

# Handy Hints and Tips

## For Seasonal Sporting Clubs

### HANDY PHONE NUMBERS

Contact	Phone Number
Emergency (Police, Fire or Ambulance)	000
Police	131 444
Crime Stoppers	1800 333 000
City of Belmont Civic Centre (8:30 to 5pm)	9477 7222
City of Belmont Ranger Services (After hours)	9477 7224
Security Patrols	1300 655 011
Graffiti Management Hotline	9477 7226
Suez – Rubbish and Recycling	9350 7182

### LINE MARKING TIPS

As part of the Parks maintenance program, all active reserves are mowed during the week between Monday and Thursday. Depending on the season, mowing takes place **weekly during the warmer months** of September to May or on a **fortnightly basis during the cooler months** of June to August.

### TURF RENOVATION

To ensure that reserves are maintained in a top condition, significant annual turf maintenance is carried out leading into the summer season, generally during the month of November. The maintenance involves vertimowing (dethatching the lawn to remove the layer of accumulated organic matter to improve the playing surface), removing the debris and top dressing. It is important that this is carried out prior to the peak of summer to improve the turf surface and minimise pest and diseases.

### BIN COLLECTION DAYS

As a primary user, it is the Clubs responsibility to ensure all bins are placed out during the evening prior to the collection days as follows:

Centenary Park - Thursday  
Gerry Archer - Tuesday  
Peet Park - Tuesday  
Wilson Park - Tuesday  
Belmont Oval - Wednesday

Forster Park - Monday & Friday  
Middleton Park - Wednesday  
Redcliffe Park - Friday  
Miles Park - Thursday

*Creating opportunities*

