

Vents and Programs



Summer 2021/22 December | January | February

Duncraig | Joondalup | Whitford | Woodvale

Welcome

Welcome to Summer - carols in the park, fun in the sun, time at the beach, picnics by the lake, reading under a tree or just chilling out during the holidays.

This Summer edition has lots of events, tips and ideas to keep you busy and entertained including gearing up for the new school year.

Best of all, it is the season for icecream - fruity flavours, chocolate delights and icy treats. Joondalup Libraries can relate to this too — how often have you finished a good book and go hunting for the next page turning treat.

Happy Summer reading!



LIBRARY HOURS | December 2021 - February 2022

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Mon	9.00am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.00am – 5.00pm
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Tue	7.00pm	7.00pm	6.00pm	7.00pm	5.00pm
Wed	9.00am –	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.00am –
Weu	6.00pm	6.00pm	6.00pm	6.00pm	5.00pm
Thu	9.00am -	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.00am –
Hilu	7.00pm	6.00pm	7.00pm	7.00pm	5.00pm
Fri	9.00am –	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.00am –
ГП	6.00pm	6.00pm	6.00pm	6.00pm	5.00pm
Sat	9.30am -	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.30am –	9.30am –
Sal	4.00pm	1.00pm	1.00pm	1.00pm	12.30pm
Sun	1.00pm – 5.00pm	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed



Holiday and long weekend hours

Friday 17 December	Libraries will close at 12.00noon	
Friday 24 December	Libraries will close at 5.00pm	
Saturday 25 December to	Libraries will close between	
Monday 3 January	Christmas and New Year	
Tuesday 4 January	Libraries will re-open	
Wednesday 26 January	Libraries closed	
Wednesday 20 January	Australia Day Public Holiday	

Extended borrowing conditions will be in place during the Christmas to New Year period. Items on loan can be returned through the after-hours chutes or renewed online according to borrowing conditions.

How to find the event for you?

Throughout this guide there are free events and those with a small fee. Some events require bookings and others don't.

Scan this QR code for quick access to the event calendar to book and pay online.



Library hours, services and events may be changed in response to COVID-19. Always refer to the City's website at **joondalup.wa.gov.au** for updates and information or call **9400 4751**.

You can also subscribe to the Libraries' eNewsletter or follow us on Instagram and Facebook - **#joondaluplibraries**

Key



Discovery Sessions



Technology



Children 0 – 4



Children and school holidays 5 – 12



Youth



Adult clubs and games



Heritage and Local History



Special Events



Public Holidays and closures



Meet the Author



Community Event



Libraries Online



Anytime, anywhere library access







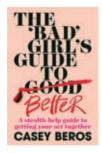
Inclusion Story Time

Monday 29 November – Friday 3 December 10.00am

To tie in with International Day of People with Disability on **Friday 3 December**, City of Joondalup Libraries will be running Story Time sessions that celebrate and support people with disability. Join Inclusion Story Time at the Libraries, featuring books that teach children about differences in a positive way.

Monday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Duncraig	Joondalup		Whitford Woodvale





Meet the Author - Casey Beros

Wednesday 1 December, 6.00pm Duncraig Library

The 'Bad' Girl's Guide to Better: a stealth-help guide to getting your act together is perfect for fans of Fleabag and Bridget Jones. This is a tongue-in-cheek self-help guide for those who've failed, messed up and felt bad about themselves.

Casey's book will be available for purchase and signing on the night. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.









Discovery Session – The Shetland Bus Tuesday 7 December, 10.00am

Woodvale Library

The story of the Shetland Bus is one of the most dramatic to emerge from the Second World War.

Learn of the local engineers and carpenters who worked with their Norwegian counterparts to maintain a vital sea link between Shetland and Norway.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



Send a memory overseas

Pop in to Joondalup Library and take a memory photo with the giant teddy, reindeer or Christmas tree.

Duncraig, Woodvale and Whitford Libraries also have beautiful Christmas displays.

Tag #joondaluplibraries when you post to your Instagram and facebook pages.







Discovery Session – Step Parenting with Purpose

Wednesday 8 December, 6.00pm Whitford Library

Local author Karalee Katsambanis is an accomplished Australian TV commentator, journalist, columnist and media trainer. Her book *Step Parenting with Purpose — everything you wanted to know but were too afraid to ask* provides invaluable insights and advice to those beginning or already on their step parenting journey.

Karalee's book will be available for purchase and signing on the night.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Christmas Story Times

Monday 13 – Friday 17 December City of Joondalup Libraries Ages 2 - 4 years

Join in the Christmas fun at any of the regular Story Time sessions in the week before Christmas. These are the last sessions for 2021, so what better way to celebrate with a lot of Christmas cheer, songs, stories and rhymes.

Monday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Duncraig			Whitford Woodvale





Christmas Craft

December City of Joondalup Libraries Ages 5 - 12 years

Celebrate the festive season and create a variety of Christmas crafts to decorate your home and tree. Cost \$4.00 per activity.

Monday 20	Tuesday 21	Wednesday 22
Joondalup	Woodvale	Whitford
2.00pm - 3.00pm	10.30am - 11.30am	2.00pm – 3.00pm
	Duncraig	
	2.00pm - 3.00pm	

Bookings open online **Monday 6 December** at **9.30am**.





Discovery Session – Crazy Days and **Lazy Days**

Thursday 16 December, 10.00am Joondalup Library

Theatre 180 will feature young musical theatre graduates from WAAPA, alongside the wonderful Craig Skelton at the piano. Songs will be from classics like Cole Porter, Rodgers and Hammerstein, Stephen Sondheim and new musicals.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.

Children can be better readers

Get your children school ready by continuing their reading and learning throughout the school holidays. Set the habit of regular reading or listening; set an 'appy hour' and lead by example.

The Libby app offers unique filter settings to tailor the collection for your kids. An age appropriate collection will allow children to browse and borrow eBooks or audiobooks, as well as giving them the independence

of choosing for themselves.

Have you considered audiobooks for your children? Audiobooks allow your child to enjoy stories beyond the limit of their own reading levels. Audiobooks are proven to improve children's pronunciation, vocabulary and speaking fluency. Even kids who struggle to read show increased comprehension of over 75% from audiobooks.

All eBooks and audiobooks are free to checkout and not subject to any fees or fines.

Don't forget the huge range of beginner readers, picture books and storybooks that you can browse and loan when visiting the Library.

Summer Reading Challenge

Monday 13 December 2021 - Monday 31 January 2022 City of Joondalup Libraries

Keep your children reading over the Summer break and connect them to great authors and illustrators. Visit a Libraries, register







Summer School Holidays STEAM into Summer

January 2022 City of Joondalup Libraries Suitable for ages 5 - 12

Get creative this Summer with a range of fun and engaging STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Mathematics) activities.

Visit **ioondalup.wa.gov.au** for the complete program and to book a spot.

Cost is \$4.00 per child per activity.

Bookings open online on Monday 20 December from 9.30am.





Discovery Session – Winning Resumes Tuesday 11 January, 6.00pm

Tuesday 11 January, 6.00pm Woodvale Library

A presentation created for participants who want to learn what a winning resume looks like.

A great resume should be achievement focused and effective enough to get you onto the short-list.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Discovery Session – Avoiding Scams

Thursday 13 January, 2.00pm Joondalup Library

Online scam attempts are an everyday obstacle that we have to live with. Over 90% of online scams start with a phishing email.

We will teach you simple steps to avoid email scams 100% of the time. The safest way to manage your passwords and other safe internet browsing tips will also be covered.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



Connect to City of Joondalup Libraries on Facebook and Instagram

#joondaluplibraries





Discovery Session – Depression: **Building a Foundation for Happiness**

Wednesday 19 January, 6.00pm Whitford Library

Let's talk about some factors that may be contributing to you or your loved one's mental health challenges, and steps that can be taken to start building a foundation towards happiness. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Discovery Session – Trekking to **Everest base camp**

Thursday 20 January, 10,00am Joondalup Library

Pam shares her experience of her two treks to Everest base camp in her sixties and the experience of the 2015 Nepal earthquake.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Discovery Session – Becoming a Mumpreneur: the successful ingredients

Tuesday 1 February, 10.00am Joondalup Library

An exciting workshop aimed at first time female business owners and 'Mumpreneurs'. This fun, informative and helpful session tackles tips and tricks to help save you time, energy and money plus increase productivity levels and success! Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



Give your child a head start by exploring all the options available with a City of Joondalup Library membership.

- Books are best Learning to read or need last minute assistance with a project? Dinosaurs never go out of fashion, or perhaps it's the new Andy Griffith they're after?
- eBooks are okay too OverDrive, cloudLibrary and BorrowBox where you can choose from thousands of eBooks and audiobooks for all ages.
- Britannica Library fast, reliable homework answers delivered in a reading level to suit your child.
- Kidspeak learn French, Spanish, German, Italian, Mandarin or English.
 100+ languages for older students.
- Kanopy Kids unlimited plays from Kanopy Kids collection. TV favourites, movies, story time, history, science and maths learning.
- Story Box Library for professionally produced Australian story time.
- BusyThings fun, educational activities to play online. Numbers, counting, alphabet, colour, shapes and problem solving.
- Research databases for high school students covering HASS, Arts and Sciences.

Connect to the Joondalup Libraries' catalogue at joondalup.spydus.com





Discovery Session – A Short History of **Early Jazz**

Tuesday 8 February, 6,00pm Woodvale Library

The Melody Makers are a trio of very experienced jazz musicians. Taking you on a musical journey starting in the cradle of jazz in New Orleans, to Chicago and the iazz age through the Swing Era.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Discovery Session – Australian Sport

Wednesday 9 February, 6.00pm Whitford Library

The real and the make believe, by real sports person Sally Carbon. Come along to see if you can determine the difference between what's real and what's not in the serious world of high-performance sport.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



Nature Play Passport

Collect a copy at any City of Joondalup Library



Parenting Workshop – Making Movement Fun

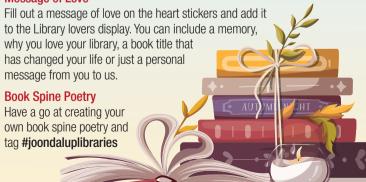
Friday 11 February, 10,00am **Duncraig Library**

Sue McLaren, a Curtin University Researcher and Director of Animal Fun – an evidence-based movement program, will be presenting an evidence based movement program suitable for all parents, carers and grandparents of young children. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.

Library Lovers' Week

Monday 14 February is Valentine's Day, the day to celebrate love, but it is also Library Lovers Day, dedicated to book lovers across the globe. Joondalup Libraries invite you to celebrate libraries and the amazing life-changing books they hold within, not just for a day, for the whole week.







Did someone say free magazines?

Auto, business, craft, design, sport, tech, gardening, food, lifestyle, health, parenting, news, fashion, and lots more. Get started by installing the Libby app or go to libbyapp.com Don't forget there are also hard copies at the library to loan.





Discovery Session - Graeme Cocks on cars

Wednesday 16 February, 6.00pm Joondalup Library, Reference

Graeme Cocks has tinkered with cars of all shapes and sizes for most of his life. His professional writing and research skills, combined with his intimate knowledge of veteran and vintage cars, enable him to craft vivid stories about the early days of motor racing. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Discovery Session – Look Up Perth

Thursday 17 February, 10.00am Joondalup Library

Richard Offen will tell the story of our heritage buildings – from the city's oldest standing building, the Old Court House, to treasures such as His Maiesty's Theatre. Richard will demonstrate how important these places are to the creation of Perth's unique 'sense of place'.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.

LIBRARY

City of Joondalup Libraries. Visit us today. Membership is free.





Parenting Workshop Nutrition in the First Years of Food

Tuesday 22 February, 10.00am Woodvale Library

This presentation will cover information on nutrition in the first years of food. Highlighting the essential nutrients with food ideas, pack and go meals and most importantly how to set up for successful eating. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Discovery Session The Years when Cruising Stopped

Wednesday 23 February, 10.00am Whitford Library

Who is working on the vacant ships and what is being done to prepare them to return to passenger service? Join Chris Frame to find out how the cruise industry has survived the pandemic, and what the plans are for the future.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



Act

Being active, having a sense of belonging and having a purpose in life all contribute to happiness and good mental health.



Do something

- Go for a walk
- Meditate
- Get out in nature
- Do a crossword
- Read a book in the park
- Go swimming
- Do the gardening
- Go to the library

Belong

Do something with someone

- Join a knitting group
- Meet up with friends
- Book in to a concert
- Chat to a neighbour
- Go for a drive
- Join an art tour
- Research your family history at the library

Commit

Print out a weekly planner or pick up a

visit to the library.

free copy on your next

Do something meaningful

- Set yourself goals
- Do an 'act of kindness'
- Volunteer
- Keep going to groups you are involved in
- Help out a bit more at a group you already attend
- Work on a skill you have or learn a new one...









Meet the Author – Polly Phillips

Wednesday 23 February, 6.00pm **Duncraig Library**

My Best Friend's Murder is local author Polly Phillips first book, a new addictive and twisty psychological thriller that will hold you in a 'vice-like grip'. The people closest to you are the ones who can hurt you the most...



Polly's book will be available for purchase and signing on the night. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





Community Information

For all enquiries regarding community information, events and services within the City of Joondalup call **9400 4705**. Monday to Friday, 9.00am – 5.00pm.

If you are looking to find a social club, a community or sports group, check out the Community Directory on the City's website at joondalup.wa.gov.au

Regular Library events





Baby Rhyme Time

10 00am

For habies 0 - 18 months

Learn new rhymes and songs. Develop your baby's pre-literacy and social skills in a fun environment. Sessions run during school term and will restart on Monday 31 January 2022.

No cost.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Joondalup	Duncraig	Woodvale	Whitford



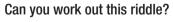


Chess Afternoons

Thursday, 4.00pm Woodvale Library All ages welcome

A session for anyone who wants to learn how to play chess or have a friendly game. Chess sets provided. No cost. No bookings required.

Enguiries to **9400 4180**.



There's a one-storey Library in which everything is yellow. Yellow walls, yellow doors, yellow furniture. What colour are the stairs?





CoderDoio

4.00pm Ages 7 - 17 years

A volunteer led movement where young people learn how to code, develop websites, apps, programs, games and much more. Sessions run during school term. BYO laptop if possible.

No cost. No bookings required.

Monday	Wednesday
Whitford	Joondalup





Crochet Group

Wednesday, 10.00am Whitford Library

Do you crochet? Would you like to crochet with others in a friendly social group? Bring a project or start something new.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to **9400 4870**.



"One benefit of Summer was that each day we had more light to read by." - Jeannette Walls - author of The Glass Castle





Digital Drop-In

First and third Friday of the month 10.00am - 11.30am Woodvale Library

This program takes place twice a month, where you can learn how to use mobile devices such as smart phones, tablets and personal computers. No cost. No bookings required.

3 December	17 December	7 January
That's entertainment; watch, listen, travel and play online.	No session.	No session.
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21 January	4 February	18 February





English Conversation Group Wednesday, 1,00pm Joondalup Library

Practice speaking English in a relaxed and supportive environment. This session is for people who know some English and would like to improve their skills. Sessions are very informal with no written work, just conversation.

Note: classes are not held during school holidays.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to **9400 4762**.



French Conversation Group Joondalup Library

A group for people who know some French and would like to improve their conversation skills. These weekly sessions are informal.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to 9400 4711.



Games in the Library City of Joondalup Libraries



Libraries have a range of games for patrons to enjoy. They are for use in the Library and can be played for the whole day if desired. Scrabble, Mah-jong, Chess, Yahtzee, Rummikub, Canasta, and many more. Bring a friend or two to your local library and enjoy the challenge.



Game On! Monday, 2.00pm Woodvale Library

Meet new people and stimulate the mind. Come along for a session of fun and games in a friendly atmosphere. Choose to play Scrabble, Upwords, Backgammon, Yahtzee, Rummikub, Boggle, card games and many more.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to **9400 4180**.





Genie Exchange: Unlocking the past. for the future

Come along to research your family history with help from skilled and knowledgeable volunteers.

Free access is available to online research tools such as Ancestry.com and FindMyPast. Resources from the Genealogy Collection are available to horrow

No cost. No bookings required.

Tuesday	Friday
Woodvale	Joondalup – Local History
9.30am – 12.30pm	10.00am – 12.00noon





Jigsaw Group

Improve your memory and visual-spatial reasoning whilst having fun with jigsaws, crosswords and puzzles. This monthly session is an opportunity to tackle different types of jigsaws as well as meeting other puzzle lovers.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to 9400 4798.

Duncraig Library Third Wednesday of the month, 2.00pm

15 December 19 January 16 February

Answer to the Riddle:

A. There aren't any stairs. It is a one-storey Library.



The Imagination Station

Visit the DIY table with activities to entertain and explore the imagination. Children will be inspired by books from the Library using re-purposed materials. Let's see what you can create! No bookings required. Ages 5 - 12 years.

Joondalup Library First Sunday of the month, 2.00pm - 4.00pm

5 December No session in January

6 February

Look out for The Imagination Station at other events and holiday activities.

Note: Libraries have photocopying facilities for a small fee.

Justice of the Peace Service

This is a free service to the community and no appointment is necessary.

If you need certified copies of documents, bring the original and the copies to be signed. Some documents require a second witness so please bring someone with you if this is the case.

Joondalup Library	Woodvale Library
Thursdays 5.00pm – 6.45pm Saturdays 10.00am – 12.30pm	Saturdays 9.30am – 11.30am

To find other JP services within the City visit the Community Directory on the City's website. Enquiries to 9400 4705.





Kevstrokes

City of Joondalup Libraries

Book in for one-on-one introductory level assistance with digital technologies, including smart phones, tablets and online activities such as email.

Sessions are available at all Libraries, days and times vary.

Search for Keystrokes on the City's website at joondalup.wa.gov.au for more information or call your local branch.





Knitting Groups

Join fellow knitters to work on your own creations. knit something for charity or participate in a community project.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enguiries to **9400 4761**.

First Wednesday of the month	Fourth Saturday of the month	Every Thursday
Duncraig, 2.00pm	Joondalup, 1.00pm	Whitford, 1.00pm







Lego Club - Challenge, Create, Construct

4.00pm

Ages 5 - 12 years

Join in the fun of creative Lego play, share and display your creations with the group and library visitors.

Sessions held during school term.

Cost \$2.00. No bookings required.

Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday
Whitford	Woodvale	Duncraig





Mahjong

City of Joondalup Libraries

Mahjong is a popular and challenging game and will help keep the brain active while having fun. Libraries hold regular sessions for beginners and more experienced players.

Enquiries to 9400 4761.





Brain Games

Joondalup Library Monday 2.00pm

An hour of challenging puzzles, guizzes and games designed to exercise and stimulate the brain.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to 9400 4711.





STEAMing into Story Time

Saturdays, 10,00am Whitford Library Ages 2 - 7 years

Come and enjoy stories, songs, and hands-on STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Mathematics) activities that encourage children to use their critical thinking and problem-solving skills along with their imagination and creativity. No cost. No bookings required.

Note: STEAMing into Story Time sessions will break over the festive period from Monday 20 December. resuming on Saturday 15 January 2022.





Story Time

10 00am Ages 2 - 4 years

These sessions encourage a love of reading, stimulate the imagination and enable social interaction with other children outside the home. No cost. No bookings required.

Note: Story Time sessions will break over the festive period from Monday 20 December, resuming on Monday 10 January 2022.

Monday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Duncraig	'		Whitford Woodvale





Tabletop Games

Saturdays, 9,30am Whitford Library Ages 16+

If you love board or tabletop gaming, or have been waiting for an opportunity to start, here is your big chance to play some really interesting games. The facilitator provides lots of help.

No cost. No bookings required.

Enquiries to 9400 4870.





Toddler Time

10.00am For toddlers 18 - 36 months

These sessions encourage the love of books and language while letting your child move and be creative. Sessions run during the school term and will restart on Monday 31 January 2022. No cost. No bookings required.

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Whitford	Duncraig	Woodvale	Joondalup





Writers' Group

Expand and develop the craft of writing in this supportive group. The group encourages all levels and types of writing.

Cost \$3.00. Enquiries to 9400 4761.

Public Holidays 2022

New Year's Day Saturday 1 January New Year's Day PH Monday 3 January Wednesday 26 January Australia Day Labour Day Monday 7 March **Faster** Friday 15 April to Monday 18 April ANZAC Dav Monday 25 April

Western Australia Day Monday 6 June

Queen's Birthday Monday 26 September

Christmas Dav Sunday 25 December Christmas Day PH Monday 26 December Boxing Day Tuesday 27 December

School Holidays 2022

Term 1 Saturday 9 April to Monday 25 April Term 2 Saturday 2 July to Sunday 17 July Term 3 Saturday 24 September to Sunday 9 October

Friday 16 December to Tuesday 31 January 2023 Term 4

Library Celebration Dates 2022

Library Lovers' Day

National Simultaneous Story Time Wednesday 25 May

Family Tree written by Josh Pyke and illustrated by Ronojoy Ghosh

Library and Information Week Children's Book Week

Saturday 20 – Friday 26 August Theme: Dreaming with eyes open

READING 20 CHALLENGE 22



eBook, audiobook or physical book - the choice is yours.

- A book that starts with the first letter of your name
- A biography or autobiography
- A book from the Health and Personal Development collection
- A book recommended by a staff member or friend
- A book of short stories
- A book you started, but never finished
- O A novella
- A book by a local author
- A book you've always meant to read
- O A picture book
- A book recommended in the Libraries eNewsletter
- A Booker or Miles Franklin prize nominated book
- A book adapted to screen -TV or movie
- A book from a visiting Meet the Author

- A book from the young adult collection
- A book from a genre that you wouldn't normally read
- A book with a blue cover
- A favourite book from your childhood
- A book at the bottom of your 'to read' pile
- A book set in a different country
- A book with over 400 pages
- A book in a book bundle (or all of the chosen bundle)
- A book from the Dymocks
 Joondalup top 100 list
- A book with a one word title

O A non-fiction book



#joondaluplibrariesreadingchallenge

What's Coming up in the City of Joondalup?

Music in the Park

Saturday 15 January, 5.00pm - 8:30pm

Santiago Park, Ocean Reef

Featuring End of Fashion and Supathick

Saturday 12 March, 5.00pm - 8:30pm

Seacrest Park, Sorrento

Featuring Noah Dillon and Ben Gatley

Free concerts

Valentine's Concert

Thursday 10 February, 7:30pm

Joondalup Resort, Connolly

Perth Symphony Orchestra performs the Music of George Michael, featuring the WAAPA <u>Gospel Choir.</u>

Purchase tickets via ticketbooth.

Community Art Exhibition

Sunday 27 March to Sunday 10 April

Lakeside Joondalup Shopping City

Joondalup Festival

Experience something new

Friday 11 March to Saturday 2 April

Tickets and event information

Visit joondalup.wa.gov.au or call 9400 4705.

The City will continue to monitor all relevant directions relating to COVID-19 and will follow the appropriate State government advice.

This document is available in alternative formats upon request.