

Reflect Reconciliation Action Plan (RAP)

2025-26 Achievements

Below is a summary of achievements that have collectively contributed to a more inclusive, respectful and culturally aware organisation and community in 2025-26.



NAIDOC Week 2025

Yirra Yaakin Theatre Company delivered Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony event an event at Subiaco Arts Centre. They also presented their children's show Kaarla Kaatijin.

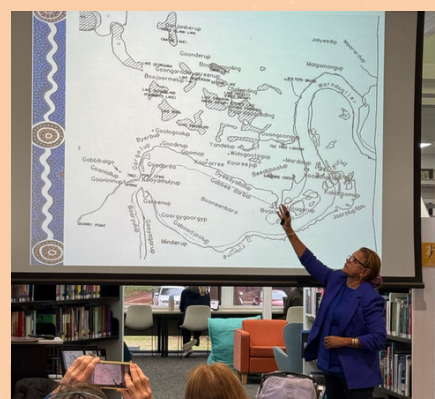
Subiaco Library had activities by indigenous artists and knowledge holders including Bec Garlett hosting a morning of storytelling and Indigenous games, Sharon Wood-Kenney hosting an interactive bush pharmacy workshop and Emma-Jane Hunt delivering an Aboriginal basket weaving workshop.



City staff participated in the Walk for Reconciliation at Galup (Lake Monger) in October 2025.



Continued community partnership with Yirra Yaakin Theatre Company, supports the annual family picnic.



Subiaco Library hosted a community cultural awareness session by Rose Walley from Kambarang Services.

The City were awarded with a Community Cohesion grant from Australian Library and Information Association (ALIA). This funded a cultural storytelling workshop at Subiaco Library – facilitated by Barking Gecko and Yirra Yaakin theatre companies. A total of 38 attendees of which 68% were from CALD backgrounds attended.





The City of Subiaco is developing a City wide initiative, Subi Streets, that will create a long-term blueprint for how every street and laneway within the City of Subiaco looks, feels, and functions and demonstrates relevance to the people who live, work, and visit Subiaco. The Subi Streets initiative conducted Aboriginal engagement to inform the project.

Aboriginal artwork by lead artist Jenny Dawson was installed at Rupert Street Pocket Park, it related to very early work completed by this art team with the community in 1998 entitled Subiaco Centenary Tiles Project.



Aboriginal knowledge holder Karen Jacobs from Indigenous Economic Solutions provided information on plants in the bush tucker garden at Theatre Gardens. This information will be accessible on the City's website.



The City provided in-kind support through providing the venue in-kind, organising catering and gift bags for the Noongar Chamber of Commerce and Industry (NCCI) Boss Yorga sessions.

The Boss Yorga program is an initiative that connects and empowers First Nations women in business. The program provides opportunities for Aboriginal businesswomen to network, share experiences, and learn from industry experts.



Subiaco Aboriginal History, Culture and People Booklet was revised and reprinted with copies gifted to conferees at the Australia Day Citizenship Ceremony.



Subiaco Library hosted a panel event with six First Nations women discussing their experiences and celebrating the launch of 'Worlds Within a World'.



The 2026 virtual Reconciliation Breakfast hosted by Reconciliation WA was promoted to all staff to attend via the intranet and enews.