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Lord Mayor's Message

Welcome to our Winter edition of Parramatta Pulse. As the cool weather sets in, Parramatta is heating up with lots of exciting things to do this season.

PHIVE launch

I can't wait for the community to experience Phive and explore its amazing new city branch library, community meeting rooms, exhibition and function spaces, and Council Chambers. Phive is an iconic building that will draw visitors from all over Sydney, Australia and the world.

Aquatic and Leisure Centre

I am very excited to see our new Aquatic Centre take shape over the past few months. Scheduled to open in 2023, it will be a great place to catch up with family and friends offering a range of recreational and wellbeing facilities.

Warami events in our City

I welcome family and friends to celebrate First Nations culture and commemorate significant dates for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and the Dharug community. Burrumatta NAIDOC will be a great event with plenty to enjoy including performances, children's workshops, market stalls and more.

Citizenship Ceremonies

In May, I had the pleasure of hosting 2,400 people to receive their Australian Citizenship. It has never been a more important time to become an Australian Citizen and to call this City home. I welcome all our new Australian citizens to the Parramatta community.

Lord Mayor
Councillor Donna Davis



OPENING SOON....

Your new state of the art city library with over 80,000 books to read, self-check kiosks and self-return library shelves. And if you choose to stay and read or work, enjoy our smart furniture with in-built power and data charging points.

Five function spaces and 19 dedicated meeting rooms, fully equipped to book and hold your community function or key business events.

A new cultural experience with fascinating public art and exhibitions, and a visitor centre offering tours to explore your new community hub and City highlights. Stay tuned for our program of engaging exhibitions, events and activities throughout the building.

An efficient customer concierge service to help you do business with Council more simply and quickly.

Your new local place to engage with Council and attend its regular meetings.

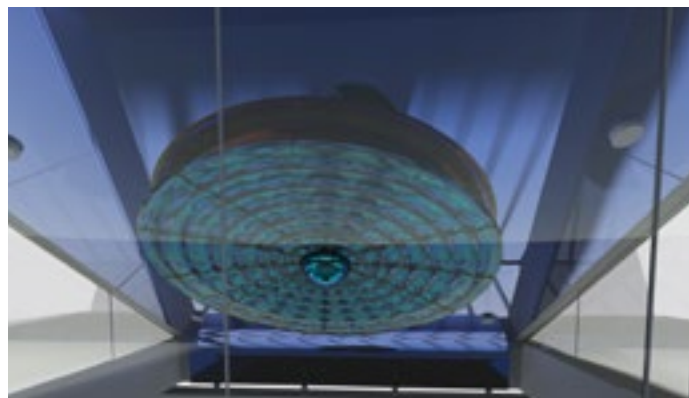
With its bright and bold roof offering light, shade and ventilation, PHIVE is the State's most sustainable government building.

Located right in the heart of the city, it's the jewel of Parramatta Square.

Find your space.



Artist Abdullah M.I. Syed, City of Parramatta Lord Mayor Cr Donna Davis and Lacoste+Stevenson architect Thierry Lacoste. Photo: Ben Williams.



Abdullah M.I. Syed's artwork, Ripple Effect.

PHIVE has the space for you

Are you looking for a place for your community group to meet, a space to offer workshops and lessons, or a venue for a small seminar or large conference? When it opens, PHIVE will offer a broad range of flexible places, meeting rooms and event spaces that include free public wi-fi and fixed personal device charging points.

Some of these bookable spaces include:

- The Discovery Space on the lower ground level which is well equipped for exhibitions and displays, performances as well as function and conference space.
- A great selection and size of programmable rooms on Level 3 which are suited to
 - o active and wellness activities for classes such as yoga
 - o making, learning, exploring and sharing in a creative environment
 - o community collaboration like workshops and exercise.
- Level 4 Council Chambers where the public gallery space is a hireable function venue when Council is not in session.

With 19 hireable community and meetings spaces with audio visual and video conferencing capabilities and 5 different functions spaces, PHIVE will be the place to hold your next event, meeting, workshop and function.

Inspiring artwork takes centre stage

Not only does PHIVE boast a modern design and bold facade by an internationally acclaimed French architect, it will also showcase three unique artworks by artists with strong links to our City. Commissioned by City of Parramatta Council, these pieces are inspired by the diversity in our local environment and community. They highlight the identity and creativity of people who call Parramatta home.

Ripple Effect by Pakistani-Australian artist Abdullah M.I. Syed is a giant reflective sculpture that draws inspiration from the Parramatta River. Visitors to PHIVE will be greeted in the main foyer by the suspended mirror and glass sculpture. Light moves through the artwork and creates a kaleidoscope of complex patterns, colours and reflections. The 'ripple effect' of the artwork describes the movement created by a water droplet falling into a river.

Council has also commissioned two moving image works that will appear on a large 8-metre wide smart screen on the ground floor of PHIVE. Artist Kristone Capistrano's piece, 101 Graham Street, will share life stories of local migrant families with an emphasis on humanity, warmth and resilience. In addition, Kalanjay Dhir's Habit will feature approximately 50 animated plant-inspired avatars programmed to reflect the environment and seasonal shifts.

PHIVE will be more than a community hub – it will celebrate our thriving arts and cultural identity and place creativity on centre stage.

For more information on PHIVE, visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/5PS



Active Parramatta

Winter school holiday fun

Keep the kids active and entertained over the holidays with Active Parramatta's wide range of free activities. They'll have a chance to improve their soccer skills, give tennis a go, learn how to play AFL and NRL, and more.

Registrations open 20 June.

To register and find out more, visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/recreation-school-holidays



Get fit and active!

Set a new fitness goal and boost your wellbeing by signing up to Active Parramatta's Term 3 Fitness Program featuring a range of affordable face-to-face and online activities suitable for all fitness levels.

To view the activities schedule and register, visit: cityofparramatta.co/fitness



Aquatic and Leisure Centre


Our new aquatic centre has been a hive of activity the past few months. If you have recently walked or driven past Parramatta Park, you may have seen that all three indoor and outdoor pools are now fully excavated and the building's iconic circular roof is also taking shape.

It will be much more than a place to swim – it will offer recreational and wellbeing facilities for all age groups, abilities, backgrounds, skills and interests. The Health and Wellness Centre will include a modern gym and rooms for activities such as yoga along with sauna, steam and spa facilities to offer a place to relax and recover.

Scheduled to open in 2023, the new centre is expected to welcome more than a million visitors each year. It will be a place to meet family and friends as well as improve the health and wellbeing needs of our community now and in the future.

To find out more and sign up for email updates, visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/poolupdate



 Artist's impression of the 8-lane, 25-metre heated indoor pool

Stage 1 Parramatta Light Rail update



The Parramatta Light Rail team has completed the installation of track along the 12-kilometre route, with road, footpath, kerb, landscaping and finishing works ongoing in various sections.

Meanwhile, the new light rail and active transport bridge over James Ruse Drive in Rosehill has been officially named after a local Aboriginal Elder, Bidgee Bidgee, who helped shape the region's history. A Bridge Naming Consultation Panel assessed over 500 community suggestions in line with naming guidelines and conventions. An official naming ceremony will be held later this year.

Be sure to show your support to local businesses by downloading our Church Street Restaurant Guide with more than 60 dining options, or pop into one of the information stalls to learn more about this exciting project being delivered to serve a growing Sydney.

Visit parramattalightrail.nsw.gov.au to find out more.

What's on for over 55s

Leisure and Learning Service

The Over 55s Leisure and Learning service offers a wide range of educational, physical, recreational, and social activities throughout the year. Join a gentle exercise class, try Zumba, be part of the choir, sign up for an art class, brush up on your tennis skills and much more.

For more information, call 9806 5121 or visit: cityofparramatta.co/term-activities

Calling on volunteers

Want to make a real difference in our community? Become a Meals on Wheels volunteer! Our Meals on Wheels service delivers healthy and tasty meals to Parramatta residents who are unable to shop or prepare meals for themselves. As well as delivering essential meals, you'll be giving a little companionship and support to some of the most vulnerable members of our community and making a real difference in their lives.

For more information, call 9806 5121 or visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/community/building-your-community/volunteering

Meals on Wheels

If you are unable to shop or prepare your own meals, we're here for you. As well as delivering tasty frozen, nutritionally balanced and affordable meals right to your door, we can provide some cheerful social contact and the peace of mind that someone who cares will be regularly checking in.

For more information, call 9806 5121 or visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/community-care/food-services

Food for good

Are you a local eatery looking to do your bit for the community? We want to hear from you! Parramatta Food Services is inviting local eateries to sign up to its fantastic Let's Dine Out program, which provides affordable, healthy dining options to residents who are registered with NDIS or My Aged Care.

For more information, call 9806 5121 or visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/community-care/food-services

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Enjoy pop-up art on your walk



Get your steps up, enjoy the fresh air and see some art at our pop-up public art exhibition, Parramatta by Foot. Located around the Rosehill area, the temporary exhibition features work by Western Sydney based artists - Shay Tobin in collaboration with Jason Wing, Annie McKinnon and Tarik Ahlip. Artists were asked to create artwork for the footpaths in this area that reflect the rich diversity of our community.

For more about the exhibition, visit atparramatta.com/parramatta-by-foot



Shay Tobin and Jason Wing, Parramatta By Foot, 'Wagan - Crow', 2022. Photo by Maiara Skarheim, Look Right Productions

Warami events in Parramatta

City of Parramatta's Warami welcomes all to help celebrate First Nations culture and commemorate significant dates for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and the Dharug community. Events take place across the City from 26 May to 10 July.

To find out more, visit atparramatta.com/warami



Burraramatta NAIDOC

Sunday 10 July
10.30am–5pm,
Pavillion Flats, Parramatta Park

Get Up! Stand Up! Show Up!
for NAIDOC celebrations in 2022.

NAIDOC Week (3–10 July) is an opportunity for all Australians to learn about First Nations cultures and histories and the City of Parramatta will join the activities with Burraramatta NAIDOC on Sunday 10 July. The event is a family friendly celebration for the whole community with some great performances, children's workshops, market stalls and a wide range of delicious food on offer.

Australian Citizenship Ceremonies

In May, Lord Mayor Cr Donna Davis had the pleasure to host 2,400 people to receive their Australian Citizenship at a special ceremony held with their family and friends at Riverside Theatres.

The delivery of the Australian Citizenship Program is the responsibility of the Department of Home Affairs, Immigrations and Citizenship, and supported by local Councils throughout Australia.

To find out more, visit cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/living/civic-program-and-citizenship



Parramatta Nights Recap

City of Parramatta's award-winning Parramatta Nights has once again brought the City alive with a number of events across the CBD. Expanding on the inaugural 2021 event, Parramatta Nights rolled from Parramatta Park to Parramatta Square, with something for everyone. Jazz after Dark, a Street Festival, Symphony under the Stars, Rock in the Park, Ngana Birrung and Skate & Play: the event offered music of all genres from Jazz to Hip Hop and entertainment for all ages.



For non-English speakers, phone interpretation services are available via TIS National on **131 450**. Easy English and Accessible PDF versions of Parramatta Pulse are available on Council's website.

KOREAN

본 소식지와 관련해 통역 지원이 필요하신 경우, TIS (131 450)에 전화하여 Parramatta Customer Service (9806 5050)를 연결해 달라고 요청하시면 됩니다. 업무시간은 월요일에서 금요일, 오전 8시 30분부터 오후 5시까지입니다.

ARABIC

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CHINESE

如果你需要翻译协助阅读这份新闻简报，请联系 TIS，电话 131 450，要求他们代表你接通巴拉玛打市议会顾客服务处，电话 9806 5050。顾客服务处的工作时间是每星期一至星期五，上午 8:30 至下午 5:00。

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Nominations for Citizen of the Year Awards 2023 now open

Do you know a local hero who deserves to be celebrated? Nominations for City of Parramatta's Citizen of the Year Awards are now open. These awards are part of Council's Australia Day program, and provide a great opportunity to celebrate local heroes for the contribution they deliver to our community.

You are invited to nominate a member of the community or a local community group whose exemplary contribution is worthy of recognition.

To nominate your local hero, visit cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/citizen-of-the-year-awards



Upgrades in your area

Rosehill

Rydalmere Park Masterplan Stage 2

Rydalmere Park Masterplan Stage 2 is under construction and is due for completion in September 2022. The upgrade will provide two natural turf football fields with drainage and irrigation, upgraded lighting, seating, picnic tables, three-lane cricket practice nets, a new cricket pitch, accessible paths, bubblers and bins, and improvements to the South Street and Park Road car parks.

Council harvested seeds from the original trees along South Street Rydalmere in 2020 when construction began, and these will be planted at the northern end of Rydalmere Park, along Victoria Road.

Council is also improving the water efficiency of Rydalmere Park through the installation of a 520-kilolitre stormwater reuse system and Water Sensitive Urban Designed (WSUD) rain gardens in the South Street car park.

To find out more, visit: participate.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/rydalmere-park-masterplan



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Wentworth Point's Place Plan

Council has been busy engaging with the Wentworth Point community to establish an exciting vision for the area and to set objectives and actions to ensure it is a liveable, sustainable and thriving community into the future. On Thursday 10 March, Council hosted a community webinar to explain the purpose of a Place Plan is and how it can be used to produce better outcomes for Wentworth Point.

The webinar was attended by a number of government agencies who presented progress updates on their projects, including Council (Hill Road Masterplan), Landcom (Peninsula Park), Transport for NSW (Parramatta Light Rail), the Department of Education (the new high school), and Sydney Olympic Park (SOPA vision).

Council will continue running community engagement activities to further inform the Place Plan.

To find out more, visit participate.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/wentworth-point

Good and Bridge Street upgrades

Good and Bridge Streets in Granville are currently getting an \$8.5 million uplift as part of the NSW Government's Parramatta Road Urban Amenity Improvement Program. Upgrades to Good Street include wider footpaths that will allow for outdoor dining, one-way south bound traffic to improve pedestrian safety, and 'smart' poles with misting machines that release a fine, cooling mist on hot days, and temperature-, pollution- and rainfall-tracking sensors. There will be festoon lighting to create ambiance while you're dining at night and new, heritage-style furniture to celebrate the history of the streets.

Works are expected to be complete in August 2022.

To find out more, visit: participate.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/good-and-bridge-streets



Rosehill

F.S. Garside Park

Thank you to those who provided feedback on the F.S. Garside Park concept plan and Review of Environment Factors (REF). Council has made some minor amendments to the final concept plan following community consultation, including accessibility improvements to the sportsfield amenity building, revised tree planting to the western side of the sports field, and modifications to the seating and bin storage provisions.

Council has progressed this project to tender. Construction anticipated to start late 2022.

To learn more, visit participate.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/north-granville-community-facilities-masterplan

Epping

Epping Library & Leisure and Learning Centre



The newly upgraded Epping Branch Library is now open to the public, so come and have a look around! The modifications were part of a \$1 million Council upgrade to Epping Library and the downstairs Leisure and Learning Centre (LLC) to create spaces that better meet current and future community needs. Improvements include a new foyer, redesigned bathrooms, a revised layout in the library, and new operable walls in the main hall of the LLC that allow up to five smaller meeting rooms to be created when required.

To learn more, visit cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/living/booking-a-venue/epping-leisure-and-learning-centre

Dundas

Dundas Village Shops

The Dundas Village Shops have had a makeover with a number of new upgrades. The \$150,000 project is part of Council's Better Neighbourhoods Program, with upgrades including a new shade sail over the picnic seating at the front of the centre, new seating, tree planting, a street library, a community notice board, a new pedestrian island and traffic markings to the rear carpark, plus new centre signage.

To view the outcomes of the work, the results of the community consultation or to have your say on the completed project, please visit: participate.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/dundas-village-shops



Parramatta

Milson Park Masterplan

The Masterplan for Milson Park, Westmead, is now underway. The City of Parramatta has partnered with Sydney Water to implement Stage 1 of the Masterplan, with improvements to the park including an artificial wetland, shared pathway, pedestrian bridge, park lighting, nature play and picnic facilities.

Construction is nearing completion and expected to finish late 2022.

To learn more, visit cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/recreation/our-parks/milson-park-masterplan





Become a tree champion

As part of the NSW Government's Greening Our City program, City of Parramatta will be planting more than 2,600 new trees along our streets between April and July 2022. It's all part our effort to bring down the temperature in our neighbourhoods, improve air quality, and making our

streets and parks healthier and happier places for everyone to enjoy.

How can you help? Once the new trees are planted, they will be cared for by Council for 12 months while they establish. We're looking for tree champions who can let us know if a tree in their neighbourhood needs some extra attention.

We'll also ask our tree champions to do a formal check-in of the trees allocated to them every three months and send us a picture of each tree.

When you send in your first tree report, we'll send you a \$50 gift card as a thank you for helping us to keep our trees growing strong.

To find out more, visit:
cityofparramatta.co/tree-champion

Wild at heart



➔ *Our native wildlife has moved in and they're loving their new homes!*

Council began a nest box program in 2007 that aims to provide an additional resource for hollow-using native wildlife in a landscape scarce of tree hollows. Recent monitoring of 520 nest boxes revealed that 20 per cent of the boxes showed signs of occupation from a wide range of wild creatures, including parrots, possums and bats.

While the monitoring effort provides only a small glimpse into the use of boxes, it has shown that they assist in providing nesting and denning habitat

for several hollow-using wildlife and help to sustain our hollow-using fauna community.

You can also help by installing a nest box or two in your garden and provide additional refuge to our local wildlife.

To find out more on Council's artificial hollow program, visit:
cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/nestboxes

We're making our City greener

City of Parramatta's electricity supply will soon be 100 per cent powered by renewable energy following a landmark deal with ZEN Energy.

Led by Southern Sydney Regional Organisation of Councils (SSROC) and signed by 25 councils, the agreement helps Parramatta achieve another

important goal in our Environmental Sustainability Strategy. Worth approximately \$180 million, the renewable electricity supply agreement begins in July 2022 and will deliver more than 214 gigawatt hours of electricity per year.

Parramatta's renewable energy will be sourced from large solar farms at Moree, Hillston and Nevertire in NSW, and will power council facilities and streetlights. Council will soon achieve its goal of reducing carbon emissions and becoming carbon neutral.

Learn more:
cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/environment/environmental-sustainability-strategy



➔ *[Above] NSW solar farms will power Parramatta thanks to a renewable energy agreement with ZEN Energy that provides our City with 100 per cent renewable energy. Photo ZEN Energy.*

FloodSmart Parramatta expands

Heavy rain and flooding earlier this year highlighted the importance of making sure that everyone stays safe. The award-winning FloodSmart Parramatta service was developed by the City of Parramatta and partners, including NSW SES, the Bureau of Meteorology and Sydney Water to give individuals, communities and business owners real-time flood alerts and information on how to prepare for flooding.

We're proud to announce that FloodSmart has now expanded to protect more members of our community. Across the Parramatta area, FloodSmart now monitors 10 areas at risk of flooding, with new warning areas established for Clay Cliff Creek, Vineyards Creek, and Subiaco and Ponds Creek.

Find out if your home, workplace, or school is at risk of flooding, and sign up to receive early warnings via text, email or voice message at cityofparramatta.co/floodwarning



[Right] Flooding can happen quickly. Have you signed up to FloodSmart Parramatta to receive free flood warnings?



Find out what's happening in Parramatta with our monthly e-newsletter

Stay up-to-date on the latest news, events, major construction updates, initiatives and more happening in Parramatta.

Sign up: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/e-pulse



Have Your Say

Let us know your thoughts on Council's latest projects, strategies, and initiatives to shape our City through Participate Parramatta, an easy-to-use online engagement platform where you can share your views through feedback forms, interactive maps, polls, and surveys. You'll be joining over 10,500 residents, business owners, workers, students, and visitors who are proud to be part of the Participate Community.

Visit: participate.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au to register and have your say!





Next up at Riverside Theatres...

For theatre lovers

Friends! The Musical Parody	10–18 June
Dubbo Championship Wrestling	16–25 June
Othello	24 June
Them	28–29 July
Menopause The Musical	19–20 August
Sleeplessness	19–20 August
Jane Eyre	31 August–1 September
Nothing	1–10 September
Kinky Boots	9–24 September

For music lovers

Beethoven's Eroica	14 August
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For dance lovers

Let's DANCE	11–13 August
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For kids and families

Thai-riffic!	28 June
Roald Dahl and the Imagination Seekers	4–7 July
Cumberland Gang Show – Next Level	6–10 July
The Owl and the Pussycat	15–16 July
There's a Sea in my Bedroom	6 August

Dubbo Championship Wrestling

Get ready for a great night out at *Dubbo Championship Wrestling* – a hilarious Aussie rock musical that promises to change everything you thought you knew about professional wrestling, regional Australia and musical theatre itself!



Cumberland Gang Show – Next Level

The Scouts and Guides of Western Sydney invite you to join them as they go Next Level! This year you'll see a wonderful mix of new, commercial songs along with some Gang Show favourites. Join us as we visit dinosaurs, explore friendship, encounter aliens, join a cycling revolution, meet Zorro, interview a Viking and so much more!



Let's DANCE

Come and enjoy a humorous, interactive and wonderfully offbeat evening of dance at this double bill from Melbourne artist Chris Chua (*BeatStorm*) and Sydney-based choreographer Ryuichi Fujimura (*Fall! Falter!! Dance!!!*). Presented by FORM Dance Projects and Riverside Theatres as part of Dance Bites 2022.



Roald Dahl and the Imagination Seekers

Made especially for audiences aged six years and up, this show is an immersive and interactive experience, involving plenty of games and imaginative play, all while exploring Roald Dahl's extraordinary stories, including *The BFG* and *The Twits*, along the way. Whether you've just read your first Roald Dahl book or grew up on them, this is an unforgettable theatrical experience that all the family is sure to enjoy.



Photo Credit: Artwork by Helen Tsantikos,
Image: Ryuichi Fujimura photographed by Alex Houy

What's on at Parramatta Libraries



NAIDOC Week July 2022: Workshop for kids 7–12 years

Our friends from Koori Kinnections have prepared hands-on activities that will give you an insight into Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture. You'll learn an acknowledgment song, listen to storytelling, get an introduction to traditional resources and more. The event will be held across City of Parramatta Libraries.

For more information and bookings, visit: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/community/library

Expressions of interest for beginners computer course

Are you interested in learning basic computer skills? Dundas and Constitution Hill Libraries are seeking expressions of interest to run a series of specialist courses. Dundas Library will also provide this course in Chinese.

To find out more, call **Dundas Library** on **9806 5960** or **Constitution Hill Library** on **9806 5500** to register your interest.



What's on at Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

School holiday activities for the kids

Get ready for a jam-packed schedule of great events and activities for the kids these winter school holidays at your local community hub! There's something for all children to enjoy, including art classes where they can unleash their creativity, drama workshops where they will get the chance to perform and have fun, and active classes where they can keep up their fitness or just run off a little steam, plus free movie screenings.

The school holiday program will run at Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library from Monday 4 July to Sunday 17 July. **To see the full lineup of activities, please visit:** cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/wentworthpointcommunitycentreandlibrary/whats-on



Bookable

We have a new, easy-to-use booking system, 'Bookable' where you can make and manage bookings for events, activities, term-based programs and more. Save time and register your account before an event opens to avoid missing out.

Register for a Bookable account at: parramatta-events.bookable.net.au



Parramatta Farmers Markets

Good news food lovers – the popular Parramatta Farmers Market has reopened for 2022. Traditionally held on a Friday, the market will now take place every Wednesday at Parramatta's Centenary Square from 7.30am to 2.30pm.

Stock up on fresh Australian produce, get ideas and inspiration for your next cook-up, or simply enjoy the live entertainment between 11am and 2pm, while you indulge in some mouth-watering lunchtime goodies. You'll also have the chance to meet local growers who will be showcasing a variety of quality seasonal produce, including fresh fruits, vegetables, eggs, nuts, bread, honey, pastries and plants, from the Sydney Basin and regional NSW. Just be sure to bring your appetite!

Where: Centenary Square, Parramatta

When: Every Wednesday from 7.30am–2.30pm

Plan your visit by heading to [cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/visiting/things-to-do/farmers-market](https://www.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/visiting/things-to-do/farmers-market)



Wise about waste

Plastic Ban & Plastic Free July

Did you know that NSW is banning a number of single-use plastic items this year to reduce the amount of plastic litter entering our waterways? For more information, visit: dpe.mysocialpinpoint.com.au/plastics-ban-nsw

Sign up for the Plastic Free July initiative at plasticfreejuly.org and join the Plastic Free Home online workshop that Council will be running on Wednesday 29 June.

To register, visit:

[cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/living/events-calendar](https://www.cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/living/events-calendar)

Mobile Recycling Service

Sometimes it's hard to know how to safely and responsibly recycle or dispose of certain items around your home and backyard. The Mobile Community Recycling Service, which is available to Parramatta residents, can help.

This mobile service gives Parramatta residents an easy and convenient way to recycle or safely dispose of problem waste, including gas bottles, fire extinguishers, paint, batteries, oils, fluoro lights, smoke detectors and certain electronics, such as TVs, printers and microwaves and other small appliances.

To find out more, or book a pick-up, visit:

[problemwaste.com.au](https://www.problemwaste.com.au)





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Development Applications:

Since home-delivered copies of many of our local newspapers are no longer available, all Development Applications (DAs), items on exhibition and public notices are available on Council's website at: cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au

Council Meetings:

Council Meetings are held on the second and fourth Monday of each month at 6.30pm. Members of the public are presently permitted to attend Council Meetings in person in line with conditions of entry imposed by Public Health Orders. Members of the public are also able to view Council meetings online. To view the live stream, visit:

[cityofparramatta.nsw.gov.au/
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