

Media Release



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Treat yourself on Grandparents Day

Grandparents and carers are invited to attend a special event to kick back and relax at Oran Park Library later this month.

To celebrate Grandparents Day this year, Council will host a free Storytime session and playgroup for children and their grandparents or carers on Thursday 25 October.

The event will be followed by a Café Connect session that will give grandparents an opportunity to relax and enjoy a coffee and healthy food options while meeting other older residents and local service providers.

Mayor of Camden, Cr Peter Sidgreaves said the event would acknowledge the important role of grandparents and older carers in raising children.

“Grandparents shape the lives of our children by passing on culture, traditions and knowledge and this is a day to remember and celebrate that,” Cr Sidgreaves said.

“Many grandparents and carers also provide occasional care to their preschool aged grandchildren to help out working parents. Their role in supporting Camden families and the wider community should not be overlooked,” he said.

“Council’s Grandparents Day event is a day for children and families to spend time with their grandparent and create greater connections across generations.”

Grandparents Day Storytime and playgroup will be held at Oran Park Library on Thursday 25 October from 9.30am to 11am followed by Café Connect from 11am to 1pm.

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