



SUBIACO
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Subiaco Stories: sharing our heritage through culture and cuisine

The City is reaching out to gather and celebrate the diverse cultures, stories, and traditions that make up our vibrant community.

We're after your unique journey, family stories or cultural recipes that highlight your heritage and background to compile into a book or digital series.

We hope to foster a deeper understanding and appreciation of the diverse backgrounds that contribute to the fabric of our suburbs.

If you have a story or recipe to share – whether that's how your family became part of the local community, or a cherished recipe that gives a delicious insight into your family's culture or traditions – we would love to hear from you.

To participate or learn more, please visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/subiacostories or contact culture@subiaco.wa.gov.au. Applications close Friday 1 November 2024.

Dementia-friendly status at Subiaco Library

Subiaco Library has proudly achieved 'working towards becoming dementia friendly' status.

This milestone demonstrates the City's dedication to creating an inclusive and supportive environment for people living with dementia and their families.

The library earned the status by embracing several key initiatives, including free information sessions for carers and families of those affected by dementia, and Dementia Memory Kits to engage and stimulate individuals with dementia.

Subiaco Mayor David McMullen said, "The dedication of library staff and volunteers in raising awareness and offering practical support for individuals living with dementia is incredibly valuable. It plays an important role in our initiatives to ensure Subiaco is a welcoming and accessible place to live and visit."

Read the full story at www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.

Bike Month

The City is hosting a number of free events this October to celebrate Bike Month and encourage everyone of all ages and abilities to hop on their bike.

Some of the two-wheel based activities around the City this October include surprise coffee giveaways, learn to ride workshops, vouchers for Subi Farmers Markets, a special themed Storytime at the library, and more.

Mayor David McMullen said, "We're continuing to invest in projects that make our suburbs and our streets safer, and easier to navigate on two-wheels - whether you're on a commute, riding with the family, or passing through Subi for a coffee with your peloton."

For more, visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news or head to our events calendar.

Residents boost recycling efforts

The City has seen a significant increase in the use of the West Metro Recycling Centre by residents over the last couple of years, demonstrating a strong commitment to sustainability and waste reduction.

From 2022 to 2024, Subiaco residents dramatically increased their use of the recycling centre with transactions for free services growing by 140 per cent, while paid services saw a 66 per cent increase over these financial year periods.

You can learn more about the West Metro Recycling Centre – including what items are acceptable – at www.wmrc.wa.gov.au/recycling-disposal/west-metro-recycling-centre, or read the full story at www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.

Pickleball at Lords

Lords Recreation Centre is launching Perth's first lunchtime Pickleball corporate competition as part of the Rokeby Games.

The Rokeby Games helps local workers get active on their lunch break while having fun with other professionals in the area.

The Pickleball season will start 24 October with 30 minute games each Thursday between 11.30am and 1.30pm.

Registration is \$100 per team (two players) for the season; this includes court and equipment, scoring and ladders, and use of the showers and changing room facilities, as well as a free pass to experience Lords' gym or group fitness classes.

For more or to sign up, head to the www.lords.com.au/the-rokeby-games-0.

Boost your wellbeing

The City is hosting a series of events this October to help support mental health and wellbeing at all ages for Mental Health Week.

Events include an informative session about the intersection of menopause and mental health, a curated collection of books and resources at Subiaco Library, and a workshop focussed on building community connections.

You can also bring a friend for free to a yoga class at Lords, meet some greyhounds outside Subiaco Museum, or take part in a youth boxing project featuring a fun workout and a talk on resilience and stress management.

For more, visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.



UPCOMING EVENTS

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Subi Night Markets

Every Saturday (except 19 Oct), 5pm to 9pm
Market Square Park, Subiaco
Free to attend

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Thrive Together: Empowering Inner-City Community Leaders

Tuesday 8 October, 10am to 4pm
Tom Dadour Community Centre,
236 Rokeby Road, Subiaco
Free

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Forrest Walk Opening Sundowner

Wednesday 9 October, 5pm to 8pm
Forrest Walk, Subiaco
Free, registration essential, beverages
available for purchase

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OCT

Get Energy and Water Smart at Home

Friday 11 October, 6pm to 7.30pm
Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road, Subiaco
Free, light refreshments provided

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OCT

Sensory Rhymetime with Sensorium Theatre

Monday 14 October, 11.30am to 1pm
Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road, Subiaco
Free, bookings required

To view all upcoming events, visit
www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events.

Bus shelter replacement program

The City is currently removing some old bus shelters and installing new ones. There will be no disruption to bus services, however some bus stops may be without shelter during this transition. Shelters that have reached their end of life will be removed, with new shelters installed across October and November 2024. For more information, email city@subiaco.wa.gov.au or call 9237 9222.

Parking updates

Two more Town Centre Parking Precinct Plan updates have come into effect this month, creating more parking opportunities for drivers.

The plan – which was informed by community consultation and endorsed by Council in 2023 – was updated to reflect current community needs.

Three-hour paid parking Monday to Friday, with the first hour free, will now apply to Barker Road and Churchill Avenue between Rokeby Road and Axon Street.

All-day parking on the north side of Hamersley Road between Hensman Road and the entrance to Theatre Gardens Car Station has also been introduced.

For more information, visit www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov.au/tcp or www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.

Online services 24/7

Did you know you can access a wide range of City services online? These include requesting a new bin size, making a rates payment, tree pruning services and pet registration and renewal. Visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/online-services.



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