

**GEOFF EATON – THALASSA WARD COUNCILLOR – SEPTEMBER 2025 -  
NEWSLETTER**

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My community activities during July included:

- National Trust Coromandel Valley and Districts monthly Saturday morning tea – Coromandel Valley.
- Hub Gymnastics 40 Anniversary Dinner with Mayor Were and Cr Themeliotis – Seacliff Park.
- Coromandel Men's Breakfast – Coromandel Valley.
- Onkaparinga Prostate Cancer Support Group monthly meeting – Noarlunga.
- Aberfoyle Men's Breakfast committee meeting – Aberfoyle Park.
- Aberfoyle Park and Districts Lions Club meeting – Aberfoyle Park.
- Algal Community Information Evening with Mayor Were and Crs. Platten, Wilks, Bell, Fisher, Yoemans, Jew. Cr Themeliotis on-line – Port Noarlunga Arts Centre.
- Sustainable Onkaparinga Panalatinga Creek morning cleanup event – Old Reynella.
- Cherry Gardens Garden Club monthly meeting – Cherry Gardens.
- Clarendon Over 50s Club committee meeting – Clarendon.
- National Trust Coromandel Valley and Districts monthly committee meeting – Coromandel Valley.
- Local Government Emergency Management update session – on-line.
- Elected Members Session Port Stanvac confidential session and 2 community land revocations updates – Noarlunga Centre.
- Healthy Cities Onkaparinga and Food Security Collaborative monthly meeting – on-line.
- Coromandel Valley Community Centre board meeting – Coromandel Valley.
- CEO Performance Committee meeting – Noarlunga Centre.
- Operation Flinders Participants certificate presentations with Mayor Were, Crs Jew, Platten and Bell – Port Noarlunga Arts Centre.
- Member for Davenport Erin Thompson Community Engagement Session – Chandlers Hill.
- Neighbourhood Watch State Council meeting – Hindmarsh.
- Onkaparinga Northern Community Forum with Mayor Were and Cr Fisher.
- Monthoy Council meeting – Noarlunga Centre.
- Aberfoyle Park Men's Breakfast – Aberfoyle Park.
- Ironbark and Cherry Gardens Recreation Ground committee meeting – Cherry Gardens.
- Clarendon Historic Hall committee meeting – Clarendon.
- Clarendon Agriculture Bureau meeting – Clarendon.
- Sturt SES/Happy Valley CFS display – Hub Shopping Centre.
- Official opening Witton Bluff base trail with Crs Wilks, Davis and Themeliotis – Christies Beach.
- O'Halloran Hill Tennis Club open day event – O'Halloran Hill.
- Member for Davenport Erin Thompson MP Community Engagement Session – Happy Valley.
- Meeting with Member for Davenport and resident regarding local issues – Happy Valley.
- Cherry Gardens Memorial Hall committee – Cherry Gardens.
- Rotary Club Flagstaff Hill – Flagstaff Hill.
- Flagstaff Hill Oval and Community Centre board meeting – Flagstaff Hill.
- Member for Davenport Erin Thompson MP Community Engagement Session – O'Halloran Hill.

- Coromandel Valley CFS & National Trust meeting regarding memorial site proposal for former Main Road CFS shed – Coromandel Valley.

Community Activities Unable to Attend:

- Happy Valley Tennis Club AGM.
- Flagstaff Hill Tennis Club 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

## **Port Noarlunga Jetty Reopened to Public**

The final storm damage repairs to the Port Noarlunga Jetty were completed and the jetty was reopened to the public at lunchtime on Friday 22 August, following final engineering inspections and signoff.

The total cost of the storm related repair work was \$275,000, covering materials, labour, and engineering services. As a state government asset, leased to the City of Onkaparinga, costs for major storm related repairs to the jetty are the responsibility of the Department for Infrastructure and Transport (DIT). Under the lease agreement, council will contribute an indexed amount, approximately \$18,000 toward these works, with the remainder funded by the State.

When completing the storm repair works some additional structural reinforcement works were identified and completed. These additional works were not part of the original scope and were valued at \$65,000 which is in addition to the \$275,000 works. These works were necessary to allow us to safely reopen the jetty to the public.

Staff are working with DIT to determine whether these additional works are defined as storm-related, and we can seek reimbursement for these costs.

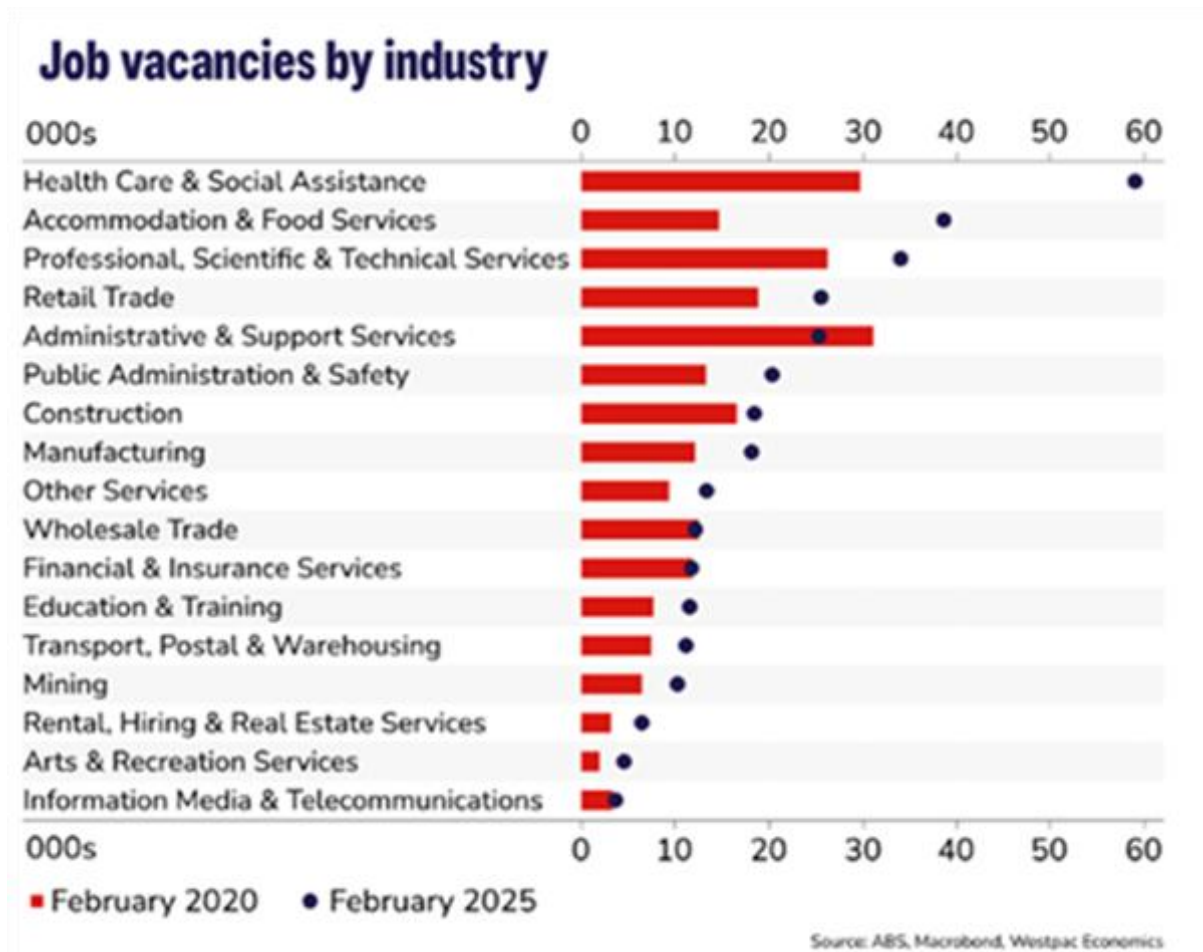
Unrelated to the storm damage, we are continuing preparations for our next phase of proactive work on the Port Noarlunga Jetty, which will include upgrades to several timber pylons and key structural components. These works are scheduled to commence in early 2026, outside the peak summer season to minimise disruption to the community and visitors.

We are yet to work through the construction methodology in detail to determine what public access restrictions will be necessary to ensure public safety while these works are taking place. Further updates will be provided in the months ahead.

## **Upcoming Colonnades Jobs Fair 25 September 2025**

The Colonnades Job Fair will return on **Thursday 25 September, from 2.00–4.00pm on the Ground Floor at Colonnades**, connecting local job seekers and people looking for a career change with opportunities across the City of Onkaparinga and the wider metropolitan Adelaide region. Following the success of last year's inaugural event, this year's fair offers an excellent opportunity for Elected Members to join staff and local job providers in meeting employers, discovering current vacancies, and learning about training programs that support career development. The event is designed to inspire and assist community members in taking the next step toward their career goals and securing meaningful employment.

With a low unemployment rate across the State, there are many businesses experiencing staff shortages. The Jobs Fair will provide an opportunity for these businesses to showcase the jobs they have and the skills they are seeking.



The People & Culture Team from Council will host a booth on behalf of the City of Onkaparinga, showcasing Council as an employer of choice. The booth will highlight the wide range of career opportunities available, including graduate placements, volunteering, and work experience pathways.

### One Tree Per Child Onkaparinga Pilot Program – outcomes and next steps

We are pleased to share the outcomes of our two-year tree giveaway project pilot, and confirm that given the overwhelmingly positive results, we will continue with this popular event in 2026 – with a refreshed delivering model and strengthened partnerships.

The tree giveaway pilot project was launched in response to a Notice of Motion that asked staff to create a community campaign to increase tree canopy, urban greening, and habitat on private land. Two years on, the program has delivered outstanding results.

As part of a suite of learnings and refinements from the first to the second year of the program, a new pre-registration system was trialled in 2025. It proved highly successful, with all 1,000 trees snapped up (registered for) in just eight days.

Attendance at our giveaway events at Seaford (2024) and Aldinga (2025) Community Centres was also strong, with over 2,000 participants each year - clear proof that our communities are eager and enthusiastic about greening their spaces.

The schools' component of the program, delivered by the hosted Green Adelaide southern education team, has also been a strong success, with more than 1,100 new trees and shrubs now planted at local early learning centres, primary schools, and high schools across the region. Students have benefited from a combined hands-on planting and environmental education experience, making it both fun and meaningful.

Feedback from council staff and elected members across both years of the pilot has been overwhelmingly positive, with consistent support for making the tree giveaway an annual initiative. As such funding has been allocated for 2025–26, allowing the program to shift into business-as-usual delivery.

As we transition to the next phase, we're pleased to be continuing our highly valued partnerships with trusted local organisations, **Trees for Life**, **Arboregreen**, and **Green Adelaide**, who have consistently delivered reliable, high-quality support for the program and are committed to its future success. Our collaboration with national partner One Tree Per Child will come to a close.

We'll now begin updating our website and preparing to launch the 2026 **Onkaparinga Tree Giveaway** campaign to the community in late April 2026. The giveaway event itself will again be planned for June, with the location, somewhere in the northern part of the city, to be confirmed. Further updates will be provided closer to the time.

There's also potential for a broader regional rollout. Green Adelaide is ready to coordinate efforts if other metropolitan councils are interested in drawing on our experience and delivering similar initiatives. To support this, Green Adelaide is keen to convene a forum that showcases our learnings from the pilot and helps other councils develop their own greening programs. Onkaparinga's success has created a strong foundation, and we're proud to contribute to broader urban greening across Greater Adelaide.

Thanks to everyone who contributed to the pilot's success. We're excited to keep growing this program, literally and figuratively, as we work together to green Onkaparinga.

For more information please visit our [website](#).

## **South Australia launches State Disability Inclusion Plan 2025-2029**

On Friday 22 August 2025 the much-anticipated [State Disability Inclusion Plan 2025-2029](#) advocating *A South Australia where no one gets left behind*, was launched at the Adelaide Convention Centre. City of Onkaparinga staff were present as were Members of Parliament, and representatives from State Authorities across South Australia.

People with lived experience of disability provided authenticity and gravitas to the proceedings and spoke about their hopes and desires for a more equitable society with less barriers, more opportunities and a better life.

The launch follows the formal government gazettal of the State Disability Plan on 14 August 2025, with councils now provided six months to submit local Disability Access and Inclusion Plans.

The State Plan aligns with Australia's Disability Plan and defines the requirements of State Authorities (including councils) in delivering actions under the following five outcome domains:

- Inclusive environments and communities
- Education and employment

- Personal and community support
- Health and wellbeing
- Safety, rights and justice.

Work has been continuing on our updated Inclusive Communities Action Plan, with a recent forum co-facilitated by disability specialist JFA Purple Orange held in the Gilbert Room Civic Centre. The forum brought together people living with disability, carers and service providers to help identify the priorities of our next plan.

In line with legislation, our final draft plan will be presented to Council in February 2026.

## Community Centres Funding Success

### *Reynella Neighbourhood Centre - Inclusive Education Project*

Reynella Neighbourhood Centre is launching workshops to celebrate and support people living with Neurodivergence (Autism, Giftedness, ADHD, Dyslexia, Bipolar Disorder, etc.). Funded by the **Department of Human Services' 2024–25 Grants SA Community Centres Grant of \$29,754.**

The program offers holistic support through workshops for parents, professionals, and neurodivergent individuals. Parents can connect, take a break, and learn strategies, while professionals in schools, community groups, sports clubs, OSHC and youth services gain tools to better support neurodiverse people. Separate workshops for neurodivergent adults and teenagers will focus on identifying needs, addressing gaps and finding solutions within available frameworks.

### *Christie Downs Community House - Adult Community Education*

Christie Downs Community House has secured **\$125,000** from the **Department of Innovation and Skills (SA)** to deliver the Adult Learning Project, providing skills training in cooking, cleaning, community services, digital literacy, literacy, numeracy and English as a second language. The centre will offer a flexible, inclusive learning environment that caters to diverse learning styles, encouraging creativity, autonomy and engagement beyond traditional classrooms. By breaking free from the constraints of traditional classroom setups, they plan to open the doors to a world of possibilities where learning becomes an immersive and personalised experience.

### *Christie Downs Community House - Nature Play Café*

A **\$2,500** grant from the **Inger Rice Foundation** will fund additional interactive activities with external providers through the centres Nature Play Café.

Every Tuesday, 9:30am-1pm, the centres Nature Play Café offers free access for families with children aged 0-5, providing play opportunities, caregiver support, community referrals and a sense of belonging. Set in a natural environment, the café features sensory-rich play spaces from natural materials to foster development and connection to nature.

## Happy Valley and Cove BMX Clubs Update

The temporary relocation of both the Happy Valley and The Cove BMX Clubs to the City of Onkaparinga Concert Band's Hall has been completed. This occurred over July & August and has showed a terrific community attitude where two different groups come together for the benefit of us all.

The BMX Clubs are now fine tuning an events calendar based on the lease agreement dates to hold local racing up to December, with the option of extending into 2026, depending on when the repairs at the Sam Willoughby BMX Facility will be completed.

We also welcomed home our new World Champion in the 11 Girls Category - Penny Blackwell, who lives in Coromandel Valley, was crowned at the recent world championships held in Copenhagen, Denmark, from 28 July to 3 August. Penny now has the honour of racing with 'W1' (Word #1) as her numberplate.

### **Aberfoyle Park and Districts Lions Club Activity**

Recent participation in the Budget Reno Rescue helping a young mum in the area make her house more accommodating whilst she undergoes chemotherapy.

Every second Saturday the Lions do a roadside clean up along Happy Valley Drive, look for the "Warning: lions on Road Sign" :)

The Lions have installed a sun squirt dispenser in the Happy Valley Reservoir, which is being well used, the club is potentially doing a second one at the other car park. Regular Bunning BBQ's are done to fund raise and keep our name out there.

We run the Lions Book Bargains bookshop on Byards Road Reynella East every Friday and Saturday morning with 10,000 books, all book donations welcome, no excess goes to land fill.

Christmas is fast approaching, and the Lions Santa Sleigh will operate from November to Christmas, touring the streets of Aberfoyle Park, Flagstaff Hill selling our famous Christmas Cakes, more helpers are needed.

### **Onkaparinga Dementia Friendly Alliance of South Australia Session – Seeds Church**

The number of people living with dementia, and those caring for them, continues to rise. It can be a lonely and confusing time, with many not knowing where to go or who to connect with. Seeds Church - Aberfoyle Park, is hosting a Dementia Awareness Session on the 18th of September at 2pm, led by Onkaparinga Dementia Friendly Alliance of South Australia Inc. It'll be a great opportunity to increase awareness around dementia and learn more about the support available for those living with it and their carers. There'll be a few short videos, space for discussion and questions and tea and coffee provided. Visit <https://bit.ly/45kyZ0O> to register or call the church office on 8370 6472.

### **Harmful Algal Bloom Support**

The City of Onkaparinga and South Australian coastal councils are ready to partner with the federal government to respond to the immediate and long-term impacts of the harmful algal bloom. Tourism and sustainability are at the heart of Onkaparinga's offering. As SA's largest metropolitan council, we boast 31 kilometres of coastline and the famous McLaren Vale region. We work closely with other coastal councils to efficiently co-ordinate local and regional outcomes so everyone can enjoy our iconic and coastal lifestyle. The City of Onkaparinga has a record of investment and partnerships in natural infrastructure such as the O'Sullivan Beach shellfish reef and seagrass restoration projects.

These are scalable, nature-based responses to climate-driven coastal impacts. We have also successfully delivered community-led disaster and emergency resilience planning, so residents are prepared and empowered to take local action.



## Requested support

### 1. Tourism and coastal businesses

- Implement targeted support for impacted coastal businesses, modelled on the flexible support packages used during COVID-19. This could include deferral of Commonwealth tax obligations such as BAS and PAYG to ease cash-flow pressures and coordinated support packages to help businesses withstand and recover from the economic impacts of the algal bloom.
- Prioritise surf schools, dive operators, fishers, tour providers, and hospitality businesses that rely on clean, accessible beaches and marine environments.
- Provide grant or loan relief mechanisms to help businesses remain viable during the disruption

### 2. Mental health and community resilience

- Allocate a portion of the recently announced \$4 million Federal Government council grants program to fund proactive community programs.
- Support initiatives such as citizen science training, school-based information sessions, and expanded coastal ambassador programs, complementing existing state government Green Adelaide education efforts.
- These programs offer meaningful ways for residents— particularly young people—to channel concern into positive action, strengthening mental health and community resilience.
- Support young people’s wellbeing via expanding a proven delivery program to include a conservation psychologist.

### 3. Coordinated coastal resilience and natural infrastructure

- Fund the delivery of large-scale, nature-based infrastructure solutions to restore ecosystems and build long-term resilience, including:
  - Expansion of shellfish reefs
  - Seagrass restoration programs
  - Long-term ecological monitoring to better understand the drivers and impacts of algal blooms
- Federal investment would complement state initiatives and demonstrate national leadership in climate adaptation.

Together, we can support affected businesses and communities, strengthen mental health and resilience, and accelerate the delivery of natural infrastructure projects that protect our coastline for future generations. These partnerships can safeguard both the Onkaparinga coastline and South Australia’s broader marine environment and blue economy.

## Algal Bloom Signs

In response to the Algal Bloom that is affecting the South Australian coastline, Water Quality Alert signage was proactively installed by council at all major beach access points within the City of Onkaparinga, alerting beach goers on the known risks associated with the algae exposure.

Whilst this the initiative was praised by the State Government; the Department of Environment and Water (DEW) has requested that the council signs be replaced with new signage created by the State Government to ensure consistent information is provided to all beach users across the state. See an image of the sign [here](#).(PDF, 574KB)

50 signs now have been distributed to council and will be installed over the next few days.

## Mayor's Garden Competition

It is that time of year again, where we celebrate our city's keen and passionate gardeners. Entries are now open for the 2025 Mayor's Garden Competition. The 2025 Mayor's Garden Competition encourages community interest in local gardens which enhances the presentation and liveability of our city.

The competition is open to all City of Onkaparinga residents, community groups, businesses, schools, and budding young gardeners in the following categories, with prizes on offer:

- Community
- School
- Urban Residential
- Native
- Rural

Nominations will be submitted electronically via email. Entry forms are available at our libraries, council offices and on [council's website](#). Nominations close on Friday 19 September 2025 with judging to take place **21 & 23 October**.

Link - [Mayor's Garden Competition City of Onkaparinga](#)

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## Road Works Windebanks Road Happy Valley/Aberfoyle Park

Council will soon begin resealing a segment of Windebanks Road (from west of Robinson Road to Hui-Hui Drive) and Easton Road (from Windebanks Road to south of Mason Avenue), Happy Valley.

This project seeks to improve the road surface to ensure it aligns with our current road service level standards. These sections of Windebanks Road and Easton Road, Happy Valley, has a 50 km/hr speed limit on all approaches and is managed by City of Onkaparinga.

The project will involve bitumen resealing of the road surface, which is scheduled to start on Sunday 7 September 2025, and is expected to take approximately three to four days to complete, depending on weather conditions and any unforeseen delays that may arise outside of council's control.

To undertake the work as quickly and safely as possible road closures will be necessary. Windebanks Road will be closed overnight on 7 and 8 September from 7:00pm, reopening at 6:00am each day to minimise traffic impacts in this bus area. Easton Road will be closed on 9 September from 7:00am and reopening after 6:00pm.

Local traffic will be allowed through by the onsite traffic controls if safe to do so, buses will be detoured, and emergency service vehicles will have right-of-way.

Community engagement including letters to residents to inform them of the upcoming work, and Variable Message Sign (VMS) boards have been installed, to advise the broader community and road users.



An extent of works plan will be available through Your Say Onkaparinga [www.onkaparingacity.com/yoursay](http://www.onkaparingacity.com/yoursay).

### **Proposed Road Safety Upgrade Murrays Hill Road, Flagstaff Hill/Coromandel Valley**

There has been an ongoing history of concerns raised by the Craighburn Primary School community regarding the speed of vehicles travelling along Murrays Hill Road, especially during busy drop-off and pick-up times.

The City of Onkaparinga will soon commence community engagement on a proposal to install traffic calming devices on Murrays Hill Road at Flagstaff Hill / Coromandel Valley.

The project is currently scheduled for delivery in the 2025–26 financial year, with funding anticipated through the Black Spot Program. While a grant application has been submitted, the timing and delivery of the project will depend on the outcome of that application. If the grant is not successful, the project is expected to proceed in the 2026–27 financial year using council's Project and Capital Works budget, subject to budget endorsement.

We are proposing to install a series of speed cushions on a 250m section of Murrays Hill Road along the school's frontage. Speed cushions are a form of road hump that occupies only part of the roadway and are designed to be more sympathetic to cyclists and buses when compared to a standard full width road hump.

In addition to the traffic calming elements, our project also proposes to install concrete median islands to enhance the guidance of vehicles around the curve to the north of the school crossing, as well as improve the right turn lane for vehicles from the north entering the school's pick up and drop off area.

We are now ready to commence engagement with all property owners and/or residents located in the vicinity of the project. The first stage of community engagement will involve doorknocking of residents located in dwellings with a frontage along the section of Murrays Hill Road where we propose to install traffic calming on, as this acknowledges the potential concern that residents may have about negative impacts such as noise associated with the traffic calming devices.

Undertaking doorknocking will provide an opportunity for staff to explain why these devices and locations have been chosen and reassure residents that any impacts should be minimal with the traffic calming providing an overall improvement to safety and traffic conditions on Murrays Hill Road adjacent to the school.

Whilst speed cushions may generate some additional noise, both from the tyres travelling over the device as well as from vehicles braking and accelerating, the overall reduction in vehicle speeds should result in a notable reduction in road and vehicle noise.

We will activate a Your Say page from Monday 1 September 2025 with a tool for providing feedback. We will also send letters to the school and residents located within the vicinity of the proposed project and install VMS on Murrays Hill Road to inform the community of our proposal and invite feedback.

Following the completion of consultation all feedback will be considered and used to inform the next stage of our design.

## Regen Series – Spin Your Wheels event for R U OK? Day

*This year's Onkaparinga Youth's annual Spin Your Wheels event is proudly supporting [R U OK? Day](#).*

Get ready for an afternoon of live music, skating, BMX workshops, youth markets, interactive activities and sausage sizzle on Thursday 11 September 2025, 4–6:30pm at Minkarra Park, Manning Road, Flagstaff Hill (Flagstaff Skate Park).

This event is part of the Onkaparinga Youth Event Management Program, giving young people real-world experience in planning and delivering community events.

## Trucks on Tour in Onkaparinga

The City of Onkaparinga's Trucks on Tour event will be occurring on Friday 10 October between 10.00 am and 2.00 pm at the Wilfred Taylor Reserve, Morphett Vale. This is a free school holiday event, and no bookings are required. Just turn up with the children or grandchildren and enjoy experience. I took Tessa our Dalmatian along to last year's event and even she enjoyed the day.



# Kiwanis®

## Club of Reynella

WE INVITE YOU TO JOIN US !!

Reynella Kiwanis local projects include food distribution to disadvantaged families and creative ways to serve the needs of Children in our community. A recent major Service Project was the Kids Fun Day held at Noarlunga Centre Cinema with 200 children attending.

They assist the City of Onkaparinga with volunteers to marshal at the Christmas Pageant and provide support at other community events, such as the Beachside Food and Wine Festival at Christies Beach

Fundraising assists charities including Heart Kids, Childhood Cancer, and Riding for the Disabled and Kiwanis Camp Amity for girls with disabilities.

Meeting date	:	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month
Time	:	6pm for 6.30pm
Venue	:	Christies Beach Hotel Function Room
Contact	:	Bob Koster      President   0408 838 875 Howard Humby   Secretary   0419 502 332 email - reynella @kiwanis.org.au Club Facebook page: <a href="http://www.facebook.com.au/reynellakiwanis">www.facebook.com.au/reynellakiwanis</a>

## Young at Heart Art and Craft Exhibition

The up-and-coming Young at Heart Art and Craft Exhibition is being held in October this year. The exhibition is a long-standing event in the City of Onkaparinga and supports the many senior artists and craftsmen and women in our community to display their artistic skills to their community. For many, it is their only opportunity to show their work.

The exhibition is a community event run by volunteers all over the aged of 50. The exhibition began over 30 years ago with Edith Gilbert as the driving force.

2025

# *Young at Heart*

## Art and Craft Exhibition

### October 5th - 11th

Sun 12-4pm  
Mon-Sat 10am to 4pm

**Noarlunga Downs Primary School Gymnasium**

Canterbury Cres. (off Liguria Cres) Noarlunga Downs  
Bus Stop 70, Bus Route 747 or 745 Seaford Loop.

**Entry form now available**

Celebrating Positive Ageing and  
Creative Skills of Seniors

**New exhibitors welcome**

Enquiries: 0412 600034  
seniorsart@optusnet.com.au  
theseniorexhibition@gmail.com




## Clarendon Community Association AGM

The Clarendon Community Association's AGM will be held on Wednesday 10 September starting at 7.30 pm at the Hazel McKenzie Hall.

We all enjoy such a vibrant and beautiful community, and we all want it to continue to grow and evolve. The Spring Fair, ANZAC Day, the soon-to-be-Community Garden, the Op Shop, community dinners... all these things happen because locals like you volunteer to lend a hand. But for things to continue, we really need some help! The CCA is the organisation from which all these events sprout. There has been a dedicated team managing the official duties for some time now, and we'd all welcome new members – it's not good for anyone when the same people do the same things year-in-year-out! Please think about all the things you enjoy about living here and what you would like to see change... and consider becoming a part of what keeps it all ticking along for whatever time you can spare. Come along to our AGM and hear about some of the things you could be involved in. And if

you have any concerns, questions, or ideas you'd like to put forward, the AGM is the perfect opportunity to do so.

### **Coromandel Valley and Districts National Trust Watchman House**

On the first Saturday of the month from 9.00 am the Coromandel valley and Districts Branch of the National Trust volunteers will be on hand to guide families or groups through the Watchman House, sharing its stories as well as those of other local landmarks, including Winns Bakehouse, the Shepley House, Craiglee and the former Government Experimental Orchard.

Located adjacent to the Sturt River Linear Park and the Winns Road intersection, the Watchman House is a disability friendly venue. Delicious, homemade morning teas are on offer for \$5pp. The welcome mat and, for four legged visitors, a refreshing bowl of water will be on the veranda. Lovers of Coromandel Marmalade and Hills Honey are welcome to call in to restock their pantries.

### **City of Onkaparinga Northern Community Forum Meeting Dates**

The meeting schedule for the 2025 Northern Community Forum's meetings is:

- Monday 20 October.
- Monday 8 December.

Meetings are held at the Aberfoyle Community Centre starting at 7.30 pm.

### **Neighbourhood Watch Meetings Schedule**

#### *Flagstaff Hill Neighbourhood Watch Area 453*

Meetings are scheduled for the following dates:

- Wednesday 15 October.
- 10 December 2025– possible Christmas Dinner.

Meetings commence at 6.30 pm at the Flagstaff Hill Golf Club (temporary restaurant) where a light supper is provided.

#### *Aberfoyle Park Happy Valley Neighbourhood Watch Area 491*

- Monday 15 September (AGM).
- Monday 17 November.
- Monday 19 January 2026.
- Monday 16 March.
- Monday 18 May.

Meetings commence at 7.30pm at Aberfoyle Park Community Centre where a light supper is provided.

#### *Reynella Neighbourhood Watch Area 048/146*

Meetings are scheduled to be held on the following dates:

- Wednesday 17 September.
- Wednesday 17 December.

Meetings commence at 7.00 pm at the Reynella Football Club 1 Oval Road, Old Reynella

#### *Woodcroft Neighbourhood Watch Area 406*

Meetings are scheduled to be held on the following dates for 2025:

- Tuesday 11 November 2025 AGM.

Meetings commence at 7.30 pm at the Woodcroft Heights Children Centre, 25 Investigator Drive Woodcroft.



Engagements that are currently open for feedback can be viewed on [Your Say Onkaparinga](#).

On this page you will also find featured and active projects that are not open for feedback but share information to keep the community informed.

### **Grant Opportunities**

Please refer to the attachment, or [Please refer to our website](#).

### **Disclaimer**

The views expressed in this article are my own and do not necessarily reflect those of Council. Should you wish to discuss any issue regarding the City of Onkaparinga please either phone me or send me an email.

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