



MARCH 2025



FUNDING TO UPGRADE MARINE PARADE PATH

The Town has been successful in securing funding from the Australian Government's Active Transport Fund (ATF) to upgrade the existing footpath along the length of Marine Parade - from Curtin Avenue to North Street.

\$4.175 million has been secured from the ATF for design and construction works, which will involve widening and upgrading the current path to improve safety and accessibility. It will also improve the connectivity of this popular path, providing a well-designed shared path with high quality connection to other key locations in the Town.

The Marine Parade dual use path has been consistently identified by our community and by Council as high priority in our cycle network, and this significant external funding - which will cover over 95% of the estimated project cost - will enable the Town to get to work on delivering this project.



Deputy Mayor Melissa Harkins with Lori from Cycling Without Age and Nada, enjoying a ride. They were very pleased to hear about the Marine Parade path upgrade!

ANNUAL REPORT AND AGM

Notice is hereby given that the 2023/2024 Annual Report was accepted by Council on 25 February 2025. The 2023/2024 Annual Report is available to view at the Town's Administration office or on our website under Town/Corporate Plans and Documents.

Electors of the Town of Cottesloe are invited to attend the Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, 18 March 2025, commencing at 5.30pm in the Lesser Hall (next to Cottesloe Civic Centre), 109 Broome Street.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the 2023/2024 Annual Report incorporating the 2023/2024 Annual Financial Statements and Auditor's Report, and any other general business. All are welcome to attend. Further information will be available at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/council-meetings/.

COMMUNITY GRANTS PROGRAM - APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

The Town is committed to strengthening our community by supporting activities, initiatives, projects and events that enhance the lives of the Cottesloe community.

Funding is available to community groups for initiatives that foster connection, inclusion, sustainability and growth. Eligible groups include community-led organisations across areas such as arts, culture, sport, youth, seniors, Disability Access and Inclusion (DAIP) and multicultural activities.

Applications are now open for funding for the 2025/2026 financial year. If you would like to find out more about the Community Grants Program and how to apply, please contact the Town's Community Development Officer on 9285 5000 or cd03@cottesloe.wa.gov.au. Applications close on Sunday, 20 April 2025.



Cottesloe Toy Library, one of the recipients of last year's Community Grants Program, has made wonderful use of the \$4,000 they received through the program. They have purchased a fantastic range of new toys (and storage boxes) for their members to borrow, providing fun and educational resources for local families. Membership of the Toy Library is open to all community members and offers access to hundreds of toys for infants through to age 7. Find out more at <https://cottesloetoylibrary.org.au/>.

Pictured above (L-R): Cottesloe Toy Library committee members Lorraine, Lara, Anne-Marie and Alex with some of the new toys purchased with their grant funding.

Lest we forget

ANZAC Day

Cottesloe Civic Centre

6:45am - Parade Assembles at Southern Gate, Broome Street

Service includes:
Parade Flag Raising
Wreath Laying and Readings
Last Post
Gunfire Breakfast

25 April 2025

Members of the public and community groups are invited to lay a wreath or a sprig of rosemary

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council Agenda Forums are usually held on the third Tuesday of the month at 6pm and Council Meetings are usually held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 6pm at Cottesloe Civic Centre, 109 Broome Street, Cottesloe.

Full details of Council Meetings are available on our website at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/council-meetings/.

Agendas are available at the Civic Centre and on our website. The next Council Meeting is on Tuesday, 25 March.