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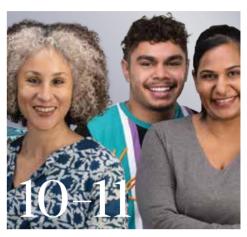
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STREET DESIGNS THAT DELIGHT

After retiring from a career teaching secondary art, Anneke Hoffman began looking for opportunities to continue making, and sharing her creativity.

Working in mosaics had never appealed to her but it was a chance exposure to the Brompton Hindmarsh Greening mosaic group that gave Anneke a better understanding of the potential the medium offered.

A neighbour suggested she decorate a pole outside her house and after a busy summer in her home workshop she has now completed eight poles in Audley Ave.

"I wanted the designs to correspond to the adjoining houses so I chatted with each

resident to get an idea of what they would like while maintaining the neighbourhood theme I had planned," said Anneke.

"The response has been very positive, with residents of the street speaking about how the mosaics make them feel special.

"The poles form a point of interest for walkers, with one passer-by commenting on the positive effect of slowing down the traffic.

"Some residents have even taken their friends on a stobie pole tour when they have come to visit. "

Anneke sources both new and vintage tiles and sculpts the designs with hand cutters to achieve the desired outcome. After laying out the design on a table it is carefully transferred to the pole, with the whole process taking between 40 to 50 hours. Anneke hopes to complete more mosaics in the Prospect area.

"I have a shed full of beautiful tiles that need to be transformed into designs!" Anneke said.

The pole featured on our front cover has been named after Maya (pictured with Anneke), a young bird lover who has taken on the role of caring for the magpies in Braund Park.

VOLUNTEERING -A LIFE-CHANGING EXPERIENCE



Volunteering has many benefits. As well as having a positive impact on your community, it can improve your wellbeing.

It brings people together, builds communities and creates a better society for everyone.

Council has the following volunteer opportunities:

- Prospect Men's Shed is looking for people to help set up activities and projects.
 Volunteers will need a good knowledge of electrical tools and woodworking.
 A background in trades/woodwork is not essential but an advantage.
- Community Transport Program is looking for bus drivers and bus assistants to help us provide a popular and well-utilised bus

service for older residents. Volunteers drive our buses on a rostered basis, taking passengers to local shopping centres and social outings. Bus assistants help elderly passengers with shopping and social support.

You can keep an eye on volunteer vacancies at **prospect.sa.gov.au/volunteering**

Annual Grants Program

If you are a local community or cultural group with a new and inventive program in mind that will benefit the City of Prospect, you could be eligible for a grant through Council's 2022/2023 Community Support Fund Program.

Priority will be given to projects that are new, innovative and aim to satisfy an

unmet community need, in areas such as small equipment purchase, community development projects, facilities improvement, small community events and environmental projects or programs.

Significant projects undertaken in partnership with other community organisations may be eligible for grants of up to \$5,000.

You'll find more information and the application form at **prospect.sa.gov.au/** funding-grants

You have until 16 September 2022 to apply.



2022 COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS

Council's Community Service Awards recognise significant voluntary contributions - the work of individuals, community groups and sport clubs that make Prospect a better place.

During National Volunteer Week in May we thanked and recognised the following award recipients:

- Prospect Run Club
- Annas Aldasoqi, City of Prospect
- Carolyn Bartholomew, Prospect Sea Scouts
- Dan O'Connell, North Adelaide
 Croquet Club

- Donald Blunden, Prospect District Cricket Club
- Ian Teague, Kiwanis Club of Prospect
- John Carr, Prospect Sea Scouts
- John McGuire, Prospect Sea Scouts
- John II Igros, Broadview Uniting Church Youth Program
- Marianne Nelson, Prospect Primary School
- Pamela Glasson, Prospect Sea Scouts
- Paul LePoidevin, Santa's Coming to Prospect, a Joint project between CIBO and Powerhouse Fitness Gym
- Peter Watterson, Prospect Sea Scouts

- Pietta Brown, Encounter Church Prospect
- Sue Cooke, STAR Inc
- Zachary Bartholomew, Prospect Sea Scouts.

Volunteering brings people together; it builds communities and creates a better society for everyone. National Volunteer Week was a chance for us to celebrate and recognise the vital work of volunteers and to say thank you.

If you'd like to explore volunteering with City of Prospect, check out the volunteer vacancies at **prospect.sa.gov.au/volunteering**

Inclusive City

Maccess and Inclusion Advisory Group recently met with our Landscape Architect to get insights and provide input to the development of open space across the City of Prospect.

A key priority of Council's Disability Access and Inclusion Plan 2021-2025 is the establishment of a Disability Access and Inclusion Advisory Group. The Advisory Group has the important role of assisting Council to better understand the needs of people living with disability in our community, and better meet the requirements of the Plan, consequently improving the lives of people with disabilities who live, work and visit the City of Prospect.

New members are very welcome. Contact our Community Development & Engagement Officer on **8269 5355** or email <u>admin@prospect.sa.gov.au</u>





KEEP YOURSELF ACTIVE AND INDEPENDENT

 $T^{\text{he warmer months will soon be here}}_{\text{so it's a great time to ensure you have a routine firmly in place to maintain or improve your general health and well-being.}$

The benefits of staying active are:

- physical activity can reduce your risk of chronic health conditions
- strength and endurance exercises build strong muscles
- balance activities can reduce the risk of falls
- flexibility improves your joint range of motion
- you'll be able to stay independent and have fun too!.

Join a Class or Activity through Prospect Community Support

Dynamic Balance for Life -

falls prevention program Simple judo-based skills learnt during this course will keep you steady on your fee. If you do take a fall, you will have the know-how to get up safely.

Exercise Classes

Perfect if you have not previously joined an exercise group or your GP has advised you to get started with a gentle approach to exercising.

Strength For Life

If you are looking for a more active exercise program individually tailored to improve strength, balance, and flexibility.

Aqua Aerobics

If you enjoy the water but don't want to swim, these classes are ideal. The resistance of the water helps tone muscles and build strength.

Games Group

Come along and join in with fun games designed to test your fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination within a friendly group.

These activities are funded by the Australian Government Department of Health with support from City of Prospect. To attend, you need to be 65 years and over, registered with My Aged Care and have a Social Support Group referral for Prospect Community Support.

If you are not registered or don't have a Social Support Group referral - don't worry! Simply contact the Community Support team to discuss your attendance with the activity you feel is right for you.

For more information about activities and clubs in City of Prospect, to register, or get a referral, please contact the Community Support Team on **8342 8091** or <u>admin@</u> <u>prospect.sa.gov.au</u>

Get Inspired by Our Participants

"We learnt a lot of skills that we've put into practice already. The course was very worthwhile, and we highly recommend the program." Mark, 78 years young and Sue, 77 years young, who attend Dynamic Balance for Life

"My husband and I enjoy the Aqua Aerobics as it's a different type of workout. We find that the resistance of the water makes it easier to move and we feel that we now have more muscle strength and stamina." Kalindi, 78 years young and Dilip 82 years young, who attend Aqua Aerobics

"My neck and shoulders are much freer. I now find it easier to reverse the car out of the driveway." Tom, 73 years young, who attends Strength for Life

"These classes have helped my balance and arm strength which in turn, have greatly improved my tennis game! I also enjoy the comradery. I've made new friends and now have coffee together on a regular basis." Margaret, 84 years young, who attends the Exercise Classes

OPEN SPACE UPGRADES

This financial year, we have started the planning for the upgrade of one of our parks - Matthews Reserve - located at the corner of Struan Ave and Moore St, Prospect. We will work closely with residents and

stakeholders to ensure the new design and proposed facilities will meet the needs of the community.

This park is due for construction in the 2023/24 financial year. Stay tuned for more information and to have your say on this exciting project.

IRISH HARP RESERVE

Irish Harp Reserve, at 350 Regency Rd, Prospect, is getting an upgrade in the coming months. We have been working hard to plan and prepare for the new space and we are now ready to start the construction process.

The upgrade will include a new play tower, nature play, shelter with BBQ, improved lawn space for ball games, feature artwork, and improved access and safety.

For more information and updated construction dates, please visit our website at <u>www.prospect.sa.gov.au/council/publicconsultation/irish-harp-reserve-upgrade</u>



ALTERNATIVE PARKS TO IRISH HARP RESERVE

Here are some other parks our community may be able to enjoy during the construction period of Irish Harp Reserve:

PROSPECT ESTATE (286 Prospect Rd, Prospect) - a predominantly passive park

with a serene waterway and minor play equipment. The park has BBQ and toilet facilities.

STAN WATSON RESERVE (95 Charles St, Prospect) - upgraded in 2019, this fenced park has a play space catering for all ages and a small lawn area for games.

THE IMPORTANCE OF RAIN GARDENS

Have you seen the new rain gardens Council has installed along LeHunte Avenue and Devonport Terrace?

Rain gardens play an important role. They help slow and clean water, keeping pollutants out of the stormwater system and protecting our creeks and coasts.

Our rain gardens have been planted with indigenous native plants of the Adelaide Plains that are well adapted to wetting and drying cycles.

We've planted a combination of deep-rooted sedge and rush species to catch rubbish and slow the flow of water, wildflowers, shrubs and ground covers to add colour and habitat for local wildlife, and a selection of plants that can of remove nitrogen as water flows through the garden.



WORKS ON COUNCIL LAND









If you are planning on developing your property, please be aware that you need approval to conduct works on public land.

Public land extends from property boundary to property boundary and includes the road carriageway, footpaths and verges.

Any alterations you want to make must then be undertaken in accordance with Council's specifications.

Under the *Local Government Act* 1999 (*Section 221*), authorisation to undertake the following works must be obtained from Council:

 Install, modify or relocate a driveway and gutter crossover or otherwise change the construction or arrangement of the road to facilitate access from or to a property.

- Install, interfere with, or remove a structure (such as pipes, wires, cables, fixtures, scaffolding, elevated work platforms, hoarding and other objects) in, on, across, under or over the road.
- Place a mini skip on the road.
- Introduce traffic management protocols (because of an encroachment).
- Plant, interfere with or remove a tree or other vegetation on the road.
- Verge alterations, including the installation of an irrigation system.
- · Placement of mobile cranes on roads.

- Pedestrian walkway/footpath encroachment.
- Temporary road closures/occupation.

If you don't get approval and undertake any of the above works on Council land you may:

- receive a fine
- face potential legal liability
- be required to pay for any damage caused to Council infrastructure and the cost for rectification.

If you have any queries regarding approvals for undertaking work on public land, please contact Council's Infrastructure and Assets Team on **(08) 8269 5355** or <u>admin@</u> <u>prospect.sa.gov.au</u> - or for further information go to <u>prospect.sa.gov.au/new-developments</u>. MAYOR'S ARTICLE

150 YEARS OF SERVICE, AND DEMOCRACY





his year marks the City of Prospect's 150th year!

The area was named Prospect in 1838, after the good prospects early settlers saw in the range of tall and healthy trees across the district.

They promptly cut down all the trees, establishing farms at first, then subdividing them into streets and homes for settlers and descendants.

Officially declared in 1872 and democratically elected from the outset, the early years saw streets paved, drained and lit. Parks were set aside landscaped and maintained, and civic facilities were constructed, such as the Town Hall.

Fortunately, both men and women were eligible to vote in local council elections from 1861, the first colony in Australia to grant women the vote. South Australia was also the first to allow women the right to vote and to stand for office in State elections in 1895 - believed to be a first in the democratised world. The first woman to stand and be elected to any level of office in the nation was Susan Grace Benny, to SA's Brighton Council in 1919. Go South Australia!

Although much is known about our post settlement history, little is known about our pre-colonial history.

While our area is within the vast lands of the original Kaurna ownership, many other Aboriginal language groups were known to visit, to learn from the Kaurna about astrology, language, and culture at conferences, or to exchange local ochres for goods made far from Kaurna country.

For thousands of years, they passed through our area en route to other places such as the Torrens River, the coast, or the foothills, all where more reliable food or water was available.

While we are not aware of significant sites within our area, it is possible Kaurna activity was focused around the marshy areas to our west, along the train corridor heading north, or perhaps ponds in the northern parklands, where water birds could be obtained.

Our Payinthi Kumangka (seeking together) initiative is working with Kaurna community representatives to establish this and much more about our collective histories. There is so much to learn, to acknowledge, and to include in our future decisions.

Want to be part of this, or any number of our community and city building roles? Exercise your democratic privileges at the upcoming council elections. You could help shape the next 150 years.

David O'Loughlin Mayor

- make a difference -COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2022 ENROL NOMINATE VOTE



The Local Government Elections will be held in November 2022 with the Electoral Commission of South Australia as the statutory independent agency responsible for conducting Local Government Elections.

In South Australia, Local Government (council) Elections are held every 4 years.

The key dates are:

Do you want to be an Elected Member?

With very few exceptions, you can nominate for a position on council regardless of qualifications, religion, race, gender, experience or profession. In fact, councils actively encourage nominations from people with diverse backgrounds to ensure that a wide range of views are being represented.

Are you passionate about your community and want to make a difference? Why not get involved and nominate to become a Councillor? Or if that sounds a little daunting, you can make your voice heard by submitting your postal vote.

Nomination process

Nominations for the 2022 Local Government Elections open Tuesday 23 August 2022 and close Tuesday 6 September 2022 at 12 noon. During this time, potential candidates must complete and lodge a nomination form and a profile statement with the Electoral Commission of South Australia. You can also lodge a photograph of yourself. If your nomination form and statement meet the requirements, your nomination is accepted and you will officially be a candidate.

For more information on nominating please visit the Electoral Commission of South Australia's website at <u>www.ecsa.sa.gov.au/</u> parties-and-candidates/council-candidates

Make your vote count

Close of electoral roll

Nominations Open

Nominations Close

Mailout of ballot material to electors

Close of voting (polling day) Scrutiny and Count

Unlike State and Federal elections, it is not compulsory to vote in South Australian council elections. But council elections are the biggest single voluntary civic participation activity in the state.

Voting in council elections is conducted through a postal ballot. If you are on the State (House of Assembly) electoral roll or have completed an enrolment form to join the supplementary roll, you will receive a voting pack in the mail from **14 to 20 October 2022**.

The ballot paper in your voting pack will show the candidates standing for election in your council ward. Simply complete your ballot paper and return it in the reply-paid envelope.

Votes must be received before 5pm Thursday 10 November 2022.

Date

5pm Friday 29 July 2022

Tuesday 23 August 2022

12 noon Tuesday 6 September 2022

5pm Thursday 10 November 2022

9am Saturday 12 November 2022

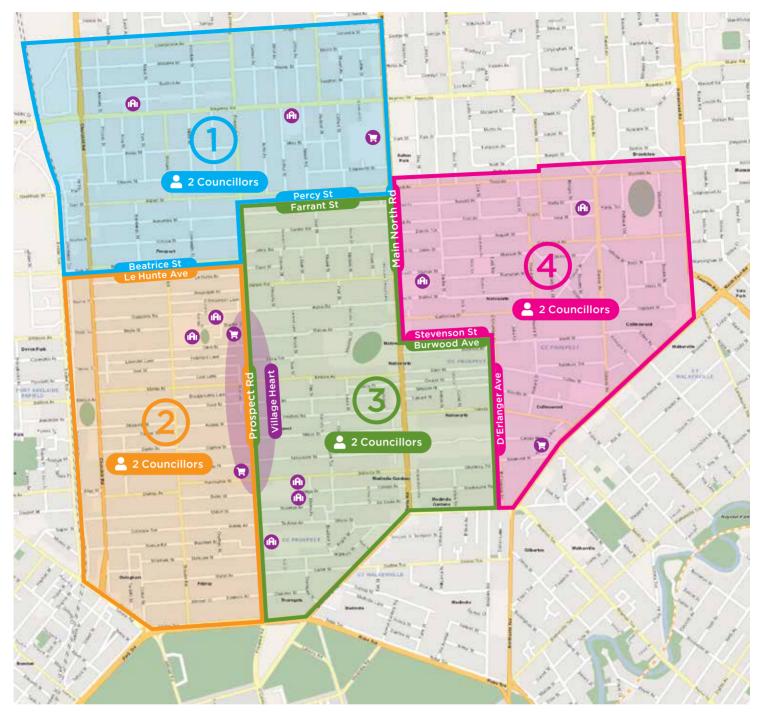
Between Friday 14 and Thursday 20 October 2022

If you are eligible to vote in your local council elections, you are probably also eligible to stand for a position on council.

4 Great Reasons to Become a Council Member

Only a small number of people nominate for a position on their local council, but here are a few reasons that might apply to you:

- You care about what's happening in your local community
- You want to make a meaningful and lasting contribution to your community
- You want to provide a voice for your age group/cultural group/gender
- You have great ideas to contribute



Legend

 Schools / Pre-schools / Kindergartens (2) West Ward (3) Central Ward (4) East Ward 1 North Ward

G Shopping Precinct

Which Ward Are You In?

A City of Prospect Representation Review in 2021 changed boundaries of the current four wards to better reflect the number of voters per elected member. This change comes into effect for the November 2022 Local Government Elections.

This means that some voters will be sent a voting pack for different wards than they did for the 2018 Local Government Elections.

Residents who did change wards were notified in writing by Council in May 2022 however, members can check their ward boundary on the City of Prospect website at: prospect.sa.gov.au/elections

Electoral advertising posters or signs are no longer permitted

) id you know, that due to recent changes to legislation, electoral advertising posters relating to local government elections are now prohibited on a public road (including any structure, fixture or vegetation on a public road). The maximum penalty is \$5,000. An 'electoral advertising poster' includes posters made of corflute or plastic.

Election signs on Private Property will require the landowner's consent and will still be required to meet legislative requirements as determined within Council policy, By-Laws and the Planning and Infrastructure Development Act 2016 (SA). For further information on election signs please refer to prospect.sa.gov.au/ elections





Apply to Exhibit in Newmarch Gallery in 2023

 $N_{\text{for innovative artworks in 2D or 3D} \\ \text{mediums in which the audience experience} \\ \text{is considered.} \\$

We are looking for solo and group exhibitions that haven't been exhibited elsewhere in the Adelaide metropolitan area.

The Prospect community and visitors alike have flooded to the Gallery, intrigued by the range of exhibitions and artists on show, and we look forward to presenting an outstanding Exhibition Program in 2023 on the back of an amazing 2022 program. Newmarch Gallery opened its doors on Prospect Road in October 2019 and quickly established itself as a dynamic contemporary arts space. Run by Council, it is a unique facility with a diverse Exhibition Program that reflects its role as a contemporary public exhibition space with a community focus.

If you would like to join us on our exciting journey or for further information please visit the latest news section of our website -<u>newmarchgallery.com.au/latest-news</u> Exhibition applications for 2022 close Wednesday 31 August 2022.

COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

Get on Board our Library Bus

If you live in the City of Prospect and need help making your way to our Library, we are now offering a bus service every Tuesday between 10.30am and 11.30am.

Our service which will pick you up outside your home and - after you have browsed the Library (membership is free) and visited Newmarch Art Gallery - will return you to your front door.

All ages are welcome, but seats are limited.

For further information or to make a booking contact the Community Support team on **8342 8091.**

Shopping Transport Service

If you need help travelling to local shops, the post office or bank, book now to catch our regular door to door bus service to Northpark Shopping Centre.

We will pick you up from your home and drive you to the Shopping Centre on the corner of Main North and Regency Roads. After an hour and a half, we will return you to your home.

With more than 40 stores in one location, Northpark Shopping Centre offers a convenient and welcoming place to catch-up with friends at a café and do your shopping.

Prospect Community Support offers a twice weekly door to door shopping service each Tuesday and Friday morning with pick up starting from 8.30am.

For further information or to make a booking, contact the Community Support team on **8342 8091**.

GET BUSY IN OUR NEW COMMUNITY FACILITY

An exciting new community facility in Nailsworth - a Maker Shed!

Located at the rear of Nailsworth Community Hall on D'Erlanger Avenue Nailsworth, the new facility has been created thanks to a large donation from a generous resident who for many years has enjoyed visits to the adjacent Community Woodworking Shed.

What is a Maker Shed? It's a play on words from the more commonly known Makerspace, which is a buzzword that's been floating around for a few years now.

But what, exactly, is it? A makerspace is a room that contains tools and components, allowing people to enter with an idea and leave with a complete project. The best part is that makerspaces are communal.

The goal is to work together to learn, collaborate, and share. Most importantly,



makerspaces allow us to explore, create new things, or improve things that already exist.

Makerspaces are part of what we call the maker movement, which started in the early 2000s. Of course, scrapbooking, tinkering, and other arts and crafts activities have been around for quite some time, but the maker movement emphasized hands-on discovery in a world that had become increasingly automated.

The Maker Shed can be used for a range of activities with changing and flexible creative purposes, including large collaborative art projects as well as smaller individual projects. An open and uncluttered space allows for messy projects to spread out, with light weight tables and chairs making is easy to set-up in any way that suits your project, while also accommodating our residents who need uncluttered access if using a wheelchair or another mobility assistance device..

To find out more about the new Maker Shed - you can visit: www.prospect.sa.gov.au/ community/venues-and-parks/venuesand-hire-spaces or call our Bookings and Activation Coordinator on 8269 5355.

More Funding for Broadview Oval Project

The Broadview Oval - Yarnta Tutu yarta - Community and Sports Hub Project has proceeded to the design development stage with a funding injection of an additional \$650,000.

This has allowed the design team to maximise community function space - including an outdoor viewing balcony with views to the oval. Further improvements include a larger kiosk, improved storage areas,

and an enhanced commercial style kitchen and bar on level 1 for sporting and community use.

The design has been submitted for planning consent based on Council and Community feedback gathered via regular Community Reference Group meetings held throughout the design phase.

Council is in the process of procuring a head contractor to deliver the project.

A commencement date for the construction phase will be announced soon. The design ensures the natural beauty of the significant eucalypt trees on the site will not be impacted.

For further updates refer to our Engagement Hub: <u>https://cityofprospect.</u> <u>engagementhub.com.au/broadview-community-sports-hub</u>



PLAN YOUR SPRING CLEANING





Environmentally Friendly Waste Solution for Your Woofers

Council has installed two Doggie Dunnies in popular dog walking areas - Broadview Oval Dog Park and St Helens Park.

The Australian-made bins are specifically designed for the disposal of dog waste in compostable bags.

The green compostable bags are provided in our parks and reserves and the contents of the bins are sent for composting rather than ending up in landfill. This process is better for the environment and it 85% cheaper to compost the waste.

At home, dog waste can be placed your green organics bin, along with your food and garden organics.

If you are using a bag in a green bin, please make sure it's compostable.

Does the arrival of spring inspire a cleaning frenzy?

We have compiled some handy to help you dispose of items sustainably.

Around the yard

 Lawn clippings, prunings, small branches, leaves and twigs can go into your food and organics bin (green lid).

In the Home

- Donate or sell quality, reusable items. Drop items off at your nearest op shop (call ahead to check they're accepting donations first). Giveaway or sell items through places like Facebook Marketplace, Gumtree or your local Buy Nothing group.
- Give ragged clothes a second life as dust cloths, or stuff into a cover to make pet bedding. If they cannot be reused place them into the landfill bin.
- Household chemicals cannot go into your kerbside bins. Take them to Green Industries SA's free drop-off centres <u>https://www.greenindustries.</u> <u>sa.gov.au/hazwaste</u>
- Items with a cord, battery or switch are e-waste and must be recycled through our hard waste collections or by dropping at an UnPlug N' Drop location <u>https://www.</u>
 <u>electronicrecyclingaustralia.com.au/</u> <u>unplug-n-drop/.</u>

Our friends at East Waste have developed a room-by-room list of how to dispose of items when spring cleaning your house. You'll find it at: https://bit.ly/37zfSSr

Residents can book up to three free hard waste collections each year. **Call East Waste on 8347 5111** or book online at <u>http://www.eastwaste.com.au.</u>

A full list of items accepted for hard waste collection can be found here: prospect.sa.gov.au/hard-rubbishcollection

Make landfill the last option

If you cannot salvage, sell, repair, recycle or compost an item, landfill may be the only option.

Going forward, remember to:

Refuse to buy what you don't need or over-packaged products

 $\ensuremath{\textbf{Reduce}}$ the amount of waste you create

Re-use items that could have a second live

Recycle the right way!

BE A TRAILBLAZER AND GET TO KNOW PROSPECT'S TREES

The City of Prospect Tree Trail is a celebration of trees in our city and the amazing benefits they provide!

The trail showcases tree species from Memorial Gardens to St Helen's Park.

Can't walk the whole trail? Complete our mini tree trail at Memorial Gardens or St Helen's Park and crack the secret code.

Jump on the trail and to discover our local trees and learn how they cool our city, create shade, provide habitat for local wildlife and clean our air - just to name a few benefits.

Pick up a copy of the tree trail guide from our library from Saturday 1 to Saturday 15 October.

We would love to see your trail blazing photos! You can share photos of your Tree Trail adventure on social media using the hashtag **#prospecttreetrail.**



Your Efforts Really Count!

Would you like to learn more about your feathered neighbours?

BirdLife Australia's Aussie Backyard Bird Count from 17 to 23 October 2022, is a great way to connect with the birds in your backyard, no matter where your backyard happens to be - a suburban backyard, a Prospect park, or one of our streets.

The Count uses contributions of more than 100,000 'citizen scientists' across Australia to create a snapshot of the state of our backyard birds and the population of different species.

Last year, the Rainbow Lorikeet was the most counted bird in Prospect - with 515 counted.

During the week-long survey:

- 64 observers participated
- 2,294 birds were observed
- · 33 bird species were recorded

The top 5 birds observed were:

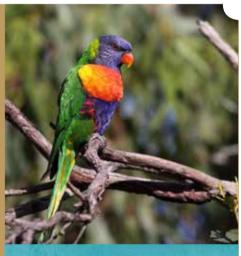
. Rainbow Lorikeet

- 2. New Holland Honeyeater
- 3. Spotted Dove
- 4. House Sparrow
- 5. Common Starling

You can find the full list of bird species **prospect.sa.gov.au/local-wildlife**

To get involved in this year's count all you need is 20 minutes and your favourite outdoor space. It doesn't matter if you're a novice or an expert, everyone can take part. Simply record the birds you know and look up the ones you don't on the Aussie Bird Count app or website.

It is easy to participate, simply register at <u>https://aussiebirdcount.org.au/</u> and download the free Aussie Bird Count app.



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AUSSIE BACKYARD

birdlife



SCHOOL SAFETY PATROLS

Council regularly patrols the streets surrounding schools to help keep everyone safe.

Ignoring the road rules could place children and others at risk so it is important for all motorists to do the right thing and take extra care.

Traffic around schools at peak times can sometimes be chaotic particularly for young children whose cognitive abilities are not fully developed.

Children are also often not easily visible and may act impulsively, which means when driving around a school, it is important to not only follow the road rules, but also drive to the conditions.

We understand the need to ensure the safety and convenience for pedestrians, bike riders and motorists which is why certain traffic and parking controls have been installed around schools. These controls are designed to ensure the safety of the school students and parents.

Council's officers conduct regular patrols around schools and may issue explation notices to vehicles illegally parked.

Remember that children copy grown- ups, so encourage good road sense by watching them closely and leading by example.

Safety Tips

Parents and caregivers can also play a key role in educating children about road safety. Here are a few helpful tips for safety around school zones:

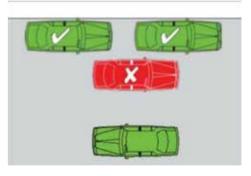
- Consider alternative transport modes to reduce the number of vehicles in school zones (and improve your health!).
- Allow enough time to take your child to the school gate safely and without rushing.
- Always observe parking signs and speed limits in and around school zones. They are designed to keep your child safe.
- Talk about traffic safety with your child. Identify and discuss places where it is safe to get out of the car and to cross the road.
- Teach your child how to cross the road using the 'stop, look, listen and think' process - stop at the kerb, look and listen for traffic and then decide whether it is safe to cross.
- Park a few streets away and walk your child to school to reduce congestion and improve safety. This is also good exercise and helps teach your child road safety rules.
- Use kiss and drop zones appropriately

Behaviours To Avoid

- Speeding (note that 25km/h school zones apply when children are present, including children on the footpath)
- Parking too close to an intersection
- Parking too close to pedestrian crossings
- Stopping on yellow lines to let children in and out of the vehicle

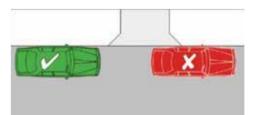
Double Parking

Drivers must not stop next to a vehicle already stopped or parked at the kerb at any time. This practice is illegal and creates dangerous situations for traffic flow and for pedestrians crossing a road.

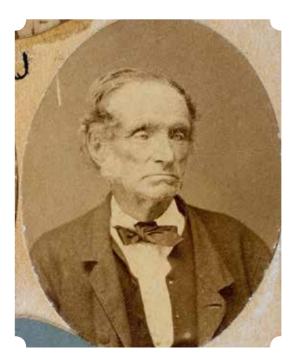


Parking On or Across a Driveway

Vehicles parking across driveways can inconvenience nearby residents and result in complaints to Council and the School, particularly when they wish to enter or leave their property and cannot do so because a vehicle is parked across it. Vehicles are not to park in such a manner so as to restrict any part of a driveway. This act can also result in blocking pedestrian access.



WHAT LAY BENEATH THE O'LOUGHLIN HOUSE



The O'Loughlin's home on the corner of Prospect Road and Carter Street already stands out for its State Heritagelisted art deco piece architecture - now it has another 'claim to fame.'

And if you like a good story about the early days of Prospect, a recent discovery about one or our colonists in the late 1830's may appeal.

A casual conversation between Alison O'Loughlin, and Prospect Local History Group led to the sharing of the unusual story - and accompanying speculation about a one-armed man who 'lived in a hole in the ground', in what was known in the 1830's as the suburb of Little Adelaide.

Research by History Group members Lesley Attema and David Johnston revealed that man was not a person down on their luck, rather a notable colonialist named William Tully. At the time, he was laying out the blocks of land in Little Adelaide - which took in the northern side of Carter Street, all of Highbury, Wilson, Argyle, and Church streets, and a portion of Main North Road between Nottage corner and Carter Street.

Tully made a dugout for himself - evidently for the times he didn't feel like making the trip back to his North Adelaide home.

Further research pinpointed the dugout's location was the 'extreme south-west corner of Little Adelaide' - on Carter Street where the O'Loughlin house now stands!

As for why William Tully had one arm, that remains a mystery. If you can shed some light, please get in touch with the History Group at **prospect_lhg@internode.on.net.**

Who was Eliza?

Eliza Hall is a popular hub for community activities, performing arts meetings and social gatherings - but have you ever wondered who Eliza was?

The Hall was named for Eliza Mahliah Harrington - and very few people realise that prior to 1895 Prospect Road was originally named Eliza Street in her honour.

Eliza was the eldest daughter of James and Amelia Harrington, arriving in South Australia with her parents on the ship Catherine Stuart Forbes in 1837, at the age of just three.

James Harrington went on to become a highly respected and admired pioneer of the district and had a successful lime burning business.

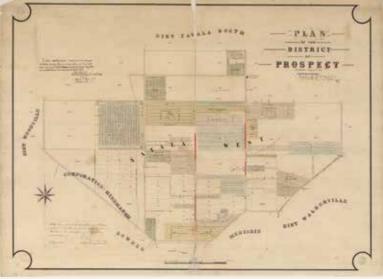
He was one of the largest landowners in subdivided Prospect and was a foundation councillor when the Council was formed in 1872.

Eliza Harrington died in 1924 at the age of 90.

In her obituary in The Register she was described as one of the best known and most esteemed identities of Prospect -'a fine type of that company of pioneers who made the early history of South Australia so practical and stirring, and her mentality was astonishing. She could recount experiences in the early days with a clarity of detail that belied her advanced years'. (Extract from the new Prospect Local History Group (PLHG) publication *Stories of Prospect Past* - with copies available at Prosect Library).

Find out more about the history of Prospect Road in the PLHG booklet, *Self Guided Walk along the Historic Central Shopping Precinct of Prospect Road.*





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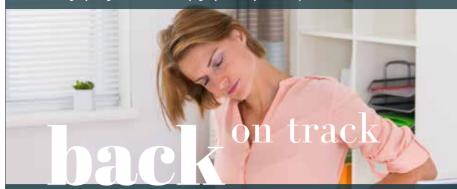
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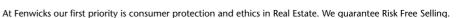
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