

**South Aussie with  
Cosi visits The W:  
Walkerville  
Recreation Centre**



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# Weekly Round Up

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# South Aussie with Cosi visits The W: Walkerville Recreation Centre

On Wednesday, 8 April 2026, South Aussie with Cosi visited The W: Walkerville Recreation Centre for an action-packed day.



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We were delighted to welcome Cosi and his crew to showcase our brand-new facility and the incredible community response since opening earlier this year.

From fitness classes and social sport to children's programs and community activities – The W has quickly become a vibrant and welcoming hub for people of all ages and abilities.

During the visit, Cosi spent time speaking with our Mayor, Melissa Jones, Team Leader Recreation & Community, Peter Todd and local families, capturing firsthand what makes The W such a special place.

The segment highlights not only our modern facilities and diverse programs, but also the strong sense of community that continues to grow within the space.

Keep an eye out for the segment, which is set to air on 24 May 2026 – we can't wait to share it with you!



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# ANZAC Day Dawn Service

Come along to the ANZAC Day Dawn Service in Walkerville on 25 April 2026.

The Walkerville RSL will be holding a service, which includes a speech from Walkerville Mayor, Melissa Jones.

All are welcome to attend to pay their respects to past and present soldiers.

This Dawn Service marks the 111<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the landings in ANZAC Cove.

The service is jointly presented by the Walkerville RSL and Town of Walkerville.

Arrive at 6am for a 6.15am start. Saturday, 25 April 2026, at Memorial Rose Garden on Church Terrace, Walkerville.

This service will be followed by a gunfire breakfast at the Walkerville RSL Clubrooms on Walkerville Terrace from 7am, catered by the Rotary Club of Walkerville. The gunfire breakfast is open to all to attend.



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## Chatty Café at St Andrew's Church

On Wednesday, 8 April 2026, there was a large turn-out for Chatty Café at St Andrew's Church.

Attendees were able to enjoy a cuppa and snacks, while listening to a presentation from Eastern Health Authority (EHA) and making meaningful connections with other residents.

The Chatty Café is a welcoming space where locals can take a seat at our "Have a Chat" table, enjoy a cuppa and connect with others. There's no cost, no booking and no pressure – just drop in and say hello!

The next roving Chatty Café will be at the Walkerville Bowling & Community Club on Wednesday, 22 April 2026, from 10am – 11am. And the next Chatty Café will be back at St Andrews Church on Wednesday, 13 May 2026, from 10am – 11am.



## Walkerville Netball Club debuts in the Premier League

The Walkerville Netball Club debuts in the Premier League on Friday, 17 April 2026.

To purchase a ticket and support the Club at their debut, please [click here](#).



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## Volunteers needed

The Rotary Club of Walkerville is seeking volunteers to assist with assembling 1,200 birthing kits for expectant mothers in developing countries for their Birthing Kit Assembly Afternoon on Sunday, 3 May 2026.

This year the Birthing Kit Foundation Australia (BKFA) is celebrating 20 years and in recognition of this milestone, has set a goal of packing 20,000 kits across the country in May 2026. To assist BKFA reach this goal, Rotary has increased the number of kits to be assembled from 800 to 1,200.

The kits are distributed to women living in rural communities and low-resource settings around the world. Last year, the kits were sent to the Democratic Republic of Congo, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea and Zambia.

Expectant mothers will receive important supplies that will help them have a sanitary birth.



As supplies and medical support can be limited in developing countries, resources from the birthing kit can help reduce infection.

The finished kits will be sent to BKFA who distribute them overseas.

The assembly day will take place on Sunday, 3 May 2026, in the Walkerville Town Hall from 1pm – 4pm.

To register your interest for the Birthing Kit Assembly Afternoon, please contact Jude via email [judeann58@gmail.com](mailto:judeann58@gmail.com) or 0410 336 008.

# Unlock AI for your business: Exclusive subsidised tickets available

Local businesses across the eastern region are invited to attend an AI Conference – Engineering the Hell Out of Your Business, a practical, hands-on conference designed to help you confidently adopt AI in your business.

Delivered in partnership with the Eastern Business Advisory Service (EBAS) and participating councils, this event offers subsidised tickets for businesses located in the City of Unley, Burnside, Campbelltown, Prospect, Walkerville, and Norwood Payneham & St Peters.

This half-day conference will cover:

- AI Security – how to protect your data before you automate
- Strategy & Growth – align your marketing, operations and AI for better results
- Hands-On Workshop – build your own AI-powered voice agent



Designed for business owners and decision-makers, this event focuses on real-world tools and practical application, so you can walk away with strategies to improve efficiency, reduce costs, and drive growth.

Spots are limited, [secure your subsidised ticket today.](#)

# Safer Suburbs Grant Program

Helping residents and businesses feel safer at home and at work, the Town of Walkerville's Safer Suburbs Grant Program offers eligible applicants funding support for the installation of safety cameras.

The program reflects Council's commitment to fostering safe, resilient and connected communities, and directly supports the delivery of the Strategic 10-year Plan – TOWards2035.

This Policy applies to eligible applicants, including residents, local businesses, not-for-profit organisations, community groups and volunteer-based entities operating within the Township.



To be eligible for a Safer Suburbs Grant, applicants must be:

- a Town of Walkerville ratepayer living in the Council area;
- a resident living within the Town of Walkerville area (must provide written approval from property owner or landlord for installation of equipment);
- a not-for-profit organisation or community group based in the Town of Walkerville; or
- a local business operating within the Town of Walkerville that has an Australian Business Number, has current public liability insurance and, where relevant, have landlord and/or development approvals.

Funding will be provided towards the purchase of security camera/s, including CCTV installation and home security doorbells.

Residential applicants are eligible for a grant of up to \$100 per application, priority residents may be eligible for up to \$200 per application, and businesses and not-for-profit/community groups are eligible for a grant of up to \$500 per application.

For more information regarding the Safer Suburbs Grant Program, including the relevant Policy, and how to apply, [click here](#).



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## Mother's Day papercraft

Celebrate Mother's Day by creating a beautiful collection of handcrafted cards filled with soft florals, delicate butterflies and timeless vintage details.

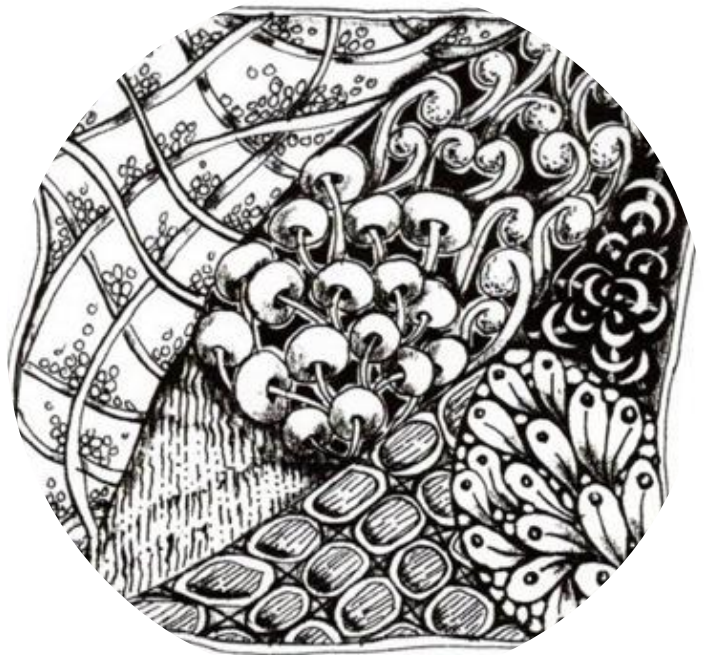
10am-12.30pm, Tuesday, 28 April 2026, at the Walkerville Town Hall. \$3 per person, suitable for adults. Bookings: [Click here](#) or call 8342 7100.

## The art of Zentangle

Come and try Zentangle drawing. It's easy to learn, relaxing and a fun way to create art by drawing structured patterns. Over three weeks, a certified Zentangle teacher will guide you through the basics, creating patterns and tangles with a combination of dots, lines, simple curves and orbs.

All materials supplied.

10am-12pm, Thursdays, 30 April 2026 and 7 & 14 May 2026 in Room 1855 at the Walkerville Civic & Community Centre. \$20 for all three sessions, suitable for adults. Bookings: [Click here](#) or call 8342 7100.



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## Movie Matinee – *Downton Abbey: The Grand Finale*

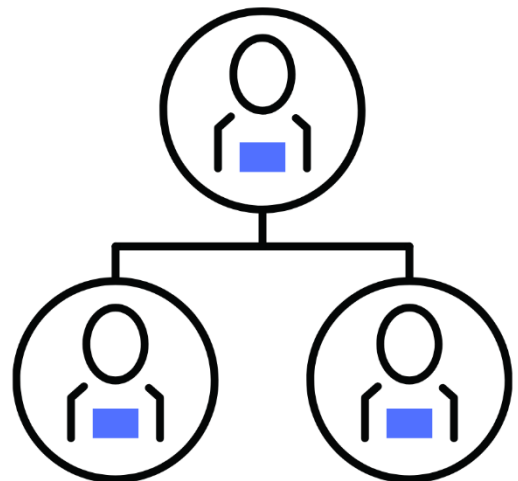
When Mary finds herself in a public scandal and the family faces financial trouble, the Crawleys grapple with the threat of social disgrace.

10.30am-12.40pm, Tuesday, 5 May 2026, at the Walkerville Town Hall. Gold coin on arrival, suitable for adults. Bookings: [Click here](#) or call 8342 7100.

## Connect with your family history

A beginner's guide to exploring your family history. Join experienced researchers from Genealogy SA as they guide you through the steps to getting started with your research.

10am-11.30am, Tuesday, 12 May 2026, at the Walkerville Civic & Community Centre. Free, suitable for adults. Bookings: [Click here](#) or call 8342 7100.



# 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 is due to commence on 30 April 2026. 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 |
|------------|--------------------|-------------|-----------|
|            |                    | 16/4/2026   | 22/4/2026 |
| 29/4/2026  | 6/5/2026           | 14/5/2026   | 20/5/2026 |
| 27/5/2026  | 3/6/2026           | 11/6/2026   | 17/6/2026 |
| 24/6/2026  | 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 Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held on Monday, 20 April 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](mailto: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.

For instance, Council regularly provides updates on major projects, like The W: Walkerville Recreation Centre or the Walkerville Bowling & Community Club, in the e-news.

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