

Media Release

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Picture perfect for National Families Week

Camden Council is offering local families the opportunity to capture a magical family moment, with FREE professional family photos on Saturday 18 May, 11am-2pm, at Camden Town Farm.

Mayor of Camden, Cr Peter Sidgreaves, said the offer was part of Council's National Families Week 2019 celebrations, from **Wednesday 15 to Tuesday 21 May**.

"As the father of four great kids and the husband of a beautiful wife, I know that our families and loved ones are the most precious things in life," Cr Sidgreaves said.

"With the craziness of life and our children growing up before our eyes, family photos really do speak a thousand words – they're a moment frozen in time that we can keep forever. They can often be expensive and time consuming, but we're making sure the experience is fun for our residents. Each family will be allocated a 10-minute timeslot with the photographer and will receive two beautiful digital photos.

"It's so important to take time out of our busy lives to become stronger and more connected, learn and create, be healthy, active and safe and, most importantly, have fun and be entertained."

Council is offering more than 35 exciting activities and events, promoting family bonding and connectivity. These include:

- Family movie night on Friday 17 May, 6.30pm, at United Cinemas, Narellan Town Centre;
- Family tree-planting day on Saturday 18 May, 9am-noon, at Harrington Forrest, Scanlon Crescent, Harrington Park;
- Family fun day on Saturday 18 May, noon-4pm, at Mount Annan Leisure Centre;
- Family basketball coaching clinic on Saturday 18 May, 9.30-11am, at Mount Annan Leisure Centre;
- 'This is my family' portrait workshop on Sunday 19 May, 10am-noon, at Alan Baker Art Gallery;
- Sensory-friendly movie session on Sunday 19 May, 10am, at United Cinemas, Narellan Town Centre;
- Camden Paint the Town REaD Book Relay on Monday 20 May, 11am, at Narellan Library; and
- Family Zumba on Monday 20 May, 5-6pm, at Mount Annan Leisure Centre.

Bookings are essential for the FREE professional family photos. For more information, and to book, call 4654 7777.

For the full National Families Week 2019 program activities, visit camdenkids.com.au or call 4654 7777.

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