



News from your Local Councillor

Cr Murray Elliott

Dear resident,

A range of great projects have been brought to completion since late last year.

The play equipment in David Parr Park in Cumberland Drive, Alexandra Hills, has been fully refurbished, with more trees planted and pathways with seating installed. Further shade cover will be provided in next year's budget.

At Keith Surridge Park, on Windemere Road, the netball courts have been replaced, along with tiered seating and new light standards with LED lighting. One of four projects under Council's Renewal Program -

Sports, the netball court facilities now include two new sports surfaces, line marking, netball posts and nets to competition standard, as well as new turf and fencing and a concrete path linking the Bombers AFL and Meteors Netball clubs.

Council invested about \$500,000 in what is a welcome addition to the Alexandra Hills community and something which will no doubt boost our community's strong commitment to the development of local sports people.

At Heffernan Road Park, the recent refurbishment has been complemented by a gazebo and water bubbler.



GOOD SPORTSL: The Meteors Netball crew celebrate their new facilities at Alexandra Hills' Keith Surridge Park, on Windemere Road.



COURTS: the new games and play equipment at David Parr Park in Cumberland Drive.



BONUS: The new gazebo at Heffernan Road Park.



Need a tree?

Residents who would like a street tree should call Council's call centre on 3829 8800 to make a request.

And if you would like to add native trees or shrubs to you garden, you should visit IndigiScapes' new nursery, off Runnymede Road at Capalaba, where the team will be happy to help you make your selection.

The nursery next to Myhorizon, opened in late January, has 16,000 plants covering 260 local species grown, with volunteers regularly collecting and propagating seeds gathered from around Redlands Coast.

The new nursery is a big boost to our volunteers in their efforts to increase the number of native plants planted in our city.

Well done to all associated with the project as we look forward to the completion of Stage 2 of the redevelopment project - the main building refurbishment.



Thanks to Alexandra Hills State High P&C



I was taken by surprise at Alexandra Hills State High School's academic awards night late last year when I received the 2018 P&C award for my contribution to the group. My association with the P&C goes back a long way and I thank President Leanne Denooyer and her dedicated committee for the unexpected compliment.

Report hoons to get them off our roads

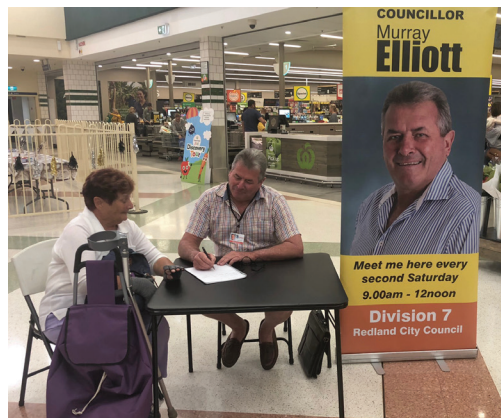
We can all help put the brakes on hoons and speeding drivers by reporting incidents to police.

There are a number of ways for residents to report offences such as street racing and burn-outs:

- If life or property is in immediate danger or the event is time critical, call Triple Zero (000);
- If it's non-urgent, not life threatening or there is little likelihood that the offenders are still in the area, call Policelink on 131 444;
- For hoon-specific information call the dedicated hoon hotline 13HOON (134 666), which goes to Policelink, or report online; or
- Contact your local police station.

By calling police when you see such behaviour, the chances of catching the offenders increases.

Residents should also remember to observe speed limits themselves and take care while on the road at all times.



Call in for a chat

I am at the Alexandra Hills Shopping Centre every second Saturday from 9am-midday to discuss your concerns and what's happening throughout Division 7. Thank you to all the residents who have contacted me with regard to issues in our area.

Kind regards,

M. Elliott

Cr Murray Elliott, Division 7