COMMUNITY AND ORAL HEALTH BRIGHTON WELLNESS HUB

Metro North Health

Brighton Wellness Hub Bulletin - New January updates

Discover Wellness at Brighton Wellness Hub!

Welcome to the Brighton Wellness Hub, your haven for cultivating a healthy lifestyle within our community.

Join us to access a diverse array of services, activities, and valuable information designed to support your journey towards wellness. From rejuvenating yoga classes to insightful information sessions, we offer a range of activities to suit your interests and preferences. Most of our offerings are complimentary, while some come with a nominal fee to ensure accessibility for all.

At Brighton Wellness Hub, we're committed to providing you with the tools and resources needed to achieve a healthy life. Even if our activities change regularly, rest assured that information on maintaining wellness is available daily.

We invite you to visit the hub, open from 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM weekdays, and embark on a path to holistic well-being with us.

See you soon at Brighton Wellness Hub!

Stay Updated at Brighton Wellness Hub!

What's on @ the Brighton Wellness Hub - Click here

See you there!

Important information:

Walking Football - UPDATE - Registration cost reduced from \$25, to \$15

2025 annual registration to Football Queensland is needed to play.

\$15 annual registration fee covers your registration to Football Queensland and their insurances.

If you would like to get a head start on the registration process please follow this

link https://forms.office.com/r/nRCip2SsQF

Or a member of Football Queensland will be at the Hub on 15th and 22nd January to collect payments and assist with registrations.

For further enquires, contact Sam at same@footballqueensland.com.au or 3208 2677

Bright 'N' Sparks Dementia Choir - To keep the choir running for 2025, a fee of \$10 per session, per participant will be required. Carers are not obligated to pay, but they are welcome to contribute if they wish to help cover costs.

If you'd prefer to prepay for a term or the entire year, the cost will be \$100 for the term or \$400 for the year. An EFTPOS machine will be available for payments; unfortunately, we are unable to accept cash at this time.

Gateball - UPDATE - Technical difficulties some people experienced with the form have been resolved. See below for more information.

Hub Evaluation Survey - NEW

The Hub is being evaluated and we need your feedback.

If you would like to participate in a survey to support us do things better, please join us.

Click on the poster to complete online >> Or fill in a paper copy available at reception @ the Hub.

+ Every entry has the chance to win a \$50 voucher

(Note: survey responses are anonymous. The gift card draw is separate and optional.)

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To complete the survey please use either of the following:

following QR code



Complete a paper copy available at the reception desk, in the Hub



Important date reminders for January:

- 13/01/25 Hub reopened for activities
 - Activities running as normal;
 - Community catch up
 - Meditation
 - Chair yoga
 - Needles and Hooks*
 - Mah-jong
 - Yoga
 - Brighton Walking Group
 - Lawn Bowls
 - Justice of the Peace
- 13/01/25 Practice line dancing for free with Norma (Janine returns 03/02/25)
- 14/01/25 Needles and Hooks, early finish for booking starting 11:15am
- 15/01/25 Fitter for Life NOT RUNNING
- 18/01/25 Saturday Breathwork class with Ewa
- 20/01/25 Practice line dancing for free with Norma (Janine returns 03/02/25)
- 20/01/25 Birthday celebration for December and January birthdays. Come share some cake

- 22/01/25 Fitter for Life returns
- 27/01/25 Australia Day Public Holiday Hub closed
- 31/01/25 Bright 'N' Sparks Dementia Choir returns



Brighton Wellness Hub - Monthly Birthday Celebrations:

Hey there, party people! 🞉 Guess what?

On the last Monday of every month, it's time to break out the cake and confetti because we're celebrating birthdays at Brighton Wellness Hub! ## P

We will celebrate December and January birthdays this month.

Calling all community members, clients and volunteers, come join the fun and let's make your special day extra memorable!

If you celebrate your birthday in December or January, Please feel free to join us on Monday the 20th January at 10.00am.



Welcome to 2025!

The Rainbow Room has many plans in place for the next 12 months.

In addition to our monthly meetups/sausage sizzles, we continue to provide peer support for community members, education sessions and support for Metro North staff and so much more.

With new volunteers joining us (we always welcome new volunteers so don't be shy!) we are excited to be launching forward into a fresh new year with many events and opportunities ahead.

We look forward to seeing you all.



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Gateball

Gateball is a mallet sport similar to croquet, like a cross between croquet and snooker.

Gateball is a fast-paced, non-contact, highly-strategic team game, which can be played by anyone regardless of age or gender. Players range from 8-100.

Gateball is played on a rectangular court 20 metres long and 15 metres wide. Courts are generally grass, but can also be clay, gravel or concrete. Each court has three gates and a goal pole.

The game is played by two teams (red and white) of five players. Each player has a numbered ball corresponding to their playing order. The odd-numbered balls are red and the even-numbered balls are white. Teams score one point for each ball hit through a gate and two points for hitting the goal pole.

A game of Gateball lasts for 30 minutes. The winner is the team that has the most points at the end of the game

Register interest here >>

Breathwork with Ewa

A breath of fresh air for 2025 Breathwork classes with Ewa

Everybody is welcome. Bookings not required. Learn new techniques and master your own breath. Join Ewa for an hour of guided breathwork.

Every Tuesday 6:00pm - 7:00pm - \$5pp

Plus

Saturday 18th January 8:15am - 9:15am - \$10pp



Breathwork

for healthy body and mind

Everybody is welcome.
Bookings not required.
Simply drop in for an hour of conscious breathing.
Learn new techniques to master your own breath.

When: Every Tuesday
Time: 6:00pm - 7:00pm
Cost: \$5 per person

Where: Brighton Wellness Hub



Please call Ewa if you have any questions 0424 293 393



Bright 'N' Sparks, Brisbane North Dementia Choir supports people with dementia and their carers to live well through singing, movement, and social connection.

Join us for fun, familiar songs, new friendships, and a morning tea. Singing in a choir has been proven to improve quality of life, social connectedness and vocal strength so there are other benefits as well!

While our focus is on people with dementia and their carers, we welcome individuals of all abilities and conditions—no formal diagnosis required.

When: Fridays | SCHOOL TERMS

Time: 9.30 am - 12.00 pm

Cost: \$10 per participant per session (carers exempt)

Where: Brighton Wellness Hub (cnr 19th Avenue, Brighton Qld 4017)



Morning tea provided. Please call to book - 3631 7568

Metro North





Register direct to Football Queensland

Brighton, 4017)

Come along to the hub and have some fun on the lawn. Coordinated by Football Queensland

Don't forget your hat!

Every Wednesday

3.00pm - 5.00pm

Where: Brighton Wellness Hub

(Cnr Nineteenth Ave and Hornibrook Highway,

When: Time:



All welcome to attend!

Please call Sam Escobar if you have any questions 3208 2677

Simply call 1300 785 646 or email enquiries@stjohnqld.com.au



JPs in the Community



Are you in need of document certification?

Our Justice of the Peace (JP) drop-in service at the Brighton Wellness Hub is here to assist you!

Join us every Thursday from 10:00 am to 11:00 am for on-the-spot certification of your important documents.

Whether it's affidavits, statutory declarations, or other legal documents, our Justice of the Peace (JP) will be available to help.

No appointment necessary – just drop by during the designated hours and our friendly team will be happy to assist you

more information here >>

"Spark Change: Volunteer with Community and Oral Health Today!"

Community & Oral Health (COH) offers a broad range of quality community-based health-care and support services to help people improve and maintain their well-being and independence. COH operates community health facilities across the Brisbane North region, from inner-city Red Hill to bayside Brighton.



The volunteer program manages Volunteers across the service. Our Volunteers work alongside health-care staff to provide support, companionship and care for our clients, patients and residents and their loved ones.

Volunteer with us:

Volunteers play an important role in helping us care for our patients and residents.

Find out more >>

Join Us in Transforming Healthcare: Your Experience Can Make a Difference!

Become a Consumer Representative today and share your voice and help us improve current and future service development.

Click This link: <u>Partner with us - Consumer Expression of Interest Form - Community</u> and Oral Health

"Exciting Involvement Opportunities Await You:

- Review and Provide Feedback on Draft Brochures/Flyers
- Attend Exclusive Community Events
- Participate in Engaging Workshops/Focus Groups
- And Many More Ways to Get Involved in Various Engagement Activities!"

Find out more >>







Metro North Oral Health Services























If you would like more information about the Brighton Wellness Hub

Please Contact our team:

Brighton Wellness Hub crn 19th Avenue and Hornibrook Highway, Brighton

Phone: 3631 7568

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