

ANZAC Day Service

Tuesday 25 April at 11.00 am at the Bassendean War Memorial

With gratitude we acknowledge 100 Years of ANZAC—The Spirit Lives 2014–2018

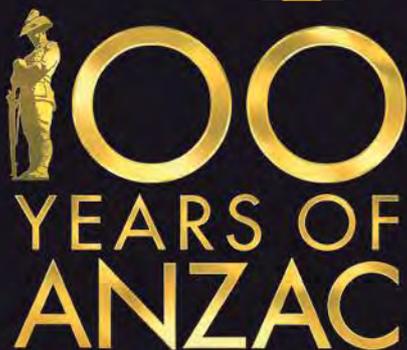
ANZAC Day is a day of national commemoration when the whole of Australia pauses to remember Australia's servicemen and women who served our nation with pride and valour in wars, conflicts and peace operations.

You are invited to join the Town's ANZAC Day Memorial Service on Tuesday 25 April at 11.00 am at the Bassendean War Memorial, Civic Gardens, corner of Guildford Road and Wilson Street, Bassendean.

Groups will form-up at the Bassendean Hotel carpark from 10.00 am, with the parade commencing at 10.45 am.



Lest We Forget



THE SPIRIT
LIVES
2014 - 2018





Remembering Beatrice Chape

Former Councillor and Freeman of the Town, Beatrice Chape, has died at the age of 97. Beatrice was the first woman elected as a Councillor at the Town, and served from 1973 to 1979. She was bestowed the status of Freeman of the Town in December 1996.

During her years on Council Beatrice was instrumental in the establishment of the Wind in the Willows Child Care Centre, the Senior Citizens' Welfare Association, Meals on Wheels, and the Hyde Retirement Village in James Street, amongst a host of other community services. Her contribution to the community and local government was immense.

Council's condolences have been extended to the Chape family.

2015 Local Planning Strategy Review

Back in May last year, Council adopted a *Strategic Planning Framework (SPF)* to establish and provide a greater strategic outlook and focus in respect to the planning and management of the Town's physical environment and setting.

This framework comprises 4 principal components (planning instruments) as follows:

- Local Planning Strategy
- Urban Intensification Plans
- Local Planning Scheme
- Design Guidelines and Local Planning Policies.

Following on in September 2016, Council adopted a 3 year (2016–2019) staged implementation plan to implement the framework. This included the appointment of a Director Strategic Planning (Mr Anthony Dowling who is now on board) to oversee and manage the implementation of the SPF.

The first year of the plan (August 2016–September 2017) is focusing on reviewing and revising the Town's *2015 Local Planning Strategy*. This is necessary because of changes to the State's planning framework. The State's draft *Perth and Peel@3.5million* planning framework sets out a strategy for accommodating within—and equitably across—the Perth Metropolitan Region (PMR) a forecast population of 3.5 million people by 2050. About 47% of this forecasted population is slated to be accommodated on redeveloped (infill) land.

To this end, Bassendean has been targeted to provide an additional 4,200 new dwellings by 2050.

This will require the current *2015 Local Planning Strategy* to be reviewed and revised in order to meet this target. This is likely to result in a combination of increasing residential densities within some of the Town's existing residential zones; and providing for mixed-use development (comprising a residential component) within neighbourhood centres and around the Town's train stations (known as transit-oriented development).

In addition to the above—and recognising some of the key findings from the Town's recent 'Have Your Say' community consultation program that will inform a new Community

Strategic Plan (in progress)—the current provision and distribution of public open space and community facilities throughout the Town will also be reviewed to ensure an equitable distribution of these. The current level of connectivity between neighbourhoods, to key activity areas, and to the Swan River, will also be examined to enable a highly connected and mobile community.

The review has commenced and will include engaging the Bassendean community in this process by both informing the community of progress and inviting input and feedback, etc. An engagement program is currently being prepared by the Town with consideration being given to utilising a highly interactive online digital community engagement platform for this. It is hoped to have this in place sometime in April 2017.

Seventh councillor for the Town

Councillor numbers will increase from six to seven at the local government elections in October 2017.

The former Minister for Local Government approved the recommendation of the Local Government Advisory Board to increase the number of offices of Councillor at the Town from six to seven.

The Governor's Orders have not yet been issued, but administrative processes are in place to obtain the Governor's approval and gazette the change before October.



What's new at Seniors & Disability Services Ashfield?

The Town of Bassendean is making the most of recent Government reforms in Aged Care and Disability by continually adapting our services to ensure the needs of our community remains our highest priority.

NDIS

We are proud to announce that the Town of Bassendean's application to become a registered NDIS Provider was successful and we commence services on 1 April 2017.

This means we continue to provide services to people with disability under the age of 65 years whose funding changed from the HACC (Home and Community Care) Program to NDIS on 1 January this year.

This is great news for our devoted clients who do not wish to leave us just because their funding has changed. We are delighted to continue providing services to our valued clients and of course welcome new ones.

Level 3 & 4 Home Care Packages

We have extended our Home Care Packages Program to include Levels 3 & 4. This means we now offer Home Care Packages Levels 1, 2, 3 & 4.

Again, this is great news for our loyal clients who may need higher level care; they no longer need to find another service provider when their needs change.

We are committed to providing personalised services with greater choice and control to our older residents and people with disability.

We service Bassendean, Ashfield, Eden Hill, Lockridge, Caversham, Bayswater, Guildford, Kiara, Maylands, Morley, Woodbridge, Midland, Beechboro and Embleton.

We assist with:

- Household Tasks
- Transport
- Personal Care
- Group outings
- Shopping
- Personal outings
- Medication
- Respite
- Garden Maintenance
- Companionship
- Meals
- Medical appointments
- Life Skills
- Therapy
- Social Events



For more information or to find out about services not listed call Seniors & Disability Services at Ashfield on 9279 6588.

Seniors & Disability Services

Seniors & Disability Services Ashfield is once again hosting its annual Fair, a celebration of life and of the Young at Heart!

The Ashfield Community Centre will be buzzing with excitement as participants enjoy a variety of fun activities, workshops and demonstrations.

This free event, which aims to promote good health and wellbeing, is all about enjoying a happy and stress-free life no matter what age. Expect to see exciting leisure activities run by health professionals suitable for all fitness levels, as well as musicians, performers and presenters on a range of health and wellness topics.



For more information or to register your interest call 9279 6588.



Green Waste Collection 2017

The 2017 Green Waste collection is scheduled to commence on the Monday following your specified weekend set-out date as shown in the verge collection map below.

To ensure your next green waste collection day is successful and collected in a safe manner please ensure the guidelines for green waste are strictly adhered to:

- Neatly place your green waste on the verge adjacent to your property on the specified weekend set-out dates listed for your collection area.
- Green waste will **not** be collected from the Town's Parks, Reserves or vacant lots—this is considered illegal dumping.
- Ensure that waste placed on verge complies with the green waste verge collection requirements provided in this notice.
- **Please do not contaminate green waste** with any other items such as garden mesh, wire or plastic materials—this cannot be collected as it cannot be recycled.
- If you engage a tree lopping or arborist company, please ensure you make them fully aware of the Town's specified weekend set-out dates and the green waste collection requirements provided in this notice. When obtaining quotes it is recommended that you receive written confirmation from the tree lopping or arborist company confirming that they will fully comply with the Town's green waste collection requirements provided in this notice.
- It is an offence to prune street verge trees and offenders will be prosecuted.
- Ranger inspections are being conducted to ensure that items are not placed out earlier than the specified set-out date for your collection area. Littering infringement may be imposed if green waste or other materials are placed out earlier than the specified set-out date and also for illegal dumping.
- Green waste collections will start at 7.00 am on the Monday following your specified weekend set-out date listed for your collection area. Please note that the contractor collecting the green waste will be video recording all area/s at the time of collection.



The right way



Items that can be collected:

- Tree prunings (maximum length 1.5 m x 200 mm diameter)
- Palm fronds (maximum length 1.5 m x 200 mm diameter)
- Creepers
- Tree stumps (maximum length 1.5 m x 200 mm diameter)
- Tree leaves (boxed only)
- Succulents (boxed only)
- Bamboo
- Tree prunings with thorns
- Lawn clippings (boxed only)
- Vines

Place your waste on the verge **only** on the indicated weekend set-out dates—please see on right.

Maximum is two cubic metres (equivalent of two 1.8m x 1.2m trailer loads).

Avoid the risk of an infringement by sticking to the set-out dates.





The wrong way



Please note:

- **No** green waste in containers or bags other than cardboard boxes.
- **No** plastic bags or plastic containers.
- **No** branches or stumps exceeding 200mm in diameter.
- **No** junk.

Weekend set-out dates

Area 1	6–7 May
Area 2	6–7 May
Area 3	13–14 May
Area 4	13–14 May
Area 5	20–21 May
Area 6	20–21 May
Area 7	27–28 May
Area 8	27–28 May
Area 9	3–4 June
Area 10	3–4 June
Area 11	10–11 June



EMRC Commercial and Industrial Waste Sorting Facility

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In November 2016, the Eastern Metropolitan Regional Council (EMRC) launched a new Commercial and Industrial Waste Sorting Facility at the Hazelmere Resource Recovery Park.

The Resource Recovery Park is designed to receive, store, process, repair and dismantle society's discarded materials, with the goal of diverting these from landfill and processing these into usable products.

The Commercial and Industrial Waste Sorting Facility recovers resources from commercial and industrial waste streams including timber, metal, cardboard and plastics. At full capacity the facility will process in the order of 50,000 tonnes of material per annum and divert around 25,000 tonnes of material from landfill. **Commercial and Industrial Waste** can be disposed of at the facility for a fee of \$145 (ex GST) per tonne.

Timber waste is also processed for recycling at Hazelmere Resource Recovery Park. Untreated wood waste (such as pallets, packaging and crates, off-cuts and cable reels) is processed into wood chip and wood chips fines and sold as usable products. Wood waste disposal charges are subject to the grade and contamination and can be found online at www.emrc.org.au/fees-charges.html

Over the next five years the site will be further developed with a number of planned facilities designed to receive, process, separate and repair discarded materials.



For more information on developments visit www.emrc.org.au/hrrp.html

Plants to Residents 2017

The Town of Bassendean is offering its residents up to 30 native plant seedlings per household at a subsidised cost of \$1.00 each.

To take advantage of the opportunity to showcase some of Western Australia's unique flora in your garden, simply bring your rates notice, (or document that provides proof of residency within the Town) to the Customer Service Centre, 35 Old Perth Road, Bassendean, 8.30 am–5.00 pm, Monday 8 May to Friday 12 May 2017 or until sold out. There you can purchase a voucher for up to 30 seedlings. Residents can choose and collect their seedlings using their voucher from the Men of the Trees nursery on **Saturday 24 June 2017, 8 am–3 pm** at Lot 2, Stirling Crescent (corner Amherst Road), Hazelmere.

Stocks are limited and your voucher must be presented on the day of pick up. No plants will be issued if you do not have a voucher.



The Plants to Residents Scheme is only available to the Town's residents and ratepayers.



Annual Library History Lecture

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This year's Annual Library History Lecture, titled "Special Place; Aboriginal History in Bassendean" will take place on Wednesday 14 June at 7.00 pm, at the Bassendean Memorial Library, 46 Old Perth Road, Bassendean.
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The presenter will be Mr Bevan Carter, former Town of Bassendean Mayor, local author and resident. The talk will focus on Indigenous land ownership in Bassendean and the Aboriginal land tenure system, and the loss of land to the colonists. It will also look at how loss of Aboriginal homelands is not only a 19th century problem. This is a free, illustrated, informative public lecture and is not to be missed.

Please RSVP for seating and catering purposes at baslib@bassendean.wa.gov.au or 9279 2966, as light refreshments will be provided at the end of the lecture.

You can also book at <https://www.trybooking.com/PIHC>

Bassendean Library's Merry month of May Book Sale

Saturday 20 – Saturday 27 May (during Library opening hours)

Our shelves are overflowing (again) with lots of lovely books, and we have to make way for more. There's no way of telling, how many we'll be selling – 20c – \$2.00 tops! It's cheaper than the shops. Come in for bargains galore!



Markets: online registrations are coming

Booking a stall at the Old Perth Road Markets is going to be a lot simpler!

The markets are catching-up with the digital age and soon all bookings will be done through the website at www.oldperthroadmarkets.com.au.

After six years of handling hundreds and hundreds of different stallholder bookings, we've put a clever program together which will let you book at any time and know straightaway if you can have your stall on the day you want it!

Keep your eye on our Facebook page and on the website for details.
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Picture this....

Photo Competition April–July 2017

Explore the markets with a smartphone or camera and share your photo to social media to win. Come down to the markets in April, May or June and you can be part of our greatest photo competition.

We have terrific prizes from some of our biggest supporters:

- The Bassendean Hotel
- BambBino's Café
- Dave Kelly, MLA
- Daisy & Rowe
- Pharmacy 51
- O₂ Café

plus lots of our stallholders.

How to enter:

1. Take your photo at the markets.
2. Upload on the same day to either our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/OldPerthRoadMarkets with the hashtag #OPRMphoto or share publicly on Instagram with the hashtag #OPRMphoto.
 - State which category your photo fits in to: 'Market Best Friends' (furry or human); 'Best Market Food Shot'; or 'Best Market Street Shot'.
 - Give your photo a creative or funny description.

Photos will be judged at 5pm on market day.

Merit Awards will be given each month to a number of photos in each category, receiving a small prize donated by our stallholders. Winners will be notified on social media regarding their win and collection of their prize.

Winners each month will go forward to be considered for the major category prizes, the best overall photo and a people's choice award photo at the end of the competition and announced at the July Markets.



Stay updated at our Facebook page at www.oldperthroadmarkets.com.au. If you have any questions contact Lucy Bromell or Connie Bromell, Old Perth Road Market Stallholder Coordinators, at info@oldperthroadmarkets.com.au or phone 0466 388 451.

Our thanks to the 'Picture This' sponsors:



- Daisy & Rowe
- Pharmacy 51
- Dave Kelly, MLA

Markets facilitated by:





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2017 NAIDOC Family Day

Thursday 6 July 2017, 10.30am to 3pm at Ashfield Reserve (cnr Fisher Street and Guildford Road, Ashfield)

Council is now busy planning for NAIDOC Family Day. Presented with our partners at Derbarl Yerrigan Health Service Inc, the event is one of the largest—if not **the** largest—on the Perth NAIDOC Week calendar.

NAIDOC stands for 'National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee'. The importance, resilience and richness of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander languages will be the focus of national celebrations marking NAIDOC Week 2017, with this year's theme being Our Languages Matter.

NAIDOC Family Day commences with the 'Dandjoo Koorliny' Reconciliation Walk and Flag Raising Ceremony at the Council Administration Centre at 10.00am. Participants will walk together in unity to Ashfield Reserve to conduct flag raising and Welcome to Country ceremonies, followed by the festivities. With a fantastic line-up of performers, workshops, information stalls, a youth zone and more, it will be a wonderful celebration of Aboriginal culture.



Our Languages Matter
2-9 JULY 2017

This is an all ages, smoke, alcohol and pet free event. Everything is free.



Keep an eye on the Town's website and Facebook pages for updates as the program is finalised. For more information contact the Town on 9377 8000.

RElax Program 2017

THE RELAX PROGRAM – Recreation & Engagement provides opportunities to develop skills, meet new people, try new things and engage with others.

Term 2 courses will be starting from 24 April and includes new workshops and activities such as DiscGolf; Chair Yoga; Quick, Easy, Eat Cooking Class; and Bindi Dreaming Noongar Culture Workshop.

Booklets and registration forms will be available from 3 April at 35 Old Perth Road and various businesses across the Town. You can also find the booklet electronically at www.bassendean.wa.gov.au/community/relax-program.aspx.



For further information about the RELax Program, contact the Town's Recreation and Culture Business Unit on 9377 8000.



Sports Achievement Awards

THE TOWN is committed towards encouraging as many people as possible to participate in sport and recreation. The Town has adopted a Physical Activity Plan to assist and guide the Town in working together with the community to promote participation in sport and recreation across Western Australia.

These Awards are provided to recognise and encourage individuals for their efforts in their chosen field of sport at a minimum of state representation.

Sports Awards are made within the following categories:

- Junior: under 18 years of age as at the time of nomination (\$250 cash incentive award and certificate); or
- Senior: 18 years of age or older as at the time of nomination (\$150 cash incentive award and certificate).

Nominations may be made by individuals and/or organisations and are open all year round.



If you would like further information regarding the Sports Achievement Awards, please call the Town's Recreation and Culture Business Unit on 9377 8000.

Community Events Sponsorship Program

FUNDING is currently available for incorporated community and charitable organisations as well as educational institutions to apply to the Town of Bassendean's Community Events Sponsorship Program.

The aim of the Program is to enable eligible organisations to facilitate and stage events that will contribute to the overall quality of life of residents and to provide an approach for facilitating community development within the Town of Bassendean.

Eligible applicants can request sponsorship up to a maximum of \$1,000 for a range of community events, such as: community picnics, all ages events, youth advisory concerts, open days and celebratory days.



For more information, please contact one of our Officers in the Recreation and Culture Unit on 9377 8000 to discuss your proposal.



Local business snapshot

From April to June a business survey will be carried out right across the Town so that we understand your needs.

Survey people will be walking from door to door and we'll be seeking your response to what you make, who you serve, how old your business is, where your customers are and generally build up a picture of our local businesses.

The data gathered will put businesses in contact with similar businesses, it will boost local employment, it will encourage new business and it will improve our services.

We're especially keen to help home-based businesses. They are booming across Bassendean, Eden Hill and Ashfield selling, producing and manufacturing an array of goods and services. And with the NBN just around the corner (literally) a wealth of possibilities are much closer and accessible.

To reach out to those creating their future at home we are offering a special prize draw with the chance to win \$500 cash vouchers.

This survey is all about learning, supporting, networking and collaboration. If you are in business it's your opportunity to have your say – www.thinkfield.com.au/yoursay-business.



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Council Meetings Calendar

WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL Council Briefings Session	5.00 pm
WEDNESDAY 26 APRIL Ordinary Council Meeting	7.00 pm
FRIDAY 28 APRIL Youth Advisory Council Meeting	5.00 pm
WEDNESDAY 3 MAY Bassendean River Parks Management Committee Meeting	10.00 am
THURSDAY 4 MAY Local Studies Collection Management Committee Meeting	9.30 am
WEDNESDAY 10 MAY Access & Inclusion Committee Meeting	10.00 am
TUESDAY 23 MAY Council Briefings Session	5.00 pm
TUESDAY 23 MAY Ordinary Council Meeting	7.00 pm
FRIDAY 26 MAY Youth Advisory Council Meeting	5.00 pm
WEDNESDAY 7 JUNE Bassendean Local Emergency Management Committee Meeting	3.30 pm
WEDNESDAY 7 JUNE Audit & Risk Management Committee Meeting	5.30 pm
TUESDAY 13 JUNE Liveable Town Advisory Committee Meeting	7.00 pm

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Justice of the Peace office

The Town of Bassendean provides a Justice of the Peace document witnessing centre at the Bassendean Memorial Library at 46 Old Perth Road, Bassendean on Wednesdays from 10.00 am to 12 noon. A Justice of the Peace can witness official documents, administer an oath or affirmation, and take an affidavit.

Graffiti removal

If you notice any graffiti in the Town contact Graffiti Force on **1300 798 143** to have it removed.

For more information about what areas can be treated or to view the Graffiti Information Sheet, please go to our website.

Community Directory

Do you want to know more about activities and services available in our local area? Check out the Community Directory on the Town's website at www.bassendean.wa.gov.au > Community > Community Directory. To start advertising your group or service on the Directory contact 9377 8000 or email to mail@bassendean.wa.gov.au