



Life in the City of Gosnells

Are you enrolled to vote?

Local residents and ratepayers have until 5pm Friday 27 August to enrol to vote, so they can have their say on the City's future.

Local government elections will be held across the State on **Saturday 16 October**.

In the City of Gosnells, the election will fill six vacancies on Council, each for a four-year term.

If you live in the City of Gosnells, make sure your details are current on the State Electoral Roll. To add or check your name on the State Electoral Roll, or to update your address, visit the WA Electoral Commission website at elections.wa.gov.au.

If you don't live in the City of Gosnells but own property or occupy a property (such as a business premises) in the City, then you may be eligible to appear on the City's Owners and Occupiers Roll.

To check whether you are enrolled or entitled to be enrolled on the City's Owners and Occupiers Roll, contact the City on 9397 3000 or email council@gosnells.wa.gov.au.

Information about nominating to be a Councillor will be released in the coming weeks, and voting packs will be distributed from late September.

Visit the City's website for more details about Local Government elections.

Council Election

SATURDAY 16 OCTOBER



Enrol by 27 August

Explore your world with Science Trail

There will be more than 15 science-based workshops and activities for all ages to celebrate National Science Week in the City of Gosnells.

The Science Trail is a great way to learn more about our world, including the plants and animals in our environment, the stars in the sky, and even the way we clean our homes. The trail includes planting events, archaeology at the City's Museum, Junkadelic Science workshops, native bee workshops, cleaning with chemistry, bush foods and astronomy with the Perth Observatory.

The trail runs from from **Saturday 14 to 21 August** and bookings are required. Visit the City's website for details.



Have your say at Kenwick community workshops

Two workshops are being held this month to give Kenwick residents an opportunity to contribute ideas on the programs and activities that could be provided at the refurbished Kenwick Community Centre, once Kenwick Library moves to Mills Park at the end of the year.

Both workshops will be held on **Wednesday 18 August** – the first from 10.30am to 12.30pm, followed by an evening session from 5.30pm to 7.30pm.

Registrations are essential via <https://bit.ly/kenwick> or by calling 9397 3000.

City grants to support local community

Grants of up to \$8,000 are available for not-for-profit organisations, with Level 2 Community Grants under the City's Community Funding Program opening on **Wednesday 11 August**.

The grants support eligible applicants with up to 50 per cent of the total cost to deliver programs, events, training, minor capital projects or purchase equipment.

For more details, applicants are encouraged to attend an information session at 6pm on **Wednesday 11 August**. To register your attendance, email funding@gosnells.wa.gov.au.

Celebrate our community heroes

Entries are now open for the Citizen of the Year Awards, to be presented on Australia Day 2022.

If you know someone who makes your community a better place, celebrate their achievements by nominating them before **31 October**.

Details and nomination forms are online at citizenshipawards.com.au.

Events listing

Miss Westralia

Friday 6 August, 7pm
Saturday 7 August, 2pm
Don Russell Performing Arts Centre

OWL Seminar Series: Batavia's Graveyard

Friday 13 August
10am – 11.30am
Addie Mills Centre, Gosnells

Park Play

Friday 13 August
9.30am – 11.30am
39 Coops Avenue, Thornlie

Art with a Glass

Friday 13 August
7pm – 9.30pm
Don Russell Performing Arts Centre

Children's Book Week

- **Storytime with Gabriel Evans**
Saturday 21 August
10.30am – 12pm
Amherst Village Library
- **Illustrations with Kylie Howarth**
Tuesday 24 August
4pm – 5pm
Knowledge Centre
- **Creative writing with Cristy Burne**
Wednesday 25 August
4pm – 5pm
Kenwick Library

Visit the City's website for details.