

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

RYDE'S NEW MAYOR

I was honoured to be elected the new Mayor of the City of Ryde at an Extraordinary Council Meeting held on 19 March 2024.

I will hold this position until the 14 September 2024 Local Government elections, at which time the voters of Ryde will choose a popularly elected Mayor. In the meantime, I will devote my time and energy to this wonderful community, working collaboratively and harmoniously with my fellow councillors to meet the challenges we face, ensuring the best outcomes for all.

Over the next six months I will be focussing on key issues such as the Ryde Civic Centre project, the protection of jobs in the Macquarie Park Innovation District, and the ongoing provision and enhancement of social infrastructure for our community such as parks, playgrounds, and sports fields including TG Millner Sports Field. In taking on this important role, I would like to pay tribute to my predecessor Clr Sarkis Yedelian OAM, who has tirelessly served both this Council and the Ryde community for 20 years. He will be enjoying a well-deserved retirement after this Council term ends and I wish him all the best.

EASTWOOD MASTERPLAN

The City of Ryde is developing a Masterplan for Eastwood, aiming to shape the area's future in collaboration with our community. If you live, work or play in Eastwood, I'm encouraging you to provide feedback and help Council understand its unique challenges and opportunities. We want to know what you love about Eastwood, what needs improvement, and your ideas for growth and change in the future. The masterplan seeks to enhance Eastwood's public spaces, encourage high-quality architectural development, preserve the area's distinct character and heritage, resolve flooding issues, and ensure

that future growth is supported by infrastructure.

It will also consider potential economic opportunities as a result of the redevelopment of Ryde Hospital. We're holding our first drop-in session at Eastwood Railway Station on Thursday 4 April between 4.00-6.00pm – please drop by and let us know your thoughts and suggestions.

PARKING REGULATIONS

At the September 2023 Council Meeting the City of Ryde resolved to undertake a comprehensive and targeted education campaign to tackle the illegal parking of trailers, caravans, and boats on streets across the LGA.

I am encouraging the community to park their cars, caravans, boats, trailers, and other vehicles on their own property, noting that it's not an offence for these types of vehicles to be parked on the road outside or close by the owner's residence if they are registered and less than 7.5 metres long.

But if your vehicle is longer than 7.5 metres or weighs more than 4.5 tonnes GVM (gross vehicle mass), the vehicle is classified as a heavy and long vehicle. The drivers of those vehicles are prohibited from stopping on roads in built-up areas for more than one hour.

Council encourages its residents to abide by State Government regulations designed to protect public spaces – including streets – from abandoned and unattended items.

Sincerely,

Trenton Brown

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– Mayor

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HOLIDAY OPENING HOURS

CUSTOMER SERVICE: Closed from Friday 29 March 2024 and resumes normal operating hours from Tuesday 2 April 2024.

LIBRARIES: All City of Ryde Libraries will be closed from Friday 29 March 2024 and resume normal operating hours on Tuesday 2 April 2024.

RYDE AQUATIC LEISURE CENTRE: Closed on Friday 29 March 2024. On Saturday 30 March 2024 to Monday 1 April 2024 the centre will operate from 9.00am - 5.45pm only. From Tuesday 2 April 2024 normal operating hours will resume.

SHOP RYDER BUS SERVICE: Will not be running on Friday 29 March 2024 and Saturday 30 March 2024. Normal services will resume on Wednesday 3 April 2024.

KERBSIDE BIN COLLECTION: Will operate on the usual days and will not be affected by the Easter public holidays.

For full details visit www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/publicholiday

LIBRARY NEWS

MUSICAL MORNING TEA: KEVINWOOD ORCHESTRA

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WHEN: Monday 8 April
TIME: 10.30 – 11.30am
WHERE: Ryde Library



Celebrate a morning of music with the Kevinwood Orchestra, while enjoying a cuppa and a biscuit. Enjoy a program of well known orchestral music and some Easter specials. For more information please visit: www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/Kevinwood



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.

- Restoration of Glades Bay Road Reserve at Ross Street (Closing 2 April 2024)
- 2022-2023 Financial Statements (Closing 2 April 2024)

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.

DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS RECEIVED & DETERMINED

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

Received between 14 March to 20 March 2024		Determined between 14 March to 20 March 2024	
LDA2024/0040	64 Greene Ave RYDE	LDA2023/0180	29 Hermitage Rd WEST RYDE
LDA2024/0043	1 Giffnock Ave MACQUARIE PARK	LDA2023/0281	112 Bridge Rd RYDE
LDA2024/0045	32 Griffiths Ave MEADOWBANK	MOD2024/0032	127-131 Bowden St MEADOWBANK
LDA2024/0044	1 Epping Rd NORTH RYDE	LDA2023/0266	43 Waterview St PUTNEY
MOD2024/0049	33 Gerrish St GLADESVILLE	LDA2023/0303	47A Jopling St NORTH RYDE
MOD2024/0050	36 Numa Rd NORTH RYDE	LDA2023/0328	21 Kokoda St NORTH RYDE
MOD2024/0051	11 Bronhill Ave EAST RYDE	LDA2023/0170	27A Bennett St WEST RYDE
MOD2024/0048	9 Second Ave EASTWOOD	LDA2023/0290	11 Hunts Ave EASTWOOD
LDA2023/0175	45 Eastview Ave NORTH RYDE	MOD2024/0025	212 Rowe St EASTWOOD