



## **Murray Bridge Green 2018 SA Masters Games Opening Ceremony Parade and Street Party**

On the evening of Friday 20 April 2018 (from 4.30pm to 9.00pm), Bridge and Sixth Streets will come alive as we welcome the athletes of the Murray Bridge Green 2018 SA Masters Games to our city with a fabulous street party, promoting the theme *Come and Give it a Go!*

The event will feature a parade of up to 1,000 Masters Games athletes across 22 sports from Diamond Park to the Murray Bridge Regional Gallery. This will be followed by the Masters Mile footrace along Bridge Street and opening of the Street Party with a band, 3 v 3 Basketball, a rock climbing wall, face painting, a range of *Come and Give it a Go* sports and local food and drink vendors.

For your convenience please find below some details that directly relate to you as a Sixth Street or Bridge Street resident/business:

### **ROAD CLOSURES**

To successfully and safely set up and break down the event site, it is necessary to close some roads and our aim is to cause the least amount of inconvenience to our community. The below roads will be closed to all vehicular traffic (except those with event permits) and, for safety, pedestrian access may also be limited at times.

#### **Friday 20 April – 7am to 2pm**

- Sixth Street: between Fourth and Bridge Street

#### **Friday 20 April – from 2pm**

- Sixth Street: between Fourth Street and South Terrace
- Bridge Street: between the eastern side of the Mannum Road / Swanport Road intersection to the western side of East Terrace
- West Terrace: south of Bridge Street for approximately 25 metres
- Fifth Street: from Sixth Street for approximately 25 metres

Bridge Street (between Swanport Road and Seventh Street) will reopen for local and business traffic at approximately 6:15pm. All other affected roads will re-open after the event as soon as it is deemed safe (approximately midnight).

Bridge Street traffic will be diverted via Swanport Rd, Mary Terrace and East Terrace for the duration of the event,

### **PARKING**

#### Parking Restrictions in Place

Parking bans (with tow away provisions) will be enforced on all of the above sections of roads during the times of the road closures. We appreciate your assistance in seeking alternative parking during this event. Parking along Railway Tce behind the Band Hall will be restricted to permit only for the duration.

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## **FOR MORE INFORMATION**

For up to the minute information regarding street closures and other helpful information about the event, please contact the Rural City of Murray Bridge on 8539 1100 or visit [www.murraybridgemastersgames.sa.gov.au](http://www.murraybridgemastersgames.sa.gov.au)

We look forward to celebrating all things Murray Bridge and Master's Games with you, and hope to see you at the event!

## **HOW CAN YOU BECOME INVOLVED?**

### **Decorate Your Business or Residence**

All businesses and residents are encouraged to join in the festivities and decorate their properties in the spirit of the Murray Bridge Green SA Masters Games 2018 event theme 'Come and Give It a Go'. Adopt a sport, a get healthy theme, grab some balloons and some crepe, put out a welcome sign.

This is a great way to for the community to be involved and to provide a welcoming environment for the athletes.

### **Stay open longer during the event**

We encourage you to open longer on the night and take advantage of the number of people we are expecting to attend on the night. You may also want to have a presence in the street. Please feel free to discuss with us your thoughts on how you could be involved.

### **Promote the SA Masters Games and the Opening Ceremony**

Put up our posters, distribute our flyer, tell your friends, invite customers! There is nothing better than word of mouth.

If you require more information or have ideas that can support this event please call Kellie Jaensch on 8539 1118 or email [mastersgames@murraybridge.sa.gov.au](mailto:mastersgames@murraybridge.sa.gov.au)

### **Provide a Voucher**

The athletes will be provided a welcome pack as part of their registration. If you would like to offer them something special please let us know and we will organise for you to have a voucher placed in the Athletes Welcome Pack.

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