

Gully Life

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Tilley Recreation Park upgrade

Construction is officially underway at Tilley Recreation Park! We're thrilled to announce the project commencement of the new clubroom for use by Tea Tree Gully City Soccer Club and the community.

This initiative is a part of an extensive \$9.5 million masterplan upgrade for Tilley Recreation Park, set to unfold over the next two years. Improvements include a dog park, upgraded parking and new pathways. Funding is supported by two SA Government grants.



A sweeping section of River Torrens Linear Park.

River Torrens Recovery Project milestone

The River Torrens Recovery Project, initiated in 2014, aims to enhance water quality at key sites benefiting both the river and coastal regions.

Eight councils, including the City of Tea Tree Gully, National Parks and Wildlife Service SA, Botanic Gardens State Herbarium, Green Adelaide, and the local community join hands in this endeavour.

Their collective commitment has led to significant transformations

along the river over the last ten years, ensuring its sustainability and environmental health.

With ongoing efforts, the project persists in its mission to improve the River Torrens, demonstrating the power of collaborative action in safeguarding vital ecosystems.

Brad Mann, a Project Officer in Pest Management at the City of Tea Tree Gully, says “the collaboration across councils along the river has been invaluable”.



Pick a warm spot to plant home-grown carrots this autumn.



Grand Junction Road in Hope Valley has been revitalised with a streetscape makeover.

Stage 1 makeover complete

Hope Valley’s Grand Junction Road is undergoing a vibrant makeover. Stage 1 of the rejuvenation focused on the area near the shopping centre and Torrens Valley Christian School. Upgrades included planting trees, widening footpaths, and adding modern street furniture.

Spearheaded by South Australian landscape architects, Clover Green Space, and executed by external contractors, the project had a value of \$400,000. Further funding for Stage 2 has been proposed in the Draft Capital Works budget for 2024–25.



Waste warriors Archer and Kelly with their Mini Muncher.

Calling all resident waste warriors!

We’re searching for the ‘waste warriors’ in our local community who are doing their best to reduce, reuse, and divert as much waste from landfill as possible.

We would love to hear about what you’re doing to reduce your waste, how you set up your household bins, your hints and tips, and how much progress you’ve made in reducing the amount of waste you create.

Join our war on waste! Share your stories and photos by 15 May and you could win one of three \$150 Westfield gift cards.

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Autumn reigns supreme for gardeners

Sabine Koolen, Technical Officer of Biodiversity at the City of Tea Tree Gully, reveals the secrets of golden season!

New native plantings: Establish your plants before winter chill sets in. April and May are prime for local and Australian natives. Early planting means robust roots, better drought resistance, and lush growth come summer.

Seasonal vegetables: Embrace the cooler weather with a bounty of veggies. From spinach to garlic, sow now for a harvest bonanza. Easy-to-grow options like kale and lettuce thrive, ensuring fresh, home-grown goodness.

Hot tip for pests: Keep an eye out for snails post-rain and remove promptly.

Transform your garden this autumn: seize the season’s potential today!



Gallery 1855 exhibition: Mini series

Presented in partnership with renowned disability arts organisation Tutti Arts, Mini series is a captivating exhibition. It features a collection of small artworks. Visit during opening hours 24 April to 29 June 2024.

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Free green waste drop-off events

Load up the car or trailer and visit Enviro Care to drop-off your excess green waste. Collected materials are recycled into mulch for Council parks, gardens and reserves.

Accepted materials include leaves, lawn cuttings, and branches up to 20cm in diameter. Events run on selected Wednesdays and Sundays.

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