



Campbelltown Snippet

July 2026

New playgrounds



Three local reserves have recently been upgraded for the community to enjoy.

Pamela Avenue Reserve in Campbelltown, now features an upgraded playground, seating, a shade structure, picnic settings, an accessible path and a drinking fountain.

Tranquil Court Reserve in Campbelltown, has been refreshed with an upgraded playground, improved paths, and an upgraded half basketball and netball court.

Galloway Reserve in Magill, has also received a new half basketball court.

Learn more about the upgrades at campbelltown.sa.gov.au/new-playgrounds

Sustainable infrastructure solutions



We're committed to building a cleaner, more sustainable future for our community. That's why we're trialling innovative solutions that improve our infrastructure, while protecting the environment. From recycled plastic stormwater pipes to plant-based road treatments, new approaches are being tested

to reduce emissions, extend asset life, minimise disruption for residents, and support a circular economy.

These initiatives are already delivering promising results in Tranmere, Magill and Newton, by helping address flooding and extending the life of our roads. Learn more about how these forward-thinking solutions are shaping a more resilient and sustainable community at campbelltown.sa.gov.au/innovative-infrastructure

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Postponement of Council elections

South Australia's Local Government elections, originally scheduled for November 2026, have been postponed to April 2027 following a request from the South Australian Electoral Commission.

For Council, the delay means that current Elected Members will remain in office until April 2027, continuing their work to represent the community.

For residents, this provides extra time to check and update enrolment details, learn more about the election process, and consider nominating as a candidate.

For the latest information regarding Local Government elections, including enrolment, nomination and voting, visit www.councilelections.sa.gov.au

Our Community

50 years of the Campbelltown Library



For 50 years, the Campbelltown Library has served the community, supporting people to connect, learn and grow. Since opening in 1976, it has continued to evolve its services, collections and programs to support changing community needs.

In June, the community came together to celebrate this milestone with a free event, marking five decades of stories, learning and connection.

Learn more about our Library's history at campbelltown.sa.gov.au/50

Magill Community Centre is now open



The Magill Community Centre, previously known as the Magill Senior Citizens Centre, is now open as a vibrant hub for older people. It is a welcoming place to connect, learn, stay active, have fun, access support and feel a strong sense of belonging.

The Centre will host a range of activities led by community groups throughout the week, along with Council-run events and programs on Mondays, Thursdays and selected evenings and weekends.

To explore what's on and find out how to get involved, visit campbelltown.sa.gov.au/mcc

Mayor's Message

In 2019, Council declared a climate emergency and has recently endorsed a revised Climate Solutions Strategy, outlining our plan to reduce emissions and prepare our City for climate-related risks.

Protecting our environment is a shared responsibility. This July, we encourage you to get involved in Plastic Free July and join our community planting days. We also invite you to attend Naturally Campbelltown in September, a free community event where you can learn more about Council's environmental initiatives and discover simple ways to live sustainably.

We're committed to leading our City towards a climate-resilient, safe and sustainable future.

Mayor Jill Whittaker OAM



Community Stories

Leading the change



This year, primary school student leaders from across our community have joined forces to take on a major environmental

challenge: improving resource recovery and reducing waste contamination.

Supported by Council, Green Industries SA, the Department for Education's Waste Management Team and the Rotary Club of Campbelltown, students are exploring how they can make meaningful change in their school communities.

We're proud of these young changemakers and their hard work to help shape a sustainable community.

campbelltown.sa.gov.au/leading-the-change

Athelstone's own making national waves



At just 19 years old, Athelstone local Oliver Evans-Wood is making a name for himself as one of Australia's most promising young rowers.

His rise has been powered by determination, discipline and support from initiatives such as Council's Personal Achievement Grants.

Ollie has had an impressive 2026 season, claiming multiple state and national medals, including two golds and two bronzes at the Australian Rowing Championships and a clean sweep of gold at the South Australian State Championships. His strong performances have now earned him selection for the U23 World Rowing Championships in Germany this July.

campbelltown.sa.gov.au/making-waves

Events

Community planting events



July to
September

Various dates and locations

Get your hands dirty with Conservation Volunteers Australia at a local planting event as part of the Rewilding Fifth Creek or Urban Shade Forest programs. Whether you're coming along as an individual, with friends, or involving your school community, there are plenty of ways to participate. campbelltown.sa.gov.au/cva-events

Naturally Campbelltown



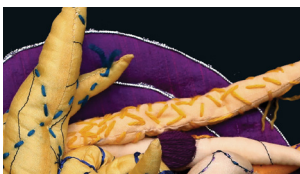
5 September

**Saturday 5 September 2026, 10 am to 2 pm
Campbelltown Function Centre**

Come along to this free, family-friendly event celebrating sustainability, bringing together children's activities, local market stalls, delicious food, information talks and practical ideas for everyday living.

campbelltown.sa.gov.au/naturally

SALA Exhibition



1 – 29 August

**Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays during
August, 1 pm to 5 pm
Brookside Cellars Community Arts Centre**

Experience the creativity of your community by viewing local artistic talent showcased as part of the South Australian Living Artists (SALA) Festival.

campbelltown.sa.gov.au/sala



Winter warming

Smoke from wood heaters

Solid fuel heaters, such as wood heaters, are a popular means of home heating. Unfortunately, they can be a major source of air pollution when they are poorly designed or not operated correctly. Wood smoke contains particles that are harmful to your family and your neighbours. If you can smell it, you're already breathing it. For tips on reducing smoke pollution, visit campbelltown.sa.gov.au/fire

Efficient home heating

You can lower both the cost and environmental impact of heating your home with these simple tips:

- use curtains and pelmets to insulate windows
- heat only the rooms you use
- ensure good insulation
- reduce draughts with door seals
- wear extra layers

For more tips, visit campbelltown.sa.gov.au/saving-energy-at-home

Consultation updates

2026/2027 Annual Business Plan and Budget



The 2026/2027 Annual Business Plan and Budget has been adopted by Council and we thank our community for providing valuable feedback on the proposed projects.

The Plan will help to deliver our strategic plan goals, while continuing our commitment to a safe, sustainable and vibrant community.

To view the final budget and all the included projects, visit campbelltown.sa.gov.au/abp

Draft Local Housing Strategy



evolving community needs.

We are now seeking community feedback before the Strategy is finalised. For further information and to have your say, visit connect2.campbelltown.sa.gov.au

Consultation closes 9 am, Monday 3 August 2026.



Saturday 5 September | 10 am – 2 pm
172 Montacute Road Rostrevor

A **FREE** community event

Sustainable market stalls
E-vehicles and E-bikes • Native animals
Information talks and workshops
Native plant giveaway • Children's activities
Food and drinks and more!



www.campbelltown.sa.gov.au/naturally

Win 1 of 5 \$100 Why Leave Campbelltown Gift Cards

For your chance to win:

- be registered to receive electronic rates notices and/or
- create a Payble direct debit payment plan before Tuesday 1 September 2026.

Terms and conditions apply. To learn more, visit campbelltown.sa.gov.au/rates-competition



Your Elected Members

Scan the QR code to view Council's ward map to find your Elected Members.



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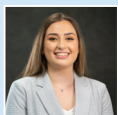


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