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# COTTESLOE COUNCIL NEWS

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## Security on the seafront

A \$25,000 grant from the Office of Crime Prevention will improve the Town's CCTV on Marine Parade. A new camera and software will be ready by next summer.

## Black Spot re-think

AN alternative design dealing with the Mann/Grant Sts intersection, featuring 'stop' signs and standard traffic calming devices on Mann St has been submitted for approval by Main Roads.

## School thanks Town team...

TOWN team Brett, Jay, Phil and Tyson are winners with North Cott Primary. "We are all so grateful for the absolutely amazing job they did over two days, preparing the ground and filling our veggie garden and potato planting area," said Sally Grainger, for ecoSMART and the school.

## ...and Town thanks Geoff

COTTESLOE has completed its \$2.34m, four-year Groundwater Aquifer - National Water Initiative. It included constructing 280 soak-pits, removing 10 ocean outfalls, replacing seven open sumps, intercepting and removing debris and pollutants and running a public education programme. A federal grant of \$782,000 helped the funding.

On behalf of everyone in Cottesloe, the Council gave a vote of thanks to the man responsible for driving the initiative, Town manager of engineering services, Geoff Trigg.

## New Citizens

THREE new Australian citizens were welcomed to the community at the Town's Pioneers' Day in June.

James Scott Brown, Christine Christie and Alan Cottingham had the full backing of the 20-strong A Capella choir for their big day. The afternoon was also enhanced with a presentation on preserving community spirit, and creation of the Cottesloe photographic archive, by local library historian Julie Wallis.

## DAPs Public Meeting - July 18

# State MPs invited to Cottesloe

**WIDESPREAD concern amongst Western Australians has been caused by a bill which would give power over major local developments to DAPs (Development Assessment Panels).**

Perth's western suburbs councils (WESROC) have taken the lead to identify and highlight problems with the bill's proposals - which Parliament will continue to finalise when it resumes on August 10.

A public meeting has been scheduled for 10.30am on Sunday 18 July 2010 in

the War Memorial Town Hall.

All residents are urged to attend and find out more about the proposals, which, if passed by Parliament in their present form, would give central government control of all major planning in local council areas.

"The proposals represent an unnecessary and undesirable erosion and replication of local planning and development control, in a manner which is un-democratic, administratively complicat-

## Men's Shed to open

INTERESTED in practical activities - such as metalwork, woodwork, or vehicle restoration? Maybe what you need is a place to do those things. The 'Men's Shed' could be the answer - and one is imminent in Mosman Park, for blokes in and around Cottesloe, Mosman and Peppermint Grove.

Organiser John Law is the man to contact for details - on 9203 8887 - or [john-law@inet.net.au](mailto:john-law@inet.net.au)

For more information about the whole Men's Sheds concept, visit [www.mensshed.org](http://www.mensshed.org)

## MUSIC FOR PLEASURE



He is internationally acclaimed and rapidly becoming one of Australia's most admired 'cross over' artists with flair across a wide range of popular and classical music, but Jay Weston developed his early musical passion at the West Australian Academy of Performing Arts (WAAPA).

He is a remarkably versatile performer with an extensive repertoire ranging from the Italian arias to musical theatre, romantic love songs and popular ballads.

Add Jay's remarkable keyboard skills to his astonishing variety of vocal genres and you have all the ingredients for a totally entertaining concert.

COTTESLOE'S winter concert season is under way and continues next Sunday when the Quintessential Winds quintet performs in classical style.

All concerts are on Sunday afternoons, from 3pm - 5pm, in the War Memorial Town Hall at the Civic Centre. Ticket prices include afternoon tea.

The season's programme is:

25 July  
**Quintessential Winds**  
Classical quintet  
Cost: \$10 (Conc. \$5)  
Book: Ph: 9383 4438  
(Amrit Kendrick)

1 August  
**Jay Weston**  
Contemporary  
Classic/crossover, Musical Theatre  
Cost: \$15 (Conc. \$10)  
Book: Ph: 0402 149 887  
(Jan Greer)

8 August  
**Tuxedo Junction**  
Five-part close harmony including jazz, gospel, Broadway hits and popular songs of the 50s to the 80s  
Cost: \$15 (Conc. \$12)  
Book: Ph: 0414 576 340  
(Kay Wood)

15 August  
**Allegri Chamber Orchestra**  
Classical chamber music  
Cost: \$20 (Conc. \$15)  
Book: Ph: 9383 3647  
(Gail Owen)

22 August  
**Contraband**  
A capella singers of a diverse repertoire - from Renaissance, classical and contemporary music to madrigals and motets.  
Cost: \$14 (Conc. \$12)  
Book: Ph: 0414 576 340  
(Kay Wood)

5 September  
**Stevedores Jazz Band**  
Traditional jazz  
Cost: \$12 (Conc. \$10)  
Book: Ph: 0407 987 370  
or  
9306 4624 (Lynn Nicholls)

## Meetings at Civic Centre

NEXT Council meeting Monday July 26, at 7pm.

Development Services Monday July 19, 6pm.

Works and Corporate Services Tuesday July 20, 7pm.

Planning applications for September close July 31.

Planning applications for October close September 4.

**Note: there is a change to the start time of the Strategic Planning Committee meeting on 18 August 2010, from 7pm to 6pm.**

## Big projects - small Budget rise

**DESPITE a rate increase of just 5.72%, one of the lowest in the region, Cottesloe has budgeted to relocate the Town depot and undertake restoration works on the Civic Centre roof.**

These important projects will free the current Nailsworth Street depot site for redevelopment, and preserve the Town's most important and valuable asset.

### Depot

Details of a proposed new depot site, adjacent to Sea View Golf Club, have been sent to residents in the immediate area.

It is expected to have minimal impact on local amenity.

Proposed is a new facility (near the club's existing shed on the east side of the car park) for vehicle parking and equipment storage.

There would also be a fenced compound on the west side of the Seaview Kindergarten, with a smaller shed and materials storage bays behind an aesthetic security fence and landscaping.

The Anderson pavilion at Harvey field is being considered for a small extension to

include a site office with access to the existing showers, change rooms and toilets. Deep sewerage would also be provided to both the pavilion and the kindergarten as part of the project - the last remaining facilities now lacking this service.

State planning commission approval will be sought following local consultation and feedback including from the Sea View Golf Club.

### Civic Centre roof

In the coming summer the Town will carry out strengthening and structural repairs to the timber structure of the roof, replacement of the waterproof membrane and new roof tiles.

One short-term effect of the work means the War Memorial Town Hall and nearby surrounds may not be available for functions through a part of the late Spring and /or summer months.

ed and removed from community-based decision-making by those familiar with the local area," says Kevin Morgan.

Also invited to participate in the meeting are the Premier, Colin Barnett and the Minister for Planning John Day; their counterparts from the ALP, Nationals and Greens; plus Janet Woollard, Adele Carles and any other non-aligned members of Parliament; and also the Mayors/President of other WA councils.

The issues have been debated with WALGA (Western Australian Local Government Association), WESROC and ratepayer groups.

WESROC has obtained independent planning law advice for recommended amendments to ensure that the legislative proposals are more appropriate, practical and equitable.

## Recycle bin-check due

**TO make our recycling work better, a random sample of residents' yellow-top bins will be made this month.**

The yellow topped recycling rubbish bin provides householders with an opportunity to recycle a number of used household items while at the same time contributing to saving our environment.

Cottesloe is genuinely supportive of recycling - to the extent of providing an extra yellow-top bin - free - to residents who need one.

In recent times some residents have been placing items in the recycling bin that cannot be recycled, contaminating the process with such as plastic bags, lawn cuttings, soiled food papers and polystyrene packaging.

So everyone knows what should go in - and what should not - please check this illustration. (Also, the Town's recycling calendar - provided to every household - lists recyclable items.)

Our random sampling is to ensure that only genuine recyclable items are placed in the recycling bin. Of course, genuine mistakes can happen, and residents who continue to place incorrect items in their recycling bin will be notified of the problem.

**RECYCLE**

**✓ YES**

- Bottles & jars (rinsed)
- Any colour glass

**GLASS**

**✗ NO**

- Crystalline
- Light glasses
- Window glass
- Ceramics
- Caps, tanks, tins

**STEEL CANS & ALUMINIUM**

- Steel cans (rinsed)
- e.g. pet food & empty paint tins
- Aerosol cans
- Aluminium cans
- Clean foil & trays
- Labels can be left on
- Lids (rinsed or attached)

**PLASTICS**

- Plastic containers (rinsed) coded ♻️ (e.g. on bottom of container)
- e.g. soft drink, milk & detergent containers

**✗ NO**

- Plastic wrap
- Great tops
- Polystyrene
- e.g. meat trays
- Plastic bags
- Magnets, butter & ice cream containers

**CARDBOARD & PAPER**

- Newspapers
- Flattened cardboard boxes e.g. cereal, food packaging & tissues
- Office paper
- Envelopes
- Diary magazines & junkmail
- Telephone books

**LIQUID PAPERBOARD**

- Gable top cartons (rinsed and flattened) e.g. milk & fruit juice.
- Place flattened cartons inside an open one to form a brick.

**USED ENGINE OIL & CAR BATTERIES**

Place these items next to the recycling bin (oil in sealed containers)

**NOT IN PLASTIC BAGS**

**PLEASE NO**

- GARDEN WASTE
- LAWN CLIPPINGS
- FOOD SCRAPS

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**EARTH CARERS**  
Living with less waste

