

MAYOR'S COMMUNITY MESSAGE



Enjoying food from Miss Mabel's Food Truck, in preparation for this Sunday's Cork & Fork event at Kissing Point Park, Putney.

Cork & Fork By The Riverside

There's no better way to bring people together than with a festival of food and wine, a great location, entertainment and kids' activities. These elements will all combine this Sunday 4 June when the Cork & Fork By The Riverside kicks off at Kissing Point Park, Putney.

Cork & Fork By The Riverside is our first food and wine festival and is another reason why you don't have to go far from home to sample the best things in life.

The added benefit of activities for the kids that include workshops, pony rides and jumping castles is another reason to gather your friends and family and head on down to this fantastic Council sponsored food and wine event.

See you on Sunday 4 June at Kissing Point Park, Putney from 11.00am.

Ryde Youth Council

The Ryde Youth Theatre is the only performing arts company of its type in the Northern Sydney region that provides opportunities for young people aged 12 – 25 to join mentors and other likeminded young people to write, workshop, produce and perform their own plays.

Their future is now assured since the City of Ryde Council unanimously endorsed a four-year funding program that will provide \$75,000 per annum.

Council has funded the group since its inception in 2009 but this firm commitment will enable the Ryde Youth Theatre to plan ambitious artistic programs with longer term certainty.

This investment in our youth will allow this dedicated group to create and present excellent and innovative artistic works that engages audiences and provide a unique involvement for young people that is sometimes life changing.

World Environment Day

In celebration of World Environment Day and its theme Connecting People With Nature, you are invited to join a family day out at Field of Mars Reserve on Sunday 4 June, 11.00am - 2.00pm.

Free activities include short guided walks, face painting, citizen science activities, a waste challenge, and a sausage sizzle!

You'll learn about local flora and fauna, and the ecology of our catchment area and there will also be tree planting sessions with bi-lingual translations in Mandarin and Korean. For booking details go to www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/discoveryday



Yours Sincerely,

Clr Bill Pickering (LtCol Retd)

Mayor - City of Ryde

Phone 9952 8222 or email mayor@ryde.nsw.gov.au

EVENTS AT YOUR LIBRARY

InFocus Talk: Age Pension - Your Choices

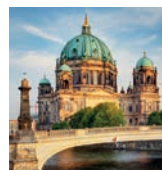
It's never too early to begin planning your future, working out what you want, looking at the options available to you, and setting some goals. If you plan now, you will have more choices in the future.



When Thursday 1 June
Time 6.30 - 8.00pm
Where Gladesville Library
Cost Gold coin contribution
Bookings Essential, call 9952 8352 or book online at cityofryde.eventbrite.com.au

InFocus: Mansions, Museums & Monuments In & Around Berlin

Go on a journey and discover the fascinating stories behind some of Berlin's most iconic sites.



When Wednesday 14 June
Time 2.00 - 3.30pm
Where West Ryde Library
Cost Gold coin contribution
Bookings Essential, call 9952 8352 or book online at cityofryde.eventbrite.com.au

Authors Platform: Sue Rosen

Hidden for 75 years the top-secret government documents outlining preparations for a Japanese invasion of Australia in 1942 have finally been discovered. Only a few copies of these plans were ever produced. Discover how Sue Rosen came across them unexpectedly in government archives last year.



When Thursday 15 June
Time 6.30 - 8.00pm
Where Ryde Library
Cost Gold coin contribution
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Garage Sales
Saturday 3 June from 9.00am
 • 30 Phillip Road, Putney
 • 3 Chapman Street, Gladesville
Sunday 4 June from 9.00am
 • 3 Chapman Street, Gladesville
 • 3 George Street, Gladesville
 To list your garage sale for free, go to www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/garagesales

RECYCLE AROUND YOUR CITY

New Recycling Drop-off Stations in Ryde



Two new additional recycling stations are now available for City of Ryde residents to drop off household problem waste at no cost including:

- Old mobile phones and accessories
- Fluorescent light globes and bulbs (fluorescent tubes not accepted)
- Household batteries
- Household printer cartridges

Why shouldn't I place these household problem wastes in my bin?

These items are problem wastes as they include heavy metals and components that are potentially harmful to human health and the environment. If placed in any of your kerbside bins, they can contribute to contamination of recyclable products or can contaminate the environment and groundwater.

Locations of the Recycling Drop-off Stations

- Council Depot**
 1 Constitution Rd, Ryde **NEW**
- Tzu Chi Australia**
 20 - 22 Glen Street, Eastwood **NEW**
- West Ryde Library**
 2 Graf Ave, West Ryde
- Macquarie University**
 Level 2 MUSE Student Connect, C7A building
- For further information, visit www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/dropoffstation or call Customer Service on 9952 8222.

EVENTS AROUND YOUR CITY

Your Waste Adventure

City of Ryde residents are invited on a free tour of the Visy Materials Recycling Facility at Smithfield where materials from your yellow-lidded recycling bin are sorted. After the tour of Visy we will return to the Ryde Library for a light afternoon tea and short presentation including tips for recycling and how to reduce your waste going to landfill.



When Tuesday 20 June
Time 9.00am - 1.30pm
Where Meet at the Ryde Civic Centre car park
Cost Free. Bus transport and afternoon tea provided.
Bookings Essential, Book online at www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/wasteadventure or call 9952 8222.

GRANNY SMITH FESTIVAL

SAVE THE DATE: **SAT 21 OCTOBER 2017**
 9.00am - 8.30pm Eastwood Town Centre
www.ryde.nsw.gov.au/grannysmithfestival