

MAYOR'S COMMUNITY MESSAGE



With members of the Korean Society of Sydney and dignitaries at the 2017 Korean Festival.

Be part of Ryde Vision 2028

Ryde Vision 2028 is the Council's ten year Community Strategic Plan that sets out a roadmap for our City's future. It details a range of community activities, what we want our City to look like and what services and policies we should have.

Part of the process is to revise our existing community plan and over the next two months residents are invited to Have Your Say on your vision for Ryde.

You can contribute either on the online survey or in person at one of the community drop-in events in coming weeks.

Be one of the first to share your vision at the Granny Smith Festival on Saturday – and get a free Granny Smith apple for your efforts.

For the survey and details go to www.ryde.vision/2028

Ryde Remembers

In the lead up to Remembrance Day next month, Ryde Library is holding a free poppy brooch making workshop on Saturday 4 November. You can drop-in anytime between 10.00am - 1.00pm. Pattern, needles and yarn are provided. Beginners are welcome.

Ride the ferris wheel at Granny Smith

We are all set to welcome an estimated 90,000 fun-seekers to our biggest community event when the Granny Smith Festival comes to Eastwood on Saturday 21 October.

This year's newest attraction is a huge ferris wheel. You'll be able to take in views of the entire district from the top gondola and at night it provides a colourful lights display.

Take your pick from a great line up of attractions including the traditional Street Parade, 250 market stalls, and an international food fair.

Play Along with Sam Moran from Nick Jnr and Nay Nay from Tinkertime will be live on stage, along with 60 acts on five stages throughout the festival precinct.

There are special games and activities at the KidsHub and The Core Youth Zone in the grounds of Eastwood Public School. Plus on the oval there will be carnival rides, show bags and an animal farm.

At 6.15pm the Family Concert kicks off with the Junkyard Beats and then songstress Fasika and her big band take to the stage. A magical Fireworks Display is the big finale to what will be an unforgettable day.

Look forward to seeing you there.



Sincerely,



Clr Jerome Laxale - Mayor
Phone 9952 8222 or
email mayor@ryde.nsw.gov.au

HAVE YOUR SAY

West Ryde Plaza Embellishment – Stage 2 Concept Design

The West Ryde Embellishment project is part of the City of Ryde's Four Year Delivery Plan (2016 – 2020) to create inviting and activated public spaces in our Neighbourhood and Town Centres.

Earlier this year we asked for your thoughts on what elements you would like to see in the plaza and where you would like to see them. Using the feedback received from the community, a concept design has been developed.

Council would now like to hear your comments on the concept design for the plaza through a short survey.

Where can I view the concept design?

Online View the design and tell us your thoughts at www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/haveyoursay

Online submissions will close on Wednesday 8 November 2017.

In person Pop down to one of our face-to-face events where you will be able to view the design, provide your feedback and ask any questions you may have.

Open Community Meeting

When Wednesday 1 November 2017

Time 5.30 - 6.30pm

Where West Ryde Community Hall

Weekend Drop In Session

When Saturday 4 November 2017

Time Anytime between 10.00am to 12.00noon

Where West Ryde Plaza

For More Information

For more information please visit www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/haveyoursay or contact Customer Service on 9952 8222.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Good Life Chorus Community Choir

The Good Life Chorus is a dementia-friendly community choir for adults who love to sing. The choir helps support people in the community living with early-to-mid stage dementia and their careers. The choir is look for new members, so for more information, email enquiries@goodlifechorus.org, call 9868 5434 or visit goodlifechorus.org

See details of rehearsal schedule below.



When *Launch and rehearsal 1:*
Wednesday 1 November,
1.00 - 2.00pm

Rehearsal 2:
Wednesday 8 November,
2.00 - 3.00pm

Rehearsals:
15 November - 13 December,
Wednesdays, 1.30 - 2.30pm

Where West Ryde Community Hall

HAVE YOUR SAY



Ryde Vision 2028 Community Strategic Plan

Have your say on the future direction of the City of Ryde through the Community Strategic Plan 'Ryde Vision 2028'.

What is the Community Strategic Plan?

The City of Ryde Community Strategic Plan 'Ryde Vision 2028' is our long term strategy for the whole community. It is an overarching plan that identifies the community's main priorities and aspirations for the future. All other City of Ryde plans such as the Four Year Delivery Plan and One Year Operational Plan sit under and reflect, support and implement Council's response in realising the outcomes described in the Community Strategic Plan (CSP).

Why is it important to have my say?

As the Community Strategic Plan 'Ryde Vision 2028' outlines the future direction of the City of Ryde over the next 10 years, by 'having your say' you decide what Council focuses on and determines as its priorities.

How can I have my say?

You can have your say on the Ryde Vision 2028 in a number of ways including online or at one of the community events.

Online Through our 2 question survey at www.ryde.vision/2028survey

You can win one of twenty \$50 Anystore gift cards!

If you are unable to fill in this survey online, please contact Customer Service on (02) 9952 8222 who will assist you in completing the survey over the phone.

In person Drop-in to a community event near you, the first one is the Granny Smith Festival:

Granny Smith Festival

9.00am - 4.30pm

City of Ryde Council Stall

Cnr Rowe St and Trelawney St, Eastwood
Grab a free apple!

How can I find out more?

To find out more information, take part in the survey and more, visit www.ryde.vision/2028

EVENTS AT YOUR LIBRARY

Curious Kids Club: Travelbugs Mobile Mini-beasts Workshop

Get up close and personal in a hands-on mini-beast experience not to be forgotten! Bookings essential.



When Monday 30 October

Time 4.00 - 5.00pm

Where Ryde Library

Ages 5-12 years

Cost \$8.50

Bookings 9952 8352

PUBLIC NOTICE BOARD

Garage Sales

Saturday 21 October from 9.00am

- 7 Cave Ave, North Ryde
- 16 Pindari Street, North Ryde

Sunday 22 October from 9.00am

- 7 Cave Ave, North Ryde

To list your garage sale for free, go to www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/garagesales