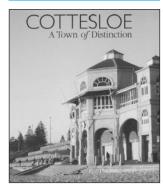
Town book is a Xmas 'Gift of Distinction'!



RUTH Marchant James' new volume, 'Cottesloe – A Town of Distinction' is shaping up to be this year's must-have gift for anyone who cares for Cottesloe.

Launched by historian Professor Geoffrey Bolton as part of the Town's Centenary this lavish, full-colour history of WA's most desirable place to live is now on sale in hard and soft-cover versions. The soft-cover costs \$55, hard-cover \$120.

Copies are available at the Civic Centre and also at Collins Booksellers in Cottesloe; The Lane Bookshop, Claremont; Robert Muir Old and Rare Books, Nedlands; and the Royal WA Historical Society, Nedlands.

FIXING BLACK SPOTS



Centre. Kids' fun, stacks

of displays and informa-

tion from your own local

community groups, and

a family picnic will fill

the afternoon. And at

6pm the big Concert

kicks off, when Darren

Reid and the Soul City

It's all to mark Cottesloe's

Centenary, a celebration of

the Town's first 100 years.

Groove hit the air.

One of the junctions needing treatment.

COTTESLOE has applied for funding to help fix eleven black spots across the Town.

Total cost of the works is \$728,400, of which the Town would pay \$242,800, in a \$2:\$1 partnership with the State. If the grants are agreed, works in the 2007/2008 budget will include various median islands, roundabouts and lighting at the intersections of:

Railway/Station Streets; Eric/Marmion; Marine Pde/Eileen St; Curtin Ave /Sydney St; Eric/Broome; Broome/Forrest; Jarrad/ Railway/Brixton; Jarrad/ Broome; Broome/John. Also, on Broome Street, improved lighting would be installed from Eric to Jarrad; and on the west side footpath between Napier and Eric, a west side footpath, pedestrian and median islands will be installed.

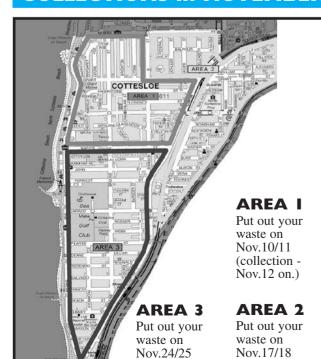
GREAT GARDENS

ENTRIES for the Great Gardens Competition are now being judged. Winners will be announced on November 18 at the Town's Family Picnic at the Civic Centre.

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GREEN and BULK WASTE COLLECTIONS in NOVEMBER



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Don't miss the Great HOURS of entertainment for all will begin at 3pm on Sunday November 18, on the Main Lawn of the Civic HOURS of entertainment for all will begin at 3pm on Sunday November 18, on the Main Lawn of the Civic

Kids stuff

Mad Hatters Tea Party, Bubblemania, Errol Emu face painting and a Frilled Neck Lizard will be competing for the children's attention through the afternoon.

Local groups

And a prodigious line-up of local groups will be on hand too.

They are (to date):

Cottesloe Coast Care, Cottesloe Child Care Centre, TAPSS Community Care, Cottesloe Primary School, North Cottesloe Primary School, St Philips Anglican Church, Sea View Golf Club, Lady Lawley Cottage, Cottesloe Rugby Club, North Cottesloe Surf Life Saving Club, Cottesloe Surf Life Saving Club, Earthcarers and Country Women's Club.

Great Gardens, too

Who has Cottesloe's best garden? That will be revealed too, at the great Family Picnic. Entries closed on October 18 and celebrity judges have been assessing them since. So if you have entered the Great Gardens contest, that's yet another good reason to be at this, the biggest Cottesloe community event of the year.

BIGTURNOUT IN LOCAL POLL

VOTERS in Cottesloe keep on showing enthusiastic interest in local affairs. Across WA, roughly one third of the population used their vote in the October elections. In Cottesloe, 43 per cent voted in our North Ward, and a massive 54 per cent voted in Central Ward.

This follows last month's local referendum on beachfront building heights, when 2590 eligible voters – 49 per cent – took part.

Results

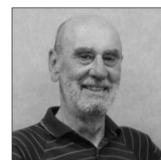
Jack Walsh was comfortably returned on the first count in North Ward. Greg Boland was elected as the second member after the



Greg Boland, elected in North Ward.

distribution of Jack Walsh's, and then Ruth Harms' preferences. Unsuccessful candidates were Arthur Furlong and Ruth Harms.

■ Jay Birnbrauer was elected in Central Ward after distribution of Valerie Frearson-Lane's preferences. Unsuccessful candidates were Peter Jeanes and Valerie Frearson-Lane.



Jay Birnbrauer, elected in Central Ward.

■ As reported last month, East Ward Councillor Dan Cunningham and South Ward Councillor Vic Strzina were elected unopposed.

Other members of Council are Mayor Kevin Morgan and Councillors Carmichael, Miller, Utting, Woodhill and Dawkins. Their terms expire in October 2009.

Mystery, dig?



TWO mysterious seafront excavations opposite the golf course have intrigued pedestrians lately. The footpath is one of the busiest exercise tracks in Perth, so there has been plenty of speculation amongst the hundreds of runners, walkers, cyclists and skaters who pass by everyday.

Revealed: Artist Jennifer Cochrane – pictured checking the specifications of the holes – has been setting the foundations for her sculpture *Roundabout*.

Cottesloe bought her work, a 250 kilo steel structure, after this year's Sculpture by the Sea exhibition.

Perth artist Jennifer trained at Curtin and has worked for the past 15 years. *Roundabout* is part of her 'roadsigns' series, first of which was shown and sold at Bondi last year. The third piece is en route to the next Bondi show, where Sculpture by the Sea originated.

Cottesloe's newest public art acquisition will be installed in those concrete-filled holes in mid-November. Watching Jennifer at work, re-constructing the piece on site, might even make some of our ardent exercisers pause for a while!

Meetings at Civic Centre

NEXT Council meeting Monday November 26, at 7pm.

Development Services Monday November 19, 6pm.

Works and Corporate Services Tuesday November 20, 7pm.

Making Australia safe

LOCAL veterinarian David neck, and the Town of Cottesloe, each won commendations in the 2007 Australian Safer Communities Awards announced by WA's Emergency Services Minister John Kobelke last month.

The awards acknowledge individual and organisations efforts to prevent or prepare for disasters and emergencies

"The majority of entries received this year are great examples of projects that have improved emergency management and public safety," said the Minister.

Local vet

One of these came from full-time veterinarian from Cottesloe, Dr David Neck, who has volunteered his services to the Urban Search & Rescue (USAR) Taskforce. He now provides veterinary assistance to WA's USAR canine section. Dr Neck is developing first aid training for dog handlers; and has committed time and finance to build a cache of surgical equipment.

Town award

The Town of Cottesloe's commendation was for setting up a GIS (Geographic Information System) database loaded with accurate

Cottesloe's
Luke
Handcock
(left) and
Dr David
Neck with
the
Australian
Safer
Communities
Awards.



information of the Town's important infrastructure.

The database would be security protected but available via the internet. It provides instant knowledge of all the resources necessary to prepare for a major emergency — or high-profile

event, which could lead to an emergency.

Dangers

The system also includes details of potential danger sites. These include underground power and gas mains; fuel, chemical and gas storage sites, etc.