



Life in the City of Gosnells



Harmony Week market and movie

Celebrate Harmony Week with our Global Market and Movie Night at the Pioneer Park Amphitheatre in Gosnells on **Saturday 26 March**.

There will be food trucks with culinary delights from around the world, cultural activities provided by community groups, a flag spotting competition with great prizes to win and an outdoor screening of *Whale Rider* (PG) to enjoy after dark.

Before the film screening, the community will be treated to a variety of multicultural performances including African drumming, belly dancing, Indonesian dancing and the Haka.

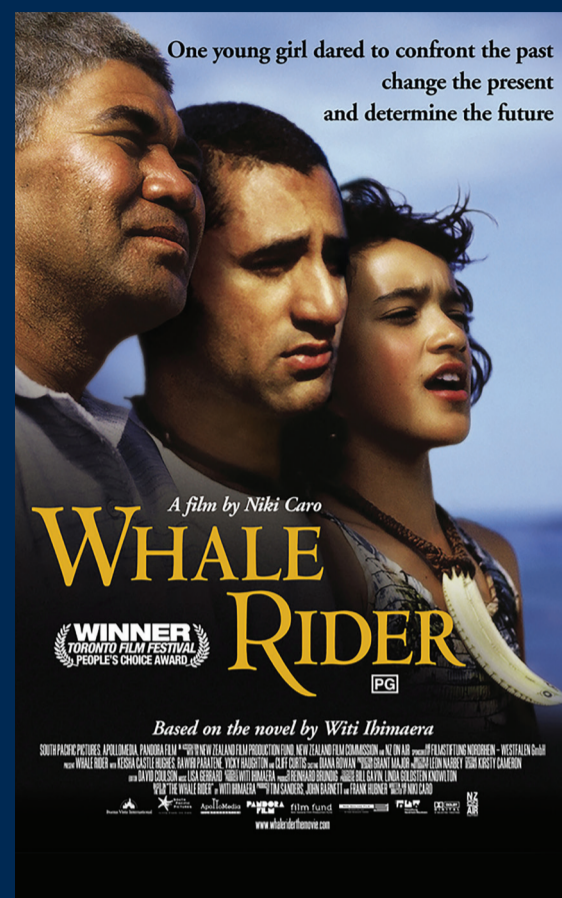
Roaming entertainers will delight the audience, while families enjoy activities such as giant bubble blowing, hula hoops, henna tattoos and Maori body art.

Mayor Teresa Lynes said the City's strong multicultural connections have helped build a vibrant and inclusive community.

The Harmony Week Global Market and Movie Night is a free event, supported by Lotterywest.

Anyone over 16 years must check-in and provide proof they are fully vaccinated against COVID-19, or have a medical exemption, as required by the State Government.

Visit the City's website, call 9397 3000 or follow us on social media.



Community Art Awards

Budding and professional artists are invited to showcase their creative talents, as entries will soon be called for this year's City of Gosnells Community Art Exhibition and Awards.

Entries open on **Wednesday 16 March**, giving artists from local suburbs and those from further afield a chance to share in a total prize pool of \$9,500. The overall acquisitive prize is worth \$5,000.

Other categories, with prizes of \$500 each, include acrylic; pastel, pencil, pen and watercolour; oil; photography and digital media; mixed media and three-dimensional sculpture; youth award (12 – 17 years); City in Focus award; and local artist award.

For details and online entry forms, visit gosnells.wa.gov.au or call 9397 3000.

Transform your street

Residents can apply now for a free tree for their verge, as part of the City's annual Street Tree Planting Program. Street trees help to reduce urban heating, improve the health of our communities and can even boost property values.

Visit the City's website for a list of approved tree species or to submit an application.



Events listing

Sunset Cinemas dog friendly event – Dolittle (PG)

Friday 4 March
5pm – 9pm
Robinson Park, Gosnells

Parenthood – The Motherhood Comedy

Saturday 12 March
7.30pm – 9.30pm
Don Russell Performing Arts Centre

Free hearing screenings – Hearing Australia

Wednesday 16 March
1pm – 4pm
Amherst Village Library

Business Breakfast

Thursday 24 March
7.30am – 9am
Business Station, Gosnells

Bookings are required for some events. Please visit the City's website for more details.

Community funding

Applications open this month for the City of Gosnells Community Funding Program Level 2 grants.

Community groups and clubs interested in applying can find out more at an information session from 6pm next **Wednesday 9 March** at the City's Civic Centre.

Email funding@gosnells.wa.gov.au by **Monday 7 March** to RSVP.

Councillors' Corner

Being a local Councillor is more varied and interesting than I ever expected.

I love helping people and supporting the City's diverse community, and I'm constantly amazed at how many services, activities and events are available in the City of Gosnells.

There are currently free movie nights at various parks, along with other events that give families and our multicultural community a chance to meet others in their area.



Our parks also make it easy to be more active, with outdoor exercise equipment, path networks, accessible playgrounds and free Saturday morning 'park runs'.

In our libraries, staff have been helping people access the ServiceWA app required for COVID-19 vaccination proof with a series of free sessions, which have been very well received by the community.

Support is available for business owners too, with the City's regular networking events and a Business Breakfast coming up this month. I strongly encourage local business owners to come along.

I also encourage community members to reach out to their local Councillor, especially if there's an issue they would like to discuss or an idea that might make our City an even better place to live.

Cr Aaron Adams