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Gillian Aldridge, OAM **Mayor of Salisbury**

Last year many of us had a bit more downtime than we are accustomed to, with the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic.

If you're like me, this has left you feeling more appreciative of the opportunities we get to spend together out in the community.

On the back of our hugely successful Salisbury Fringe Carnival and International Women's Day Cocktail Evening, Salisbury is gearing up for a wide spectrum of opportunities to get out and about.

Within this edition of Discover Salisbury you will find information on upcoming events including ANZAC Day, a May the 4th celebration, a health expo and our Reconciliation Week and NAIDOC Week programs for 2021.

There are also details on a major fun run, Salisbury.RUN, which will be held at Carisbrooke Park on Sunday, May 2 with participants of all ages and abilities welcomed to put their best foot forward.

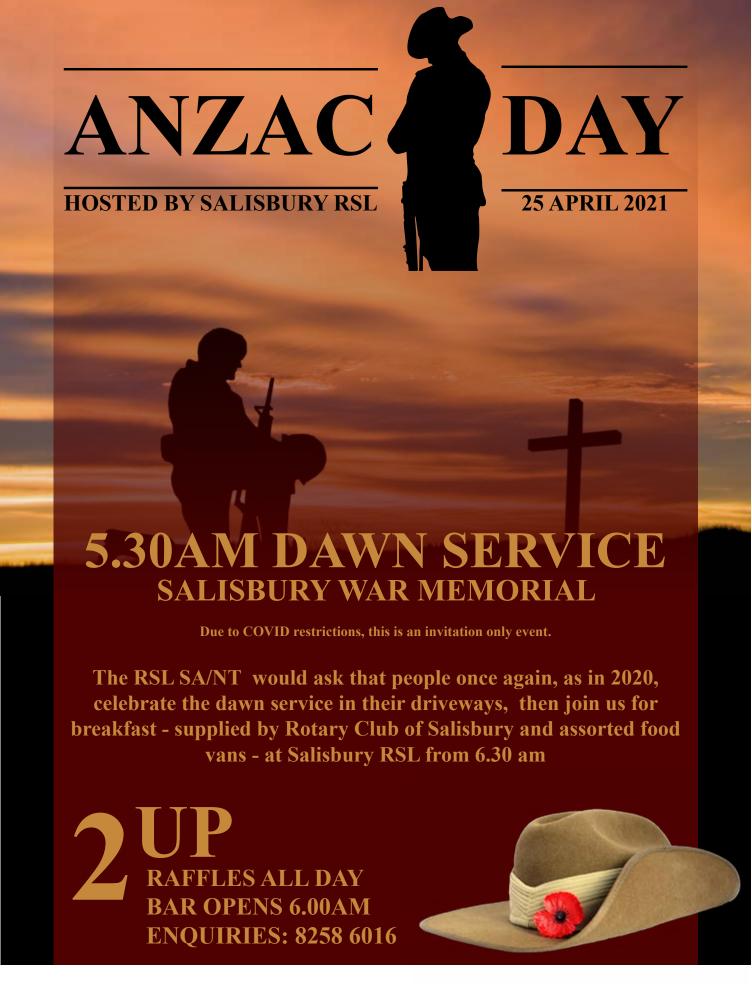
Salisbury.RUN is a revamped version of the popular Salisbury Half Marathon which not only offers the iconic half marathon distance of 21.1km, but options including 10km, 5km and 2km distances, with registration required through the organisers.

If you are looking to start training - or bike riding is more your thing some of Salisbury's great trails are also listed in this edition. Until next time, happy exploring!



FREE EVENT PROMOTION

Are you organising a public event in the City of Salisbury? If so, we can help you promote it. Please send your event details, photos and/or key digital links to: Attention Editor 'Discover Salisbury', City of Salisbury, PO Box 8 Salisbury 5108 or email: city@salisbury.sa.gov.au













Salisbury Trails



Salisbury has over 100km of trails to explore, including the Little Para Trail and Dry Creek Trail. They provide a fantastic safe and scenic option for walkers, runners and bike riders. Within the trails there are parks, paths and even areas just for BMX.

Here are a few to try:

Dry Creek Linear Park

Dry Creek Linear Park forms a secluded nature corridor along Dry Creek, extending 3.5 kilometres from Walkleys Road to Bridge Road. Historical buildings and structures have survived within the park from the days when the quarries were worked by inmates of Yatala Labour Prison, and date back to the early years of the Adelaide colony. These include the Yatala Powder Magazine, Blacksmith's Shop, several guard lookout posts and cottage.

The trails provide easy access for visitors to enjoy the recreational and scenic value of the park. Car parking, toilet and picnic facilities are available, as well as electric barbecues located at the Stockade Botanical Park.

The Little Para Trail

The name 'Little Para River' is derived from 'Pari', the Kaurna word for water and the trail that runs alongside it traverses some 16.5kms from the hilly escarpments in the east of northern Adelaide to Barker Inlet in the west. Trail users can experience diverse areas of remnant eucalyptus woodlands, grasslands, samphire and mangroves. Tall River Red Gums can be found along the watercourse with a number of trees containing hollows that provide valuable habitat for birds, possums and bats. This reserve is one of the richest in Salisbury for fauna; it is possible to see echidnas, Western Grey Kangaroos and the vulnerable Flinders Ranges Worm Lizard.

There are many playgrounds, toilet facilities, shaded picnic spots and public barbecues at regular intervals along the trail.

Cobbler Creek

The Cobbler Creek Trail runs from Salisbury
Heights within the Cobbler Creek corridor just
below Bridge Road to Main North Road. It is also
possible to follow the trail north and link into the
Little Para Trail.

A fantastic introduction to the bush, this is a peaceful place to unwind from city life, a popular destination for walkers, and an adventure for budding mountain bike riders within the recreation park. There are purpose-built trails perfect for beginner and intermediate riders, with a couple of sections that will give even the most experienced of riders a thrill. The Kites and Kestrels adventure playground is also a fantastic place for a barbecue picnic. Gas BBQs are permitted on the grassy area near the playground (but not on days of total fire bans). This exciting playground includes a flying fox and climbing structures inspired by tree-top raptor nests.

Cobbler Creek contains the largest remaining stand of the endangered mallee box grassy woodland on the Adelaide Plains, making it an important conservation area. This area also contains iron-grass species and a variety of native perennial grasses, including brush wire grass, kangaroo grass, spear grasses and wallaby grasses.

Tapa Martinthi Yala Bikeway

Tapa Martinthi Yala, meaning "pathway to embrace today" in Aboriginal Kaurna language, has created a continuous shared use trail network spanning 43km connecting Port Adelaide with Gawler.

The new 16.7km section within the City of Salisbury connects at its northern point to the Stuart O'Grady Bikeway, adjacent the Northern Expressway and the Port River Bikeway at its southern end.

A highlight of the southern section of the new trail





includes a stretch along Little Para River Trail and is ideal for walkers including children and those with prams or using a wheelchair.

Other features of the new shared use pathway are a viewing platform adjacent the Greenfields Wetlands and panoramic views taking in Swan Alley Wetlands.





The 2021 Watershed Creative Prize sees the reinvigoration of this very popular art prize by the City of Salisbury with a renewed focus on Sustainability. A \$2000 prize will be awarded to the best creative prize in each of three categories, with the judging panel looking for the pieces that best represent the theme of Sustainability.

Categories:

Traditional	photography, painting, sculpture, pottery/ceramics
Written	poetry, song writing, short story, play writing, blog

Emerging Technologies

music composition,
dance, singing or
theatrical performance,
podcast, drama or vocal
performance, videography/
film making

First Prize

\$2,000 (1 for each of 3 categories)

Runners Up Prizes

3 x \$500 (1 for each of 3 categories)

Emerging Youth Creative Artist Prize \$1,000

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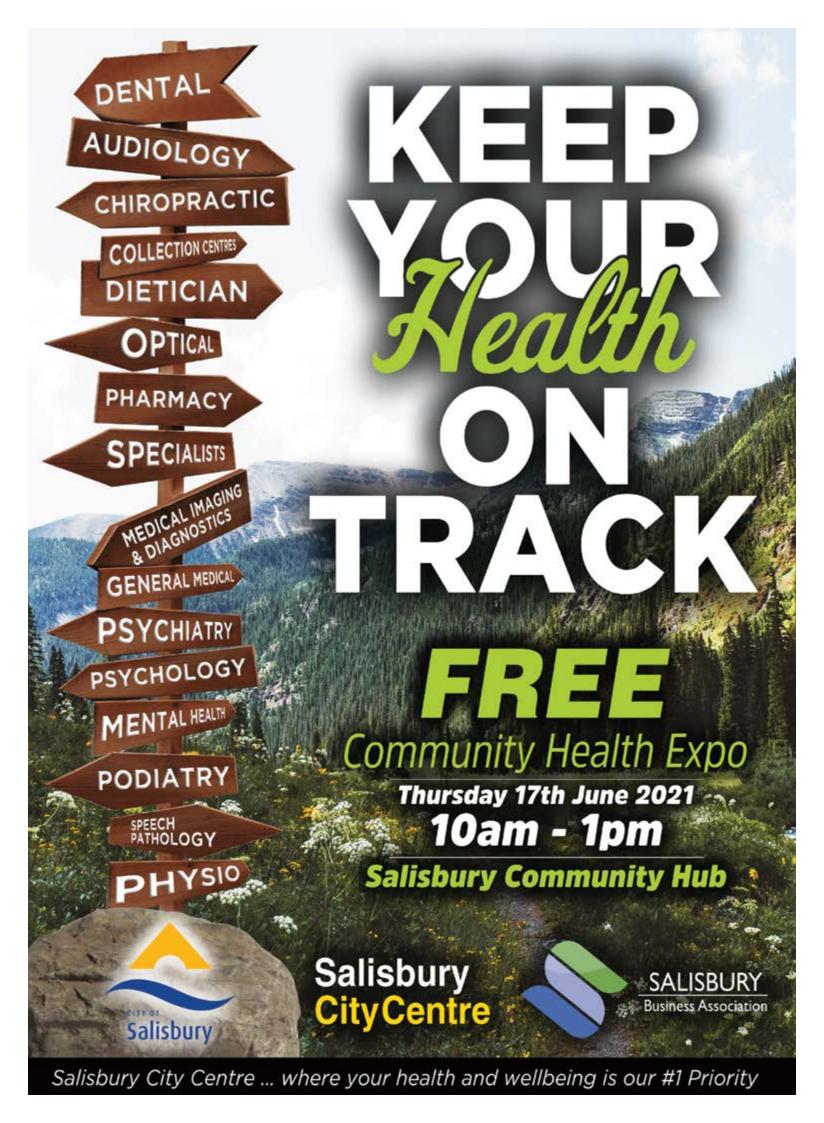














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386 Waterloo Corner Road, Burton

T. 8280 8843

f @BurtonComCentre

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Wilkinson Road, Para Hills

T. 8406 8560

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Wilkinson Road, Para Hills

T. 8406 8565

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17-19 Wiltshire Street, Salisbury

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Beovich Road, Ingle Farm

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Salisbury Community Hub

34 Church Street, Salisbury

T. 8406 8283

Mawson Lakes

Main Street. Mawson Lakes

T. 8302 5555

Para Hills

Wilkinson Road, Para Hills

T. 8406 8530

Salisbury West

Hollywood Blvd, Salisbury Downs

T. 8406 8489

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Jack Young Centre

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T. 8406 8525

Para Hills Seniors Centre

Wilkinson Road, Para Hills

T. 8406 8544

Pine Lakes Centre

16 Homestead Place, Parafield Gardens

T. 8406 8857



Throw on your shoes, roll up your sleeves and get amongst it. There's action and fun to be found, delicious food to taste, nature to explore, sports to play and culture to consume. Time to discover Salisbury.

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