



World-famous Harlem
Globetrotters at The W!

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Harlem Globetrotters visit The W: Walkerville Recreation Centre

On Wednesday, 24 June 2026, the world-famous Harlem Globetrotters visited The W: Walkerville Recreation Centre for a fun-filled afternoon.



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During the visit, the Harlem Globetrotters really put on a performance for the kids, showing their basketball skills! The kids were then able to engage in basketball skills clinics, get photos, and signings from the players.



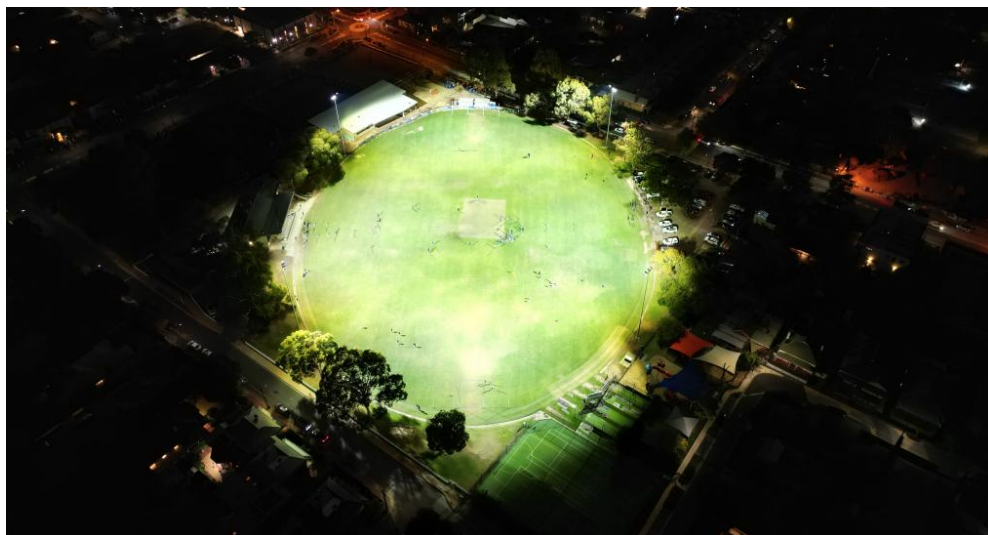
The private event was hosted by Mega Rewards and supported by Hustle Squad Basketball and Childhood Cancer Association.

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Consultation is open on the Levi Oval & Vale Street Masterplan

The Town of Walkerville has developed a draft Masterplan, including 3D perspectives, for Levi Oval and Vale Street.



The proposed changes aim to address increasing demand for sporting facilities, driven by strong growth in female and junior participation and the capacity pressures currently being experienced at Walkerville Oval.

The recommended changes have come about as a result of Town of Walkerville's long-standing commitment to improving the facilities within the Township as part of its major projects strategy. The proposed scope of works would include the following:

- new sports lighting for Levi Oval, suitable for junior sports and training sessions. Lighting would include three 25-metre high poles with LED fittings that are specifically designed to minimise light spill to surrounding areas and neighbouring properties. The proposed lighting will be at a lower level brightness for junior sport and training, compared to the lighting at Walkerville Oval, which is lit for senior sport and match practice;
- 18 new parallel parking bays on Vale Street (south side), along with footpath and landscaping works to integrate the new parking layout;
- formalised Levi Oval carpark (increased to 21 car parks) located off of Lansdowne Terrace; and
- new indented location for Bus Stop 13.

The proposed Masterplan will include the following benefits:

- the lighting will allow Levi Oval to be used during nighttime hours for both training and junior sports;
- the addition of 18 parallel parking spaces on Vale Street will address the existing lack of parking at Levi Oval, making the oval more accessible for users; and
- the revised Levi Oval carpark will provide additional parking spaces to further improve the oval's accessibility.

In addition, the playground is due for renewal as part of the 2027/28 Capital Renewal Program.

The proposed works will not impact the established palm trees along the fence line, and any minor planting affected will be limited to recently established vegetation, with relocation undertaken where feasible.

You can provide feedback on this proposed development in one of these ways:

- Undertake the brief online survey below;
- Complete a hard copy survey, which is available at the Civic & Community Centre;
- Email your submission to walkerville@walkerville.sa.gov.au (External link) with the subject line "Levi Oval & Vale Street Masterplan"; or
- Provide a written submission by posting to:
The Strategic Projects Coordinator
Levi Oval & Vale Street Masterplan
Town of Walkerville
66 Walkerville Terrace
GILBERTON SA 5081

The Levi Oval & Vale Street consultation will run from 9am on Thursday, 18 June 2026 to 5pm on Wednesday, 8 July 2026.

For more information, head to the [Your Say Walkerville website](#).

Calling all local businesses

Are you interested in being part of the Walkervillage Christmas Fair this year?

Town of Walkerville is encouraging suitable local businesses that are interested in being part of the Walkervillage Christmas Fair on Sunday, 29 November 2026, as a market or food vendor, to complete an [expression of interest form](#).

Please note this is an expression of interest form only. All applications will be reviewed, and successful vendors will be notified.



'Beyond the Kerb' Community Tour

On Tuesday, a group of community members from Town of Walkerville and City of Prospect, attended a waste tour led by East Waste and KESAB.

As part of the tour, attendees learnt all things waste and recycling. The tour included a visit to various locations, including the ReStore Habitat for Humanity Op-shop, Something Special Concept Store and ERA – electronic and mattress processing plant.



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In conversation with Hannah Kent

Walkerville Library welcomed multi-award-winning author Hannah Kent for an In Conversation event this week.



A booked-out audience enjoyed a glass of wine on arrival, before Hannah spoke with author Michelle Prak about her newly released memoir *Always Home, Always Homesick*.



The memoir details Hannah's journeys in Iceland, and how her experiences there led her to writing the internationally bestselling debut novel *Burial Rites*. Hannah and Michelle discussed Icelandic culture and language, the true story of Agnes Magnúsdóttir that inspired *Burial Rites*, and what it means to be home but homesick at the same time.

The evening also included an audience Q&A segment, and an opportunity for readers to have their books personally signed by Hannah.

Thank you to Harry Hartog Burnside for being our bookseller for the event.

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Eco-friendly asphalt rejuvenation

Recent eco-friendly road rejuvenation works delivers both immediate improvements and long-term benefits.

Council recently trialled a new eco-friendly road treatment called Delta Mist on Waterman Avenue and Yandra Street in Vale Park. This new treatment not only strengthened and refreshed the pavement, but also delivered a meaningful environmental win. By using an advanced, plant-based rejuvenation technology, it's a step forward in maintaining our infrastructure while reducing our environmental footprint.

Instead of traditional resurfacing or heavy coatings, this treatment works from within the asphalt to restore strength and flexibility. This approach significantly extends the life of the pavement, reducing the need for more resource-intensive repairs in the future. Fewer major works mean less material use, less waste, and less disruption over time – an important part of building a more sustainable community.



What really sets this project apart is the use of a non-toxic, environmentally responsible product developed using green chemistry principles. It's free from harmful substances, safe for surrounding areas, and compliant with strict environmental standards.

This is a strong step toward smarter, more sustainable asset management. By choosing innovative solutions like this, we're not just maintaining our roads, we're protecting the environment and investing in a more resilient future for our community.

What's on at The W?

The W is offering a range of great school holiday programs to keep the kids active.



Junior Pickleball Skills

Whether you're new to pickleball or looking to improve your skills, these fun and engaging sessions are the perfect way to stay active and learn from experienced coaches. Presented in partnership with City of Prospect.

2.30-3.30pm on Tuesday, 7 July for primary school ages.

3.30-4.30pm on Tuesday, 7 July for secondary school ages.

Book for Junior Pickleball Skills by calling City of Prospect on 8269 5355.

Junior Basketball Sessions

Come along for an exciting afternoon of skill development, fun games, and basketball action with DT Basketball at The W. Whether you're new to the game or looking to improve your skills, these sessions are a great opportunity to learn, develop, and have fun in a supportive environment.

1-2.30pm on Monday, 13 July for U12 and U14.

2.30-4.00pm on Monday, 13 July for U16 and U18.

Book for Junior Basketball Sessions by calling DT Basketball on 0409 829 243.

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EcoThreads Fest back again!

Mark your calendar for the annual EcoThreads Fest, a vibrant celebration of sustainable fashion and community.

After the success of the first two years, we are excited to be bringing EcoThreads Fest back to the Walkerville community for the third year!

Come along to explore secondhand clothing for women, men and children, as well as jewellery, bags and shoes.

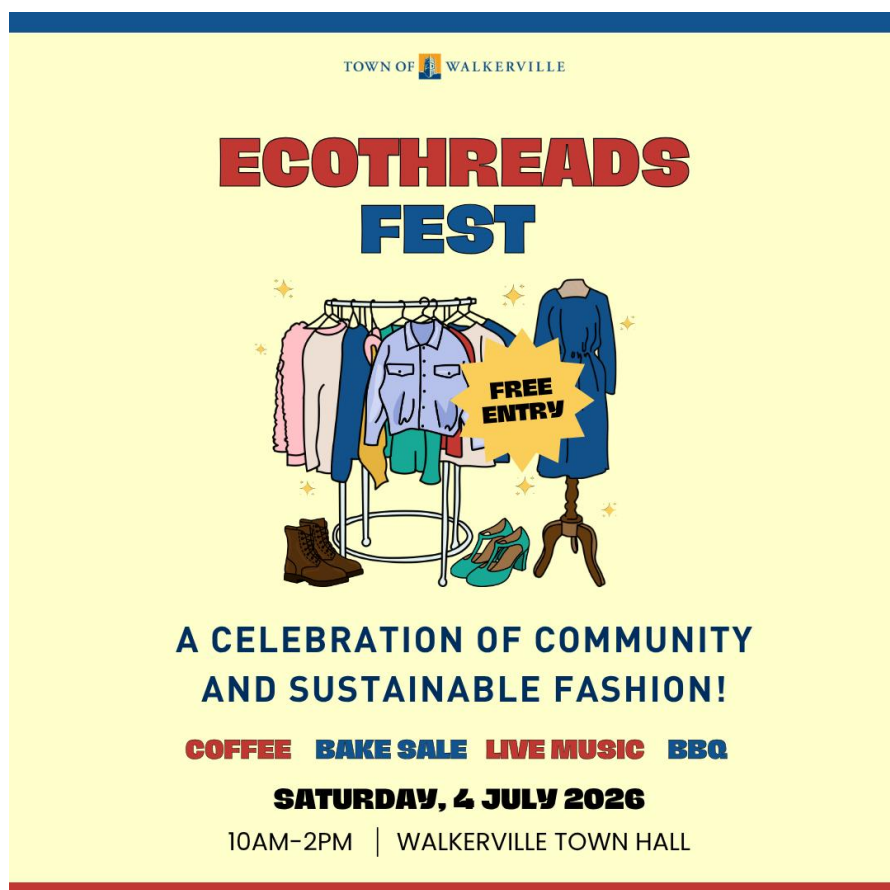
EcoThreads Fest is a great opportunity to grab yourself some preloved items at a great price and do your part to curb the fast fashion trend.

There will also be baked goods to purchase from St Andrew's Church, a Rotary sausage sizzle and a coffee van on the day, in addition to live acoustic music.

Stallholder or rack hirers may be taking only cash or card, so bring cash on the day. There will be no ATM available onsite.

10am – 2pm, Saturday 4 July 2026, at Walkerville Town Hall.

Please note – all rack holder and stallholder spots are full. If you wish to join the waitlist, [please register here](#).

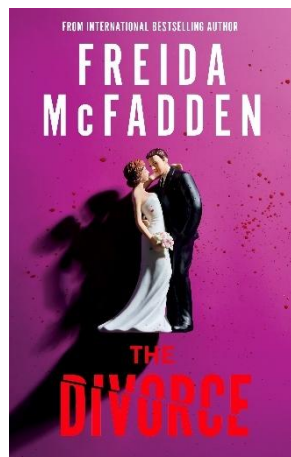


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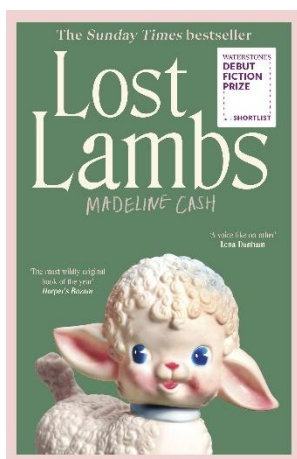
Between the Stacks

Check out some book reviews from the Walkerville Librarians!
Visit the [library catalogue](#) to place a hold on your next read.



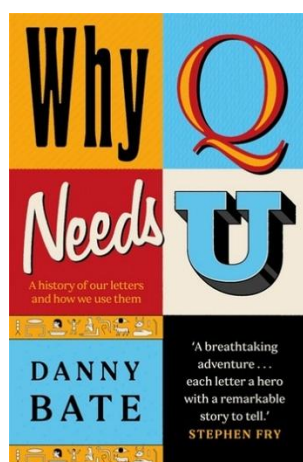
The Divorce by Freida McFadden

Freida McFadden fans will not be disappointed! Captivating from the start... you'll devour this one very quickly.



Lost Lambs by Madeline Cash

"The lambs are lost and so am I". I don't think I can say it any better than that Goodreads review – simply put, *Lost Lambs* was not the book for me!



Why Q Needs U by Danny Bate

If you've ever wondered why the English language is the way it is, *Why Q needs U* is the read for you. Very well researched, super digestible, and often amusing.



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Firstival

Try something new at Walkerville Library this July!



Explore the entire [Firstival program](#), or see Walkerville Library's [event lineup](#).

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ThinkUKnow

ThinkUKnow Australia is an evidence-based education program led by the Australian Federal Police (AFP) to prevent online child sexual exploitation.

The presentation will cover:

- what young people see, say and do online;
- the challenges they may face, as they relate to online child sexual exploitation; and
- how to report, get help and support.

When: Wednesday, 22 July 2026

Time: 6pm – 7.30pm

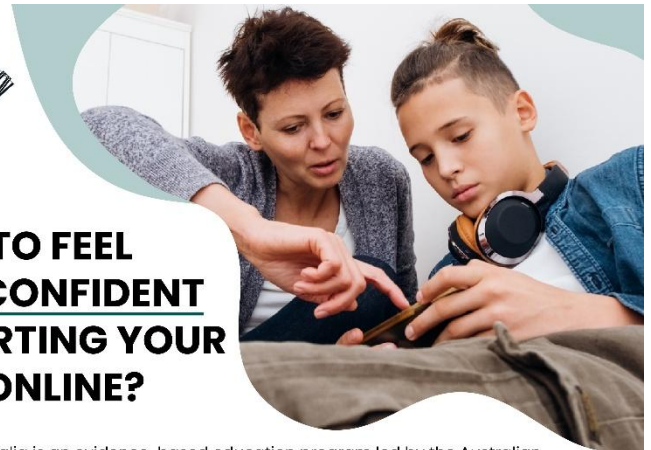
Where: Wakerville Town Hall

Free event, suitable for adults only.

Bookings essential.

[Please click here to book.](#)

The program is pro-technology and incorporates up-to-date research, real case studies, and examples from reports made to the AFP-led Australian Centre to Counter Child Exploitation.



WANT TO FEEL MORE CONFIDENT SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD ONLINE?

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- The challenges they may face, as they relate to online child sexual exploitation
- How to report, get help and support

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Delivered by a volunteer network from the following partner organisations



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Pleasant Sunday Afternoon Concert



WALKERVILLE ROTARY CLUB

PLEASANT SUNDAY AFTERNOON CONCERT

PRESENTS

Jude Toye



SUNDAY 28 JUNE 2026, 2.00-4.00PM

Doors open at 1.15pm

Cost: Gold coin donation

Walkerville Town Hall, 66 Walkerville Terrace, Gilberton

*Jude Toye has around 300 songs in her repertoire and
happily takes song requests*

For more information contact
Peter Sowden of the Rotary Club
0402 491 255.

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Advance Care Directive info session

An Advance Care Directive is a legal document that allows individuals to plan their future health care and other personal matters if they become unable to make decisions due to illness or accident.

This info session with the Legal Services Commission South Australia, will help you understand and complete the directive and what it means if it does take effect.



11am-12pm, Tuesday, 30 June 2026 in the Walkerville Town Hall. Free, suitable for adults.

[Book via Humanitix](#) or phone Council on 8342 7100, suitable for adults.

Movie Matinee: *Maria*



Starring Angelina Jolie, *Maria* tells the story of famous Opera singer Maria Callas, one of the most iconic performers of the 20th century. After spending her life in the spotlight, Maria retreats to Paris to live out her final days. She must now face the realities of her tumultuous and glamorous life as she reckons with her identity outside of the public eye. Light snacks and refreshment provided. **Genre:** Drama **Rating:** M

10.30am-12.40pm, Thursday, 6 August 2026 in the Walkerville Town Hall. Gold coin donation, suitable for adults. [Book via Humanitix](#) or phone Council on 8342 7100.





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Whatever the Weather, We're in This Together

Join us for a special edition of Wiggle, Giggle, Bubbles with Channel Nine weather presenter, Jessica Braithwaite. Together, we will read and sing along to her new book, *Whatever the Weather, We're in this Together*.

Book available to purchase with personalised signings on the morning.

10am-10.30am, Monday, 29 June 2026 in the Walkerville Town Hall. Free, suitable for children 0-6.

[Book via Humanitix](#) or phone Council on 8342 7100. Children must be supervised by an adult.



Intro into Dungeons & Dragons

Ever wanted to jump into a world where your choices shape the story? Come along to this Dungeons & Dragons intro session where you'll be guaranteed fun and adventure.

No experience needed, small group, **bookings essential**. Free, suitable for teens 13+.

4pm-6pm, Monday, 6 July 2026 in Room 1855 at the Walkerville Civic & Community Centre.

[Book via Humanitix](#) or phone Council on 8342 7100.

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Street sweeping helps keep the Township clean

Our street sweeping programs are seasonally adjusted to effectively manage the level of risk relating to street tree litter.



The autumn leaf sweeping program has commenced, in addition to our weekly program. Streets will be assessed week by week from April to July for excessive leaf accumulation. Sweeping will be programmed accordingly in coordination with Council’s contractor to ensure an efficient and responsive service.

While we make every effort to keep our streets clean year-round, you can help out by doing the following:

- avoid sweeping leaves or clippings onto the road; and
- do not park caravans, trailers or boats on the road for extended periods.

Main roads	Gilberton/Medindie	Walkerville	Vale Park
	1/7/2026	9/7/2026	15/7/2026
6/8/2026	12/8/2026	19/8/2026	26/8/2026
3/9/2026	9/9/2026	16/9/2026	23/9/2026

Council meetings

The next Special Meeting of Council will be held on Monday, 29 June 2026.



All community members are welcome to attend the gallery and ask questions of Council Members during meetings, without prior notice.

For further information or to email a question in advance, please contact Council's Governance Team via governance@walkerville.sa.gov.au

Council meetings are held at the Civic & Community Centre, 66 Walkerville Terrace, Gilberton.



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Sign up to the Town of Walkerville e-news

Do you want to stay connected with news, information and events in the Town of Walkerville?

Sign up to the Town of Walkerville e-news today!

The e-news is a weekly newsletter that provides you with all you need to know about what is happening in and around the Township.

It is also an important avenue for you to keep up to date with Council projects and initiatives.

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