

# Northern Beaches News



## A message from the Mayor



There has been some discussion this week about the Northern Beaches beach parking permit.

Let me reassure you that Council is not considering any proposal to change the one sticker. This single sticker unites us. Residents can enjoy the benefits of one Council and continue to use their parking sticker from Manly to Palm Beach and everywhere in between, for many years to come.

I hope the community will be just as passionate when we release our transport discussion paper in the coming weeks. We know this is a hot topic in our area with so many people struggling to get in, out and around the Beaches.

We will be looking for as much input from residents as possible on the discussion paper and providing many opportunities for you to have your say. Stay tuned for more on how you can get involved in how we directly influence the state government positively on transport, now and into the future. They want our help, so let's give it to them.

The school holidays are almost upon us again. This year the holidays coincide with Youth Week so we have even more activities than usual on offer to keep the kids entertained.

Book into vacation care for a day of bubble soccer, fishing or bowling. Design your own t-shirt or skate deck at a PCYC workshop. Check out the 'escape room' at your library. Become a marine scientist at the Coastal Environment Centre or improve the kids swimming through some intensive classes at one of the local aquatic centres. There are so many fun activities to choose from for kids of all ages.

Good luck to all the young groups going head-to-head next Friday night in the finals of Northern Composure – our youth band competition. It's a tough competition and past winners have gone on to great acclaim.

And don't forget the NSW Seniors Festival also continues all month with a packed program of interesting creative arts, fitness and wellbeing activities. I particularly like the sound of laughter yoga which is one of many activities on Monday! But there is something for everyone next week – from men's cooking classes to happy hour tours and cyber security workshops.

Visit Council's website for more details on all our activities.

Have a great weekend.

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## Go Beyond the Hour Earth Hour Energy Savings Challenge



1 Take the challenge with unique activities each month



2 Reduce your energy consumption and bills



3 Love the planet!

Win great prizes every month!

To find out more and to sign up visit [northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](http://northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

## Canine connect info stall

Sun 8 Apr, 9am - 12pm  
Rowland Reserve, Bayview

Treat your dog to a walk by the bay and get all of your 'doggie' questions answered by Council and local animal hospital staff. Learn more about registration, change of address, responsible pet ownership, ticks, desexing and more. Free giveaways for you and your pooch.

Enquiries: 9942 2504  
More information online

## Free expo of NDIS service providers

Wed 11 Apr, 10.30am - 4.30pm  
Dee Why RSL Showroom

Council welcomes everyone, especially carers and people with disability, to speak with 50 disability services about supports for NDIS Plans. Staff of NDIA, Local Area Coordination and Synapse Appeals Service will answer enquiries. Special seminars:

- 11am Plans for children aged 0-8
- 1pm Plans for students and adults – including SLES and employment
- 3pm Reviews and appeals

Enquiries: 9942 2686, 9942 2560 or  
[disabilityservices@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:disabilityservices@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

## iPads and more technology for adults with disability

Thu 12 Apr, 6.30 - 9.30pm

Forest Community Arts Centre,  
Forestville

People with disability, families and carers can hear Dr Graeme Smith of Ability Technology discuss how technology can improve communication, organising and independence at home or work.

Free  
Bookings essential: 9942 2686 or  
[disabilityservices@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:disabilityservices@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

## Development proposals

View application plans and documents:

- [northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](http://northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

Make a submission:

- [northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](http://northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)
- [council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au)

Contact a planner:

- 1300 434 434
- [council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au) (mark attention to the planner)

## 5 & 7 Macpherson St, Warriewood

Council is in receipt of application Mod2018/0149 for modification of consent N0248/16 for the consolidation of two allotments, demolition of existing structures and construction of multi dwelling housing comprising nine dwellings, associated car parking and landscaping at Lot 21 DP 1080979 and Lot 1 DP 314508, 5 & 7 Macpherson St, Warriewood.

Applicant: Dickson Rothschild Pty Ltd  
Consent authority: Northern Beaches Council

The proposal does not constitute designated development.

Enquiries: Tyson Ek-Moller, Principal Planner  
Submissions close: Mon 7 May

## Have your say

Find out about projects open for comment, view relevant documents and 'have your say' at [northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](http://northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au). You can also drop in to one of our Customer Service Centres, email [council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@northernbeaches.nsw.gov.au), call us on 1300 434 434, or write a letter (marked attention to the project name) to Northern Beaches Council, 725 Pittwater Rd, Dee Why 2099.

## Narrabeen Lagoon aquatic boardwalk

Council has developed plans for an aquatic boardwalk for the northern side of the Narrabeen Lagoon trail, adjacent to the Wakehurst Parkway, to improve safety and protect the environment.

Join us at a drop-in session:

- Today, 1 - 3pm, Bilarong Reserve, North Narrabeen

Comments close: Sun 6 May