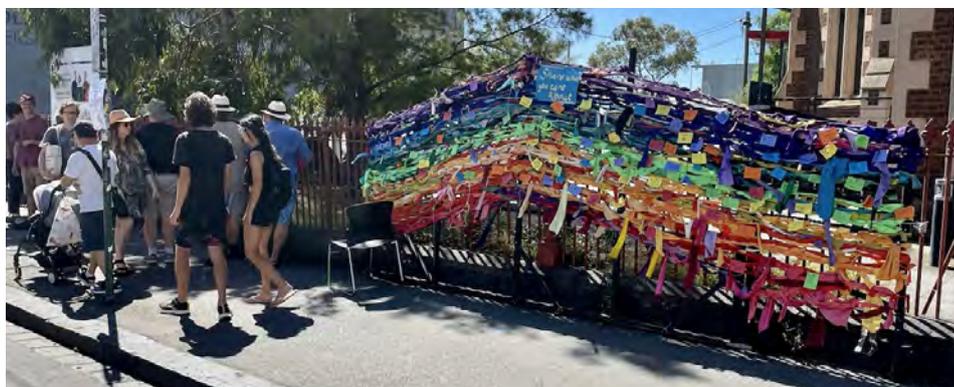


> Pastoral Care News

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Sydney Road Street Party - Sharing what we care about

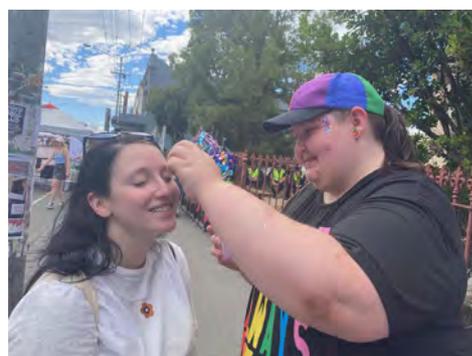
Sunday 5th March was a wonderful opportunity to 'Share what we care about' with the vibrant Sydney Road Community. It was cool inside and hot outside. It was delightful to welcome people into our spaces and to engaging passersby in various activities.



Our Rainbow - Lots of people took the time to write a note to share what they care about on our rainbow. Have a look in the hall next time. Thank you to Claire Foley, Kate Scull, Kirsty Bennett and others for hosting the rainbow.



Nicole Mugford offered **Glitter Blessings**. Lots of people took up the opportunity to adorn their faces with eco-glitter. Read the [Glitter Blessings affirmation](#).



The [Food Co-op](#) was very popular. Maxine Loynd member of the Food Co-op Board reported: *It was a great day, and from the Food Co-op's perspective, a huge success. I was based inside all afternoon, and could see lots of people moving through all of the spaces that we had*



open. There was a lot of interest in understanding what goes on inside our walls. And plenty of warm responses.



Artwork from the [Olive Arts Collective](#) was on display in the Olive Way along with bookmarks created from Zia Tohki, Chandra K and Paul Henry's artwork. Bev Evans, Olive Arts Co-ordinator hosted the space and handed out the bookmarks.



We offered a welcome break from the heat with people enjoying a drink of water and home made treats as well as a hunt for bargains through in the Pop-up Op Shop in the hall



Many thanks to David Rees, Alison Nixon, Glenice Cook, Gwen Arnold and others

Thank you to Helen Burnham and Valmai Brunlow.



Our thanks to the **Love Makes a Way group** for leading Community Singing and to **Phil Hudson and his trio** for climate action focussed singing.



The **Climate Action Group** was out on the street inviting people to take action. Alicia Liley and the **Soul Singers** sang out our desire to take action in caring for our planet.



The **worship space** was open for people to take a rest and time to reflect.

Thank you to everyone who helped with setting up, supporting actions and cleaning up afterwards. Looking forward to 2024

Saide Cameron



Saide Cameron and Nicole Mugford from the Community Team