



Weekly Update: Wednesday 15 December 2021



Dear residents,
Please see below this week's updates.

Catch a ride on the new South Bank Ferry Terminal

The gates have swung open on Brisbane's newest ferry terminal, with a new 210-tonne pontoon replacing the old terminal that serviced South Bank for 25 years.



The upgraded South Bank Ferry Terminal is now open with new CityCat and CityHopper services scheduled to commence from today Wednesday 15 December. Ferry services that were operating from South Bank Ferry 3 Terminal will cease.

Council worked collaboratively with South Bank Corporation on the terminal design, which features an extended boulevard platform to integrate passenger and precinct users at the connection to the popular boulevard and an open span roofline to maintain sightlines.

With a shaded waiting area, flood-resilient design and better accessibility, the South Bank terminal is now one of the best terminals within Brisbane's expansive CityCat and ferry network.

Brisbane City Council upgraded the South Bank Ferry Terminal to meet the requirements of the *Disability Standards for Accessible Public Transport (DSAPT) (2002)* and *Disability Discrimination Act 1992*.

View the South Bank Ferry Terminal timetable [here](#).

Maintenance and works

South Bank platform 1 upgrade

Due to the recent inclement weather encountered, additional night works are required for the South Bank platform 1 upgrade.

Queensland Rail will undertake additional platform works on:

- Wednesday 5 to Friday 7 January (over three nights)
- Monday 10 to Friday 14 January (over five nights)

An associated single lane closure will be in place on Tribune Street, South Brisbane. Please refer to the works notice below for details.

For more information, please contact Queensland Rail's Community Engagement team on 13 16 17 or email communityengagement@qr.com.au.

Traffic closures

Christmas Markets

Little Stanley Street is closed to traffic from 9.30am on Tuesday 14 December for set up and will reopen 12pm Friday 24 December 2021. The Little Stanley Street closure for the Christmas Markets will not impact access to the carpark.

New Year's Eve

NYE Road Closures will be in place for the following dates and times:

- Little Stanley Street from 2am Thursday 30 December to 2am Saturday 1 January
- Russell Street cul-de-sac from 6am Friday 31 December to 2am Saturday 1 January

Please note that access to the South Bank carpark from both Glenelg St and Tribune St will remain open throughout these closures.

COVID-19 updates

As you're aware, from 17 December restrictions on businesses will be further eased with the borders opening. Many businesses and venues will be able to return to operating at full capacity, with restrictions on people who are not fully vaccinated.

With border restrictions eased, it is anticipated that COVID-19 will start to circulate in our community.

SBC have informed precinct retailers and businesses that they need to comply with obligations as per the [Queensland Government's public health and social measures](#).

Find the current COVID-19 information: [Latest updates — coronavirus \(COVID-19\) | Health and wellbeing | Queensland Government \(www.qld.gov.au\)](#)



PROTECT YOURSELF AND THOSE AROUND YOU

- Stay home if you're unwell
- Wash your hands regularly
- Cover your coughs and sneezes
- Keep 1.5 metres away from someone who is sick
- Avoid touching your face

For more information
www.health.qld.gov.au/coronavirus

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Christmas in the Parklands

In addition to the beautiful display of lights, City Parkland Services will be activating the Parklands from 18 – 23 December with a range of Christmas events.

Little Stanley Street Lawns

Festive Beats: Pop-up stages will play host to a fantastic array of local artists from 4pm to 10pm, providing the perfect backdrop to a festive picnic or takeaway treat from the Little Stanley Street and River Quay retailers.

Little Stanley Street

Collective Markets will return to their home on Little Stanley Street from 10.00am- 10.00pm, with the Christmas Edition from Friday 17 December – Thursday 23 December to showcase a

wealth of Christmas gifts and bites by independent retailers, unique to South Bank. The Collective Markets will not trade over the NYE weekend.

For more information on the Christmas in South Bank program, please [click here](#).



The Lord Mayors New Year's Eve Fireworks

This year's NYE Fireworks display will be going ahead on Friday 31 December/Saturday 1 January with two displays:

- 8.30pm – 8.40pm, and
- 12.00am – 12.10am

There are only two other display locations in Brisbane this year – Eagle Street Pier and the Regatta, and South Bank will be the focal point for New Year's Eve.

Local Events Calendar

There is a lot going on in December, [click here](#) to see the full sized (printable) monthly calendar, or find out more at:

- [South Bank events](#)
- [Queensland Conservatorium](#)
- [QPAC](#)



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