



City of Ryde Mayor, Clr Jerome Laxale, with Granny Smith, Sweetie pie and students 2018.

Granny Smith Festival

Most of you would be aware that we have had to make the tough decision to cancel this year's one-day Granny Smith Festival.

In its place, however, I am delighted to confirm that the City of Ryde will stage a series of new events throughout October that will celebrate the life and legacy of Granny Smith in fun and engaging ways.

Council's Events team is currently busy preparing the month-long program, which will be launched on Wednesday 9 September.

Be sure to keep an eye out for announcements via Council's website (www.ryde.nsw.gov.au) and The Weekly Times.

Kings Park update

The recent wet weather has been great for Sydney's dams and our gardens, but it has meant there have been some slight delays to some key projects that are being undertaken by Council.

This includes the completion of the new Kings Park in Denistone East, which is now due to open to the public in September.

When this opens to the public, the City of Ryde will have brand new park with terrific facilities, including:

- A neighbourhood playground with shade sail and custom-made play features
- Walking paths and seating
- A large sheltered area providing a space for small gatherings
- Multi-purpose hard court for basketball, futsal and pickleball
- Passive relaxation areas for picnics and other outdoor activities
- Extensive landscaping and new tree plantings

Providing more open spaces for the community is a key commitment for me and this Council, and the new Kings Park will deliver on this commitment.

Smoke free trial

A six-month smoke free trial in part of Rowe Street East in Eastwood will come to an end on 31 August, and we want to hear from the community on what they think about the trial.

The smoke free trial of Rowe Street East follows similar trials in Eastwood Plaza and West Ryde Plaza and is designed to help make this part of Eastwood a cleaner and healthier place to visit.

You can have your say on the trial by visiting www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/SmokeFreeRoweSt and completing the online submission form by 31 August.

Rates relief

A reminder that approved JobSeeker and JobKeeper applicants may defer rates payments until November and are eligible for a \$400 council rates rebate, as part of Council's efforts to help those in the community undergoing financial hardship as a result of the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic.

Applications will be received and assessed up to Wednesday 30 September.

For more information and to apply visit www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/ratesrelief.

Sincerely,



Clr Jerome Laxale
Mayor

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DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS RECEIVED & DETERMINED

For full details of the development applications received and determined visit www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/eServices

Received between 6 August and 12 August 2020

MOD2020/0166	24 Samuel St RYDE
LDA2020/0250	17 Halifax St MACQUARIE PARK
LDA2020/0264	60 Coxs Rd EAST RYDE
LDA2020/0265	20 Payten St PUTNEY
LDA2020/0270	31 John Miller St RYDE
LDA2020/0271	161 Charles St PUTNEY
LDA2020/0272	14 Carramar Ave NORTH RYDE
MOD2020/0161	118 Morrison Rd TENNYSON POINT
LDA2020/0256	60 Winbourne St WEST RYDE
LDA2020/0266	87 Rowe St EASTWOOD
LDA2020/0267	51 Anthony Rd DENISTONE
LDA2020/0269	1 Second Ave EASTWOOD
LDA2020/0275	61 Winbourne Street East WEST RYDE
MOD2020/0164	27 Reserve St WEST RYDE

Determined between 6 August and 12 August 2020

LDA2020/0171	12 Samuel St RYDE
LDA2020/0184	2 Cottonwood Cr MACQUARIE PARK
LDA2020/0192	111 Bridge Rd RYDE
LDA2020/0221	35 Warner St GLADESVILLE
LDA2020/0075	32A Vimiera Rd EASTWOOD
MOD2020/0097	40A Clanwilliam St EASTWOOD
MOD2020/0149	8 Simla Rd DENISTONE

LIBRARY EVENTS

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AUSTRALIAN POETRY SLAM ONLINE HEAT

Are you the next Australian Poetry Slam Champion? Join Eunice Andrada for the 2020 Australian Poetry Slam Ryde Regional Heat competition.

Time: 6.30 – 9.00pm

Where: Online via Zoom

Bookings essential.

Visit cityofryde.eventbrite.com.au or call 9952 8352



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CYBER SAFETY FOR PARENTS

Join cyber safety educators, ySafe, as they take you through the latest trends in online gaming, as well as the latest research and management strategies when it comes to screen time.

Time: 7.30 – 8.30pm

Where: Online via Zoom

Bookings essential.

Visit cityofryde.eventbrite.com.au or call 9952 8352

HAVE YOUR SAY

OPEN COMMUNITY CONSULTATIONS

You are invited to have your say about documents, projects and proposals that are currently on public exhibition, or provide feedback on services and concerns that affect the community.

- Magdala Park Masterplan (Closing 30 August 2020)
- Rowe Street East Smoke Free Zone Trial (Closing 31 August 2020)
- Proposed Dog Off-Leash Trial Areas (Closing 13 September 2020)
- Coxs Road Public Domain Upgrade (Closing 20 September 2020)
- Devlin Street Pedestrian Bridges
- Graffiti Vandalism in the City of Ryde
- Immunisation Clinic Customer Experience Survey
- Traffic & Parking Around Schools
- Save Our Streets

Want to find out more?

To find out more about one of the above projects or for information on how to provide feedback, please visit www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/haveyoursay or call Customer Service on 9952 8222.