



ARTTRA Light Festival 2019

5-7 April, 5-9pm | Claremont Park

ARTTRA | Light Festival 2019 supported by Lotterywest will transform Claremont Park into an interactive outdoor gallery as it returns for three spectacular nights this April. Light up your night with an illuminating stroll through Claremont

Park as you soak up the glow of the original light installations created by Western Australian artists, as well as a special installation by Freshwater Bay Primary School. Enjoy dinner at one of the delightfully delicious food stalls and mingle with

our extravaganza of roving entertainers, with a special performance every night at 8pm. This is a free event for the whole community. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram for more details and special event insights.



Mayor Jock Barker with the 2018 Volunteer Award recipients.

Nominate Claremont's best volunteers

Our annual Volunteer Awards recognise the vital role volunteers play in our community, and individuals who make a significant contribution. If you know someone who deserves to be recognised for all their hard work and dedication, nomination details will be available on our website from April. The awards will be presented at a special ceremony in late May.



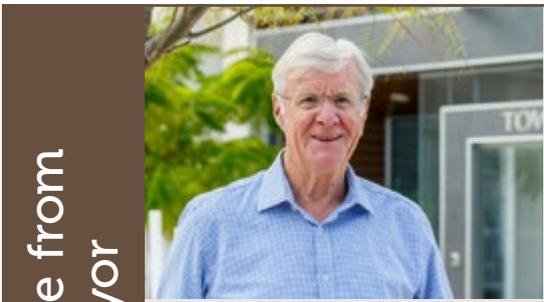
Pets at the Park

Has your dog got the waggiest tail in town? There's only one way to find out and that's at Pets at the Park! Bring your pets for a day of fun activities and tail wagging, including a pet show with prizes, dog demonstrations, free veterinary advice, pet supply stalls, and activities for children. Sunday 7 April, 8am-12noon at College Park, Nedlands.



Supporting a safe Town centre

The Town of Claremont works closely with the community to help prevent antisocial behaviour in the Town centre. This includes the recent upgrade to, and increased number of, CCTV cameras throughout the Town centre, which help prevent and detect crime, antisocial behaviour, and nuisance.



Message from the Mayor

In the words of renowned American librarian David Lankes, 'Great libraries build communities' – and I'm proud to acknowledge that this ethos is at

the forefront of everything we do at the Claremont Community Hub and Library.

As well as audio books, music CDs, DVDs, and magazines, we also run a weekly calendar of workshops and activities, from Lego Club and Storytime for kids, to writing, craft groups and computer literacy for adults, as well as conversation sessions for five different languages. There's even a drop-in Justice of the Peace service every Thursday evening.

That's not to mention the special events that run throughout the year, including our *History in a Coffee*

Cup presentations and the excellent school holiday programs of activities. It's no wonder, then, that for many in Claremont, the Community Hub and Library is the beating heart of our Town. It's a place to come together to learn and to share, in some cases sparking connections that last a lifetime. And the best thing about this wonderful service is that the majority of what we offer is free, ensuring it truly is accessible to the whole community.

Jock Barker
Jock Barker, Mayor

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Native Plant Subsidy Scheme

Our Native Plant Subsidy Scheme returns next month, running from Monday 29 April to Friday 31 May. Upon proof of a Claremont address (such as a driving licence), residents can purchase up to 80 plants at the subsidised price of \$1.50 each from APACE Nursery in North Fremantle. In choosing to plant local native species, you're making a valuable contribution to enhancing and supporting biodiversity throughout our region.



Hop into fun these April school holidays!

Visit the Claremont Community Hub & Library during the school holidays to make your own Easter basket and take part in a treasure hunt! Who knows, there may be a chocolate reward at the end... Visit our website to see our full school holiday program, including jungle rumbles, top secret science, and poppy and Anzac cookie making, to commemorate Anzac day.



Claremont Cruisers

Cruise around Claremont with the Claremont Cruisers! This walking group for seniors and locals in the community is a great way to meet new and familiar faces while getting some fresh air and exercise – and it's free! If you'd like to get involved, give us a call on 9285 4300 or email toc@claremont.wa.gov.au to find out more.

For more information on events around Claremont, visit the 'What's On' section of the Town's website.

