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Welcome to the July 2017 edition of the *Peninsula* newsletter.

We are half way through the year and I am pleased

to say as a City we have worked hard to achieve a lot in the past six months. Major City projects including the Ernest Johnson Reserve and Mends Street redevelopments and upgrades are progressing well and a report outlining the key findings of the City's Place + Design: South Perth Station Precinct study has been finalised.

Emerging Artist Award open for entries

Entries for the 2017 Emerging Artist Award open on 10 July. Now in its fifteenth year, this annual award and exhibition for upcoming artists and students continues to grow in size and reputation. It's one of my favourite City run events and I look forward to seeing this year's entries. Finalists' work will be exhibited in the South Perth Community Hall from 22-30 September 2017.

NAIDOC Week 2 – 9 July

The City will celebrate NAIDOC Week from 2-9 July 2017, partnering with community organisations and local Noongar community members to host events including the annual flag raising ceremony. To find out more and get involved, visit our website.

South Perth Libraries

In August our South Perth and Manning Libraries will come alive with a host of free activities and events to celebrate Children's Book Week and National Science Week. Our libraries offer a range of wonderful resources for members to use and borrow. The collection contains digital and traditional items including DVDs, talking books and eResources. Visit our libraries to see how you can use your iPad or tablet to read magazines, books, newspapers, stream films, learn a language plus lots more.

Stay in touch

If you have any queries or feedback in relation to the City, please come along and have a chat with me on the second Friday of each month between 10am and 12pm outside South Perth Library, Cnr Sandgate St and South Tce, South Perth. ■

Sue Doherty
Sue Doherty, Mayor

Front cover: northern view of Mends St



OPEN FOR BUSINESS
MENDS STREET

Consultants Place Laboratory have been appointed by the City, following a tender process to provide urban design and landscape services for stage one of the Mends Street Connect South project.

A \$7.5m major project, Connect South will enhance and invigorate the Mends Street precinct and foreshore area. The project has grown from the South Perth Foreshore Strategy and Management Plan which identified Node 1: Mends Street as a key area to redevelop.

The first stage of the project focuses on Mends Street between Mill Point Road and the foreshore along with parts of the South Perth Esplanade. It will deliver a piazza on the foreshore as well as streetscape and amenity improvements, landscaping upgrades and place activation activities.

Recently installed promotional signage has been put in place to remind shoppers that Mends Street is still open for business and encourage visitation. The City has also recently engaged a consultant to assist retailers in the precinct with activities and events, with the aim of encouraging more people to the area during the construction and transition phase.

What measures has the City implemented to manage parking in the Mends Street precinct?

- 'First Hour Free' parking trial on South Perth Esplanade
- New permanent wayfinding signage installed to assist visitors to locate the free short-stay parking in the area, including the one-hour free parking available in the South Shore Shopping Centre undercover car park

- A dynamic sign showing the number of available parking bays at South Shore has been installed as part of the wayfinding project

- Council has approved three new short-term parking bays on Mends Street in place of a previous loading bay

- In addition, the City has introduced parking for construction and contractor workers on Melville Parade, which will reduce the load that these vehicles have been adding to available parking in the precinct ■

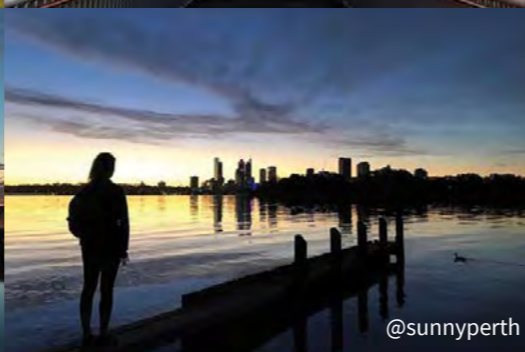
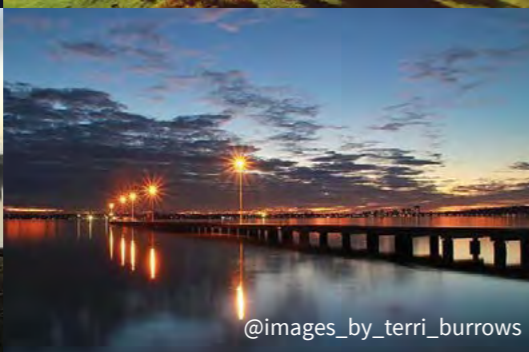
In 2016 the City secured \$2.5 million in Federal funding from the National Stronger Regions Fund (NSRF) to match the City's contribution of \$5 million towards the project.



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Works in your neighbourhood

Footpaths

- Slab replacement programme weather permitting

Road Works

- Birdwood Ave, Como - Throssell St to Murray St
- Collins St, Kensington - Market St to Oxford St

- Godwin Ave, Manning - Canavan Cres to Henley St

- Pilgrim St, South Perth - Fortune St to Coode St

- Bessell Avenue, Como - Resurfacing and installation traffic management treatment

Did you know that the City's website is updated regularly with details of construction and maintenance work going on around the City? Updates can be found on the website home page as well as on our Construction & Maintenance Work page. Visit southperth.wa.gov.au/roadworks.

South Perth Station Precinct

Weekly news updates relating to traffic and parking management in the area are posted on the South Perth Station Precinct page of the City's website ■

Ernest Johnson Reserve redevelopment progress



Ernest Johnson (EJ) Reserve and its associated buildings are being redeveloped to better accommodate the needs of sports clubs, community groups, the local community and

the City with the aim of providing a contemporary, functional and sustainable multi-purpose facility.

Construction works for stage one of the \$10.5m redevelopment are progressing

well with structural steel installation taking shape on the main buildings.

Ground slab works have been completed on the playgroup building and ground slab pours are in progress for the main hall and change rooms. Block work and underground pipe works are also under way on these buildings. The car park works have also commenced.

This first stage of the project remains on schedule for completion at the end of 2017. The second stage, which will include demolition of existing buildings, works on the oval and construction of sports facilities, playgrounds and social areas, is scheduled to commence in early 2018.

More information about this project can be found under the Projects and Places section of the City's website. ■

Proposed Westralian Centre concept

Thank you for your feedback

The City would like to thank everyone who contributed their feedback, thoughts and opinions in response to the Council's proposed Westralian Centre concept.

As custodians of the foreshore, the City has engaged with a range of stakeholders to date, and sought input from our

local community as well as the broader Western Australian community.

Feedback captured through an independent survey and the City's online engagement portal Your Say South Perth will be analysed and considered to inform and assist the Council's decision making on the proposed project.

For more information about the proposal please visit the City's website. ■

Place + Design report finalised



A report outlining the key findings of the City's Place + Design: South Perth Station Precinct study has been finalised following an intensive period of investigations, research and community and stakeholder consultation.

The report presents a draft of a renewed stakeholder-led vision that articulates future aspirations and goals for the South Perth Station Precinct (SPSP) and immediate surrounding area, together with goals, ideas and recommended actions for the continuing planning and development of the South Perth Peninsula.

The Place + Design team, led by consultants RobertsDay, has collaborated and worked extensively over the past six months with City staff, Councillors and

stakeholders including community group representatives, individual residents, developers, business owners, land owners and government representatives, building on the existing vision, consultant research and stakeholder input to date.

The report is the culmination of this work, and puts forward a wide range of recommendations related to planning, transportation, public realm, built form and placemaking which the City will consider and prioritise.

As the City progresses with planning for the SPSP and surrounding area there will be further opportunities for the community and stakeholders to provide comment and be involved.

To view the report, visit the City's website. ■



Vision 2027 update

Following community and stakeholder consultation, the City's Strategic Community Plan 2017-2027 has been drafted, outlining the vision, aspirations and priorities for the City for the next 10 years.

The draft plan is being advertised for public comment and will then be presented to Council for adoption.

The development of a Corporate Business Plan to outline how the City will meet the aspirations and achieve the priorities will follow the adoption of the Strategic Community Plan.

The City would like to thank everyone who has participated in Vision 2027.

To keep up to date on the progress, please visit the City's website. ■



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Garage Sale Trail



Make some money, declutter and see your good stuff reused by hosting a garage sale as part of this year's Garage Sale Trail on Saturday 21 and Sunday 22 October.

Presented by the City of South Perth, it's completely free and you get to keep the proceeds.

In 2016 local residents and community groups hosted garage sales throughout the City, taking part in the hugely successful national event.

This year, as Garage Sale Trail moves from a one day event to a whole weekend of pop-up sales we're hoping for even more registrations from the local community.

Born in 2010, Garage Sale Trail has grown from a grassroots event to a program powered by over 150 councils nationally. By organising communities around Australia to host and shop at garage sales on one big weekend, Garage Sale Trail aims to encourage reuse, unite communities, create awareness around the issues of illegal dumping, provide a platform for fundraising and inspire creativity.

Registrations officially open in August, until then you can pre-register your interest at

www.garagesaletrail.com.au

Garage Sale Trail is on Saturday 21 – Sunday 22 October 2017

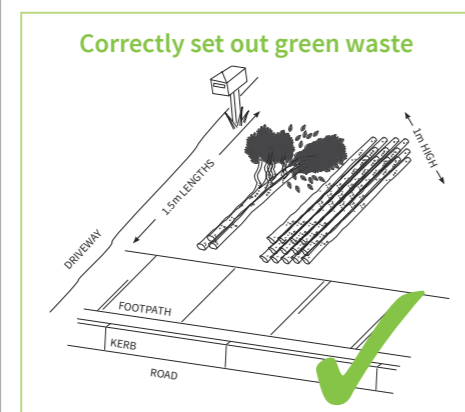
Join the conversation #garagesaletrail ■

Spring verge side collection

Green waste

21 August to 25 September 2017

Up to three cubic metres of green waste will be collected from each residence.

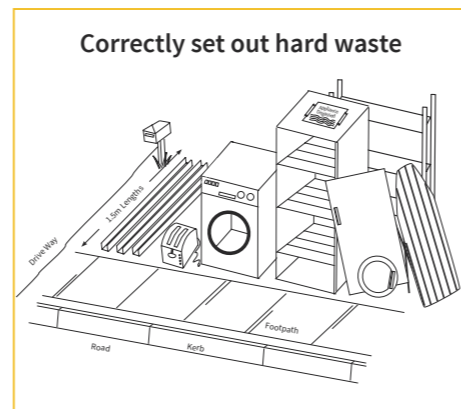


Hard waste

2 October to 20 November 2017

Up to four cubic metres of hard waste will be collected from each residence.

Visit the City's website to view the collection dates for your local area or phone 9474 0777.



Free mulch

Free mulch is available from the City of South Perth Recycling Centre.

Residents wishing to take mulch must load it themselves from the pile provided at the City of South Perth Recycling Centre, located at Cnr Hayman Road and Thelma Street, Como. ■

Reusable recycling bags



Did you know the City's Recycling Centre offers free large, reusable recycling bags for residents which can be collected from and returned to the Centre during opening hours. The bags can be used for green waste or recyclable material.

Once collected, these materials are shredded and composted into garden mulch which is also available free of charge for residents. The bags can be used for collecting up to 120 litres of mulch.

Limited supply available, two per resident whilst stocks last.

What can be recycled in the bags:

- Bark • Grass • Weeds
- Leaves • Hedge clippings
- Logs • Dead plants and flowers
- Small branches

What will not be recycled in the bags:

- Animal waste • Food waste
- Invasive plants eg Morning Glory
- Large branches or logs
- Plastic bags
- Soil, stones or rubble

The bags are available for residents only, not commercial operators.

Visit the City's website for more information on the Recycling Centre. ■

Upgrade to Hope Avenue Reserve in Salter Point

The upgrade to Hope Avenue Reserve is now complete, providing a new recreation space for the community in Salter Point.

Eighty new trees were planted in the reserve this autumn, selected to attract birds and showcase local and waterwise trees suitable for suburban backyards. The new plantings feature fantastic flowers and foliage. As they mature the trees will provide plenty of shade for the new lawns, paths, seating and waterwise gardens.

Further new amenities include seats, rubbish bin, drink fountain with dog bowl and a multi-court with new netball hoop to complement the existing basketball hoop. A new park path provides accessible entry to the existing playground and new sitting areas, connecting Hope Avenue with Roebuck Drive. ■



Winter tree planting commences

In July, the City will start its annual winter tree planting season. Each year, around 1,200 trees are planted throughout City streetscapes and reserves. The most common species planted are Agonis and Jacaranda trees along with an assortment of local native Eucalyptus.

Street trees are a vital part of the City's urban forest and provide over 800,000 square metres of tree canopy cover.

If you have room for a new street tree you can request a tree/trees online using the City's ReportIt service.

City officers will determine the appropriate tree species, alignment and spacing for your verge and street in order to maintain the continuity of existing streetscapes.

Once the trees are planted, City contractors water them for their first two summers to help them become established. Residents are encouraged to provide extra water during hot dry periods and to continue summer watering after the initial two years.

Did you know there are currently more than 26,000 trees in the City's streetscapes and reserves? The trees are regularly assessed and updated on the City's database and can be viewed via Intramaps, the City's online mapping system.

Benefits of street trees

Street trees provide many benefits to the community and local streetscapes including:

- Valuable shade
- Reducing surface heat
- Protection from wind
- Reducing glare
- Providing habitat for fauna
- Replenishing oxygen while removing carbon dioxide
- Providing a more aesthetically pleasing environment
- Reducing storm water runoff. ■



Cat boarding at the Animal Care Facility



Did you know the City offers a cat boarding service for furry family members?

When you go away, your beloved feline friend can enjoy a holiday in one of the facility's 32 spacious, light and airy cat condominiums. Your cat's every need will be catered to in a climate controlled room, with large play gym, high quality meals at breakfast and dinner, fresh linens and kitty litter trays daily.

Single condominiums can be hired, or for cat families or those wanting a bit of extra

play space, they can be converted into doubles. The design of the condominiums ensures that the cats cannot see or be seen by the cats either side or them, but the open plan layout of the room allows your cat to have full view of the room and their carer's friendly face.

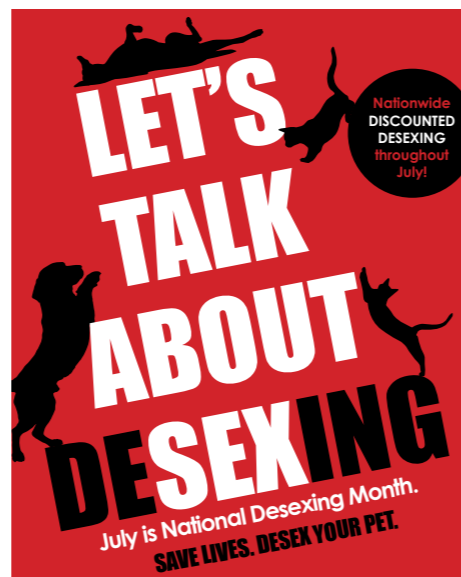
There are health, vaccination and minimum age requirements, so please enquire with the staff about the suitability of the Facility for your cat. Cat boarding costs \$25 per cat, per day and is only available to City of South Perth residents.

City of South Perth Animal Care Facility

199 Thelma Street, Como
9474 0777
enquiries@southperth.wa.gov.au

Opening Hours

- 12-3pm, Monday – Friday
- 12-1pm, Saturday and Sunday
- or by appointment. ■



BUSINESS FOUNDATIONS: Business Beyond South Perth

Business Foundations is a not-for-profit provider of enterprise development services. They help more than 5,500 business people each year, running free and low-cost business workshops presented by local business experts.

Improve Your Email Campaigns

In the world of social media, some people have forgotten about the importance of a customer database and how to use it effectively. Email campaigns still remain a proven performer at driving actual sales and often outperform every other digital channel.

Wednesday, 9 August 2017
9.30am to 12 noon

South Perth Civic Centre
Corner Sandgate Street & South Tce
South Perth

Workshop+ mentoring \$110 (incl GST)
Workshop only \$55 (incl GST)

Book now 9336 8000

www.businessfoundations.com.au/upcoming-workshops ■

Joint approach to bike plan paving the way



The City of South Perth and the Town of Victoria Park are developing a joint Bike Plan to understand the needs of the cycling community and further develop existing cycling infrastructure and connections across the two neighbouring local governments areas.

Community consultation commenced in May 2017, with both local governments conducting surveys and holding community workshops.

The feedback and survey results will help to identify trouble spots for cyclists, common routes, barriers to cycling, locations to improve and additional facilities and infrastructure needs.

As the project progresses there will be further engagement with the community and other key stakeholders.

“Creating a functional network through transport planning and engineering is a

priority,” City of South Perth Mayor Sue Doherty said.

“We are pleased to be working with our neighbours to improve cycling infrastructure, to do our best for our communities and the people of Perth.”

The project is funded through the Western Australian Bicycle Network (WABN) Grants Program, administered by the Department of Transport. The WABN is an initiative of the Western Australian State Government, administered by the Department of Transport.

To find out more visit yoursay.southperth.wa.gov.au ■



Department of Transport

Join now - Senior Citizens Centres

The South Perth Senior Citizens Centre and the Manning Senior Citizens Centre provide a wide range of social, recreational and cultural activities, as well as promoting the health and well being of seniors.

Regular keep-fit classes, chess, bridge, bingo, yoga, indoor bowls, mah-jong, tai chi, dancing and free iPad classes, are some of the activities offered at the Centres. Services include hairdressing, podiatry, remedial massage and shopping centre excursions.

South Perth Senior Citizens Centre
53 Coode St, South Perth
9367 9880
spsc@bigpond.com

Monday to Friday, 8.30am – 4pm
\$15 annual membership

Manning Senior Citizens Centre
3 Downey Drv, Manning
9450 6273

manning seniors@bigpond.com
Monday to Friday, 8.30am – 4pm
\$15 annual membership ■

Collier Park Village



Collier Park Village is a City of South Perth initiative designed to offer an excellent standard of independent retirement living for over 55's in the heart of Como.

The Village contains 169 two-bedroom self-contained units, tastefully designed and finished to a high standard of comfort.

Village residents enjoy an autonomous lifestyle with the independence to travel as they please and entertain family and friends in their own home, while secure in the knowledge that support and assistance is readily available.

Free from the burden of maintaining a large family home, life in the village also releases the capital needed to make the most of retirement.

The perfect venue to meet for hobby groups, activities and special events, the Community Centre is a social hub for residents. A varied activities program is organised by an active social committee.

Village units for sale

A selection of well-presented two bedroom/one bathroom units set amongst beautifully landscaped gardens are currently available for both life lease and short term lease.

Unit 84 - 39 McNabb Loop, Como
Life Lease \$370,000

Unit 160 - 10 Morrison Street, Como
Life Lease \$385,000

For more information, please phone Collier Park Village on 9313 0200 or visit the City's website. ■



Libraries: what's on

Children's Book Week 18-25 August 2017

Each year, schools and public libraries across Australia spend a week celebrating books and Australian authors and illustrators to highlight the importance of reading.

Celebrate the start of Children's Book Week 2017 and join us for a special event for children, parents, teachers and grandparents. This year's theme is 'Escape to Everywhere'.

Special guests include:

- Author and illustrator Kylie Howarth
- Musicians Kaleidoscope Ensemble

This session is free and open to school groups and the general public, suitable for children 7 years and under.

Visit the City's website to book.

Friday 18 August
10.30am – 12pm
Free, bookings essential

Manning Community Hall
2 Conochie Cres, Manning

National Science Week 12-20 August 2017

National Science Week is Australia's annual celebration of science and technology and thousands of individuals – from students to scientists to chefs and musicians – get involved, taking part in more than 1000 science events across the nation. South Perth Libraries will host a series of events, in partnership with Switch Your Thinking to celebrate Science Week and encourage an interest in science pursuits among the general public.

Green Living: The Mind of Plants 6.30-7.30pm, Tuesday 8 August

South Perth Library Function Room
Cnr Sandgate St & South Tce, South Perth
Free, bookings essential

Green Living: Soil Secrets Revealed 12-1.30pm, Wednesday 9 August

Manning Library Function Room
2 Conochie Cres, Manning
Free, bookings essential

Words with Wine: Tony Hughes-d'Aeth 6.30-7.30pm, Tuesday 29 August

South Perth Library Function Room
Cnr Sandgate St & South Tce, South Perth
Free, bookings essential

Science Week is an Australian Government Initiative.

All events are free. Visit the City's website to book or for more information about Science Week visit www.scienceweek.net.au. ■



E-resources training at Manning Library



Need help accessing the library's online subscriptions? Sometimes it can seem a bit daunting, but help is here! Make an appointment with one of the library's friendly staff members on a Wednesday evening at Manning library, for a 30 minute one-on-one training session to get you started. The library team can help you set up eBooks, eMagazines or learn a language. Simply bring your tablet or iPad along plus your Apple ID password and Library card.

Manning Library
2 Conochie Crescent, Manning

Every Wednesday
Free, 5-6.30pm
Session times 5, 5.30, or 6pm

Drop in or call to make an appointment
Contact 9474 0822 ■



Zoo Friends
Did you know City of South Perth residents are entitled to a 10% discount on Perth Zoo memberships? Simply visit the membership counter located just inside the main entrance of the Zoo and show your driver's licence to redeem the discount.

A Zoo Friends membership is great value and means you can visit the Zoo as many times as you like for an entire year plus many other great benefits.

Perthzoo.com.au
20 Labouchere Road, South Perth
08 9474 0444
9am – 5pm every day of the year ■

2017 Emerging Artist Award



Entries for the 2017 Emerging Artist Award open on Monday 10 July 2017.

Celebrating its fifteenth year, the award provides upcoming artists and arts students with the opportunity to exhibit their work to the wider community, as well as a chance to share in \$9,000 worth of prizes.

Limited to one entry per artist, artworks can be 2D, such as paintings or

photography, or 3D, such as sculpture. Entries must be received by Friday 18 August 2017.

Selected works will be exhibited to the public in the South Perth Community Hall from Friday 22 September to Saturday 30 September 2017.

For further details on how to enter the award visit the City's website or email events@southperth.wa.gov.au. ■

Pioneers and Elders Luncheon

The City of South Perth's annual Pioneers and Elders Luncheon celebrated the contributions made by long term residents and Aboriginal elders to the community.

'Under the Sea' was the theme of this year's event, which was held on 8 June at the South Perth Community Hall.

Residents who have lived in the City for more than 50 years were joined by Mayor Sue Doherty who acknowledged the special way the longest residing community members had made significant contributions to the City. ■



2017 Evolve.
development programme

Artist: Rachelle Dusting

Are you an emerging or established artist, or simply someone who loves to get creative? Following on from its success in 2016, the Evolve. development programme returns in 2017 with a diverse offering of practical and theoretical sessions to cater for a wide range of interests and needs.

Running throughout August, the programme will offer affordable artist-led workshops in oil painting, sculpture, CV and artist statement writing, paper cutting, visual diaries and more. Workshop facilitators include Rachelle Dusting, Neil Elliot, Tusif Ahmad and Louise Dickmann just to name a few.

See the City's website for the full programme and to purchase tickets. ■



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Council Meetings are usually held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at the Civic Centre Council Chambers, Cnr Sandgate St and South Tce, South Perth.

Meetings start at 7pm.

Please refer to the City's website for more information
www.southperth.wa.gov.au.

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Civic Centre

9474 0777

📍 Cnr Sandgate St & South Tce, South Perth WA 6151

Monday - Friday 8.30am - 5pm

Fax 9474 2425

enquiries@southperth.wa.gov.au

www.southperth.wa.gov.au

Recycling Centre

(formerly Collier Park Waste Transfer Station)

9367 2492

📍 Hayman Rd and Thelma St, Como

enquiries@southperth.wa.gov.au

Monday to Sunday, 9am – 4.45pm

Closed Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Good Friday, ANZAC Day and other days as required by the City of South Perth.

Animal Care Facility

9474 0777

📍 199 Thelma St, Como

Monday - Sunday 12 - 3pm

Collier Park Golf Course

9484 1666

📍 Hayman Rd, Como

George Burnett Leisure Centre

9474 0855

📍 Manning Rd, Karawara

Monday - Friday 8.30am - 9pm

Saturday and Sunday 8.30am - 6pm

South Perth Library

9474 0800

📍 Cnr Sandgate St & South Tce, South Perth

southperthlib@southperth.wa.gov.au

Monday 9.30am - 5.30pm

Tuesday - Thursday 9.30am - 7pm

Friday 9.30am - 5.30pm

Saturday 10am - 4pm

Sunday Closed

Manning Library

9474 0822

📍 2 Conochie Crescent, Manning

(Undercroft parking off Bradshaw Cres)

manninglib@southperth.wa.gov.au

Monday - Tuesday 9.30am - 5.30pm

Wednesday 9.30am - 7pm

Thursday - Friday 9.30am - 5.30pm

Saturday 10am - 4pm

Sunday Closed

Old Mill

9367 5788

📍 Mill Point Rd, South Perth

Tuesday - Friday 10am - 4pm

Saturday and Sunday 1pm - 4pm

South Perth Senior Citizens

9367 9880

📍 53 Coode St, South Perth

spsc@bigpond.com

Manning Senior Citizens

9450 6273

📍 3 Downey Dr (off Ley St), Manning

manning seniors@bigpond.com

Graffiti Hotline 1800 007 774

To contact the City, please phone 9474 0777, email enquiries@southperth.wa.gov.au or visit the City's website at www.southperth.wa.gov.au

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