



City proposes dedicated carpark for NICU parents

Parents with babies in King Edward Memorial Hospital (KEMH) Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) could soon have dedicated hospital on-site parking if a proposal by the City of Subiaco is accepted by the State Government.

The City is proposing a City-owned car station on Hensman Road is turned into hospital patient and visitor parking in exchange for KEMH allocating one hospital carpark for the exclusive use of NICU parents.

The City currently provides the hospital with 20 parking permits each week that allow NICU parents to park all day for free but the City recently found the permits were not being utilised to their full capacity – largely due to low availability of nearby parking spots.

The proposal was approved by Council this week and comes after an extensive investigation by the City, including discussions with KEMH, Helping Little Hands, and NICU parents.

Currently, KEMH have 467 parking bays on-site with only 29 of these available for patients and visitors.

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

Hay Street reopen for business

The full extent of Hay Street is expected to open today for the first time since February, restoring traffic flow, foot traffic and additional street parking to the area.

The City is scheduled to remove the safety hoarding on Friday 27 August after the property owner, Sanur, has completed stabilisation works at 424-436 Hay Street that the City ordered them to undertake back in March.

Sanur appealed the order but last month the State Administrative Tribunal (SAT) ruled in favour of the City of Subiaco, upholding the orders which were to enable safe reopening of this arterial road.

"I'm exceptionally pleased that the City is able to fully and safely reopen Hay Street after months of suffering for local businesses," CEO Colin Cameron said.

"We've recently had some new businesses move into Hay Street with more on the way so I encourage everyone to come and support new and existing businesses in the area."

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

Nominate for Council

Becoming an Elected Member gives you an opportunity to be part of the decision making process, and make a positive difference in your community.

If you're considering putting yourself forward for Council, nominations must be submitted between Thursday 2 September and Thursday 9 September 2021.

To learn what's involved, visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au.

Community scorecard results released

The City of Subiaco received 98 per cent positive rating for the performance of its library and information services, along with a number of other industry leading results in its latest Community Scorecard.

The scorecard survey evaluates community priorities and measures performance against key indicators in the Strategic Community Plan. It will also help inform future consultation.

To view the results in full, including what the community wants the City to prioritise going forward visit www.subiaco.wa.gov.au/news.

Thank you to everyone who took part for your invaluable contribution.

Rokeby Road South Streetscape Masterplan approved

The Rokeby Road South Streetscape Masterplan was approved at this week's Council meeting.

The masterplan addresses safety issues on Rokeby Road between Bagot Road and Thomas Street, while also enhancing the existing character and amenity of the precinct.

It was developed with extensive community consultation and modifications were made to the draft plan in response to matters raised by the community, including amending the proposed staging of the masterplan to further minimise long-term disruption to businesses.

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

Council gives green light for Rosalie Park upgrades

Rosalie Park is set to get a lighting upgrade and a new mixed-use sporting area, after Council gave the projects the green light at this week's meeting.

Existing lighting at the popular playing fields does not currently meet Australian Standards and community consultation showed 100 per cent of respondents in support of the upgrade. The project will be partially funded by a State Government grant.

The new sporting area is part of the City's fast tracked capital works program, and will include courts, cricket nets, a ping pong table, a garden, and more.

Both projects will not only bring infrastructure at Rosalie Park up-to-date but also deliver social and health benefits to the local community.

Mayor Penny Taylor said the upgrades were much needed. "Rosalie Park is a much loved and well-used park in our community," she said.

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





UPCOMING EVENTS

O1 SEP Music Pharmacy at Seniors Space Wednesday 1 September, 11am to 12pm Tom Dadour Community Centre Free



The Science of Human Behaviour presentation

Monday 6 September, 6pm to 7.30pm Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road Free, registration essential



Digication: Cyber Safety

Thursday 9 September, 1.30pm to 2.30pm Subiaco Library, 237 Rokeby Road Free, registration essential

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



New heritage area street signs

The City has a number of heritage areas that hold cultural heritage significance. Within these areas, special controls apply to conserve and enhance the streetscape, key heritage features and elements, and notable character.

To help increase awareness of these unique areas, the City recently installed heritage area street signs.

Heritage grant round opens

If you are the owner of a property listed on the Heritage List or a contributory place located within a heritage area you may be eligible to apply for funding through the City of Subiaco heritage grants fund.

For more, visit the 'heritage news and projects' page at www.subiaco.wa.gov.au. Applications close Friday 8 October.

Heritage List

The City is inviting public comment on a proposal to amend the level of significance of 139 Coghlan Road, Subiaco on the Heritage List from some significance (level 3) to considerable significance (level 2).

For more information on the proposal, visit www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov.au. This information can also be viewed at the City's Administration Centre during office hours.

Submissions need to be received by 5pm Friday 10 September.

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