

BELMONT BULLETIN

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MEET YOUR COUNCILLORS

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Cr Phil Marks was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 1999. He was elected Mayor in 2011 and his term expires on 21 October 2023.

Cr Phil Marks is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Aboriginal Advisory Group
- Belmont Trust
- Belmont Retirement Villages Board of Management (Inc)
- Executive Committee
- Metro Central Joint Development Assessment Panel (JDAP)
- Perth Airports Municipalities Group Inc (PAMG)
- Public Art Advisory Panel
- Standing Committee (Audit and Risk)
- Standing Committee (Community Vision)
- Standing Committee (Environmental)
- Swan River Trust
- WA Local Government Association East Metropolitan Zone

West Ward



Cr Robert ROSSI, JP

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Cr Robert Rossi was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 2003. His term expires on 21 October 2023.

Cr Robert Rossi is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Belmont Trust
- Belmont Museum Advisory Group
- Belmont Retirement Villages Board of Management (Inc)
- Metro Central Joint Development Assessment Panel (JDAP)
- Standing Committee (Community Vision)
- WA Local Government Association Member – National Trust of WA



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Cr Lauren Cayoun was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 2013. Her term expires on 16 October 2021.

Cr Lauren Cayoun is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Belmont Trust
- Standing Committee (Environmental)



Cr George Sekulla, JP – DEPUTY MAYOR

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Cr George Sekulla was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 2017 and elected as Deputy Mayor in 2019. His term expires on 16 October 2021.

Cr George Sekulla is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Aboriginal Advisory Group
- Belmont Sister City Association (Inc)
- Belmont Trust
- Executive Committee
- Standing Committee (Audit and Risk)
- WA Local Government Association East Metropolitan Zone



Cr Bernie RYAN

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Cr Bernie Ryan was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 2013. His term expires on 16 October, 2021.

Cr Bernie Ryan is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Airport Consultative Environment and Sustainability Group
- Belmont Trust
- Standing Committee (Environmental)
- WA Local Government Association East Metropolitan Zone
- Standing Committee (Community Vision)



Cr Margie BASS

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Cr Margie Bass was first elected to the City of Belmont Council in 1996 and served until 2007. She was re-elected in 2011 and her term expires on 21 October 2023.

Cr Margie Bass is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Belmont Trust
- Standing Committee (Audit and Risk)

South Ward



Cr Janet POWELL

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Cr Janet Powell was elected to the City of Belmont council in 2001. Her term expires on 16 October, 2021.

Cr Janet Powell is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Age Friendly Advisory Group
- Belmont Trust
- Cultural Diversity Advisory Group
- Eastern Metropolitan Regional Council
- Executive Committee
- Standing Committee (Community Vision)



Cr Jenny DAVIS

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Cr Jenny Davis was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 2017. Her term expires on 16 October 2021.

Cr Jenny Davis is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Access and Inclusion Advisory Group
- Belmont Trust
- Executive Committee
- Public Art Advisory Panel
- Standing Committee (Audit and Risk)



Cr Steve WOLFF

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Cr Steve Wolff was elected to the City of Belmont Council in 2007. His term expires on 21 October 2023.

Cr Steve Wolff is a member of the following committees/groups:

- Belmont Trust
- East Metropolitan Regional Council
- Executive Committee
- Standing Committee (Environmental)

OPPORTUNITY NEWS MAYOR'S MESSAGE



Welcome to the first edition of the Belmont Bulletin for 2020. I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year with family and friends.

We have a lot planned for the community in 2020, starting with Kidz

Fest which will start the ball rolling for this year's family and community events.

This exciting day provides activities and entertainment for young children and I hope to see you at Garvey Park in Ascot on Saturday, 15 February between 11am and 5pm for a great day of fun for the kids.

Kidz Fest is another free event proudly brought to you by the City of Belmont and Lotterywest.

Exciting times ahead are promised this year for the City of Belmont as the much-awaited

Community Centre opens in the third quarter of the year. This Centre will allow for the co-location of the library, digital hub and recording studio; museum, Senior Citizens Hub, offices for community service providers, cafe and crèche.

The Community Centre represents a major investment on the part of the City of Belmont to facilitate the delivery of community services, which is being generously supported with significant grants from the Federal Government and Lotterywest.

As the City of Opportunity, the City of Belmont aims to lead the way in facilitating new projects that will transform the City. During the year there is expected to be progression of Development Area 6 and the associated Redcliffe Train Station, Golden Gateway Local Structure Plan, as well as exciting new developments such as Costco near Perth Airport.

Last year's Community Perceptions Scorecard showed that the City was an industry leader in eight community and 10 industry services areas including its value for money from Council rates,

and how the community is informed about what's happening in the area, and the City expects to maintain these high standards during 2020.

The City intends to continue addressing issues affecting the community through the Community Safety Taskforce and Community Safety Alliance, as well as delivering localised place activities as part of its Community Place Making Strategy. There will also be the extensive range of exciting free events for our community to enjoy.

We will be keeping you informed about the progress of these projects so make sure you read your Belmont Bulletins, the City's website and the City's social media for updates during the year.

I would like to wish everyone a prosperous 2020 and look forward to catching up with you during the year at one of our many community events.

Cr Phil Marks Mayor

East Ward

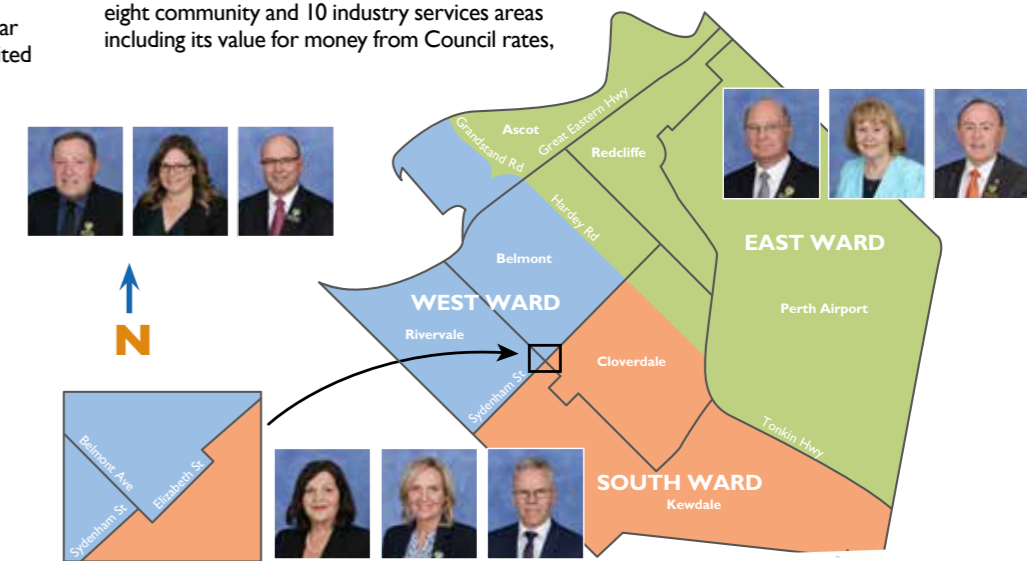
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West Ward

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Cr George Sekulla JP (Deputy Mayor)

South Ward

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Cr Steve Wolff



COMMUNITY CENTRE CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

As the new Community Centre landmark facade takes shape, landscape and paving works surrounding the building is being undertaken.

With the internal works carried out, the larger library, digital hub, senior citizens club, enhanced museum, a creche and cafe are taking shape and reflects a modern, user-friendly facility intended for all the community to access.

Other works in progress are the office spaces on the upper floor intended for non-profit organisations. Occupancy of the building is expected in the third quarter of 2020.

Should you have any queries please contact the City of Belmont on 9477 7222 or email communitycentre@belmont.wa.gov.au

If you have concerns out of normal office hours please contact PACT's Site Manager on 0499 110 233.

You can keep informed on the project's progress through updates in the Belmont Bulletin, the City's website, e-newsletter and social media.

To date the City has secured a \$9,675,081 Federal Government grant and through the State Government, a Lotterywest grant of \$3,837,557. If you would like further information visit www.belmont.wa.gov.au





Harmonise Cultural Festival - 21 March

Celebrate Harmony Week at the City of Belmont's Harmonise Festival on Saturday, 21 March 2020 from 3:30pm - 7:30pm at Faulkner Park.

Harmony Week runs from 15 to 21 March every year and encourages everyone to experience, explore and appreciate the City's cultural, religious, linguistic and ethnic diversity.

Get together for a free family outdoor concert to acknowledge and celebrate our cultural diversity.

There will be free entertainment and activities including:

- Culturally diverse entertainment;
- Fun kids games, rides and lots more.

Food and refreshments will be available for purchase.

Visit the City's website www.belmont.wa.gov.au for details.

GET READY FOR KIDZ FEST AT GARVEY PARK

Garvey Park at Fauntleroy Avenue, Ascot, turns into a fantasy land of fun at the annual City of Belmont's Kidz Fest on Saturday, 15 February from 11am to 5pm.

Enjoy a jam packed afternoon for the kids with a line-up of live entertainment, workshops, games, rides and much more!

Explore the entertainment and activities in Funland, Adventureland, Tomorrowland, Foodland, Toddler Town, Sportsland and the new Water World.



For children up to 14 years of age. All activities, attractions and parking are FREE!

Enjoy a day at beautiful Garvey Park by the Swan River. Food and beverages will be available for purchase on the day.

Kidz Fest is another free event proudly brought to you by the City of Belmont - the City of Opportunity and supported by Lotterywest.

For more information contact the City's Events Officer on 9477 7407.

Visit the City's website www.belmont.wa.gov.au for details.

DEVELOPMENT AREA 6 UPDATE

At the 10 December 2019 Ordinary Council Meeting, Council resolved to adopt the draft Redcliffe Station Activity Centre Plan for the purpose of pre-consultation with the community and relevant stakeholders for a 45 day period. It is anticipated that pre-consultation will occur in early 2020.

The draft Activity Centre Plan has been prepared to coordinate the future subdivision, zoning and development of land generally bound by

Great Eastern Highway, Tonkin Highway, Coolgardie Avenue, Redcliffe Road, Faulkner Avenue and the Airport Precincts.

To view the draft Activity Centre Plan and for further information on Development Area 6 please visit the City's website: www.belmont.wa.gov.au and search Development Area 6.

If you have any queries, please contact the Planning Department on 9477 7428.

ON THE ROADS

Here you can find a list of the current and upcoming road, drainage and footpath works within the City of Belmont. Find out what is happening and where.

ROAD, DRAINAGE AND FOOTPATH WORKS

Location	Section	Description of Works
Belmont Avenue	Campbell Street to Great Eastern Highway	Asphalt overlay and landscaping improvements – Stage 3 and 4
Belgravia Street	Great Eastern Highway to Hubert Street	Pavement reconstruction and asphalt overlay
Progress Way	Wright Street to Volcano Park	Parking bay installation
Desmond Place	Gladstone Road to Orrong Road	Upgrade of existing footpath
Armada Road	Francisco Street to Campbell Street	Upgrade of existing footpath
Matheson Road	Kalgoorlie Street to Keymer Street	Construction of new footpath
Knutsford Avenue	Keane Street to Willow Lake Park	Construction of new footpath
Kooyong Road	Macey Close to Francisco Street	Upgrade of existing footpath

Help us to improve our services by providing feedback.

Share your comments, suggestions and report problems spotted via our website www.belmont.wa.gov.au or call the Works Department of 9477 7118.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD WINNERS ANNOUNCED

Late last year, three remarkable individuals who have made a significant contribution to the Belmont community were recognised by the City of Belmont recently.

The 2019 Community Service Awards were presented to Joan Hill, Brian Carey and Jarrad Smith for their contribution to the community in the categories of Community Service and Youth.

City of Belmont Mayor Cr Phil Marks said community spirit is vital to a community to enable it to thrive and the recipients have displayed this through their hard work and dedication to serving others.

"All our recipients join the list of prestigious Community Service Award winners and they truly embody the spirit of our community. I want to thank them for serving our community and making the City of Belmont a great place for everyone to live in," Mayor Marks said.

Joan Hill was awarded for her contribution in the category of Community Service.

"During her 8 years of volunteering as a walk leader, Mrs Hill has helped the City's walking groups flourish, grow in numbers and diversity of members," Mayor Marks said.

"She is extremely proactive in offering her service and skills to volunteer," he said.

"She is always one of the first to volunteer at community events and other activities, and is a positive advocate for the City's programs and events."

Recognised in the Community Service category, Brian Carey has been instrumental in the establishment and the development of the Belmont Men's Shed and is involved in a wide range of community service activities.

"His skills and knowledge have enabled the Shed's Board of Management to be very successful in sourcing grants and funding," he said.



2019 City of Belmont Community Service Award winner Brian Carey, City of Belmont Mayor Cr Phil Marks, and 2019 Community Service Award winners Joan Hill and Jarrad Smith.

"He leads by example and has a high work ethic and caring manner and offers assistance wherever he can."

The third award was presented to Jarrad Smith in the Youth category. He was recognised for being a dedicated volunteer at The Base YMCA WA, and a leading young role model within his community.

"He has several volunteering roles at The Base including volunteering at the annual leadership camps, assistance with the boy's sport program every Tuesday, The Base@Belmont's community events and developing a program connecting boys with the Belmont Men's Shed," Mayor Marks said.

"He has a passion and empathy for inspiring young people to break the cycle of poverty, crime, lack of education and persistently making bad choices.

"With his encouragement he is having a profoundly positive influence on the next generation of young people."



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

CONNECT CLUB

Do you have a new or old phone or tablet and don't know how to use it? Do you want to be able to:

- Talk to family and friends overseas for free and even be able to see their faces?
- Take and share photos of family and fun?
- Want to learn tips and tricks of how to use your device to make life easier?
- How to learn to 'surf' the internet and be confident in using online services?

Then join us at the Connect Club. The Club runs fortnightly with an opportunity to hear about a new topic then spend some time learning from

others or sharing your own tips on how to navigate the digital world.

The Connect Club will have its first meeting on Tuesday 18 February and then every two weeks until May 2020.

Come to one or come to all sessions as each will be different.

Time: 10am - 12noon

Date: Tuesday, 3 March 2020

Venue: Miles Park Community Centre,
289 Belgravia Street, Cloverdale



BELMONT MEMORY CAFÉ

The Belmont Memory Café is a regular monthly meet up in a friendly venue where people living with dementia, their friends, family members and carers can share a coffee, cake, laughter and a chat. Café Tavolo (located in the Reading Cinema Complex) provides the venue for the Belmont Memory Café which is held the first Wednesday of each month at 10:30am. If you are interested in joining us just drop down or call Helen O'Sullivan on 9477 7149 at the City of Belmont for more information.

The first 2020 Memory Café will be held at 10:30am on Wednesday, 5 February.

Morning tea and a light lunch will be provided.



COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION FUND – ROUND 2 – CLOSING 28 FEBRUARY 2020

The City of Belmont is committed to supporting local projects and organisations that build community connections and strengthen local capacity self-reliance.

The City's Community Contribution Fund has been established to provide limited financial support to organisations and groups within the City of Belmont to further community projects and initiatives.

Incorporated not for profit organisations or groups under the auspice of an incorporated group can apply for funding up to \$5,000 (conditions apply).

Two Community Contribution Fund workshops will be facilitated in February 2020 and all applicants are strongly encouraged to attend one of these sessions.

Time: 10am - 12noon

Date: Friday, 7 February 2020 and

Time: 5:30pm - 7pm

Date: Wednesday, 12 February 2020

Both workshops will be held at the City of Belmont's Civic Centre, 215 Wright Street, Cloverdale.

Book your spot here <https://contribution-fund.eventbrite.com.au>

Please see the City's website for further information www.belmont.wa.gov.au/Communityfund

GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP

Do you want to find out about other funding and grants for your projects?

Join the City of Belmont for a FREE GRANT WORKSHOP in March and learn about where to look for funding and how to write a good application.

All not-for-profit organisations and community groups working for the City of Belmont community are welcome to attend.

Date: Thursday 12 March 2020

Time: 6pm - 9pm (Refreshments provided)

Venue: City of Belmont Civic Centre

For more information please phone the City's grants officer on 9477 7191.

Or book here <https://grantworkshop.eventbrite.com.au>

Look forward to seeing you!

RESUME WRITING

Do you need support with writing your resume?

Whether you have years of experience under your belt or are newly joining the workforce, your chance of landing an interview is much more likely if you have an outstanding resume to show off your education, skills and experience.

The City provides free resume writing support weekly on Tuesday and Friday morning from 9am - 11am and on Wednesday afternoon 1pm - 3pm.

To book a spot, please contact the City's Cultural Engagement Officer on 9477 7453 or email community.development@belmont.wa.gov.au for further enquiries.

LET'S TALK ABOUT... SERIES 2020

The Let's Talk About series provides you with the opportunity to hear from key speakers and have the time to discuss and ask questions over a cuppa at the Rivervale Community Centre.

Navigating the Aged Care System

The Council of the Ageing WA will provide a free and independent information session on what support services are available for people living in their own home.

Time: 10:30 - 12noon

Date: Wednesday, 4 March 2020

Housing – what are the options?

This session will include a presentation of the new WA Housing Strategy and an opportunity to talk about alternative housing and living arrangements..

Time: 10:30am - 12noon

Date: Tuesday, 31 March 2020

Advanced Life Planning – Planning your future for everybody.

Advance care planning is about your future health care. It gives you the opportunity to plan for what you would want or not want and helps your family too!

Time: 10am - 12noon

Date: Wednesday, 29 April 2020

Older People's Rights

While older people enjoy the same universal rights as everyone else, some rights are particularly relevant to the experience of ageing.

Time: 10:30am - 12noon

Date: Thursday, 21 May 2020

All 'Let's Talk About...' events will be held at the Rivervale Community Centre, Francisco Street, Rivervale

Please contact the City's Community Development team on community.development@belmont.wa.gov.au or phone 9477 7219 for more information.



COMMUNITY PLACEMAKING

The City's Placemaking team is committed to creating great places that result in more connected, healthier and happier communities.

LET'S GO ON A BELMONSTER ADVENTURE!

Did you find the Belmonsters hiding around the City in November? Well it's not too late! The competition may have ended but the Belmonsters are still hiding out and about in Belmont! Collect your Belmonster Adventure Trail Map from the Ruth Faulkner Library and see if you can find out where they're hiding.

The Map even includes a colouring page to keep you busy over the holidays! Alternatively find the map on the City of Belmont's website.



BELVIDERE STREET PARKLET

We are celebrating the first year of a successful community Parklet on Belvidere Street. Check it out next time you're passing by, it's a great spot to sit back and enjoy a cuppa and a bite to eat from one of the many traders along the strip.





2019 HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TEAM

CELEBRATING OUR COMMUNITY

- NAIDOC Flag Raising Ceremony: 2019 NAIDOC Community Award – Neil Coyne
- National Reconciliation Week: Aboriginal Cultural Awareness and Understanding Sessions
- Harmony Week - Celebrating the Diversity of our Community
- International Day for Tolerance:
 - Free Movie screening of 'The Big Sick'.
 - Community Chalkboard installation at Tomato Lake for community members to take part in sharing messages of peace
- Annual celebrations and recognition of volunteers through National Volunteer Week, International Volunteer Day and volunteer outings.
- Youth Week – 'Fab Fun Day Out - Celebrating the City's Young People'
- Children's Week – Celebrating children's rights, talents and citizenship through a 'Play Date' at Forster Park with over 70 children and 50 parents attending.
- The City of Belmont and the Base @ Belmont celebrated the 2019 Youth Green Awards recognising the hard work and dedication of four young people who have made an environmental or green contribution.
- The annual Harmony Student Awards acknowledging and recognising students who have contributed to creating a welcoming community
- Seniors Week WA
- International Day of People with Disability

ENTERTAINING OUR COMMUNITY

- Kambarang Season celebrations as part of the Let's Celebrate Festival with a performance by Gina Williams and Guy Ghouse
- 'Stress Less Fest' with a demonstration by Todd Meyn of Nitro Circus and participation by young people in the community.
- YMCA Action Sports hosted a skate park league competition at the Belmont skate park, supported by The Base @ Belmont.
- Seniors Week Musical Memories
- Bussing Around Belmont tour
- Noongar Seasons Barbecues held at Wilson Park
- Harman Park Open Day
- Para Dance Display at Forster Park showcasing wheelchair ballroom dancing

ENGAGING OUR COMMUNITY

- Belmont Memory Café
- Step into Volunteering sessions and a pop up volunteer centre linked residents to the latest volunteering opportunities in the local area.
- Recruitment of local residents into volunteer roles within Council.
- The Youth Strategy 2019 and Beyond launched
- Review of Multicultural Engagement Strategy
- Regular Advisory Group meetings with community members and service providers

LEARNING IN OUR COMMUNITY

- Cultural Bus Tour with Noel Nannup – learning the history and culture of the Belmont Area.
- NDIS and MyAged Care Drop in Sessions
- Let's Talk About sessions:
 - Dementia Awareness
 - Cultural Diversity
 - Older People's Rights
 - Refugee Week
 - National Disability Insurance Scheme
- Aboriginal Cultural Awareness and Understanding Sessions
- Stay Sharp for Seniors – 8 week program introducing a range of physical activities.
- Employability Workshops
- Resume Writing Support
- English Conversation Classes
- 'Money Matters - Building Financial Security' workshop
- Food Sensations program run by Food Bank WA with the local Eritrean Community
- The City partnered with Communicare to support the MYSport Get Active Program - a six-week program to support young people in developing basketball skills, enhancing self-esteem and social co-operation.
- The City of Belmont has signed up to support the Australian Human Rights Commission 'Racism. It Stops With Me' campaign taking a stand against racism
- Child Protection workshops and educational resources delivered to the Community and primary schools
- DR YES facilitated workshops on topics such as mental health and sexual health for young people.
- The Prevent Alcohol and Risk-related Trauma in Youth (PARTY) Program facilitated an injury prevention workshop.
- The Constable Care Theatrical Response Group (TRG) facilitated two performances at Belmont City College.

SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY

Service delivered to older residents:

11,091 hours of in-home support delivered

30,283 hours of social activities delivered from the Harman Park Community Centre

5,785 meals at home and meals at centre delivered

12, 830 one way transports.

440 residents supported via the Commonwealth Home Support Programme and Western Australia Home and Community Care Programme

KING OF THE HILL

The annual King of the Hill Skateboard and Scooter Comp series is back for 2020!

The competition will have heaps of huge prizes including a cash prize for first, second and third in each age division for both skateboard and scooter.

The Skate Park Series is a collaborative project between the City of Belmont, City of Gosnells Youth Services, and City of Canning.



- City of Belmont will be hosting their qualifier on Saturday, 14 March 2020 at Belmont Skate Park.
- City of Gosnells will be hosting their qualifier on Saturday, 21 March 2020.
- City of Canning will be hosting their qualifier and the grand final on Saturday, 28 March 2020.

For more information please contact the City's Community Development team on community.development@belmont.wa.gov.au or phone 9477 7219.



SPORTING AND CULTURAL DONATIONS

The City is proud of its high achievers and wishes to congratulate the following sporting donation recipients who have excelled in their sport:

Kris Charlie and Donald Paekau - Australian Men's & Mixed Netball Championships in Adelaide

Yasmine Ramanah – Australian All Star Cheer & Dance Championship Nationals in Melbourne

Daniel Meloncelli and Andrew Hurrelbrink – Australian Baseball National Championships in Geelong

Are you representing the state in a national or international sporting competition or cultural endeavour? If so, the City would like to support you in your athletic or cultural pursuits.

For guidelines and an application form please visit the lifestyle section of the City's website www.belmont.wa.gov.au or contact Community Wellbeing on 9477 7454.



Daniel Meloncelli with City of Belmont Mayor, Cr Phil Marks

TRY SOMETHING NEW AT THE JUNIOR SPORTS EXPO

Looking for ways to keep your kids active this winter? The Kidzfest Junior Sports Expo will be held at Garvey Park on Saturday, 15 February 2020 from 11am to 5pm. The Expo will showcase the various winter sports on offer throughout the City and kids will have the opportunity to experience a number of different sports through come and try activities run by local sporting clubs.

For those attending who would like to enrol in a winter sport and are eligible for KidSport, the Community Wellbeing team will be there to advise the process for applying for online KidSport applications.

We look forward to seeing you all on the day.

For further information, contact Community Wellbeing team on 9477 7454 or email recreation@belmont.wa.gov.au



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR WALKTOBER CHALLENGE WINNERS

Congratulations to all who took part in the City's Walktober Challenge during October.

The following competition winners took home a FitBit to assist with physical activity tracking:

Sandra Spratt – Healthy Heart Walkers Tomato Lake

Pat Risbridger – Healthy Heart Walkers Tomato Lake

Pat Kingston – Tomato Lake Heart Foundation Walking Group

SUMMER 2020 ACTIVE NUTRITIOUS AND CREATIVE LIFESTYLE PROGRAMS

Program	Location	Time	Dates
Come and Try – 6 weeks Touch Football	Miles Park	6pm – 7pm	22 January - 26 February
Come and Try – Forster Park Outdoor Fitness Equipment Sessions	Forster Park (Corner Keane & Fisher St)	Session 1: 10:30am – 11:30am Session 2: 5:30pm – 6:30pm Session 3: 8:30am – 9:30am	3 February - 29 February
Packed with Goodness	Rivervale Community Centre – Meeting Room 2/3	6pm – 7:30pm	11 February
Mindfulness to improve your mental health	Rivervale Community Centre – Meeting Room 2/3	6pm – 7pm	18 February
From Graffiti to Urban Street Art	Belmont Skate Park	10:30am – 1:30pm	8 February
Creative Contemporary Acrylics with Pam Lockwood	Rivervale Community Centre – Meeting Room 2/3	6:30pm – 8:30pm	12 February - 18 March

To register, or for more information please visit www.belmont.wa.gov.au

If you would like to hear about what is happening first please register to join the database by contacting the City of Belmont's Community Wellbeing Team on 9477 7454 or email recreation@belmont.wa.gov.au.

WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?

What can we do to help? In the first instance it is recommended to contact the City and an officer can respond to your query. This can be done by email, phone, letter, or by attending the office. Another option is to come along to an Ordinary Council Meeting and raise your issue(s)/concern(s) with the Council.

A period for public questions is included at the start of each Ordinary Council Meeting. Ordinary Council Meetings are held in the Council Chamber of the City of Belmont Civic Centre, 215 Wright Street, Cloverdale, commencing at 7pm. Access to the building is available from 6:45pm.

You can submit your question in writing by completing a Public Question Time Proforma and submit it via email to belmont@belmont.wa.gov.au by 12noon on the day of the meeting or bring it with you to the meeting.

You must attend the meeting in person for your question to be raised and responded to. If you do not attend, your question will be treated as normal correspondence.

Further information is available on the City of Belmont website www.belmont.wa.gov.au



The Ordinary Council Meeting dates for 2020 are:

Ordinary Council Meeting – 7pm Tuesday

25 February 2020	23 June 2020	27 October 2020
24 March 2020	28 July 2020	24 November 2020
28 April 2020	25 August 2020	15 December 2020
26 May 2020	22 September 2020	

WHAT'S ON AT THE LIBRARY

READY FOR RELOCATION

To prepare for the move into the City's amazing new community centre, Ruth Faulkner Library will close temporarily from Monday, 10 February to Saturday, 22 February 2020.

The library's current space will be converted to a mini-library during this initial closure. Online services (including ebooks) will be available throughout the closure and items can be returned via the 24/7 after-hours chute any time.

Phone or email queries can be made between 9am and 5pm on weekdays. Library staff will be available at the Civic Centre from 2pm and 4pm weekdays for hold pick-ups and general enquiries.

The mini-library will reopen from 9am on Monday, 24 February 2020. For more information phone 9477 7150.

NEW YEAR – NEW PROGRAMS

2020 is an exciting year for the Ruth Faulkner Library as we prepare for fantastic new facilities including a dedicated children's area, recording studio facilities, an innovation lab, and designated spaces for community meetings, browsing the collection and using technology. Due to the staged move into the new building and the reduced library floor space our regular programming for children and adults has undergone some temporary changes. We encourage you to visit our website for full details on our programming this year.

FIRE ENGINE FUN

**Thursday, 6 February 2020
10am to 11:30am**

For children aged 2 to 6 years

Nee-Naw, Nee-Naw! Children will learn about the important role played by fire fighters in this special story time event. Enjoy a ride on a fire engine and a chance to squirt a fire hose.

Please ensure your children are sun-safe and ready for some water play when attending this session.

No bookings required.

PERSON OF INTEREST: DAVE WARNER – SEX, SPORT AND SOCRATES

**Wednesday, 4 March 2020
6:30pm to 7:30pm**

For adults.

Dave Warner, the Suburban Boy, is an engaging raconteur and wordsmith. Aided and abetted by the remarkable Tony Durant on guitar, Dave will sketch out his creative life; growing up in the suburbs of the world's most isolated city, writing bad teen poetry, singing out of tune in garage bands, scaling the hillock of rock before rolling into the valley of crime fiction.

Be the first in the world to hear about his upcoming novel *Over My Dead Body*. This is one event you don't want to miss.

To book, visit www.belmont.wa.gov.au/libraryevents

HARMONY WEEK

BI-LINGUAL STORYTIMES

Thursdays in March 2020

10am to 10:30am

For children aged 2 to 6 years

Join us as we celebrate our diverse community with a series of bilingual storytimes. Listen to stories and learn greetings and songs performed in Italian, Mandarin, Noongar and Indonesian.

No bookings required.



BELMONT INTEREST GROUP - BOLLYWOOD: BRIGHT AND BOLD

**Monday, 16 March 2020
2pm to 3pm**

Experience a colourful and energetic cultural performance from the Bollywood Dance School performers. Discover the origins of this dance style and try your hand at some traditional moves. Bollywood dancing is about letting go of your inhibitions & giving into something that is larger than life!

No bookings required.

HARMONY AND HENNA

**Monday, 16 March 2020
4pm to 5pm**

Discover the intricacy and beauty of the traditional Indian arts of dance and henna art in this unique workshop. Join experienced dancers and artists for an explanation of the cultural significance of the traditions and try them out yourself. During the workshop each participant will experience traditional henna work by receiving a temporary design from a professional artist. Parental permission a must!

To book visit www.belmont.wa.gov.au/librarykidsevents

SEARCH ON FOR YOUR MEMORIES OF PERTH AIRPORT!

Do you remember flying in to Perth Airport for the first time? Or maybe for the 100th time? The sounds and smells of the plane, the airport, the food, the turbulence, visiting the pilot, chatting with the stewardess?

Are there images and memories of Perth from above that have stayed with you? We're looking for stories that we can profile in our exciting new interactive Museum exhibition and we'd love to hear about your experiences and memories of Perth airport!

For more information please visit www.belmont.wa.gov.au/museum/whatson



LOCAL HISTORY PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION WINNER 2019



Winner - Helen Hall 2019 Local History Photographic (Wilson Family Shop with father Charlie Wilson cnr Gt Eastern Hwy and Norwood March 1922).



Store, corner of Great Eastern Highway and Norwood Road, dated 1922.

Helen also submitted a great 2019 photo of the Wilson Family shop, still standing today in the same location. Looking at it beside her winning 1922 photo, it's very interesting to see how some things change and some things stay the same.

There were two winners of the People's Choice Award, Richard Evans and Daphne Evans, both of whom received a \$150 voucher from local sponsor Effects Picture Framing. Just for voting for her favourite photo, Judith Reudavey became the lucky winner of a Library and Museum hamper.



Highly Commended John O'Rourke 2019 Opening of the Peet Park football clubrooms c1957



Highly Commended Lorraine Heldberg 2019 Local History Photographic Comp - The old humpy on Belgravia Street where Jones family lived while their new home was built c1957.

LOCAL HISTORY PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION ALWAYS OPEN

The 2020 Local History Photographic Competition is now open all year round, effective immediately! Pick up an entry form from the Library or Museum and get your photos in now. Entries are welcome for all kinds of photos from any period in the past. You could win a \$500 cash prize!

For more information or to submit your photos, go to www.belmont.wa.gov.au/museum/whatson

If you require further information regarding Library and Museum events or would like to make a booking for Library or Museum events please contact the Library on 9477 7150 or email libinfodesk@belmont.wa.gov.au or visit the Library at 215 Wright Street, Cloverdale. Click on the Library's quicklink at www.belmont.wa.gov.au for further details about activities and dates.



SUNDAY 1 MARCH - CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY

Every year, hundreds of thousands of Australians assist in cleaning up their local environment by collecting and removing rubbish on Clean Up Australia Day. Find a site near you at www.cleanupaustriaday.org.au/join.

Those who wish to contribute on an ongoing basis are encouraged to register through Keep Australia Beautiful's 'Adopt a Spot' program. The City can provide bags and gloves and arrange removal of the collected litter.

PARKS WEEK

Parks Week is about hundreds of organisations across Australia and New Zealand holding events to celebrate the vital role parks play in creating liveable cities and thriving communities. Parks Week 2020 will focus on the how spending time in our parks and open spaces positively influences our wellbeing.

Look out for upcoming activities to celebrate the City's amazing parks!



PEACHEY PARK UPGRADE

Over the past few months the City of Belmont has been working on site investigations relating to Peachey Park and has been in consultation with the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation (DWER) and the Department of Health (DoH) regarding the asbestos containing materials (ACM) that were found on site.

The City has been asked to prepare additional documentation to support the resolution of this matter, which will include a management plan for the site.

The City is preparing the required documentation and expects the submission to be complete by mid to late January.

Regrettably, the City is not able to confirm a date for the removal of fencing on the site at this stage, as work on site is unable to progress until further advice and clearance from DWER and DoH is received. Irrigation has now been restored to the surrounding parkland and the City is working hard to revive the turf in these areas.

IMMUNISATION CLINICS

The Department of Health holds FREE immunisation to all children from six weeks to four years of age. Vaccinations are given in accordance with the current National Schedule.

Time: 9:30am - 2:15pm

Day: Thursday

Dates: 13 & 27 February, 12 & 26 March, 9 & 23 April, 14 & 28 May, 11 & 25 June, 9 & 23 July, 13 & 27 August, 10 & 24 September, 22 October, 12 & 26 November, 10 December

Location: Youth & Family Services Centre, 275 Abernethy Road, Cloverdale (middle section of the building)

For information about your child's immunisation status, contact Medicare's Immunisation Register on 1800 653 809 or refer to the Australian Childhood Immunisation Register page at www.humanservices.gov.au.

To make an appointment or to request further information, please contact the Immunisation Booking Hotline on **6151 1308** on weekdays between 9am and 4pm.



DOGS ON LEADS

Keep your four-legged friend and others around you safe.

When in a public place or park such as Garvey Park and Tomato Lake, your dog must be kept on a leash and under control at all times.

With more than 20 dog exercise areas in the City of Belmont, there are plenty of places for your pet to explore.

Remember, fines apply to those found with dogs off leash in public places. The responsibilities and laws relating to dog ownership can be found at the City's website www.belmont.wa.gov.au/dogsonleads



CELEBRATING BELMONT

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We love seeing your snaps! Share your picture with us with #celebratebelmont for the chance to feature in the next edition of the Belmont Bulletin.



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@its_just_an_entry



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Share your love of our community on Instagram!

The City of Belmont is on Instagram! Discover the best of your community by following us at @belmontcouncilwa and share your snaps with #celebratebelmont or any of our special feature hashtags throughout the year.

To feature in the next edition hashtag your snaps with #celebratebelmont or Kidz Fest shots with #KidzFest



OPPORTUNITY CARD

For the current list of offers at local businesses, visit the City of Belmont website belmont.wa.gov.au



City of Belmont's

KIDZ FEST

**JOIN US AT THE
CITY OF BELMONT'S
KIDZ FEST 2020!**

Saturday, 15 February 2020,
11am to 5pm
at Garvey Park, Ascot

FREE EVENT

**A FESTIVAL TO EXCITE EVERY KID'S
IMAGINATION WITH A SPECTACULAR LINE
UP OF LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, WORKSHOPS,
HAVE-A-GO SPORTS, CUDDLY ANIMALS, GAMES,
RIDES AND MUCH MORE!**

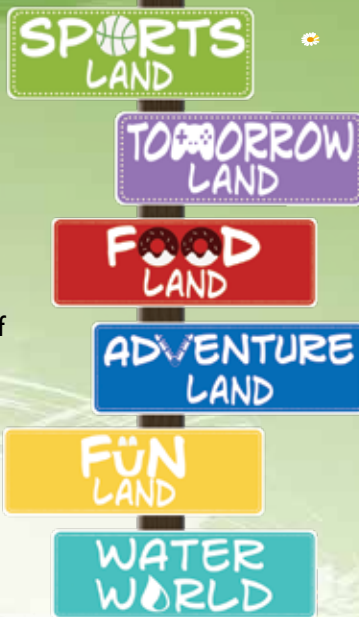


Food and refreshments available for purchase.

For more information, visit www.belmont.wa.gov.au or phone 9477 7248.

This smoke and alcohol free event is proudly brought to you by the City of Belmont – the City of Opportunity. TravelSmart – why not cycle, walk or take public transport?

Thank you to our event sponsor.



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