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Local Government Week

Celebrate Local Government Week with Camden Council, Monday 4 to Sunday 10 August with three free events for children to enjoy.

This year Camden Council will run three events including Storytime with the Mayor and Deputy Mayor as well as the Year 6 'Mayor for a Day' Junior Elections.

Local Government Week will kick off with Storytime on Tuesday 5 August, 11am at Camden Library with Deputy Mayor, Councillor Penny Fischer and then again on Wednesday 6 August, 11am at Narellan Library with Mayor of Camden, Councillor Lara Symkowiak.

The 'Mayor for a Day' Junior Elections will be held on Friday 8 August at the Camden Council Administration Office in Camden where Year 6 students from across the Local Government Area will represent their schools in a public speaking competition on why they would make a good Mayor and what they would do for the Camden community.

Mayor of Camden, Councillor Lara Symkowiak said Local Government Week was a great way to showcase what Council's do for the community.

"Local Government Week is an opportunity to recognise the important work Councils do in their local community by involving children in fun, educational and interactive events. Council is so much more than just rates, roads and rubbish, it includes a range of other services and facilities to the community including sporting fields and community halls, parks and playground equipment, footpaths, libraries and community events to name a few".

For more information about Local Government Week phone Tanya Lawrence on 4645 5034.

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