Welcome to Shoreline, the newsletter keeping you up to date with all things Kingston Foreshore. GO GREEN and receive Shoreline electronically. Email LDA@act.gov.au to update your delivery details.

A great success!
Canberra International Music Festival Kingston Foreshore

On Saturday 19 May 2012, attendees enjoyed the delights of a twilight festival in the heart of Kingston Foreshore, as the Canberra International Music Festival came to life.

Hosted by the Land Development Agency, the event showcased a mix of international and local jazz, Latin and world music in the award winning Norgrove Park. The Festival offered a myriad of autumn indulgences from the entertaining to the mouth-watering, including gourmet warm food and performances, cosy fire heaters and the Chai Latte Lounge.

Attendees meandered around the lit eco pond and wetlands, measuring an impressive 2,500m², sampled delicious dishes from around the world, and warmed up with traditional mulled wine.

Boardwalk on track for completion

With the majority of construction complete across the Boardwalk, residents and visitors can look forward to taking in the views from the new structure over the coming months.

The recycled timber walkway is almost half a kilometre long and when fully operational, will provide full access along the eastern and western shores of the harbour’s edge, opening out into the picturesque Eco Pond and popular Norgrove Park.

A low level kayak deck on the boardwalk canal will also become a popular destination for water sport enthusiasts.

The Boardwalk will be open for public access during daylight hours in the coming months.
The Pleasures of the Promenade

Pavement along the Promenade will be refreshed over the next four years, with components built in conjunction with the neighbouring building developments.

The Promenade links with the Boardwalk and provides direct access to the Kingston Harbour, promoting a vibrant atmosphere where commercial, residential and open space meets.

A revitalised space to take in the views

With spring arriving in a few short weeks, residents and visitors will be able to enjoy the picturesque views of Lake Burley Griffin from the newly completed recreational area at the water's edge, in front of the Waterfront apartments.

Features of the area include seating, lighting, new trees and a broad lakeshore promenade that will link with Point Park.

Moving further along the shoreline and onto the Island you will also notice more improvements to Point Park and the foreshore area.

The highlights of the family-friendly park destination include its safe, protected spaces and park equipment which will provide a high level of amenity for meeting and socialising.

The works are scheduled for completion early next year, and will provide a welcoming newly landscaped open space ready for the opening of the pedestrian bridge.

2012 Events for your Diary

Old Bus Depot Markets

Green Savvy Sunday
10am – 4pm, Sunday 16 September
FREE entry

Now in its third year, Canberra’s first interactive market dedicated to sustainability for the home will display the latest products, programs and techniques to help reduce our carbon footprint.

Wander through the market while indulging in delectable organic food and learn about the range of programs, assistance and products available to encourage a greener home and lifestyle.


Canberra Glassworks

2012 Ranamok Glass Prize
Exhibition: 15 August – 13 September
Presentation to artists: 6pm, 15 August

Now in its 18th year, the Canberra Glassworks Ranomok Glass Prize recognises the skill and innovation of Australian and New Zealand glass artists who promote glass as an art form to the public.

The Ranomok glassworks will be on display until 13 September with the winning artist being presented with their $15,000 prize at the Canberra Glassworks on 15 August.