In the City of Melton

MAYOR'S MESSAGE



Welcome to the first edition of Council's new look and feel Moving Ahead newsletter. At Melton City Council, we love to keep things fresh and relevant, and I think you'll agree that the

new format of our most beloved publication is just that. There's always a lot happening in our community, so the Moving Ahead now provides great highlights of things to do and see, and the news that affects you. Of course, there's lots more information online, and you can find out about Council activities, events, programs and services by visiting our website at melton.vic.gov.au or following us on Facebook or Instagram.



UPCOMING EVENTS

Visit melton.vic.gov.au/events for a full list of events in the City of Melton this Autumn.



Damien Shen exhibition at CS Gallery

Friday 16 June to Sunday 23 July 2017

On the Fabric of the Ngarrindjeri Body – Volume II

Works of cultural and personal meaning by Damien Shen, a South Australian artist of Ngarrindjeri and Chinese bloodlines collaborating with photographer Richard Lyons.

Image - Ventral aspect of two males.



National Tree Day

Sunday 30 July 2017

Residents are invited to join Council's Environment team and Planet Ark in the country's biggest nature care initiative and community tree planting event as volunteers and local site coordinators.

Register:

treeday.planetark.org Phone: 1300 885 000

Image - Big Red



Graeme Base exhibition at CS Gallery

Friday 28 July to Sunday 27 August 2017

Australia's most successful children's illustrator Graeme Base brings together original hand drawn and painted artworks from beloved books such as Animalia, The Eleventh Hour and Uno's Garden.

Image - Lazy Lions Lounging in the Local Library - 1983 watercolour and ink on hot press illustration board. Courtesy Graeme Base and MARS Gallery.

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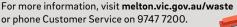
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Council has a free, at call, hard waste collection service?









New suburbs on their way

Aintree

Bonnie Brook

Cobblebank

Deanside

Fieldstone

Fraser Rise

Grangefields

Harkness

Strathtulloh

Thornhill Park

Weir Views

These are the names of the **11 new suburbs** being established in the City of Melton.

It's an exciting time for our vibrant municipality, with the new suburbs giving Council the opportunity to create great community hubs and foster a real sense of belonging in our City.

The new suburbs are being established in key growth areas like Plumpton, Rockbank and Truganina, while smaller changes will also take place in well-established areas like Melton South and Melton West. This means over 5,000 homes and businesses will change addresses, and while most will continue to have the same postcodes, three of the new suburbs, Aintree, Deanside and Fraser Rise, will have the new postcode, 3336.

SO, WHY ARE WE CHANGING?

We're growing really quickly! Welcoming the new suburbs means that Council can create smaller, character-filled neighbourhoods that are easy to find and navigate. They'll have their own particular landmarks and will remain as unique and diverse as the people who live there.

HOW WERE THE NEW SUBURBS CREATED?

The new suburb names and boundaries were put forward to the State Government's Office of Geographic Names for approval following extensive community engagement in 2014.

A Suburb Naming Advisory Committee, made up of Councillors, Council officers, community leaders and industry representatives was established and encouraged residents to vote for their preferred suburb names across the municipality.

ARE YOU AFFECTED AND WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

To find out if your home or business will be part of a new suburb. go to melton.vic.gov.au/nearme and type your address in the search field. You can also call 9747 7200 for more information

The Emergency Services database (ESTA), which includes police and ambulance, will be updated with the new addresses at the end of July.

However, if you're affected, you'll need to advise organisations like insurance companies, gas and electricity suppliers, the Australian Tax Office, medical providers, banks etc... of the change.

WHEN WILL MY SUBURB CHANGE?

Council will write to all affected residents and property owners in the next few weeks, to inform them of when the change will take place. We'll also provide advice and a checklist to help with the transition from old suburb to new.



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National Tree Day

Schools Tree Day Friday 28 July 2017 and National Tree Day Sunday 30 July 2017

Pop Culture Hands on Henna workshop

Friday 28 July 2017 5.15pm – 6.15pm session & 6.30pm – 7.30pm session Darlingsford Barn, 13 Darlingsford Boulevard, Melton

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Small Business Festival

Month of August 2017 Western BACE, 222 Ferris Rd, Melton South

SEPTEMBER S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30

Business Excellence Awards

Friday 1 September 2017 6:30pm – 11pm Tabcorp Park, Melton South

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER

9747 7200

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