



FORESHORE UPGRADE OPEN

Repair works on the foreshore in an area that was badly damaged by a heavy storm are almost complete. A drainage system designed for large storm events has been constructed, and a new footpath installed. The path is now open for use however fencing will be in place until a new stainless steel handrail along the limestone wall is installed. Earlier this week 200m² of jute matting was laid and 850 native tube stock were planted to further stabilise the steepest parts of the dune.

Thank you to everyone for your patience while these works were carried out. We hope you enjoy using the upgraded path.



2022/23 BUDGET ADOPTED

The Town of Cottesloe 2022/23 Budget has now been adopted. The budget sets out how funds will be allocated to running the Town and progressing projects over the coming financial year. Projects included in the budget will provide many benefits to the community. The 2022/23 Budget is available to view at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/key-documents.aspx.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council Agenda Forums are held on the third Tuesday of the month at 6pm and Council Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 6pm at Cottesloe Civic Centre, 109 Broome Street, Cottesloe. Agendas are available to view at the Civic Centre or on our website. The next Agenda Forum is on Tuesday, 16 August and the next Council Meeting is on Tuesday, 23 August.

SHARK BARRIER CONSULTATION

The Town of Cottesloe is inviting our community to participate in an online survey to provide their feedback on the protected swimming enclosure currently installed at Cottesloe main beach at the beginning of October each year. At the June 2022 Ordinary Meeting, Council resolved to proceed with public consultation to determine whether changes should be made to the timing of the installation of the shark barrier, and to seek input from the community on any improvement opportunities for its operation.

The survey and associated documents are available on the Town's website at www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/consultations (or under Have a Say on the home page) until 5pm on Sunday, 4 September 2022. We encourage our community to complete the survey and provide their feedback.



WINTER PLANTING

This year's Winter Street Tree planting program will be completed over the next few weeks, with 180 new street trees being planted over the past few months. Please help us look after these trees and remember to give your new street tree some water when the weather warms up!

This winter we also planted 100 (35 litre) native trees along the Principal Shared Path through an Urban Canopy Grant. 1500 native tube stocks were planted on the dunes at the three decommissioned beach access paths, to re-establish dune vegetation.

Cottesloe Coastcare have completed their winter planting with 4,500 native seedlings planted across several sites including 2,200 seedlings between North Cottesloe Surf Life Saving Club and Grant Street and 1,500 seedlings on the dunes between Salvado and Pearse Streets. Both of these sites received Coastwest grants to help with restoration works. Infill planting has also occurred in south Cottesloe and at Grant Marine Park and Cottesloe Native Garden (on Broome Street next to Sea View Golf Club). Coastcare and Perth NRM also hosted a school planting event on the Principal Shared Path to create shade and habitat with 400 seedlings planted. Thank you to our dedicated Coastcare volunteers for their hard work.

DOG EXERCISE AREAS - REMINDER

Please remember that there are many off-lead dog exercise areas in the Town of Cottesloe and as per the Dog Act 1976, dogs must be on their lead and under effective control at all other times in public open spaces. Dogs can be off-lead at two locations on Cottesloe Beach; the southern dog beach (south of Dutch Inn Groyne to Cottesloe LGA southern boundary) and the northern dog beach (from Lot 67 Marine Parade to Cottesloe LGA northern boundary). Dogs can also be off-lead at Cottesloe Oval and Harvey Field, John Black Dune Reserve, Grant Marine Park, Andrews Place, Jasper Green Reserve and at Sea View golf course between 6pm and 6am only. Locations near the train line include open space along Curtin Avenue and Railway Street to the Public Transport Authority boundary fence. The Town's Rangers are responsible for enforcing the Dog Act 1976 and failure to comply may incur a fine. To find out more and view a designated off-lead dog area map visit www.cottesloe.wa.gov.au/services/ranger-services-and-community-safety/animal-control.aspx.

We would also like to remind our community to please pick up after your pet. Dog waste bags are provided at all off-lead dog parks and along the foreshore. Please keep an eye on your dog when it is off-lead and clean up after them.