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## Ward Councillors

Port Adelaide Enfield Council comprises a Mayor and 17 Councillors, distributed around seven wards that take in the whole of the City. These are your representatives, your voice in Council on matters that concern you in your area, and they are the people who make the policy decisions that guide the Council's administration in its daily work. If you have any concerns that should be brought to the attention of Council, please contact one of the Elected Members in your Ward.

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## MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Although I have been serving as Mayor for the past 11 years, the Mayoress and I continue to look forward to this time of the year.

It is a time to catch up with friends at many seasonal events.

It is also time to reflect on the past year, and what has been achieved by such a wonderful and united group of Councillors who have a common goal of delivering the best possible results for our community.

We are your representatives, and we are here to support and assist everyone throughout our community to help make the City of Port Adelaide Enfield the best place to live, work and play.

I welcome Matt Osborn as our newly elected Deputy Mayor, and sincerely thank our outgoing Deputy Mayor Vanessa McCluskey, who filled the position over the past year.

Our elected members are an active, professional and passionate group and it has been a pleasure chairing this year's meetings, with all the spirited debate.

Throughout the past year we have worked closely with Council staff on many large and small business and community development projects across the whole area, from east to west.

These includes the urban renewal of Kilburn and Blair Athol, which is one of the most significant revitalisation projects undertaken in South Australia. The Parks Library and Community Centre and Lightsview Indoor Recreation project masterplans have also been progressed for what we believe will become future focal hubs for community meetings and activity.

We are also fortunate to have strong support from State and Federal Governments for these and other projects that will further enhance our region.

At Port Adelaide Enfield, we are a City that acknowledges and celebrates diversity.

I am very proud of our commitment to welcoming new arrivals here with our Welcoming Cities initiative and I have attended many multicultural festivals and events throughout the whole year.

We also recognise our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people through our ATSI Awards, Walk of Awareness and the recent TARNANTHI at the Port event, and our support of the Reconciliation Walk and Tandanya's Survival Day at Semaphore. With everyone working well together, from our Councillors, to Council staff, to individuals and groups within the community, we become stronger, more united and connected.

We strive to deliver the best services, facilities and projects at the lowest rates to a community where people from all walks of life can feel safe, secure and satisfied.

I wish you all a happy festive season and a prosperous new year, and I look forward to starting the year with the exciting Peloton at the Port, as part of the Santos Tour Down Under in January.

So ride on 2018!

Mayor Gary Johanson

## KEY DECISIONS

Your elected members meet every month to discuss a range of matters related to community life. Meetings are open to the public and everyone is welcome to attend. Here are just some of the key decisions made at recent meetings.

### Meeting held 12 September 2017

- The Draft Waste Management Strategy 2017-2022 was endorsed for community consultation.
- Cherbourg-En-Cotentin Steering Committee to be represented by the Mayor, Cr. McCluskey and Cr. Russell.

### Meeting held 10 October 2017

- An Amnesty has been approved covering current outstanding Port Adelaide Enfield library fees to encourage those customers who have been unable to borrow to return to our libraries.
- Council decided on the recipients of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander 2017 Awards.
- Council adopted the Living Environment Strategy 2022, thereby confirming its environmental direction for the coming five years.
- Council also adopted the City of Port Adelaide Enfield Tourism Strategy & Action Plan 2020 and the Sports Development Plan in order to continue to build Tourism and further enable sporting activities in the City.
- Council supported community projects for inclusion in the "Fund My Neighbourhood" program "public voting" phase and agreed to project sponsorship should any of the projects progress for funding.

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



# Meet your Councillors



**LEADERSHIP**

*A City confident in its leaders*

## KLEMZIG WARD

### Cr Paul Russell

One of my favourite places in the Klemzig ward is the Klemzig Pioneer Memorial Garden, which is one of those hidden historical gems. It marks the place where the first Lutheran settlers made their homes in 1838, naming the place Klemzig after their Prussian hometown. The garden marks both the place of settlement and the cemetery.

Many of the names marked there have resonated throughout our history; names such as Kavel, Rau, Knispel and Laucke amongst others. The quiet garden stands as a reminder of the hardships and endeavours of those who first came to this land from afar.

It is worth reflecting that these early settlers were refugees fleeing religious persecution. Here they found hope, opportunity and welcome and returned that gift many times over throughout our history.



### Cr Tony Barca

A place that is special to me is the Klemzig Gaza Reserve. To me this is without a doubt the jewel in the crown of Port Adelaide Enfield Council.

The reason I entered Council back in 2000 was to advocate for the Enfield side of our city. Now when you drive around Klemzig Ward you can see how things have improved. Much better open spaces, the brand new Klemzig community hall, the new improved large playground with the bright shade cloths and the beautiful reserve with the sporting equipment. On weekends the park is packed with families of all cultures. It's rewarding watching people enjoy the facilities and I am proud to be part of it.

Open space is very important and needs to be preserved, particularly, as back yards are getting smaller. I believe open space is the harmony for a community as it brings young and old together.







Mayor Gary Johanson and Mayor Benoit Arrivé



CEO Mark Withers, Cr Matt Osborn, Mayor Gary Johanson, Mayor Benoit Arrivé and Deputy Mayor Anna Pic

## WARD BOUNDARY CHANGES

Our City is made up of a number of wards, which are each represented on Council by a set number of Councillors. Your ward is your local area for voting purposes and is based on where you live. Some suburbs in our city are divided across two wards.

During 2016 we undertook a review of the size, structure and composition of the wards as we are required to do every eight years. This time around, the review resulted in a couple of minor ward boundary changes which will come into effect for the 2018 Council election.

The adjustments affect Semaphore Ward, Port Adelaide Ward and Parks Ward. The entire suburb of Glanville will now be within the Port Adelaide Ward and the entire suburb of Ottoway will be located in the Parks Ward.

Council Elections occur every four years and at the time of the Election all of the positions are declared vacant. The Principal Member of Council will be elected as Mayor, and seventeen Ward Councillors will be elected from our seven wards.

Participating in your council election is one of the most direct ways that you can make a difference to everyday life in your local community.

We will communicate further with those who are affected by the changes to the ward boundaries and more information about next year's elections will be featured in future editions of Pen2Paper and our social media.

## BONJOUR TO OUR NEW FRENCH FRIENDS

In November, Mayor of the City of Port Adelaide Enfield, Gary Johanson and Mayor of Cherbourg-En-Cotentin, Benoit Arrivé, officially signed a Civic Relationship agreement between the two shipbuilding cities.

This relationship covers many areas and offers opportunities for both of our regions in the areas of business, education, youth, sports, environment, arts and culture, tourism and governance practices.

It also enables a practice exchange and the exchange of economic and business contacts between the two regions including in the areas of maritime activities, energy, innovation and research.

The relationship will open up trade and economic, as well as social, arts and cultural opportunities for our mutual benefit. Here in the state of South Australia, the shipbuilding industry will see the direct creation of nearly 3,000 jobs. Add to this almost another 3,000 jobs in the supply chain and we have an industry based in the City of Port Adelaide Enfield that will be here for many generations and will create job opportunities both now and well into the future.

This Civic Relationship will create the links to welcome the French families who are coming to South Australia as part of the Future Submarines build program.





# COMMUNITY

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Artist's impression of the Lightsview Indoor Recreation Hub project

## BRIGHT TIMES AHEAD FOR LIGHTSVIEW

In November we turned the first sod of earth to start the earth works and levelling to begin the construction program and base of the Eastern Car Park construction for the Lightsview Indoor Recreation Hub project.

This iconic building will be a central hub for the community to access sporting and recreational opportunities, as well as a place for meetings, cultural celebrations and education programs.

During the construction phase there will be jobs for an estimated 71 people, with another five operational positions realised with the building of the café, and health and fitness clinics.

The completed multi-functional indoor sport and recreational facility will be a place to have fun, socialise, volunteer, and to learn about and access various community facilities, in a welcoming, inclusive and safe environment.

People of all ages and abilities can enjoy indoor sports such as basketball, wheelchair sports, volleyball and other activities to enhance community health, wellbeing and inclusiveness.

The facility is due for completion late 2019.

## GROWING FOR GOLD

During the October school holidays, we teamed up with the City of Salisbury to run Growing for Gold, a program to encourage young people aged 3-16 to participate in sporting and recreational activities within their local community.

We had 19 sports clubs open their doors in the City of Port Adelaide Enfield to offer free programs free for participants.

About 300 people took part in over 500 activities at local clubs as part of the program which is a great start for our first year running Growing for Gold and we hope to see this grow over the next couple of years.

Enfield Hockey Club and Port Adelaide Lions Soccer Club have provided great feedback and have indicated excellent results in participants joining a club. For more information on our sporting clubs and activities, visit our website or contact us on 8405 6600.



Hockeyroos play Japan

## HOCKEYROOS TOURNAMENT AT GEPPS CROSS

We were excited to welcome the Hockeyroos, Australia's national female hockey team, to the City of Port Adelaide Enfield in November.

Adelaide hosted three international women's test matches between Australia and Japan at the State Hockey Centre in Gepps Cross. Australia won all three of the tests, with 5-1, 2-1 and 8-1 wins, scoring 15 goals across the series.

The two nations, who met at last year's Rio Olympics, made the detour to South Australia after two tournaments played interstate at the Oceania Cup in October and International Festival of Hockey earlier in November.

The matches were sanctioned by the International Hockey Federation and counted towards world ranking points, with the result improving Australia's world ranking from fifth to fourth. The Hockeyroos are in great form and will have an exciting 2018, participating in the Commonwealth Games on the Gold Coast and the World Cup in London.





Kara and Tom serving our community

## THE LONG AND SHORT OF COMMUNITY SAFETY

There is no job too big or small for Kara and Tom, two of our Community Safety Officers here at the City of PAE!

The Community Safety Team's work covers a huge range of areas that impact day to day life across the City. They assist with concerns regarding dogs, cats and nuisance animals. They look after public safety matters such as inflammable growth, environmental issues such as noise, smoke, and other local nuisances. They also respond to calls related to issues on our streets, including abandoned vehicles, trees overhanging public places, bins being left out, illegal camping, school and beach patrols.

For matters that require immediate attention, we have Community Safety Officers on rapid response each day between 7am and 10pm for wandering dogs, dog attacks, illegal parking, backyard burning and other emergency tasks.

If you need assistance from our Community Safety Team please give us a call on 8405 6600.

## LIBRARY AMNESTY IS NOW ON

Customers with a library bill for damaged or lost books can have their debt waived as part of the City of PAE Libraries' Amnesty, running from now until the end of January 2018.

Libraries have an important role to play in the literacy rates and lifelong learning of our community. We would love to see members back, taking advantage of all the library has to offer from borrowing books and movies to accessing computers and training courses.

To be involved, visit one of the Council's four libraries – Port Adelaide, Semaphore, Greenacres or Enfield and let staff know that you want to take advantage of the amnesty. Customers will be asked a question or two, which will help to improve library services, and then their account will be cleared. The library is also encouraging the return of any long-lost or overdue books during this period.

If you have any questions, please call one of the libraries directly or visit [www.portenf.sa.gov.au/library](http://www.portenf.sa.gov.au/library)

## FOOD SAFETY STANDARDS TO KEEP SERVING YOU RIGHT

Food safety is paramount for food businesses operating in the City of Port Adelaide Enfield.

So we have a team of Environmental Health Officers (EHO) out in the community making sure that businesses meet food safety and health requirements under the Food Act and Food Safety Standards determined by SA Health, to provide safe and suitable food to our community.

They carry out approximately 500 inspections of local food businesses annually and they have a food safety rating that ensures they can review and educate businesses on food safety and take further action if required.

Whilst providing businesses with the right information and training, the EHO team work extensively with the owners to improve compliance with the food safety standards.

When these efforts are unsuccessful, prosecution proceedings are then commenced for severe and continued offences. The process of enforcement takes significant time, particularly in cases of prosecution due to the court process. However during the court process our EHO's continue to regularly inspect businesses to monitor the food safety standards and keep our community safe.

Once a prosecution happens our EHO team continue to closely monitor the food handling practices at the business through regular inspections and continued education.

If you are concerned about food safety within any premises in the City of Port Adelaide Enfield, please give us a call on 8405 6600.





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Ben Parkinson at the Defence Shed

## DEFENCE SHEDS MAKING A DIFFERENCE

They dedicate their lives to protecting ours, but once they leave the Defence force, many veterans can feel lost and unsure about what to do with themselves.

Defence Shed Port Adelaide was established in 2015 to support Defence and Emergency Service personnel and their families. Chairman Ben Parkinson has served six Tours of Duty including time in East Timor, Iraq and Afghanistan. The mateship and support he's received through the program has helped to build his confidence and assisted him to talk about his experiences in the Air Force which resulted in his Post Traumatic Stress Disorder.

Ben said, "I became involved after moving to Semaphore for work and feeling isolated as I had no friends or family nearby. Through the Defence Shed I have made new friends and found purpose in my life to help others."

The Defence Shed works alongside many organisations, including the City of PAE, to provide meaningful projects that give purpose and positive impact on the community.

"As well as supporting our members, we build relationships in the local community which helps to improve social inclusion in isolated individuals."

"We have a high proportion of veterans living in the area, making our city the perfect place for the pilot Defence Shed."

"The way people get better is by getting up and doing things. We are offering a safe way for people to start that process surrounded by peers from many walks of life. From here we can assist members to access appropriate support".

The Defence Shed program is a new way of thinking about how support is provided to veterans. They are based in the old fire station pump house in Port Adelaide which members renovated themselves. It is open to men and women of any age.

People not associated with Defence or emergency services are welcome to volunteer. Donations of tools, pallets, camping gear, fishing gear and draftsman chairs, as well as assistance from tradespeople and corporate sponsorship. Other donations can be offered by emailing [secretary@defenceshed.com.au](mailto:secretary@defenceshed.com.au)

## GET CONNECTED AT KILBURN COMMUNITY CENTRE

Free Wi-Fi is now available at Kilburn Community Centre, for public use and you can download up to 1GB per day. This service is available through the Public Library, so you must be a member to access it. With the OneCard Network, you can access this service while at Kilburn Community Centre:

- Select WI-FI on your device
- Select Public-Library-RF and enter the network key PublicLibrary
- Open your internet browser where you will be directed to the User Login page
- Read the terms of agreement
- Enter your login details, which is your Library Barcode beginning with X0 and your 4 digit pin password

If you don't have a library card, there are library branches at Greenacres, Enfield, Port Adelaide and Semaphore, so pop in and sign up today. There are also seven computers located at the centre, with volunteers available to assist. To make an appointment contact the Kilburn Community Centre.

Come join us on Saturday 24 February to celebrate the arrival of the the free Wi-Fi and Experience Café, which has just opened at the Centre; and to check out and use the new Computer room. There will also be a pop-up library, local groups showcasing and you can have a go at some of the regular activities held there.





## General Events

### Sun 10 Dec

#### Carols by LED Light

Free community carols event. Bring a picnic blanket and some friends for a family friendly night. Portside Christian College Oval, 1 Causeway Rd, New Port

#### Carols Alive!

A vibrant community event with face painting, kid's rides, bouncing castle, international food stalls and plenty of music. Cedar College Oval, 215-233 Fosters Rd, Northgate

#### Carols by the Marina

Christmas Carols and entertainment, face painting, Father Christmas. Fotheringham Reserve, Corner of Osborne Rd and Lady Gowrie Dr, North Haven

### Sun 17 Dec

#### Klemzig Outdoor movie

Free family screening of 'Moana' (PG). Purchase refreshments from 6.30pm, movie starts at sunset approx 8.30pm. Bring your own bean bag, rug or chair. Klemzig Recreational Reserve, OG Rd and North East Rd, Klemzig

#### Seaside Carols at Semaphore

Community carols with Cosi from South Aussie, food vans and fireworks from Semaphore Jetty

### Mon 18 and Wed 20 Dec

#### City of Port Adelaide Band Performance

A lively free show by the lights, 41 Pelham St, Ethelton, from 7.45pm-9.15pm

### Sun 31 Dec

#### New Year's Eve at Semaphore Foreshore

Fireworks by the City of PAE at 9.30pm and midnight, with street performers 6-9pm

### Fri 12- Sun 14 Jan

#### 3 on 3 Basketball

Mens, womens and mixed comp in all age groups Visit [www.clb.com.au](http://www.clb.com.au) for more information

### Sat 13 and Sun 14 Jan

#### Semaphore Greek Festival

Esplanade, Semaphore

### Tues 16 Jan

#### Santos Tour Down Under Peloton at the Port

Stage One. Head down for a delicious breakfast, get up close with cycling stars of the race. St Vincent St, Port Adelaide

#### Tour Down Under Boating Flotilla

Showcasing SA boating to the world, see our harbor full of sail and powered boats

### Fri 26 Jan

#### Survival Day at Semaphore Foreshore

Still surviving, still thriving. Free event in partnership with Tandanya, from lunchtime

### Fri 26 Jan

#### Australia Day

Fireworks at the Semaphore Foreshore - 9.30pm

### Fri 2 Feb

#### St Jerome's Laneway Festival

Laneway comes back to the Port in 2018! [www.adelaide.lanewayfestival.com](http://www.adelaide.lanewayfestival.com)

### Sun 4 Feb

#### Queen's Wharf Food and Wine Event

Discover local cafes and new venues while enjoying food and wine. Lipson St, Port Adelaide

### Fri 10 and 11 Feb

#### Tet Vietnamese Festival

Food and Entertainment at Regency Park Reserve, Days Rd. 8447 8821

### Sat 24 Feb

#### Port Fringe

Fringe Caravan from 5.30-7.30pm, then a stellar line up on the big stage and nooks and crannies of the Port until 10pm. Commercial Rd, Port Adelaide

### Various days and times

#### English Language Classes

With the Indian Australian Association of SA 6 Blamey Ave, Broadview. Contact 0402 248 835

## Community Centres

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## FOR KIDS AND TEENAGERS

### Mondays

#### North Haven Playgroup at Lefevre

Friendly group of parents and children

#### Imagination Playground at Enfield

Children can create their own exciting play space with a variety of shapes and materials

#### Hoops 4 Kids at Lefevre

An introduction to basketball

#### Kenpo Karate at Hillcrest

For all fitness levels. Come and try for free!

#### Makoto Ryu Karate at Lefevre

Freestyle karate combining other forms

#### Taekwondo at Enfield

Popular Korean Martial Art

### Tuesdays

#### Roller Skating for children at Kilburn

Skates are provided, wear socks and have fun

### Wednesdays

#### Learn to skate at Lefevre

A fun beginner program for children

#### Basketball at Kilburn

Run by SA Child and Youth Basketball

#### Guides at Hillcrest

Session for girls 6-10 years then for older girls

### Thursdays

#### Light City Derby at Lefevre

Mixed Gender Roller Derby

#### Allegro Rhythmic Gymnastics at Lefevre

Weekly gymnastics trainings for girls

### Saturdays

#### Adelaide FX Drilldance at Hillcrest

Drill dancing for girls

### Sundays

#### Lil Adelaide Rollers at Lefevre

Junior roller derby

## FOR ADULTS

### Mondays

#### Live Once Fitness at Lefevre

Group Personal Training Sessions

#### Intense Cardiovascular Exercise at Kilburn

Shape up, Get Fit, Burn Fat! All welcome

#### Strength For Life at Lefevre

Low cost Strength Training for Over 50's

#### Tai Chi at Enfield

Exercises lead by experienced instructor

#### Umbrella Café at Enfield

Free food tastings and friendly conversation

#### Creative Mondays at Enfield

Art classes with a focus on painting

#### Line dancing at Kilburn

Starting 5 Feb, beginners and experienced dancers

#### English Language Support at Kilburn

Advanced conversational English

#### English Classes at Hillcrest

No cost community classes

#### Active Movers Class at Hillcrest

Trained instructors- just \$4.50

#### Badminton at Kilburn

Join us for a free social game. It's fun!

#### Kenpo Karate at Hillcrest

For all fitness levels. Come try for free!

#### Makoto Ryu Karate at Lefevre

Freestyle karate combining other forms

#### Taekwondo at Enfield

Popular Korean Martial Art

### Tuesdays

#### Largs Bay RSL Veteran's at Lefevre

Welfare support for Service members

#### Walking Group at Hillcrest

Active weekly group

#### Esthesis Pilates at Lefevre

Improves flexibility, and balance

#### Social Badminton at Lefevre

New players of any standard welcome

#### Women's Program at Kilburn

Social and supportive group for all women

#### Strength for Life at Enfield

Quality strength training for people aged 50+

#### A Helping Hand at Kilburn

Food items for people in need



### Hi Noon Lunches at Hillcrest

Two course luncheon, bookings essential

### Our Computer Club at Hillcrest

For people +60, learn skills in computing

### Hi Noon Club Games at Hillcrest

Join us for a game!

### Art Classes at Hillcrest

Explore your creative side

### Total wellness for women at Kilburn

Workout sessions, nutrition and education

### Northern Community Fit Club at Hillcrest

Fit Club and Fit Dance for men and women

### Live Once Fitness at Lefevre

Group Personal Training Sessions

### Wednesdays

#### Cardiovascular Exercise at Kilburn

Shape up, Get Fit, Burn Fat! All welcome

#### Thai Chi Classes at Hillcrest

Exercises lead by experienced instructor

#### Chair based exercise classes at Kilburn

All ages and levels of fitness

#### English Language Support at Kilburn

Advanced conversational English

#### Funky Friends at Hillcrest

Women's Support Group

#### Taekwondo at Enfield

Popular Korean Martial Art

### Thursdays

#### Live Once Fitness at Lefevre

Group Personal Training Sessions

#### Yoga at Hillcrest

All abilities and all ages

#### Line Dancing at Lefevre

Fun and healthy form of exercise

#### Advanced English Classes at Hillcrest

No cost community classes

#### Gentle Yoga with Maria at Enfield

Moves with a slow and steady pace

#### Creative Hands Craft at Hillcrest

Card making, knitting, crocheting and more

#### Senior Citizens at Hillcrest

Social activities for seniors: games and more

#### Northern Community Fit Club at Hillcrest

Fit Club and Fit Dance for men and women

#### Kilburn Karaoke Group at Kilburn

Join us for a singalong!

#### ASC Floorball at Lefevre

Fun floor hockey

### Fridays

#### Cardiovascular Exercise at Kilburn

Shape up, Get Fit, Burn Fat! All welcome

#### Strength For Life at Lefevre

Low cost strength training. 50+

#### Thai Chi Classes at Hillcrest

Exercises lead by experienced instructor

#### Strength for Life at Enfield

Quality strength training for people aged 50+

#### Gentle Yoga with Maria at Enfield

Moves with a slow and steady pace

### Easy Move Active Ageing at Enfield

For people aged 65+ to stay strong at home

### Women's Legal Services at Kilburn

Free legal advice for women

### Ballroom Dancing for beginners at Kilburn

Learn basic steps and bring a sense of fun

### Thai Chi Classes at Hillcrest

Exercises lead by experienced instructors

### Bus trips from Hillcrest

Bus trips to various destinations

### Meditation for the Soul at Lefevre

Relax and unwind

### Taekwondo at Enfield

Popular Korean Martial art

### Saturdays

#### Chicago Quilters at Kilburn

Learn a range of quilting techniques

#### English for Beginners at Hillcrest

With reading, writing, speaking and listening

#### Karaoke at Kilburn

BYO drinks and nibbles for fun sing along

#### Art Classes at Hillcrest

Explore your creative side

## Libraries

For more information regarding Library events, call the relevant number at the bottom of the page, book online [www.portenf.sa.gov.au/library](http://www.portenf.sa.gov.au/library) or visit [www.facebook.com.au/CityofPAELibraries](http://www.facebook.com.au/CityofPAELibraries)

## FOR KIDS

### Various during School Term

#### Baby Bounce

Stories, nursery rhymes, music and songs for ages 0-2 yrs

#### Preschool Storytime

Songs, stories, felt boards, craft activities and more at all libraries

#### Creative Kids

Free fun for ages 5-13 at all libraries

#### Digikids

For children aged 8-13 years who enjoy technology and would like to explore exciting gadgets and gizmos

#### Mon fortnightly during school term, 10-11am

#### Paws Inclusive storytime

An exciting, inclusive session with stories, songs and rhymes at Port Adelaide Library. Toys with strong stimuli have been selected to assist children with sensory issues aged 2-5 years. Siblings are welcome. Contact Shirley on 8405 6570 or [shirley.keeffe@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:shirley.keeffe@portenf.sa.gov.au)

## FOR KIDS AND TEENAGERS

### Mon monthly 3.30-4.30pm

#### Book Chatter Club

Theme based sessions to inspire reading different kinds of books, for children 8-13 years at Semaphore Library.

## FOR TEENAGERS

### Every 4th Thurs, 6-7pm

#### Anime Club at Enfield Library

Reading, discussing and drawing manga for 15+ Bookings essential on 8405 6530.

## FOR ADULTS

### Every Monday 10.30am-12pm

#### English Conversation Classes

Practice speaking English. Meet new people, share a cuppa and feel part of the community at Enfield Library

### 2nd Mon of Month, 10.30am-12.30pm

#### Advanced Writers Group

An advanced writers group for authors who have published or are working towards publication.

### 4th Thurs of Month, 10-11am

#### Get Connected

Digital basics session for beginners. Get started on mobile devices. Please bring your device along. Greenacres Library. Bookings are essential.

### Various days

#### Family History

Individual sessions to help people explore Ancestry and family history research at our four libraries. Bookings are essential

#### Book Discussion Groups

Meet other book lovers, share a cuppa, share your thoughts on a new book each month. Bookings are essential.

#### Digital Basics

Digital questions answered. One-on-one sessions. Bring your own laptop, tablet or smart phone to the library. Bookings are essential.

#### Basic Computer Training

Set up your email and learn about the internet in these small group sessions. Bookings are essential.

#### Justice of the Peace

A Justice of the Peace service is available at each library location.

### Various dates in December and January – Greenacres and Port Adelaide Library

#### An Introduction to Wellbeing

Explore behaviours and skills proven to build wellbeing and resilience, presented by Dr Bev O'Brien, Community health & Wellbeing at the City of PAE. Bookings are essential, contact the host library.

### Various dates from January to March

#### Origami Workshops

Join artist and maker Kara Gillett as she explores mindfulness through the creation of origami. Workshops will be held at various locations over January - Greenacres, February - Semaphore and March - Port Adelaide. Bookings are essential, book online or contact the host library.

### Various dates and locations over the school holidays

#### School Holiday Program

Enjoy the fun with the many activities hosted by the libraries over the Christmas school holiday period. For more information visit the library website or facebook.

Hillcrest Community Centre  
27-31 Queensborough Ave, Hillcrest  
Tel: 8266 7267

Enfield Community Centre  
540 Regency Rd, Enfield  
Tel: 8405 6556

Lefevre Community Stadium  
541 Victoria Rd, Osborne  
Tel: 8405 6908

Visitor Information Centre  
66 Commercial Rd, Port Adelaide  
Tel: 8405 6560





*Emma enjoys storytime with Echo and Truman from Labs 'n Life*

## ONCE UPON A VERY SPECIAL STORYTIME

In the past few months, Port Adelaide Library has introduced an exciting new storytime for children with special needs.

Held on Mondays, once a fortnight during the school term, from 10-11am, PAWS (Port Adelaide Enfield Welcomes Children With Special Needs) has been created to engage and inspire our kids in a safe and inclusive environment.

The sessions include storytime, songs and playtime with specifically selected toys and visual aids to assist with sensory issues (you'll even get to meet our mascot, Polka Dot Puppy, who attends every session).

Tara brings her daughter Emma to PAWS sessions, "Often kids like Emma have to miss out on library story time and other activities because of their special needs. This is lonely and isolating. PAWS recognises that kids with disabilities need a special program with volunteers who understand their needs. We are very thankful there are activities like this for families like ours."

Sessions are suitable for developmental age of 2-5 years and numbers are kept at a minimum. We also welcome siblings to come along too.

For more information and to register, please contact Shirley Keeffe on 8405 6570 or [shirley.keeffe@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:shirley.keeffe@portenf.sa.gov.au)

## A NEW LOOK FOR OUR LIBRARIES

If you have visited Port Adelaide, Semaphore or Greenacres Libraries recently you may have noticed some changes. From a beautiful mural at Greenacres to redesigning two of our libraries, it has been a busy time.

In October, talented local artist Sarah Boese was commissioned to add some colour to the Greenacres Library building.

The mural was the final touch after the completion of roadworks, including a pedestrian crossing and the library carpark, with the end result a vibrant and colourful entry point.

Port Adelaide and Semaphore Libraries have also experienced changes as part of the City of PAE Libraries' Branch Improvement Project.

We have collated and moved the collections to make it easier to find things and also made more space for collaboration, conversation and community engagement.

We are breathing new life into our libraries by delivering a fresh new look and feel.

As our libraries sit at the centre of our community, it's important that our libraries are welcoming, accessible and user-friendly. And as the needs of our community change, we are evolving the way we provide service to our customers.

Thank you to the library staff involved and our amazing group of volunteers and we look forward to introducing you to our new-look libraries soon.

For the latest library news and information you can follow our libraries on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/CityofPAELibraries](http://www.facebook.com/CityofPAELibraries)





**COMMUNITY**

*A City that supports  
community wellbeing*



*New Parks Library interior perspective*

## **BUILDING A NEW FUTURE AT THE PARKS LIBRARY**

The contract for the construction of the new Parks Library was awarded to Minuzzo Project Management in July 2017 and construction is now well underway, with footings and the concrete slab being laid in recent weeks and the steel framed structure for the main library building being erected in the coming weeks.

The large steel frame for the main library building has been a regular point of discussion during the design process, given the relatively complex shape of the building. Photographs of the site progress can be found on our website.

A time lapse photography of the entire construction phase of the project is being recorded and will showcase all of the site progress during the project's construction.

Designs for the public art and wayfinding signage are ongoing, with final designs expected to be signed off soon.

The final designs and details will be submitted in a development application in the next couple of weeks and will also be made publicly available soon after via our website.

## **CHRISTMAS OPENING HOURS**

The Festive Season is fast approaching and we wish all of our residents a happy and safe Christmas and New Year.

Council's Civic Centre, Depots and Community Centres will be closed from close of business on Friday 22 December 2017 and will resume normal working hours on Tuesday 2 January 2018.

City of PAE Libraries will be closed from Sunday 24 December 2017 -Monday 1 January 2018 inclusive, returning to usual open hours on Tuesday 2 January 2018.

To support the community over this time, Greenacres Library - Council Office and Semaphore Library will be open at the following times:

- Thursday 28 December, 9.30am - 5.30pm
- Friday 29 December, 9.30am - 5.30pm
- Saturday 30 December, 9.30am - 1pm

Library loan periods will be extended over the holiday season and the after-hours return chutes will be available at all sites.

The Visitor Information Centre is open from 9am-5pm every day except Christmas Day.

Community Bus Service will not operate Monday 18 December or after 2.30pm on Friday 22 December. Circuit 2 recommences Monday 8 January, Circuit 3 recommences Tuesday 9 January and Circuit 1 recommences Wednesday 10 January.

Some staff will operate in key areas to ensure essential services are maintained. To report any emergencies during this period, please contact the relevant emergency authority. To make a non-urgent service request simply visit our website- our online request system allows you to track the progress of your request.





Cruise Ships in Outer Harbor

## ALL ABOARD FOR THE CRUISE SHIP SEASON

The 2017-2018 cruise season runs from October 2017 to March 2018 when a total of 68 cruise ships will visit South Australia, up from 52 visits in 2016-2017. With 37 cruise liner visits to Port Adelaide Passenger Terminal at Outer Harbor, the City's popularity as a cruise destination continues to grow. This season will see the mega cruise liner, *Ovation of the Seas*, the world's third largest cruise ship call twice into Adelaide. There will be a welcome return of the *Queen Mary II* in February, and the Norwegian Jewel, *Noordam*, *Ocean Dream*, *Azamara Journey*, *Regatta* and the *L'Austral* will make their inaugural visits to South Australia and Outer Harbor during this season.

If you are interested in cruise ships and would like to catch a glimpse of these floating palaces as they sail through South Australian waters, the best vantage points are Semaphore or Lady Ruthven Reserve at Outer Harbor.

Contact the Port Adelaide Visitor Information Centre on 84056560 or email [visitorinfo@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:visitorinfo@portenf.sa.gov.au) for details of the cruise ships schedule.

## MAKE YOUR PLACE A BETTER SPACE

At the City of PAE we are committed to making our City a place where people love to be, so we have launched the PAE Places Grants to help develop community spaces.

PAE Places Grants can be used to improve how we feel and use our public spaces and how we can enhance the way they look and work, and also how they celebrate our heritage.

Just about everyone in the community from individuals, groups or businesses can apply, and work in partnerships with others to improve places and locations.

Applications are open until 28 February 2018, and more details can be found at [www.portenf.gov.au/PAEplaces](http://www.portenf.gov.au/PAEplaces)

## CYCLING TO SUCCESS WITH PELOTON AT THE PORT

After 19 years, the Santos Tour Down Under is returning to Port Adelaide, so we're polishing our bikes and laundering our lycra ready for this year's race as it kicks off with Peloton at the Port. The City of PAE is hosting stage 1 of this premier cycling race, and riders will set off from Commercial Road at Port Adelaide and travel to Lyndoch on Tuesday 16 January.

Celebrating 20 years of race history, and with an estimated crowd of 8,000 enjoying coffees and light breakfasts, the Port River will be a riot of colour as boats of all shapes and sizes create a colourful flotilla to compliment the Peloton as it surges over the Birkenhead Bridge.

So come along early and celebrate this historic day, get a selfie under the start bridge, rub shoulders with cycling fans, be part of the atmosphere, and linger longer, as it's going to be an awesome morning!

Keep an eye on our social media for more exciting announcements in the lead up to the event, or visit [www.tourdownunder.com.au](http://www.tourdownunder.com.au) for more details about the 2018 Santos Tour Down Under.

## FLAGGING THE TOUR DOWN UNDER EVENT

Last month, local artists Bob Daly and Kalyna Micenko led some local workshops to create 200 large banners to line the streets of Commercial Road North, Vincent Street and the Birkenhead Bridge for the 2018 Santos Tour Down Under.

These two local artists were selected to manage the Tour Down Under Placemaking Activation Project. The theme of Port River Life, was chosen to represent the unique character and geography of the area and to celebrate and highlight the life of the river.

Over 150 adults and children attended twelve workshops to design and make a selection of bright, colourful banners that will add even more vibrancy to what promises to be a memorable day at Peloton at the Port.





**PLACEMAKING**  
A City where people love to be



Major (Moogie) Sumner and Fred Agius Katurmurra

## TELLING US WHERE TO GO FOR 20 YEARS

Recently Port Adelaide's Visitor Information Centre celebrated its 20th anniversary.

Known by locals as "The Vic", this focal point for tourism in the area, was opened on Sunday 9 November 1997, by the South Australian governor, Sir Eric Neale... and it has been open for 364 days a year ever since!

Tourism is the heart of the Vic, and it is accredited by the South Australian Tourism Commission, and over the years has been acknowledged by the SA Tourism Industry by winning gold and silver awards for visitor information services in 2002 and 2008 respectively.

And in 2011, the Lonely Planet Guide referred to "the mega helpful Port Adelaide Visitors Centre", which is one of the many compliments that the Vic receives every year from visitors and operators alike.

The Vic is the focal point for tourism in the local area, and tourists are welcomed by our dedicated staff of around 20 people, mostly volunteers, who look after over 32,000 walk-in visitors every year.

Taking part in the celebrations were Jane Marr, the first Vic Manager for over 10 years (and still working with the City of PAE) Anne Mitchell, our current Manager, and her offsider Shirley Patyi.

The Vic's Manager, Anne Mitchell, said that her team is committed to tourism.

"We have some of the most unique tourism offerings in Australia right on our doorstep, and we are proud to showcase them to the world."

## TARNANTHI FESTIVAL OF ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER ART

In October, over 2000 people came along to TARNANTHI at the Port to see a line-up of outstanding First Nation artists working in visual arts, music, dance, storytelling and workshops.

Intertwining fresh and dynamic elements, underpinned by living traditions, the event showcased the area as a thriving space of united community gatherings and artistic excellence.

The day kicked off with a traditional smoking ceremony performed before local and interstate musicians got things underway on the main stage.

The comedy tent had people cramming through the doors, whilst dance, art and weaving workshops for people of all ages provided a diverse look at First Nation culture.

Across the river by Lartelare Park, street artist Nish Cash created murals with Margaret Brodie and extended family members. The family are descendants of Lartelare – one of the last Kaurna people living a traditional life on the land. The family commented that "the totems feel closer to us now and the land feels more like home", whilst commending Nish for her great work.

Thank you to everybody who helped to make this event a huge success. We also want to send a special thank you to the Defence Shed which created furniture and planter boxes for the day.

This was a partnership between the City of PAE and TARNANTHI: Festival of Contemporary Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Art, presented by the Art Gallery of South Australia and supported by the South Australian Government and BHP.

You can view photos from the event on our website and social media. Visit [www.portenf.sa.gov.au](http://www.portenf.sa.gov.au)





Students from St Pauls College helping to maintain the Wetlands

## REVITALISING MAGAZINE CREEK WETLANDS

A few years ago we planted 18,000 seedlings to vegetate the Magazine Creek Wetlands. This year, City of PAE staff partnered with Conservation Volunteers Australia and 90 Year 8 students from St Paul's College Gilles Plains, to do some general maintenance on the natural environment and remove tree guards from the established plants to allow them to grow further.

As part of our Environmental Community Program, this was a chance to teach eager students about the purpose of the wetlands whilst also providing them with an opportunity to contribute to their local community.

Overall it was a very successful day, the sun was shining, the students did a great job and it was a very positive experience for all. Many were already excited about getting back out there at a later date.

This is one of many activities planned for the coming months as part of our Environment Community Program. If you'd like more information about up coming activities, please contact our Environment Team on 8405 6600 or send us an email at [customer.service@portenf.sa.gov.au](mailto:customer.service@portenf.sa.gov.au)

## HELPING BUSINESSES TO REDUCE THEIR ENERGY COSTS

The Western Business Leaders Group led by City of Charles Sturt and supported by City of Port Adelaide Enfield, City of West Torrens and City of Holdfast Bay headed-up an Energy Smart business seminar breakfast at the Adelaide Entertainment Centre on the 3rd of November.

Key note speaker Jon Dee; the founder of Planet Ark and managing director of the Australian advocacy organisation 'Do Something'. He is also the EnergySmart program guru and writer of Smart Money on Sky News.

Jon gave businesses the latest 10 simple step guide to reduce energy bills with many recommended actions costing very little or nothing at all!

Jon was followed up by case study presentations from Stephanie Bolt, Adelaide Airport Sustainability Leader who is a local energy efficiency business specialist.

The speakers were fantastic, with each contributing a different but consistent message that driving change in energy reduction will result in a win for business and a win for the environment.

If you want more information about energy-saving tips, visit [www.EnergySmartSaver.com.au](http://www.EnergySmartSaver.com.au) or the State Government Energy Advisory Service program at [www.sa.gov.au/topics/energy-and-environment/energy-advice-and-education/energy-advisory-service](http://www.sa.gov.au/topics/energy-and-environment/energy-advice-and-education/energy-advisory-service)





# ENVIRONMENT

*A City which cares for its natural environment and heritage*



Students from Portside Christian College

## MUDFLATS TO COAST

We are always looking for exciting new ways to get the community involved in looking after and protecting our natural environment. In November, as part of our Environment Community Program, we teamed up with the Natural Resources Management Authority and an estuary ecologist to trial a number of education activities with 30 year 9 students from Portside Christian College.

The students learnt about the importance of the local coastal habitats and had a blast collecting and identifying all types of shellfish, sea snails and invertebrates from the coast and beach. Later in the day, the students took part in a weed mapping exercise along the beach and learnt about the vulnerable Red-Capped Plover shorebird species. The learnings from these activities will go towards accreditation to their Conservation and Land Management Course. Well done to all involved!

## WASTE SERVICES

As Christmas and New Year occur on Mondays, all waste collections will be delayed one day for the weeks commencing 25 December 2017 and 1 January 2018.

### Christmas Waste Collection

Normal Collection Day	Christmas Week Collection
Mon 25 December 2017	Tues 26 December 2017
Tues 26 December 2017	Wed 27 December 2017
Wed 27 December 2017	Thurs 28 December 2017
Thurs 28 December 2017	Fri 29 December 2017
Fri 29 December 2017	Sat 30 December 2017

### New Year's Waste Collection

Normal Collection Day	New Year's Week Collection
Mon 1 January 2018	Tues 2 January 2018
Tues 2 January 2018	Wed 3 January 2018
Wed 3 January 2018	Thurs 4 January 2018
Thurs 4 January 2018	Fri 5 January 2018
Fri 5 January 2018	Sat 6 January 2018

## WEED SPRAYING SCHEDULE

### Spraying for Dec 2017

**Streetscape Maintenance:** Greenacres, Broadview, Clearview, Northgate, Northfield, Wingfield, Ottoway, Rosewater, Gillman & Port Adelaide **West Reserves** Mansfield Park, Woodville Gardens, Ferryden Park, Angle Park, Croydon Park, Devon Park, Dudley Park, Wingfield, Kilburn, Regency Park, Blair Athol, Gepps Cross **South Reserves** Wingfield, Ottoway, Rosewater, Alberton, Queenstown, Port Adelaide, Glanville, Ethelton, Semaphore South, Semaphore, Gillman. **Centre Reserves** Greenacres, Northfield, Northgate, Clearview, Enfield, Gepps Cross, Sefton Park, Broadview. **General Spraying** Main Roads, Pump Stations, Caltrop Control, Typha Clearance, Drainage Channel Edges, Ratepayers Requests; Termite & Insect Requests. **Thermal Steaming** Play Space Surrounds.

### Spraying for January 2018

**Streetscape Maintenance:** Sefton Park, Enfield, Blair Athol, Kilburn, Alberton, Port Adelaide, Queenstown, Ethelton & Semaphore, South East Reserves, Hampstead Gardens, Manningham, Klemzig, Windsor Gardens, Dernancourt, Hillcrest, Oakden, Gilles Plains, Valley View, Walkley Heights, Holden Hill, North Reserves, North Haven, Outer Harbor, Osborne, Taperoo, Largs North, Largs Bay, Peterhead, Exeter, Semaphore, Birkenhead. **Centre Reserves** Greenacres, Northfield, Northgate, Clearview, Enfield, Gepps Cross, Sefton Park, Broadview. **General Spraying** Caltrop Control, Linear Park, Ratepayers Requests, Typha Clearance, Termite & Insect Requests Thermal Steaming School & Play Space Surrounds.

### Spraying for Feb 2018

**Streetscape Maintenance** Regency Park, Ferryden Park, Dudley Park, Devon Park, Croydon Park, Angle Park, Woodville Gardens, Birkenhead, Port Adelaide, Exeter, Glanville. **West Reserves** Mansfield Park, Woodville Gardens, Ferryden Park, Angle Park, Croydon Park, Devon Park, Dudley Park, Wingfield, Kilburn, Regency Park, Blair Athol, Gepps Cross **South Reserves** Wingfield, Ottoway, Rosewater, Alberton, Queenstown, Port Adelaide, Glanville, Ethelton, Semaphore South, Semaphore, Gillman **Centre Reserves** Greenacres, Northfield, Northgate, Clearview, Enfield, Gepps Cross, Sefton Park, Broadview **General Spraying** Port River Expressway, Pump Stations, Caltrop Control, Ratepayers Requests; Termite & Insect Requests **Thermal Steaming Play Space Surrounds, Reserves** North Haven, Outer Harbor, Osborne, Taperoo, Largs North, Largs Bay, Peterhead, Exeter, Semaphore, Birkenhead. **General Spraying** Typha Clearance, Laneways and Ratepayers requests. Thermal Steaming, School Surrounds and Play Grounds.





## ECONOMY

*A City of opportunity*



*General Manager of BluBuilt Constructions, Owen Richards*

### BLUBUILT CONSTRUCTIONS KICKING GOALS AT TAPEROO

Construction of the new clubhouse at Taperoo Reserve is well underway, with local Largs Bay business BluBuilt Constructions undertaking the \$1.7 million project. The clubhouse will form part of the redevelopment of the old Taperoo Primary School site and will include a multi-use area, a bar and a commercial kitchen.

A local success story, BluBuilt was established in South Australia in 2010 and now employs 25 full time staff as well as a number of local contractors. General Manager Owen Richards is confident about future growth in the City of PAE, which reinforced their decision to base the business here.

“We identified the huge potential around the Port Adelaide area, taking into account the future planning objectives for redevelopment and immediate access to the main transport corridor.”

Owen said, “Our commitment to this area is part of our focus to grow our profile of work based on innovation and finding new ways to deliver solutions which fit the vision and brief of our client.”

The Taperoo Reserve project is part of Council’s commitment to provide more sporting facilities on the Lefevre Peninsula. It is being delivered in multiple stages and includes three soccer pitches, clubroom facility, car parking and a community park.

The building was designed by Studio Nine Architects with sub consultants MLEI Consulting Engineers, BESTEC and Trento Fuller Pty Ltd.

The construction project was awarded to BluBuilt in July after being chosen from 11 competitive tender submissions. This will be the first job they have undertaken for the City of PAE and they were chosen due to the strength of their work in constructing sporting facilities in South Australia.

South Australian councils promote new tender opportunities on the Tenders SA website [www.tenders.sa.gov.au](http://www.tenders.sa.gov.au).

Our Economic Development Team are also here to help; call 8405 6600 to have a chat about how they can assist you and your local business.



*General Manager of Quality Plastics, Joe Matto*

### PACKING A PUNCH FOR THE FOOD INDUSTRY

When the car manufacturing industry was reacting to the downturn in 2012, Joe Matto, General Manager of Quality Plastics and Tooling, saw it as an opportunity to head the business in a new direction.

Using his engineering skills and expertise gained from over 21 years in the tooling and plastic injection-moulding business, PakPot packaging was created, a company specialising in the production of high quality In-Mould Labelled (IML) containers for the food industry.

Growth and demand from the food industry for individually designed unique IML packaging giving brand owners point of difference on the shelves, and this has meant that Joe and his team have created new products with in-molded labels that are also reusable and 100% recyclable.

“Food business and brand owners want quality packaging that not only matches the quality of their food, but also meets the high standards for food safety compliance,” says Joe.

With PakPot, Joe has invested heavily in the latest state-of-the-art equipment, designed to produce the highest quality at much higher speeds than traditional equipment.

Their complete in-house production process, undertaken by approximately 30 staff, from design through tooling, to final production, ensures that individual packaging is designed correctly to match existing equipment and optimal production processes.

“We made the move early and are forging our own market with our unique products, so I am looking to continue to support others in the food industry, and in other sectors such as the medical and cosmetics industries, anywhere that a high level of hygiene production is required.”

