



Division 4 News

Cr Nathan St Ledger



Building a stronger community, one positive step at a time

Residents who use a popular jogging and walking track in Yarrabilba now get a friendly but powerful reminder – you're not alone.

We officially launched the Positive Affirmations Project at Darlington Parklands right after RUOK? Day on 11 September – and it's already making a difference.

Ten powerful messages have been painted on the track, which remind locals that they're seen, supported, and never alone.

This wasn't just a Council initiative, it was community-led.

A big shout-out goes to local resident Jodie McCoy, who reached out with an idea that could impact and give purpose to people in our community who may be doing it tough.

Her drive, alongside students from Yarrabilba State Secondary College, Yarrabilba State School and San Damiano College, helped bring this vision to life.

I was proud to join them at the first official walk along the track, taking in each of the 10 important messages.

These affirmations aren't just paint on concrete – they're lifelines.

Whether you're doing a parkrun, walking the dog, or just clearing your head, one positive word can shift your whole day.



Cr Nathan St Ledger and Jodie McCoy at the Positive Affirmations Project pathway in Darlington Parklands at Yarrabilba..

And soon, a local mental health walk and talk group will use this track too.

Deputy Mayor Scott Bannan nailed it when he recently said: 'Logan is a city that backs its people.'

From the Hope Stairs in Meadowbrook to the bright blue painted trees in Logan Reserve and Cedar Grove, we're building a city that talks about mental health openly.

Not every day is perfect. But it's OK not to be OK.

But despite what's going on in our lives, let's keep checking in, keep showing up, and keep walking the positive path together.

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Animal Ambulance: **1300 264 625**

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Cr Nathan St Ledger with volunteers at the new wheelchair-accessible garden beds at the Yarrabilba Community Garden.

New garden beds sprout in Yarrabilba

I'm absolutely stoked to have supported the Yarrabilba Community Garden group to upgrade their garden beds.

The project was proudly funded by the Division 4 Local Infrastructure Program.

This is an example of locals coming together to create something special for our community.

The upgrade included new wheelchair-accessible garden beds and new edgings made of treated timber sleepers, which now make the garden beds more accessible and functional for everyone.

Seeing locals roll up their sleeves and pitch in is a real

testament to our strong community connections and projects like this deliver real outcomes.

The Yarrabilba Community Garden, at Shaw Oval on Darlington Drive, is a shining example of what happens when locals work together with a shared purpose.

It's not just about growing veggies – it's about growing friendships, skills, and a sense of belonging.

A big shout-out goes to the volunteers who are making this happen.

As the local Councillor, I'll keep backing initiatives that make our community a better place to live, work and play.



Cr Nathan St Ledger with Logan Village Probus Club Secretary Angela Philbey.

Cheers to a year of connection and community for Probus Club

This October marked a huge milestone for the Logan Village Probus Club.

They celebrated their 1st birthday!

And what a year it's been. From a standing start to a full house of 120 members (plus a waiting list), it's clear this group has struck a chord in our community.

Their birthday bash was more than just a celebration. It was also a chance to honour the friendships, fun, and community spirit that have flourished over the past year.

I was proud to celebrate this important milestone alongside such a passionate bunch of hard-working local residents.

It was a real privilege to share in the laughs, stories, and energy that make Logan Village shine.

To the Committee and every member of the Probus Club, you've built something truly special.

Thanks for letting me be part of the journey and here's to many more birthdays, good yarns, and shared memories ahead.

From Council to Country: A true local moment at Woodstock Farm

I had the absolute pleasure of heading out to the Tamborine Rodeo at Woodstock Farm on Saturday, 30 August and what a cracker of a day it was!

From bull riding to barrel racing, the energy was electric, and the crowd was buzzing.

These events aren't just about the action in the ring. They are also about mateship, community spirit and keeping our rural traditions alive.

I caught up with plenty of locals, volunteers, and rodeo legends who make this event what it is.

Hats off to the organisers for putting on such a well-run show, and in particular Woodstock Farm Chief Executive Officer Ian Frame, who continues to steer this amazing facility from strength to strength.

It's community-led days like this that

make me proud to represent our area and I love being part of it.

The Woodstock Farm rodeo is a true celebration of country life – hard work, resilience, and a whole lot of heart.

I even managed to sneak in a few yarns with some of the young riders and stock handlers. Their passion and grit were inspiring, and it's great to see the next generation stepping up.

Thanks to everyone who came out and made it a memorable day.

The Woodstock Farm rodeo continues to grow each year, and with strong community backing and Logan City Council support, it will remain a cherished tradition for generations to come.

Until next time, keep supporting local and backing our bush communities.



Cr Nathan St Ledger (right) with Youth Enterprise Trust and Woodstock Farm CEO Ian Frame.

Mayor's message



We all live in Logan for a reason – whether it's backyards and big dreams, great parks and schools, community spirit or affordability.

Council works with the community to protect what we love and transform areas that still need work.

We've wrapped up 9 weeks of community consultation on Logan Plan – the blueprint for where homes, jobs, industry and community facilities go, and how we keep our community spirit as we grow.

You asked us to cut red tape and make it easier to buy a home, so we've proposed terrace housing, giving first-home buyers and downsizers more options. We also flagged ecotourism opportunities and practical ways to boost our nighttime economy, so our suburbs feel safe and welcoming after dark.

We heard your concerns about flood mapping loud and clear. Your Councillors and I are working with staff on solutions based on your feedback. This is long-term policy, so we need to get it right before the flood maps become permanent. We're starting with changes to the flood portal, and also want to change policies and improve the mapping.

Council will consider every submission, report back to Councillors, and provide a response to every submission through the *Logan Plan - Public Consultation Report 2025*. Parts of the draft may be revised, then the State Government will review it. If approved, Logan Plan is expected to come into effect in late 2026.

Thank you to all who had a say. You're helping shape the city our kids will inherit. If you didn't have a chance to make a submission, I am always open to hearing your ideas and suggestions.

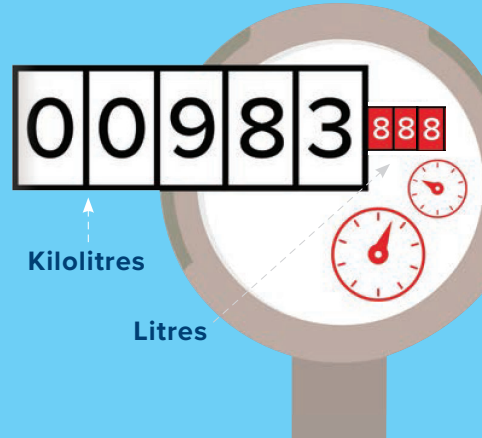
Council will keep refining Logan Plan and our vision for the next 50 years with your help. Logan's future is bright because we're building it together.

Mayor Jon Raven



Avoid a leak, take a peek!

1. Turn off all taps and water-using appliances in the property.
2. Is there any movement in the red digits or dials of your water meter? Any movement may indicate a leak.
3. To check – read your meter and record the number, keep your taps and water using appliances off for one hour. Read your meter again, record the second reading. If the reading has changed, this may indicate a leak. We suggest contacting a registered plumber to investigate further.



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Time to check your pool is kid-safe



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