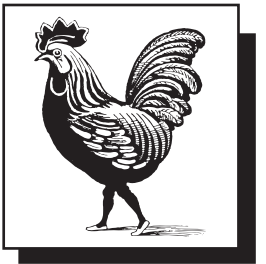


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Freo fans the Fairbridge flame

by STEVE GRANT

FREMANTLE will help keep the Fairbridge Festival flame flickering after its shock cancellation earlier this month, with a showcase of touring artists being staged at the Fremantle Arts Centre on Sunday, April 7.

The festival was cancelled just a month before it was supposed to kick off, with organisers citing lagging sales, increased costs and a struggle finding enough volunteers. It was also being held in Pinjarra for the first time, after the managers of Fairbridge Festival pulled the pin on large gatherings in 2023, saying the infrastructure wasn't coping with the crowds.

Festival artistic director Jon Cope said the decision to cancel had been devastating for artists, so he's put together the showcase at the arts centre under his own company, Kaleidoscope Multicultural Arts Management.

"As a former touring artist myself, I know how important these festivals are for musicians and performers," Mr Cope said, adding Covid had been particularly brutal for the industry.

"We're delighted to showcase some of the world-class artistic talent that is touring to WA in April at this special Fairbridge Festival Showcase concert event in Fremantle."

Mr Cope said one of his aims was to provide the performers with a fee that would go some way to compensate them for the sudden gap in their schedule.

Tristan Glover is one of the founding members



• Chipolata Tristan Glover and showcase organiser Jon Cope at the Fremantle Arts Centre. Photo by Steve Grant

of international act The Chipolatas, who've performed in 45 countries since forming in 1992.

While the full band won't be able to play the showcase, he'll be there to fly the flag, saying Fairbridge was a special place for the Chipolatas.

"Fairbridge was our first ever Australian contract in 1996 - we were the headliners," Mr Glover said. "We fell in love with

the Fairbridge Festival and Western Australia, and we've been to Fairbridge 10 times over the year and it is one of the best festivals in the world - and we've done a lot of brilliant festivals over the years."

Mr Glover said the showcase would be

important for performers, organisers and festival attendees.

"This is a chance to come together and celebrate the importance of live performance in our day-to-day lives; for our community spirit, a peg in the sand on the path to

visioning a way forward in the post-pandemic economic environment," he said.

The Showcase will also feature performances from Danish outfit Himmerland, Canadians Gordie Tentrees and Jaxon Haldane, Shark & Fox, and a specially-commissioned ode to

Fairbridge by poet Peter Capp from New South Wales.

It's being held at the Fremantle Arts Centre on Sunday April 7 from 4 - 10pm.

Tickets from oztix.com.au; search for Fairbridge Festival Showcase.

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AUKUS under the microscope

by KATHERINE KRAAYVANGER

AUSTRALIA'S prospective nuclear submarines will be up for discussion in Fremantle next month as medical professionals put the former Morrison government's controversial AUKUS deal under the microscope.

The Medical Association for Prevention of War will be hosting a panel focusing on how the AUKUS deal will impact Western Australians as part of a global trend of "rising militarism".

The AUKUS deal wagered between Australia, the United Kingdom, and the United States will bring locally-owned nuclear submarines to Garden Island by the 2040s, while more frequent

visits of foreign-owned subs will start within a decade.

The MAPW says potential exposure to radiation makes the submarines a threat to Australians' health, although the risk of naval-based nuclear disasters is considered low.

Consent

Communities should be able to give informed consent about nuclear-powered submarines in their backyards, says MAPW, which is difficult given secrecy protocols around the vessels.

MAPW Western Australian convenor Peter Underwood says the Fremantle community "is a very positive place" to protest the AUKUS deal.

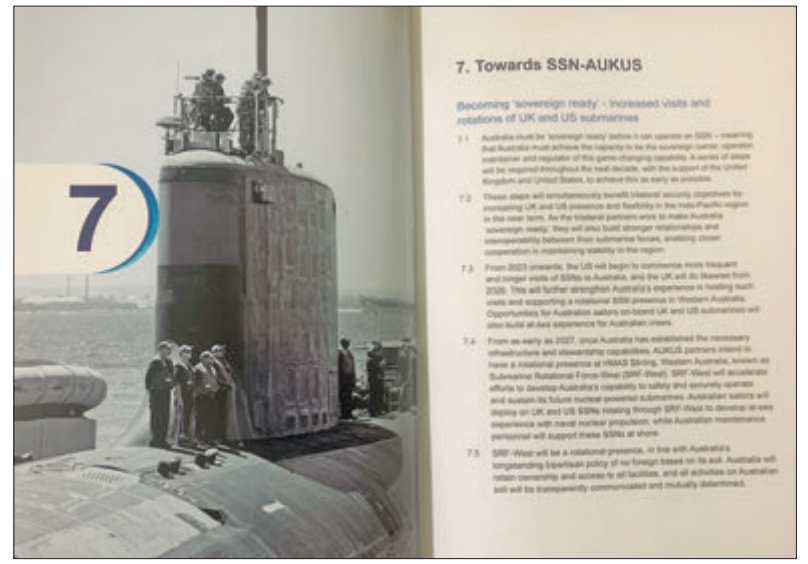
"There's always been a very strong peace movement in

Fremantle, and that's something that we should be proud of," Dr Underwood said.

"Many people might think we are peaceniks," he said of MAPW, "but even many people from the right side of politics have seen just how bad the AUKUS agreement actually is."

"It is going to dominate a huge amount of our budget for a program that we don't think will work, and which is much less likely to do what we want, which is to produce a peaceful and effective world."

Resisting Militarism in the AUKUS Era will be held at Walyalup Koorrt in Fremantle on April 12 at 5pm. It is free but requires booking. Search 'MAPW presents Dr Sue Wareham in Perth' on the TryBooking Website.



• A Defence briefing note on Australia's path to nuclear-powered subs.



• LIZZO may have been cancelled for fat shaming her dancers, but it seems King Henry VIII's passion for decapitation wasn't enough to silence the portly royal's catchy tunes! The WA Maldolin Orchestra's first concert of the year this Sunday is themed Pastime With Good Company and was inspired by a piece composed by HRH of the same name - ironic seeing as he ended up beheading some of his favourite past times. Along with this beautiful piece, many other items drawn from over 400 years ago are featured, along with modern classics. It's at Rhein Donau Club in Myaree this Sunday March 24 at 4pm! Tickets at www.trybooking.com. by RUBY NESA-CLIPSTON

Right to be concerned

MAPW president Sue Wareham will be speaking as an expert on peacekeeping and disarmament.

The Canberra-based former GP is an anti-war advocate who has written extensively about war, politics, and AUKUS as part of her advocacy.

Risks

Dr Wareham says it is "extremely important" that local communities are aware of the risks of having nuclear technology in their backyards, which is difficult given the military secrecy

surrounding the subs.

"It's not even possible to gauge the extent of the safety risks and we have every right to be concerned."

Dr Wareham says while she does not want to "overstate" the risks associated with the submarines, the presence of nuclear power near the community is a cause for concern.

"The thing about nuclear power is that the stakes are pretty high if things go wrong," she told the *Herald*.

"There are risks of radioactive contamination of the surrounding area, and that carries risk to health and the environment too."



• Dr Sue Wareham

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Rowdy rave last straw for Ports

by KATHERINE KRAAYVANGER

ACCESS to South Mole was shut this week after rowdy van-dwellers held a rave near the lighthouse on Fremantle Port.

The campers were mostly visiting backpackers, according to number plates indicating travel from the eastern states.

Between 25 and 35 vans were estimated to have parked on South Mole when the party happened, but several vehicles have parked in the vicinity for months.

Fremantle Ports communications manager Neil Stanbury says the rave was the last straw after ongoing problems.

"Rubbish thrown around the mole, graffiti, complaints from fishermen about nowhere to park, tents erected and the toilets not respected," Mr Stanbury listed.

"Even our own rubbish truck was unable to drive out there last week due to backpackers taking up the roadway."

Mr Stanbury says the closure of South Mole is a "shame" because it is used regularly for recreation, including a large fishing community, and is a good spot to watch ships come in and out of the port.

"We've been tolerant about this for months," he said.

"Unfortunately, there have been problems emerge as a result."

South Mole is "owned, controlled, and

maintained" by Fremantle Ports, who say the number of formal complaints about the area's condition has increased in the last few months.

Fremantle council representatives say its officers have issued three parking infringements to the owners of vehicles who have overstayed parking time limits close to the entrance of South Mole.

The officers have also requested several other vehicles to relocate.

Similar issues have occurred in Fremantle, such as overnight camping at South Beach, where the council implemented a four-hour parking limit to prevent overnight stays.

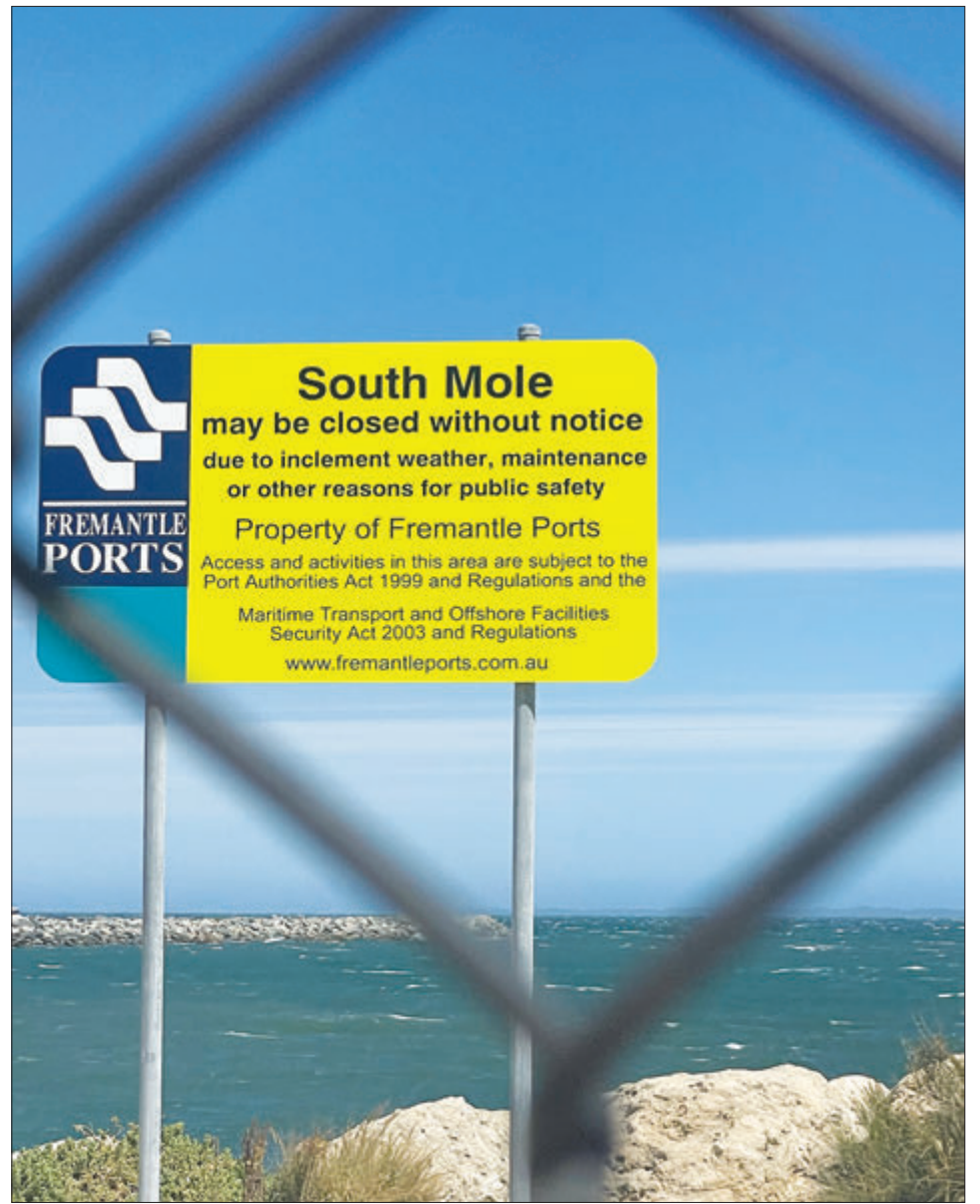
According to Fremantle Residents Against Illegal Camping, the limit has proven a success, congratulating the council from reducing the 40 or so vans down to less than a handful.

There is not yet a timeframe for South Mole to Mr Stanbury says Fremantle Ports is "assessing the damage" caused by the rave and are determining the next steps.

"Comments from people around South Mole have been supportive of Fremantle Ports' actions," Mr Stanbury said.

"We understand backpackers want to camp cheaply and close to Fremantle and they're part of the tourism economy, but South Mole isn't the solution for accommodation.

"It certainly doesn't have the amenities when it comes to public health and safety."



• Fremantle Ports closed South Mole after Friday's rave. Photo by Katherine Kraayvanger

Contractor appears

by KATHERINE KRAAYVANGER

A FORMER contractor who allegedly filmed women using disabled toilets at the University of Notre Dame appeared in Fremantle Magistrates Court this week, facing seven charges.

Didier Loic Labonne, 28, was charged with

three counts of trespassing, three counts of unlawfully installing a surveillance device, and one count of stealing as a servant.

He was not ordered to enter a plea.

Mr Labonne's lawyer requested a six-week adjournment which was granted by the magistrate.

He will reappear in court on April 29.

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Stepping up in STEM

by KATHERINE KRAAYVANGER

CAROLYN OLDHAM has been in the environmental engineering field for more than 30 years, witnessing first-hand the changing landscape of gender equality in the scientific and academic world.

When the Fremantle resident started working at UWA, there was one important detail about her that was at risk of derailing her career.

"I arrived three months pregnant," she said with a laugh, "and it was like all of their worst nightmares happened."

"They got a woman, and a pregnant woman at that."

At the time, it was common for pregnant women to stop working, so it was a lonely endeavour for Prof Oldham to begin her career, working up until the weekend before she gave birth to her son.

"They just weren't used to having pregnant women in the workplace," she says.

Throughout her career, Prof Oldham has focused on the protection of water, and addressing the growing problem of pollution.

"Whether it's groundwater, rivers, streams, estuaries, or coastal water," she lists.

She's worked on research projects which address major environmental concerns such as mine closures and wetland contamination, adopting a "trans-disciplinary" approach which integrates environment and infrastructure, among many other fields.

These include a "pioneering" study into the importance of Western Australian wetlands, and she's also collaborated in studies

MARCH is Women's History month, and although the women being profiled are not historical, they are certainly making history. This is the third in a series of articles about some of the 2024 inductees to the Western Australian Women's Hall of Fame.

on the east coast and Europe.

Prof Oldham was the only woman among the 82 who taught engineering at UWA, and only one of a small number promoted to Professor of Engineering in the country.

The experience of being an anomaly in her studies led her to be a champion of women in engineering and STEM subjects.

"It was obvious from the day I started I was what they called an 'affirmative action appointment'," she said.

"It was also obvious right from the beginning that the gender questions in engineering needed to be worked on."

Leadership

As Chair of a UWA women's leadership planning group, Prof Oldham acted as a mentor in engineering, stressing the importance of gender equality in the field.

"We need women in all forms of engineering so that they bring different eyes to understanding the world's problems," she said. "Therefore designing technology that works and meets the needs of all the population, not just half of the population."

"Engineers make the world we live in, and if everyone who does the design and the thinking around that is a man, we're not serving half the population."

All diversity is key, Prof Oldham says, because each

perspective offers a "different way of thinking to design the world's technology" with a "sensitivity" that more than just one gender, ethnicity, or class can offer.

She is all too aware of the lack of gender balance in STEM fields too, which she says applies to anyone in an "extreme minority".

"When you're the only woman, it puts a huge burden on you," she said.

"It puts a burden on you to not just what you think, but everything you say gets labelled as 'oh, that's a woman talking or that to black person talking or that's a Chinese person talking.'

"So somehow you take on the identity of your whole gender, in my case."

The unnecessary pressure of being in an "acute minority" doesn't help the experience of women in STEM, which are already often demanding environments.

"You take one step wrong, suddenly, that's just 'what happens' when you have women in the workplace," she said.

Slowly but surely, Prof Oldham says, this is changing, especially in STEM fields, where gender equality contributes to organisational function.

"There's fewer and fewer places where there's just a single woman," she said.

"Numbers do matter."

Prof Oldham is "very much" proud of her induction into the Hall of Fame, which she says came

Prof Carolyn Oldham.
Photo by Karen Wheatland



as a surprise as someone who "likes to work behind the scenes".

"It's good for young women, particularly, but also young men to see that there's women doing amazing things in our in our world," she said.

"The inductees are faces of the women who have achieved amazing things, so to have those faces recognised when for so long they were in the shadows, is really good."

Times have changed since Prof Oldham first walked into UWA three months' pregnant.

"No one blinks now when you see pregnant women in the

workplace," she said.

"It's just so normal."

Now, it is also normal for women to be in STEM professions: something that Prof Oldham is proud to have helped changed over her career.

"My grandfather said over his dead body would a daughter of his go to university," she said.

"He was an engineer."

"It's so ironic that his granddaughter is a Professor of Engineering and in the Hall of Fame, so I wonder whether he's turning in his grave," she laughed.

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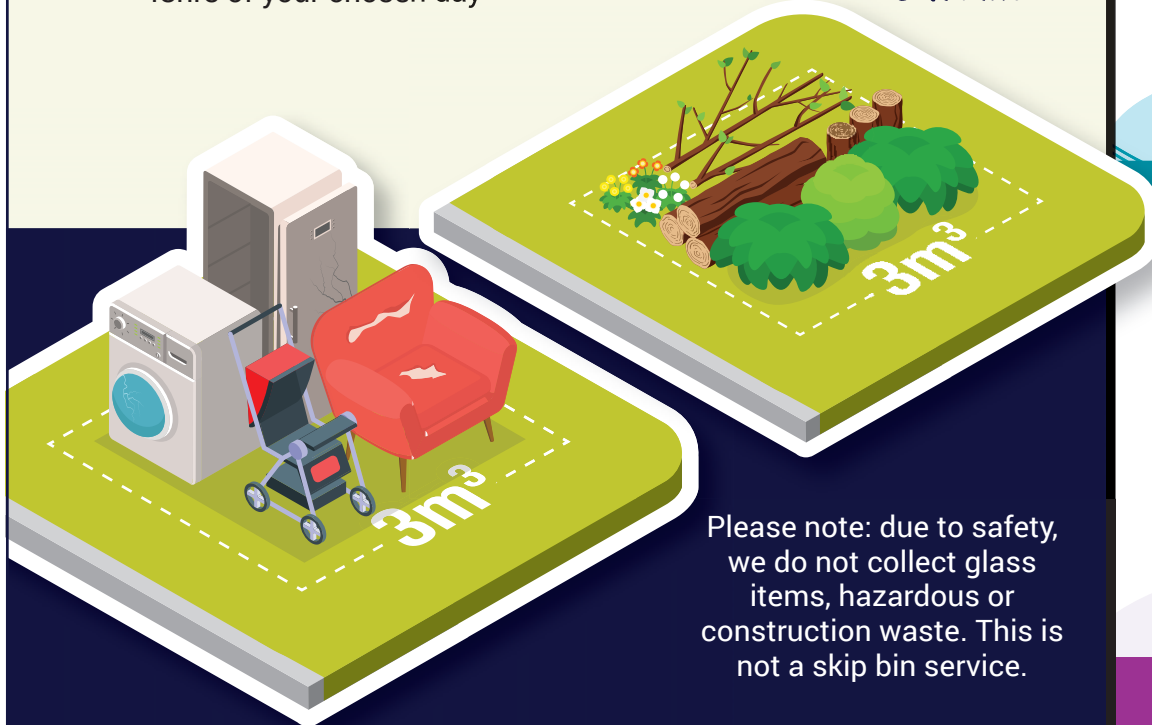
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A dog of a time for theatre

by STEVE GRANT

UNCERTAINTY over its lease at Victoria Hall couldn't have come at a worse time for the Fremantle Theatre Company, as it had just launched an operating model it hoped would secure its long-term viability.

FTC artistic director Renato Fabretti told the Herald planning for shows started at least a year in advance, so last month's decision by Fremantle council to start the process of selling up the hall and give his company just a one-year lease extension had left him with a headache ("Hall sale puts cloud over FTC," Herald, March 2, 2024).

Mr Fabretti says that's disappointing given what his FTC has accomplished in its first couple of years.

Art-loving city

"We tried out presenting arts in Fremantle, and a lot of people were like 'don't do that', and we've tried out going fully professional, and they've all worked.

"The audience is keen - it's an art-loving city.

"The only thing is that we should be presenting more consistently and more actively."

To achieve that, the company launched a new "FTC Independent" model this season, which sees it act as a mentor for small, independent theatre companies.

The first production to come under that banner is *OOL (Origins of Life)* by Second Body, a UK theatre company launched by



• Adam Sollis, James Sweeney and Siobhan Dow-Hall in *The Dog/The Cat* at Fremantle Theatre Company.

West End director Max Barton and Jethro Cooke in 2019, which finishes its run tonight (Saturday March 23).

Mr Fabretti said FTC offers the performance space, but also access to lighting, marketing and equipment.

"So, removing the barriers of entry in terms of the financial load that a theatre company might have.

"That's the first step to actually freeing artistry."

He said Perth's limited performance venues made it difficult for mid-career artists to pursue projects that inspired them, as the need to survive saw an element of "gatekeeping" creeping in.

"I'm all for a style book or mandate, but there is something

about letting a whole generation of artists just make - and that's what this program does," he said of Dependent.

Another aim is to provide the visiting companies with a chance to pull in a professional wage, something they rarely get to achieve.

Pivotal

JackRabbit Productions founder Michael Abercromby says FTC's support has been pivotal to getting his latest show, *The Dog/The Cat* onto the stage and reboot the company in WA.

"One thing I really noticed when I got to Perth is that unless you're funded, you've got Fringe and then you've got the Blue Room season and that's the only offerings

Perth had for independent artists to put up work of the calibre that we're hoping to put up.

"[Independent] just offers another pathway for mid-career artists to put on work that they're passionate about," Mr Abercromby said.

"There's heaps of theatre makers here, and more and more actors are moving from the east coast over to here, and they came to put on work that they're proud of."

Australian

It's allowed him to put on *The Dog/The Cat*, an Australian work that hasn't been seen outside of Sydney, something he says can plague locally-produced plays.

"So often with these shows is that they kind of stop where they start; the company commissions them and that's their only showing.

"Part of the reason that drew me to this show is that it's so entertaining.

"It's a rom com, and you don't often see rom coms on stage, apart from Shakespeare or Oscar Wilde.

"Part of the thing that I loved so much about it is that it felt like this was all happening at the park where I walked my dog."

The Dog/The Cat is actually two short plays which were written by Brendan Cowell and Lally Katz independently but intended to be staged together.

Mr Abercromby says with their blessing the play has been given a rejig so it's now set in a Fremantle park.

Mr Fabretti says pets in parks is the "social lubricant of Fremantle"



• Fremantle Theatre Company artistic director Renato Fabretti.

and he hopes the show will resonate with local audiences.

"So my joke is; we listened to what you're asking for - you wanted romance. It sounds like you want a rom com, but the internet is telling me you want pets."

But he says like all FTC productions he hopes there's a serious message underneath.

"If we can care about that thing living right next to us, then maybe we'll care about Gaza, and maybe we'll care about the world, and maybe this is a place to rebuild our empathetic response system," he said.

The Dog/The Cat
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Time for home truths

THE first of the Truth Telling events, that replace the One Day in Fremantle concert, that replaced the cancelled Australia Day celebrations, will be held on Sunday from 10am at Bathers Beach.

It will start with a Smoking Ceremony, then story telling, yarning circles, and sharing a midday meal.

Listening to the stories of our First Nations people is a good way to engage in reconciliation and to learn.

It is all about sharing the past, not about making Wadjelas (non-Aboriginal people) feel guilty.

We are not responsible for the mistakes of the past, but we have a duty to do better now and in the future.

We can only improve by learning what went wrong and how colonisation impacted on our indigenous people for generations.

Fremantle artist Sharyn Egan says that the Truth Telling program will increase awareness in the community:

"It's about the history of the place. The connection to the Prison, the Roundhouse. A lot of people don't know about that. It's a long time coming. Not mentioning the past, hiding the past, even denying the past. It's just time. It would give us a sense of belonging, sharing our stories with everybody, not just Nyoongar people."

The stories need to be told. They need to be shared, so it is a real shame that neither Fremantle council, nor the



WA government is showing any interest in improving the information inside the Roundhouse.

There is hardly a mention of Aboriginal people in WA's oldest remaining public building, that is a tourist attraction, and also a destinations for many hundreds of school students every year. Why is there no mention of the importance of Manjaree?

We have the WRAP in Fremantle, but the promised naming of important Aboriginal locations still has not happened, and neither has the dual naming.

There is very little in our tourist town that tells the stories of the people who have lived here for some 40,000 years.

Who would even know that Walyalup Koort was once a swamp, and why is there no information sign about that at our city square?

When we share our stories they become our mutual stories. We take ownership of them and our history.

Truth Telling is not about shaming the British settlers and all the migrants who came after

them.

It is about honesty and our mutual love for the place we live in.

It is about connecting with each other and our past.

I was a founding member of the Fremantle Reconciliation Group in the mid 1990s.

I have learned so much from Aboriginal people, who always welcomed me with friendship, and never made me feel uncomfortable.

I have connected with Australia's First Nations people all over the country and listened to their heart-felt stories.

How can I ever forget that wonderful law man Janangoo in Fitzroy Crossing, always having a hand on my arm, as if to reassure me, when he told me his stories.

One night in my room in the Fitzroy Inn, he sang his stories in his Walmajari language, translating them for me.

It was unforgettable and there was so much mutual trust and respect.

That to me, is what Truth Telling is all about.

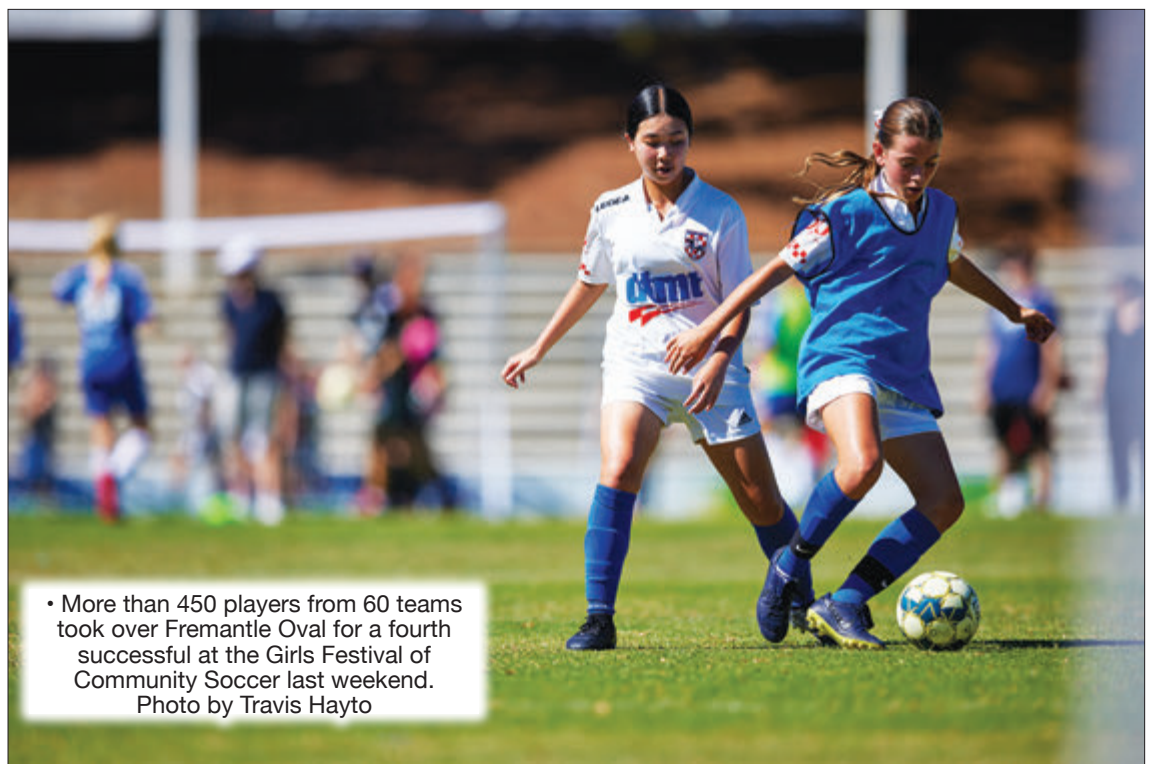
I recommend everyone of all ages to engage, so that we all together create and even better country.

I have written this before, but it is worth repeating.

An Aboriginal man in an outback toilet looking down on me, saying "Isn't it amazing, bro, that we both got red blood and brown shit."

Yes, indeed. Let us share, not judge!

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Pass the parks

MARGARET SANDFORD is a former Melville councillor who voted for the city to develop two new parks on council-owned properties in the Canning Bridge precinct. With a new council toying with the idea of rescinding that decision, she's urging them to consider the benefits as well as the costs.

The financial case for the Canning Bridge parks

Water Point is 1.4 km away; High rise developments like the Precinct are actually more than 400 metres from the river foreshore; and, Parks provide a play area for residents, particularly young children, office workers and the many dogs now living in apartments.

owned land and will not cost current or future ratepayers. However, the detractors say that if those sites were now sold, they would provide \$20m to the council and that the creation of the parks will cost \$9m.

However, this \$29m can be covered by the \$8m rates uplift in 3.6 years and then the council would continue to have the extra \$8m rates uplift into the future to use as they see fit... to reduce rates overall or provide other amenities such as youth activities. etc.

After the Senior Citizens Centre at 13 The Esplanade was demolished, the council tried leasing the land as a high rise aged care facility.

The lease negotiations dragged on unsuccessfully for 14 months, due to Oryx developers insisting on having rent increases capped at no more than 2 per cent per annum for 90 years.

The Council rightly refused to agree to Oryx uncommercial terms with 11 votes to 2.

Now some councillors are trying to say that the city would lose \$0.65m annual rent from not going ahead with the proposed high-rise nursing home.

Compare this figure to the Rates Uplift of \$8m.

Having these parks makes good financial sense so I urge the Councillors to vote in favour and "Pass the Parks".

The community can have their say at a Special Meeting of Electors to be held on Monday March 25. It has been combined with the City of Melville AGM and starts at 6pm at the council buildings in Almondsbury Road.

Financial case

And now the financial case: The nine high-rise developments (844 dwellings) in the CBACP are currently providing a rates uplift to council. They have delivered an increase from about \$100,000 to \$1.8m, with an average of \$2,200 per dwelling.

Another 3,000 dwellings are expected to provide additional rates of \$6.2m.

So, combining the current (\$1.8m) and future rates uplift (\$6.2m), this will provide \$8m per annum revenue for the council.

Consultants Hatch Roberts Day advised that public open spaces in the CBACP were an "investment" for the City because the properties in the CBACP would increase in value with access to parks and improving local amenities, therefore providing additional rates income for the City.

The land for the parks was purchased in the past, so will not cost current or future ratepayers anything.

The Esplanade site was purchased in 1970 and the Moreau Mews site was about \$11m; they are already council-

I WOULD like to urge City of Melville councillors to "Pass the Parks".

There are many valid reasons why the creation of two new parks, either side of Canning Highway at 13 The Esplanade, Mt Pleasant and Moreau Mews, Applecross amongst the high-rise of the Canning Bridge Activity Centre Precinct are supported by the community.

But the councillors who wish to prevent this happening only state financial reasons.

So, I will present a case of why having the parks make good financial sense... and when reading, compare this to Melville's proposed new library and cultural centre, which is predicted to cost \$57 million and will be paid for by an increase in rates paid by Westfield tenants.

I also need to state that I am not against high-rise when properly planned nor against the development of a new library and cultural centre.

Reasons

Firstly, the reasons community state for the parks:

The Canning Bridge Precinct Vision 2011 stated public open space would be included;

State guidelines are that POS should be within 400 metres or five minutes' walk;

The marked increase in residential population in CBACP area needs to be catered for equitably;

The river is a not a friendly venue for young children's recreation, particularly in inclement weather;

The riverbanks are eroding and not always available to walk on;

The pathway along the river is shared by bikes and pedestrians, which is not child or dog friendly;

Around 13 The Esplanade the nearest public open space is the small Clive Street reserve some 900 metres away, while Deep-



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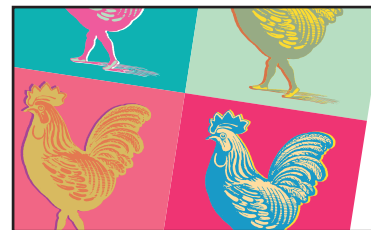
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Wave park clears bush hurdle

by KATHERINE KRAAYVANGER

PERTH conservation groups have labelled the Cook government "uncivilised and immoral" after it approved a patch of Jandakot bushland to be cleared for a wave park.

The Department for Water and Environmental Regulation granted permission for 5.75 hectares of native bushland to be cleared in November last year, which has been subject to a rigorous appeals process since.

The location is next to Kwinana Freeway and Prinsep Road, opposite Cockburn Gateway, and will be home to the largest surf park in the Southern Hemisphere, according to the developer Aventura.

Urban Bushland Council volunteer Heidi Hardisty says it is "unbelievably frustrating" that the WA government continue to put metropolitan green spaces at risk.

"We're going to see a massive amount of development a massive amount of loss of banksia woodlands and green space," Ms Hardisty said.

"We should not be destroying the last remaining pockets of banksia woodland which are unique to Perth."

"We live in one of the most biodiverse cities on the planet and the government has the duty to look after that."

Ms Hardisty says the state government is "hell bent" on destroying Perth's native bushland.

"They are ignoring the community and disregarding the environment," she said.

"They think it's okay to clear nature for a commercial venture."

This is the latest development in the years-long attempt to build a wave park in Perth's southern suburbs, after plans for an Alfred Cove location were scrapped in 2020.

The new Cockburn location presents several environmental issues: it is part of the already dwindling banksia woodland unique to the Swan Coastal Plain.

The woodland is also habitat for the endangered Carnaby's black cockatoo.

Appeal

In an appeals decision document, state environment and climate minister Reece Whitby acknowledged the importance of the banksia woodland, but said the economic benefit of the wave park "from a tourism perspective" justified his decision.

"The minister noted this was not an easy decision, and not one that he took lightly," the document stated.

The government intends to pay "special attention" to replacing the bushland by ensuring it is offset by revegetation in the Bibra Lake area cleared for Roe 8 in 2015.

According to the document, the government is aware of the threat to Carnaby's black cockatoo habitat but says the economic benefits "outweigh the significant environmental value" of the site.

Save the Black Cockatoos spokesperson Paddy Cullen says the government's support of the wave park "borders on lunacy" given the threat to the species.

"The consequences for the



• Environmental groups are unhappy that the Cook government has knocked out an appeal against the clearing of Jandakot bushland for a wave park.

environment and the community have been by-passed at the sniff of investment dollars," Mr Cullen said.

"The wanton destruction of habitat that is essential for an endangered species... is unbelievable."

Ms Hardisty says it is important

for the community to voice their concerns about the government's position on the wave park, given the gravity and relevance of urban bushland in Perth.

Symbol

"Tell them how you feel if you

don't agree that this is right.

"We have to use this as a symbol of what needs to be changed."

"If these guys aren't going to do it," she said, referring to Mr Whitby and tourism minister Rita Saffioti, "then we need to get better leadership in place."

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• (above) Anna Kanaris visits Ernabella Arts Centre and (below) Rupert Jack's *Pulukangka* (Stockman).

Great stories



THEY'RE one of the biggest champions of art from remote Aboriginal communities, but sadly folk may not have heard of Artitja Fine Art Gallery.

For the past two decades the South Fremantle gallery has been quietly fostering relationships with more than 20 far-flung community art centres across Australia including those in East Kimberley, Antarrangeny and Kakadu.

For the opening night of exhibitions, artists often make the epic trek from the depths of rural Australia to Freo.

For some it's a life-changing and slightly overwhelming experience (when First Nations artist Selina Teece Pwerl travelled from Central Australia to Perth in 2010, it was her first time on a plane and she had never seen the ocean before).

Artitja's latest exhibition *MANTANGURU | From the Sand* showcases paintings and ceramics from the isolated community of Pukatja in South Australia.

It's full of vibrant storytelling including Freddy Ken's *Kulata Tjuta* which depicts spears travelling through the sky to catch the snake man, and Langaliki Lewis' painting of the mysterious sand dunes in Pitjantjatjara.

Artitja director Anna Kanaris says Rupert Jack's *Pulukangka* (Stockman) is particularly



interesting: "I think it is not only unique in its style difference, but it is an important historical document in that the painting is a tribute to the stockmen, including himself who as a young man worked on the sheep station at the Ernabella Mission," Kanaris says.

"His experience is in his words 'Good memories! Good times! - a time staying strongly in my heart'."

The artworks in *MANTANGURU* reflect the ancient stories of Anangu artists from the Ernabella Arts centre, which is situated about 290km southeast of Uluru.

Established in 1948, it's Australia's oldest indigenous art centre. Originally a craft studio producing hand-loomed woven fabrics and hand-pulled floor rugs, over time it has evolved to become one of the most respected independent art hubs in the country.

In August last year, Kanaris went there to meet the local artists: "It was quite a profound experience," she says.

"Spending several days in the art centre, quietly watching the artists both in the painting studio and the ceramics workshop increased my own depth of knowledge and experience.

"The warmth and hospitality of the artists is such that the artists took us out (after a kangaroo tail lunch) to Warnikata not far from the community which is a red sandhill site with a 360-degree view of the country.

"There is a great amount of pride and ownership around the art centre's history and a strong sense of independence the artists have and hold on to. It was a very special experience."

Another highlight of *MANTANGURU* is Janice Stanley's *Pantu* (Salt Lake) paintings.

"The story is of significance, particularly as it relates to the epic Seven Sisters songline story; however Janice's initial inspiration to paint the salt lakes came from a school excursion as a teenager, flying over salt lakes," Kanaris says. "She was so taken with the memory, that several decades later she brought those visions to life; depicting a salt lake of significance in her own country."

MANTANGURU | From the Sand is at the Earlywork, 330 South Terrace, South Fremantle Until April 1. Opening hours are Wednesday-Sunday, 10am-4pm (except Good Friday). See artitja.com.au for more details.



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John Keene



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GOD help the person who has to look after all the plants and trees in the H&C Urban Winery.

There is literally hundreds of them dotted around the sprawling eatery and even Josh Byrne on speed would be struggling to water them all before the doors opened.

But it does create a lovely relaxed ambience at the High Street venue, complementing the exposed brickwork, rustic bar and wine barrels stacked against the wall.

In fact, it's a bit like being in a botanical garden that sells liquor or an Alan Titchmarsh wet dream. The extensive fit-out got the

thumbs up from my dining partner and former *Chook* journo Jenny D'Anger, who noted the building was previously home to Raw Kitchen for 14 years until they collapsed in a post-covid heap in 2023.

Share plates seem to be de rigueur these days, especially for places specialising in wine, so it was no surprise the menu was mostly tapas-style, expect for a handful of mains like double cheeseburger and chips, prawn pasta, beef rib and onion rings, and fish with wasabi butter.

There was a decent range of share plates including Beef Tartare, Pork Terrine, Sardines 'Pissaladiere', Burrata and Fried Whiting Fillets, as well as 'bread and snacks' with the likes of Focaccia, Oysters, local cheese board, and chips.

There was also a kids menu which was very reasonably priced at \$13 for chicken and chips, cheeseburger and chips, and green pasta.

It was moderately busy on a Friday lunchtime, but there was quite a lengthy wait for our food, so we had plenty of time to discuss important geo-political issues (who was sleeping with who at the *Chook*) and sip our glasses of house white (a refreshing, sweet little number \$10).

As D'Anger's belly began to rumble, the staffer arrived with our goodies. The pick of the bunch was the skewered octopus (\$24).

"At the risk of being cliched, the octopus really was melt in the mouth, uber-tender morsels with a delicious flamegrilled flavour," D'Anger said.

"It looked as good as it tasted, sitting on a bed of bright green 'herbed crumb' with a contrasting ranch dressing - a tangy mix of cream, mayo, parsley, garlic, coriander and lemon juice.

"On the down side it was rather a small serve for the price, and if I wasn't so polite I would have distracted my lunch companion and grabbed a larger share."

Next up was a medley of mushrooms perched on a bed of

black barley and garnished with spring onion and salsa verde (\$21).

The ingredients were good quality and all there, but it lacked flavour and maybe they could have been more generous with the salsa verde. However, it was still an enjoyable dish and a big serve.

Across the table, D'Anger was getting hoed into the pumpkin croquettes (\$16).

"They're pleasantly crunchy on the outside, but the dense interior could have done with a more punchy or more flavoursome sauce/dressing," she noted.

Unfortunately the Eggplant with papadam, black lime and tahini was a real clunker (\$18).

The eggplant was too mushy, the sauce so smoky it would have scared Red Adair, and it was riddled with what tasted like tiny,

rock-hard chickpeas.

They were so hard it prompted D'Anger to tell the story of her tooth falling out during a *Chook* food review in the 1980s, which she then claimed back on worker's comp.

Thankfully the meal ended on a high with a bowl of lovely marinated olives, which included some conspicuous old-school cocktail onions (\$9).

The H&C Urban Winery venue is superb and has a choice of atmospheric dining areas with plenty of leafy nooks and crannies.

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doorstep.

The corner kitchen is neat and functional with handleless cupboards and a stainless steel oven with induction hob.

Doing the dishes will be a joy with the window above the sink conjuring up views of the lush trees in the apartment complex.

The bedrooms are well appointed with both featuring floor-to-ceiling mirrored robes (a bonus as usually it's only the main).

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Family classic

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Astrology with Sudhir

March 23 – March 30, 2024

ARIES (Mar 21 – Apr 20)
There's a full Moon and a lunar eclipse in Libra on Monday. A lunar eclipse happens when the earth comes between the Sun and the Moon, casting a shadow on the Moon. Your yin and your yang will be at odds on this day. Come Tuesday, you will be able to reflect and express again.

TAURUS (Apr 21 – May 20)
Somehow you are bringing your capacity for delight and your need for some kind of discipline in line. This gives you lots of traction, with very little effort needing to be expended. The full Moon in Libra on Monday will reinforce your susceptibility to love and beauty. Know your strength.

GEMINI (May 21 – June 21)
With Mercury scooting through Aries, you are likely to be a little hot-headed and somewhat prone to jumping to conclusions. The full Moon in Libra on Monday, combined with a lunar eclipse, will slow you down for a moment and give you cause to reflect. To be self-aware is a saving grace.

CANCER (June 22 – July 22)
There's full Moon on Monday, combined with a lunar eclipse – in Libra. This will give you a moment to reflect on what it means to be a genuinely harmonious being. Expect to be temporarily nudged out of your usual routine. Neither procrastination nor obsessive action is the answer.

LEO (July 23 – Aug 22)
The Sun is in fellow fire sign, Aries. This makes you feel at home. Energy, action and bravado are being given a big existential tick of approval. On Monday, there is a full Moon in Libra, along with a lunar eclipse. This will give you a brief moment in which to explore the eye of your cyclone.

VIRGO (Aug 23 – Sept 22)
Mercury is in Aries, making you a little more jumpy than usual. Rather than try to hold yourself in, or calm yourself down, let it out. Dance, walk, run, swim – do whatever feels good. If you do, you will soon find a natural relaxation arising. Watch out for Monday's full Moon and lunar eclipse.

LIBRA (Sept 23 – Oct 23)
There is a full Moon in Libra on Monday, along with a lunar eclipse. The earth will move in front of the Sun and cast its shadow on the Moon. This magic moment will slow down all the rambunctious influences that have been buffeting you, and give you a chance to calm down.

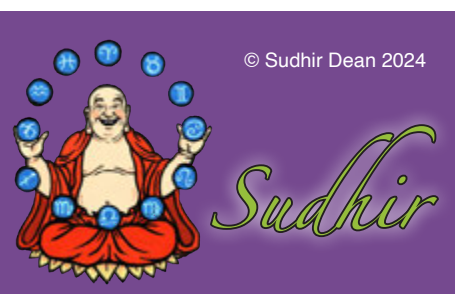
SCORPIO (Oct 24 – Nov 21)
The lunar eclipse on Monday gives you just the kind of experience that you crave. It will provide a brief break from the monotony of normality. Keep your eyes peeled for those moments in which life's gears are temporarily unengaged. Halt your wheel of thoughts for a moment, and reflect.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 22 – Dec 21)
The full Moon, and lunar eclipse in Libra, give you a moment of clarity on Monday that helps you to make sense of things that aren't easy to make sense of. All the noise stops briefly. In the stillness and silence, insight dances onto centre stage, making the difficult, simple, for a brief moment.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22 – Jan 19)
The Aries Sun's propensity to rush into things invariably throws well-laid plans into disarray. The Libran Moon's tendency to procrastinate, leads to missed opportunity. On Monday, as the Moon swells into fullness, and the earth comes between the Moon and Sun, understanding appears.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20 – Feb 18)
Contrary to opinion, Pluto is not stirring up mayhem for you as he settles in to Aquarius. In fact, he is working seamlessly with the Aries Sun, to put positive changes into place. The Libran full Moon and lunar eclipse, briefly stop time in its tracks, allowing commonsense to surface.

PISCES (Feb 19 – Mar 20)
Though the Sun has moved into Aries, there are still four planets in Pisces. There is plenty of action taking place under the surface, in your own private universe. Venus and Saturn are bringing delight and discipline together. Mars is giving you strength. Neptune is opening your imagination up.



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Mary is just one of the countless people the WA Grief Centre has helped since it was founded by Christine Overstone in 2014.

The registered charity is mostly volunteer-run with all volunteers and staff having experienced bereavement.

Overstone decided to found the Grief Centre after experiencing a family tragedy and being surprised at the lack of non-clinical support options.

"I couldn't find a service that had the language that spoke to me as a community person, nor the

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"Tony is now one of our management committee members and passionate about making a difference for other families who have been touched by suicide."

Solich says grief needs to be processed properly and everyone does that differently.



"Culturally, from a young age, we are trained to dust ourselves off, dry our tears and soldier on," she says.

"Consequently, our community in general is uncomfortable with emotions. They don't know how to hold space for someone who is grieving beyond what they think is a 'normal' amount of time.

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- Spacious family living
- Entertainer's dream backyard
- Large Gourmet kitchen
- Multiple storage options throughout
- Willetton SHSZ
- Subdivision potential (STCA)

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Winthrop 37 Chesters Way 5 3 2 706sqm

Winthrop's Family Gem

- Prime Family Location
- Versatile living spaces
- Chef's dream kitchen
- Family-centric design
- Lush free tree garden
- Applecross Senior High School zone

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UNDER OFFER

Willetton 60 Northmore Crescent 4 2 2 797sqm

Family Sanctuary Haven

- Expansive outdoor and garden potential
- Spacious family layout
- Open plan living
- Close to essential amenities

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