

## A message from the Mayor



The finishing touches were applied to Forestville's Melwood Oval this week with the completion of the new public amenities. Council opened two synthetic football fields and the upgraded rugby field in 2015 and have since also upgraded the netball courts, off leash dog park, shared paths and amenities. Working with the War Memorial Committee we have also developed the ANZAC Memorial Pathway to commemorate the contribution made by Australians in World War 1.

The likes of Forest Killarney Football Club, Forest Netball Club, Forest Rugby Club and the Forest District Cricket Club all use the multi-access facility 12 months a year so I am pleased we have been able to complete this significant \$6.5 million upgrade.

Work is also progressing well on the over water addition to the Narrabeen Lagoon walking trail. The addition will provide a safe route away from the Wakehurst Parkway and allow us to restore the habitat along the northern foreshore of the lagoon. And it will be a fantastic addition to the popular cycling and walking path. This section of trail is closed while we complete it and the team is working hard to have it reopen next month.

Today marks the official start of Bike Week and Council is a big believer in literally getting bums on seats! Many benefits come with cycling - it is cost effective, a great form of exercise and also helps reduce traffic and parking congestion across the peninsula. The Bike Week fun begins this morning with a pop-up stall with info and giveaways at Mona Vale Beach and tomorrow at Dee Why's Walter Gors Park.


The winners of the 24/7 Youth Film Festival will be announced tomorrow night at Warringah Mall's HOYTS cinemas. This festival is a short film competition where young people have had to make a seven-minute short film in just 24 hours. The top 10 films will be screened and judged by industry professionals. If you want to see some top young talent on display, tickets are still available.

Finally, Tuesday night is the monthly elected Council meeting in the Civic Centre at Dee Why. As always, you are welcome to attend, register to address the Council, or watch it live online.

Have a great weekend.

**Michael Regan**

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## Australia Day Awards 2020

### Nominate your local hero

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Senior Citizen of the Year
- Community Event of the Year
- Sportsperson of the Year
- Outstanding Community Service Award

Nominations now open



## Have your say

The following projects are open for comment:

### Urban Night Sky Place - Working Group

**Nominations close: Sun 22 Sep**

### Birdwood Park Playground, North Narrabeen (renewal)

**Comments close: Sun 29 Sep**

### Manly West Esplanade Heritage Activation Plan (draft)

**Submissions close: Sun 29 Sep**

### Mona Vale Beach amenities and lifeguard storage

**Comments close: Sun 29 Sep**

### Northern Beaches Parking Permit Scheme Framework (draft)

**Submissions close: Sun 29 Sep**

### Planning Proposal 10-12 Boondah Rd and 6 Jacksons Rd, Warriewood

**Submissions close: Sun 29 Sep**

### Tidal pool renewals - Little Manly and Forty Baskets

**Comments close: Sun 29 Sep**

## Celebrating Bike Week



We're giving away a swag of bicycling goodies including bike bells, back-pack covers, slap bands and bike repair kits. Come along to our 'pop-up' stalls, 10am - 12pm:

- Today, Mona Vale Beach
- Tomorrow, Walter Gors Park, Dee Why
- Sat 28 Sep, Newport Beach



## Art of Ageing Exhibition

**Mona Vale Library**  
**Fri 27 Sep - Thu 31 Oct**  
**Launch: Thu 3 Oct, 6.30pm**

Join us for the launch of this photographic exhibition that celebrates the value, experience and contribution older people bring to the community. Refreshments and nibbles on arrival.

RSVP online

## Council meeting

**Tue 24 Sep, 6pm**  
**Council Chambers, Dee Why**

View the agenda online or at any of our Customer Service Centres.

Requests to address Council or speak at the public forum: complete the form online or call 9942 2193 by Tue 24 Sep, 12pm

## Council notices

### **Narrabeen Lagoon Trail - section closed**

Until Fri 11 Oct

We're building an overwater boardwalk between Deep Creek Reserve and Bilarong Reserve to provide you with a safer and more enjoyable experience using the trail. During these works, the trail will need to be closed between Bilarong Reserve and Middle Creek Reserve.

### **Manly Jazz**

Road closure

Fri 4 Oct, 3pm - Tue 8 Oct, 7am

There will be a temporary road closure in place on Manly beachfront between the corner of South Steyne/Wentworth St and the corner of North Steyne/Raglan St.

### **Suspension of Alcohol Free Zone**

Sat 5 Oct - Mon 7 Oct, 11am - 6pm

The Alcohol Free Zone in Manly's CBD will be suspended. Alcohol consumption will only be permitted within the Licensee's Wine Garden, located on Manly Corso.

### **Proposed easements to drain water - Patanga Park, Frenchs Forest**

Under s47 of the Local Government Act 1993, we're considering granting the following easements to enable the construction of underground stormwater drainage pipes within Patanga Park.

The proposed easements are to be granted in perpetuity, subject to Council approval and payment to Council of an independently assessed value of compensation.

### **22 Frenchs Forest Rd East**

We're considering granting an easement (approximately 1m wide and 21m in length) to the owner of 22 Frenchs Forest Rd East (Lot 86 DP 20077) to drain water over part of Council community land (Patanga Park, Lots 82 & 87 DP 25964) to 26 Frenchs Forest Rd East (Lot 84 DP 20077).

### **26 Frenchs Forest Rd East**

We're considering granting an easement (approximately 1m wide and 5m in length) to the owner of 26 Frenchs Forest Rd East (Lot 84 DP 20077) to drain water over part of Council community land (Patanga Park, Lot 82 DP 25964).

Submissions can be made online,  
via email or to PO BOX 82 Manly 1655  
Submissions close: Sun 20 Oct

### **Proposed change to traffic conditions Left Turn Only - Maxwell Pde, Frenchs Forest**

Under s116 of the Roads Act 1993, and following our review of the location, we're proposing to install a full time Left Turn Only control along Maxwell Pde, approaching Warringah Rd. The concept and traffic control plans can be viewed online.

Submissions can be made online,  
via email or to PO BOX 82 Manly 1655  
Submissions close: Sun 20 Oct

## Development proposals

View application plans and documents or make a submission online.

Call or email us to contact a planner.

Consent authority: Northern Beaches Council

### **1955 Pittwater Rd, Bayview - amended plans**

DA2019/0154 (Lot 1 DP 373531) - amended plans for demolition works and construction of a seniors housing development.

Applicants: I F Westaway and J E Westaway

Enquiries: Catriona Shirley, Principal Planner  
Submissions close: Sat 5 Oct

### **33 Starkey St, Forestville**

DA2019/0812 (Lot 2 DP 363929) - demolition works and construction of a boarding house.

This application is being re-advertised and re-notified as the notification sign was not displayed on site during the original notification period.

Applicant: Linshop Pty Ltd

Enquiries: Claire Ryan, Principal Planner  
Submissions close: Sat 12 Oct

### **4 Augusta Rd, Manly**

REV2019/0049 (Lot 2 Sec 11 DP 2428) - Review of Determination of application DA2019/0124 for alterations and additions to the existing multi dwelling housing.

Applicant: Oliver David Campbell Rees,  
Jennifer Frances Rees

Enquiries: Catriona Shirley, Planner  
Submissions close: Sat 5 Oct

### **16 Upper Gilbert St, Manly - amended plans**

DA2018/1870 (Lot A DP 110371) - amended plans for demolition works and construction of a residential flat building.

Applicant: Platform Architects Pty Ltd

Enquiries: Benjamin Price, Planner  
Submissions close: Sat 5 Oct