



Division 4 News

Cr Nathan St Ledger



Helping our furry legends find new homes

Over the last few months, I have been working hard with the team at our Animal Management Centre (AMC) in Kingston to showcase Council's amazing new facility and terrific rehoming program.

Every month, I get to meet an impounded dog and get the opportunity to take them out to one of the many awesome off-leash parks in Division 4.

Getting these pets out for some exercise and socialising with other dogs is important.

It also provides an opportunity to film and create content to share with

the community with the intention of finding them 'forever' homes.

All the furry legends that I have featured on my Facebook page so far have found new homes.

Council's refurbished \$21 million state-of-the-art AMC provides high-quality care for lost pets and other domestic animals.

The facility has a priority focus on disease management and our growing community needs.

Among many new features, the AMC boasts a ducted air-conditioned and individually ventilated multi-level cat housing area while dogs are kept

in large pens with fully-grassed, individual outdoor yards.

Council is working to rehome as many pets as possible through our successful animal adoption program. Last year alone, the program helped 471 animals find a new home.

Keep an eye on my Facebook page to see some more of the amazing animals we have at the AMC. You might just see your next new best friend.

The AMC is at 213 Queens Rd, Kingston. It is open Monday to Friday (8:30 am to 4:30 pm) and Saturday (9 am to 2 pm).



Cr Nathan St Ledger meets Robbie at Council's Animal Management Centre in Kingston.

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Cr Nathan St Ledger was shaved by Naser Mansoui, from the Windaroo Golf Club barber shop, to support the Leukaemia Foundation.

Hair today, gone tomorrow to fight cancer

You may notice something missing from myself and a few of my fellow Councillors over the last few weeks.

That's because we left our prized heads of hair on the floor of the Windaroo Lakes Golf Club on Friday, 21 March, in support of the Leukaemia Foundation's World's Greatest Shave.

A big shout out to the club for putting on a spread for those who came down to the event.

And there was some frantic, late fundraising. We auctioned off Cr Paul Jackson's eyebrows, got extra bids for a track to be cut in Cr Frazer's brow, for my beard to get a massive

trim and for Cr Bannan's locks to be the first to go with Mayoress Ali Raven on the clippers.

With the support of our communities, we raised \$8,455 to further life-saving research and support those battling blood cancer.

A big thanks goes to Dante Savaiinaea from Faded Kingz Barbershop, and Naser Mansoui from The Groom Room, for tidying us up after the initial shaves, and Joel Hall from Rebel FM, for MCing the event.

We appreciate all the generous donations we received. You can check out the shave on my Facebook page.



Joining Cr St Ledger in shaving for charity were (from left) Crs Frazer, Bannan and Jackson.

Massive community pride in Lions' cyclone response

When ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred hit South East Queensland in March, the Logan Village Lions stepped up in a big way to support our community.

As soon as it was safe enough to do so, they quickly transformed their space in Wharf Street into a refuge for those impacted by the former cyclone and the flooding that followed.

The Lions provided a place for local residents to charge their devices, which ensured everyone could stay connected with loved ones and access vital information.

They also served tea, coffee, and dinners to those in need.

Their refuge centre became a safe resting spot where people could catch their breath and find some peace amid the chaos, while also catching up on the latest information and updates.

A huge shoutout to the Logan Village Lions for their incredible efforts and unwavering support during such a challenging time. Your dedication and kindness made a world of difference to our community. Thank you!



Cr Nathan St Ledger (left) with Tim Moyes from Logan Village Lions at the refuge centre set up after the cyclone in March.

New deck will help enhance special space for Services Club

The Logan Village Services Club is set to undergo a significant transformation with a new deck extension for its headquarters at Merv and Ollie Musch Park.

This new deck will be a great spot for community events and gatherings and will provide another versatile outdoor space that benefits everyone in the community.

The Club deck extension project is funded by the Division 4 Local Infrastructure Program.

The Logan Village Services Club has always been a place where veterans can find friendship and support local community.

The deck extension will enhance this experience by providing a comfortable and welcoming environment for them to gather and share their important stories.

Mayor's message



I hope you had a safe and happy Easter.

Can you believe it's been just over a year since your Councillors and I were elected?

It's been an incredibly busy time and the recent public holidays were a good chance to reflect on what's been achieved.

Some great news for Logan is that our new 9-court Indoor Sports Centre will start construction later this year and is due to be finished by 2028. This is a \$140m project funded jointly by the Queensland and Australian Governments and has been identified as a potential event venue at the 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games.

We also recently completed an \$80 million upgrade of Loganlea Road.

This project, which included widening the road to 3 lanes in both directions and adding infrastructure, was funded with the support of Jim Chalmers MP as part of the 2022 Federal Election.

Council is now in the middle of finalising the upcoming budget. Your Councillors are focused on finding savings and improving efficiencies across all areas. But just like you, Council is struggling with significant increases in costs for the city – particularly fuel, electricity, insurances and construction.

We're also working on a community consultation project called Transform Logan. During my election campaign, locals said they wanted their Mayor to focus on better long-term planning and an ambitious vision for our city.

This community reference panel has 50 representatives looking at what the next 50 years looks like for Logan. They will share their ideas later in the year.

I'll share some more information on my social media soon about how you can have your say on the city's future as well.

Mayor Jon Raven
City of Logan

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