

About to pop with excitement during balloon play!



Weekly Round Up

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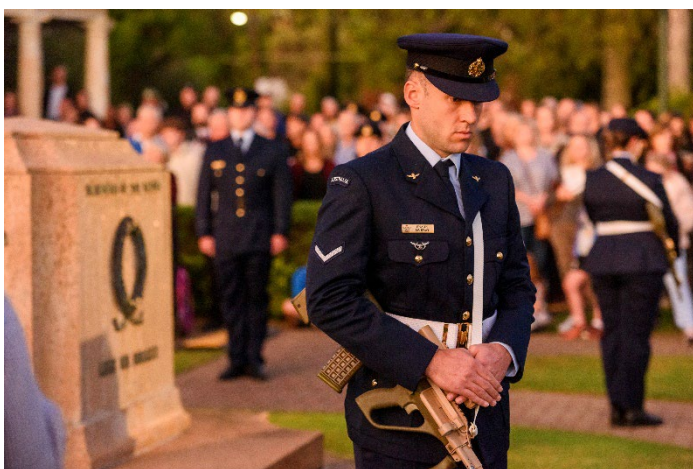
ANZAC Day Dawn Service at Memorial Gardens

The Walkerville RSL held a Dawn Service on 25 April 2023 at the Memorial Gardens on Church Terrace, Walkerville.

Town of Walkerville Mayor Melissa Jones gave a moving speech about Private Bosisto from Medindie, who fought at Gallipoli and lost his life at Pozières.

There was a great turnout to the Dawn Service by the local community! Thank you to all who attend, along with the Walkerville RSL for organising and the Walkerville Rotary, which put on the gunfire breakfast.

Lest we forget.



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WJFC Mother's Day Raffle 2023

The Walkerville Junior Football Club is holding a 2023 Online Mother's Day Raffle, with funds going towards player development, equipment and facilities for the 400 junior players, including more than 120 girls.

The first prize gift is a Weekend Escape gift voucher at the Oval Hotel. There are a range of other great prizes that support and promote local businesses, including pilates classes, local café and restaurant vouchers, and much more.

The Walkerville Junior Football Club (WJFC) thanks the WJFC community and local businesses for their support in the 2023 Mother's Day Raffle.

To be in the draw to win, head to the [WJFC website](#) for more information on how to enter. Tickets start at \$5 each.

Prizes will be drawn on Sunday 14 May 2023 at 4pm.



WJFC PROUDLY PRESENTS...

walkerville junior football club

2023 Online Mother's Day Raffle

Prize List

Mother's Day Raffle 2023

1st	Weekend Escape Gift Voucher - Oval Hotel (RRP: \$410)	2nd	Lonely Goat Cashmere Lilac Poncho (RRP: \$189)
3rd	Alkemi gift basket (RRP: \$150)	4-5th	Studio Pilates North Adelaide \$140 Voucher
6th	Magnum of Tomich wine (RRP: \$80)	7th	Walkerville Junior Football Club Merch (RRP: \$80)
8th	Delicia Açaí North Adelaide Jar of House Made Nut Butter and Voucher (RRP: \$65)	9th	The Caterers Walkerville \$50 Voucher
10th	Envie Nails \$50 Voucher	11th	Coffee Institute \$50 Voucher
12th	Star Discount Chemist Collinswood Voucher and Natio Australian Spirit Body Trio (RRP: \$80)	13-16th	Norwood Foodland \$50 Voucher
17-18th	Nest Bistro Coffee Bar \$25 voucher	19-28th	La Lucca Pizza \$10 voucher

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Little ninja warriors

The Walkerville Town Hall was full of children looking to become the next greatest ninja warrior.

Council's recent ninja warrior workshop saw children traversing obstacles that challenged both their mind and body.

The children had great fun running, climbing and jumping – honing their athletic skills.



Balloon play workshop

Giggles filled the Town Hall at the recent balloon play workshop.

Children adventured through an obstacle course, while bringing along their very own balloon for the journey.



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National Walk Safely to School Day

Primary school aged children across Australia will make those important steps towards a healthier future by participating in National Walk Safely to School Day on Friday 19 May 2023.

This May will mark the 24th anniversary of National Walk Safely to School Day.

Championed by the Pedestrian Council Australia, the initiative aims to raise awareness of the health, road safety, transport and environmental benefits that regular walking, or alternative active transport (especially to and from school), can provide for the long-term wellbeing of our children.

Apart from the physical benefits, regular walking (or similar) also has a favourable impact on children's cognitive and academic performance.

Walk Safely to School Day encourages positive environmental action, better use of public transport with reduced car-dependency and encourages parents and carers to walk more, reducing dangerous traffic congestion around schools.

The national initiative also promotes healthy eating and encourages schools to host a healthy breakfast on the day.



E-scooter feedback

The State Government is seeking public feedback on whether e-scooters and other personal mobility devices (PMDs) should be permitted to be used by individuals on public infrastructure.

This consultation aims to gauge the interest in personal mobility devices (PMD), which also includes electric skateboards, single wheel self-balancing devices and Segways, and ensure there is appropriate framework in place for PMDs.

Currently, PMDs are not permitted to be used on public infrastructure, such as public roads and paths, unless approval was granted by the Minister for Infrastructure and Transport.

The consultation topics will include:

- Whether these devices should be allowed on public infrastructure, and if allowed what kinds of devices are permitted
- Where should they be used
- How big should they be
- How fast should they be allowed to travel
- What rules should apply to riders
- Whether these devices should be registered and/or insured



Consultation on PMDs closes on Sunday 21 May 2023.

To undertake the survey, head to the [YourSay website](#).

Get composting this International Composting Awareness Week

International Composting Awareness Week runs from 7-13 May 2023, encouraging those in the commuter to invest in “black gold”.

Did you know that 42% of material found in landfill bins could be composted?

When you place food and other compostable items in your green bin, they get turned into valuable compost right here in SA!

Compost is also known as “black gold” as it is great for our farmers and gardens to grow more food.

For more information, head to the [International Composting Awareness Week website](#).

Watch out for dangerous mushrooms!

SA Health and the Department for Environment is warning South Australians to be careful this wild mushroom season as Death Cap mushrooms (*Amanita phalloides*) have been found in Adelaide.

The dangerous mushrooms were identified in easily accessible public spaces in the Adelaide Hills, including areas around the Mt Lofty botanic gardens.

Poisonous wild mushrooms often grow after heavy rains in late summer to early winter – these mushrooms can make a person very ill and have life-threatening consequences.

For more information, head to the [SA Health website](#).



 We're keeping you & your community safe

Mushroom Poisoning Risks

SA Health and the Department for Environment are warning South Australians that wild mushroom season is well underway.



 EASTERN HEALTH AUTHORITY

By-law No.6 – Consultation

Town of Walkerville By-laws are established to ensure that Council can respond to issues within the local area and assist us in protecting the convenience, comfort and safety of our community.

Following a mandatory review, Council endorsed its revised By-laws on 17 October 2022, those By-laws being:

- Permits and Penalties By-law No. 1;
- Local Government Land By-law No. 2;
- Roads By-law No. 3;
- Moveable Signs By-law No. 4; and
- Dogs By-law No. 5.



After a review by the Legislative Review Council, there have been minor amendments made to Council's By-laws 2, 3 and 5 – primarily to include the use of gender neutral language. The changes are outlined in a proposed amendment By-law, which is now out for consultation.

The draft Council by-laws is open for consultation from 9am on Tuesday 18 April 2023 and closes at 5pm on Tuesday 9 May 2023.

Written submissions should be submitted as follows:

The Acting Chief Executive Officer

Council By-law No.6

Town of Walkerville

66 Walkerville Terrace

GILBERTON SA 5081

Or if emailed, to: walkerville@walkerville.sa.gov.au with the subject line "Council By-law No.6".

Hard copies are available at the Civic and Community Centre, 66 Walkerville Terrace, Gilberton. For more information, head to the [Your Say Walkerville website](#).

Footpath renewals and repairs

Council's annual footpath program is about to commence.

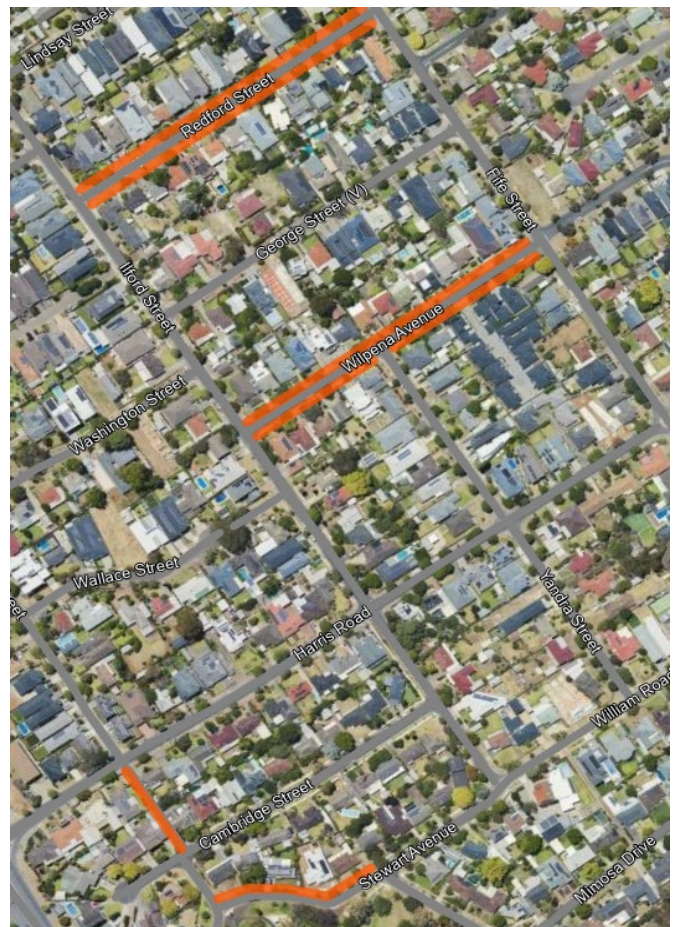
Each year, the Town of Walkerville repairs and replaces footpaths across the Township as part of our Capital Renewal Program.

The year the following paths have been nominated:

- **Smith Street** – Church Terrace to 39 Smith Street, Walkerville (South-West side)
- **Warwick Street** – Walkerville Terrace to The Watson carpark, Walkerville (South-West side)
- **Stewart Avenue** – Mimosa Drive to Stewart Avenue intersection, Vale Park (North side)
- **Cambridge Walk laneway** – Cambridge Street to Harris Road, Vale Park
- **Redford Street** – Fife Street to Ilford Street, Vale Park (both sides, patching)
- **Wilpena Avenue** – Fife Street to Ilford Street, Vale Park (both sides, patching)

Preliminary work started on Thursday 27 April 2023 and major works are set to begin next week (1 May 2023), continuing until the middle of May.

For further information, please contact Council on 08 8342 7100 walkerville@walkerville.sa.gov.au.



River Torrens Linear Park Shared Path Enhancement: Stage 2

Staged path section closures.

The River Torrens Linear Park Path is being enhanced to provide a safer and more enjoyable experience for recreational users.

Works on Stage 1 will continue until late May 2023.

The project includes:

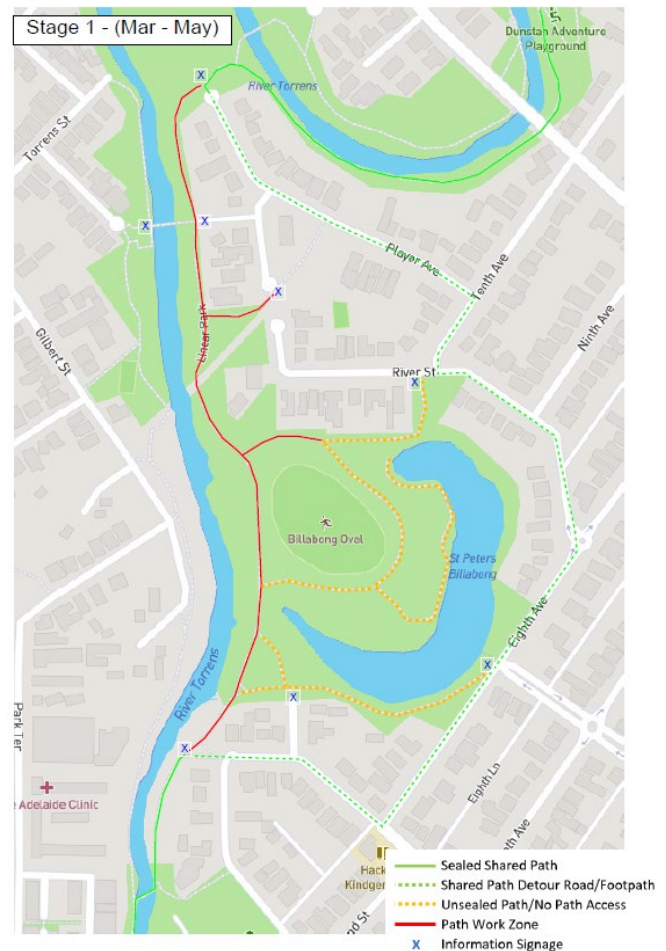
- Reconstruction of the shared path along the River Torrens Linear Park between the intersection of Battams Road / Ninth Avenue, Royston Park, to the east and St Peters River Park to the west;
- A new 2.5 kilometre, 3.0-3.5 metre wide shared path;
- Wayfinding and signage to improve the ability for people to find their way to key destinations; and
- LED lighting that is fully compliant with Austroads Guidelines and Australian Standards.

During construction, sections of the path will be closed and suitable diversions will be provided for pedestrians and cyclists.

The first stage (Stage 1) of the project will commence at Harrow Road and progress towards Player Avenue.

During this first stage of the project, a full detour of the path will be required which includes closure of the Gilberton Swing Bridge.

Information on the project can be found on the [City of Norwood Payneham & St Peters website](#).



Let's reminisce: Kennion House at St Andrew's School

The two-level brick building at St Andrew's School was constructed in 1925-1926 as Kennion House, the Church of England Boys Home.



View of Smith Street, Walkerville, Boys Home, 1926.

This was the second building for the Home. The first was a cottage on the corner of Smith Street and Church Terrace.

The new building was named after Bishop George Kennion, Bishop of Adelaide in the 1880s, when the concept of a home for orphans and needy children, specifically boys, was first proposed.

It is interesting to note that the foundation stone was laid by Miss Eleanor Kate Barker, who was also closely involved in the funding of the Free Kindergarten movement and the Barker Kindergarten in North Adelaide.

In 1984, Kennion House was sold to St Andrew's School by the Anglican Child Care Services and developed as the junior primary section of the school.

Kennion House is an important reminder of the religious and philanthropic nature of many social services in the early twentieth century. Its form and materials reflect the date of its construction in the mid-1920s.

This throwback is part of the Town of Walkerville's recent history series.



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Laugh



Inspire

Mandala nature craft workshop

Experience the fun of creating a mandala from natural materials with sustainable gardener Alan Shepard. In this session, you will create your own piece of nature to take home. Mandalas are designed with repeated patterns and symbolise the universe.

10am–11am, Friday 28 April 2023,
Walkerville Town Hall, \$2 per child, aged 5 – 12.
Bookings essential by calling 8342 7100 or at
events.humanitix.com/mandala-craft



Mother's Day paper making workshop

Children of all ages can make their own handmade A4 sheet of recycled paper in this session. Children are encouraged to turn their special paper into a Mother's Day card.

10.30am–11.30am, Saturday 6 May 2023,
Walkerville Town Hall, \$2 per child, aged 3+.
Bookings essential by calling 8342 7100 or at
events.humanitix.com/paper-workshop





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National Simultaneous Storytime

Join Walkerville's librarian in Hamilton Reserve as we simultaneously, with libraries Australia-wide, read the book *The Speedy Sloth* by author Rebecca Young, under the shade of a bell tent. After the official reading, the children will be invited to participate in a fun activity.

11am-12pm, Wednesday 24 May 2023, Walkerville Town Hall. Suitable for children aged 3+. Children must be supervised by an adult guardian. Bookings essential by calling 8342 7100 or at events.humanitix.com/national-storytime-5081



Sydney Writers' Festival at Walkerville Library

Sydney Writers' Festival is coming to Walkerville Library in 2023 to bring the best of the Festival direct to you. One of Australia's most loved forums for literature, ideas and storytelling, Sydney Writers' Festival will live-stream its headline events from Sydney to Walkerville. Prepare to be invigorated and engaged by conversations, debates and discussions featuring some of the world's finest writers and thinkers.

9.30am-4.30pm, Thursday 25 and Friday 26 May 2023 and 9.30am-12.30pm Saturday 27 May 2023. Walkerville Library meeting room two. Suitable for adults, free, and no bookings required.



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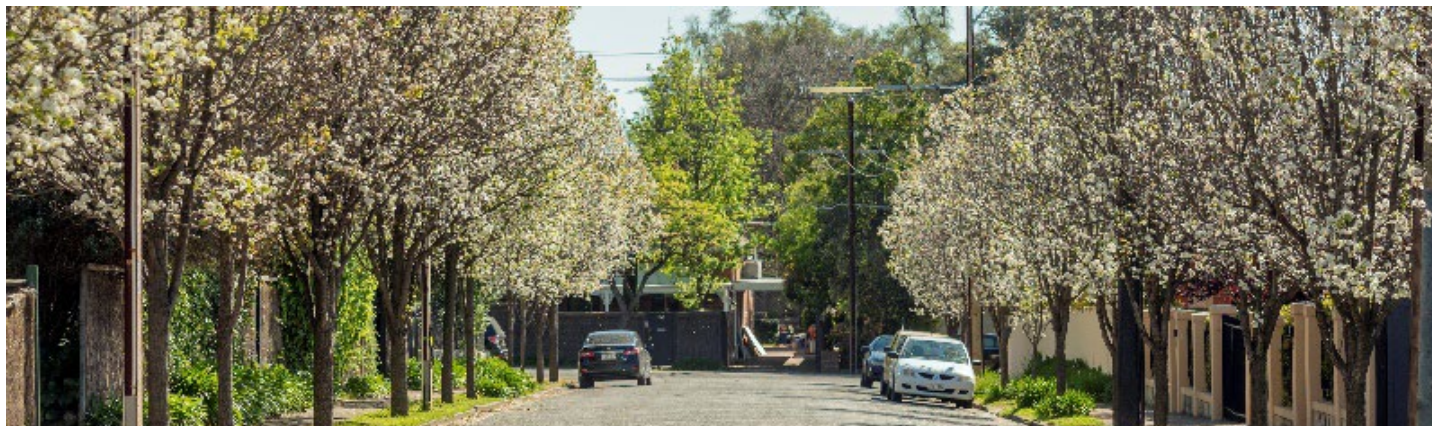
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Street sweeping helps keep the Township clean

Our street sweeping programs are seasonally adjusted to effectively manage the level of risk in streets where issues are present generally relating to street tree litter.



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;
- Do not park caravans, trailers or boats on the road for extended periods.

**Updated sweeping schedule*

Main Roads	Gilberton/Medindie	Walkerville	Vale Park
	3/05/2023	11/05/2023	17/05/2023
24/05/2023	31/05/2023	8/06/2023	14/06/2023
21/06/2023	28/06/2023	6/07/2023	12/07/2023
19/07/2023	26/07/2023	3/08/2023	9/08/2023
16/08/2023	23/08/2023	31/08/2023	6/09/2023
13/09/2023	20/09/2023	28/09/2023	4/10/2023
11/10/2023	18/10/2023	26/10/2023	1/11/2023
8/11/2023	15/11/2023	23/11/2023	29/11/2023
6/12/2023	13/12/2023	21/12/2023	27/12/2023

Council meetings

The next Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Monday 15 May 2023.



The public gallery has now reopened during Council Meetings, however, ordinary meetings will continue to be [live streamed via YouTube](#) allowing residents to view meetings from the comfort of their own home.

Questions for public question time may be submitted to the Chief Executive Officer by **12pm on Monday 15 May 2023** via email (office@walkerville.sa.gov.au), post (Chief Executive Officer, PO Box 55 Walkerville SA 5081) or hand delivery (Community and Civic Centre, 66 Walkerville Terrace, Gilberton).



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