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Clean Up Australia Day a great success

Bayside Council's Clean Up Australia activities were a major success, with many volunteers identifying and cleaning 13 Parks, 10 schools, 4 beach areas, 2 rivers/creeks and 2 roadways within the Bayside area.

"Clean Up Australia Day was a fantastic opportunity for Council to engage with pro-active community members. The goodwill generated through all involved will have positive benefits beyond the actual litter picked up on the day," Mayor Bill Saravinovski said.

Council collected over 2,400 kg of litter presented by Clean Up Australia volunteers on the Sunday alone, which is a fantastic contribution to keeping Bayside clean and litter free.

Council coordinated with site managers to provide assistance as required, including provisions of additional bags, litter picking tools, gloves, educational information, and waste collection and disposal.

Council also used its solar powered education trailer that is equipped with a BBQ to provide a sausage sizzle to thank volunteers for their great effort.

Water and fruit, sourced from local retailers, was also provided to volunteers throughout the day.

Clean Up Australia Day Volunteers

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