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Lansvale Public School Concert

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a peaceful New Year

The Fowler Champion

Catch up on the latest news and events in the our community with Dai Le MP, the Federal Member for Fowler.

Young Fowler Champions



Skylar Yip

Well done to Skylar Yip, a Year 4 student from Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School at Cabramatta, who was a finalist for the Dymocks' Beyond Words Writing Competition for her story "The Mythical Tree". Over 3,800 students across Australia submitted their work, and only 100 were shortlisted.

Robotics Challenge Winners

Congratulations to Year 9 students Logan Pham and Brightden Nim from St Johns High School for becoming the Australian Champions by achieving 1st place in the 2022 Universal Robotics Challenge – Face to Face Competition



New Office Location:

From 2024 my electorate office will be located at 270 Canley Vale Road, Canley Heights NSW 2166

Welcome to

The Fowler Champion

Welcome to our Christmas edition of The Fowler Champion. It has been a productive 12 months, serving our community and raising the many issues and challenges we face in Fowler, in Parliament, Canberra.

I have successfully advocated for:

More pay for Pensioners

Enabling eligible social security pensioners and certain veterans' entitlement recipients over qualifying age to earn up to $4,000 before the income test is applied and their payments are affected. Further, the current temporary $4,000 increase to the maximum unused concession balance, from $7,800 to $11,800, will be available to all eligible pensioners on an ongoing basis. I also advocated successfully for this pilot Work Bonus Scheme to be extended from 6 months to 12 months. In the last few weeks the Government has introduced a bill to make this scheme permanent.

More Affordable Housing

The Government said they will address the housing shortages by supplying 30,000 new social and affordable homes. I advocated that the National Housing Supply and Affordability Council appoint a member with direct experience or qualifications in social and affordable housing, which I am happy to announce the Government has agreed with me on this matter.

Shining a light on Western Sydney

I am pleased to announce the establishment of the Parliamentary Friends of Western Sydney to be chaired by me, along with Senator Maria Kovacic and Susan Templeman MP. Through this Parliamentary Friends of Western Sydney, we hope to shine the light on the issues, talent, culture, innovations, and diverse communities that make our region the key economic engine of the country.

Rethink Stage 3 Tax Cuts

Last month I participated as a panelist at The Revenue Summit to discuss a tax system that fits the needs and desires of Australians for a fair and equitable society. I called for the Government to rethink the Stage 3 Tax Cuts set to come into place in July 2024, and look at ways to assist low to middle income earners in our community through our challenging cost-of-living crisis.

Regardless of our religious beliefs and whether we choose to celebrate or not – it's a time to show kindness, love, and appreciate the blessings of peace and harmony that we all enjoy as a community.

From my family to yours, I wish you all a very Merry Christmas, a happy and safe New Year.

Dai Le,



The Speaker of the House Milton Dick MP and I in the Marble Hall

In Canberra



With CEO of AFCA David Locke



Australia Institute's 2023 Revenue Summit at Australian Parliament House



Schools Plus Teaching Awards
With Lien Chai from Lansvale Public School, the winner of the Commonwealth Bank Teaching Award.



Villawood Nth Public School Parliament House Visit



NECA Forum
I hosted a roundtable with the National Electrical and Communications Association to tackle the issue of unfair contract terms. The feedback I received from the participants is that the use of Unfair Contract Terms is placing unnecessary pressure on an industry that is already facing unprecedented challenges including escalating labour costs, skills shortages, supply chain issues and escalating material costs.

Recipients of Stronger Communities Grants



City of Liverpool Meals on Wheels



Fairfield Womens Health Service

Zumba Class

- Bonnyrigg Turkish Islamic Cultural Association
- Lao Buddhist Society of New South Wales
- Bonnie Support Services
- City Of Liverpool Meals On Wheels
- The Presbyterian Church (New South Wales) Property Trust
- Cerebral Palsy Alliance
- Somascan Missions Inc
- Rosebank Child Sexual Abuse Service Inc
- The Scout Association of Australia NSW Branch
- Cambodian Buddhist Society of NSW Inc
- N.S.W. Vietnamese Elderly Friendship Association
- Dragon Style Kung Fu & Fitness Inc
- Fairfield Womens Health Service
- Fairfield Bulls Soccer Club
- Anglican Church Property Trust Diocese Of Sydney
- St John Ambulance Australia
- NSW Spanish & Latin-American Association For Social Assistance (SLASA)

Visiting Local Schools

Warwick Farm Public School



Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School



Parliamentary Education Outreach Program
I was able to be a part of parliamentary education in Australian classrooms.
This program gives students the same immersive learning opportunities and activities they would experience at Parliament House.



Community Fun Day at Mount Pritchard Public School



Celebrating Peace Day at Cabramatta High School, with 2023 Sydney Peace Prize Recipient Nazanin Boniadi and Lachlan Erskine



St Joseph's Catholic Primary School Moorebank Flag Presentation



Visit to Al Amanah College to present the Dai Le "Leadership Awards"

Representing Fowler





Fiji Delegation

I was part of the Parliamentary Delegation to the Pacific region visiting the nation islands of Fiji and New Caledonia to gain a better understanding of the economic and cultural facets of these countries, and discuss our nations' bilateral relationships on trade and security.







2023 Cabramatta Moon Festival by Fairfield City Council





National Leadership Forum

In September, I supported 4 young adults from Fowler to attend the National Leadership Forum in Canberra. This was an amazing experience in which they got to hear from thought leaders in many industries. I would like to thank the local businesses Cabramatta Golf Course, Reni's Bar & Grill, Lansvale Motor Group and Optus on John Street for sponsoring these individuals to attend.



The Fowler electorate received the most entries

56 submissions!

"Raise Our Voice" in Parliament.

Earlier this year, I invited young people in Fowler to participate in the Raise Our Voice Campaign, which asks them to write a 90 second speech which addressed the question "What change would make Australia a better place for future generations?

I wish to congratulate 1st winner Matt Keo, 2nd place Trisha Doan and 3rd Place group winners Colin Trang, Tina Nguyen, Kelly Vuong, Natasha Vong and Jericho Sabine, who I invited to my office to receive their prize and award.



Mr Kham visits my office October 2023



December 2022, My visit to Thu Duc jail

Chau Van Kham visit after his release

One of my first tasks after my election in May 2022 was to advocate for the release of Mr Chau Van Kham, an Australian Political Prisoner in Vietnam. I visited him in December 2022, while in jail in Thu Duc. I was delighted to meet up with him and his wife Quynh in my office following his release in July this year.

Fighting for you





More Health Funding

Fairfield Hospital Funding Announced

Together with Mayor of Fairfield Frank Carbone, we have pressured the Minn's Government to deliver on their election promise to Fairfield Hospital. I am delighted to share that the Minns Government has announced in the 2023-2024 NSW Budget that they will provide $550 million over 5 years to the hospital, which will see the delivery of more medical and rehabilitation beds, increase capacity of the emergency and critical care services, and expand other hospital and community health services.

More Housing

I have advocated on multiple fronts to address the current housing crisis. I held a Housing Forum bringing together Community Housing Providers, Representatives from Local, State and Federal Government and Property Developers to find local solutions. I also met with the State Minister for Housing Rose Jackson MP to explore local State Government land in Fowler that can be used for affordable housing.



Local Manufacturing

I met with Greg McGarvie, Managing Director of ACE EV, which is a manufacturing company in Wetherill Park currently assembling and trialing the first fleet of Woolworths EV trucks, built to collect abandoned trolleys. These first-world composite green EV vehicles can be easily assembled here in Western Sydney. I am calling on the Federal Government to invest the needed seed funding of $10 million to ensure we support manufacturing and innovation in Fowler and Western Sydney through its National Reconstruction Fund.

I'm pictured here with one of ACE EV's major shareholders, Dr Charlie Kung who has a long history in business development in engineering and technology in Taiwan.



Youth Initiatives

I have been working on several initiatives to provide increased opportunities to our young people. I collaborated on several robotics programs to encourage young people to embark in the field of STEAM pathways.

Community Forums

Fowler Youth Advisory Committee





I established the Fowler Youth Advisory Committee, so I can hear the important issues and views of the young people in the community first hand.

Local Business Spotlight

Art of Gelato Michelangelo



Inside the iconic pink building at the Carramar end of the Horsley Drive, you will find Art of Gelato Michelangelo, a small family-owned business established by Fran and Martino Piccolo. They pride themselves on traditional gelato and offer experimental flavours, with a new flavour each week reflecting the culturally diverse local community.

Art of Gelato Michelangelo has been operating for over 30 years, supplying the wholesale industry and the general public with boutique products and operating a local café on-site. "The genuine connections we forge and the goodwill our gelato spreads continues to propel our business into the hearts of our diverse community, making us more than a place to indulge; but a place to belong," says Vincent, the son of Fran and Martino.

One of the standout features of Art of Gelato Michelangelo has been their resilience as a small business in overcoming challenges during the COVID-19 pandemic. The love and support of their loyal staff and customers enabled Art of Gelato Michelangelo to weather the storm and thrive ever since. Vincent believes to be a successful business owner, you must have drive, passion, and belief to prosper through the tough times.

Visit the Art of Gelato Michelangelo: **30 The Horsley Drive Carramar NSW 2163**

Follow them on Instagram: **@artofgelatogelateria**

If you know of a business that should be highlighted please email us at **info@daile.com.au**

Canberra in Fowler

Prairiewood High School



Visit by Allegra Spender MP

Miss Allegra Spender, MP for Wentworth introduced me to the Australian Business and Community Network, a not-for-profit organisation which brings businesses and schools together, offering structured workplace mentoring programs to low socio - economic schools.



Canley Vale High School

Our Community



Zen Tea Lounge Foundation Charity Dinner for Domestic violence



Naming of Lurnea Community Hub, in honour of Harry Hunt OAM (dec), alongside Mayor Ned Mannoun, Tina Ayyad MP and Liverpool City Councillors



Ladies Like To Lunch fundraising event with Councillor Marie Saliba



NSW Fiji Business Council Fiji Day Celebration



Visit by AFP Assistant Commissioner Stephen Dametto to discuss security in light of the Middle East conflict



Relay for Life event which raises funds for Cancer research



Halloween at Fairfield Gallery and Museum with Mayor of Fairfield Frank Carbone

"picture courtesy of Legacy Studios"



Meeting with Taiwanese Director General Mr David Cheng-Wei Wu



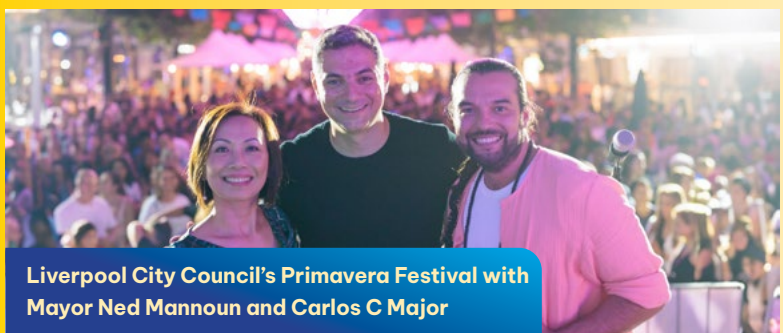
Visit to Amazon's robotics fulfillment centre in Kemps Creek to talk about job opportunities



My visit to Play2Learn at Cabravale Memorial Park



Opening of Vegetarian House at Kwan Yin Temple in Canley Vale



Liverpool City Council's Primavera Festival with Mayor Ned Mannoun and Carlos C Major



Meeting with Dr Salim Sayegh MP from the Kataeb Party in Lebanon, at Baytoub Restaurant in Villawood along with Sheikh Moussab Legha

Community News

Congratulatory Certificates

Are you celebrating a special milestone in your life? Whether it's a birthday, anniversary, or significant event, our office would love to help you celebrate this special occasion.



Email us at **info@daile.com.au** to request a certificate for yourself or a loved one.

Energy Saving Tips for Summer

As summer and the hot weather approaches here are some energy saving tips, and practical ways to keep you cool at home.

- Where possible, use fans instead of air conditioning.
- When using the air conditioner to cool your home, each degree warmer on the thermostat can save 10% less energy. Only use air conditioning during the hottest times of the day.
- Closing gaps and cracks around the house can save on your bill by at least $100 per year (i.e. using door snakes to top hot air entering the house).
- 'Zone' your home by cooling one part of your house and cut down on cooling in other areas.
- Cross-ventilation and open windows in the evening allow for natural breezes.
- Check energy rating labels when buying new appliances.
- Switch off appliances at the wall to use 1% to 5% less energy.
- Switch off lights when you leave a room.

NBN Opportunity for Students

The School Student Broadband initiative has been extended by the Australian Government to support students from K – 12 who do not have internet at home. The program provides families with free NBN at home for a period of 12 months.

To be eligible you must;

- Have school aged children living at home
- Be enrolled in an Australian school
- Not have an active NBN service at home

Contact our office via email or phone to apply.



My office has connected **31 Families** to **free NBN**

Important contact numbers

Ambulance, Police, Fire:
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Crime Stoppers
1800 333 000

State Emergency Services (SES)
132 500

NSW Roads & Waterways
131 500

Police Stations

Liverpool Police
(02) 9765 9499

Fairfield Police
(02) 9728 8399

Hospitals

Fairfield Hospital
(02) 9616 8111

Liverpool Hospital
(02) 8738 3000

Support Services

Beyond Blue
1300 224 636

Lifeline
131 114

Kids Helpline
1800 551 800

1800 RESPECT
1800 737 732

Justice Support Centre
(02) 9601 7777

Headspace Liverpool
(02) 8107 6100

Emergency Housing

Link2Home
1800 152 152

Food Support

(please note some services are closed during the Christmas holiday periods)

CORE Community Services
Email enquiries to mdacosta@corecs.org.au (Eligibility: Low income and financial hardship)

The Parks Community Network
Call 96097400 (Eligibility Low income and financial hardship)

Community First Step
Call to register 9727 4333
(Eligibility Low income and financial hardship)

Anglicare Mobile Pantry
Call to register 8774 7467
(Eligibility: Pension Immigration card or anyone who needs support)

Salvation Army Urana St hub - Food Hamper,
Call to register 0460273 424
(Low Income and Financial Hardship)

Government Services

Centrelink
132 468

Centrelink Multilingual Phone Service
131 202

Legal Services

Legal Aid Fairfield
(02) 9727 3777

Legal Aid Liverpool
(02) 9601 1200

LawAccess NSW
1300 888 529

Language Services

Translating and Interpreting Services
131 450

Celebrating Carers Week at the Annual Morning Tea by Help You Cope



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New Address from January 2024

Office Hours and Location

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Monday - Friday: 9:30AM - 4:00PM

Please call for an appointment

Sharing is caring

What issues do you need addressed in your community?

Scan the QR code and let me know!

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