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MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR



Welcome to the first edition of the new-look Yarra News. It's an exciting time in Yarra at the moment and it's great to be able to share even more news with you through our 12-page publication.

The fourth annual Leaps and Bounds Festival takes place in July and I am looking forward to launching this exciting live music festival.

The Festival is unique to Yarra and has a strong emphasis on showcasing everything local, particularly our venues. More than 50 sites will host 300 events throughout the 17-day festival find out more on page 7.

It's always pleasing to see the difference Council makes in our community and our Annual Grants Program is a great example of this. Applications for the 2017 grants open on Monday, 13 June, and I encourage you to read the Collingwood Knights' story on the next page to discover just how important grants are to our community groups.

I will also take the opportunity to share the news that after 10 years of advocating by Council's Disability Advisory Committee, there is now an accessible car available for hire in a car-share scheme in Yarra. This is a great achievement and you can read more about it on page 9.

Finally, an update on the Budget. Council is continuing to finalise its Budget for 2016/17 and I expect that we will adopt the Proposed Budget, with or without amendments at our 7 June Council Meeting. I look forward to sharing the highlights in the next edition of Yarra News.

Cr Roberto Colanzi Mayor

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Ordinary Council Meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday of each month. All meetings begin at 7pm and are held at Richmond Town Hall, 333 Bridge Road, Richmond.

Community members are invited to attend and to participate in discussions. Key issues discussed at each meeting are detailed on Council's website the Friday prior to each meeting. Important take-outs from the meeting are reported on in the following days.

For meeting agendas, minutes and for more information visit www.yarracity.vic.gov.au/meetings

WURUNDJERI ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Yarra City Council acknowledges the Wurundjeri as the Traditional Owners of this country, pays tribute to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in Yarra and gives respect to Elders past and present.

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KICKING GOALS THANKS TO ANNUAL GRANTS

Some of Yarra's most vulnerable community members are turning their lives around through the Collingwood Knights' More Than Footy program, which has been able to thrive thanks to Council's Annual Grants Program.

The Club received funding through the 2016 Grants, and provides a safe haven and positive community environment for men and women ages 15 and up, who aren't working and who are struggling with challenges in their lives.

The two Knights teams play mid-week in the Reclink league, but it's more than just footy for the participants – the project is a holistic approach to wellbeing for identified community needs. Players are provided with free counselling, health services and education, as well as meals on training and game days.

"We wouldn't be able to do most of what we do if we didn't receive grants

like the one we did from Council," admits Chris McGeachan, a full-time police officer at Fitzroy and is also the club's Team Manager.

"The Club provides a positive hangout spot for these people, some of whom are struggling with addiction or who have gotten on the wrong side of the law.

We offer an opportunity for people to participate and to be a part of something positive, and that is really important.

This is a sentiment echoed by 22-yearold Cody Miles who has been part of the Knights for the past five years. "This is a place for people to feel like they belong. It is just the best feeling to be here," he said.

There is no registration fee, cost or expected contribution to be part of the team who play and train on alternate weeks on Wednesdays at Victoria Park.

Council has worked hard to renovate and restore Victoria Park and its facilities. This investment allows community members and organisations like the Knights, the opportunity to exist and utilise the space.

Applications for Council's 2017 Annual Grants Program open on Monday 13 June and close at 5pm on Monday 25 July 2016.

Community groups and individuals providing programs that address local needs and enhance the health and wellbeing of the Yarra community are encouraged to apply.

Information sessions on the Annual Grants process will take place in June. For full details or to apply for a grant, visit www.yarracity.vic.gov.au/communitygrants or contact Yarra's Grants Team on 9205 5555 or at yarragrants@yarracity.vic.gov.au



COUNCIL CELEBRATES REFUGEE WEEK

High-profile human rights and refugee advocate Julian Burnside AO QC, will be returning to Yarra later this month to inspire the audience at Council's annual Refugee Week event.

We had a quick chat with the passionate Australian barrister ahead of his anticipated appearance.

Q: Yarra was one of the first Refugee Welcome Zones (back in 2002) making the commitment to welcome refugees into the community. Generally speaking, how do you see Yarra in this space?

A: It's fantastic that Yarra is taking such a forward-looking, enlightened and decent position. There are other Councils that are doing similarly [but it is] creditable that they are taking the position they have.

Q: Refugees and asylum seekers face many challenges during settlement and beyond. How can people support these people and help them feel connected in their new community? A: Act as if it's your brother or sister you haven't seen in a long time, just treat them the way you'd like to be treated. [Also] Council could organise simple, regular dinners... It's very hard to misunderstand people once you've shared a meal with someone.

Q: As part of Yarra's Refugee Week Event, you will be joined by two other panelists. Are you able to give us a sneak peek into what you might be sharing at the Thursday 23 June event?

A: [Laughs] It's too early to tell!



Julian Burnside AO QC will be headlining Yarra's Refugee Week Q&A panel. Photo: Christopher Pearce/Fairfax Syndication.

Yarra's Refugee Week event will be on Thursday 23 June from 6-8pm at Richmond Town Hall.

Limited tickets available for this free event, register at **www.yarracity.vic. gov.au/refugeeweek**. After presentations by Julian, Daniel Webb and Shabnam Safa, there will be a Q&A, performances by Ajak Kwai and Tsering Dhondup, and light refreshments.

Council has a long-standing commitment to advocating for refugees and asylum seekers.

The City of Yarra encourages the development of a strong, resilient and diverse community, and Council is proud to work with, and support refugees and asylum seekers living in our municipality.

RATES NOTICES ON THE WAY

Yarra property owners are reminded to be on the lookout for their 2016/17 rates notice, which is expected to be delivered to households in mid-August.

Rates help fund essential services like waste and recycling collection, road infrastructure and a range of community initiatives that improve the health and wellbeing of our community. They also allow us to maintain and improve our libraries, expand our parks, support local business and encourage participation in junior sport.

Your rates notice for the 2016/17 financial year will take into account the State Government's 2.5 per cent cap on rates, as well as the most recent revaluation of your property. Council has elected not to apply for an exemption to the mandatory cap.

It is important to remember that the 2.5 per cent cap does not apply to your individual bill, but rather to the total amount of money that Council is seeking from rates revenue.

Your property has recently been reassessed as part of a regular state-wide revaluation.

As your council rates are linked to property values in your area you may see changes on your rates notice. Almost all properties in Yarra will experience rates changes that are higher or lower than 2.5 per cent. See below for an example.

More detailed information about this process and your rates will be explained through the brochure in August. For more information contact Council's Revenue Services Unit on **9205 5025**.

PROPERTY A

Old value = \$750,000 New value = \$1,000,000 Value increase = 33.3 per cent

Old rate amount \$1,733.25 New rate amount \$2,024.50 Rates have increased by 16.8 per cent

PROPERTY B

Old value = \$950,000 New value = \$1,000,000 Value increase = 5.3 per cent

Old rate amount \$2,195.45 New rate amount \$2,024.50 Rates have decreased by 7.8 per cent



Your rates help fund a wide variety of Council services, including community and family-focussed programs.



Council regularly seeks feedback on projects and proposals that affect Yarra residents, business operators and the wider community.

Council encourages everyone to have their say on matters that are important to them and participate in Council's decision-making process. Some current and upcoming consultations include:

- Draft Safe Travel Strategy have your say on Yarra's 10-year plan for improving travel safety for all road users.
- Edinburgh Gardens have your say on ways to improve the northern section of Edinburgh Gardens.
- Library Opening Hours have your say on the proposed new opening hours for all Yarra Libraries
- Williams Reserve have your say on the revised concept plan.

For more information and to have your say on these and other issues Council is currently seeking feedback on, visit www.yarracity.vic.gov.au/
Consultation

2016/17 PROPOSED BUDGET UPDATE

Council sought community feedback on its proposed budget for 2016/17 in April and May. One hundred and twenty one written submissions were received during the consultation period.

Council considered submissions, and heard verbal feedback, at a Special Council Meeting on 23 May. Council is expected to adopt the Proposed Budget – with or without changes – at its meeting on 7 June.

We will provide highlights from the budget in the next edition of *Yarra News*. For the latest information, visit

www.yarracity.vic.gov.au/budget

LOCAL GROUP'S RISE TO THE TOP

Together Like Brothers (TLB) is set to be one of the breakout acts at this year's Leaps and Bounds Festival, and it's been a wild ride to centre stage for the young Yarra band.

Ror, Dut, Gum and Adim have honed their craft over the past four years as part of the Rising High Music Program, run by Council's Yarra Youth Services. What initially began as a hobby has put them on the path to stardom, with the band releasing their first ever album at this year's Festival.

"It's our first time being part of Leaps and Bounds and we are so excited by the build-up and we are really looking forward to performing," says 19-yearold Ror.

"This is our first album as a group and our tracks touch on quite a lot of topics, but essentially the album is about striving for what you want in life. We are trying to be role models for other young people and trying to be role models through our music."

Raised in South Sudan and inspired by the likes of Tupac and Bob Marley, TLB pride themselves on their story-telling. Their songs are about positive social



issues and messages about assimilation, racism and adapting to a new culture.

The hip hop collective all live in the Collingwood and Fitzroy housing estates, and wrote and recorded all 14 songs on their debut album at the local community studio.

"The program is really where we started," says Ror of Rising High which assists young Yarra residents to find a professional pathway into the music business. "Being around industry professionals really helped us understand who we were and what genre we wanted to pursue"

"We are so excited that we are now here as part of Leaps and Bounds to perform songs from our album at the launch at the Evelyn Hotel."

TLB's album launch will be at the Evelyn Hotel, 351 Brunswick Street on Saturday 2 July.

RENEWAL FOR FITZROY GASWORKS

Places Victoria, the State Government's property development agency, has announced it is investigating the potential renewal of the Fitzroy Gasworks site, located at 433 Smith Street, Fitzroy.

The 3.9 hectare former industrial site, which is owned by the State Government, has the potential to be developed into a diverse precinct –

providing a variety of new homes, shops, cafes and other community facilities.

Places Victoria sought community input to help inform a design concept and to contribute to a future masterplan for the site from May to early June.

Following this initial phase of community engagement and further due diligence,

Places Victoria will decide if it is feasible to move forward with the proposal.

For the latest information about this project and to share your thoughts, visit **fitzroygasworks.places.vic.gov.au** or contact Places Victoria on **131 852** or **fitzroy@places.vic.gov.au**

STARS COLLIDE FOR LEAPS AND BOUNDS

The who's who of music is converging on Yarra in anticipation of the fourth annual Leaps and Bounds Festival in July.

Over 17 days and nights, the Festival will feature more than 900 acts at some of Yarra's most loved and most iconic venues. Unique gigs, workshops, bus tours and an array of special events will give festival-goers a unique experience of all things Melbourne music.

The Festival, which takes its name from the Paul Kelly song *Leaps and Bounds*, showcases home-grown talent, nurtures the next generation of musicians and celebrates Australia's unique musical legends.

There are gigs to suit music fans of every generation and over 50 venues in Fitzroy, Collingwood, Richmond, and North Fitzroy. Overall, the Festival will host more than 300 events.

Leaps and Bounds runs from 1-17 July. For more information and full gig listings, visit www. leapsandboundsmusicfestival.com

Leaps and Bounds is proudly presented by Council, Creative Victoria, PBS 106.7FM and Nelson Alexander.





REVAMP FOR RICHMOND LIBRARY

A change is in the air at Richmond Library, with the facility set to undergo a substantial refurbishment in late June.

The 415 Church Street premises will be closed from Friday 24 June to Monday 11 July while the comprehensive restoration takes place. New furniture, carpet, shelving and other cosmetic alterations will form the bulk of the renovations.

The works are thanks to funding received by Council as part of the State Government's 2015 Living

Libraries Infrastructure Program.

As a result of these works, Yarra Libraries customers can expect improved levels of service and increased opportunity to participate in a range of programs and services not currently provided at the Richmond Library. These include IT training, pop-up maker space activities, talks, cultural events, art installations and exhibitions.

The new-look Richmond Library will be unveiled in the August/September edition of *Yarra News*.

NDIS COMES TO YARRA

From 1 July 2016, the City of Yarra will be one of the first Local Government Areas to be part of the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) national roll-out.

Under the NDIS, people with disability will have control over how, when and where their funding is spent. Yarra is one of five Councils in the North East Metropolitan Area in which the NDIS will roll-out from 1 July, and Council is currently considering the role it will play under this scheme.

A report went to Council on 17 May presenting four options – Council being a full service provider, a limited service provider, a temporary/transitional service provider, and not taking up this role at all.

It is estimated that 730 people in Yarra will be eligible for the NDIS. Of those, it is estimated that approximately 90-120 are current HACC (Home and Community Care) service users, who may be eligible for the NDIS.

Council will make a final decision on its role as a registered service provider under the NDIS at the 7 June meeting. More information on the outcome of this decision will be in the next edition of *Yarra News*.

HAVE YOUR SAY ON EXTENDED LIBRARY HOURS

A Yarra Council service already rated as excellent and ranked third on customer satisfaction last year by residents is about to become even better.

Council is proposing to extend the opening hours for Yarra libraries by the end of this year, to coincide with the opening of the North Fitzroy Community Hub. Residents are invited to vote and comment on these proposed changes. These include all libraries opening from 10am Monday to Saturday and more libraries staying open until 8pm from Monday to Thursday.

The proposal involves two options with up to an additional 35 extra library opening hours a week overall across Yarra, at no extra cost to Council. The proposed changes result in a reduction in library hours in some areas.

To have your say, go to the link below, view the options and complete the online survey. Or visit one of our libraries and speak to staff. People speaking a language other than English can also seek assistance from library staff.

To view the options and link to the survey, visit **www.yarracity.vic. qov.au/libraries**

A FIRST FOR COMMUNITY CAR ACCESSIBILITY

In a first for the municipality and Victoria, Yarra now has an accessible vehicle available for hire through a community-focused car share scheme, Car Next Door.

Council's Disability Advisory Committee (DAC) has been advocating for more than a decade for a car accessible to a passenger in a wheelchair to be available in a commercial car fleet.

After approaching a number of organisations and exploring a multitude of options over the years, DAC member Martin Leckey recently purchased a modified Kia Carnival. The car is able to accommodate a driver and four passengers, including one passenger in a wheelchair. The car has been available for hire through Car Next Door since April.

"We [the DAC] had been looking at ways to get an accessible car that people could share for quite some time without success," said Martin. "I then heard about Car Next Door and thought if I bought a vehicle I could share it through the scheme – I hadn't bought a car before now."

The lack of an accessible vehicle has previously excluded people who face challenges with accessibility, driving or using public transport from using a car pool system in Yarra.

In addition, limited availability and expensive costs of multi-purpose vehicles prevented many who rely on taxis and commercial hire car companies from getting out and about.



It's free to be a Car Next Door member and the accessible Kia can be rented for \$10/hr or for \$45 a day, with a rate of 33 c/km – cheaper than many other options, and one that provides much more freedom, says Martin.

"To have an accessible car available like this is particularly good for day trips or longer, and ideal for someone who may want to try out an accessible vehicle before they bought one themselves," he says.

For more information or to hire visit www.carnextdoor.com.au/hire/van/vic/carlton-north/2005-kia-carnival-wheelchair-accessible

BUILDING MAINTENANCE LOOKS TO THE SKIES

Council is continuing to embrace technology, with the Building Maintenance team recently inspecting the Collingwood Library roof with the aid of a drone.

Roof inspections can be difficult and are often impossible without scaffolding, as was the case with the heritage-listed Collingwood Library.

In a first for Council, Building Maintenance was able to inspect the precarious site to assess its condition and determine plans for future works and budget spend – all from the ground.

The targeted inspection was three months in the planning and was undertaken in a strictly controlled

environment under the expertise of a specialist operator.

Council is always looking for innovative ways to undertake its services, and given this project's success, is considering using a drone annually to determine the best time to intervene and begin repairs on the library roof.





UPDATES TO GARBAGE BIN COLLECTION

New garbage collection times will commence from 1 July 2016.

Yarra Council has appointed a new contractor who has advised that while the days of garbage collection will not alter, the previous collection times will change.

Residents are reminded to place their garbage bin out the night before collection day.

We encourage you to contact Council's Customer Service team, only if your bin has not been collected by 4pm.

BIG YEAR FOR L2P PROGRAM

In the past year, more than 20 young people, many from disadvantaged backgrounds have obtained their driver licence through the Yarra L2P Program, setting them on the road to new opportunities, jobs and social connections.

Council took over the innovative program last July and with the help of volunteer mentors, the program assists young people in achieving the 120 hours supervised practice hours needed for them to sit their driving test.

Many program participants do not have access to a family car, or don't have a parent or relative with a licence to help get their driving hours up.

Therefore, participants rely on the community program and its dedicated volunteers to obtain their P plates.

"I've been a mentor for about four years and I've loved it," said Jacquelyn Willox, who became involved after teaching her three children to drive.

Being a mentor allows me to interact with young people in different cultures, and keeps me in touch with their ideas, problems and ambitions of a different generation.

Two L2P cars are used for driving practice and all costs including petrol and insurance are covered by the

program, which is funded by the TAC and VicRoads. Participants have six professional driving lessons before they are matched with their mentor. Training is provided but mentors must hold a full Victorian driver licence and be willing to undergo a police check and a working with children check.

Council is always on the lookout for more mentors and there are currently 30 young people on the L2P waiting list. To find out more about the program or to register interest in becoming a mentor, contact Samuel Sakama on 9426 1455 or Samuel.Sakama@ yarracity.vic.gov.au

WHAT'S ON IN YARRA!

HIGH LIFE EXPO

Wednesday 22 June, 6-9pm Melbourne Town Hall, Swanston Street, Melbourne

Interested in sustainable living, but own an apartment and don't know where to start? The Expo will feature apartment owners and managers who have carried out innovative projects to reduce both their bills and environmental impact – all while improving the value of their apartment or building.

The Expo is hosted by the City of Melbourne and Smart Blocks in partnership with the Cities of Yarra, Port Phillip, Stonnington, Moonee Valley and the Alternative Technology Association.

Tickets are free but registration is essential. Visit www.2016highlife expo.eventbrite.com.au



EMERGE IN YARRA 2016

18–25 June Various locations around Yarra

This week-long festival commemorates World Refugee Week by highlighting the contribution our refugee and asylum seeker communities have in Yarra. The festival involves workshops, theatre performances, cooking demonstrations, live music, spoken word, comedy and conversations.

For more information and to book visit **www.multiculturalarts.com.au**

BRIDGE ROAD FILM FESTIVAL

Saturday 2, 16 and 23 July, 5.30pm Richmond Town Hall, 333 Bridge Road, Richmond

The fourth annual Bridge Road Film Festival returns this year with three great films – *Thelma and Louise* on 2 July, *The Blues Brothers* on 16 July and *Wedding Crashers* on 23 July. The Festival is free to attend and brought to the community by the businesses on Bridge Road.

For more information, to reserve free tickets and to find out more about the special deals and discounts available as part of the Festival, visit **www.bridgerd.com.au**

ABORIGINAL STORYTIME

Saturday 9 July, 2pm Fitzroy Library

In celebration of NAIDOC week, traditional and contemporary stories from Aboriginal nations across Australia will be retold by Aboriginal educator and cultural practitioner Eva-Jo Edwards. The mythologies of ancient explanations are told through stories, artefacts and the children are also invited to participate in Koorie Face Painting and Aboriginal dance.

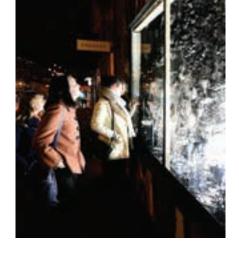
This event is sponsored by The Thomas, Samuel & George Ewing Trust. To book visit www.yarracity. vic.gov.au/libraries

GERTRUDE STREET PROJECTION FESTIVAL

15–24 July Various locations around Fitzroy

For 10 nights in July Fitzroy's Gertrude Street will come to life as some of Yarra's most iconic buildings, laneways and natural environments are lit up in spectacular fashion by projection artists. In addition to the public art program, there is an incredible line-up of events including live music, performances, workshops and panel forums.

Gertrude Street Projection Festival is free. To find out more visit **www.gspf.com.au**



REACHING RELUCTANT READERS

Tuesday 19 July, 5.30-6.30pm Fitzroy Library

Reluctant readers are becoming a bigger issue in schools than ever before. In this free session Bec Kavanagh will discuss the different types of reluctant readers, the causes and the outcomes as well as ways to address the issue and to find and recommend different texts to suit different reading styles. The session will also offer suggestions for activities that parents and professionals can use to engage readers at home, in the classroom or at the library.

This event is sponsored by The Thomas, Samuel & George Ewing Trust. To book visit www.yarralibraries.gov.au/libraries

ONE MILLION STORIES FOR YARRA KIDS

Launching in June at any Yarra Libraries branch

Yarra Libraries, in partnership with Alice Springs Libraries, is launching The Million Stories Project to celebrate and recognise the contribution that a whole community can make to the learning outcomes of our children. Be involved by registering your family and downloading your family story record chart. Every time you share a story, a book or a rhyme with your child, record it on your special chart, and over time you can watch your numbers grow.

For more information visit **www. yarralibraries.gov.au/libraries** or visit any branch.



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- **CALL** us on 9205 5555
- **VISIT** a customer service centre (open weekdays 8:30am-5pm)

Collingwood Town Hall 140 Hoddle Street, Abbotsford

Richmond Town Hall 333 Bridge Road, Richmond

Connie Benn Centre 160 Brunswick Street, Fitzroy

Weekly announcements from Yarra News will be broadcast in several languages on local radio 3CR 855AM and 3ZZZ 92.3FM

GREEK

Ανακοινώσεις από αυτή την έκδοση του Yarra News θα μεταδοθούν στο Ελληνικό ραδιοφωνικό πρόγραμμα της Δευτέρας από τις 8μμ, στο 3CR 855 AM.

TURKISH

Yarra News'un bu baskısında yer alan duyurular, 92.3 FM bandından yayın yapan 3ZZZ Türkçe radyo programında, Pazar günleri saat 10.00'dan itibaren yayınlanacaktır.

VIETNAMESE

Các thông báo từ số phát hành này của Yarra News sẽ được phát thanh trên chương trình phát thanh Việt Ngữ vào các ngày thứ Ba từ 10 giờ sáng, trên đài 3ZZZ 92.3 FM.

ARABIC

سيتم بث اعلانات من اصدارة Yarra News هذه عبر برنامج صوت إريتيريا الإذاعي في أيام الاثنين من الساعة 7 صباحاً، على التردد 3CR 855 AM.



To improve communications with Yarra's non-English speaking community, Council has translated information about stories included in this edition into Yarra's four main community languages. For more information on anything in this edition in your language, please call 9280 1940 and quote REF 16094.

Αυτή η έκδοση περιλαμβάνει άρθρα που αναφέρονταιστα δημοτικά τέλη, στις Ετήσιες Επιχορηγήσεις για το 2017, στο φεστιβάλ 'Leaps and Bounds', στην αναθεώρηση των ωρών λειτουργίας των βιβλιοθηκών και στις αλλαγές στην αποκομιδή των κάδων των σκουπιδιών. Αν θέλετε περισσότερες πληροφορίες για οποιοδήποτε από αυτά τα άρθρα ή αν θέλετε να διαβάσετε άλλα άρθρα αυτής της έκδοσης, καλέστε τον αριθμό 9280 1937 και αναφέρετε τοREF 16094.

Questa edizione include notizie sulle vostre tasse comunali, sui Bandi Annuali 2017, sul Festival Leaps and Bounds, sui nuovi orari di apertuta delle biblioteche e sui cambiamenti nella raccolta della spazzatura. Se volete ulteriori informazioni su questi argomentio per saperne di più in merito alle altre notizie pubblicate in questa edizione chiamate il 9280 1937 e citate il numero di riferimento 16094.

这一期包含的信息有您的市政费、2017年的资助款、音乐节,图书馆开馆时间以及垃圾收集的变化。如果您想了解更多关于这些方面的信息或者阅读这一期的其他内容,请拨打电话9280 1937并提供参考号码16094。

Số báo này có những câu chuyện về thuế địa phương Ngân khoản Tài trợ Thường niên (Annual Grants) 2017, lễ hội Leaps and Bounds, cuộc xem xét giờ giấc thư viện mở cửa và các thay đổi đối với dịch vụ đổ rác. Muốn biết thêm thông tin về bất kỳ câu chuyện nào vừa nêu hoặc đọc các câu chuyện khác đăng trên Yarra News, xin quý vị gọi điện thoại số 9280 1937 và báo cho nhân viên biết số REF 16094.

ON THE COVER: Music royalty Emma Donovan, Jon von Goes, Dave Graney and Claire Moore will all be a part of this year's Leaps and Bounds Festival. Find out more on page 7.

If you have any comments or queries about Yarra News, please contact us at **yarranews@yarracity.vic.gov.au** or call **9205 5555.** Large print, audio and online versions are also available