



MAJOR TRANSFORMATION COMING FOR HEART OF CROWN PERTH

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29 August 2026: One of Perth's most iconic locations is set for a dramatic transformation, with a major development that will reimagine the Crown Perth atrium lobby with new dining, contemporary finishes and show stopping design, elevating the experience for the more than nine million guests who visit each year.

The redeveloped entry to the Crown Perth complex will create a vibrant new centrepiece for the resort, transforming the hotel's iconic 12-storey glass atrium into a modern oasis, bringing together lush indoor landscaping, and a vibrant lounge and live entertainment space at its heart.

Known as **Canopy Bar at Crown**, the venue will feature an elevated 1200 square metre dining, lounge and bar area which will offer a carefully curated menu taking guests from breakfast through to evening cocktails and celebrations, perfect for enjoying a morning coffee, afternoon tea or evening cocktail while being in the centre of activity for the resort property.

Bathed in natural light, the renovation will feature mature trees and greenery, natural stone and warm timber finishes to create a welcoming destination that feels luxurious and connected to nature.

Rockpool Bar & Grill will also undergo a significant interior update, including a completely redesigned bar, enhancements to the dining room and three private dining spaces, and an increase in overall capacity from 238 to 261 guests. The restaurant will temporarily close on Monday 5 October, reopening on Wednesday 28 October.

Proudly Western Australian pearl and diamond jeweller Linney's will relocate to a luxurious new location within Crown Towers. The family-owned business has traded at Crown Perth for more than 20 years, and will reopen in November, in time for Christmas.

These significant investments are part of an ongoing transformation of Crown Perth. The news follows the recent announcement that two globally renowned and Michelin-recognised chefs, **Björn Frantzén** and **'Chef Pam' Pichaya Soontornyanakij**, will bring exciting new restaurants to the city. Crown has already opened several new venues in recent months including premium Western Australian wine bar Gladstones, as well as a new vibrant food hall, the **Urban Food District**.

Crown Perth CEO Brian Pereira said: "The iconic glass atrium at the heart of Crown Perth is recognisable to anyone who has visited our property in the 40 years it has been welcoming visitors, diners, theatregoers and tourists."

"There is tremendous momentum across our resort right now, with internationally celebrated chefs opening major new restaurants here next year and a significant upgrade and transformation underway that will make Crown Perth an even more exciting place to visit, stay and celebrate in the future. This work is creating local jobs and strengthening our place as a leading entertainment and tourism destination."

Local Western Australian construction company CDI Group has been appointed to deliver the Crown Perth atrium redevelopment, with work to start this month. Up to 100 workers will be involved in delivering the project, contributing to ongoing employment opportunities in the local construction sector until the project is delivered in 2027.



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ABOUT CROWN PERTH

Crown Perth opened its doors in 1985 and has grown to become the city's ultimate entertainment destination. Offering unrivalled hotel accommodation, events and conferencing, dining and entertainment, the resort draws more than seven million guests each year.

Located on the banks of the Derbal Yerrigan (The Swan River), Crown Perth is Western Australia's only fully integrated entertainment resort and the state's largest single site private employer with more than 5,000 team members.

Offering almost 1,200 rooms across three hotels, Crown Perth is also home to Perth's largest and only Forbes-rated luxury hotel, Crown Towers. These luxurious suites overlook the river, the Perth City skyline and Optus Stadium.

Crown Perth's line up of more than 30 restaurants and bars includes Rockpool and world-renowned Nobu. New luxury wine bar Gladstones opened in late 2025, offering a vineyard-to-glass service of some of Western Australia's most iconic and exclusive wines. Opened in early 2026, the Urban Food District features a lively beer garden and premium international food hall featuring diverse venues and cuisines. Brands include internationally recognised Burgers by ES, straight from Las Vegas Tekka Bar and Side Piece Pizza, alongside local cult favourite Saigon Story by Jenny Lam.

In 2027 Crown Towers will also become home to Brasserie Astoria by globally acclaimed Swedish chef Björn Frantzén. Frantzén is the only chef in the world to hold three Michelin stars for three restaurants. Brasserie Astoria will be joined by Khao San Sek by Michelin-recognised and 'World's Best Female Chef' winner 'Chef Pam' Pichaya Soontornyanakij. The modern casual venue will be a vibrant and ingredient-driven restaurant inspired by Chef Pam's Bangkok venue of the same name on Song Wat Road.

The 2300-seat Crown Theatre draws audiences to more than 250 shows annually, from cabaret to musicals and solo artists. Crown is also a destination of choice for more than 1,500 events and conferences each year, delivering some of Perth's finest events spanning gala dinners and black-tie affairs to conferences, breakfasts and exhibitions.

Crown Perth has contributed thousands of training places to the local hospitality network through education and training programs, and supports more than 650 local suppliers. The Crown Resorts Foundation has proudly contributed more than \$32 million to local causes over the past decade.