

Community Grants Program reopening this month!

Local groups are encouraged to brainstorm great ideas for projects ahead of the Shire of Harvey's Community Grants Program reopening this month.

The Program is an annual helping hand for local groups and organisations that create projects which improve sustainability, inclusivity, resilience and connectedness in the Harvey Region. Last year, the Shire supported 17 projects through this Program, including the upcoming movie Rigidarm, which is being filmed in Brunswick Junction.

The 2025 Community Grants Program will open **Monday, 24 February 2025.** Applications will close on **Friday, 4 April 2025.** For information on submitting a competitive application visit, **harvey.wa.gov.au**

Meriden Park Masterplan endorsed!

Council has endorsed the Meriden Park Masterplan! The Plan involves transforming Harvey's Meriden Park into a vibrant hub for youth and families.

The newly approved plan involves:

- Installing an accessible playground so children of all abilities can play
- Building accessible public toilets for the comfort and convenience of park visitors

• Constructing an enclosed dog exercise area so dogs can have fun The project will be rolled out in two stages over the financial years 2024-2025 and 2025-2026.

Follow the Shire on Facebook to keep up-to-date.



Harvey Harvest Festival - Coming Soon!

The annual Harvey Harvest Festival is coming back next month!

Enjoy homegrown music and live entertainment, kids activities and cultural performances and participate in the WA Grape Stomping Competition.

Sample a Taste of Harvey with bespoke food and beverage experiences that reveal the authentic people, place and fresh produce of the Harvey Region.

The Harvey Harvest Festival is a Smoke Free event!

When: 7, 8 and 9 March 2025 Where: Snell's Park

Check out the program here: **harveyfest.com.au**

The Shire of Harvey is a proud sponsor of the 2025 Harvey Harvest Festival.

The Literacy Festival is back!

The Shire's much loved Literacy Festival is returning this March! The event will feature an exciting line-up of award-winning authors that have made their mark on the Australian literary scene. Talks will be held across Australind and Harvey Libraries.



The 2025 Literacy Festival take place across 6 and 7 March 2025. Scan the QR code for the full program or visit our website.



Authorised Bush Fire Control Officer (Bush Fires Act 1954)

Notice is hereby given that the Shire of Harvey, in accordance with the Bush Fires Act 1954, S.38 has declared the following person appointed as a Bush Fire Control Officer for the period of 28 January 2025 to 30 June 2025.

Ranger	Martin Edwards
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Council Meetings

All Council Meetings are held at the Harvey Council Chamber. Meetings are open to the public and are also live streamed on YouTube. To view the live stream, visit:

youtube.com/@shireofharvey5433 To view the Agenda, visit:

harvey.wa.gov.au/shire/council

Date	Meeting	Time
18 February	Agenda Briefing	5pm
25 February	Ordinary Council	5pm

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