

A message from the Mayor



Over the last few weeks more than 3600 worms farms and compost bins have been delivered to residents who ordered them as part of our initiative to support our community to reduce their waste.

When I took this initiative to Council, I knew it would be

popular but the level of interest was incredible and the available allocations were quickly exhausted.

It's great to see our community embrace the war on waste and recognise that the best outcome for the environment is managing waste at the source. If you haven't used one of these before, you'll be surprised at how much difference they can make to the levels of your red lidded bin and ultimately how much we collectively can divert from landfill.

I know we have many more residents interested so I am exploring how we can we run this program again this year. In the meantime, Kimbriki run workshops which include a \$90 voucher for a worm farm or a compost bin for Northern Beaches residents. Check out our website for details.

And thanks to all for your patience as we bed down the new waste service. We have new trucks, new drivers, new runs and new collection days and that means there will be teething issues. Once we bed it all down though we will be delivering residents a fantastic new service, one of the cheapest in Sydney.

The future leaders of the Northern Beaches will gather today for an official induction of Council's Youth Advisory Group.

Twenty-eight youngsters from five different wards were selected from a strong field of applicants to work with Council on our projects and events.

Today they'll be sharing what connects them to the Northern Beaches and our community and canvassing issues of importance to them. I look forward to meeting these impressive young people today and over the coming weeks.

Finally, a shout out to our 20 young exchange students who leave our shores today after a busy 10 day program as part of our Friendship City Agreement with Japan's Odawara City Council.

These exchanges offer incredible opportunities for the students and the hosts and you can really see how enriched all involved are from these kind of programs.

Have a great weekend.

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ART PRIZE 2019

General & Small Sculpture: Fri 9 - Sun 18 Aug
Waste-to-Art & Youth: Fri 30 Aug - Sun 8 Sep

See the prize-winning works and a wonderful range of shortlisted paintings, drawings, sculptures, prints, collage, clothing and jewellery.

Creative Space
105 Abbott Rd, North Curl Curl
Open daily, 10am - 4pm

 

Have your say

The following projects are open for comment:

Proposed lease of Crown land - Village Park café restaurant

Submissions close: Mon 5 Aug

Ocean Beaches Plan of Management amendments (draft) - Avalon Netball Courts

Submissions close: Sun 11 Aug

Little Manly Reserves Landscape Masterplan

- Drop-in session: Wed 7 Aug, 10am - 12pm, Little Manly Beach

Comments close: Sun 18 Aug

Public Art Working Group - nominations open

Applications close: Sun 25 Aug



Health and fitness for everybody

Our Manly aquatic centre makes being active and fit fun for the whole family, from little ones right through to seniors.

Six swimming pools, state of the art fitness centre, fitness classes, personal training, spa pool, steam and sauna.

Our month to month memberships mean you can cancel anytime.



Council notices

Weed control program

We're conducting broadleaf weed control on sportsfields and some reserves on the Northern Beaches until September.

Northern Beaches Local Planning Panel

Wed 7 Aug, 1pm

Civic Centre, Dee Why

Item 3.1 - DA2018/1800 - 93 McIntosh Rd, Narrabeena - demolition of existing structures and construction of a shop top housing development, including ground floor commercial/retail and nine apartments, with basement parking and strata subdivision.

Item 3.2 - DA2018/0849 - 10 Naree Rd, Frenchs Forest - demolition works and construction of a boarding house development.

Item 3.3 - DA2019/0278 - 1/1 Moore Rd, Freshwater - use of premises as an indoor recreation facility.

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Requests to address the Panel: 9942 2360 by Tue 6 Aug, 4pm

Amendments to Manly Development Control Plan (DCP)

At our meeting on 23 July 2019, Council approved an amendment to Manly DCP 2013 to remove references to the North and South Steyne Road Realignment Schemes.

The DCP as amended (Amendment 13) will commence today under Clause 21(4) of the *Environmental Planning and Assessment Regulation 2000*.