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# A message from the Mayor



## Love your own backyard

My family has lived in Hume for over 50 years and I'm immensely proud of our community and everything we have to offer.

There are many local food precincts, parks, wineries and events for you to enjoy; and as the gateway for visitors to Melbourne, I encourage you to share these with your friends and family.

By supporting and sharing everything Hume City has to offer, we support local businesses and jobs. To find out more of what's happening throughout our wonderful city this autumn please follow @discoverhume.

## Welcome to the second edition of Hume Highlight

I hope you enjoyed the first edition of Hume's new community magazine, featuring highlights from the vibrant summer in our city, practical tips, and updates from your local councillors.

This autumn edition will explore similar themes and I'm excited to announce that Hume Highlight will now be delivered to more locations in Hume City, to ensure we continue to reach as much of our community as possible.

During the summer holidays, I was pleased to see our community come together to illuminate streets for the 'Make Hume Shine' Christmas lights competition, and celebrate the top three displays. The Timor Cup triumphantly returned to Hume after a 10-year hiatus, uniting the Timorese diaspora and highlighting Council's special friendship with Timor-Leste. And finally, we hosted the Wheelchair Tennis Opens at Craigieburn Tennis Centre, featuring the world's best players, serving as a lead-in to the Australian Open.

## Acknowledging and celebrating our past

Over the coming months, Hume residents will have the opportunity to reflect and celebrate the contributions our older generations have made to our community.

Our city shares a unique tie to the Anzac story, as the Lighthorse men trained here before Gallipoli. The enduring friendship between the Johnnies and the Mehmeets started here. On Anzac Day I will be reflecting on this story and the many people from my own family who made the ultimate sacrifice for this country in both world wars. I know many in Hume will take time to reflect on such stories.

We will also see the return of the iconic Sunbury Rock Festival, this year known as Sunbury '24, to celebrate 50 years since the original events. You can read more about it later in this edition.

**Cr Naim Kurt**  
Mayor of Hume City



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Hume City Council recognises the rich Aboriginal heritage within the municipality and acknowledges the Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung, which includes the existing family members of the Gunung-Willam-Balluk clan, as the Traditional Custodians of this land.

Council embraces Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander living cultures as a vital part of Australia's identity and recognises, celebrates and pays respect to Elders past, present and future.



HUME CITY COUNCIL PRESENTS

# CRAIGIEBURN FESTIVAL

FREE EVENT



## Craigieburn Festival returns on Saturday 2 March

20,000 guests to enjoy one of Hume's favourite events

Craigieburn Festival returns on Saturday 2 March from 12pm – 9.30pm! This free event promises a jam-packed day of activities for all the family to enjoy at Craigieburn Anzac Park.



### Conrad Sewell takes centre stage

The headline performer will be none other than the sensational Conrad Sewell.

Sewell won "Song of the Year" at the ARIA Music Awards for his #1 Platinum single "Start Again". Sewell's next single, "Who you lovin", also achieved gold sales status in Australia.

The Brisbane-born singer and songwriter has been singing professionally from a young age and with his soulful voice, Sewell is sure to get the crowd singing and dancing.

### Live music, activities and stalls

The festival stage will be a vibrant showcase of local dance groups, multicultural music and local musicians such as Kerala Hindu Society, DanceXclusive, FREEZA youth entertainment, and Rance Lazarus.

There will be many stalls as well as free kids activities including face painting, an animal farm, reptiles and creative craft to keep you entertained for hours. Local art and demonstrations will be at the Craigieburn Art Show at the Hume Global Learning Centre.

### Carnival rides and food from across the globe

Classic carnival rides will add an extra dash of adrenaline to your day. You will find rides like Dodgems, Sizzler, Skyflyer, Music Trip, Dragon Coaster, Pirates Nest and more. All rides will be \$5 before 5pm.

There will also be an array of food trucks featuring cuisines from around the world.



### Fireworks

Prepare to be mesmerised by a dazzling display of fireworks that will light up the night sky.

This is a non-ticketed event, but you can sign up to receive important updates and the festival program by visiting [hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival](http://hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival) or by scanning the QR code.

Learn more



# Sunbury Pop Festival: A look back at Australian music's coming of age

In a quiet slice of rural Hume City, nestled between Sunbury and Diggers Rest, lies an important piece of Australian music history. You can't tell by looking at it now, but 50 years ago over 35,000 live music fans from all over descended on Duncan's Farm to attend The Sunbury Pop Festival that ran from 1972 to 1975.

Prior to 1972, Australians had hosted two Woodstock-style festivals, but what would take place on this unassuming patch of land would eclipse them both and take the music scene by storm.

Gil Mathews, drummer for "Billy Thorpe and the Aztecs - the biggest Australian band at the time of the Sunbury Pop (also known as Sunbury Rock) festival - rightfully attributes the title of "Australia's Woodstock" to the four-year music revolution.

"We headlined, being one of the biggest bands of the time, and playing to 35,000 people. None of the other festivals had that amount so it was where you wanted to be."

Sunbury Pop Festival quickly fell into the category of "you have to be there", a sentiment shared by artists like Gil, and members of the public.

Former Gladstone Park resident Jock Delalande recalls missing the first festival in 1972, but not making that mistake twice.



"After the first festival in '72, word got around that it was where to go to see all the big Australian bands, and it was massive! And that's all that matters...put good bands on, people will come."

Both Gil and Jock remember it as a time that Australian music was coming of age, and the festival came along at the perfect time to bottle the new sound; out with the hippie, in with the pub rock!

"Right at that time," recalls Gil, "Australian bands started playing loud, writing their own songs, telling music companies what they wanted. To an extent [Sunbury Pop Festival] brought this new style of music to people en masse."

He adds that it was ahead of its time in more ways than one.

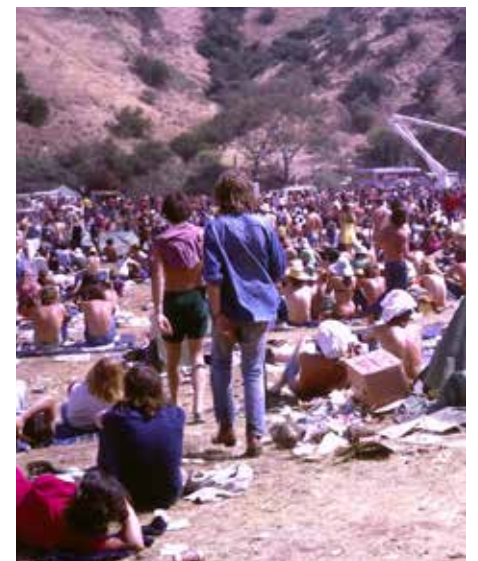
"It was the first time a PA had been together like that, blaring at 1000 watts the Aztecs set was recorded and earned us gold records!"

The new sound of Australian music was coming alive in Hume, and as both men agree, Sunbury Pop Festival was all about good times, and neither has ever met a person that's had a bad word to say about their time there.

Of course, that's not to speak of legends Queen being harassed by the crowd in 1974 (the international, and at the time unknown, act got on stage late. Uncool man!).

That aside, the legacy for Sunbury remains untarnished. It was about good music and good vibes. Top bands wanted to be there, locals had to get a ticket - and it put our pocket of the world firmly in the history books.

For the 50 years since Sunbury Festival's origins, music festivals have remained a rite of passage for some, and a music mecca for others in search of tunes and good times... leaving the door open for Sunbury '24 to make its mark one the modern scene.



Photographs by Barry Michaels



# Sunbury '24: celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Sunbury Pop Festival



Saturday 13 April 2024, 2pm – 9pm

The Nook, Vaughan Street, Sunbury

Tickets: \$30 Adult (with proof of ID)

**Under 18 free of charge** (must be accompanied by an adult at all times as this is a licensed event)

## Sunbury '24 festival is a new music and arts program celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Sunbury Pop Festival.

Known as Australia's version of Woodstock, the original festival hosted renown artists including Billy Thorpe and the Aztecs, Queen, Deep Purple, Renee Geyer and many more. It paved the way for many live music events in Australia including Big Day Out and Splendor in the Grass demonstrating its cultural legacy.

Boasting a program in celebration of the Sunbury Pop Festivals from the early 70s, Sunbury '24 will feature artists who performed there 50 years ago, as well as contemporary Australian artists.

*"I feel very connected to Sunbury '24, having worked with many of the artists who played the original Sunbury Festivals. This year we are honoured to have a number of these legends perform together with awesome contemporary artists. The significance of this 50-year anniversary is undeniable, a legacy that marks a pivotal moment in Australian music history."*

Dorian West, Artistic Director Sunbury '24.

The official festival lineup includes Ross Wilson, Richard Clapton, The Black Sorrows, and more.

An on-site exhibition will bring the memory of the original festivals to life. There will also be lots of delicious food and beverages from local businesses to enjoy!

For tickets, full lineup and more information visit [hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24](http://hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24) or scan the QR code.

Learn more



## Exhibition and public program

**Sunbury Gallery Exhibition: March – May 2024 | Public program: April 2024**

Sunbury '24 will include a historical exhibition in the Sunbury Gallery, which will feature photographs, a program of talks and more.

The exhibition will dip into the rich archive of popular memory of the festival and reflect on the significance of the 50th Anniversary.

Find out more at [hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24](http://hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24) or scan the QR code.

Learn more



# News in your language (Arabic and Turkish)

## حاويات الطعام والحديقة

اعتبارًا من شهر تموز/ يوليو، ستحصل جميع الأسر على حاوية للطعام والحديقة. إذا لم يكن لديك حاوية لها غطاء أخضر ساطع في منزلك حاليًا، فسيتم تسليمك واحدة بين نيسان/أبريل وحزيران/يونيو. سيتم تفريغ حاويتك الجديدة اعتبارًا من 1 تموز/ يوليو، لذا انتظر حتى ذلك الحين قبل البدء في استخدامها.

عندما تذهب نفايات الطعام إلى مكبات النفايات الأرضية، فإنها تخلق غازات الاحتباس الحراري التي تساهم في تغير المناخ. في المتوسط، أكثر من 40% مما يضعه سكان هيوم في حاويات القمامة الخاصة بهم (بالوزن) هو نفايات طعام.

من خلال توفير حاوية خضراء لكل أسرة، يمكننا تحويل طعامك ومخلفات حديقتك إلى سماد يعيد العناصر الغذائية إلى التربة. لمزيد من المعلومات بلغتك حول حاوية الطعام والحديقة، قم بزيارة [hume.vic.gov.au/green-bin-faqs](http://hume.vic.gov.au/green-bin-faqs)

## Snap Send Solve – طريقة جديدة للإبلاغ

يمكنك الآن الإبلاغ عن المشكلات بدون مكالمات هاتفية أو بريد إلكتروني باستخدام Snap Send Solve. قم بالإبلاغ عن المشكلات مثل القمامة الملقاة وممرات المشاة التالفة ومعدات الملعب المكسورة والحفر والمزيد في بضعة خطوات فقط. قم بتنزيل التطبيق والتقاط صورة وإرسالها إلينا. ستتلقى أيضًا تحديثات عن عملية الإصلاح في الوقت الذي نبدأ فيه في حل طلباتك!



يعود برنامج Hume Highlight بالإصدار الثاني خريف 2024! لا يزال متاحًا للاستلام في المواقع المعروفة حول مدينة هيوم. نحن متحمسون لإدراج هذا القسم من المجلة باللغتين التركية والعربية، وهما اللغتان الأكثر استخدامًا في المنازل في هيوم، غير الانجليزية.

## المعلومات بلغتك

لقد أطلقنا قسمًا جديدًا على موقعنا يحتوي على معلومات حول خدمات وموارد البلدية بلغتك. يمكنك حاليًا عرض المعلومات باللغة العربية والتركية والصينية (الماندرين) والبنجابية واليونانية والإيطالية والاشورية والفارسية والنيبالية والأوردو والفيتنامية والهندية. لمعرفة المزيد، قم بزيارة [www.hume.vic.gov.au/Information-in-your-language](http://www.hume.vic.gov.au/Information-in-your-language)

## يعود مهرجان Craigieburn Festival يوم السبت 2 آذار/مارس

سيعود هذا الحدث المجتمعي المجاني إلى Craigieburn Anzac Park من الساعة 12 ظهرًا حتى 9.30 مساءً يوم السبت 2 آذار/مارس. يضم المهرجان ألعاب الكرنفال والترفيه وأكشاك التسوق والأكشاك المجتمعية وشاحنات الطعام وأنشطة الأطفال والألعاب النارية، وسيجد كل شخص ما يستمتع به في المهرجان! لا تحتاج لشراء تذاكر لحضور هذا الحدث، لكننا نشجعك على تسجيل اهتمامك بالحضور على [www.hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival](http://www.hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival) للبقاء على اطلاع دائم بأخبار وإعلانات المهرجان.

## نقدم لكم مهرجان Sunbury '24 Festival الجديد

Sunbury '24 هو برنامج جديد ومثير للموسيقى والفنون يحتفل بالذكرى الخمسين لمهرجان Sunbury Pop Festival. استضاف مهرجان Sunbury Pop Festival الأصلي، المعروف بالنسخة الأسترالية من Woodstock، عددًا من الفنانين بما في ذلك كوين وبيلي ثورب والأزتيك وديب بيربل وغيرهم. سيقدم Sunbury '24 برنامجًا للاحتفال بمهرجانات Sunbury الأصلية، بقيادة المدير الفني دوريان ويست.

ستقام الفعالية من الساعة 2 ظهرًا حتى 9 مساءً يوم السبت 13 نيسان/أبريل في The Nook، شارع Vaughan في Sunbury، وستوجب حجز التذاكر للحدث. لمزيد من المعلومات حول التذاكر والفقرات بالكامل، قم بزيارة [www.hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24](http://www.hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24)



**Hume Highlight, 2024 Sonbaharı için ikinci baskısıyla geri dönüyor! Hala Hume City çevresindeki popüler yerlerde bulabilirsiniz. Derginin bu bölümünde Hume'daki evlerde İngilizce dışında en çok konuşulan iki dil olan Türkçe ve Arapça'ya da yer vermekten heyecan duyuyoruz.**

### **Kendi dilinizde bilgi**

İnternet sitemizde Belediye hizmetlerimiz ve kaynaklarımız hakkında sizin dilinizde bilgiler içeren yeni bir bölüm yayınladık. Şu anda Arapça, Türkçe, Çince (Basitleştirilmiş), Pencapça, Yunanca, İtalyanca, Süryanice, Farsça, Nepalce, Urduca, Vietnamca ve Hintçe dillerinde bilgi görüntüleyebilirsiniz. Daha fazla bilgi için [www.hume.vic.gov.au/Information-in-your-language](http://www.hume.vic.gov.au/Information-in-your-language) adresini ziyaret edin

### **Craigieburn Festivali 2 Mart Cumartesi günü geri geliyor**

Bu ücretsiz toplumsal etkinlik 2 Mart Cumartesi günü 12:00 - 21:30 saatleri arasında Craigieburn Anzac Park'a geri gelecek. Karnaval oyuncakları, canlı eğlence, pazar tezgahları, topluluk tezgahları, yiyecek kamyonları, çocuk etkinlikleri ve havai fişek gösterilerinin yer aldığı festivalde herkesin eğlenebileceği bir şeyler var! Bu etkinliğe katılmak için bilet almanıza gerek yoktur, ancak festival haberleri ve duyurularından haberdar olmak için [www.hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival](http://www.hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival) adresinden katılmak istediğinizi belirtmenizi öneririz.

### **Yeni Sunbury '24 Festivalimiz ile tanışın**

Sunbury '24, Sunbury Pop Festivali'nin 50. yıl dönümünün kutlandığı heyecan verici yeni bir müzik ve sanat programıdır. Woodstock'un Avustralya versiyonu olarak bilinen orijinal Sunbury Pop Festivali Queen, Billy Thorpe & The Aztecs, Deep Purple ve daha birçok sanatçıyı ağırlamıştır. Sunbury '24'te Sanat Yönetmeni Dorian West önderliğinde orijinal Sunbury festivallerinin kutlandığı bir program sunulacak.

Sunbury'deki Vaughan St'de bulunan The Nook'ta 13 Nisan Cumartesi günü saat 14:00 - 21:00 arasında gerçekleşecek olan etkinlik biletli olacaktır. Biletler ve programın tamamı hakkında daha fazla bilgi için [www.hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24](http://www.hume.vic.gov.au/sunbury-24) adresini ziyaret edin.



### **Gıda ve bahçe çöp kutusu**

Temmuz ayından itibaren tüm hanelerde bir gıda ve bahçe çöp kutusu bulunacak. Evinizde parlak yeşil kapaklı çöp kutusu yoksa Nisan ve Haziran ayları arasında bir tane teslim edilecektir. Yeni çöp kutunuz boşaltılmaya 1 Temmuz'dan itibaren başlanacaktır, bu nedenle kullanmaya başlamak için bu tarihi bekleyin.

Gıda atıkları çöp sahasına gittiğinde iklim değişikliğine sebep olan sera gazları oluşturur. Ortalama olarak, Hume sakinlerinin çöp kutularına attıklarının (ağırlık olarak) %40'ından fazlası gıda atığıdır.

Her eve bir yeşil çöp kutusu sağlayarak gıda ve bahçe atıklarınızı besin maddelerini toprağa geri kazandıran komposta dönüştürebiliriz.

Gıda ve bahçe çöp kutusu hakkında kendi dilinizde daha fazla bilgi için [hume.vic.gov.au/green-bin-faqs](http://hume.vic.gov.au/green-bin-faqs) adresine gidin

### **Çek Gönder Çöz (Snap Send Solve): Bildirimde bulunmanın yeni bir yolu**

Artık Çek Gönder Çöz'ü kullanarak telefon görüşmesi veya e-posta olmadan sorunları bildirebilirsiniz. Atılmış çöpler, zarar görmüş kaldırımlar, kırık oyun parkı ekipmanları, çukurlar gibi sorunları ve daha fazlasını sadece birkaç adımda bildirin. Uygulamayı indirin, bir fotoğraf çekin ve bize gönderin. Ayrıca taleplerinizi çözmeye başladığımızda durum ilerleme güncellemeleri alacaksınız!

# The great green bin roll-out

From July, every household in Hume will have a food and garden bin.



Did you know... that keeping food waste out of landfill can have a big impact on climate change? When organic material breaks down in landfill it creates methane, one of the most damaging greenhouse gases.

By weight, over 40% of what goes in the average household garbage bin in Hume is food. What a waste! Instead, we can turn food scraps and garden

clippings into compost, which can be fed back into the soil.

That's why, between April and June, we will begin delivering food and garden bins (the green bin) to households that don't have one yet.

Once your new bin arrives, you will need to keep it safe until collections start from 1 July.

This bin will be used to recycle your food scraps and garden clippings, rather than sending them to landfill.

If your house already has a green bin, don't worry – nothing is changing. You can keep putting your green bin out every fortnight as usual. Garbage bins will continue to be collected weekly.

## Fast facts

- From July, every home in Hume will have a food and garden (green) bin
- If you don't have a green bin we will deliver one to you between April and June
- We will start collecting the new green bins from 1 July
- Green bins will be collected every two weeks, on the alternate week to recycling bins
- If you already have a green bin, it will still be collected as usual
- Your garbage bin will still be collected weekly

Learn more



For more details, go to [hume.vic.gov.au/green-bin](http://hume.vic.gov.au/green-bin) or scan the QR code.

Advertisement for Snap Send Solve app. It features a smartphone displaying the app interface with the text 'A new way to report issues' and illustrations of a hand holding a phone and a hand holding a pencil. To the right, there are buttons for 'Download on the App Store' and 'ANDROID APP ON Google play'.



## Help report problems in the community

We're making it easier to report problems with Snap Send Solve! Snap Send Solve allows you to report issues to us while you're on the go without the need for a phone call or email. Report issues such as dumped rubbish, damaged footpaths, broken playground equipment, potholes and more in just a few steps. You will also receive progress updates along the way as we get on to solving your requests!

Scan the QR code to start snapping.

Learn more





# Celebrating your Hume Highlights in our photography competition

## Sharing your favourite spaces and places across Hume

To celebrate the launch of Hume Highlight, we asked you to share your photos of Hume in our photography competition.

We received wonderful entries across two categories, natural landscapes and built environment, that showcase the variety of amazing places and spaces in Hume.

The competition was decided via a vote on our online platform Participate Hume, and the lucky winners received a \$500 gift card for first place and a \$250 gift card for second place.

Congratulations to our winners!

### Natural landscapes in Hume



1st

**Waddle Waddle** by Vedia Y, Dallas resident.  
Description: Geese at Jack Roper reserve in Broadmeadows

### Built environment in Hume



1st

**Families Fun Flora and Fauna** by Roy D, Dallas resident.  
Description: Garrgaling-Biik Wetland at Seabrook Reserve, Broadmeadows.



2nd

**Enjoying the summer evening** by Anita P, Craigieburn resident.  
Description: Taken at the lake near Stockland Highlands



2nd

**Knock Knock** by Vedia Y, Dallas resident.  
Description: This is the side door of the historic Scots Church in Campbellfield.

Make sure you keep sharing your Hume Highlights by tagging **#HumeCityCouncil @HumeCityCouncil** on Instagram.

To check out all the photos and competition winners scan the QR code.

Learn more



# News in your neighbourhood



## Aitken Ward

Craigieburn (part of), Kalkallo, Mickleham, Oaklands Junction (part of), Roxburgh Park, Yuroke.

### Information in your language

With Hume City residents speaking over 150 different languages, it is important that we support our multicultural communities by making information accessible. We have launched a new section on the Hume City Council website that contains translated information about Council services and resources. You can view information in Arabic, Turkish, Chinese (Simplified), Punjabi, Greek, Italian, Assyrian, Farsi, Nepali, Urdu and Vietnamese. To find out more visit [hume.vic.gov.au/information-in-your-language](http://hume.vic.gov.au/information-in-your-language)

### Hume solar information sessions

To make it easier for Hume residents to install rooftop solar, Council has partnered with not-for-profit energy experts Yarra Energy Foundation (YEF) and accredited solar provider Green Home Green Planet. I encourage you to attend a free solar information session to learn how rooftop solar can work for your household, as well as how to take up Victorian Government and Hume City Council rebates. To find out more please visit [humesolarprogram.org.au](http://humesolarprogram.org.au)

### See you at Craigieburn Festival

I encourage you all to attend our much-loved, annual Craigieburn Festival that will take place at Craigieburn Anzac Park from 12pm – 9.30pm on Saturday 2 March. There is something for everyone in the family to enjoy including lots of kids' activities, food trucks, community stalls, live entertainment and fireworks. You don't need tickets to attend this free event, but I encourage you to register your interest in attending at [hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival](http://hume.vic.gov.au/craigieburn-festival)

### Green bins for every home

From July, all households will have a food and garden bin for their food scraps and garden clippings. Keeping organic material out of landfill is an important part of reducing carbon emissions. Look out for more information – and your new green bin, if you don't already have one – over the coming months. I encourage all residents to start recycling their food scraps from July.

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# Jacksons Creek Ward

Attwood (part of), Bulla, Clarkfield (part of), Diggers Rest (part of), Keilor (part of), Melbourne Airport, Oaklands Junction (part of), Sunbury, Tullamarine (part of), Westmeadows (part of), Wildwood.



## A day to reflect

Anzac Day gives us the opportunity to pause and reflect on the service and sacrifice of those who have served in defence of our nation, and those who continue to serve today. I encourage you to join me in honouring their contribution this Anzac Day on Thursday 25 April, by attending local commemoration services in Hume City.

Cr Jarrod Bell

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## A new way to report

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Cr Trevor Dance

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## Sunbury '24 Festival

After many years of lobbying to get the Sunbury Festival recognised as one of the landmark rock events of its time, we are pleased to announce that it's back! Artists from all over Australia, including many that were there back in '72 such as Ross Wilson and Richard Clapton, can't wait to perform. And we remember the great Mike Gudinsky, one of the original organisers back in the day. Looking forward to seeing you there!

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# Meadow Valley Ward

Attwood (part of), Broadmeadows, Campbellfield, Coolaroo, Craigieburn (part of), Dallas, Fawkner (part of), Gladstone Park, Greenvale, Jacana, Meadow Heights, Somerton, Westmeadows (part of).

## Do you have a great idea for Council? 2024/25 Council Plan and Budget

Hume City is beginning its most consultative budget process ever and we want your input to ensure the 24/25 Council Plan and Budget delivers the ideas and projects you want. This is your chance to share your great ideas for local park upgrades, new toilets, sporting and community facilities, and more! To find out more please visit [participate.hume.vic.gov.au](https://participate.hume.vic.gov.au), or reach out to your local councillor with your proposal.

## Hume Enviro Champions

If you are passionate about nature or sustainability and you live, work, study or volunteer in Hume City, we want you to apply to our 2024 Hume Enviro Champions Program! The annual program provides 10-weeks of free training to develop, implement and evaluate environmental projects in the community. Applications are open now! To find out more visit [hume.vic.gov.au/enviro-champs](https://hume.vic.gov.au/enviro-champs)

## Event & Arts Grants

I encourage all creative residents to apply for two grants that will help bring vibrant events and arts to Hume. The 2024/25 Event Grants are open until Monday 4 March and are designed to support events that celebrate our diverse community. The 2024 Arts Grants are open until Monday 11 March and are designed to support applicants committed to their chosen field of art. To apply please visit [hume.vic.gov.au/event-grants](https://hume.vic.gov.au/event-grants) or [hume.vic.gov.au/arts-grants](https://hume.vic.gov.au/arts-grants).

## New library kiosks

Three new self-service library kiosk machines have been installed in Hume City, including one at the Greenvale West Community Centre. These kiosks allow you to borrow books, return your library items, or click and collect a book. These easy-to-use and free kiosks have been rolled out in key locations so that you can use our library service, even if you can't get to a library!

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# What's on in Hume

## Craigieburn Festival

Sat 2 March  
12pm – 9.30pm  
Craigieburn Anzac Park

## Sunbury '24 Festival

Sat 13 April, 2pm – 9pm  
The Nook, Sunbury

## Waste education events

Learn more about our waste services, including how to use your food and garden bin at [hume.vic.gov.au/waste-education](http://hume.vic.gov.au/waste-education)

## Hume Clean Day

Sat 2 March, 8am – 4pm  
Bolinda Road Resource Recovery Centre, Campbellfield & Sunbury Resource Recovery Centre



## Tree mulching

10am – 2.30pm  
Sun 7 April  
Sunbury Depot

Sun 21 April  
Coolaroo Depot

Sun 5 May, Greenvale Recreation Centre

## Solar information sessions

Thu 29 February  
6.30pm – 8pm  
Hume Global Learning Centre – Sunbury

Wed 27 March  
6.30pm – 8pm  
Broadmeadows Community Hub



## Libraries events

### In Conversation with Erina Reddan

Broadmeadows Library  
Thu 11 April  
6.30pm – 7.30pm

Craigieburn Library  
Sat 16 March, 11am – 12pm

### Writing a Psychological Memoir

Craigieburn Library  
Sat 13 April, 11am – 1pm

Sunbury Library  
Thu 14 March  
6.30pm – 7.30pm

Tullamarine Library  
Sat 20 April  
9.30am – 11.30am

### Stories With Spice

Craigieburn Library  
Sat 2 March, 11am – 12pm

### Trivia Night

Craigieburn Library  
Thu 11 April, 6pm – 7.30pm



# Connect with us

We're open from  
8am – 5pm,  
Monday to Friday

Broadmeadows  
1079 Pascoe Vale Road  
Craigieburn  
75 – 95 Central Park Avenue  
Sunbury  
40 Macedon Street

9205 2200

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