

# February 2016

# Summer is going out with a Splash!

Swanbourne Reserve will be bursting with water rides, slides and plenty of other fun activities on Sunday 13 March. There will also be a diverse program of musical performances by talented young people. Best of all, it's free!

The inaugural event last year proved popular, attracting approximately 2,500 people. This year there will be even more attractions including Aqua Rush, a giant water slide, slip n slide, Ninja Challenge, bouncy castles, water rollers, fairies, mermaids, pirates, bubbles, and a photo booth.

This year we are welcoming some talented young performers to the stage again, including Gen Z, Isobel Green, Urban Limits, Jack Davies, Cantaris Children's Choir and more.

The City of Nedlands YAC member Alexander Smith said that the first Splashfest was "so much fun".

"It was like a theme park in our backyard, and everything was free!" said Alexander.

The City of Nedlands Mayor Max Hipkins said Splashfest was an opportunity for families to enjoy a fun day out together in a beautiful setting.

"This popular water event offers something for everyone." he said.

Amidst the excitement and fun, there will be chill-out zones where people can relax in the shade. There will also be a range of community stalls, along with food and drink for sale.

Don't miss out on this year's Splashfest. Bring your friends and family for a fun day in the sun and water.

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#### About Splashfest

Swanbourne Reserve, Odern Crescent, Swanbourne Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2 – 5 pm Free entry All ages

### About the City of Nedlands

The City of Nedlands is situated 7km from Perth and stretches from the banks of the Swan River to the edge of the Indian Ocean. A population of over 21,000 live in the suburbs of Nedlands, Dalkeith, Mt Claremont, Swanbourne, Karrakatta, and parts of Floreat and Shenton Park.

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Caption: Little girl blowing bubbles at Splashfest 2015



Caption: Fun in the water rollers at Splashfest 2015



Caption: Family day out at Splashfest 2015