

# IMPORTANT NEWS ABOUT YOUR SUBURB

## DIVISION 2 – Edmonton Bentley Park Mt Sheridan

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This newsletter from Cairns Regional Council is aimed at keeping you up to date with works, services and activities in DIVISION 2 which takes in Edmonton, Bentley Park and parts of Mt Sheridan.



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■ John encourages you to contact him with ideas or if you need assistance. He's only a phone call away and happy to meet you at your residence or business at your convenience.



### COASTAL CONVERSATION

What does our region's coastline mean to you?

Tell us what you love about the coastal environment and what activities are important to you by completing an online survey via Council's website.

It's part of the Our Cairns Coast project, which will provide a strategic approach to future coastline changes due to erosion, storm tide and sea level rise.

Information stalls will be available at the Gordonvale Markets on 1st June and at EcoFiesta on 2nd June.

Complete the online survey at [www.cairns.qld.gov.au/ourcairnscost](http://www.cairns.qld.gov.au/ourcairnscost).

### Works, Services & Activities started or completed in the last quarter

- Playground upgraded in Sunrise Park, Bentley Park (pictured right)
- Formalised dog off leash area with seat, bubbler and signage in Robert Road drainage reserve, Bentley Park
- Playground upgrade for Fuller Park, Edmonton, scheduled for May
- New footpath constructed on eastern side of Trafalgar Road from Barnard Drive to the existing path at no. 44 Trafalgar Road, Mt Sheridan (pictured right)
- Safety works completed for Foster Road/Barnard Drive roundabout
- Commenced works for construction of columbarium granite ashes wall at Forest View Cemetery, Mount Sheridan
- Installation of Basketball Key in Boyce Street Park
- Construction of Flying Fox Release Enclosure nearly completed
- Commenced Sewage Pump



Station ED6 upgrade at Fuller Park, Edmonton

- Waste and Resource Recovery Council Facilities Tour for 30 Year 5 students from Isabella State School
- Waste and Resource Recovery Presentations given to 120 Year 4 students from Hambleton State School
- Garden mulching and vegetation works
- Playground upgraded in Leeuwin Park, Bentley Park (pictured left)



## DATE CLAIMERS...



**FREE MULCH**  
WASTE TRANSFER STATIONS



**FUR-EVER HOME PET ADOPTION DAY**  
CANNON PARK RACECOURSE



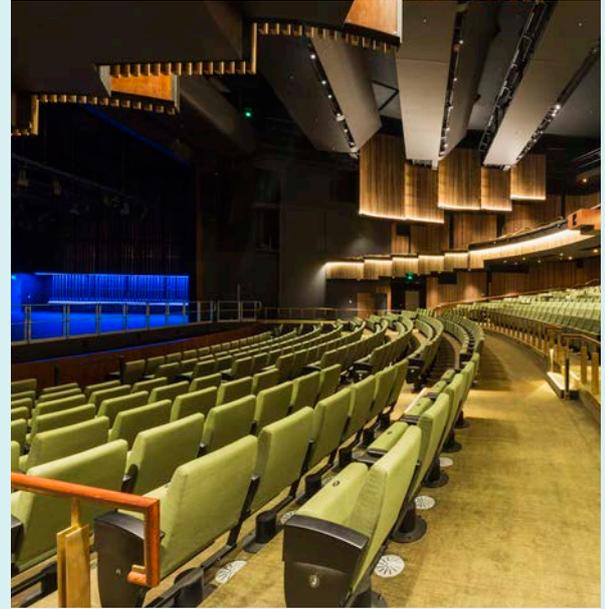
**CHILDREN'S FESTIVAL**  
TANKS ARTS CENTRE,  
BOTANIC GARDENS & CPAC



**ECO FIESTA**  
CAIRNS CRUISE LINER  
TERMINAL

## Open day for The Precinct

The Precinct will come alive for the first time on **22 June** with an open day to celebrate the new Cairns Performing Arts Centre. Residents will be granted special backstage access to CPAC while enjoying tasty local food on Florence Street (Eat Meet Repeat) and a performance in Munro Martin Parklands. The open day kicks off at 4pm with six hours of food and entertainment. Local musos and a surprise big-name performer will entertain on the Munro Martin Parklands stage, while there will be free tours of CPAC throughout the day. Times will be advertised closer to the event date.

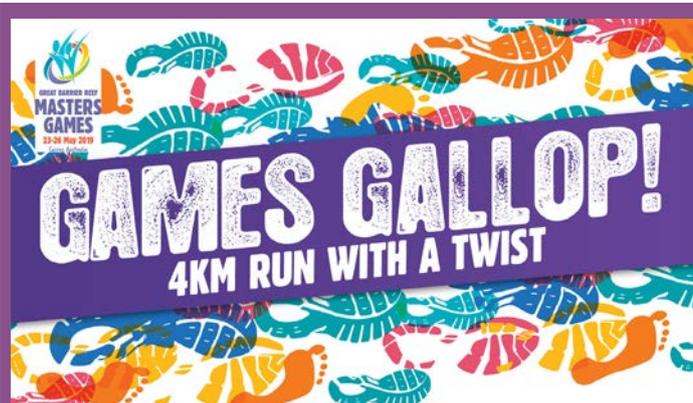


## Apply for grants now

**Disability Action Week**  
Grants up to \$4000 are available to community groups and individuals to hold events during Disability Action Week in September. Applications close 31 May.

**Community Grants**  
Grants up to \$4,000 are available to support projects or events that respond to community needs and make a positive contribution to community life. Applications close 30 April.

**RADF**  
Up to \$10,000 is available to local creatives under the Regional Arts Development Fund. Applications close 14 May.



As part of the 2019 Great Barrier Reef Masters Games (GBRMG), locals are invited to get galloping for a charity 4km fun run on 22 May. The Games Gallop, to be held at Centenary Lakes, will offer prizes and giveaways, games and children's rides.

The Games Gallop will kick-start the Master Games weekend on 23-26 May. The \$5 entry fee will support the work of the Dr Edward Koch Foundation on mental health and suicide awareness programs. To register for the Games Gallop Fun Run, visit [www.gbrmg.com.au](http://www.gbrmg.com.au)

## Do the right thing by your pet!

As a responsible pet owner you have an obligation to care for the health and well-being of your animal.



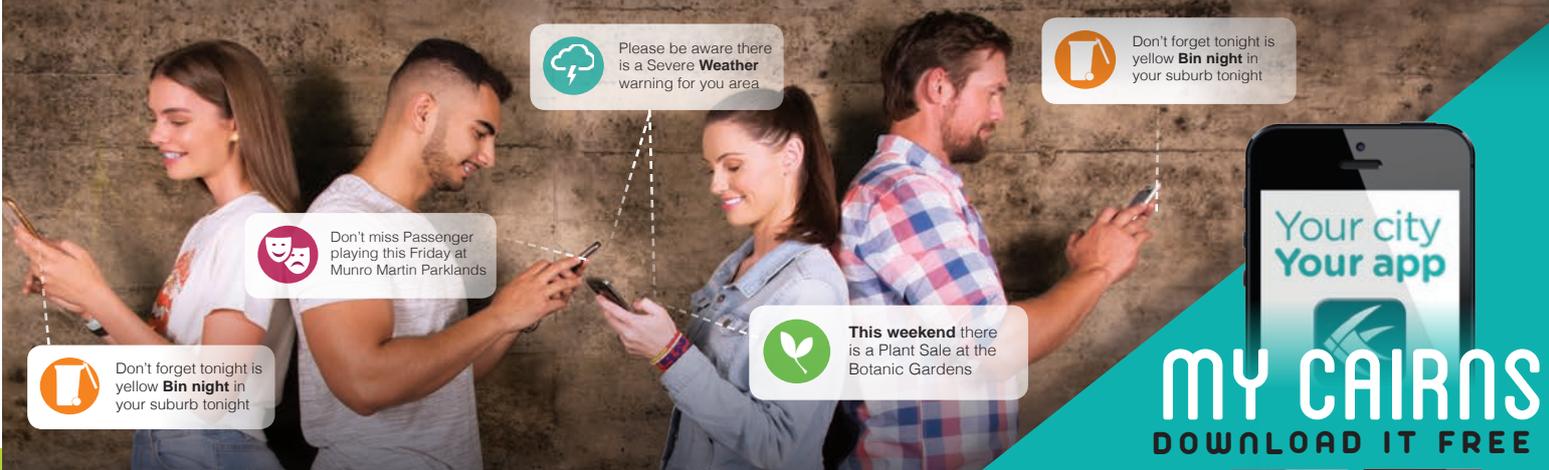
Dogs and cats can provide great joy and companionship but it does come with responsibility.

Council has a new Facebook page called **Cairns Pets** with all sorts of helpful information and tips. So check it out and Like it to keep updated on any pet-related events coming your way.

On 11 May, the next **Fur-Ever Home** pet adoption day takes place at Cannon Park Racecourse from 9am to 1pm. Council has now held three of these events and managed to find homes for nearly 300 animals.

So come along and find the perfect furry companion on 11 May.

## Council made this app just for you



Please be aware there is a Severe **Weather** warning for you area.

Don't forget tonight is yellow **Bin night** in your suburb tonight

Don't miss Passenger playing this Friday at Munro Martin Parklands

This weekend there is a Plant Sale at the Botanic Gardens

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