



Growing our Neighbourhoods

What the City of Armadale can assist with

- At this stage, the City cannot facilitate the closure of streets. We recommend you keep your gathering small and host in your front yard (space permitting) or find a pocket park in your area. Again we suggest for these gatherings to still be small in numbers.
- If you are booking a large reserve, please book with the Recreation Bookings team and complete a *Casual Reserve Hire Booking Form* www.armadale.wa.gov.au/venues-and-facilities-hire with fees associated.
- If gathering in a local small park, please consider toilet facilities. Not all City parks have public toilets so perhaps have a time limit on your event or encourage participants to head back home for the toilet (if in close proximity).
- Also consider the time of day for your event. Is there adequate shade if your event is during peak sun hours? Is there enough lighting if your event is in the evening?
- Consider asking neighbours' to bring a plate to share and BYO water, drinks and chairs. This will limit food expense and trips indoors if hosting a verge gathering. During COVID, our community embraced driveway get-togethers. Think of recreating those moments.
- If you are considering a large event with food stalls and entertainment you will be required to complete a *Public Event Notification Form* www.armadale.wa.gov.au/running-community-events The City does not encourage residents to host this type of event for neighbourhood gatherings. This is about connecting to those living in your street and/or directly next door.
- In order to reduce noise complaints, the City advises that amplified stereos should not be used. Loud noise and music can also deter from great conversation with your neighbours.