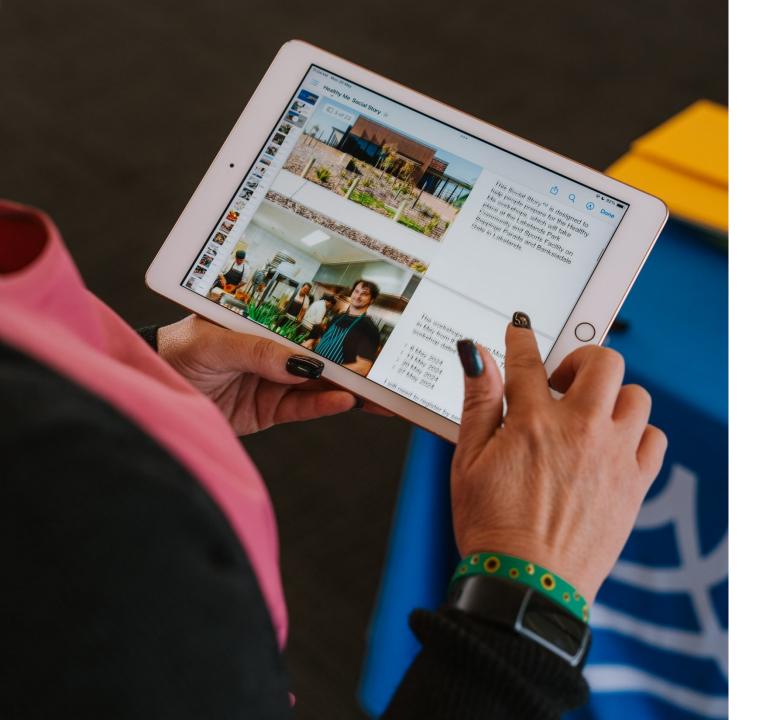


# Visual Story Carols in the Park

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## What is a social story™?

A Visual Story provides simple information with images to help explain what an event will be like.

It is designed so people can know what to expect, plan with confidence, and feel comfortable taking part in the event.

This Visual Story has been written for people attending Carols in the Park.



## Welcome to Carols in the Park

Carols in the Park will be held on 13 December 2025 at Hall Park, (Western Foreshore) Halls Head.

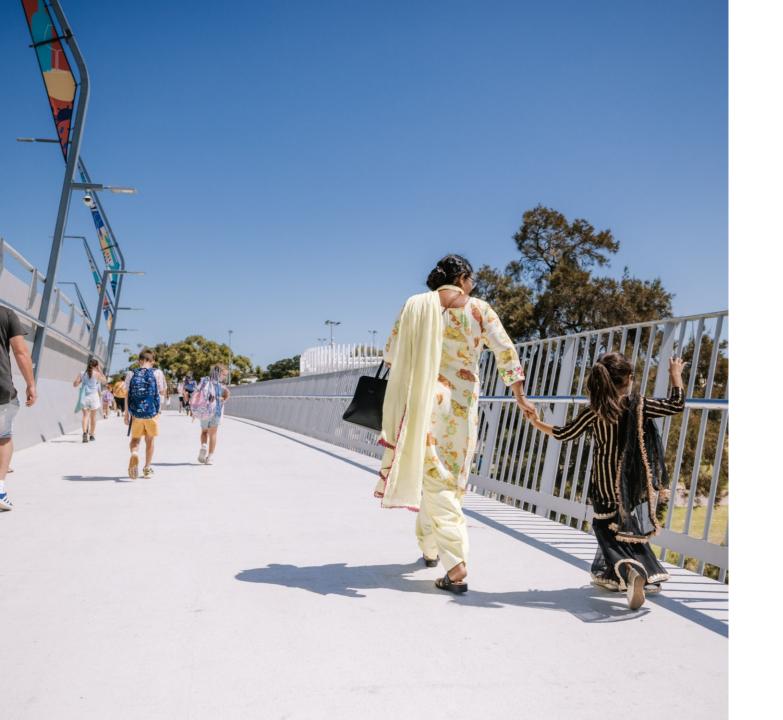
This is a **free** community event for everyone to enjoy together.



## **Finding Hall Park**

Hall Park is located on the Western Foreshore in Mandurah.

It is the large grassed area beside the playground.



### **Getting there**

People are encouraged, if they can, to walk or ride to the event.

Parking is available at Leighton
Place and the Mandurah Bridge Car
Park. ACROD bays are provided,
though parking may be busy, so
allowing extra time is
recommended.

The Mandurah Traffic Bridge has a pedestrian and cycle path underneath, providing universal access for people coming from the Eastern Foreshore.



### **Ground and pathways**

The main event will take place on the grassed area at Hall Park.

The ground may feel uneven in places for wheelchairs, prams, or people walking.

Pathways connect main areas such as parking, toilets, and picnic facilities, but most activities will be on the grass.



## **Seating**

Bring a picnic rug or folding chairs and make yourself comfortable.

There is plenty of open space at Hall Park, so you can choose a spot that suits you and relax while enjoying the music and celebrations.



#### Food and drinks

Food trucks will be available offering a variety of meals and snacks to purchase enjoy during the evening.

The food truck area may have strong food smells.

People are also welcome to bring a picnic to share with family and friends.



#### Children's activities

There will be free activities for children throughout the evening.

This area may be lively and busy, offering a fun experience for families.



#### Music and sound

Christmas carols will be performed on stage with microphones and speakers, so the music carries across the park.

The stage will feature singers and musicians, with different instruments creating a lively atmosphere.

People who find loud sounds uncomfortable may wish to bring earplugs or earmuffs.



#### **Candles and carols**

As the evening continues, people may hold battery candles and sing Christmas carols together.

You are welcome to join in with the singing or simply listen.



## Taking a break

Hall Park is a large open space, and there are areas where the sound may be quieter.

The cubby pods in the fenced playground can also be used as a calm spot to take a short break.



## Other areas you can explore at Hall Park

Hall Park has a range of facilities to make your visit comfortable, including an all-abilities playground, picnic tables, BBQs, drinking fountains, and nearby toilets.



### **Toilets**

Toilets, including Universal Access Toilets (UATs), are located at the Western Foreshore close to the event area.



## **Communication support**

A range of communication boards are available on the City of Mandurah website.

Some boards are designed for the Western Foreshore, while others are specific to Christmas events.

They can be downloaded to a device or printed to bring along to the event.

[Access and Inclusion Resources]



## **Celebrating together**

Carols in the Park is a celebration for the whole community.

We look forward to a night filled with music, connection, and the spirit of the season at Hall Park.

#### Contact

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