean BOOM Festival

**THE BASSENDEAN** Festival is back this year with a new theme and title — BOOM Festival. It's an energetic new community event with a focus on movement: dance, circus and everything in between!

Held on Sunday 27 November, the day will feature circus, swing dance, aerial performance, clowning, tai chi, contemporary dance, roving performance and so much more.

A variety of **free** community workshops will also be conducted on the day to suit all ages and areas of interest.

Centred in Old Perth Road and surrounding venues, the Festival will be held on the same day as the Old Perth Road Markets, to create a jam-packed day.



Further details can be obtained from the Town of Bassendean on 9377 8000 or by visiting the Town's website at [www.bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://www.bassendean.wa.gov.au).



## Make a Halloween mask

**THE LIBRARY** is inviting all creative kids to make a Halloween mask to display in the Library.

The idea is that you make your Halloween mask, bring it in and we will display it in the Library. Be in the running for one of the prizes and still have your mask to wear on Monday 31 October—Halloween!

You can use your imagination and any materials you like to create the Halloween mask of your dreams—or nightmares! If you're stuck for ideas, check out the Library shelves for Halloween stuff or cruise the web.

Remember to fill out an entry form from the Library so that we know who has made which mask.

The masks will be on show from Monday 24 October to Saturday 29 October—leaving the masks free to be picked up on Monday 31 October. You can bring your masks in from Thursday 20 October onwards—so get creating!



## Bassendean Primary School Fete

Come along and be entertained at the Bassendean Primary School fete on Sunday 23 October 2011. Recycling is our theme and REmida (Creative Reuse Centre) will be providing a **free** Junk Bug Workshop for the kids.

Enjoy a game of laser tag, watch a Science Alive Show, clowns, dance and martial arts demonstrations, sample the bouncy castle, fairy floss and more! Join in the Book Auction — make a bid for signed books by renowned Australian authors Pamela Allen, Mem Fox, Maggie Beer, Bryce Courtenay and others. Then why not take a wander through the market where you will discover plants, craft, children's clothing, toys, cakes, preserves and fabulous food.

Join us for fun and laughs on Sunday 23 October from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm at the Bassendean Primary School, 65 West Road, Bassendean.

Sponsored by the Town of Bassendean.

## Rail Heritage WA presents RailFest 2011

**When:** 10.00 am – 5.00 pm on Sunday 16 October

**Where:** The Railway Museum, 136 Railway Parade, Bassendean

**IF YOU HAVE** a passing interest in trains, then you will find lots to enjoy at the Railway Museum. The volunteers who put all their passion and time into this unique Bassendean icon open the doors and put on an extra special display for the Railfest.

There are guided tours or you can wander on your own and explore hundreds of metres of various carriages and climb into original vintage engines.

The Railway Museum will also operate a number of different model trains, treasure hunts and Morse code demonstrations, reliving the days of the telegraph stations that connected Western Australia with the rest of the country for many years in the 1800s. It will be a great day out for all the family!



## 2011 CEBA Small Business Awards

Success for Bassendean: (from left) Shaun and Darren Campbell (Latestbuy.com.au), Mayor John Gangell, Bec and Glenn Hall (KidzaBuzz).  
PHOTO COURTESY OF CEBA.

### Winning touches for Bassendean businesses

The Town of Bassendean was a major sponsor at the recent 2011 CEBA Small Business Awards. These awards recognise efforts and success of small business right across the Eastern Region and two Bassendean businesses were amongst the seven category winners.

The Best Retail Business was picked up by Latestbuy.com.au, a 10-year old business that has grown from the front lounge into a large warehouse employing six staff on Broadway, Bassendean.

Solely operating on the internet, they offer a huge range of personalised and unique gift ideas with customers all over the world.

KidzaBuzz was the other winner, and they were picked as the Best Home Based Business. Run from the home of Glenn and Rebecca Hall in Eden Hill they have published a voucher book targeting families and children's activities for the last 6 years.

Congratulations to both businesses.



## Old Perth Road Markets

### Voices of the Valley at September Markets

Having just celebrated its first birthday, the Rotary Club and the Town are delighted with the ongoing support and encouragement we have received for the Old Perth Road markets.

At the markets in September we will have the magnificent Voices of the Valley Choir and the engaging Lucky Stones duet. The Voices of the Valley consist of 25 singers performing a broad range of popular and classical songs. The Lucky Stones are the talented young boys who played here a few months ago and won the hearts of everyone.

From left: Rachel Ivic (Rotary Club), Cr Brinkworth, Cr Collins, Mayor Gangell and Cr Lewis celebrate the markets' first birthday.  
PHOTOS COURTESY OF CAROL SEIDEL.

In October we are hosting a Cycling Fest! You can expect a lot of bicycle crazy people with a few extra stalls for a cycling swap meet on Parker Street. Organised with the Perth Integrated Health Clinic Cycle Group we are sure to have a busy time.

At all the markets we have a range of stalls and fresh veggie growers. There is a bouncy castle at each market day, and the Vintage Fire Brigade will be giving free rides again in September.

# Kerbside bulk waste collection starts in November

Kerbside bulk waste collections start during the first week in November. This is for household rubbish, including white goods, timber products, and general junk. It does not include greenwaste, builder's waste, batteries, sand, etc.

A bulk waste flyer will be delivered to all households and businesses in the Town during the week commencing on 10 October and this will include information on what items will be collected and those that won't.

All waste must be out on the verge by 7.00 am on the Monday following your weekend set-out dates. To help us keep your street looking good, please place rubbish on your verge no earlier than the set-out dates indicated for your area. Keep a watch for your brochure coming soon.



## Workshop on the location of the Children and Family Services 'One Stop Shop'

**THE TOWN** is looking to establish a 'One Stop Shop Children and Family Centre' and seeks community input to the site for the new Centre. The facility is likely to incorporate the Wind in the Willows Child Care Centre, Out of School Care, the Bassendean Child Health Centre, and other services all in one building.

To gather the information on the community's preferred location for the facility, two methods are being used: a paper-based survey and a community participation workshop. Survey forms have been circulated through schools, childcare centres, playgroups, the Bassendean Memorial Library and more. The survey closed on 23 September.

A workshop will be conducted on Wednesday 19 October from 7.00 pm (in the Committee Room, 48 Old Perth Road, Bassendean) to provide an overview of the survey results and an open forum to determine the preferred location with those in attendance.

The survey results and workshop outcome will be reported to Council to assist in the decision-making process.

 Please contact Anne Mugo on 9377 8056 by Friday 14 October to register your interest in attending the workshop. Light refreshments will be provided.



# Not just books!

The Bassendean Memorial Library has more than just books, DVDs and CDs for loan. There are a number of lifestyle improvement items that are also available. What about:

## Securing your property?

**Want to engrave those valuables around the house or in the shed?**

The Library has engravers available for loan: bring your library ticket with you or join up when you come in. Easy and free! These engravers are simple to use—just plug in the unit and start writing with them. They work on most surfaces. The engraving unit comes with a useful sheet on property safety from the Office of Crime Prevention.

## The Home Energy Audit Kit

**The Power-Mate home energy audit kit is a conveniently packaged multi-purpose unit that will help you find out about your home's energy usage.**

There is the Power-Mate energy meter, thermometers to check temperatures around the home, a shower timer (to keep you honest!) and a set of 'how to' cards which explain the best way to use and act on the information you gather. It's definitely worth having a look at ways to keep your energy consumption to a minimum in these times of increasing power costs! Again, simply borrow the unit with your library card.

## Broadband kiosks: training available

The Library hosts two state-of-the-art desktop computers which have been supplied by the Federal Government. These computers are available for training seniors and the Library has a team of capable, knowledgeable and enthusiastic volunteers ready to assist you with an introduction to the world of the computer—or an in-depth examination of the Internet.

These sessions are run in the Library and are one-on-one—so no one is watching! Sessions run for an hour at a time and our volunteers try to be available at times best suited to you (between 9.00 am – 5.00 pm). Just ring the Library on 9279 2966 to book a session.

## Fish kite-making morning

The Library is holding a workshop for kids aged eight and older to make fabulous fish-shaped kites.

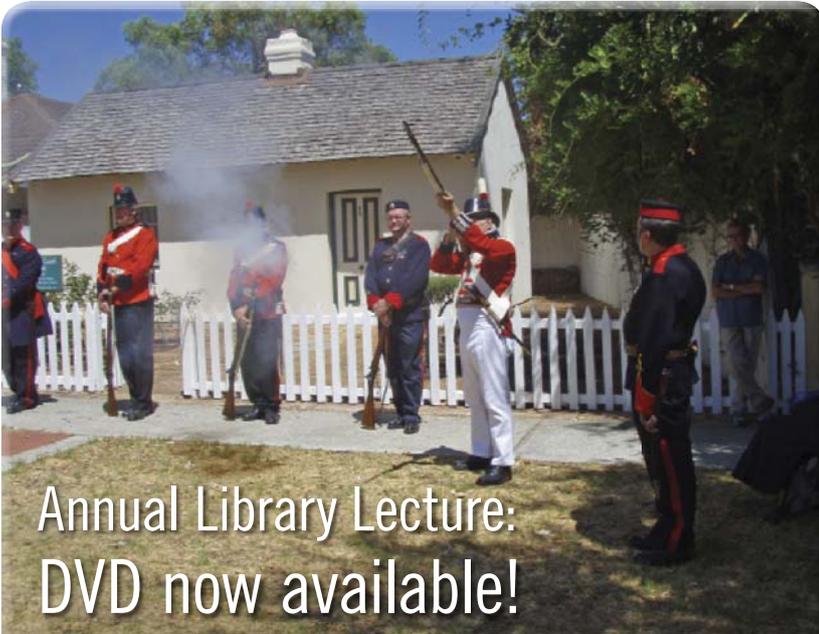
There are 15 places available for the kite-making session on Saturday 8 October from 9.00 am to 12 noon.

We will provide the materials but participants will need to bring a glue stick to finish the fish scales. The finished kites will be put on display at the BOOM Festival, Bassendean, on 27 November.

You do have to book—and remember, there are only 15 places available and you need to be over the age of eight.



Book at the Library or ring 9279 2966.



## Annual Library Lecture: DVD now available!

On 12 July 2011 the President of the Bassendean Historical Society (Inc), Mr Paul Bridges, delivered the Annual Library Lecture.

Paul's talk was on the Bassendean Pensioner Guard Cottage at 1 Surrey Street. The lecture was accompanied by a display of uniforms and weapons from the Perth Volunteer Rifle and Artillery Regiment 1860.

The event was recorded, then edited and produced in a DVD format by local firm, Entity Media Productions. Copies of this excellent DVD are available for sale from the Bassendean Memorial Library or the Pensioner Guard Cottage (which is open on the last Sunday of each month).

This is a genuinely interesting, informative and rewarding insight into the history—and the place in history—of one of the earliest dwellings within the Town of Bassendean. The DVDs are priced at a cost recovery rate of \$10 each.

## Sign up for a leisure course . . .

A reminder to everyone that Leisure Courses enrolments for Term 4 open on 26 September 2011 with the first classes starting Monday 17 October 2011. Please check the Leisure Course page on the Town's website at [www.bassendean.wa.gov.au](http://www.bassendean.wa.gov.au) for further details on courses.

Course information is also available at the Town's Customer Service Centre and the Bassendean Memorial Library. You can find your enrolment form on the next page. Enrolments close on Friday 14 October.

### Classes available for Term 4

- Yoga (including crèche on Thursday mornings)
- Junior art
- Lee Lenyk – Breaking the cycle of stress
- Tai chi
- Pilates
- Belly dancing
- Creative Music and Movement for Babies
- Mother and Bubs Yoga
- Bassonova's Samba Group
- Language classes
- Walking group
- Creative Music and Movement for Toddlers
- Tennis coaching



Any queries can be directed to Recreation Services at the Town of Bassendean on 9377 8000.

## Kidz Fun Day

The Bassendean Church of Christ will again be holding its annual Kidz Fun Day in October. Kids aged from 4 to 12 years are welcome, as well as their parents and littlies too! There will be a free sausage sizzle at 12.30 pm (with cool drinks \$1). Enjoy a bouncy castle, Scalextric racing, pony rides, face painting, craft activities, games, and lots more!

**Where:** Bassendean Church of Christ,  
4 Ivanhoe Street, Bassendean

**When:** 10.00 am–2.00 pm on Saturday 8 October



For further enquiries phone Cohen on 9377 1620 or 0414 527 281.

## Council Calendar

### TUESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER

Ordinary Council Meeting 7.00 pm

### WEDNESDAY 28 SEPTEMBER

Tree Consultative Committee Meeting 7.00 pm

### THURSDAY 29 SEPTEMBER

Youth Advisory Council Meeting 5.00 pm

### THURSDAY 6 OCTOBER

Local Studies Collection Management Committee Meeting 9.00 am

### TUESDAY 11 OCTOBER

Ordinary Council Meeting 7.00 pm

### WEDNESDAY 12 OCTOBER

Children & Family Services Committee Meeting 7.00 pm

### TUESDAY 18 OCTOBER

Special Council Meeting – Swearing in of new Councillors 7.00 pm

### TUESDAY 25 OCTOBER

Ordinary Council Meeting 7.00 pm

### THURSDAY 27 OCTOBER

Youth Advisory Council Meeting 5.00 pm

### WEDNESDAY 2 NOVEMBER

Economic Development Advisory Committee Meeting 6.00 pm

### THURSDAY 3 NOVEMBER

Local Studies Collection Management Committee Meeting 9.00 am

### MONDAY 7 NOVEMBER

Old Perth Road Markets Committee Meeting 7.00 pm

### TUESDAY 8 NOVEMBER

Ordinary Council Meeting 7.00 pm

### THURSDAY 10 NOVEMBER

Cyril Jackson Physical Education and Community Centre Management Committee Meeting 8.30 am

### WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER

Audit & Risk Management Committee Meeting 12.30 pm

### THURSDAY 17 NOVEMBER

Seniors' Week Coordinating Committee Meeting 12.30 pm

### TUESDAY 22 NOVEMBER

Ordinary Council Meeting 7.00 pm

### THURSDAY 24 NOVEMBER

Youth Advisory Council Meeting 5.00 pm

### WEDNESDAY 30 NOVEMBER

Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting 2.00 pm

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# Leisure Courses Enrolment Form

## Term 4 2011

For enquiries about Leisure Courses,  
call the Town of Bassendean  
on 9377 8000 or fax 9279 4257

### PARTICIPANT'S DETAILS — ONE PERSON PER FORM

Name: .....

Address: ..... Suburb: ..... Postcode: .....

Telephone (Home): ..... Telephone (Work): .....

Mobile: ..... Email: .....

Alternative Emergency Contact: ..... Telephone: .....

Name of Doctor: ..... Telephone: .....

Address of Doctor: .....

**Are there any medical or physical conditions that need to be brought to the attention of the instructor? (e.g. asthma, allergies etc) YES / NO**

Condition: .....

**Please complete this section if the participant is under 18 years of age.**

Age: ..... Parent/Guardian's Name: ..... Telephone: .....

### LEISURE COURSE DETAILS (ALL PRICES INCLUDE GST)

| Course Title  | Date, Day and Time | Course Code (if applicable) | Cost |
|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|------|
| 1.            |                    |                             |      |
| 2.            |                    |                             |      |
| 3.            |                    |                             |      |
| 4.            |                    |                             |      |
| <b>Total:</b> |                    |                             |      |

**Please complete the Booking Confirmation section below.**

### BOOKING CONFIRMATION AND EMERGENCY AUTHORISATION

I confirm that the above enrolment details are correct. In the event of an emergency, I hereby give permission for me (or my child) to be transported to the doctor nominated above, or if after hours, to the nearest hospital at my expense. I agree to hold the Town of Bassendean, employees and instructors of the courses harmless for any liability or loss through my (or my child's) participation in the enrolled leisure course.

**Participant's Signature** (Note: Parent or Guardian to sign for participant under 18 years): ..... **Date:** .....

### PAYMENT DETAILS



#### IN PERSON:

Pay by cash, cheque, debit card or credit card at the Town of Bassendean, 35 Old Perth Road, Bassendean, between 8.45 am and 4.45 pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public holidays.



#### BY MAIL:

Complete the credit card details on the enrolment form or send a cheque or money order made payable to "Town of Bassendean" to: Town of Bassendean, PO Box 87, Bassendean WA 6934

#### CREDIT CARD DETAILS

Mastercard  Visa  Card Number:           Expiry Date:

Card holder name: ..... Card holder signature: .....

### ENROLMENT CONDITIONS

- Enrolments close on Friday, 14 October 2011.
- All participants must pay for the leisure courses at the time of enrolling.
- Enrolments will be accepted in the order in which they are received, so participants are encouraged to enrol early to avoid any disappointments.
- Refunds will only be made if the course is cancelled by the Town of Bassendean, or if the participant is unable to attend due to work reasons (letter on company letterhead required), or medical reasons (doctor's certificate required).
- Enrolments will not be accepted over the telephone.
- An enrolment form must be completed by each participant.
- Confirmation of enrolment is not provided. Please assume that your enrolment has been accepted unless you are advised otherwise by the Town of Bassendean.
- Crèche will only be provided if the Town considers there is sufficient enrolment.
- All cancelled courses will be refunded via EFT.



## Bassendean Arts Community

**'We're serious about having fun with art'**

Life Drawing/Painting Group  
Every 4th Sunday - \$15 ea - no tuition.  
**Contact Shirley: 0403 795 323 or 9272 7330.**

Fibrant Group - fibre and textile artisans.  
All welcome - Thursday mornings.  
**Contact Joyce: 0423 185 263.**

Theatre Scriptwriting for Adults  
with experienced director and playwright  
Alan Malcolm. 6 weeks - \$120.  
**Contact Alan: 0431 728 946**  
**Web: www.bassendeanartscom.com**

## Voices of the Valley Choir

welcome new members to a friendly, no auditions choir, conducted by enthusiastic professional musician.  
**Contact Dianne: 0407 145 580 or 9454 8181.**

## Swan Districts Softball Club

Training Wednesday evenings and fixture games on Saturday.  
Based at Ashfield Sports Club.  
A great social club with a mind-set of giving back to players with low club fees and social events throughout the season.  
**Contact Michelle Morys on 0439 433 499 or michelle.morys@mosaiccc.org.**

## Tuesday Dance Group

Join in the fun Tuesdays at the Bassendean Community Hall from 11.00 am to 1.00 pm. Dancing to CD music you can experience Ballroom, Latin and New Vogue dance styles. A great way to exercise, meet people and practice your dancing.  
**Contact Lynne on 9377 5392.**

## Bassendean Wider Vision (Inc)

Over 50s group catering for those looking for something other than arts, crafts, sports, etc. Guest speaker each week followed by socialising over tea and biscuits.  
Non-political, non-sectarian and non-profit making. Wed from 10.00am to 12 noon.  
New members welcomed.  
**Enquiries Doreen: 9296 8994 or Neville: 9275 1272.**

## Craft and Coffee Group

**Celebrating 10 years in the community.**  
Variety of crafts, morning tea \$1, crèche 9.30-11.30am each Tuesday of the school term. Bassendean Church of Christ, 4 Ivanhoe St.  
**Enquiries: Phone 9377 1918**

## Sahaja Yoga Meditation

Freely available to anyone with a genuine desire to know the true self, with a quest to evolve to a higher level of awareness, understanding and enjoyment.  
Tuesdays 7.00pm-8.30pm, Bassendean Library.  
**Contact Diana: 9279 7314 or email: selentin@westnet.net.au**

## Bassendean Senior Citizens and over 55s

50 Old Perth Road, Phone 9279 1944 Office Hours 10.00am-1.00pm Mon-Fri

### Ongoing Activities

|          |                  |                                       |
|----------|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Monday   | 9.00 am-12 noon  | Sewing and Craft Group.               |
| Tuesday  | 8.00 am          | Swimming at Altone (Bus pick up).     |
|          | 10.30 am-3.00 pm | Drop In Day - Social and Board Games. |
| Thursday | 1.00 pm-4.00 pm  | Karaoke is Fun! (All welcome.)        |
| Friday   | 10.00 am-12 noon | Carpet Bowls Morning Tea.             |

### Bus Trips

Includes Serpentine Dam Picnic, Guildford Landing for lunch, Lunch Chalet Healy Araluen, plus 'Getting lost excursions' picnics, excursions, fun days, surprise trips. Our bus trips fill up rapidly so regularly check our noticeboard or give us a call.

### Monthly Events

**Concerts 2nd Wednesday**  
(\$5 includes Afternoon Tea and door prize)  
12th Oct The Keynotes—great group of singers.  
9th Nov Clem's Country—Guitar and song.  
14th Dec Let's celebrate Christmas with song.  
(Bus pick-up Bassendean area is available for concerts)

**55+ Diners Club 3rd Wednesday**  
19th Oct Windsor Hotel Sth Perth—Dinner  
16th Nov Pines Bentley (Christmas Dinner)  
7th Dec Luncheon Venue to be advised

**Please check the noticeboards in the Seniors & Community Hall for further details and pick up a copy of our information packed Newsletter.**

## Bassendean Community Playgroup

Playgroup for children aged 0-6 years meets each Monday morning in the hall of St Mark's Church, off Parker Street, 10.00 am-12 noon.  
New members welcome.  
**Phone Tracy on 6278 2930.**

## Bassendean Youth Groups

Fun games, activities and sharing. Each Friday night of the school term. Juniors (years 1 to 7) - 6.00 to 7.30pm. Teenagers (year 7+) - 7.30 to 9.30pm.  
**Bassendean Church of Christ, 4 Ivanhoe Street, Bassendean 9377 1620**

## Lions Club of Bassendean (Inc).

Established 1991, meets at the RSL Hall, Kenny Street, Bassendean 2nd and 4th Wednesday each month at 7pm.  
**Phone Clive Brown 6278 2237**

## The Lions Club of Bassendean Men's Shed Project

As yet there is no advancement. However, we do have immediate opportunities for those wishing to volunteer for a local project, with carpentry, fitting & turning, boilermaking, welding or painting skills.  
A few hours each week is all that's required.  
**If interested, please contact Project Coordinator, Ted Lawrence after 20 October on 9377 3987 or gypsysted@inet**

## Bassendean Primary School Playgroup

Sessions run Tuesday and Wednesday 9-10.30am  
Room 15, Bassendean Primary School.  
**Contact Tammy McEwan 0419 049 922**

**Arthritis Support Group**  
The Arthritis Support Group holds passive exercise.  
New members welcomed.  
Further enquiries: 9279 9382.

## Anyone over the age of 55 is eligible to join Bassendean Seniors.

It's \$12 per year for membership. We have many excursions and dinner trips so come along and check us out before you join and if you like what we do, then become a member.  
For more information call our office.

## Swan Bassendean Weight Watchers

A member of Weight Watchers Federation Inc. WA. Meet at the RSL Hall, Kenny Street, Bassendean 6pm on Tuesday evenings and welcome new members. A low cost community based group promoting healthy eating and healthy lifestyle with support and encouragement of others.  
Pop in and say hello.

## Casa Mia Montessori Playgroup

Fostering children's love of learning. Enrol now for term 4. Tues and/or Wed 9.15-11.15am.  
**Email Leonie: tinshed@globaldial.com.**

## Podiatry Clinic

Every Tues and Thurs 9.00am-11.30am. Basic podiatry treatment available. Qualified podiatrist. For Seniors & Disability Services clients.  
**Phone 9279 2609 on Tuesday or Thursday am.**

## St Mark's Badminton Group

Join this group of ladies for a morning of social badminton. 9.30am-11.30am Tuesday mornings, St Mark's Hall.  
**Contact Coral on 9279 3107**

## Epiphytic Cacti & Hoya Society of Australia Inc.

Meetings held 3rd Sunday of the month (Jan-Nov) 1.30pm-4pm at Bassendean Community Hall, Old Perth Road.  
Join like-minded gardeners and enjoy a social afternoon over refreshments after the meeting.  
**Contact Rex: 9342 7563 or Alf: 9444 6694.**



## Reconnect with your Community!

The Bassendean Historical Society (Inc) meets on the last Thursday of each month (Feb–Nov) at 7.00 pm, at 1 Surrey Street.

New members welcome.  
Phone Lesley on 9279 9058 for more information.

### Bassendean Bowling Club

Hall hire, catering for all occasions. Lawn bowls welcome anyone and any age to have a go. Coaching and demo bowls available.  
Contact 9279 3772. Nicki on 0401 138 484.

### Scrapbooking & Stamping Club of WA

Third Sunday of the month, 2.00–6.00pm, Small Hall, Bassendean Council Offices, 48 Old Perth Road. Cost \$75 per annum or \$40 for 6 months or \$8 per month.

Contact Violet: 9295 5498 or Julie: 9378 3276.

### Bible Lessons for Kids

Join us on school term Sundays at the Bassendean Community Hall from 9.30–10.30am for lessons, stories, songs and craft activities. Parents welcome – tea and coffee provided.

Enrolments/enquiries Keren 6278 1910

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### Bassendean Tennis Club

invites community members to join in social play every Wednesday at 9.00 am, Friday evening at 7.00 pm and Sunday afternoons at 2.00 pm.

New members and visitors welcome.

Located at the Guildford Road end of Hamilton Street.

Check the website for more details  
[www.bassendeantennisclub.com](http://www.bassendeantennisclub.com)  
or call Kathryn on 9377 1462.

### Living Smart Bassendean

Learn about living more sustainably and meet like-minded locals. Meet first Wednesday each month 7–9 pm meeting room at the Bassendean Library.

Contact Rebecca Benson  
[becbenson@hotmail.com](mailto:becbenson@hotmail.com) 0404 399 893 or  
[Noala.Degasperis@iinet.net.au](mailto:Noala.Degasperis@iinet.net.au) 0409 295 100

### Helena River Jazz Band

You are invited to join the fun at our jazz sessions at the Bassendean Community Hall, Old Perth Road. Admission \$10 – BYO drinks & nibbles and enjoy an afternoon of music, you can dance or simply relax and listen, in a warm and friendly atmosphere.

Next Session 4th December.

Pay at the door or buy tickets in advance.

Contact Vivienne 9379 8071, m 0431 228122,  
or [mandvkidd@lizzy.com.au](mailto:mandvkidd@lizzy.com.au)

### Bassendean Junior Cricket Club

Players welcome from 5–17.

Phone Kylie 0409 102 063 or email  
[bassendeanjcc@gmail.com](mailto:bassendeanjcc@gmail.com) for details.

### Broadway II Band Afternoon Tea Dance

We invite you to join us for an afternoon of live music, dancing and companionship at the Bassendean Community Hall, Monday and Friday afternoon from 12.45pm to 3.30pm. Public holidays included (except Good Friday). Admission \$5.00 per person. Ladies requested to bring a plate. Lucky Spots and Door Prizes awarded throughout the afternoon.

Contact Mrs Gwen Fenech on 9279 2756.

### Bassendean Cultural Advancement Group

A spokesgroup for the Aboriginal Community in the Town of Bassendean.

Help us to work on issues effecting Aboriginal People in the Town: Culture - Health - Sport - Children - Education - Training - Employment.

New members welcomed. We can make a difference together.

Contact Lynette on 0421 560 047.

### Ashfield Community Action Network

Dogs breakfast!

Sunday 16 October at 9.30am  
Ashfield Flats/ Sandy Beach reserve.

For more information about this event contact  
Lucy Bromell on 0402257965  
or check the website at [www.ashfieldcan.info](http://www.ashfieldcan.info)

The AshfieldCAN is here to support any positive community initiatives that will improve or promote Ashfield as a great place to live. We welcome anyone who would like to join us.

Neighbourhood Watch in Ashfield meets at the Ashfield Sports Club.

For details contact: Verna Schreuders: 9279 3157

### Short Circuit to Health and Friendship

Expert advice and maximum benefit from your exercise using treadmills, bikes, steppers and more. Exercise programmes that promote health, fitness under the guidance of a trained instructor. All abilities welcome.

Suitable for teenagers to seniors, experienced and inexperienced exercisers alike.

Contact the Cyril Jackson Senior Campus on 9379 5122. Cyril Jackson Rec Centre (Gymnasium) Mon, Wed or Fri – School terms 9.00am to 10.00am. \$2.00 per session

### Volunteers Centre

Volunteers are the heartbeat of the community. We are here to help promote your organisation or club. If you are looking for volunteers please give us a call.

Phone 9377 2191 and talk to Audrey or Colin.

### Bassendean Melody Club Inc. Invitation

Join us to enjoy fellowship and singing along to the golden oldies.

Venue: Bassendean Community Hall

Time: Fridays 10.00–11.45am

(except Christmas break and Good Friday)

Cost: 50c or gold coin on 1st Friday of month.

Contact Helen Barber on 9299 6742.

### Bassonovas Community Samba Drumming Group

Learn Brazilian percussion in a fun easy way—no experience necessary!

Call Bassendean Recreation & Cultural Services on 9377 8051 or check website:  
<http://sites.google.com/site/bassonovas/>

### The Railway Museum Bassendean Volunteers Wanted

It's fun! Could you help greet visitors to our museum? Sell tickets? Keep exhibits tidy? Maintenance/handyman/gardening?

Contact us at 136 Railway Parade, Bassendean  
Phone 9279 7189 [bookings@railheritagewa.org.au](mailto:bookings@railheritagewa.org.au)

### Northern Saints Basketball Club

We have teams in all age groups from U10's to U18's mixed competition at Altone Leisure Centre, Benara Rd, Beechboro and a Girls' and Boys' competition at Morley Rec Centre.

Enquiries: Peter at Northern Saints 0417 974 179.  
[www.nsbcb.asn.au](http://www.nsbcb.asn.au)

### Bassendean Al-Anon

Bassendean 'Hope For Today' on Sundays 6.00–7.30 pm at Bassendean Community Hall, 48 Old Perth Road (entry at rear). No charge.

For information and help phone 9325 7528  
or [www.al-anon.alateen.org/australia/wa.html](http://www.al-anon.alateen.org/australia/wa.html)

### Bassendean Preservation Group Inc Protecting and Enhancing Bassendean's Qualities

Our aim is to foster a care and concern for the environment, in particular the reserves, the river and wetlands of Bassendean, and to work with Commonwealth, State and Local Governments to coordinate and assist volunteers to achieve this.

For more information contact Steve @ 9326 6950

### Bassendean Walking for Pleasure Group

We meet each Monday morning 9.00 am in and around the Bassendean area. Also Monday and Wednesday 6.15 pm, and Saturday morning 8.00 am. We walk for approximately 1 hour.

Phone walk leaders Dawne and Bill Power on 9378 6006 or contact Town of Bassendean Recreation & Cultural Services on 9377 8000.

All very welcome.

Is your organisation missing out on this opportunity to promote its activities and coming events?

Give us a call on 9377 8073 from 8.30am – 3.30pm Wednesday to Friday or leave a message for Julie Hein with our Customer Service Centre on 9377 8000.

Close-off date for the next issue: 27 October 2011. Limited space so please keep text to a minimum.

To the best of our knowledge, information provided is correct at the time of printing. You are advised to contact the relevant organisation/club direct for confirmation.