



55+ YEARS



FAIRFIELD CITY COUNCIL SENIORS CONCERT

NOVELLA ON THE PARK
1521 The Horsley Drive, Abbotsbury
6 DECEMBER 2023

10.30AM-2PM

**TICKETS
ON SALE NOW!**

\$35 per person

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CABRAMATTA MOON FESTIVAL CELEBRATES BEST YEAR YET

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**FUNDING ALLOCATED TO
FAIRFIELD HOSPITAL**

Working together, Council and the community have achieved a significant upgrade to Fairfield Hospital - a major win for us.

The Mayor has campaigned tirelessly for an upgrade to Fairfield Hospital to bring it in line with rapid population growth in the area and our existing community's needs.

The community's support has been instrumental in getting a \$350 million upgrade. We collected 11,000 signatures showing our united voice in a way the NSW Government could not ignore.

We look forward to the works beginning to finally get the local health services we need.



Welcome to the Spring edition of our quarterly City Connect brochure, delivering important Council news to your letterbox.

Over the past 2 years, I have been lobbying on behalf of our community to have better health care in our City by upgrading Fairfield Hospital, as it has had no major upgrades for more than 30 years.

As a result of this, we recently received some exciting news that the NSW Government will allocate \$350 million towards the upgrade of Fairfield Hospital.

This is a big win for our City as it will not only improve our Emergency Department but will also take the pressure off the overall waiting times in South West Sydney, in what is one of the fastest growing regions in Sydney.

In other news the NSW Federal Government is making university study more accessible to the people of western Sydney by opening Western Sydney University - Fairfield Connect in Fairfield City Centre early next year.

These projects are important to support the health and wellbeing of all residents.

Rest assured that I will always stand up for our community to ensure we get the services we deserve, and will continue looking for new opportunities to make things even better for our residents.

Frank Carbone

Mayor of Fairfield City

**CABRAMATTA MOON
FESTIVAL**

Thousands gathered to celebrate the annual Cabramatta Moon Festival known for dazzling lantern parades, live entertainment and plenty of mooncake.

The festival is the largest community event in Fairfield City, and celebrated 25 years in September.

Thank you to our major sponsors, festival partners, stallholders, volunteers, and everyone involved in making the 2023 Cabramatta Moon Festival a huge success.

We look forward to doing it all again in 2024!



LIGHT UP
Christmas
COMPETITION

Are you decorating your home for Christmas?
Enter our Light Up Christmas competition for your chance to win a hamper valued at \$150

Competition begins
Tuesday 14 November
on our Facebook page
@FairfieldCity



AROUND OUR CITY



Mayor Frank Carbone will give away 6,000 free Aquatopia passes to more than 3,000 Year 6 students to mark their graduation.



Mayor Frank Carbone presented Mayoral Community Spirit awards to high school students for their above and beyond community work.



Former Harrington Street PS student and now Mayor Frank Carbone visited his old school with Little Wings to kick off its Return and Earn fundraiser effort to fuel planes transporting sick kids to hospital.



Western Sydney University is set to launch Western Sydney University – Fairfield Connect in the heart of Fairfield City Centre early next year, making university more accessible for the people of western Sydney. Students will be able to access computers, high-speed internet and video-conferencing facilities for learning, plus resources and support services for adult literacy, careers and employability. Bringing Western Sydney University-Fairfield Connect to our City was a joint effort by local members Chris Bowen and David Saliba and Mayor Frank Carbone.



Original yellow Wiggle Greg Page's charity Heart of the Nation donated 14 defibrillators to Council's early learning centres.

WHAT'S ON

How to get a Cinematic Look with Curious Works
Thursday 16 November, 6pm-7.45pm

Take a step further in taking videos and learn how to create a cinematic look.

Cost: free
Where: Studio 2166, Level 1, Whitlam Library Cabramatta
Register: fairfieldcity.nsw.gov.au/events

Indigenous Flora Park Group
Every third Saturday of the month, 9am-12pm

Established in 1991, the group has been restoring important bushland in the Indigenous Flora Park at Prairiewood. Come join them for working bees and tree planting.

Cost: free
Where: Christie Street, Prairiewood
Register: Call 9725 0222

Jigsaw Puzzle Club
Every Tuesday throughout November, 10am-12pm

Come and try a variety of puzzles and meet other puzzle enthusiasts.

Cost: free
Where: Smithfield Library, 51-57 Oxford Street, Smithfield
Register: fairfieldcity.nsw.gov.au/events

NEW PLAYGROUNDS OPENED



Carrwood Park, Carramar
Opened May this year



Barena Park, Canley Vale
Opened August this year



Fairfield Heights Park
Opened August this year

Mayor's Christmas Appeal

Mayor Frank Carbone encourages you to give to those in need this Christmas.

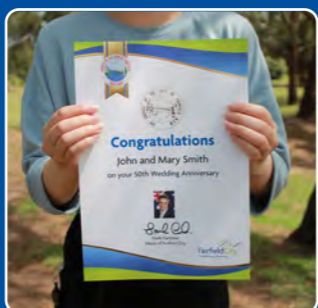
Accepted items: Food, Toys, Gifts

Head to www.fairfieldcity.nsw.gov.au/christmasappeal to see where you can donate.

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