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An artist's impression of the Ocean Reef Marina will look.

## VALE Troy Pickard, Mayor of the City of Joondalup 2006 – 2017



Troy Pickard | Mayor of the City of Joondalup

The City of Joondalup was deeply saddened by the passing of Troy Pickard, Mayor of Joondalup, 2006-2017.

Troy (48) led the City with distinction for more than a decade, overseeing a period of remarkable growth and development and helping to return stability and good governance to the Council.

One of the most influential people in the City of Joondalup's 24-year history, Troy was passionate about the Local Government sector. He served as President of WALGA (WA Local Government Association) and was the first Western Australian President of ALGA (Australian Local Government Association).

Troy was passionate about making the City of Joondalup a better place for the community.

While he achieved so much in his time as Mayor, one success story stands above all the Ocean Reef Marina Project. If not for Troy's efforts and with the help of others, Ocean Reef Marina would likely still be a plan.

In a statement released soon after his passing, Troy's family said they were humbled and thankful for the outpouring of support offered to them.

"It is clear Troy has had a real impact on the community and has left behind a lasting legacy," the statement read.

The City of Joondalup honours Troy's contribution to the community, City and Council. Rest in Peace.

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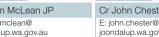


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Mayor's Column Hon. Albert Jacob

Hello and welcome to the first edition of City News for 2022.

It's been a long road but the final link in the shared coastal path between Burns Beach and Mindarie is nearing completion, forever linking the cities of Joondalup and Wanneroo.

While there are still some minor works to be completed before the path can open to the public, cyclists, walkers and joggers will soon be able to travel along this stunning 3.5km path from Burns Beach estate in the south to Catalina estate in the north (and beyond).

The coastal shared path extension has been more than a decade in the making and has involved many different stakeholders.

The City of Joondalup has driven this project in conjunction with the City of Wanneroo, State Government, Tamala Park Regional Council, developers PEET, local members of parliament, local residents' groups and many others.

I must also thank former North Ward Councillor Kerry Hollywood and incumbents Councillor Tom McLean and Councillor Adrian Hill for their efforts.

The local community – on both sides of the border – have shown great patience and understanding. The wait will be worth it.

2022 promises to be a big year for our City on many fronts.

Joondalup Council recently gave the green light to a two-day motorsport extravaganza within the Joondalup City Centre, incorporating a series of car sprint events.

The Festival of Motoring is expected to inject \$1 million into the local economy and draw tens of thousands of people to the Joondalup City Centre in late October.

Events like this shine a light on Joondalup as a Destination City, offering unique and innovative entertainment that captures the imagination.

We will also be finalising our new Strategic Community Plan 2022-2032.

Joondalup 2022-2032 will communicate the community's vision for the future and include strategic initiatives and priorities to guide service delivery and capital expenditure over the next 10 years.

The community has had significant input into its content and I look forward to its adoption, its implementation later in 2022.

At this stage the City's events season will continue as planned.

Following the dual disappointment of COVID-19 cancellations in 2020 and 2021, and taking on learnings from COVID, the Joondalup Festival has returned.

This year's festival runs over three weeks, from Friday 11 March until Saturday 2 April, featuring a series of free and low-cost ticketed events.

To comply with COVID-19 Level 2 directives, set down by the State Government, some changes to the festival program were required. However, there's still plenty of opportunities to "experience something new" at this much-loved Joondalup event.

On the infrastructure front, Chichester Park's redevelopment is underway while refurbishment works at Craigie Leisure Centre continue to progress.

One of the most popular leisure facilities in Western Australia, the improved gym and group fitness facilities at Craigie will not only meet the needs of current users but will allow us to attract new members in the future and keep pace with current and future industry trends.

While there undoubtedly will be some challenges ahead, the City and its Council is committed to a business as usual approach (wherever we can) to the many services and programs we deliver. Our community expects and deserves nothing less.

Hon. Albert Jacob City of Joondalup

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# What's going on in your neighbourhood



## Burns Beach-Mindarie shared coastal path

#### STATUS: Near completion

The final touches are being made to the 3.5km section of the Burns Beach-Mindarie shared coastal path linking the cities of Joondalup and Wanneroo from Burns Beach estate in the south to Catalina estate in the north. The State Government, through the Western Australian Planning Commission, contributed \$2 million to the project.

Delivered by the City of Joondalup, the Tamala Regional Park and PEET were responsible for the links through their respective sections of land.

As well as benefitting the residents of the cities of Joondalup and Wanneroo, it is hoped this path link will increase visitors numbers to the northern coastal corridor.



Coastal Shared Path Upgrade – West View Boulevard, Mullaloo to Ocean Reef Marina.

#### STATUS: Complete

A new four metre wide asphalt path, has been installed along this 1.5km stretch of coastal path. This project was part of the Australian Government's Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program.



**BEFORE** 



AFTER

#### Marmion Avenue, Iluka

#### STATUS: Complete

The City has upgraded a section of the shared path on the western side of Marmion Avenue, between Delamere Avenue and Burns Beach Road.

This project was part of the Australian Government's Local Roads and Community Infrastructure Program.



The City of Joondalup, in partnership with the City of Wanneroo, has produced a Hardship and Homelessness Services booklet? This resource provides information on vital support services available within the region to those experiencing hardship and is available online at **joondalup.wa.gov.au** and at City Libraries.



Mayor Albert Jacob and Cr Russ Fishwick discuss the underground power issue with Duncraig residents.

### Heading underground

The City of Joondalup will work with local residents and the State Government, through Western Power, in an effort to complete underground power and improve lighting across its suburbs.

The "Vision for the City of Joondalup Underground Power Program" was adopted unanimously by the Joondalup Council at its December 2021 meeting.

It will see the City begin the process of scoping projects to bring underground power to specified areas where is it supported by the majority of homeowners, financially sustainable and justified with a robust business case.

Just over 20,000 properties in the City, approximately 33% of all City properties, are still connected to overhead power lines.

Lighting improvements will also be a focus of the project. The City's preference is to ensure all streetlights within its boundaries are City-owned, LED smart-metered lights, seeking to maximise their financial and operational benefits.

In already underground power areas, converting existing Western Power streetlights to City-owned smart-metered LED streetlighting would result in increased illumination levels and reduced energy use.

## New residents given insight into world's oldest culture

More than 300 City of Joondalup residents, representing more than 40 different countries of origin, were granted citizenship at the City of Joondalup's 2022 Australia Day Citizenship Ceremony on Wednesday 26 January.

Many of the residents took part in an Indigenous cultural immersion workshop led by Sharon Wood-Kenney chair of the City's Reconciliation Action Plan Community Reference group.

The City's 2022 Community Citizens of the Year were also announced on the day.

Congratulations to:

Community Citizen of the Year: Alanagh Godderidge (pictured)

Community Youth Citizen of Year: Lachlan Beveridge (pictured)

Senior Community Citizen of Year: Janice Standen

Active Citizenship Community Group or Event of Year:

Joondalup Christmas Lunch.



Sharon Wood-Kenney gave our City's newest Australians an insight into Indigenous culture





Alanagh and Lachlan receive their respective Community Citizen of the Year Awards from Mayor Albert Jacob.

## Satisfaction guaranteed in Joondalup



More than 96% of City of Joondalup residents are satisfied with Joondalup as a place to live, according to the results of the City's 2020/21 Customer Satisfaction Monitor.

The Customer Satisfaction Monitor is conducted every two years. Originally scheduled for 2019/20, the survey was delayed for 12 months due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

In other significant findings, 91.8% of residents said they are satisfied with the services the City provides, while 84.5% are satisfied with their customer service experience.

The City's 20 external facing services all achieved high levels of satisfaction, with only three of the 20 scoring less than 80% overall satisfaction.

Areas with the highest satisfaction levels were recorded for Library Services (94.6%), Craigie Leisure Centre (93%), Parks (92.3%), Emergency Management (90.7%),

Community Facilities (88.9%), Conservation/Natural Areas (88.8%),

Waste Management (88%), Roads (87%) and Rangers Services (87%).

There were also improved results for Community Consultation and Engagement (74%) and City Communications (81%).

The survey was undertaken in June and July 2021 and involved random sampling and telephone interviews with 600 people from within the City. The sample was cross-checked to ensure that it significantly matched the demographic profile and population spread of Joondalup in terms of age, gender and ward to obtain a representative sample.

## Joondalup to host Festival of Motoring

Joondalup Council has given the green light to a two-day motorsport extravaganza within the Joondalup City Centre, incorporating a series of car sprint events.

The Council has agreed to list for consideration \$350,000 in its 2022/23 budget to sponsor the 2022 Festival of Motoring, which will be delivered by Justin Hunt Management.

A range of car types will take part in the racing component, making their way around the Joondalup City Centre at high speed. Car displays and competitions will also be incorporated into the programming. The inaugural Festival of Motoring will be held in October 2022 with the potential of further events in 2023 and 2024 (subject to several key performance indicators being met).

The Festival of Motoring is expected to inject \$1 million into the local economy and draw tens of thousands of people to the Joondalup City Centre.

Joondalup Mayor Albert Jacob said the City of Joondalup had experience holding and supporting significant events such as the Joondalup Festival, Valentine's Concert, Kaleidoscope, Luminight and AFL pre-season competition games and is confident the Festival of Motoring will become an iconic event that furthers Joondalup's reputation as a Destination City.

"Come October, car lovers are going to be in heaven and our City centre will literally be buzzing," he said.

"But the action won't just be on the racetrack, there will be plenty of family-friendly fun on offer and the flow-on effect for local businesses is going to be massive.

"Attracting big events to Joondalup is part of the City's strategy to position Joondalup as a destination City that attracts visitors with its diverse mix of iconic events with local, national, and international appeal."

For further information visit **jfom.com.au** 

## Another milestone for City's biggest project

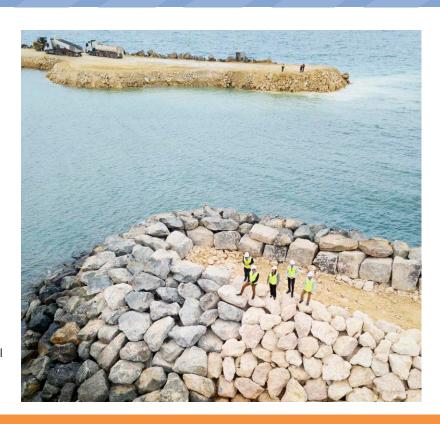
The crossing of the two breakwaters at Ocean Reef Marina marked another milestone in the construction phase of the biggest infrastructure project ever undertaken within the City of Joondalup.

Mayor Albert Jacob and CEO James Pearson visited the site in January to see how the build was progressing.

Construction of the \$62 million breakwaters began in February last year, creating more than 50 local jobs.

The southern breakwater is due to reach its final length of 1.18 kilometres in early 2022, joining the northern breakwater, which reached its final length in October last year. Further works will commence on building the breakwaters up to their final height to 18.5 metres from the ocean floor.

DevelopmentWA Chief Executive Officer Frank Marra, Lands/Local Government Minister John Carey, Joondalup MLA Emily Hamilton, City of Joondalup Mayor Albert Jacob and CEO James Pearson inspect the site.





An artist's impression of how Chichester Park will look.



Joondalup Mayor Albert Jacob (front), Kingsley MLA Jessica Stojkovski and Central Ward Councillor Christopher May turn the first sod.

## Ground broken on Chichester Park redevelopment

Woodvale's Chichester Park is set for a \$5.6 million redevelopment.

Joondalup Mayor Albert Jacob, Kingsley MLA Jessica Stojkovski and Central Ward Councillor Christopher May took part in a turning of the sod ceremony to mark the commencement of works.

The project will include a new community sporting facility, which will feature change rooms that better cater for the increasing number of female users, an umpires' change room, first aid and meeting rooms, toilets, a kitchen, storage areas and a covered veranda

More parking bays and a new barbecue/picnic area will also form part of the project. Underground drainage for the southern playing field has already been completed to address the flooding issues in winter.

The City received \$400,000 through the State Government's Community Sport and Recreation Facilities Fund (CSRFF) towards the overall project cost.



## The City wants your feedback

How do you prefer to hear about the City's services, events and programs?

All participants will go into a draw to win one of 10 \$50.00 Lakeside Joondalup Shopping Centre gift vouchers.

Scan the QR code to complete the survey now.

Feedback accepted:

Tuesday 1 March – Monday 11 April 2022.



## The show must go on: Late changes to Joondalup Festival program



Lost Dog Disco Installation

Friday 11 March was a significant day for the City as the Joondalup Festival returns after a two-year break.

Joondalup Festival 2022, featuring a series of free and low-cost ticketed events, will run until Saturday 2 April.

To comply with COVID-19 Level 2 directives, set down by the State Government, some changes have been made to the festival program.

The Funky Town Hits of the 70s, 80s and 90s disco event, to be held at the Bar1 nightclub on Saturday 2 April, has been cancelled due to the reduced capacity and requirement for seated service.

Music in the Park (Saturday 12 March), Bunuru Concert (Saturday 13 March), Wundabaa Gaay-Galgaa (Ghost Stories) (17 – 20 March), A Gala Evening with West Australian Ballet (18 – 19 March), A Midsummer Night's Dream (25 – 26 March), Future Moves (Sunday 27 March), and the Kids Corner at the Dining Hub, Westfield Whitford City (Saturdays 19, 26 March and 2 April) will all be postponed to a later date.

Ticket holders will be advised once a new date has been set.

There is still much to explore over the three weeks with all other festival events still taking place.

For more information on programming visit **joondalupfestival.com.au** 

The City will continue to monitor all relevant directions relating to COVID-19 and will follow the appropriate Sate Government health advice.

The Joondalup Festival 2022 is made possible by Lotterywest, Hillarys Boat Harbour, Westfield Whitford City, Seven West Media and Nova937.

## Lost Dogs and UFOs at Hillarys Boat Harbour!?

Adventure through 16 interactive canines as they come to life at night through music, sound, and light at the Joondalup Festival Hub at Hillarys Boat Harbour. These larger-than-life pooches will make their debut at this year's Joondalup Festival.



You will also catch a glimpse of the UFOs that have landed at the foreshore! Adventure through the beaming lights and radiant colours of the I Believe swings. Both art installations are by ENESS.

Free entry – check the program for session opening times.

To view the range of COVID safe events happening at this year's Festival, visit **joondalupfestival.com.au** for information and to book tickets.





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