

New exhibition tells local stories

Local artist, Bee K C Tan, is helping to tell the stories of a number of Wandana complex residents in a new portrait exhibition at Subiaco Library.

The Wandana complex was the first multi-storey block to be built in WA. Construction addressed a public housing crisis which followed the end of World War II.

Now a State Heritage listed building, the 245 apartments in the Wandana complex are home to a community of diverse and vibrant characters who Bee has honoured through her work.

The exhibition is free to attend and was made possible by a City of Subiaco Community Development Grant. It is showing at Subiaco Library until **Sunday 31 January**.

Turnstiles restored at Subiaco Oval

The turnstiles at Subiaco Oval have now been reinstated, helping to honour the cultural contribution football has made to the City over the years.

Subiaco Oval is a historically significant place for local residents and the wider Western Australian community, and the City strongly advocated for improvements to the iconic entry gate to help conserve the oval's heritage.

To help celebrate significant public and community events, special lighting is now in place at the gates. Get in quick, as DevelopmentWA are encouraging City of Subiaco residents to send their special lighting requests to subieast@developmentwa.com.au, for special dates in January. Most colours and actions, such as pulse and sparkle are achievable.

Subi East update

DevelopmentWA's landscaping and public realm plans for the first Subi East neighbourhood are now open for comment.

Known as The Oval, the inclusive neighbourhood will have six different experiences, including a Six Seasons Bidi trail, a heritage plaza at the heritagelisted entry gates, and a community park with barbecue and picnic spaces.

The plans are open for comment until Monday 8 February 2021. Learn more at www.developmentwa.com.au.

Proposal to change the method of filling the office of mayor

Late last year, the City received a proposal to change the method of filling the office of mayor. The City is now calling for submissions on the proposal before 5pm Monday 22 February.

The mayor is currently popularly elected by the community; the alternative approach is for councillors to select a mayor from amongst themselves.

Submissions can be made online, by email, by post, or in person at the City's Administration Centre. Visit www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov. au/officeofmayor for more.

City launches Senior Space

The City has launched Senior Space – a free weekly event for seniors to come and enjoy social activities, and meet old and new friends while enjoying a cup of tea or coffee.

Activities will include Scrabble, knitting, a patio gardening project, beginner level woodworking projects, movie screenings, and more. There will also be a 'chatty table' for those looking for a rest and a cuppa.

Senior Space will be held at Tom Dadour Community Centre every Thursday from 9am to 12pm.

New and improved men's shed now open

A new and improved Subiaco Men's Shed is now officially open after the City supported a number of upgrades to the space.

The Men's Shed is a community, not-for-profit organisation that provides a safe and friendly environment for men to work on projects and make connections with others.

The upgrades included an extension to double the existing footprint of the Bagot Road building, new signage, and the resurfacing of the carpark using materials containing recycled concrete and crumbed rubber.

Mayor Penny Taylor said the City was pleased to be able to support this important community group.

"Men's Shed makes a real difference in the community and I want to thank all the 'shedders' on behalf of the City of Subiaco for their invaluable contribution," she said.

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Subilicious FRINGE WORLD events

On until 13 February Subiaco Arts Centre, St Andrew's Church and Irish Club of WA Theatre Shows are ticketed Proudly supported by See Subiaco

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Unexpected Moments photographic exhibition

Every Tuesday to Saturday until 27 February Subiaco Museum, 239 Rokeby Road

sunset@subi concerts

Sunday 24 and 31 January, 5pm to 7pm Lake Jualbup Free

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

HAVE YOUR SAY

Visit the City's dedicated online engagement hub, www.haveyoursay.subiaco.wa.gov.au, to view documents and information relating to the items below. You can also visit the City's Administration Centre or Subiaco Library for more.

154 Hay Street

The City is inviting public comment on a Development Assessment Panel application for a six storey mixed use development (14 apartments and one commercial tenancy) at 154 Hay Street, Subiaco. Comments are to be received by 5pm Friday 29 January 2021.

97-101 Evans Street and 375-379 Railway Road

The City is inviting public comment on a a six storey mixed use development (60 apartments and one commercial tenancy (restaurant/cafe)) at 97-101 Evans Street and 375-379 Railway Road, Shenton Park. Comments are to be received by 5pm Friday 29 January 2021.

Draft Amended Local Planning Policy

The City is inviting public comment on draft amended Local Planning Policy 3.6 Development Guidelines for Residential Heritage Areas. The draft amendments are to ensure that the policy is consistent with the current legislative framework, to improve clarity on some policy provisions, and to allow solar panels to be visible from the primary are to be received by 5pm Monday 15 February 2021.

Seddon Street Precinct Draft Local Development Plan

The City is inviting public comment on the draft Local Development Plan for the area bound by Roberts Road, Catherine Street, Hay Street and Rokeby Road, Subiaco (Seddon Street Precinct). The draft plan sets out built form controls for new development within the precinct and includes provisions relating to movement network and public benefits. Comments are to be received by **5pm Friday** 19 February 2021.