

MARCH 2021



## BEACH ACCESS PATH UPGRADE

Beach access path S15, known as The Cove and located at the culturally significant Mudurup Rocks site, is currently being upgraded. New access stairs are being constructed – Fibre Reinforced Plastic treads for the upper section and micro-mesh grating for the lower section with an anti-slip treatment for safety. An upgraded access node will have informal seating, shower and signage. The Cove carpark is currently closed while we undertake these works and the Town thanks you for your patience.



## CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY

Celebrate Clean Up Australia Day with the Town, North Cottesloe Surf Life Saving Club and WMRC and join us for a beach clean-up! Volunteers will be provided with gloves, buckets, bags and tongs. Please wear sun protection, closed shoes and bring a drink bottle. Morning tea will be provided.

**When:** Sunday, 21 March at 8 to 10am

**Meet:** North Cottesloe SLSC – on the lawn on Marine Parade

**Register:** Please register your attendance at [www.eventbrite.com.au/e/clean-up-australia-day-registration-137355442827](http://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/clean-up-australia-day-registration-137355442827)

## COUNCIL MEETINGS

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

The next Agenda Forum is on Tuesday, 16 March and the next Council Meeting is on Tuesday, 23 March.

## SCULPTURE BY THE SEA – ACCESS AND INCLUSION

The 17th annual *Sculpture by the Sea* is on now at Cottesloe Beach, running until Monday, 22 March. *Sculpture by the Sea* is a popular event and will operate this year in accordance with COVID-19 safety requirements. All visitors will be asked to check-in their attendance via the SafeWA QR code. If you don't have the SafeWA app on your phone, please download it prior to coming to the event. 'Sculpture Inside', a fantastic collection of small contemporary sculpture will be held at Sea View Golf Club again this year.

The *Sculpture by the Sea* Access and Inclusion program for visitors with a disability includes the opportunity to go on a free Tactile Tour of the sculptures where you can experience some of the 'safe to touch' sculptures through an informative guided tour. Tactile Tours are held weekdays (8 to 19 March) at 10.15am and 11.30am, at 6pm on Thursday 11 and 18 March and on Saturday, 13 March at 10.15am and 11.30am. Bookings are essential as there are limited places on the tour. Please contact [Jacqueline@dadaa.org.au](mailto:Jacqueline@dadaa.org.au) to book your place. In addition beach access days (special matting will be installed for visitors with limited mobility or using wheelchairs) will take place on Tuesday 16, Wednesday 17 and Thursday 18 March. For more information visit <https://sculpturebythesea.com/cottesloe/access-and-inclusion-program/>.



## NATIVE WATERWISE VERGE REBATE

The Town's Native Waterwise Verge Rebate program is being offered again this year. Native waterwise verges help save water and increase plant biodiversity. By making the change to a native waterwise verge, residents may be eligible for a rebate of \$15 per m<sup>2</sup> of converted verge, with a maximum claim value of \$500.

Find out more and download the application form at [www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au](http://www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au) (under Services/Environment and Sustainability Initiatives).

## NATIVE VERGE CONVERSION WORKSHOPS

Learn how to create a beautiful native verge at a free workshop offered by the Western Suburbs Regional Organisation of Councils (WESROC). Visit [www.cambridge.wa.gov.au/nativevergeworkshops](http://www.cambridge.wa.gov.au/nativevergeworkshops) to register.

### WORKSHOP 1

Saturday, 20 March 2020 | 8.30am – 12pm  
The Ecology Centre, 165 Perry Lakes Drive, City Beach

### WORKSHOP 2

Saturday, 27 March 2020 | 8.30am – 12pm  
The Grove Library, 1 Leake Street, Peppermint Grove

## STAY IN TOUCH!

Stay in touch and be kept up to date on what's happening in the Town of Cottesloe. It's easy to join our Residents and Ratepayers Database. Visit [www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au](http://www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au) and click on the GET IN TOUCH button on our home page to complete an online registration form.

Or drop in to the Civic Centre at 109 Broome Street to complete a registration slip. All registered email addresses will remain confidential and participants can unsubscribe at any time.

You can also visit and like our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/townofcottesloe](http://www.facebook.com/townofcottesloe) to receive all the latest information on what's happening in and around the Town of Cottesloe in your news feed.