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Auditor-General criticises poor management of racecourse Crown Land

Victoria's Auditor-General has heavily criticised the management, use and governance of the Crown Land at Caulfield Racecourse.

The Auditor-General tabled his 63 page Report in Parliament on 17 September 2014. It contains 15 recommendations for change.

The Crown Land is reserved for three purposes — a racecourse, public recreation ground and public park. The audit examined the effectiveness of Caulfield Racecourse Reserve Trust's management of the land and the oversight provided by the Department of Environment and Primary Industries (DEPI).

The Auditor-General's Report stated:

"In terms of meeting the three purposes under the Crown grant, the trust has given preference to racing interests and paid insufficient attention to use of the reserve for recreational pursuits and as a public park. This has resulted in a limited amount of space being available for community use." (Page 26)

"The Trust has also failed to adequately manage its relationship and contractual arrangements with the Melbourne Racing Club. This has prevented it from appropriately controlling, when necessary, the impact racing-related activities have on the access and use of the reserve for other purposes." (Page 26)

"As a result, the amount of space available for the community is limited and does not equitably meet the community-related

purposes in the Crown grant. The public space is not easily accessible, entry points and signage are inadequate, and although the facilities within the reserve have recently been upgraded, they do not address the community desire for more recreational facilities within the City of Glen Eira." (Audit Summary, page X)

"The Department of Environment and Primary Industries (DEPI) has failed to address significant issues that have been drawn to its attention by the government [trustees] and Council trustees, such as concerns over trustees' conflicts of interest." (Page 41)

"Contemporary governance arrangements need to be urgently introduced over the management of the trust to ensure it complies with the intentions of the Crown grant ... If trustees fail or are unable to agree to implement and abide by contemporary governance standards, the Department should consider other management arrangements over the Caulfield Racecourse Reserve such as a committee of management or a trust under its own legislation." (Page XV)

"I intend to revisit the issues that my office has identified in this Report to ensure they are being appropriately addressed." (Covering letter from John Doyle, Auditor General, Page VIII)

The Report vindicates the concerns which Glen Eira City Council has put to governments over many years to achieve public use of this public land. (This includes Council's evidence to the All Party Parliamentary Select Committee in 2008.)

In particular, there are more teams wishing to play community sport than there are grounds for. It is common practice around the world for the centres of racecourses to accommodate sporting and recreational facilities so that the land can benefit both the racing industry and the community — not one at the expense of the other.

The trust is currently in the process of negotiating new leases with Melbourne Racing Club for parts of the Crown Land. Council expects that all leases and licences will give effect to the Auditor-General's recommendations.

Council will be asking both Government and Opposition to give unqualified commitments to implement all the Auditor-General's recommendations during the next term of Parliament, in order to achieve public use of public land.

The Auditor-General's Report is available at www.audit.vic.gov.au

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Mayor's column

Throughout the month of October, Glen Eira City Council will host a range of events and activities that celebrate the diversity of our senior residents.

Council's 2014 Seniors Festival is a wonderful opportunity to demonstrate our commitment to our senior residents.

There is something for everyone in this year's program, including concerts, seminars, walking tours, talks, library activities and social and physical activities.

Detailed information can be found on page eight and nine.

Community Safety Month will also be held during October, with Council hosting a number of activities, including Responsible Service of Alcohol training for sporting clubs and CPR awareness training.

You will also be able to dispose of any unwanted medicines at Council's Service Centre throughout the month, so please take advantage.

Springtime Music 2014 will commence on Sunday 5 October with an exciting series of free concerts. Prepare to relax in the spring sun with *Bohemian Nights*, *The Fenians*, *Gnarnayarrahe* and *Alinta Waltairle*, *The MikMaks*, *Jen's Sooper Dooper Music Show*, *Asanti Trio*, *Eamon and Dudi Project* and *Stiletto Sisters*. Details of dates, times and locations can be found on page 12.

Finally, *Ride to Work Day* will be held on Wednesday 15 October.

Cycling is fast becoming the cheapest and easiest way to travel. There are many positive benefits of cycling, including a reduced carbon footprint.

Cycling does not produce greenhouse gases, other pollutants or noise and uses little road and parking space.

With the warmer weather now upon us, why not give cycling a go. Visit www.ride2work.com.au for further information.

Cr Neil Pilling
Mayor



Returning lost pets back to their owners

Owners are responsible for ensuring their pet is contained on their property at all times.

An animal found wandering will be collected by Glen Eira City Council's civic compliance officers, who will make every effort to identify the owner and contact them to arrange the return of their pet.

Council's Manager Building and Civic Compliance John Bordignon said the best way to ensure this happens is if the pet is wearing an identification tag or is implanted with a microchip.

"If your animal is registered and wearing its Council tag, and we can contact you, in most cases your animal may be easily returned," Mr Bordignon said.

"During the 2013-14 financial year, 367 dogs and 125 cats were returned/reclaimed."

If the pet owner is unable to be identified, the pet will be impounded at the RSPCA shelter in Burwood.

Owners are responsible for all costs associated with impounding the animal.

In the case that your animal is not registered, you must register and microchip the animal before it can be released to you. This can be done at the RSPCA prior to release. A fine may also be imposed.

Mr Bordignon said if your pet goes missing, the first thing to do is contact Council's Service Centre to find out whether Council has impounded the animal.

"If you find that your pet hasn't been impounded, you will need to lodge a missing animal report," Mr Bordignon said.

"If you have a photo of your lost pet, email it to Council's Civic Compliance Unit at mail@gleneira.vic.gov.au and we will alert our animal management officers.

"Alternatively, pictures of recently impounded animals are placed on Council's website for identification."

For further information about lost and found pets, contact Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333 or visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au

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DEADLINES

The deadline for the next edition (November) of *Glen Eira News* is Wednesday 1 October for delivery 27 to 31 October (weather permitting).

Coming deadlines

The deadline for the December edition of *Glen Eira News* is Wednesday 29 October for delivery 1 to 5 December (weather permitting). For advertising and *Community Diary* enquiries, contact 9524 3333 or email editor@gleneira.vic.gov.au

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Celebrating children in Glen Eira



Children's Week 2014 will be held from 18 to 26 October. This annual event celebrates childhood with a diverse range of events and activities organised at national, state and local levels.

To celebrate *Children's Week*, Glen Eira City Council will host a range of activities and entertainment for all children and their families.

Indigenous performance and arts and crafts

Monday 20 October

10am to 12pm, Allnutt Park, McKinnon

Come and get creative with your kids in the park and embrace Australia's cultural heritage with an indigenous performance by Ian Hunter and arts and craft activities.

Healthy eating and active lifestyles

Wednesday 22 October

10am to 12pm, Murrumbeena Reserve, Murrumbeena

Take part in a fun and challenging obstacle course run by staff from Glen

Eira Sports and Aquatic Centre and learn more about healthy eating — with complementary fruit and a bottle of water.



Children's centre open morning
Thursday 23 October
9.30am to 10.30am, Caulfield, Carnegie and Murrumbeena Children's Centres

Council's three children's centres will open their doors for families to visit and see what makes their learning and care programs special.

Caring for the environment
Friday 24 October
10am to 12pm, Harleston Park, Elsternwick

Learn more about living sustainably in Glen Eira with a recycling display, seed planting demonstrations and an exciting scavenger hunt in the park.

Children's Day
Saturday 25 October
9.30am to 12.30pm, Carnegie Library, Boyd Room and Forecourt

The most fun-filled day of *Children's*

Week, with a range of activities including a mobile petting farm, balloon artists, stilt walkers, an art show and craft activities.

At 11am, sing-along with Gillian and Terry to *Miles of Smiles*, a musical adventure with hits from ABC4Kids albums *Jellybean Jar*, *Insects and Bugs* and *The Intergalactical Album*.

The MikMaks
Sunday 26 October
3pm to 5pm, Carnegie Library, Carnegie

The MikMaks are one of Australia's most popular children's entertainment groups and will be playing at Carnegie Library as part of Council's *Springtime Music Series*. The group will play a range of music perfect for children of all ages.

For further information about *Children's Week 2014*, contact Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333 or visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au



Community column

Speaking up for our City

Pre-election forum

Glen Eira City Council hosted a pre-election transport forum on Wednesday 10 September.

Presented by advocacy group, the Metropolitan Transport Forum, the Glen Eira community heard from the following candidates about their transport plans:

- David Southwick MP, State Member for Caulfield;
- Nick Staikos, ALP candidate for Bentleigh; and
- Sean Mulcahy, Greens candidate for Bentleigh.

Council presents to State Government

Glen Eira City Council's Public Health Unit recently presented its risk-based inspection system to the State Government Food Safety Unit.

The system identifies uncontrolled food safety risks, ranks them and provides an overall risk rating for each food business.

This unique approach not only ensures business operators understand high-risk practices within their business, but also focusses Council resources towards those businesses where there is the greatest risk of food safety problems.

The presentation was well-received, with those in attendance saying that it is hoped that other councils would adopt a similar system.

Engaging our community

Awards of Excellence

Lifeguards from Glen Eira Sports and Aquatic Centre (GESAC) were recognised at the Life Saving Victoria Awards of Excellence in late July.

Earlier this year, GESAC won the Lifesaving Victoria Professional Pool Lifeguard Challenge at Oakleigh Recreation Centre. More than 60 lifeguards from 15 aquatic centres participated in the annual event.

Special four-year-old immunisation sessions 2014

Glen Eira City Council's Immunisation Service is offering immunisation sessions for four-year-old children in 2014. These immunisations are recommended to be given just prior to a child's fourth birthday.

All four-year-old children receiving their immunisation will receive a free show bag. Face painting, balloons and magic tricks will keep the kids entertained.



Saturday 4 October
9.30am–11.30am

Bentleigh-Bayside Community Health Centre
Gardeners Road
Bentleigh East

Wednesday 5 November
4pm–6pm

Carnegie Library and Community Centre
7 Shepperson Avenue
Carnegie

Saturday 6 December
9.30am–11.30am

Bentleigh-Bayside Community Health Centre
Gardeners Roads
Bentleigh East



Glen Eira City Council

Bentleigh Bentleigh East Brighton East Carnegie Caulfield Elsternwick Gardenvale Glen Huntly McKinnon Murrumbeena Ormond St Kilda East



CEO's column

Work is about to start on three open space projects.

Memorial Park in Caulfield North will be upgraded to increase the grassed areas and bring the Park right up to Kooyong Road. It will create a larger and more useable open space for the neighbourhood.

Bitumen will be replaced with park land at the intersection of Archibald and Gisborne Streets, Elsternwick. The new open space, although small, will be an additional park in a suburb which is under provided for. Turning roads into parkland was done very successfully 20 years ago with Gardenvale Park and we intend to undertake more of these conversions in other parts of the City.

Memorial Park and Archibald/Gisborne are both scheduled to be completed in December this year.

Work is about to commence to convert the disused Glen Huntly Reservoir to a large new park. Half of the walls are being removed and half are being retained as a permanent reminder of the site's history as a reservoir. Removals are scheduled to be completed in 2014 when the site will look large but bare and then the specification will be finalised for public tendering. Work to build the new park will commence in the middle of next year and be completed in the first half of 2016. The new park will be about the same size as Hopetoun Gardens in Elsternwick or Halley Park in Bentleigh. Further details can be found on page 6.

Glen Eira City Council's highest priority is to provide more and better open space.

Andrew Newton
Chief Executive Officer



Children find gardening creative and fun

Amanda, a teacher from Wesley College's Early Learning Centre, contacted Glen Eira City Council following its registration in the *Neighbourhood Sustainable Gardening Program*.

The College has recently redeveloped its outdoor learning area.

"The children love playing in their new, green outdoor learning space," Amanda said.

"We have incorporated a worm farm, a rainwater tank, vegetable plots and plants to attract birds and insects into the garden.

"There is also a creek with a recycled water wall, a treehouse, digging patch and a sensory garden."

Are you interested in joining the Sustainable Gardening Program?

Council launched its *Neighbourhood Sustainable Gardening Program* for residents, schools, organisations and businesses in Glen Eira, to encourage people to make their garden more sustainable.

The *Program* is designed to tap into and build on the passion, knowledge and skills of residents as gardeners and managers of open spaces.

The *Program* currently has more than 440 members and the numbers continue to grow.

Anyone who has (or is planning to have) a vegetable patch, fruit trees, compost system, local indigenous plants, water-wise features or chickens can join the *Program*.

Registered gardeners will receive a welcome pack, which includes a sign that can be attached to their fence identifying that they are part of the *Program*. They will be sent regular updates on local events (run by Council and community groups) and specific local gardening information.

To register for the *Program*, visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/sustainable_garden

For further information, contact Council's sustainable education officer on 9524 3333 or email sustainability@gleneira.vic.gov.au



E-waste collection

Residents wishing to dispose of any old TVs or e-waste should note that Glen Eira City Council collects electronic equipment (e-waste) for recycling as part of its free kerbside hard rubbish collection.

Every household is entitled to three free, on-demand hard rubbish collections from your nature strip each financial year.

E-waste collected:

- televisions;
- computers;
- printers;
- faxes;
- laptops; and
- DVD players.

Please note: residents are responsible for removing private or confidential data from any equipment left out for recycling.

Guidelines apply. To book, contact Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333 or visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au and book online. Collection is complete within four working days.

Caulfield: a Living City — a rare glimpse of times gone by

A request to the Australian Centre for the Moving Image (ACMI) has resulted in the discovery and preservation of a rare 1960s film of the City of Caulfield.

Caulfield: a Living City was produced in 1963 during the City of Caulfield's 50th anniversary. The film was made by the Caulfield Film Society for the City of Caulfield.

The film, originally in 16 millimetre colour and now digitised to ensure its long-term preservation, provides a rare glimpse of what it was like to live and work in the thriving City of Caulfield in the early 1960s.

Life in Caulfield is captured from all perspectives and in every possible location, including Caulfield Racecourse, sporting clubs, local parks and gardens and churches.

The many and varied local community activities that feature include the glamorous Caulfield Cup *Fashions on the Field*, sporting activities such as tennis and bowls and the intriguing Greco-Roman wrestling.

Council-run community services such as Meals on Wheels are also highlighted in the film, which shows that they were considered an important and valuable

part of everyday community life.

The scenes inside Town Hall with Council staff hard at work provide a unique treat and clearly show how much has changed over the last 50 years — the telephonist at her switchboard, the busy typing pool and the building surveyor/planner looking over some plans while casually smoking a cigarette.

Glen Eira City Council History and Heritage Co-ordinator Elizabeth Triarico said ACMI has provided Council with a digitised copy of the film.

"This film is an important and unique

historical record of life in Caulfield in the early 1960s. It will be a great addition to Council's History and Heritage collection," Ms Triarico said.

ACMI's Collections and Access Manager Nick Richardson said they are thrilled to have uncovered this unique film, not held in any other national or international collection.

The film is available to view for free at the Australian Mediatheque at ACMI.



Community Safety Month

Glen Eira City Council, in partnership with other community agencies, is presenting a number of free workshops and events to highlight safety and improve the health and wellbeing of the Glen Eira community. For further information about community safety or any of the activities listed below, contact Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333.

Council and Good Sports promote responsible drinking in sporting clubs

Binge drinking and sporting clubs no longer go hand-in-hand. The *Good Sports Program* provides free support to sporting clubs to change their culture and reduce high-risk drinking.

As part of the *Program*, clubs will focus more on young people, families and sport participation and less on drinking alcohol.

Around 25 sporting clubs in the City of Glen Eira already participate in the *Program* and have reported positive outcomes in relation to alcohol consumption.

For each level of accreditation with the *Good Sports Program*, there is a:

- 15 per cent drop in short-term risky drinking, resulting in a drop in short-term harms like violence, injuries and assault;
- 14 per cent drop in long-term risky drinking, resulting in a drop in long-term harms like cancer, liver cirrhosis and related illness;
- 20 per cent drop in risky drinking on match day; and
- eight per cent drop in drink-driving risk for each season a club is with the *Good Sports Program*.

For further information about the *Program*, contact 1300 883 817.



Responsible service of alcohol training for sporting clubs

Does your sports club serve alcohol? Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) training provides people with the knowledge and awareness necessary to serve alcohol responsibly.

Date: Wednesday 8 October
Location: Glen Eira Town Hall — Caulfield Cup Room
Time: 6.30pm–10.30pm (light refreshments provided)
Bookings: essential to Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333



4 Steps for Life+ CPR awareness training

More than 4,500 sudden cardiac arrests occur in Victoria each year. When someone suffers a cardiac arrest, calling Triple Zero and performing CPR immediately will help increase their chance of survival.

This presentation will teach participants to recognise and manage a medical emergency, as well as highlighting the important role the community play in ensuring patient survival.

Date: Thursday 23 October
Location: Glen Eira Town Hall — Caulfield Cup Room
Time: 10am–11am
Bookings: essential to Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333.



Staying safe on the roads as we age



Older drivers are more at risk of being killed or seriously injured on our roads. While the risk of crashes in young drivers is risky driving behaviour, in older drivers it is increased frailty and issues associated with ageing that create the risk.

Many older people are perfectly capable of driving safely, yet physical and mental changes that often come with ageing can affect how well older people drive. This includes:

- slower reaction times;
- loss of clarity in vision and hearing;
- loss of muscle strength and flexibility; and
- use of prescription drugs which may cause drowsiness.

As well as driving, older people need to be cautious and aware as pedestrians.

Here are some areas to be mindful of so you keep safe on the roads.

- Use traffic lights, pedestrian crossings, pedestrian refuges and over and under passes.
- Make sure traffic has stopped before stepping off the kerb.
- Avoid crossing near the crest of a hill or on a bend.
- Avoid crossing between parked vehicles.
- Establish eye contact with the driver to ensure you have been seen.
- Keep looking for oncoming traffic while crossing the road.
- Light coloured or reflective clothing is more easily seen by drivers than dark colours — especially at night.

Staying independent and mobile in the community

Presented by Metro Trains and the Transport Accident Commission, this information session will provide tips and advice about remaining safe on the roads as a driver, pedestrian, cyclist and public transport user.

Date: Wednesday 29 October
Location: Carnegie Library — Boyd Room
Time: 2pm–4.30pm
Bookings: essential to Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333.

Be medicine-wise during Community Safety Month

A secure bin will be located at Council's Service Centre throughout the month of October where unwanted and unused medication can be disposed of safely.

Medicines can be disposed of correctly all-year-round at any pharmacy as part of the *National Return Unwanted Medications Project*.

The *Project* recognises that while medicines make a significant contribution to the treatment and prevention of disease, they have the potential to cause harm through accidental poisoning or medicine misuse.

They can also damage the environment if they are disposed of incorrectly, for example down the sink, toilet or in rubbish bins.

Be medicine-wise and dispose of all expired, unwanted or unused medicines safely.





Glen Huntly Reservoir — a new open space

Preparations are about to start to convert the former Reservoir to a new open space.

On the south and west sides, the concrete walls and earth embankments will be removed to open up the site to Glenhuntly and Booran Roads. Once the walls and embankments are down, residents will be able to appreciate how large the site is and the opportunity for new open space. The new park will be about the same size as Hopetoun Gardens, Elsternwick and Halley Park, Bentleigh.

At the northern end of the site there is a River Red Gum, which is considered indigenous, possibly remnant and more than 100 years old. In order to protect that tree, the entrance to the new park from the north has been moved west, closer to Booran Road and away from the tree. The tree will have a large works exclusion zone around it throughout the project.

The entire eastern wall and most of the northern wall will be permanently retained as a buffer to nearby housing and to reflect the history of the site as a reservoir. The earth embankments on these sides will be lowered to reduce weight on the walls for long-term

structural stability and to prevent access to the top of these walls for safety reasons. The sluice gate at the mid-point of the Reservoir on Booran Road will also be retained to reflect the original use of the site.

The equipment and demolition techniques have been specified to minimise disruption, vibration and noise.

Security will be managed by maintaining as much of the existing perimeter permanent fence as possible and supplementing this with gates and temporary security fencing. The Alamar Avenue roadway will be widened on the south side to facilitate vehicle and bicycle parking.

The nature strip trees on Booran Road and the north side of Alamar Avenue will be retained. Trees along the eastern side between the Reservoir wall and the adjacent properties in Roseberry Grove, will become an urban forest corridor, fenced off from all public access. Those trees, with the exception of one hazardous tree, will be retained while new planting is established. The trees which are growing in the embankments of the Reservoir walls inside the fence on the south, west and part of the northern sides need to be removed. They will be

replaced in the new park by thousands of new plants ranging from large tree species to shrubs and grasses.

Reusing 99 per cent of material

Demolished material will almost all be reused on-site. The concrete will be used under where the hard surfaces are to go and the earth embankment material where the grass and vegetation is to go. It helps that the base of the Reservoir is below the level of the footpath and needs to be raised. Steel pipes and fittings will be recycled as scrap metal. Mulch generated from tree removals will be delivered to Council's mulch facility in Neerim Road for residents' use.

Timing

The demolition works are scheduled to start this month and be completed before the end of this calendar year. This will allow final assessment of levels and other details to allow the open space works to be specified in early 2015. There will be no activity visible onsite during this period. Public tenders will need to be called for the landscaping and planting and the park will take shape during 2015 to 2016. The project is on track for the new park to be opened before 30 June 2016.



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Free sustainable presentations

Gardening on a shoestring budget

Monday 13 October, 7pm to 9pm
Carnegie Library — Boyd Room,
7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie



Learn easy ways to bring fresh vegetables and herbs straight from your garden to the kitchen table. You don't need to spend a fortune or have a large garden to be able to produce beautiful food.

My Green Garden's Maria Ciavarella will share tips on:

- easy vegies to grow from seed and

sowing techniques;

- soilless garden beds;
- creating your own black 'gold' for your garden;
- making cheap potting mix work for you; and
- re-using and recycling for your kitchen garden.

Solar power

Tuesday 11 November, 7pm to 9pm
Glen Eira Town Hall — Theatre, ground floor, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield

Making the switch to solar power has many benefits, but there are also mistakes that can be made. Before you buy, it's important to ask the right questions so you feel comfortable with making the right decision.

Presented by Alternative Technology Association's Damien Moyse, attendees will learn about:

- solar energy options for your home;
- what questions to ask the providers;
- what sort of performance you will get from the system;
- financial incentives and warranty arrangements; and
- how to upgrade the system.

For further information and to RSVP, contact Council's sustainability education officer on 9524 3333, email sustainability@gleneira.vic.gov.au or book online at www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/Community/Environment



News in brief

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OCTOBER 2014

GLEN EIRA NEWS

Save the date — Communities Working Together Conference

The fourth annual *Communities Working Together Conference* will be held on Wednesday 12 November.

The *Conference* is an excellent opportunity for Glen Eira community groups and organisations to come together and connect in a way that mutually benefits the diverse and important community work we all do in the City of Glen Eira.

This year's *Conference* will build on from the 2013 *Conference*, which focused on asset-based community development.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Breast Cancer Awareness Month provides an opportunity for us all to focus on breast cancer and its impact on the community.

BreastScreen Victoria encourages all women aged between 50 and 74 to have a mammogram every two years.

One in nine Australian women are affected by breast cancer in their lifetime. The quick and easy screening process can detect abnormalities — and early detection means a better chance of successful treatment.

For further information or to book an appointment, visit breastscreen.org.au or contact 13 20 50.

Setting our children up for success

Presented by Kathy Walker for parents and guardians of young children, this information session considers the complexities of life and what contributes to success.

It asks the question “what is success?” and unpacks many features of what may constitute a successful and rewarding life

that goes far beyond reciting the alphabet, counting and being “bright”.

Practical ideas and strategies will be provided and include, the importance of self-expression, reaching out when you need to, taking on challenges, meaningful relationships and effective communication.

This session highlights the importance of viewing life and success in a holistic way that is not measured simply by money or career, but by opportunities, choices and a positive self-esteem.

Date: Thursday 30 October

Time: 7.30pm to 9.30pm

Location: Glen Eira Town Hall — Theatrette, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield

Cost: \$7 per person

Places are limited. Registration and payment must be received prior to each session. No refunds or exchanges will be offered.

To book online visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au or contact Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333.

Ride2Work Day

Ride2Work Day encourages people to commute to work by bike and will be held on Wednesday 15 October.

Participating in the *Day* provides the opportunity to have fun and experience the health, financial and environmental benefits of cycling.

Bicycle Network statistics indicate that 60 per cent of new riders who registered for *Ride2Work Day* in 2013 were still riding to work when surveyed five months later.

If you are frustrated by sitting in traffic then why not think about cycling as a better way to get to work?

A great place to start is to talk to regular riders at your workplace. Ask their advice on how to get to work and where to park your bike.

If you are new to cycling or are not a confident rider, it can be a good idea to start riding on bike paths and have a practice run on weekends.



Glen Eira City Council's *Towards Sustainable Transport Strategy 2011–2014* and *Bicycle Strategy 2010* seek to facilitate and promote cycling.

For further information, visit www.ride2work.com.au

out and about



Sports Club Breakfast — Graeme Dellora and Cr Jim Magee.

Photo: Photography by Michele.



Ogaki student delegation welcome reception — Cr Thomas Sounness, Bentleigh Secondary College student Piper Harrington, Ogaki student Mao Nishiwaki and Cr Karina Okotel.

Photo: Photography by Michele.



Glen Eira City Council's Seniors Festival

Classic Tracks — free concert for seniors

Friday 10 October

1.30pm to 3.45pm (doors open 1pm)

Venue: Glen Eira Town Hall — Auditorium, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential (open 10am Friday 26 September)

Contact: Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333

This year's concert — *Classic Tracks* — will feature great songs from the 50s to today. Join us for a delightful afternoon of entertainment cabaret style, reminisce with great music and enjoy a lovely afternoon tea.

Please note: allocated table seating is available on the main floor and balcony. Theatre style seating (not allocated) is available on the upper balcony.

We're Grand!

Stories to enjoy with grandparents

Tuesday 7 October

2pm

Venue: Bentleigh Library
161 Jasper Road, Bentleigh

Wednesday 8 October

11am

Venue: Elsternwick Library
4 Staniland Grove, Elsternwick

Wednesday 8 October

11am

Venue: Carnegie Library
7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie

Thursday 9 October

11am

Venue: Bentleigh Library
161 Jasper Road, Bentleigh

Thursday 9 October

11am

Venue: Caulfield Library
Glen Eira Town Hall, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield

Friday 10 October

11am

Venue: Carnegie Library
7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie

Cost: Free

This event is for grandparents, parents and young children.

Well done, Those Men with author Barry Heard

Wednesday 8 October

2pm to 3pm

Venue: Carnegie Library and Community Centre — Boyd Room, level one
7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie
Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential

Contact: Book online at www.library.gleneira.vic.gov.au or at any Glen Eira library

Barry Heard's book *Well Done, Those Men* is his account of his service in Vietnam and has been described as one of the most moving war memoirs ever written.

Caring for carers

Tuesday 14 October

1.30pm to 4pm

Venue: DC Bricker Pavilion
Princes Park — Beech Street, Caulfield South
(Mel ref: 59 C12)

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential by Thursday 9 October

Contact: Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333

Do you provide care and support to a family member or friend who is an older person or who has a disability, mental illness or dementia?

You are invited to attend a free caring for carers afternoon with activities, ideas and advice on taking good care of yourself.

Please note: if you have specific support requirements or if you require assistance with transport or respite, please advise us when you book.

Online holiday planning

Wednesday 15 October

10.30am to 12.30pm

Venue: Glen Eira Town Hall — Theatre, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential (open Monday 15 September)

Contact: Book online at library.gleneira.vic.gov.au or at any Glen Eira library

At this demonstration, seniors will see how to search and book accommodation and airfares, source holiday destination information, advice and travel warnings.

Erica McGilchrist Exhibition

16 October to 2 November

Thursday 23 October — floor talk by Curator Diane Soumilas at 12.30pm

Venue: Glen Eira City Council Gallery — Gallery Annexe, Glen Eira Road, Caulfield
Cost: Free

Living well, ageing even better — an information session for seniors

Friday 17 October

1.30pm to 3.30pm

Venue: Caulfield Park Pavilion
Balaclava Road, Caulfield North
(Mel ref: 59 C12)

Cost: Free (afternoon tea provided)

Bookings: Essential by Tuesday 14 October

Contact: Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333

Former Chief Executive Officer of one of Australia's largest age care organisations Roland Naufal and his daughter Colette will provide an overview on:

- managing your finances for the long-term;
- local resources that keep you connected and healthy; and
- maintaining freedom and self-determination.

Free morning walks in Glen Eira parks

Monday 20 October

9.30am to 10.30am

Venue: Caulfield Park
Balaclava Road, Caulfield (Meet at car park adjacent Caulfield Park sports complex)

Wednesday 22 October

9am to 10am

Venue: Hodgson Reserve, Higgins Road, Bentleigh (meet at Bentleigh McKinnon Youth Centre)

Cost: Free

Contact: Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333

Please note: wear loose, comfortable clothing and flat, non-slip, supportive shoes.

From Wireless to Wallabies with author Janet Werkmeister

Wednesday 22 October

2pm to 3.30pm

Venue: Carnegie Library
7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential (open Monday 22 September)

Contact: Book online at library.gleneira.vic.gov.au or at any Glen Eira library

Janet is the granddaughter of Caulfield identity and radio star Norman McCance.

Janet will discuss the book she has written on his life — *From Wireless to Wallabies*.

Take a tour and an aqua class at Glen Eira Sports and Aquatic Centre

Friday 24 October

Tour commences at 1.45pm

Aqua fitness class at 2.15pm

Venue: Glen Eira Sports and Aquatic Centre, 200 East Boundary Road, Bentleigh East

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential

Contact: GESAC on 9570 9200 or info@gesac.com.au

Also, from 5 to 12 October, older adults are invited to try some free sessions at GESAC.

Staying active and mobile in your community — information session for seniors

Wednesday 29 October

2pm to 4.30pm

Venue: Carnegie Library and Community Centre — Boyd Room, level one
7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential by Monday 27 October

Contact: Council's Service Centre on 9524 3333

This session is appropriate for seniors who drive a car, use a motorised scooter, ride a bicycle or use public transport.

ACTIVE SENIORS

One of the best ways to live a long and healthy life is through regular exercise — of the mind and body. It is all about taking good care of yourself!



Tai chi

Sunday 5 October

9am to 11am

Venue: McKinnon Public Hall
118 McKinnon Road, McKinnon

Cost: Free

Bookings: Essential

Contact: Tara on 9527 7377

Nordic walking

Monday 6 October

10am and 11am

Repeated: Tuesday 7 October

1pm and 2pm

Venue: Caulfield Park
Balaclava Road, Caulfield North
(meet at car park off Park Crescent)
Cost: Free
Contact: Georgia on 8531 8000

Tai chi
Monday 6 October
1pm

Club: DJ Coakley Senior Citizens Club
Venue: East Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre, 1 Derry Street, Bentleigh East
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Gwen on 9579 4573

Table tennis
Tuesday 7 October
Repeated: Wednesday 15 October 9.30am
Club: DJ Coakley Senior Citizens Club
Venue: East Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre, 1 Derry Street, Bentleigh East
Cost: Free
Contact: Gwen on 9579 4573

Tennis
Tuesday 7 October, 9.30am
Club: Kings Park Tennis Club
Venue: King Georg VI Reserve
70 East Boundary Road, Bentleigh East
Cost: Free
Contact: Valmai on 0419 805 740

Tennis
Tuesday 7 October
10am to 2pm
Club: Wattle Tennis Club
Venue: Bentleigh Recreation Reserve
Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: David on 0438 596 110
Please note: disabled access is not available.

Bridge — learn to play in a day
Tuesday 7 October, 10am to 4pm
Venue: Victorian Bridge Association
131 Poath Road, Murrumbeena
Cost: \$20 includes a light lunch
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Cathie 9530 9005 or clachman@vba.asn.au

Please note: disabled access via the car park.

Croquet
Tuesday 7 October, 10am to 12pm
Repeated: Saturday 11 October 12.30pm to 3pm
Venue: Elsternwick Croquet Club
27 Parkside Street, Elsternwick
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Minn or Keith on 9578 4774



Indoor bowls
Tuesday 7 October
Repeated: Wednesday 15 October 1pm
Club: DJ Coakley Senior Citizens Club
Venue: East Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre, 1 Derry Street, Bentleigh East
Cost: Free
Contact: Gwen on 9579 4573

Athletics — social evenings with the Victorian Masters Athletics
Tuesday 7 October
Repeated: Tuesday 14, 21, and 28 October 7pm to 9pm

Venue: Duncan Mackinnon Reserve
corner North and Murrumbeena Roads,
Murrumbeena
Cost: \$4
Contact: Andrew on 9555 4226

Move and stretch tai chi with Glen Eira Adult Learning Centre
Wednesday 8 October 10am
Repeated: 11am
Venue: Glen Eira Adult Learning Centre
419 North Road, Ormond
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: 9578 8996

iPad — come and try classes
Wednesday 8 October, 10am
Repeated: 11am
Venue: Glen Eira Adult Learning Centre
— 419 North Road, Ormond
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: 9578 8996

Tai chi and qigong
Monday 13 October 11.30am to 12.30pm
Club: KG Putt Senior Citizens Club
Venue: Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre
2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Jill on 9584 2428



Ballroom dancing
Monday 13 October 12.30pm to 3.30pm
Venue: Glen Eira Town Hall — Auditorium, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield
Cost: \$5
Bookings: Essential (afternoon tea included)
Contact: Audrey on 0419 467 676

Scottish dancing
Monday 13 October, 7.30pm
Club: KG Putt Senior Citizens Club
Venue: Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre — 2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Cheryl on 9557 5739

Table tennis
Tuesday 14 October
Repeated: Thursday 16 October 7.30pm
Club: KG Putt Senior Citizens Club
Venue: Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre
2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Cheryl on 9557 5739

Square dancing
Tuesday 14 October, 7.30pm
Repeated: Thursday 16 October 9.30am
Club: KG Putt Senior Citizens Club
Venue: Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre
2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Cheryl on 9557 5739

Line dancing
Thursday 16 October, 1pm to 4pm
Club: KG Putt Senior Citizens Club
Venue: Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre
2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Cheryl on 9557 5739

Belly dancing
Thursday 16 October, 6.30pm

Club: KG Putt Senior Citizens Club
Venue: Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre
2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Cheryl on 9557 5739

COMMUNITY EVENTS
All events in this section have disabled access and/or toilets unless otherwise stated.

Melbourne City Walk with the Jewish Museum of Australia
Sunday 5 October 10.30am to 12pm
Venue: Meet under the clocks at 10.30am Flinders Street Station corner Flinders and Swanston Streets, Melbourne
Cost: \$15
Bookings: Essential
Contact: 8534 3600 or www.jewishmuseum.com.au

Jewish Museum Tour
Sunday 5 October, 10am to 4pm
Venue: Jewish Museum of Australia
26 Alma Road, St Kilda
Cost: \$5 senior card holders (please present card)
Bookings: Essential
Contact: 8534 3600 or www.jewishmuseum.com.au

Italian luncheon
Monday 6 October 12pm to 3.30pm
Venue: Moorleigh Community Village
Chris Koutoumas Wing
92 Bignell Road, Bentleigh East
Cost: \$9
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Gina on 9557 5133

Merry Melodies
Tuesday 7 October, 2pm to 4pm
Venue: St Paul's Church
530 Dandenong Road, Caulfield North
Cost: \$5 (afternoon tea included)
Contact: Bill on 0409 999 904



The Orangutan Project
Thursday 9 October 10.30am to 12.30pm
Venue: Bentleigh RSL
538 Centre Road, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Colin on 9579 5506

Women of the cemetery — Brighton General Cemetery walk
Friday 10 October, 10am
Venue: Brighton General Cemetery corner Hawthorn and North Roads, Brighton East (meet at the front gate on North Road)
Cost: \$8 (refreshments provided)
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Lois on 9558 4248

Please note: this walk is not suitable for walkers or wheelchairs

Italian dinner dance
Saturday 11 October, 7pm to 12am
Venue: Moorleigh Community Village
Chris Koutoumas Wing
92 Bignell Road, Bentleigh East
Cost: \$25
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Vince on 0419 366 471

Russian concert
Sunday 12 October, 5pm
Venue: Caulfield Senior Citizens Centre

8 Cedar Street, Caulfield South
Cost: \$15
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Judif on 9572 3928

Ladies Greek lunch
Wednesday 15 October 11am to 4pm
Venue: Moorleigh Community Village
Chris Koutoumas Wing
92 Bignell Road, Bentleigh East
Cost: \$25
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Anastasia on 0412 339 681

Greek luncheon
Thursday 16 October 10am to 2pm
Venue: Moorleigh Community Village
Chris Koutoumas Wing
92 Bignell Road, Bentleigh East
Cost: \$10
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Julia on 0413 990 220

An afternoon with author Ross McMullin
Thursday 16 October 3pm to 4.30pm
Venue: Bentleigh RSL
538 Centre Road, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Julie on 0427 275 959 or 9682 1682

Trivia challenge
Friday 17 October 7pm to 9.30pm
Venue: Bentleigh RSL
538 Centre Road, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Julie on 0427 275 959 or 9682 1682

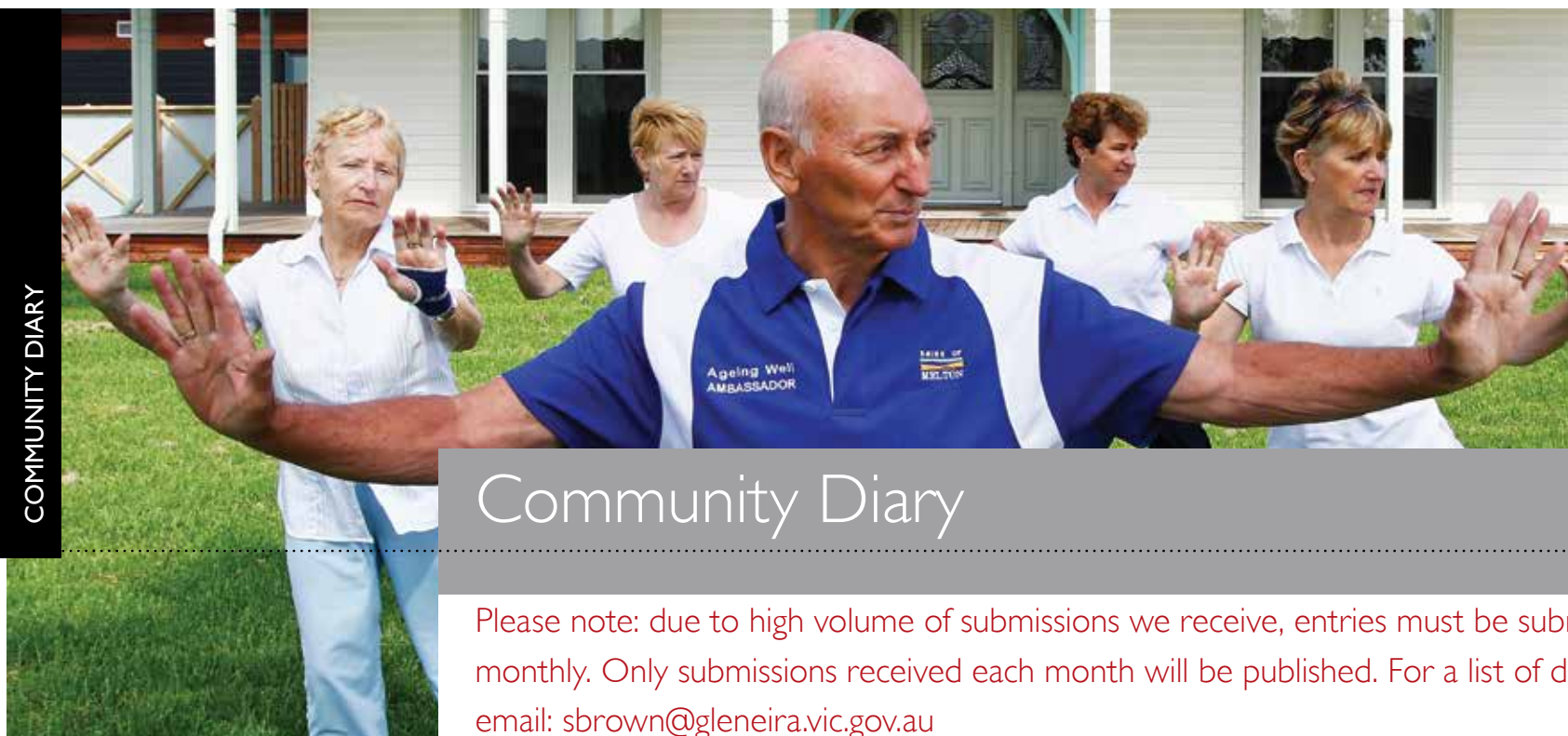
Spit roast luncheon
Saturday 18 October, 11.45am
Venue: East Bentleigh Senior Citizens Centre — Derry Street, Bentleigh East
Cost: \$15
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Gwen on 9579 4573

Hymn Fest
Sunday 19 October 2pm to 4.30pm
Venue: Bentleigh Uniting Church
497 Centre Road, Bentleigh
Cost: Free
Contact: Jean on 9557 1367

Afternoon Melodies
Monday 20 October, 3.30pm
Venue: K G Putt Senior Citizens Centre
2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh
Cost: \$15 includes afternoon tea
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Cheryl on 9557 5739

Kondia limnos lunch
Wednesday 22 October, 12pm
Venue: Moorleigh Community Village
Chris Koutoumas Wing
92 Bignell Road, Bentleigh East
Cost: \$4
Bookings: Essential
Contact: Tina on 9852 0940





Community Diary

Please note: due to high volume of submissions we receive, entries must be submitted monthly. Only submissions received each month will be published. For a list of deadlines, email: sbrown@gleneira.vic.gov.au

MEETINGS AND CLUBS

Australian Plants Society South East Melbourne Region meets on the first Tuesday of every month from 8pm at Hughesdale Community Centre, corner Poath and Kangaroo Roads, Hughesdale. Contact: 9578 3171.

Association of Independent Retirees Melbourne-Bayside-Glen Eira Branch will meet on Monday 27 October at 9.45am at The Elsternwick Hotel. Jim Andersen from the Department of Human Services will be speaking. Contact: 9578 2377.

Bentleigh Bayside Parkinson's Support Group meets on the fourth Monday of every month from 1.30pm to 3.30pm at Bentleigh-Bayside Community Health, Gardeners Road, Bentleigh East. Contact: 9581 8700.

Bentleigh Ladies Probus Club meets on the first Thursday of every month from 10am at the Uniting Church, 497 Centre Road, Bentleigh. Contact: 9557 4067.

Carnegie Rostrum Club practices public speaking on the first and third Monday of every month at 7.15pm at Carnegie Library, 7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie. Contact: 0404 813 806.

Caulfield Garden Club meets on first Tuesday of every month from February and the second Tuesday in November at 8pm at 567 Glenhuntly Road, Elsternwick. Contact: 9532 7848.

Caulfield Over 50s Dancing Group meets every Monday (except public holidays) from 12.30pm to 3.30pm at Glen Eira Town Hall, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield. Entry: \$5. Contact: 9822 2064.

Glen Eira Brass Band rehearses every Wednesday from 7.30pm at the back of the Caulfield Park Bowls Club. If you can play a brass instrument or would like to learn, then come along. Contact: 0408 354 398.

Glen Eira Combined Probus Club meets on the fourth Friday of every month from 10am to 12pm at The Bentleigh Club, Yawla Street, Bentleigh. Contact: 9583 4822.

Jewish Bereaved Parents Support Group is for parents in the Jewish

community who have suffered the death of a child. Regular monthly peer support meetings, activities and social nights. Free lending library. Contact: 0403 867 494.

Life Activities Club Bentleigh offers a range of activities for people over 50. Contact: 0427 275 959.

Ormond Angling Club Inc. meets on the first and third Wednesday of every month from 8pm at 462 North Road, Ormond. Contact: 0407 800 719.

Ormond Tennis Club, Foch Street, Ormond, welcomes new players to join Wednesday night social tennis from 7pm. Non-members: \$10. Contact: 9579 0451.

Phoenix Park All Ability Table Tennis Group meets Mondays and Thursdays during the school term from 5.30pm to 7pm. Coaching by Zvi Schweitzer and David Segal. Contact: 0412 804 036.

Phoenix Park Community Table Tennis Club operates Mondays and Thursdays. Seniors: 9am to 1pm. Juniors: (all ages and abilities) 5.30pm to 10.30pm. Junior coaching held Mondays and Thursdays from 5pm to 7pm with Paul Bronstein and David Segal. Contact: 0412 804 036.

Port Philip Life Activities Club offers a wide range of activities for the over 50s. Contact: 9645 4061.

Sandbelt Ladies Probus Club meets on the first Monday of every month from 10am at Bentleigh RSL, 538 Centre Road, Bentleigh. Contact: 9557 3935.

EVENTS

21st Annual Blessing of the Animals will be held on Sunday 5 October from 2pm at St James the Great Anglican Church, 435 Inkerman Street, St Kilda East. All pets will receive an individual blessing. There will be a sausage sizzle, animal nursery and afternoon tea. Free entry, but donation appreciated. Contact: 9563 1949.

Bentleigh Organ Music Club presents Bayside Swing on Monday 6 October at 8pm at Coatesville Bowling Club, 62 Mackie Road, Bentleigh East. There will

also be a music trivia quiz. Cost: \$10. Contact: 9528 2539.

Murrumbeena Relay For Life will be held on Saturday 11 October and Sunday 12 October at Duncan Mackinnon Reserve, Murrumbeena. Register now. Contact: 1300 656 585 or visit www.relayforlife.org.au

Melbourne Meccano Exhibition 2014 will be held on Saturday 11 October from 10am to 5pm and Sunday 12 October from 10am to 4pm at Brighton Philatelic Society Hall, corner Gardenvale and Magnolia Roads, Gardenvale. Cost: family \$10; adults \$5; school age \$2; and preschool free. Contact: www.melbournemeccanoexhibition.com.au

Team of Pianists concert *Amazing Youth Make Music* will be held on Sunday 12 October at 3pm at Rippon Lea, 192 Hotham Street, Elsternwick. Contact: 9527 2851.

Spartan All Girls Cricket Competition will be launched on Wednesday 15 October from 5pm to 7.30pm. Murrumbeena Cricket Club and Bentleigh ANA Cricket Club are both participating. Cost: \$100. Contact: bentleighana.com or www.murrumbeenacc.com

Time and New Vogue Dancing commences on Thursday 16 October at 1pm at 2 Arthur Street, Bentleigh.

Life Activities Club Bentleigh presents author and historian Ross McMullin on Thursday 16 October from 3pm to 4.30 at Bentleigh RSL. Bookings essential. Contact: 0427 275 959.

Music Lovers' Society 55th Ida Doubleday Bequest Recital will be held on Friday 17 October at 8pm at Glen Eira Town Hall, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield. David Soo (piano) will perform. Admission: \$35; seniors \$30; pensioners \$20; students \$15; and families \$70. Members free. Contact: 0435 997 037 or 9822 7292.

Coatesville Uniting Church Annual Fete will be held on Saturday 18 October from 9am to 2.30pm, corner North and Mackie Roads, Bentleigh East. There will be crafts, cakes, books, a silent auction and kids activities. Contact: 0419 886 659.

Garage Sale Trail: communities from all over Australia will come together on Saturday 25 October to hold garage sales as part of the *Garage Sale Trail*. Contact: <http://garagesaletrail.com.au/>

St Paul's Primary School Fete will be held on Sunday 26 October from 9am to 3pm at 122 Jasper Road, Bentleigh. There will be trash and treasure, cakes and jams, clothes and books, showbags, food stalls and rides. Contact: 9557 7130.

The Handmade Show will be held on Saturday 18 October from 10.30am to 3.30pm at St. Anthony's Parish Hall, corner Grange and Neerim Roads, Glen Huntly. Free entry. Contact: www.thehandmadeshow.blogspot.com

COMMUNITY

Bentleigh seniors trivia challenge will be held on Friday 17 October from 7pm to 9.30pm at Bentleigh RSL. Bookings essential. Contact: 0427 275 959.

Box Cottage Museum, Joyce Park, Ormond will be open on Sunday 10 October and Sunday 26 October from 2pm to 4pm. Contact: 9557 3844.

Caulfield Community Toy Library is now open at its new premises at 12 Munro Avenue, Carnegie. Opening hours from week commencing 6 October: Wednesdays 7.30pm to 8.30pm, Thursdays 10am to 11.30am and Saturdays 10am to 12.30am. Contact: www.cctl.org.au

Elsternwick Toddlers Playgroup, Foster Street, Elsternwick, has sessions Monday to Friday, 9.30am to 12.30pm and Tuesdays, 3pm to 5pm, including school holidays. Great for babies and preschoolers (up to five years) and their parents/carers. Contact: etp-au.org

Glen Eira U3A AGM will be held on Thursday 2 October at 2pm at 1151 Glenhuntly Road. Contact: 0412 170 410.

Penguin Club: develop confidence and learn to speak up. Friendly and supportive group for women in the Bentleigh East area. Contact: 0459 186 670.

Language Line

Glen Huntly 水庫將改建新公園

前水庫變為新公園的準備工作即將開始。

南邊和西邊的混凝土牆及土堤將被拆除，讓該場地與 Glen Huntly Road 和 Booran Road 相通。混凝土牆及土堤拆除後，這片場地將看上去非常開闊，可建成一個公園。新建成的公園規模將與Elsternwick 的 Hopetoun 花園和 Bentleigh 的 Halley 公園相似。

北邊盡頭有一棵紅桉樹，這是一種本土樹木，樹齡大約一百多年。為了保護這棵大樹，公園的北門將移至西邊，近 Booran Road 而遠離大樹。施工期間，大樹周圍將劃出一塊非施工區。

整個東牆和大部分北牆將予以永久保留，隔開住宅並反映這塊地曾用作水庫的歷史。土堤將被削低，以減輕對牆體的壓力，保證長期的結構穩定性，並可阻止人爬上牆頂，增加安全性。Booran Road 一側水庫中部的水閘也將予以保留，反映這塊場地原來的用途。

拆除所用技術和設備作了規定，以減少周邊正常活動的中斷、震動和噪音。

保安管理將利用現有的周邊圍牆、大門和臨時圍欄。Alamar Avenue 的南邊將予以拓寬，用於停放車輛和自行車。

Booran Road 和 Alamar Avenue 北邊的路邊樹木將予以保留。東邊水庫牆體與 Roseberry Grove 住宅之間的樹木將作為城區林帶圍起，公眾不可進入。這些樹木將予以保留，當然危險樹木將被清除，同時另外栽種新的樹木。南邊、西邊和北邊部分圍牆內的水庫堤體上的樹木需被除去，新公園中將新栽數以千計的植物，有大樹，有灌木，也有草類。

99%的材料將得到再利用

拆除的材料幾乎將全部再用於公園的建設。混凝土將用於鋪設道路，堤土用於栽種草類和植物。水庫底面低於小道，因此需要填土墊高。鋼管和配件將作為廢鋼鐵回收。砍樹生成的碎木屑將運送到 Neerim Road 的市政府設施，供居民使用。

進程

拆除施工將於本月開始，年底前結束。這樣，地面高低和其他細節的最終評估可在 2015 年初進行，為公園的施工做好準備。在這期間，場地上將無施工活動。景觀美化和樹木栽種將於 2015 年至 2016 年期間公開招標。工程如期進行，新公園將於 2016 年6月30日之前啟用。

Ο ταμιευτήρας νερού Glen Huntly Reservoir – ένας νέος ανοιχτός χώρος

Οι προετοιμασίες είναι σχεδόν έτοιμες να αρχίσουν για να μετατραπεί ο πρώην ταμιευτήρας νερού σε νέο ανοιχτό χώρο.

Στη νότια και δυτική πλευρά, οι ταμιεντένιοι τοίχοι και τα αναχώματα θα απομακρυνθούν για να ανοιχτεί ο χώρος προς τις οδούς Glen Huntly και Booran Roads. Όταν κατεδαφιστούν οι τοίχοι και τα αναχώματα, οι κάτοικοι θα μπορούν να εκτιμήσουν πόσο μεγάλος είναι ο χώρος και η δυνατότητα που έχει για έναν νέο ανοιχτό χώρο. Το νέο πάρκο θα έχει περίπου την ίδια έκταση με το Hopetoun Gardens στο Elsternwick και το Halley Park στο Bentleigh.

Στη βόρεια άκρη του χώρου υπάρχει ένας ποταμιαίος κόκκινος ευκάλυπτος - River Red Gum - που θεωρείται γιγγενές πιθανόν απομεινάρι και ηλικίας άνω των 100 χρόνων. Για να προστατέψουμε αυτό το δέντρο, η είσοδος στο νέο πάρκο από τη βόρεια πλευρά θα μεταφερθεί δυτικά, πιο κοντά στο Booran Road και μακριά από το δέντρο. Το δέντρο θα έχει γύρω του μια μεγάλη έκταση αποκλεισμού εργασιών καθόλη τη διάρκεια του έργου.

Ολόκληρος ο ανατολικός τοίχος και το μεγαλύτερο μέρος του βόρειου τοίχου θα διατηρηθούν μόνιμα ως προστατευτική ζώνη για τα παραπλήσια σπίτια και θα αντανakλά την ιστορία του χώρου ως ταμιευτήρας νερού. Το ύψος των αναχωμάτων σε αυτές τις πλευρές θα μειωθεί για να ελαττωθεί το βάρος στους τοίχους για μακροπρόθεσμη δομική σταθερότητα και να παρεμποδιστεί η πρόσβαση στην κορυφή αυτών των τοίχων

για λόγους ασφαλείας. Θα διατηρηθεί επίσης το θυρόφραγμα - Sluice Gate- στο μεσαίο τμήμα του ταμιευτήρα στο Booran Road για να θυμίζει την αρχική χρήση αυτού του χώρου.

Ο εξοπλισμός και οι τεχνικές κατεδάφισης έχουν καθοριστεί για να ελαχιστοποιηθούν οι διαταραχές, οι δονήσεις και ο θόρυβος.

Η διαχείριση της ασφάλειας θα συνεχιστεί διατηρώντας όσο το δυνατόν περισσότερο μέρος της υπάρχουσας περιμετρικής μόνιμης περίφραξης και αυτό θα αναπληρωθεί με πύλες και προσωρινή περίφραξη ασφαλείας. Το οδόστρωμα στην Alamar Avenue θα διευρυνθεί στη νότια πλευρά για να διευκολύνει τη στάθμευση οχημάτων και ποδηλάτων.

Τα δέντρα στην προαία στο Booran Road και στη βόρεια πλευρά της Alamar Avenue θα διατηρηθούν. Τα δέντρα κατά μήκος της ανατολικής πλευράς μεταξύ του τοιχώματος του ταμιευτήρα και των γειτονικών ακινήτων στο Roseberry Grove θα αποτελέσουν μέρος ενός αστικού δασικού διαδρόμου που θα είναι περιφραγμένος χωρίς καμία πρόσβαση στο κοινό. Αυτά τα δέντρα, με εξαίρεση ένα επικίνδυνο δέντρο, θα διατηρηθούν μέχρι να μεγαλώσουν τα καινούργια δέντρα. Τα δέντρα που υπάρχουν στα αναχώματα των τοίχων του ταμιευτήρα μέσα από την περίφραξη στη νότια, δυτική και μέρος της βόρειας πλευράς πρέπει να αφαιρεθούν. Αυτά τα δέντρα θα αντικατασταθούν στο νέο πάρκο με χιλιάδες καινούργια φυτά που θα κυμαίνονται από μεγάλα είδη δέντρων έως θάμνους και χόρτα.

Επαναχρησιμοποίηση του 99% των υλικών

Σχεδόν όλο το υλικό από την κατεδάφιση θα επαναχρησιμοποιηθεί στα έργα για το πάρκο. Το τοιμέντο θα χρησιμοποιηθεί από κάτω όπου θα τοποθετηθούν οι σκληρές επιφάνειες και το χώμα από το ανάχωμα θα τοποθετηθεί εκεί που θα φυτρωθεί γρασιδί και φυτά. Βοηθάει που η βάση του ταμιευτήρα είναι κάτω από το επίπεδο του πεζοδρομίου και πρέπει να ανυψωθεί. Οι σιδερένιοι σωλήνες και οι συνδέσεις θα ανακυκλωθούν ως παλιοσιδερά. Το φυτικό επίστρωμα που θα παραχθεί από τα δέντρα που θα αφαιρεθούν θα παραδοθεί στην εγκατάσταση φυτικού επιστρώματος του Δήμου στο Neerim Road για να το χρησιμοποιήσουν οι κάτοικοι.

Χρονοδιάγραμμα

Οι εργασίες κατεδάφισης προγραμματίζεται να ξεκινήσουν αυτό το μήνα και θα ολοκληρωθούν πριν το τέλος του τρέχοντος ημερολογιακού έτους. Αυτό θα επιπρέψει την τελική εκτίμηση των επιπέδων και άλλων λεπτομερειών για να επιπρέψει να προσδιοριστούν οι εργασίες για τον ανοιχτό χώρο στις αρχές του 2015. Καμία δραστηριότητα δεν θα είναι ορατή στο χώρο εργασιών κατά τη διάρκεια αυτής της περιόδου. Θα γίνει διαγωνισμός για δημόσιες προσφορές για τα έργα διαμόρφωσης και φύτευσης και το πάρκο θα αρχίσει να διαμορφώνεται κατά το 2015 έως το 2016. Το έργο βρίσκεται εντός του χρονοδιαγράμματος και το νέο πάρκο θα ανοίξει πριν από τις 30 Ιουνίου 2016.

Glen Huntly Reservoir — Un nuovo spazio aperto

Si sta dando inizio ai lavori di conversione del vecchio bacino idrico in un nuovo spazio aperto.

Sui lati sud ed ovest del bacino, verranno rimosse le mura di cemento e i terrapieni per aprire il sito alle vie Glen Huntly e Booran Road. Una volta demolite le mura e i terrapieni, si renderà evidente ai residenti la larghezza del sito e l'opportunità di un nuovo spazio aperto. Il nuovo parco sarà pressappoco della stessa misura dei giardini di Hopetoun Gardens ad Elsternwick e di Halley Park a Bentleigh.

All'estremità nord del sito si trova un River Red Gum, albero di tipo indigeno, un residuo storico che conta approssimativamente 100 anni d'età. Allo scopo di preservarlo, l'ingresso al nuovo parco è stato spostato dalla

zona nord a quella ovest, più vicino a Booran Road e lontano dall'albero. Per tutta la durata del progetto, la zona in cui si trova l'albero sarà ampiamente esclusa dai lavori.

L'intero muro ad est e gran parte di quello a nord saranno mantenuti per creare una zona cuscinetto con le vicine abitazioni e per ricordare l'uso storico del sito come bacino idrico. I terrapieni esistenti in quelle aree verranno abbassati per ridurre il peso sulle mura permettendo così stabilità strutturale di lunga durata e prevenendo l'accesso dalla sommità delle mura per ragioni di sicurezza. Anche la paratoia, Sluice Gate, che si trova al punto medio del bacino sulla Booran Road sarà mantenuta per ricordare l'originale utilizzo del sito.

I macchinari e le tecniche di demolizione sono stati designati in modo da minimizzare inconvenienti, vibrazioni e rumore.

La sicurezza durante i lavori verrà garantita mantenendo la maggior parte possibile del perimetro esistente protetta da recinzione permanente e dotandola di cancelli d'ingresso e recinzione di sicurezza temporanea. La zona carreggiabile di Alamar Avenue verrà ampliata nell' area sud per facilitare il parcheggio a veicoli e biciclette.

Si manterranno gli alberi sul ciglio erboso di Booran Road e nella zona nord di Alamar Avenue. Gli alberi esistenti lungo il lato est tra il muro del bacino e le adiacenti proprietà su Roseberry Grove costituiranno un corridoio urbano alberato protetto dall'accesso al pubblico. Si manterranno gli alberi esistenti, con eccezione di uno considerato pericoloso, e se ne planteranno di nuovi. Gli alberi che si trovano sui terrapieni delle mura del bacino all'interno della recinzione nelle aree sud ed ovest e parte dell'area nord devono essere rimossi. Verranno sostituiti nel nuovo parco con migliaia di nuove piante che variano da tipologie di alberi alti a cespugli e arbusti.

Riutilizzazione del 99 per cento del materiale di demolizione

Quasi tutto il materiale di demolizione verrà riutilizzato in loco, il cemento verrà utilizzato come base per le superfici dure e il terriccio proveniente dai terrapieni verrà utilizzato laddove si planterà la vegetazione. In tal caso torna opportuno il fatto che la base del bacino si trovi sotto il livello del marciapiede per cui necessita di essere sollevata. Le tubature e la rubinetteria verranno riciclati come metallo di scarto. Il pacciamе creato dalla rimozione degli alberi verrà inoltrato alle strutture comunali di Neerim Road per essere utilizzato dai residenti.

Tempistica

I lavori di demolizione avranno inizio questo mese e saranno completati prima della fine di questo anno solare. Ciò permetterà una valutazione finale dei livelli ed altri dettagli utili alla specifica degli ulteriori lavori entro l'inizio del 2015. Durante detto periodo non sarà visibile alcuna attività in loco. Saranno indette gare a procedura aperta per la progettazione degli spazi verdi e per la vegetazione ed il parco prenderà forma tra il 2015 - 2016. Si prevede che il nuovo parco verrà aperto al pubblico il 30 giugno 2016.

Резервуар Glen Huntly — новый парк

На месте бывшего резервуара начинаются подготовительные работы по превращению его в новую парковую зону.

С южной и восточной стороны площадки бетонные стены и земляные насыпи, оставшиеся от резервуара, будут удалены, чтобы сделать выход на Glen Huntly Road и Booran Road. Когда это произойдет, станет видно, насколько это большое пространство и каков его потенциал для создания парковой зоны. Новый парк будет примерно такого размера, как Hopetoun Gardens в Elsternwick и Halley Park в Bentleigh.

На северной стороне площадки находится особое, возможно реликтовое дерево – приречный эвкалипт (River Red Gum), возраст которого более 100 лет. Предполагается, что дерево сохранилось со времен, предшествующих первой застройке этой местности. В целях сохранения дерева, вход в новый парк с северной стороны будет отодвинут дальше на запад, ближе к Booran Road. На весь период строительства, вокруг дерева будет создана большая охранная зона.

Вся восточная стена бывшего резервуара и большая часть северной стены будут сохранены в качестве буферной зоны между парком и жилыми домами, а также как историческое напоминание о существовавшем здесь резервуаре. Высота земляных насыпей с этих сторон парка будет понижена, чтобы уменьшить нагрузку на стены для поддержания структурной устойчивости, а также чтобы ограничить доступ к верхнему краю стен из соображений безопасности. Затвор шлюза (Sluice Gate) в середине резервуара со стороны Booran Road также будет сохранен как историческое напоминание.

Для проведения строительных работ было выбрано оборудование и методы, позволяющие свести к минимуму вибрацию, шум и неудобства для населения.

Из соображений безопасности большая часть существующег забора по периметру резервуара будет сохранена на время осуществления проекта. Также будут созданы новые въезды и временные заграждения. Проезжая часть на Alamar Avenue будет расширена с южной стороны, чтобы облегчить парковку машин и велосипедов.

Деревья, которые находятся на Booran Road и с северной стороны Alamar Avenue, будут сохранены. Деревья, растущие между восточной стеной резервуара и домами на Roseberry Grove, составят зеленый коридор, доступ к которому будет временно ограничен специальными ограждениями. Все деревья внутри этого коридора, за исключением одного, будут сохранены и затем использованы при дальнейшем планировании и обустройстве этой зоны. Деревья, растущие внутри забора, на земляных насыпях у стен резервуара с южной, восточной и, частично, северной стороны, будут удалены. В новом парке их заменят тысячи новых растений самых разных пород – от больших деревьев до кустарников и травы.

99% материалов будет использовано повторно

Практически весь материал, оставшийся от сноса резервуара, будет использован на месте для создания парка. Бетон будет использован как основание для твердых поверхностей; земля от земляных насыпей – для создания газонов и мест посадки деревьев и кустарников. Эти материалы также пригодятся для повышения уровня площадки парка, так как дно резервуара находится ниже пешеходного уровня. Стальные трубы и арматура пойдут на металлолом. Дерновый грунт, оставшийся после удаления деревьев, будет направлен в муниципальную установку для мульчирования на Neerim Road и затем будет использоваться жителями муниципалитета в садах на их участках.

График работ

Работы по разборке существующей структуры резервуара начнутся в этом месяце и должны быть завершены к концу года. Затем будет проведено окончательное обследования уровней и других технических аспектов, и рабочий проект по проведению работ на открытой площадке будет подготовлен в начале 2015г. Пока готовится рабочий проект активных работ на площадке не будет. Контракт на создание парка будет выставлен на тендер. Парк будет сооружен в 2015-2016 и официально открыт к 30 июня 2016г.

Community consultation

Consultation involves the community in Glen Eira City Council’s planning and activities and helps Council to understand the community’s priorities and issues. For further information, contact Council’s Service Centre on 9524 3333 or visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au

Subject	Type	Date	Where
<i>Draft Asset Management Strategy</i>	Comments and submissions	Closes 17 October	Glen Eira City Council Infrastruture Planning PO Box 42, Caulfield South Vic 3162

Exhibitions

Glen Eira City Council's Gallery will be closed for renovations from 22 September to 16 October.
Glen Eira Town Hall, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield.
Phone: 9524 3333. Opening times: Monday–Friday, 10am–5pm, Saturday and Sunday,
1pm–5pm. Free admission.

Loretta Quinn Beyond Dreams 2014 16 October to 2 November

Loretta Quinn's current sculptural work focuses on a contrasting world of landscape, dream and memory. Her work transports us to a land of a motionless childhood — an uncertain destination driven only by hope and desire.

A group of small child figures stand alone in a desolate landscape, guarding nests, protected by large plant like sculptural sentinels.



Loretta Quinn
Pearl 2014
Fabric, plaster, sealants,
bird feathers & nests
53 x 35 x 25 cm

Annette Cook MARKeD 16 October to 2 November



Annette Cook
The spotted ones 2010
Line etching, aquatint, relief linocut, stencil and
wash on Arches paper, 300gsm
Edition: 1/3, 140 x 216 cm

Annette Cook is captivated with the biological markings that distinguish certain native Australian animals and birds. Misshapen, irregular, torn from their moorings, tacit amongst grids, ripped apart and reconstituted; she presents an amalgam of the patterns in an attempt to plot a fugitive significance amongst the marks. This exhibition features large scale finely cut block and intaglio prints created over the last seven years that resemble web or fabric when printed.

Public programs

Meet the artists at Glen Eira City Council's Gallery on Friday 24 October at 1.30pm. Floor talks by artists Loretta Quinn and Annette Cook in association with their exhibitions. Admission is free

Erica McGilchrist Selected works from Glen Eira City Council's art collection Gallery Annexe 16 October to 2 November

Presented as part of the 2014 Seniors Festival, this exhibition includes drawings, embroideries and paintings by Erica McGilchrist (born in Mount Gambier, South Australia in 1926 and died in Melbourne in 2014). Selected from Glen Eira City Council's art collection, the works address the broad environmental, feminist and humanitarian themes explored in her artistic practice. Erica McGilchrist was a highly regarded Australian artist with a remarkable career as an educator, environmentalist and activist for women's art, co-founding the

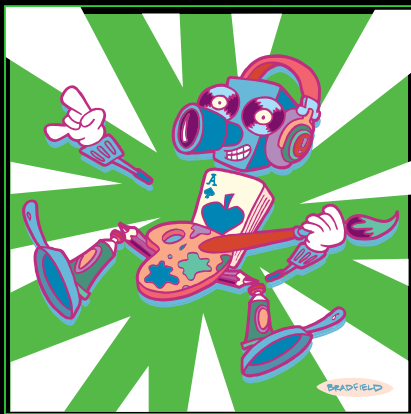
Women's Art Register in 1975. For many years, she lived and worked from a studio in Caulfield. A major solo exhibition *Erica McGilchrist — Artist, Feminist and Humanist* was held at the Caulfield Arts Complex in March 1995 and a retrospective exhibition *Erica McGilchrist: selected Works 1951–1995* was staged at Heide Museum of Modern Art in 2013–14.

A floor talk by curator Diane Soumilas will be held in Glen Eira City Council's Gallery on Thursday 23 October at 12.30pm. Admission is free.



Erica McGilchrist
Trio 1970
from the *Enigmas* series
synthetic polymer paint
on canvas
152.5 x 122 cm
Glen Eira City Council
art collection

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Workshops for 10 to 16-year-olds
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requirements, contact Council's Service Centre on
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Glen Eira City Council

Bentleigh Bentleigh East Brighton East Carnegie Caulfield Elsternwick Gardenvale Glen Huntly McKinnon Murrumbeena Ormond St Kilda East

SPRINGTIME MUSIC 2014

A series of **free** Sunday afternoon concerts throughout October and November in Glen Eira's parks and gardens. Bring a blanket, a picnic and your family and friends to an afternoon of live acoustic musical entertainment. **All performances 3pm–5pm.**

Bohemian Nights

Sunday 5 October
McKinnon Reserve,
McKinnon

The Fenians

Sunday 12 October
Glen Huntly Park,
Caulfield East

Gnarnayarrahe and

Alinta Waltairie
Sunday 19 October
Victory Park, Bentleigh

The MikMaks

Sunday 26 October
Carnegie Library playspace,
Carnegie

Jen's Sooper Dooper

Music Show
Sunday 2 November
Harleston Park,
Elsternwick

Asanti Trio

Sunday 9 November
King George VI Memorial
Reserve, Bentleigh East

Eamon and Dudi

Project
Sunday 16 November
Hopetoun Gardens,
Elsternwick

Stiletto Sisters

Sunday 23 November
Joyce Park,
Ormond



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Bentleigh, Bentleigh East, Brighton East, Carnegie, Caulfield, Elsternwick, Gardenvale, Glen Huntly, McKinnon, Murrumbeena, Ormond, St Kilda East.



Underbelly of crime writing with Andrew Rule

Tuesday 21 October, 7pm to 8pm
Glen Eira Town Hall — Theatrette,
corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield

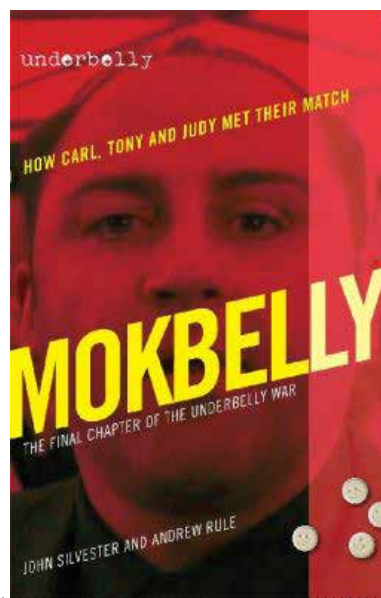
Since starting on a country newspaper in 1975, Andrew Rule has worked on three metropolitan newspapers and in radio and television production.

He has written, co-written, edited and published numerous books, including the *Underbelly* true crime series, *Chopper* series — which inspired the successful feature film, and *Sex, Death and Betrayal*.

As a senior writer for *The Age* and *The Sunday Age*, Andrew has won a *Gold Walkley*, two *Graham Perkin Australian Journalist of The Year Awards* and two

Melbourne Press Club Gold Quill Awards.

Bookings are required. Book online at library.gleneira.vic.gov.au at any Glen Eira library or contact 9524 3623.



Halloween spooktacular

Friday 31 October
6pm to 8pm (extended library opening hours)
Bentleigh, Carnegie, Caulfield and Elsternwick Libraries

Come dressed for Halloween fun and laughs! There will be spooky stories, creepy songs and rhymes, and fun games. Make spiders, masks and bats. Treat bags, lucky dips and prizes to be won!

Please note: treat bags will contain lollies, chocolate will not be included. Parents and guardians are responsible for children with food allergies.



From Wireless to Wallabies

with **Janet Werkmeister**
Wednesday 22 October
2pm to 3.30pm
Carnegie Library

Janet is the granddaughter of Caulfield identity Norman McCance, one of the stars of early radio in Melbourne.

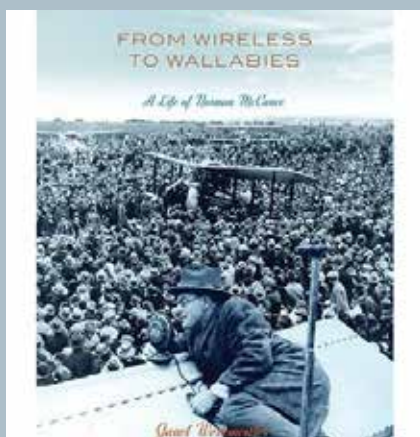
Norman became immensely popular during the second half of the 1920s for his radio broadcasts of wrestling.

He was *The Argus* newspaper's state political reporter for many years and reported for both *The Argus* and the ABC on major events.

For a decade in the 1930s, he wrote and broadcast one of the very first morning

news programs. Janet will discuss the book she has written on his life.

Bookings are required. Book online at library.gleneira.vic.gov.au at any Glen Eira library or contact 9524 3623.



We're Grand! Storytimes

Celebrate *Victorian Seniors Festival at StoryTime* and share stories together that connect the generations.

This is the perfect event for grandparents, parents and young children to enjoy together.

I am sessions

Bentleigh Library — Thursday
9 October

Carnegie Library — Wednesday
8 October and Friday 10 October
Caulfield Library — Thursday
9 October
Elsternwick Library — Wednesday
8 October

2pm sessions

Bentleigh Library — Tuesday
7 October



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Online holiday planning

Wednesday 15 October
10.30am to 12.30pm
Glen Eira Town Hall — Theatrette

Seniors will learn how to search and book accommodation and airfares, source holiday destination information and advice, and learn about travel warnings.

Bookings are required. Book online at library.gleneira.vic.gov.au at any Glen Eira library or contact 9524 3623.

Discover local history with local history groups

Thursday 23 October
7.30pm to 8.30pm
Carnegie Library

As part of *History Week 2014*, join this discussion on interesting aspects of local history.

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Think local first Launch event

Make a splash in your own backyard — leveraging your brand to create local marketing that really works.

Presented by: Decisions Decisions' Steve Yolland

Monday 20 October
Glen Eira Town Hall
6.30pm for 7pm start
Cost: \$20
RSVP: Thursday 16 October

Think local first

Simple Makeover Madness

Win a store visit!

Take control of the customer experience — create a reason to encourage local consumers to *Think local first*.

Optimise your physical space and environment and provide visual cues and stimuli to transform your business.

Presented by: AUSVM's Carole Bagaric

Book into win an opportunity to have AUSVM's Carole Bagaric attend your business to provide simple window and store design tips.
<http://www.ausvm.com.au/>

Date: Wednesday 22 October
Time: 6.30pm for 7pm start
Cost: \$20
RSVP: Monday 20 October



Glen Eira Women's Business Network

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Danielle Storey is the co-owner and Sales and Marketing Director of the international, million dollar success story *The Cartridge Family*. Danielle has created systems in customer delight in an industry that is strongly price driven with very narrow margins.

Date: Thursday 23 October
Time: 6.30pm arrival for 7pm start
Where: Glen Eira Town Hall — Caulfield Cup Room, corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield
Cost: \$20 per person (networking opportunity and light finger food on arrival)
RSVP: Monday 20 October

Code of dress: for the fun of it, we are committed to wearing a colour (it can be an accessory)

Immunisation sessions

Bentleigh-Bayside Community Health

Gardeners Road, Bentleigh East

Saturday 18 October and Saturday 15 November 9am–11am
Wednesday 15 October and Wednesday 12 November 5.30pm–7.30pm
Thursday 30 October and Thursday 27 November 5.30pm–7.30pm

Carnegie Library and Community Centre

7 Shepparson Avenue, Carnegie
Wednesday 22 October and Wednesday

19 November 1pm–2.30pm and 5.30pm–7.30pm

DC Bricker — Princes Park

Beech Street, Caulfield South
Monday 27 October and Monday 24 November 9.30am–11.30am

Glen Eira Town Hall Auditorium (entry via Glen Eira Road)

Corner Glen Eira and Hawthorn Roads, Caulfield
Tuesday 14 October and Tuesday 18 November 9.30am–11.30am

Tuesday 7 October and Tuesday 11 November 6pm–7pm

Glen Huntly Maternal and Child Health Centre

Corner Royal and Rosedale Avenues, Glen Huntly
Wednesday 29 October and Wednesday 26 November 9.30am–11.30am

McKinnon Public Hall

118 McKinnon Road, McKinnon
Monday 6 October and Monday 10 November 9.30am–11.30am



Sounds of Glen Eira

On Friday 12 September, Glen Eira City Council's Youth Leadership Team (YLT) hosted its first *Sounds of Glen Eira* event for young local musicians.

Previously known as *Battle of the Bands*, *Sounds of Glen Eira* attracted more than 130 community members who cheered on eight performances.

The night was open to young performers with diverse musical talents from classical performances to solo and duo performers and rock bands.

Performances on the night included *Albie Sands*; 2013 *Battle of the Bands* winner *Beneath the Lies*; *Kujo Kings*; Madelin and Benjamin Ryan; 2013 *People's Choice Award* winner *Moss*; Paris Griffs; Priya Frances; and *The FIBB's*.

Glen Eira Mayor Cr Neil Pilling said it was inspiring to see the youths of Glen Eira coming together and being so passionate about something they love.

"The talent showcased on the night was exceptional and above expectations," Cr Pilling said.

It was the first year performing for first place winner *The FIBB's* (pictured above).

The *FIBB's* won two full days recording in Council's Youth Services *Plugged In* music studio with a professional sound engineer.

Kujo Kings were the runners up and the *People's Choice Award* went to Paris Griffs.

Kujo Kings were also selected to play at Council's *Party in the Park* at Packer Park in January 2015.

Youth Services and the YLT would like to thank each performer and everyone that came along and made the night memorable.



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YOUTH NEWS

Moving Up with Parents — parent information night

Glen Eira Youth Services will be hosting the *Moving Up with Parents* information night on Wednesday 22 October from 7pm to 8.30pm at Glen Eira Town Hall in the Theatre.

This is an opportunity for parents and community members, to attend a presentation that aims to equip them with knowledge, information and tips to better understand the transition from primary school to secondary school.

This presentation is designed to give parents a better understanding of the processes involved in the transition and will empower them to help their child build the resilience needed to navigate this type of change.

Guest speaker Dr Judith Locke will provide parents with knowledge, information and tips as well as some practical strategies to assist in this transition.

Dr Locke has extensive national and international experience in teaching, workplace training and psychology with adults, children and families. Her most recent position was as a Senior Trainer for *Triple P-Positive Parenting Program*.

Her work has featured in *The Sydney Morning Herald*, *The Daily Telegraph* and national magazines, including *Australian Good Taste* and *NW Magazine*.

Moving Up with Parents is being held to complement the existing transition program Glen Eira Youth Services delivers at local primary and secondary schools.

Places are limited for this event and bookings are essential. To avoid disappointment, contact Youth Services on 9524 3676.



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GLEN EIRA NEWS

Chill It!

Youth Services invites young people aged 10 to 14 years to come and chill-out, be creative, get active, have fun and meet new people at its new *Chill It* program.

Date: 27 October and 3, 10, 17 November

Time: 4pm–5.30pm

Venue: DC Bricker Pavilion (Princes Park), Social Room, Beech Street, Caulfield South

To register interest or for further information, please contact Youth Services on 9524 3676.



Foundation for Youth Excellence program

Glen Eira City Council has recently increased its funding for the *Foundation for Youth Excellence* program. The *Foundation for Youth Excellence* program, which is run by Youth Services, recognises young people aged between 10 and 25 years who have achieved excellence in fields of:

- creative and performing arts;
- education;
- leadership; or
- sport.

Grants are given out on a quarterly basis and awarded to young people, to help them achieve further success in their chosen field.

Young people can now apply for:

- up to \$360 for state level;
- up to \$600 for national level; or
- up to \$1,200 for international level.

The Foundation Committee assesses applications quarterly each year. Applications for the fourth quarter must be received by 31 October.

Young people living in our City that are competing or performing at a state, national or international level are encouraged to apply.

For further information or for an application form, visit www.gleneira.vic.gov.au or contact Youth Services on 9524 3676.

Carnegie Library forecourt enhancement



Glen Eira City Council is currently promoting an enhancement of the Carnegie Library forecourt, which links through to Koornang Road. The project is an action from the recently approved *Open Space Strategy*.

The project aims to:

- strengthen the connection between Koornang Road and the Library;
- create a destination space rather than just a thoroughfare;
- provide an urban oasis to act as a refuge within a built-up area;
- activate a community meeting and social space; and
- replace and position park furniture to cater for passive uses.

The upgrade will see the addition of an avenue of jacaranda trees, with bench seating around the trees near Koornang Road and garden beds with low level plants will complement the design. A raised seating area will provide a space adaptable for informal gatherings, small events or performances.

Collectively, the landscape works provide a strong connection between Koornang Road and the Library entrance. The enhancement will provide a safe, inviting, unique and sociable space that will be able to be used by a wide range of people and groups.



Harleston Park water feature

Elsternwick's Harleston Park has recently been upgraded with a new water feature area that complements the parks existing charm and character. It's a great place to sit and relax and enjoy the native plantings, rock settings and water feature. The park is designed to accommodate family gatherings and provide an enhanced play experience for children.

For further information, contact Recreation Services on 9524 3333.



Murrumbeena play space — an excellent development

For those who have not been to Murrumbeena Reserve, the new play space is more than just a playground — it provides a stimulating and challenging environment for children of all ages and abilities.

The play space goes beyond many existing playgrounds and features a range of equipment that extends from interactive landscaping and wooden sculptures, to family picnic areas, shelters, barbecues and toilets. It provides areas for toddlers to more active adolescents and can be accessed by wheelchairs and prams.

With such a diverse range of activities, the play space has become a favourite for many.

Murrumbeena play space was awarded the 2014 Victorian Playspace Award (Category C) for the Parks and Leisure Australia Awards of Excellence and was a finalist in the recent Parks and Leisure

Australia National Award of Excellence, which showcases the most creative, sustainable and innovative initiatives from across Australia.



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Wednesday's 15 October to 12 November

1.00pm to 2.30pm

5 x 90 minute sessions \$99

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Tuesday's 14 October to 11 November

1.00pm to 2.30pm

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