

THE GUILDFORD ASSOCIATION INC

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Guildford Association E-Newsletter SEPTEMBER 2018

The President and Executive of the Guildford Association Inc. welcome members to the Guildford E-Notice Board, issued monthly to members.

NEXT GA MEETING TUESDAY September 18, 2018, 7.30PM MECHANICS INSTITUTE, 20 MEADOW ST, GUILDFORD

AGM – TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 18, 2018

The GA Annual General Meeting will be held on Tuesday September 18, 2018 at 7.30pm at the Mechanics Institute, Meadow Street, Guildford. All positions are open for nomination.

The AGM will be followed by the general meeting.

Membership for 2018-2019 is now due. Please ensure your membership is up to date – see bank details on last page. There will also be an opportunity to renew your membership on the night, prior to the start of the meeting.

Membership is now \$20. You need to be a financial member in order to vote.

GUILDFORD – STATE HERITAGE REGISTER SUBMISSIONS

You have probably now received the Heritage Council's letter inviting submissions on the proposal to enter Guildford Historic Town on the State Register of Heritage Places. Please note anyone can comment - not just Guildford landowners.

Submissions must be received by Friday 19 October 2018.

You can find out how having Guildford on the State Heritage Register of Heritage Places will impact you at a drop-in information session on Sunday 16 September, 10am-12noon, Stirling Square, Guildford.

The draft assessment, maps, submission form, and other material are all available on http://guildford.stateheritage.wa.gov.au/

If you have any queries, there are specific officers within the Department of Planning, Lands and Heritage to direct them to.

Queries about the assessment and registration process should go to Kelly Fleming, Principal Heritage Officer (Heritage Assessment and Registration); or Penny O'Connor, Director Heritage Assessment and Registration.

Queries about development within the precinct, should it be entered in the State Register, can be directed to Janine Symons, Senior Technical and Heritage Officer (Heritage Development)

The above staff can be contacted on (08) 6551 8002 or by emailing guildford@stateheritage.wa.gov.au

TREE RESCUE DAY

Following on from the talk by Professor Giles Hardy at the last GA meeting, on the decline of Guildford's flooded gums, there will be a community tree rescue day on Saturday 6 October, 9.30am-12.30pm.

Attendees will be taken on a site tour and receive training on how to inject suitable trees with Phosphite, a biodegradable fungicide that protects plants against dieback, along with a nutrient solution which may help boost tree vigour, enhance defence responses and stimulate root development.

Approximately 10 large trees will be treated and this will be followed by a free bbq. These treatments are safe to apply and all equipment will be supplied. No prior knowledge of how to treat trees is required. Just wear suitable clothing, safety glasses, and bring a water bottle.

Meet from 9.15am at the polo grounds on Meadow Street.

For more information contact Aimee Kontor — <u>aimee.kontor@emrc.org.au</u>; Please RSVP to Aimee by 28 September, for catering purposes. Tel: 0427 088213

GUILDFORD LIBRARY HOURS TO CHANGE

From **October 1** Guildford Library will have new opening hours - including longer hours on Saturday and an evening opening on Thursday. Hopefully the new hours will enable more people to make use of this valuable community resource.

The new hours will be:

- Monday 10-5 closed on Tuesday
- open on Wednesday 10-2
- open late night on Thursday 3-7pm
- Friday 10-5
- Saturday 10-2

www.swan.wa.gov.au/libraries

GUILDFORD SONGFEST THIS WEEKEND

The Guildford Association is excited to host the second Guildford Songfest on September 15 and 16, sponsored by Perth Airport and Lotterywest. The Songfest will bring the joy of singing to the local community with concerts and workshops to be held in Guildford's historic buildings including the Town Hall, Guildford Grammar Chapel,

St Matthew's, the Mechanics Institute and Wesley Chapel. We have a wonderful line up of



choirs who will present all genres of singing from Barber Shop to Gospel to Pop to Sacred and everything in between. More than 30 choirs and vocal acts from all around Perth will be performing, including Men of the West, pictured. (above) You can attend single concerts and workshops for \$10. A weekend pass is \$30. There is a free marquee concert on Stirling Square alongside the markets on Sunday

For program and ticketing details go to www.guildfordsongfest.com

Festival-goers are in for another treat – the brilliant bakers of the Guildford Primary P&C will be holding a fundraising cake stall!

INTERACTIVE STATUE ON DISPLAY

10.30am-1pm.



A maquette model of the interactive bronze Guildford Light Horse Statue planned for Stirling Square is currently on display at Guildford Library. The statue commemorates the formation of the 10th Light Horse Regiment in Guildford.

The winning maquette, by artist Charles Robb, was unveiled recently at the Foundation Pavilion, Guildford Grammar School, by the Hon. Ken Wyatt MP and the Hon. Michelle Roberts MLA.

The City of Swan has donated \$100,000 towards this magnificent interactive statue, designed to allow children to sit on the horse. Further funds will be provided through public subscription.

Midland-Guildford ward councillors Claire Scanlan and Ian Johnson are pictured with the maquette.

COMMUNITY ORCHARD

Transition Town Guildford have been liaising with the City of Swan regarding a community orchard in Guildford. If you would like to be involved in this exciting project, email ttguildford@gmail.com

SPRAY AWAY

If you do not want your footpath or verge sprayed, and you are willing to maintain these areas yourself, then you must contact the city and advise them. Please make sure that you give your full name, address and contact number and your property will be placed on the City's Register for contract sprayers to avoid and yellow arrows will be marked on the footpath next to your property.

Call 9267 9267, or email swan@swan.wa.gov.au

AROUND TOWN

Swan Guildford Historical Society Painting has now been completed and the Visitor's Centre is operating as normal with a historical display about Guildford.

Guildford Potters The gallery is open seven days a week from 10am – 4pm.

The Garrick Theatre's next production *Silver Lining*, from September 27 to October 7. Go to garricktheatre.asn.au for details. The theatre needs more assistance with front of house duties so let them know if you can help.

St Matthew's Messy Church is on the 4th Sunday of the month in St Matthew's Hall at 4pm. Join in craft, stories, songs and a shared meal. For enquiries Tel 9279 1141

Toastmasters Guildford meet in the hall of Wesley Chapel located on James street between Olive and Meadow street, every second Monday from 7pm to 9pm. All are welcome to drop by and take a look.

Application for Membership for the Guildford Association Inc or Membership Renewal 2018-2019

I hereby apply for membership/renewal of membership of the Guildford Association

Inc. I support the goals of the Association as stated in the Constitution*. Name(s): Address: ___ Telephone Number(s): Email:____ Date / / Membership is \$20 per person from September 1 2018 – September 1 – 2019. Please mark the following I can assist the Association □ and have these skills..... Renewing Member New Member □ **Payment Method** Cheque (made out to Guildford Association Inc) Direct Banking □ (Guildford Association Inc. account at the Commonwealth Bank BSB: 066 109 ACCOUNT: 00900704) Other

Please forward your completed membership forms to

The Guildford Association Inc., PO Box 115, Guildford. WA 6935.

*Note .The Constitution can be viewed on the Association website

http://www.guildford.asn.au/