



Photographic Award winners

The 2022 Photographic Award winners were announced last week with four Subiaco residents taking out a number of categories.

Seven photographers picked up awards across four main categories – ‘Mobile’, ‘Open’, ‘Subiaco’ and, for the first time, ‘Resident’ – as well as children and youth award winners.

The overall winner was local photographer Beth Baker, whose minimalist black and white image *Another Wave* (pictured above) captures the somber mood and impact of COVID-19.

Helen Potter took out the Subiaco category with her creative shot of some quirky Subiaco street art.

These images are amongst 76 finalists’ photographs on display at Subiaco Library until Sunday 29 May.

Exhibition visitors can put themselves in the judges’ shoes by voting for their favourite entry in the People’s Choice Award.

UPCOMING EVENTS

01 JUN

Mandarin Storytime

Wednesday 1 June, 3.30pm to 4pm
Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road
Free, bookings essential

04 JUN

A Stitch in Time

Saturday 4 June, 10am to 12pm
Subiaco Museum, 239 Rokeby Road
Free, bookings essential

To book your spot or view all upcoming events, visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/events.

Native plant subsidy scheme

The City has once again partnered with WESROC to offer ratepayers up to 80 local native plants for their verge and garden at the subsidised cost of \$1.75 each.

As well as enhancing and supporting local biodiversity, native plants require little water or fertiliser once they’re established. APACE Nursery in North Fremantle is facilitating the scheme, which is limited to the month of May or until stock runs out.

Proof of residency is required. For more, visit www.apacewa.org.au.

Blooms regifted to hospital

Bouquets of flowers that were repurposed from Subi Blooms were gifted to nurses, midwives, new mothers and staff at King Edward Memorial Hospital (KEMH) last week.

City representatives delivered the flowers as a symbol of the City’s appreciation for those working at the frontline during the COVID-19 pandemic.

KEMH Women and Newborn Health Service Executive Director Jodi Graham said: “The flowers donated from the Subi Blooms event instantly lifted the spirits of patients and staff at the hospital. The thoughtfulness of the gifting of these beautiful flowers was commented upon by everyone.”

This year’s Subi Blooms event was the biggest yet, featuring 13 large-scale floral installations.

Small Business Hardship Grants program

Could your business benefit from up to \$50,000 in financial assistance? The WA Government’s Small Business Hardship Grants program offers up to \$50,000 financial support to eligible WA businesses who had a decline in turnover for two weeks between 1 January and 30 April 2022 due to COVID-19. Find out more at www.smallbusiness.wa.gov.au.

City welcomes new citizens

The City welcomed 26 attendees at our recent Citizenship Ceremony held in Council Chambers – all of whom are now officially Australian citizens.

Among the new citizens was Maddie; originally from Sweden, Maddie arrived in Perth six years ago. She intended to keep travelling, but never left. Now, she works at local favourite, Dilly Dally, and we were delighted to hear her story and watch her become an official citizen at our ceremony.

“Even though I’ve always felt at home in Perth, the sense of belonging that comes with citizenship means a lot to me,” she said.

Congratulations and welcome to the community to all our new citizens.

National Volunteer Week

This week marked National Volunteer Week (NVW); an opportunity to celebrate the passionate volunteers that make the City of Subiaco so vibrant.

Volunteering is an excellent way to care for and contribute to our Subiaco community, and is also a great way to connect with new people.

The City’s National Volunteer Week lunch for 2022 was unfortunately postponed due to COVID-19; the 2022 winner will be revealed once

the lunch is rescheduled.

The City extends its appreciation to all Subiaco volunteers, including those who are part of the City’s volunteer programs; Books on Wheels, English Conversation Club, Environmental Program, Positive Ageing Ambassadors, Lords Exercise Community Classes, Museum Programs, Subi Voice of Youth, and Justice of the Peace.

Our diverse community celebrated

Students from Perth Modern School’s sexuality and gender alliance, and LGBTQIA+ community members and allies celebrated International Day against Homophobia, Biphobia and Transphobia (IDAHOBIT) this week in Subiaco with a special event run by the City.

Those who came along, painted a temporary giant chalk rainbow on the walkway directly outside the City’s Administration Centre to celebrate and appreciate our diverse community, raise awareness of the importance of equality, and champion inclusivity in schools and workplaces.

Read more at www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.

Attending a Council Meeting

The City’s monthly Agenda Briefing Forums and Ordinary Council Meetings are open to the public to attend either in-person or online.

Members of the public are given the opportunity to ask questions or make statements. All meetings are live-streamed on the City’s YouTube channel.

Agenda Briefing Forum

Tuesday 24 May, 5.30pm

May Council Meeting

Tuesday 31 May, 5.30pm

For more, visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/your-council.

Development Assessment Panel (DAP) application

The City is inviting public comment on an application for the demolition of the existing building(s) on site and the construction of a six storey mixed use development, including two commercial tenancies and 10 multiple dwellings (apartments) at 414 Rokeby Road, Subiaco.

The application will be determined by the Metro Inner-North Development Assessment Panel. For more information on DAPs visit www.daps.planning.wa.gov.au.

Plans can be viewed at www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov.au. Comments are to be received by 5pm Friday 3 June.

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