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Mayor's Short Story - Shortlisted Students from the District Council of Yankalilla with Mayor Houston

2024 Mayors' Short Story Challenge Winners Announced!

The talents of young writers from across the region were celebrated during the 2024 Mayors' Short Story Challenge.

An initiative of the District Council of Yankalilla, City of Victor Harbor and Alexandrina Council, the Challenge is about encouraging school aged children from reception to year 10 to let their imaginations run wild and share stories through creative writing.

There were 226 entries from the District Council of Yankalilla, 430 from the City of Victor Harbor and 446 entries from Alexandrina Council.

The winners of the 2024 Mayors' Short Story Challenge were

announced at a celebration held at the Yankalilla Library on September 11th. More than 100 people from right across the Fleurieu Peninsula attended to recognise the talented work of all the entrants.

Individual category winners received a \$50 book voucher, with the overall winner from each council area received an additional \$50 book voucher. The school from which each overall winner originates also received \$1000 from their Council and in the case of the Home School student winning, the student will be invited to select up to \$1000 worth of books or library resources for their local Council Library.

In presenting the awards, the Mayors from each council praised the children who took up the challenge and demonstrated their creative writing skills.

They also thanked the three public libraries for their coordination of the Challenge and principals, teacher-librarians, teachers and student service officers who played a key role in encouraging their students to enter and showcase their talents.

The prizes were provided by the respective councils and Friends of the Library groups.

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Rapid Bay Primary School – New Library Opening

It was a privilege to celebrate the official opening of the new library at Rapid Bay Primary School. It's a milestone in the school's journey—a journey that is deeply rooted in its rich history and now moves forward with a renewed vision for the future.

Rapid Bay Primary School, originally known as the Rapid Bay "Rural School," opened its doors in 1950. For over seven decades, this school has been a pillar of our community, nurturing generations of students. The library room was originally designed as a classroom meant to host up to sixty students, it quickly became apparent that fitting even thirty of the old wooden desks was quite a challenge! Despite its constraints, this room has always been a place of learning and growth.

Interestingly, the original library was housed in the current staff room. Over the years, as the school's needs evolved, so too did its vision for a modern, dedicated library space that could better serve students and the community.

I am also thrilled to announce that Rapid Bay Primary School has been selected as a recipient of the Dymocks Children's Charities Library Regeneration Program. With their generous support, the school received \$5,000 worth of new books, significantly enhancing the library's collection. This will provide students with an abundance of new resources to explore, fuelling their imaginations and hopefully fostering a lifelong love of reading.

The new library is more than just a room filled with books; it is a key component of Rapid Bay's ongoing transformation, integrating sustainability and environmental awareness into every aspect of education. The library will be the heart of this transformation—a place where

students can learn not only from books but also from the world around them.

In the coming years, this library will be a hub of activity, supporting efforts to teach students about ecology, conservation and the importance of preserving our environment. It will serve as a space for research, creative projects, and community engagement, all aligned with the school's commitment to becoming a leading eco-school in the region. This transformation reflects the dedication to providing a holistic, future-focused education that prepares students to be responsible citizens of the planet.

I would like to extend my thanks to everyone who has made this new library a reality. From the volunteers to the staff and students, your hard work and dedication have brought this vision to life. A huge thanks to both Zoe and Corey for creating this vision for the space - it's now an incredible space for all to enjoy. This library is not just a room - it's a symbol of the school's commitment to education, community and the environment.

Yankalilla Library – Tapestry Unveiling

Betty Wolf has been facilitating the Weaving for Wellness program in the Yankalilla Library since 2019 - the group is affectionately known as the Dream Weavers. Betty is an art teacher and art therapist who believes the library is an important community hub for learning, self-development, support and connection.

She loves the positive atmosphere and wanted to create a tapestry for the new building so successfully applied for a grant as part of the DCY Arts & Creativity Program in 2024. In her application Betty wrote, "Everyone sings their special song and has their unique tune – together they form a thriving community and create a vibrant symphony."

Great work, Betty, and I encourage everyone to go to the library and take a look at this amazing art piece.

Financial Sustainability Workshop – 10 September 2024

Our Council is not alone in its challenges, which also disproportionately impact many regional and rural local governments. A number of regional councils strongly advocated for more equitable funding for local government, leading to this workshop hosted by the Local Government Association.

One key concern is the persistent underfunding of South Australian councils. Last financial year, Yankalilla Council was assessed to require \$591,154 in General Purpose Financial Assistance Grants by an independent group of Mayors (as a needs analysis based on infrastructure and population). DC Yankalilla, however, only received \$236,829, leaving a significant shortfall of \$354,325, which the Council needs to source from Rates or other income streams. The cumulative effect of this ongoing underfunding is considerable. In fact, 51 South Australian councils were underfunded last year based on this independent analysis, while 17 were overfunded. Our communities are resilient, but this ongoing pattern of underfunding must be addressed to ensure sustainable services and development.

We will be actively advocating for greater assistance and recognition from the State and Federal Governments, particularly ensuring that an equitable share of grant funding is distributed to rural communities to support the valuable work of Councils in large geographic, low-population areas with significant asset bases.

Warm Regards,
Darryl Houston
Mayor



2024 Mayors' Short Story Challenge Winners

Category	Alexandrina Council	City of Victor Harbor	District Council of Yankalilla
Reception to Year 2	Amaya Baker Year 2 Mount Compass Area School	Annelise Ashby Year 2 Encounter Lutheran Collage	Lucy Almering Year Reception Rapid Bay Primary School
Year 3 to Year 4	Tallan Pingel Year 4 Tyndale Christian School Strathalbyn	Serville Taylor Year 4 Victor Harbor Primary School	Queenie Hunt Year 4 Yankalilla Area School
Year 5 to Year 7	Buffy Hamer Dal Pont Year 5 Home School	Samuel Watters Year 7 Victor Harbor High School	Addi McArdle Year 5 Rapid Bay Primary School
Year 8 to Year 10	Jonathon Green Year 9 Home School	Alannah Falanga Year 9 Encounter Lutheran College	-
Special Options	Shiloh McKenzie Year 3 Tyndale Christian School Strathalbyn	Taj Hird Year 11 Victor Harbor High School - SESS	-
Overall Winner	Buffy Hamer Dal Pont Year 5 Home School	Alannah Falanga Year 9 Encounter Lutheran College	Addi McArdle Year 5 Rapid Bay Primary School



As the winter ends and our district warms into Spring, there has been plenty happening in the Council space and I wanted to use this month's CEO Corner to discuss a small number of diverse matters that have been occurring..

I was delighted to attend the Urban Development Institute Awards recently to receive (on behalf of Council) a commendation in the Social and Community Infrastructure category for the fantastic Normanville Surf Lifesaving Club & Café/Kiosk development. In saying this, I acknowledge that this development has caused community concern since its inception through to delivery, but I have been overwhelmed with the positivity and great feedback that has made its way to me since the building opened some ten months ago. It's hard to believe that the facility is about to enter its second summer in only a matter of weeks.

The feedback received during the community engagement on the Annual Business Plan and Budget raised a number of broader and long-term financial management matters. Our team has commenced a process of working with our Elected Members to explore these big-picture financial matters through a series of meetings that we are calling the *Strategic Quarterly Financial Workshops*. We have just held our first meeting to help us understand the varied expectations of our community as expressed via the Elected Members, and we also began to explore the content that will be covered in these workshops moving forward.

These strategic opportunities will help the Council to refine its approach in a number of areas to ensure that delivery and the cost of delivery align with community expectations for the years ahead.

Finally, congratulations to the Myponga-Sellicks Football Club, who took out the Great Southern Football League A grade and Senior Colts Grand Finals. The Mudlarks A-grade team won the premiership in a thriller, with a last-minute goal, to win by one point and break a 40-year hiatus. With 5,000 people converging on Myponga for the super Saturday of football, Council's team worked with the community to assist in preparing the streets, undertaking some minor maintenance and tidy-ups, supplying additional bins and working with the club on traffic management. Being able to support our community during these community events is a real highlight of the work that we do.

Nathan Cunningham
Chief Executive Officer

Casual Days for Charity

Did you know that every second Friday, the staff at the Civic Centre are invited to dress casually in aid of charity? Staff contribute a gold coin for this privilege, which is annually donated to local charity 5CY Food Pantry, which supports Community members in need. This provides staff with a fun and easy way to positively contribute to the community they work in.

You can also contribute to this awesome service by doing something similar in your workplace, donating non-perishables, personal care items or making a direct deposit.

What is 5CY Food Pantry?

5CY Food Pantry is a volunteer-run service that provides emergency food hampers/vouchers to those in need who reside in the District Council of Yankalilla.

All non-perishable food and finances are supported by donations from the

five churches and the wider Yankalilla community.

Donations

Donate non-perishables and personal care items to help the 5CY Group, which will use them for the care packs they distribute to locals in need.

Donation points are located at the Council Office and the Yankalilla Cultural Centre & Library.

Monetary donations are also welcome and can be made via Direct Debit to the 5CY account:

Account name: Yankalilla District Inter-Church Council

BSB: 105 092 Account number: 028 756 440 Reference: your name

For more information on food access and 5CY donations, call 8558 0200 or email council@yankalilla.sa.gov.au



Have you seen a pothole or hazard you want to report?

There are a few ways to contact us:

1. Drop us an email at council@yankalilla.sa.gov.au with the details and location of the hazard and your contact details. Include a photo if possible.
2. Give us a call on 85580200 and tell us what has happened, and we can record it for you. OR
3. Use the Snap, Send, Solve app, available to download on smart devices.

All of these methods will ask you for details on how we can contact you (in case we need more information), details of what you need to report and an accurate description of the location.

In each of these cases, our Customer Experience staff will record the details of your report on our information management system, creating a customer service request (CSR) and the responsible team will then be notified.

Please note that commenting on a Community Forum on social media about something you are unhappy with, is not the best way to get your concern documented or actioned in a timely manner.

If you would like a reference number, our team can provide one for you for any future enquiries.



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Pick up a hard copy in Council facilities and various public outlets throughout the District. Alternatively, you can find monthly editions and subscribe to receive it by email, by scanning the QR Code or visiting https://bit.ly/dcy_intheloop

If you cannot access our news in any of the above formats, request to have

a hard copy posted to you by calling us on 8558 0200 or by emailing council@yankalilla.sa.gov.au



Firey Women



Scan with phone
to register



Registration is essential
to ensure participation.

MYPONGA

A series of free bushfire safety workshops for women held over four evening sessions. Learn about:

- understanding bushfire and warnings
- deciding when to leave early or stay and defend
- preparing yourself emotionally
- operating fire pumps and equipment
- preparing a Bushfire Survival Plan

WHEN:

Attendance is required at all sessions to receive full benefit.

Wednesday 2, 9, 16, 23 October 2024

6.00–9.30pm

WHERE:

Myponga Institute Hall Hansen Street, Myponga

CONTACT:

Region 1 CFS Community Engagement - Vicki Hann

E: cfs.region1commengage@eso.sa.gov.au

M:0428 811 831



Yankalilla Waste & Recycling Depot
2864 Inman Valley Road
Sun ~ 13 & 20 Oct
12.00 to 4.00pm

50% Off
Green organic
waste disposal

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Fires, floods, storms and power outages

Floods, fires and storms can leave you without electricity for your fridge and cooking and water for cleaning and also expose your food to contaminants.

When the power goes off

Modern refrigeration systems maintain food at safe temperatures. This helps reduce the growth of bacteria on your food, which can lead to food poisoning. When there is a power outage you need to take extra measures to reduce the risk of food-related illness.

It is important to record the time the power went off.

When a power cut is ongoing (that is, it lasts for more than 4 hours and there is no immediate likelihood of reconnection), food safety becomes an important issue.

Unless cold storage is available within 2 hours of a power cut, all potentially hazardous foods such as meat, poultry, seafood and ready-to-eat perishable food) that are stored in refrigerators or chillers need to be:

- placed in alternative cold storage, for example, coolers with ice or ice bricks, or into the fridges of family and friends
- eaten immediately
- if you have a fridge thermometer and have recorded the time the power went off, eaten immediately or thrown away if the temperature rises to above 5 degrees for over 2 hours
- if you don't have a fridge thermometer and another cold storage area is not immediately available after 2 hours.

Time and temperature are the most important measurements used to determine whether food needs to be regarded as potentially unsafe.

The '4 hour/2 hour rule' for safe storage of food

The following actions are recommended for any potentially hazardous food that has been at temperatures between 5 °C and 60 °C for a total of:

- less than 2 hours – refrigerate or use immediately
- longer than 2 hours but less than 4 hours – use immediately
- 4 hours or longer – must be thrown out.

Note the time the power went off. If available, use a clock and a thermometer to follow these time and temperature recommendations. Eat perishable foods first, and save the dried and canned food for last.

The advice offered here refers to any or all potentially hazardous food except those normally kept at room temperature or jams, pickles and other acid foods.

Important note: If you are unsure about the time that has passed or the temperature at which your food was stored, then throwing the food out is the safest option.

Planned power cuts

The day or night before power is cut off, prepare in advance to store your food safely:



- If possible, organise alternative refrigerated storage in advance, for example, with relatives, friends or neighbours.
- Avoid buying food that needs to be frozen or refrigerated until after the power is restored
- Adjust the refrigerator to its coldest setting and remove fresh fruit and vegetables to prevent them from being damaged. These items can be stored at room temperature
- Set your freezer to its coldest setting
- Place ice bricks, or freeze large blocks of ice, in the freezer for later use
- If you can, freeze some of the items from your fridge for later use. This is a very safe option and is best done well before the power cut

Sudden or unplanned power cuts

A sudden or unplanned power cut will not allow you much time to store your food safely. Your food will remain safe in your refrigerator for 2 hours, but there are some steps you can take:

- If you have sufficient space in the freezer, after 2 hours, you should remove foods from the fridge and place them in the freezer or esky with ice bricks.
- Do not open the freezer door unless necessary, as this will reduce the time the contents will remain frozen.
- If your freezer is efficient and its door seals are in good condition, it can maintain foods in a frozen state for between 1 and 2 and a half days.
- Relatives, friends or neighbours may be able to provide alternative storage.



During power cuts

Food stored in refrigerators

Your food will remain safe in your refrigerator for 2 hours. If it has been more than 4 hours, throw the food out. Don't open the fridge door during the power cut unless necessary.

The best option is to keep the refrigerated foods as cold as possible by not opening the door unless necessary to remove food to eat or check the temperature after 2 hours. Or place items in the freezer. If this is not possible:

- Remove ice bricks from the freezer and place in an esky.
- Remove all meats, poultry, dairy and potentially hazardous food (for example dips, pâté, ham, prepared and cooked food) from the refrigerator and place them in a cooler with frozen bricks or gel packs.
- Salted butter, margarine and hard cheeses will remain safe at room temperature.
- Place the ice or ice bricks throughout the stored food to ensure an even temperature. Make sure the cooler's lid has a good seal.
- If the temperature of the food stored in a cooler or refrigerator reaches more than 5 °C for less than 2 hours, you should find alternative refrigeration at less than 5 °C or, if possible, freeze or use immediately.
- Food stored in a refrigerator or esky at more than 5 °C for 4 hours or more should be thrown out.

Food stored in freezers

- Freezers in good condition and operating at minus 18°C or below can keep foods at safe temperatures for between 1 and 2 days. If the freezer door is kept shut, a full freezer can keep food chilled for up to 48 hours, while a half-full freezer can keep food chilled for 24 hours.
- It is important that freezer doors are not opened unless necessary. Opening and closing the doors will reduce the time the contents will remain at safe temperatures.
- Foods that have partly defrosted or defrosted but remain very cold (5 °C or less) can be refrozen. Although there is no safety issue, some foods become icy or their texture will be damaged when refrozen and may not be usable after defrosting and refreezing.

Note that while there will not be a food safety issue in refreezing defrosted foods, the food's quality may be slightly deteriorated. You have 2 options for food that has been stored in a freezer where the temperature has reached more than 5 °C for up to 2 hours:

- Find alternative refrigeration at less than 5 °C or refreeze
- Consume immediately.

If your food has been in a freezer where the temperature has reached more than 5 °C for more than 2 hours but less than 4 hours, it should be consumed immediately.

Food stored in a freezer for over 4 hours at more than 5 °C should be thrown out.

Food in the process of being cooked

If cooking cannot be completed properly within 2 hours after the power fails, throw out food that was being cooked when the power failed. If food is already properly cooked, eat it within 2 hours or throw it out.

Waste Management Options for Holiday Homes

Owners and Managers of Holiday Homes play a crucial role in ensuring effective waste management for their properties. Given the higher volume of waste typically generated by guests, especially during peak periods, the standard residential waste service provided by Fleurieu Regional Waste Authority (FRWA) may not always be sufficient for commercial holiday homes.

To support you in maintaining an environmentally friendly property, we recognize that guests may not be as diligent as residents in separating recyclables or food waste, leading to increased landfill waste. In response to this, and to support our residents' commitment to environmental care, we have prepared this Fact Sheet to offer guidance and resources.

In the District Council of Yankalilla, both businesses and residences* receive the same level of waste collection service**. Therefore, it is essential for holiday property owners and managers to arrange appropriate disposal methods for any excess waste that exceeds the capacity of the regular service. This proactive approach ensures we all contribute to a cleaner and more sustainable environment.

To encourage guests to separate waste :

- Ensure your kerbside collection calendar is prominently displayed and current. Search and download your specific address calendar in the 'when is my next bin collection' area at frwa.com.au or clearly write your collection day on your council-wide calendar.
- Provide 3, clearly labelled receptacles inside the rental space for sorting recycling, food scraps/waste and landfill.
- Ensure your property has a kitchen caddy on the benchtop for guests to easily find/use and make sure you have enough compostable liners available. Both are available at Council's office at 1 Charles Street, Yankalilla.
- Clearly label bins with "General Waste/Landfill", "Recycling" and "Food/Green Waste**". "Which Bin" stickers are available for free at Council.
- Ensure your property number is clearly visible on your bin front so guests can be proactive by bringing the bin back in. This also helps negate bin theft and reduces non-collection from non labelled bins in proximity.

Options for excess waste include:

As a commercial operator, you are responsible for the excess waste produced by your guests in running your business:

- Ordering and paying for additional bin services. FRWA provide a number of regular and ad-hoc options for additional bin services which are outlined overpage.
- Depositing general and green waste for a fee (yellow recycling is free) at the local Waste & Recycling Depot ("Tip"). Applicable fees can be found on FRWA's website. Hardcopy brochures are also available at our Council office.

frwa.com.au

2864 Inman Valley Road, Yankalilla

Open: Mon to Thur, 9am–3.30pm and Sun 12 noon–4pm. Closed most public holidays (check website)

- Depositing recyclable bottles & cans and various other materials for free and/or payment at South Coast Recycling & Scrap Metal.

southcoastrecycle.com.au

3 Bartlett Place, Yankalilla

Open Monday to Friday 9am–2pm and Saturday 9am–12 noon

- Engage a local contractor to remove excess waste from the property as required.

For copies of brochures, stickers and educational material for display, visit frwa.com.au or contact the District Council of Yankalilla on 08 8558 0200 for more information.

FRWA ADDITIONAL BIN SERVICES

Fleurieu Regional Waste Authority offers residential and business customers a range of flexible additional collection services. These services are in addition to the standard kerbside collection service of one set of bins per available waste stream per rateable property**.

Annual ongoing additional bin collection service

Residents and businesses can purchase extra annual kerbside services to be collected at the same time as their existing in-cycle collections. Additional bin services are available for purchase per rateable property (excluding vacant land). Complying bins **MUST** be purchased and collected separately.

FRWA sell complying bins which are available for collection from the waste and recycling depots. Bins can be purchased from third parties provided they comply with the above sizes and colours.

Paid additional bin services will be provided with a sticker for the front of each bin. These bins will only be collected when displaying a current sticker. Bins with expired stickers will not be emptied. As an annual service, prices are based on a quarterly pro-rata rate, as shown in the table below:



1 x 140 Litre
Blue Lid
general waste to
landfill bin
\$74



1 x 240 Litre
Yellow Lid
recycling bin
\$83



1 x 240 Litre
Green Lid
FOGO bin**
\$83

2024-2025 Ongoing Additional Bin Collection - Service Fees

Service Duration	Start Date	General Waste (blue or red)	Recycling (yellow)	Organics (green)
12 months	1 July	\$200	\$120	\$120
9 months	1 October	\$150	\$90	\$90
6 months	1 January	\$100	\$60	\$60
3 months	1 April	\$50	\$30	\$30

*** Plus cost of complying bin - resident/business to collect/supply - not delivered.

Please complete the online application form at <https://fleurieuregionalwasteauthority.com.au/kerbside-collections/additional-bin-services/> or call FRWA customer service on 08 8555 7405, M-F 8.30am-4.00pm, for more information.

Ad-hoc pre-booked additional collection service

Out-of-cycle – extra collection outside your regular collection schedule

A pre-booked service may be available when any of your waste bins need an additional empty outside the regular fortnightly collection for \$34 first bin and \$12 further additional bins (same waste stream) collected at the same time (requires a minimum of a full business day's notice).

In-cycle – extra bin with your regular collection schedule

If you own a second compliant bin and need it emptied along with your regular fortnightly collection, you can call and request an additional individual collection for \$12 per bin. Bins will only be collected with prior arrangement, request and payment (requires a minimum of a full business day's notice). Additional bins placed out without additional notes in the driver's manifest or current stickers will not be emptied.

To book an ad-hoc additional collection service, call FRWA on 08 8555 7405, Monday to Friday, 8.30am to 4pm..

* Per Council assessment number

** Green FOGO in zoned townships only

Capital Projects Update

Welcome to the September Capital Project's Update. This regular feature keeps you informed about the progress of various Council projects. We encourage you to read the September Capital Projects Update to Council for more details. Here's a look at some of our key projects this month:

Sealed Road Program

Due to budget constraints highlighted midway through the 2023/24 Financial Year, parts of the Council's sealed road capital works program were deferred for delivery this year. Despite an existing contract with Downer Group, the deferral was negotiated successfully. The 2024/25 Sealed Road Program is now in its final planning stages, following a review of the roads carried over from the previous year. Council's Acting Manager of Assets & Infrastructure has also assessed additional roads with poor condition ratings from the Council's Asset Management System to ensure the most critical repairs are prioritised. A final list of roads and works will be confirmed in the coming weeks.

Santos Tour Down Under: Road Preparations

Council has received a request for assistance ahead of the 2025 Santos Tour Down Under, which will pass through the Yankalilla District. A recent route survey identified several defects (some on Council-maintained roads) along the race route. Council staff met with Downer Group in mid-September to inspect these roads and outline necessary repairs, which will be prioritised and addressed within the existing budget. Additionally, Council will assist in implementing parking restrictions in key areas along the route to support the event's logistics.

Main South Road: New Overtaking Lanes

The Department for Infrastructure and Transport (DIT) has confirmed the addition of three new overtaking lanes between Myponga and Cape Jervis. These lanes, part of a \$31.8 million project jointly funded by the Australian and South Australian Governments, aim to improve traffic flow and safety along this major route. Preferred locations for the overtaking lanes have been identified at:

- Northbound between Second Valley and Normanville
- Southbound between Delamere and Second Valley
- Northbound between Cape Jervis and Delamere

DIT is now developing a concept design for these overtaking lanes. Further community engagement will take place in September and Council's communications team will share session details once available.

Road Resurfacing on Inman Valley Road

DIT will commence resurfacing works on Inman Valley Road near Yankalilla starting 9 September, with an expected completion date in late October. The work will include line marking and safety barrier installations, with traffic reduced to a single lane during work hours. Council encourages drivers to observe the speed restrictions in place for the safety of workers and the public.

Range Road Parawa: Special Local Roads Project

Following last month's update, we are pleased to confirm that the final design drawings for the Range Road Parawa project were received in August. This allows Council to move forward with the tender process. Engineering contractors are currently reviewing the designs to finalise cost estimates.

Blacker Road Bridge

A review of the proposed replacement design for Blacker Road Bridge by Tonkin Consulting is ongoing. The replacement structure will be fit for purpose, similar in design to the Sargent's Road culvert/ford structure downstream. This will ensure the bridge meets the role and function required for this critical roadway.

Finniss Vale Drive: Addressing Stormwater and Pavement Issues

The road and pavement along Finniss Vale Drive in Second Valley are nearing the end of their lifespan, with significant cracking and stormwater runoff issues affecting local properties. Temporary drainage works are now scheduled for late October, following delays due to supply chain challenges. In addition, Council is re-tendering for consultants to design long-term solutions for both the road and stormwater infrastructure. This project is being prepared for funding consideration in the 2025/26 Special Local Roads Program.

Cape Jervis Jetty Timber Reuse

The Cape Jervis Progress Association (CJPA) has held consultation sessions regarding the reuse of timber salvaged from the Cape Jervis Jetty. These sessions have generated enthusiastic community support and ideas. Council representatives, including the Director of Assets and Environment, participated in these sessions to gather feedback. McMahons, the contractor for the Cape Jervis Port upgrade, has also committed to further community engagement, including support for upcoming local events. The Cape Jervis Jetty Timber Working Party will meet in the coming weeks to review feedback and develop project proposals for timber reuse.



Council Decisions

The following will provide a summary of the decisions made at the 17 September 2024 Ordinary Council Meeting and the 19 September Special Council Meeting. As always, we encourage you to read the complete agenda and minutes to get the details and a greater understanding of topics at www.yankalilla.sa.gov.au/council/agenda-and-minutes

Ordinary Council Meeting held on 17 September 2024

Mayor's Report

The Mayor's report was received. Mayor Darryl Houston spoke on attending the Rapid Bay Primary School Library opening, the Yankalilla Library tapestry unveiling and a financial sustainability workshop hosted by the Local Government Association. The Mayor also spoke about the Cape Jervis Jetty timbers.

Reports of Members, Delegates and Working Parties

Mayor Houston reported on the Citizenship Ceremony held in Chambers.

Cr Rowlands formally apologised to the Mayor, Elected Members, the community and staff.

Cr Quirke attended a number of events, meetings and workshops over the previous three months.

Cr Hatch reported that she has been hosting weekly community catch ups at the Yankalilla Netball Club Clubrooms.

Deputations

Nick Pearce addressed the Gallery and Elected Members about the Parawa Progress Association Meeting of 11 September 2024.

Des Gubbin addressed the Gallery and Elected Members about Agenda Item 14.10 Normanville Pontoon Repairs and Reinstatement.

Questions on Notice

Cr Moffat asked a question regarding the 2015/16 General Rate Review. The question was answered.

Cr Moffat asked a question regarding financial contributions by the council outside of grant processes. The

question was answered.

Cr Gibbs asked a question about plant, machinery and vehicles. The question was answered.

Questions Without Notice

Questions were asked and answered.

Motions on Notice

A Motion on Notice from Cr Olsson regarding an amendment to a road name was carried.

Motions Without Notice

A Motion without Notice from Cr Gibbs to note the 11 September 2024 Parawa Progress Association meeting and to attach the meeting minutes to the Council Meeting's minutes was carried.

Reports of Officers

Civic Awards Policy, Terms of Reference and Assessment Panel

Council received the report and adopted the Civic Awards Policy V3.0 subject to any minor administrative amendments. Council also endorsed the Terms of Reference for the Citizen of the Year Awards Assessment Panel and adopted the Citizen of the Year Awards Assessment Panel for 2024/2025 composition.

Request for Memorial - Grantley Pember

Council received the report and resolved to permit the memorial plaque for Grantley Pember to be designed and installed subject to any regulatory conditions on or near the Second Valley Jetty, in line with the request from the Pember family. Council also resolved that the Council's Cemeteries Operating Policy be reviewed to broaden its scope for the inclusion of memorial plaques in additional appropriate locations across the District.

Tree Management Policy

Council received the report and adopted the Tree Management Policy 2024 subject to any further minor administrative amendments.

Discretionary Rebates of Rates Applications

Council received the report. Council resolved to provide a 75% \$4,560.20 discretionary rebate to the Yankalilla Rapid Bay & Myponga Agricultural

and Horticultural Society Inc (Yankalilla Showgrounds) for the 2024/25 financial year. Council also resolved to provide a 75% \$926.05 discretionary rebate to the Myponga Hall Inc for the 2024/25 financial year and to provide a \$1000 discretionary rebate (as per application) to Yankalilla & District over 50's Club Inc for the 2024/25 financial year.

Representation Review

Council received the report and resolved to commence the Representation Review process. Council endorsed the project plan as proposed by Norman Waterhouse Lawyers, engaged to complete the Representation Review with the District Council of Yankalilla.

Annual Report on Section 270 Internal Review Application/s

Council received the report and noted that in 2023-24 there were zero (0) Section 270 internal review requests received and undertaken.

Yankalilla Dog Park Proposal – Progress to Broad Community Consultation

Council received the report and resolved to approve the commencement of a community and stakeholder engagement process for the proposed dog park at Bungala Reserve, Normanville.

Council also resolved to encourage the Friends of Normanville / Yankalilla Dog Park Committee to support stakeholder engagement efforts and to continue to work with Administration on key elements of design, delivery, cost, compliance obligations, tenure and ongoing responsibilities and that the project return to Council to consider all these elements together with the community feedback at a later date.

Dog and Cat By-law Review

Council received the report and resolved to authorise the CEO to sign the By-laws as made by Council. Council authorised the CEO to publish notice of the making of the By-laws on Councils Website and circulated within a local newspaper and also authorised the CEO to arrange for the By-laws to be published in the Government Gazette.

Feedback on Dog and Cat Management (Cat Management) Amendment Bill 2024

Council received the report and endorsed the letter of feedback titled 'Submission to the Department for Environment and Water Cat management: Updating the Dog and Cat Management Act 1995'. Council resolved that the letter be provided to the Department of Environment and Water for consideration as part of their consultation on the proposed Dog and Cat Management (Cat Management) Amendment Bill 2024.

Normanville Pontoon Repairs and Reinstatement

Council did not resolve to fund the instalment of the pontoon.

Australian Local Government Association National General Assembly Resolutions

Council received the report.

Special Council Meeting held on 19 September 2024

Request for Renewal of Existing Cash Advance Debenture Facility

Council received the report and endorsed the application for renewal of \$350,000 Cash Advance Debenture (CA97) facility currently maturing on 1 October 2024 for a further 12 months.

Monthly Finance Report

Council received the August 2024 Monthly Finance Report.

Capital Projects Update

Council received the September Capital Projects Update Report.

Chief Executive Officer Report

Council received the Chief Executive Officer Report.

Local Government of South Australia President Election

The Council received the report and resolved to vote for Mayor Heather Holmes Ross and authorised the Chief Executive Officer to mark it as appropriate on the ballot and return it to the Local Government Association of South Australia before the close of voting date of 4 November 2024.

Local Government Finance Authority Board of Trustees Member Nominations

The Council received the report, endorsed candidates Michael Sedgman and John Smedley, and authorised the Chief Executive Officer to complete the postal ballot as directed by the Local Government Finance Authority by 11 October 2024.

Confidential Items

Confidential Audit & Risk Committee Meeting Minutes 29 July 2024

Council moved into confidence to receive this report.

Confidential Review of Confidential Items

Council moved into confidence to discuss this agenda item.

Meeting dates

Council meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at 4 pm in the Council Chambers, 1 Charles St, Yankalilla.

Agendas are available the Friday before the meeting and Minutes are available the Friday after the meeting, both on Council's website.

Tuesday, 15 October 2024

Tuesday, 19 November 2024

Elected Member Information & Briefing Sessions

are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 3 pm in a location determined by the CEO.

Agendas are available on the Friday before the session on Council's website.

Tuesday, 1 October 2024 (to be held at the Civic Centre)



Myponga Reservoir

WHAT'S ON

AT THE LIBRARY

OCTOBER 2024

Yankalilla & District Historical Society

Wednesday mornings:

10:00am – 12noon

Assistance with family and local history.

Enquiries: YDHS: 0437 500 013 or email: yank.hist.soc@gmail.com

Advanced Care Directive support sessions

Wednesday October 2 (1st Wed. of each month) 2:00pm & 3:00pm

Would you like information/help filling in Advanced Care Directive forms? Book into a one-on-one session to receive some support from trained volunteers.

Bookings essential*.

Tech @ the Library

Thursdays October 3,10,17,24,31 10:00am, 11:00am & 12:00noon

One-on-one help with technology related questions including Government sites and Apps, mobile phones, tablets, the internet and more.

Bookings essential*.

A Cuppa, A Chat and Craft

Tuesdays October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 from 1:00pm – 3:00pm

A friendly, casual, and relaxed group that gathers to enjoy a chat and have a cuppa while each member starts, finishes, or continues with a craft project of their own.

Come along, cuppa provided.

Bookings not required.

Weaving for wellness

Thursday October 10, 24

1:00pm – 3:00pm

Enjoy the relaxing process of weaving. Discover and develop your creative potential. Share a cuppa and a yarn and make creative connections. Be refreshed and inspired by your creative time out. Become a dream weaver! Craft materials provided.

Wiggle and Giggle

Tuesday October 15,22,29

10:00am – 10:30am

30 minutes of wiggling, jumping, dancing, music, singing and giggling for children 0-5 years (and their parents/grandparents/caregivers!). Bookings not required.



Yankalilla Library Baby Sprouts: sensory play for families, parents, caregivers with babies

Thursdays October 17,24,31

10:00am – 10:30am

Engage in story, song and rhyme which supports early literacy. Get to know other families, bond with your little one and explore the Yankalilla Library.

Yankalilla Library Sprouts: literacy, science, and maths Preschool program.

Thursdays October 17,24,31

10:30am – 11:30am

Read books, sing along, and engage in different activities each week that promote early literacy development, socialising, science discovery, maths, creativity and fun!

Yankalilla Library Sprouts: literacy, science, and maths Preschool program at Rapid Bay Primary School

Fridays October 18, 25

9:30am – 10:30am

Read books, sing along, and engage in different activities each week that promote early literacy development, socialising, science discovery, maths, creativity, band fun.

Bookings essential*.

Ph: (08) 8598 4062

Southern Community Justice Centre

Fridays October 4, 18

10.00am – 1.00pm

Book a free legal advice appointment with a solicitor who can assist with Family, Civil and Criminal law.

Bookings essential*.

Enquiries and bookings:

1300 850 650

Library opening hours:

Tuesday:	10am – 5pm
Wednesday:	10am – 5pm
Thursday:	10am – 5pm
Friday:	10am – 5pm
Saturday:	10am – 1pm

*Events are FREE and held at Yankalilla Library, unless stated otherwise, and bookings may be required

Yankalilla Library

181 Main South Road Yankalilla 5203

Library: 08 8558 2043



WHAT'S ON

AT THE LIBRARY

OCTOBER 2024

Book Club

Next meeting October 18

2:00pm – 3:00pm

Meets every 4 weeks. Join us or register your interest in forming another book club
Bookings essential*.

JP Service @ the Library

Tuesdays October 1,8,15,22,29

11.00am – 12.00noon

Do you need a document certified or witnessed? Stat Dec or ID witnessed for business or legal purposes? Please create copies prior to **appointment**.
No bookings required, just join the queue.

Be a Sphero Hero

Wednesday October 10, 17, 24, 31

3:30pm – 4:30pm

Come and learn the basics of robot navigation and coding, to program Sphero Robots to move through mazes, compete in Sphero bowling, and Sphero Robot Battles.
Ages 7-12. Bookings essential*.

Morning Tea and Tales

Thursday October 31

10:30am - 12:00noon

Come to the Yankalilla Library for a cuppa, scones, and a chat. Every month a guest speaker will share tales of their lives, their connection to our region, or their connection to nature. All ages welcome.

*TO BOOK/CONTACT:

[Humanitix.com/host/yankalillalibrary](https://humanitix.com/host/yankalillalibrary)
library@yankalilla.sa.gov.au

Home Library Service

Delivery - Wednesday 9 October

A free library outreach service to eligible residents. Call the library if you are interested or think you know someone that might be interested.

Local and Family History Service

Every Wednesday morning

10:00am - 12noon

The Yankalilla and District Historical Society are on site at Yankalilla Library, where they provide help with your family and local history enquiries. Bookings are not required for this service.

FOLLOW US ON:

-  facebook.com/YankalillaCommunityLibrary
-  Instagram.com/yankalillalibrary
-  www.yankalilla.sa.gov.au

Did you know:

Visits to our Library are on the increase, well over 10,700 people dropped in during July and August 2024.

We welcome all who seek to browse the collection or take advantage of the state wide One card network, with millions of items to consider.

Public libraries are so much more than books

Be Connected Online Presentations

October: Tue 1 & 22 both at 2:30pm & Thurs 17 at 9:30am,

FREE online session to help older Australians stay safer online. Q&A after session with presenter. Topics: Technology for health, Can you spot a scam? and Protecting personal information. All welcome.
Bookings not required.



Birds: real & imagined – a whimsical watercolour workshop

October 12

10:00am – 12:00 noon

Cost \$20 + booking fee

The Nature Festival is here and artist, Zinia King takes us on a water colour workshop featuring birds. You will learn water colour and bird drawing techniques

Come with a friend and enjoy a bit of creative whimsy!
Bookings essential *



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OCTOBER 2024

Come n' Try Mat Pilates with Bec Fletcher

3 x 60 min monthly classes

Class 2: Saturday 12 October

10:15am – 11:15am

Attend one or more of our classes.

(Class 3 is on 9 Nov)

All levels of fitness and Pilates welcome. Connect mind, and body; increase your core strength, body balance and awareness. *Bookings required, max 15 per class.

School Holiday Program Activities



Nature Exploration

Wednesday October 2

10:30am – 12noon

Cost FREE

Experience nature through STEAM. Construct and play games using natural resources. Make artistic creations. Learn about your natural world.

Only one booking required for the whole family. Suitable for children of all ages, must be accompanied by an adult.

Sphero Little Penguins and light pollution

Thursday October 3

10:30am – 12noon

Cost: FREE

Little Penguins avoid light when walking to their burrows. Measure

the light levels, and program your Sphero robots to avoid brightly lit areas, as Little Penguins do. Science and nature – amazing!

We love nature, seek out our collections!



Come and try Baby Sprouts

Thursday October 10

10:00am – 10:30am

Cost: FREE

Engage in story, song and rhyme which supports early literacy. Get to know other families, bond with your little one and explore the Yankalilla Library. Only one booking required for the whole family. Suitable for children of all ages. Children must be accompanied by an adult

Fairy gardens

Wednesday October 9

10:30am – 12noon

Cost: FREE

Use your imagination and create your own Fairy Garden with all things from nature.

Only one booking required for the whole family. Suitable for children of all ages. Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Nature Lego

Thursday October 10

10:30am – 12noon

Cost: FREE

Build a garden, park, forest, beach with the Lego or Duplo and see it displayed in the Yankalilla Library.

Only one booking required for the whole family.

Suitable for children of all ages.

Children must be accompanied by an adult.

Teen & Youth Event

School Holidays:

Natures Nurture

Friday October 11

1:00- 2:30pm

Using natural products you will get hands on and make your own eco deodorant and natural face mask to take home.

We will also explore some other eco cosmetics you can buy or make at home. Hosted by the Fleurieu Environment Centre

Bookings required - please follow link:

<https://events.humanitix.com/natures-nurture>

Please contact info@flec.com.au with any questions



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WEEKLY EVENTS:

Club Fleurieu:

Monday: Mah-jong, 2pm

Rock and Roll dance class 6.30pm – 7.30pm.

Tuesday: Line dancing, 2pm.

Wednesday: Zumba, 5pm cost \$10.00 per session.

Thursday: Bingo 10.00am.

Friday: Craft, coffee and a chat 10am. Cards 2pm.

Enquiries: Ph 8558 2053.

Lady Bay Hotel:

Friday nights 5pm – 7pm Happy Hour.

Phone 8558 0600 for more information or to book.

Cape Jervis Community Club:

Monday: Yoga 10am to 11am.

Tuesday: Gymnasium 6.00pm or by appointment

Wednesday: Library 12 Noon – 1 pm.

Sew' n Sews 12. Noon to 4.30pm

Thursday: Dinner from 5.30pm.

1st Saturday of the month dinner 5.30pm

Phone: 8598 0088 to book.

Yankalilla Men's Shed

Open weekly behind Club Fleurieu

Tuesday: 9am – 1:30pm

Wednesday 5:30pm – 8:30pm

Friday 9am – 1:30pm

Come visit us: Phone, or email: 0468 370 274

yankalillamensshed@gmail.com

Friday:

Yankalilla Hotel:

Meat tray raffle and draw 7pm. Music is back Check out the website for upcoming entertainment.

www.yankalillahotel.com.au

Caffe Bungala - Fleurieu Culture Club

Friday 4th & 11th October 10am to 12 noon. Café

Bungala, Normanville come along share your story and make new connections.

More information: Phone Chrissie 0417 981 317

WEEKLY EVENTS:

Saturday:

Backyard Universe

Stargazing & Heritage tours on the Fleurieu Peninsula.

www.thebackyarduniverse.com.au 0488 705 224.

Myponga Reservoir parkrun

5km walk or run. 8am start, register at

www.parkrun.com.au Sorry no dogs.

more info mypongareservoir@parkrun.com

Sunday:

Smiling Samoyed

Sunday Sessions 12:30pm – 3:30pm

Smiling Samoyed Brewery.

Book a table for lunch, sit back & relax with live music, pizzas, and craft beer in the Brewery Bar.

For more information and to

book <https://smilingsamoyed.com.au/>

Traditional Yoga at Myponga Hall every Sunday

7am – 8.30am phone 0449 976 526 or 0449 976 762 to secure your spot.

FORTNIGHTLY EVENTS:

Club Fleurieu:

Threads quilting, at 10am.

Threads, spinning and knitting Tuesday at 10am.

Enquiries: Ph 8558 2053 or 0477 111 315

MONTHLY EVENTS:

Club Fleurieu:



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Email cooe@yankalilla.sa.gov.au Web visitfleurieucoast.com.au



Tuesday 8th October: 2024. Club BBQ. 12 Noon.

Bookings required.

Wednesday 16th October: 2024. Club lunch. 12 Noon.

Bookings required.

Friday 25th October: 2024. Happy Hour. 5.00pm,
bookings for dinner required.

Bookings Phone: 8558 2053 or 0477 111 315

MONTHLY EVENTS:

Yankalilla Acoustic Evening

Saturday: 19th October 2024. 7pm.

BYO Drinks and Nibbles.

Gold coin donation entry.

More Info: Phone 0439 861 001

MARKETS:

Second Valley Market.

Sunday 6th October 2024. 10am – 3pm.

Second Valley Soldiers Memorial Hall.

Phone 0417 857 518 for other dates

Yankalilla Market

19th October. Third Saturday of the month. 2024.

Yankalilla Showgrounds. 9am – 1pm.

Contact Mattie 0447 044 721 for more information.

The Recycled Closet Market

Saturday 26th October: 9am -3pm

Yankalilla Hall

More info phone: 0488 965 164

OCTOBER EVENTS

Artist Of The Month – Yankalilla Area School

10th October – 29th October.

Fleurieu Coast Visitor Centre. Mon – Fri 9am – 5pm

Saturday 10am – 2pm, Sunday 10am – 2pm.

What's On at The Library October 2024

Please ask for a flyer or visit

www.yankalilla.sa.gov.au click library and
community – programs and events.

Cape Jervis Community Club Fete

Nature Exploration At Yankalilla Library

Wednesday 2nd October. 10.30 – 12Noon. Free
Yankalilla Library.

Bookings and enquiries: 8558 2043. Email:

library@yankalilla.sa.gov.au

The Art Of Tea And Mindfulness

Wednesday 2nd October. 10.30 – 12.30. \$55.00

Normanville Surf Life Saving Club.

Bookings and enquiries: Noeline Overall 0404 847 938.

Email: noelineoverall@gmail.com

Healing Country – A Bushcare & Cultural Immersion Experience.

Friday 4th October. 10am – 2pm. \$20

Private Property at Second Valley

Bookings and enquiries: Tamarah Horsnell 8406 0500

Email: tamarah@treesforlife.org.au

Fleurieu Marine Education Interactive Stall

Saturday 5th October. Entry to show admission.

Yankalilla Show at Yankalilla Showgrounds.

Enquiries: Fleurieu Marine Education 0403 378 459.

Email enquiry@fleurieumarineeducation.com.au



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Yankalilla Annual Show

Saturday 5th October. 9am – 4pm

Yankalilla Show Grounds.

Adult \$10, Aged Pensioner \$5, Child 5-16 \$5, Under 5 free.

Featuring: Fleurieu Marine Education, Jam the Unicycling Juggler, a climbing wall, The Amazing Drumming Monkeys along with the usual favourites Yalkin Spanish Horses and Fleurieu Antique Rural Machinery.

Space Jams – The Empty Threats

Two-day event Saturday 5th October – Sunday 6th October.

www.events.humanitix.com/space-jams-2024

Intertidal Reef Explorers – Lady Bay

Sunday 6th October. 11am – 12Noon. \$15

HMAS Memorial Lookout

Enquiries: Fleurieu Marine Education 0403 378 459.

Email enquiry@fleurieumarineeducation.com.au

Regine Schwarzer's Open Studio

Sunday 6th October. 10am – 4pm. Free

2a Seaview Crescent, Normanville.

Bookings and enquiries Regine Schwarzer 0412 210 178.

Email: regine@regineschwarzer.com

DIY Eco Face Masks - Youth and teen event

Friday 11th October. 1pm – 2.30pm

Yankalilla Library.

Bookings required: www.flec.com.au/events

Cape Jervis Community Fete

Saturday 12th October. 10am – 3pm.

Cape Jervis Community Club.

Free entertainment, food and drink.

More information: Lilliah 0407 204 459

Manage Stress with Hypnotherapy – Introductory Workshop

Sunday 13th October. 2pm – 4pm. \$105

Carrickalinga, venue will be provided to participants.

Bookings required, please contact Bettina:

0410 276 327

Fleurieu Food & Wine

Mozzarella making & tasting Cut Hill Distillery Gin.

Friday 18th October. 11.30am – 2.30pm. \$99.00pp.

Lost Phoenix Farm, 34 Mount Rosa Rd, Hindmarsh Valley.

Booking essential: Phone 7221 1685

www.fleurieufoodandwine.rezdy.com/665869/exclusive-mozzarella-making-tasting-at-cut-hill-distillery

The Eagles Tribute Show

Friday 25th October. 7pm – 11pm

Lady Bay Resort.

Dinner and show, \$70.00 per person.

Bookings required: bookings@linksladybay.com.au

Or phone 8558 0600.

For tickets only www.stickytickets.com.au

Free Sunday Session – Yank Youth Theatre

Sunday 27th October. 2pm -4pm.

Cape Jervis Community Club.

Workshop for kids with their parents and grandparents. Art, games, creative writing, snacks provided.

More information: Evette 0480 292 920



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