

Division 4 News

Cr Nathan St Ledger



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Delivering more free local community events

Our first community event at Woodlands District Park in Waterford on Sunday, 4 August, was a huge success.

Around 1,500 people attended the afternoon event and enjoyed a free kids disco, with a variety of food trucks and face painting.

A big highlight was the special performance from Silhouette Dance Company, which not only entertained the crowd, but also provided some great tips for those who got on the dance floor.

The Logan Village Lions and Logan Village Scouts added to the festive atmosphere with homemade cakes and treats.

A big thank you to Ray White Waterford for their generous sponsorship, which made this event possible. Your support helped create a memorable experience for everyone.

We're already gearing up for our next free community event and I urge all residents to get involved in these fantastic community gatherings. The event will feature:

- > family-friendly live music
- > fun activities for the kids
- > a selection of great food trucks.

The important details are:

- ☐ Sunday, 3 November, 3 pm 7 pm
- Windaroo Lakes Golf Club

This is just a taste of what's to come for Division 4 as I am working to bring more free events to the community.

Follow my Facebook page for Division 4 event updates.





 Cr St Ledger with representatives from the Silhouette Dance Company and sponsors Ray White Waterford.

Local contacts:

Logan City Council and Logan Water (24 hrs): **3412 3412** Animal Ambulance: **1300 264 625** What's on? **ourlogan.com.au**



Dancers of all ages enjoyed the disco at the free community event at Woodlands District Park.

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Mayor's message



I've got some exciting news for our city. We've just announced an amazing new project in Logan – and the Expressions of Interest for a company to build it are officially open.

If you haven't already heard about the Logan Indoor Sports Centre, it's a multi-purpose indoor

sports facility that our growing city needs, which is being built to an Olympic standard so that it can be used if needed when the Games arrive in 2032.

It's exactly what our fast-growing city needs, because facilities like this inspire young people to reach for the stars. This venue can host a range of sports, para sports and large-scale events, and host 7,000 people inside.

Three levels of government have come together to make this happen. At a cost of \$142 million dollars, it's being jointly funded by the Australian and Queensland governments, with Council providing the land.

The facility will be owned and operated by Logan City Council and is sure to become a beacon for state, national and international sports and events. It's going to be built where the old PCYC is – close to the Logan Entertainment Centre as a great addition to our fantastic events hub.

I'm grateful to local state MPs Linus Power and Cameron Dick, as well as Federal Treasurer Jim Chalmers and Minister for Infrastructure Catherine King, for coming along to the announcement in Logan Central. Hats off to them for recognising the limitless potential of Logan.

Investment like this is exactly what we need to create a brighter future for our kids. With 9 indoor courts across 2 halls, this will leave a legacy from the 2032 Brisbane Olympic and Paralympic Games to benefit our community for decades to come.

Mayor Jon Raven City of Logan

Village Green vision now delivered

The transformation and upgrade of beloved Logan Village Green is now completed.

The Village Green and its facilities is now a vibrant and inclusive space that caters for all ages.

The staged works have taken a lot of planning and project managing and I now look forward to the positive impact this will have on our community.

Key points on the delivered project include:

- This upgrade was delivered on feedback from the community at the Logan Village Forum in 2018.
- > The works included returning the northern end of the Green to turf and seating areas to create a larger events space adjacent to the RSL cenotaph.
- > The upgraded heritage courtyard (between the library and community centre) creates a new quieter space within the Green for locals and visitors to rest and engage in the heritage precinct.
- > Shade was a priority and this has been provided by a new shelter which is a welcome addition, while trees will also create more shade as they grow.
- The Wharf Street frontage has been improved by new bollards, new signage and eye-catching uplighting of surrounding trees.



Preparation is key ahead of wild weather

As we roll into storm season, I urge all residents to be aware and take the necessary steps to prepare for any severe weather or bushfires that could impact our local community.

Having lived in the area all my life, I have experienced my fair share of severe weather events and all I can say is early preparation is key to staying safe and minimising damage.

In the City of Logan, our most common severe weather is storms, which usually occur between September and March.

Preparing for these storms isn't difficult and the benefits can be enormous.

Here are some helpful tips:

- > Prepare an emergency kit and have an emergency evacuation plan.
- > Trim trees and branches and clear garden debris.
- > Check and secure roofing.

- > Clean gutters and downpipes.
- > Secure loose objects in your yard, on your deck or your balcony.

It can be hard to know what to do as severe weather approaches. Here is a guide:

- Register for the free Logan Early Warning service and monitor Council's Disaster Dashboard on the Logan City Council website.
- > Listen to your local radio or TV station for the latest advice and warnings.
- > Put valuables, medications and spare warm clothes in your emergency kit.
- > Shelter and secure pets and animals.
- > Park vehicles undercover or cover with tarpaulins.
- > Secure doors and windows and close curtains.
- > Unplug any unneeded electrical items.
- > Let your family know you are safe and check on neighbours who may need help.

For more information go to Logan City Council's website: **logan.qld.gov.au/prepare**



Bowling into Palm Lakes Bethania and Waterford

It was a blast playing bowls at Palm Lakes Bethania and Waterford a few weeks ago.

We started our day with some friendly competition on their fantastic indoor lawn green.

This was followed by a delicious treat of homemade scones and cream.

It was a pleasure to see so many enthusiastic residents join in the fun.

A special thanks goes to Mayor Jon Raven and Deputy Mayor Scott Bannan from Division 9 for their support in attending the event and getting involved with the residents.

An extra shout-out is deserved for my

amazing bowling partner, Di Douglas, whose skilful play made the game truly enjoyable.

We had a fantastic time connecting with everyone, and I'm looking forward to our next gathering.

Stay tuned for more community events and activities!







