



Life in the City of Gosnells

Fusion Festival just around the corner

Set your tastebuds and senses alight and celebrate our diverse community at the City of Gosnells Fusion Food and Culture Festival – on next week.

The annual multicultural community event returns to Mills Park, Brixton Street, Beckenham, on **Friday 7 and Saturday 8 November** from 4pm to 9pm, fresh from winning a National Award for Local Government this year.

Entry is free and there are plenty of free and subsidised activities and performances to entertain the whole family – including a spectacular fireworks finale each night.

There will be live performances on two stages, global arts and crafts, interactive cultural activities and experiences, youth and children's activities, roving entertainment, food trucks offering cuisine from across the globe, an expanded Global Safari featuring animatronic creatures, Spare Parts Puppet Theatre's The Whale, subsidised carnival rides and more.

Avoid parking hassles and take advantage of a free shuttle bus from Beckenham Train Station and Maddington Central shopping centre.

Lotterywest is the major supporter of the City of Gosnells Fusion Food and Culture Festival, and the event is also supported by Maddington Central and the Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions Plastic Free Riverpark Program. For more details, visit the City's website.



Volunteer drivers needed

The City of Gosnells is seeking casual volunteer bus drivers to help keep local seniors active, connected and engaged in the community.

The bus service allows people who can no longer drive to stay connected in our community, maintain friendships, improve their wellbeing and access support, rather than being isolated at home.

The City is currently looking for back-up bus drivers to fill in when regular drivers are unavailable due to illness or holidays.

The service has a great atmosphere and drivers are supported by an assistant on every trip.

To volunteer, you'll need a minimum LR (Light Rigid) driver's licence. Trials and training are available.

Volunteers who live outside the City of Gosnells are welcome to participate in Seniors Services programs and events.

Call 9391 6030 for more information.

Get creative For Art's Sake

Get ready for an unforgettable afternoon packed with creativity, fun and artistic energy at the For Art's Sake Youth Festival.

It's on **Saturday 29 November** at The Agonis, 2232 Albany Highway, Gosnells, for people aged 10 – 25 years.

The festival will include screen printing, umbrella painting, live birds of prey drawing, photo booth, manga art, circus skills, human statues, prizes, take-home treasures and more.

Registrations are essential – visit the City's website for details.



Events listing

Dragged Through the Desert – A Priscilla Celebration

Friday 31 October and Saturday 1 November

7.30pm – 9.20pm

DRPAC

Skate Jam

Saturday 1 November

10am – 2pm

YES, Sutherlands Park, Huntingdale

Charity Chums

Monday 3 November

10am – 12pm

Gosnells Library

Boots Off and Boogie: A Seniors Line Dancing Social

Monday 10 November

5pm – 7pm

City of Gosnells Museum

Bookings or tickets are required for some events. Visit the City's website for details.

New at DRPAC

Find out what's coming to the hottest venue in the City, with a new DRPAC brochure out on **Friday 7 November**.

The brochure lists all the shows and events coming up in early 2026, so you can buy your tickets, clear your calendar and avoid missing out.

Pick up your brochure from the DRPAC Box Office or the City of Gosnells Civic Centre.

Councillor's Corner



As we enter the last quarter of 2025, it's a great time to reflect on our shared achievements and look ahead to building a more connected, sustainable and thriving City. This year, our revitalised town centre has become a welcoming space with pedestrian-friendly pathways, green areas and upgraded facilities. Solar panels on City buildings and the Kwinana Energy Recovery facility highlight our commitment to sustainability. Our National Award for Local Government recognised the City's celebration of diversity, the Fusion Food and Culture Festival.

Community programs for youth and seniors have strengthened wellbeing, while infrastructure projects like the Langford Indoor Sports Centre and the Dorothy Street-Tonkin Highway Shared Path are transforming connectivity and opportunities, and the Youth Entertainment Space (YES) is now open.

I encourage all residents to join in upcoming programs and keep in touch with your Councillors, to continue shaping the future of our city.

Councillor Balli Singh