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Get ready to splash into summer!

Here's what to look forward to this summer in Oran Park.

Angus Park Community BBQ

Greenfields Development Company were excited to reintroduce the Community BBQs following a break due to COVID. These BBQs are a great way for our residents to get to know their neighbours and discover open spaces in Oran Park.

On 5 November, a BBQ was held in Angus Park where around 250 residents turned out to enjoy a range of free activities including archery, scalextrix racing, jumping castle, giant yard games and fun foods including fairy floss, popcorn and snow cones.

Dragon Training Mobile Zoo also provided a hands-on experience for residents with "Big Splice", their massive 1.85 metre long Perentie as well as a crocodile and snake.

A special thanks to the Oran Park Chargers for providing the BBQ.

If you missed out on the event, we hope to see you at the next BBQ. Stay tuned for details.





Development Updates



Open Space Baseball Facility

Bulk earthworks are underway and nearing completion. The DA for the new baseball facility near Barramurra Public School has been DA approved and CC documentation is being prepared. Stage 1 of the facility includes a full-size competition baseball field, amenities building and car park. Completion is expected early 2024.

Oran Park Podium

The next stage of the Podium is located directly to the north of the existing shopping centre and will include some exciting new retail spaces including a Coles supermarket, a large childcare centre, Best & Less and significant upgrades to Podium Way, making way for an improved outdoor dining precinct.

The builder Mainbrace are continuing with building works and have commenced pouring suspended slabs above the car park.

Pre-cast walls have been installed to the Coles site and structural steel roof framing is underway.

Residential 3

A development application

has been submitted

to Council for another

residential apartment

building. This building is

located on the south side of

the Council's administration

building in the Town Centre

precinct. This next precinct

will also be home to more

commercial and residential

Work is expected to be completed by the end of 2023.

For retail leasing enquiries please visit oranparkpodium.com.au/ contact/retail-commercialenquiry

Metro Central apartments

The 66 apartment building which will sit adjacent to Metro North is under construction. Basement works continue with all three levels of the basement car park to be completed by Christmas.

Only two 3 bedroom apartments are available for sale. For more information, visit our website metrocentral.oranparktown com.au or contact the Sales

Construction is expected to be completed towards the end of 2023.

Office on 9043 7500.

3 Fordham Way

Construction continues with our next Commercial Building adjacent to TRN House with all of the basement, ground floor and half of the first floor slab now poured.

Close to half of the building has already been sold or leased. For more information, visit our website commercial. oranparktown.com.au/3fordham-way or contact the Sales Office on 9043 7500.

Construction is expected to be completed the second half of 2023.

Oran Park Leisure Centre

Construction has now commenced with completion expected late 2024.

This project includes a 50m indoor swimming pool, leisure and learn to swim pool, spa and sauna, four indoor multipurpose courts, gym and 2 program rooms, creche, cafe and underground carparking. The project is co-funded by Greenfields Development Company and Camden Council.



Development Updates (cont.)

Tranche 27, Stage 3

Subdivision is now complete

and has registered with

Land Registry Services.

Stage 1 civil works are

almost complete and early

Certificate. A second DA for

Stage 2 being for 106 lots is

preparations have begun

to submit documents to

Council for Subdivision

still under assessment.

Tranche 28



Oran Park Hotel (opposite Dawson-Damer Park)

Work continues but slower than expected due to the significant wet weather delays recently.

The basement level is now being poured and this is a significant milestone. The builder is now out of the mud!

Employment Zone

Construction is progressing well on the fire station and Rent A Space sites. Also in the employment zone will be KFC, a second EG service station, tavern, bulky goods centre (including a child care centre), all of which are currently going through the DA process. DA's are also being prepared for Hungry Jacks, Starbucks, industrial warehousing, Sutton's Trucks and another storage facility.

We are still waiting on CC approval for second stage of the employment zone and plan to start works early in 2023.

Tranche 26

Bulk earthworks continue and are nearing completion. Four significant development applications are still under assessment for prestige terrace homes in this precinct.

Tranche 29, Stage 5

Civil works are nearing completion with services to commence next and final landscaping to follow shortly after.

Tranche 41

Early earthworks continue on site. This northern expansion of the existing Oran Park development will include a 105 home Homeworld Display Village, residential development and two parks.

Oran Park North (Pondicherry)

A continuation of the Oran Park development, Oran Park North will be home to a further 2,400 homes. This site is sometimes referred to as the Pondicherry Lakes Precinct, named after Pondicherry Farm which once stood on this land.

A key design feature of this precinct is a beautifully designed lake system with a high-quality water treatment and wetland system.

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Also included in the masterplan is a public primary school and a private grammar school as well as a neighbourhood centre and playing fields bigger than Doohan Ovals.

The site is currently going through a rezoning process and will be placed on exhibition early in 2023.

Registration

Updates on all land registration dates can be found on our website oranparktown.com.au



Uniti Offer for Oran Park residents



Greenfields Development Company have worked with Uniti on a great offer for Oran Park residents which takes the fullest advantage of the optical fibre network. Uniti is offering discount rates to normal pricing, exclusive to Oran Park residents.

Residents on the Opticomm network will have the choice to sign up to a maximum 1000Mbps plan, the fastest available residential speeds in Australia, while residents on the NBN network can sign up to the 250Mbps plan which is the maximum for Oran Park residents on the NBN network.

The offer includes a one

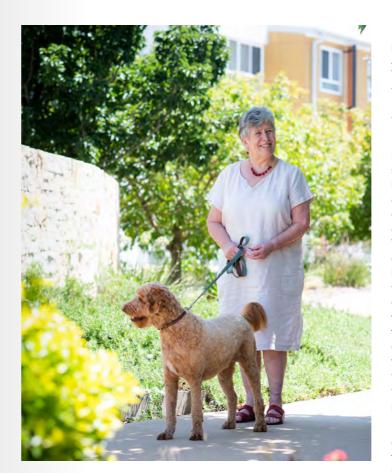
month free trial so residents can try it out without obligation and you can easily revert to another provider if you are not satisfied. This is a fantastic opportunity to trial Uniti and experience the fullest potential of the fibre network in Oran Park.

To find out more about this offer or to check your network provider, enter your address at <u>unitiwireless</u>.

com/promotion/oranpark

When choosing the right internet plan for your household, make sure to read the plan's terms and conditions to make sure it's right for you.

See final page of this newsletter for the full offer.



Meet Anglicare Oran Park Village Resident, Pam Pam was one of the first people to move into Anglicare Oran Park Village. Married for 46 years to husband Frank, Pam spent most of her working life as a nurse.

Pam's decision to move into retirement living came after seeing other older couples leaving the decision too late and then not being able to enjoy the lifestyle benefits of retirement village living. When she started looking at the options, Pam heard a lot of different things about village life. The one that caught her attention was that many residents enjoy the opportunity to live as one big family. If she could find the right community, she was sure that she and Frank would like being near similar people in a safe environment.

Moving into a retirement community would also mean that being free from many home maintenance chores would give them more time to spend travelling and enjoying their lives. As the location of their previous home provided easy access to medical facilities, shops and restaurants, that was something they were looking for in a village.

Soon after Pam and her husband moved into Oran Park Retirement Village, they looked at each other and said; 'this is right.'

It was a liberating feeling for the couple, they quickly became friends with their neighbours and appreciated the freedom to do as much as they wanted, or nothing at all.

Pam usually starts her week painting or doing water aerobics in the village's heated pool. On Thursdays, she will join the village BBQ and on Friday she joins her neighbours for morning tea.

Pam's advice for anyone looking into retirement living? She recommends looking around at the different options and going back to your favourite. There are many things that can contribute to that preference. One reason that Pam chose Anglicare is that it is a not-for-profit organisation and she always feels listened to.

OPHS Update

Provided by Oran Park High School



On Friday 28 October, Oran Park High School celebrated the teaching profession on World Teachers' Day. Our in Term 4 this year. Our teachers have shown great resilience during challenging Bulldog - and Suzie - a times over the past few years, all so they can give Australian students the best future possible.

We have amazing teaching staff here at Oran Park High School and we thank them for their passion and commitment to making a difference in the lives of the young people in their care.

Oran Park High School is excited to announce that we have been trialling the use of a Pet Therapy Program two dogs, Frank - a French Labrador - are both fully matured, vaccinated and show a highly loving, calm temperament.

Frank and Suzie initially worked with students in our Disability Support classes, under full adult supervision and if successful, may increase their work

Dog therapy is a recognised intervention supported by research with benefits that include:

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- increased connectedness across the school for staff and students
- reduced anxiety and stress from patting or interacting with a dog
- increased positive student engagement
- support for emotional regulation and social emotional awareness



with selected students as

identified by the school's

Bread = bad news for ducks!

Although many people enjoy feeding ducks in our local waterways, it can actually be very damaging to their health and animals that are fed by people may also lose their ability to forage for natural foods.

The natural diet of our native ducks includes vegetation, seeds of aquatic plants and aquatic insects.

Unfortunately many people feed ducks without knowing it can be very harmful. Bread and similar foods can make ducks very sick.

Rotting bread also pollutes the water and causes nasty surface algae, which kills the fish and can cause disease. Uneaten bread can also attract rats and mice, making the water smell.



New service directory for carers of people living with mental health issues



South Western Sydney Primary Health Network (SWSPHN) has developed a service directory for carers of people who are living with mental health issues. The directory lists all current federal, state, and local non-profit support services for carers, with a focus on NDIS access and planning.

To find the best one for your individual needs visit swsphn.com.au/what-we-do/mental-health/supportdirectory-for-carers-of-people-livingwith-mental-health-issues



Enrolled Nurse Scholarships Be amazing in your Start your nursing NSW

Enrolled Nurse Scholarships Program

Finished school and thinking of a nursing career?

NSW Health is offering **Enrolled Nurse Scholarships** with guaranteed employment.

The scholarships include a position in the Diploma of Nursing program and employment as an enrolled nurse in a NSW Health facility, following successful completion of the diploma and standard recruitment and registration process.

Scholarships cover the cost of course fees for the Diploma of Nursing for eligible applicants.

Applications for the 2023 scholarships open on 9 January 2023.

To find out more

health.nsw.gov.au/nursing/ scholarship/Pages/enrollednurse-scholarships.aspx



Australia Day Celebrations

Join in Camden Council's Australia Day celebrations on Thursday 26 January 2023. Program commences at 9am with roaming entertainment followed by the Macarthur Lions

Australia Day Street Parade at 10am in Argyle Street, Camden.

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Winners of the Australia Day Awards will also be announced at the event.

Free Child Car **Seat Safety Check**

Camden Council offers free child restraint fitting and checking with the support of Transport for NSW.

The next event will be held on 16 March 2023 with bookings opening at 8am on 13 March.

All child restraints are fitted by an RMS Authorised

Restraint Fitter and the service is free. Parts, if required, are available to purchase on the day.

For more information camden.nsw.gov.au/ community/communityinformation/communityand-road-safety/childrestraint-safety-checks





Camden Heritage **Walking Tours**

The Camden district is rich in history and the Camden CBD showcases stunning examples of heritage architecture with a collection of historic properties scattered throughout the area.

To help people learn more about the unique heritage, Camden Council have developed a Heritage Walking Tour guide that will take you on a self-guided exploration of Camden's heritage.

The guide will tell you where to find some of the best heritage properties as well as some information on their history.

Pick up a free copy from the Camden Visitor Information Centre or download a copy camden.nsw.gov.au/whatson/visit-camden/place/ camden-heritage-walking-



Will Your Child Start School In 2023?

Will your child start school in 2023?

All children need to be enrolled in school by the year they turn 6.

There are websites available for parents/carers providing valuable information about enrolment, including which Public School to enrol in, and what information you need to provide:

To find your local school, visit schoolfinder.education.nsw. gov.au

For information on starting school or the NSW Department of Education Parents and Carers Hub education.nsw.aov.au

What if your child has additional needs or may require some extra support?

Children with a disability have the right to go to school alongside their peers. For more information tinyurl.com/transition-toschool-guide

Any child that may need extra support in a mainstream class, or who will be enrolled in a support class or School for Specific Purposes, must be enrolled before the end of Term 2 (Friday 1 July 2023). This is the cut-off date for applications, which are made through your local primary school.

Early contact with the school ensures an individualised transition program is in place and the school has the information they need to support your child. It is recommended you ask for a meeting with the school Principal.

Some other helpful websites:

raisingchildren.net.au

transitiontoschoolresource.

conversationsforcollaboration.

If you have concerns about your child's development, you can contact EACH on 1300 003 224. EACH provides a range of health, disability, counselling and mental health services across Australia.

Wishing everyone a...

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the **Oran Park team**





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^The 1000 plan only available on Opticomm network. Visit website and check your address for available plans.

*NDC MAY APPLY

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