

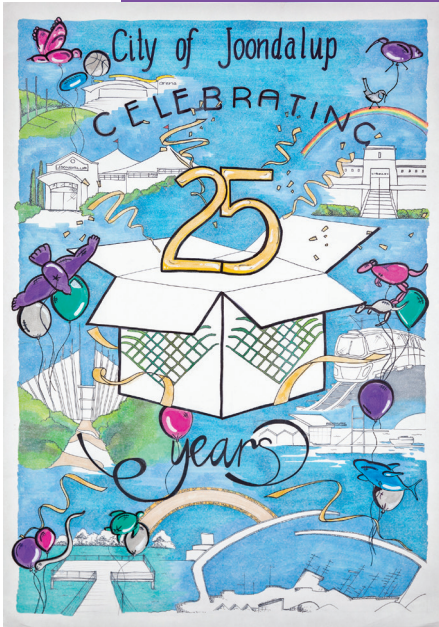


City of Joondalup

LIBRARIES

# Events

## and Programs



Spring 2023

September | October | November

Duncraig | Joondalup | Whitford | Woodvale

## *Kaya Wandjoo*

Hello and welcome. Did you know that Libraries present an average of 194 events each month with more than 4,100 attendees? That's pretty impressive. Some require bookings and payment, many are free – basically this is your one stop pocket sized guide for things to do this Spring.

Of course, books are still a pivotal element to our service where we invite you to browse the shelves, snap up a Quick Read, snaffle a convenient Book Bundle or get cosy with an eBook or audiobook online. Membership is free and all are welcome to join.

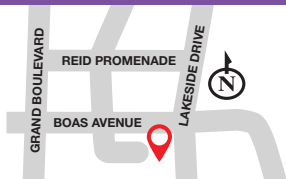
A special campaign to look out for in November is Food for Fines where we are taking donations of food for selected local charities to help families in need over the summer. Seek out page 17 for more details.

We hope you enjoy these events and programs this spring and look forward to seeing you soon.

Happy reading.

**Joondalup – 9400 4707**

102 Boas Ave



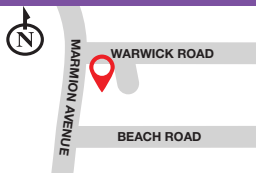
**Woodvale – 9400 4180**

5 Trappers Dr



**Duncraig – 9400 4790**

Cnr Warwick Rd and Marmion Ave



**Whitford – 9400 4870**

Cnr Marmion Ave and Banks Ave



## Library Opening Times and Special Notices

	Joondalup 9400 4707	Duncraig 9400 4790	Whitford 9400 4870	Woodvale 9400 4180	Local History 9400 4746
Mon	9.00am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.00am – 5.00pm
Tue	9.00am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.00am – 5.00pm
Wed	9.00am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.00am – 5.00pm
Thu	9.00am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.30am – 7.00pm	9.00am – 5.00pm
Fri	9.00am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.30am – 6.00pm	9.00am – 5.00pm
Sat	9.30am – 4.00pm	9.30am – 1.00pm	9.30am – 1.00pm	9.30am – 1.00pm	9.30am – 12.30pm
Sun	1.00pm – 5.00pm	Closed	Closed	Closed	Closed

All Libraries:

<b>Team Development session</b>	<b>Closed Tuesday 5 September</b> All libraries re-open at 12.00noon
<b>King's Birthday public holiday</b>	<b>Closed Monday 25 September</b>
<b>October School Holidays</b>	<b>Saturday 23 September – Sunday 8 October</b>
<b>Festival of Motoring</b>	Joondalup Library only – Closed <b>Saturday 25 November and Sunday 26 November</b>

\*Information in this guide is correct at the time of printing. Changes may occur with notifications via the appropriate channels such as Library eNewsletter, in-houses notice and the City website.

## 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 events calendar to book and pay online.



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## 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

# Observances and celebrations

## Golden Feather Hunt – September

In 2022, 15,000 feathers were found in libraries and library books across the state. Thousands of plain feathers can be located, however if you are lucky, each library has a **ruby** feather, could it be a **silver** feather or an elusive **golden** feather. There are amazing prizes also to be won.

[scribblersfestival.com.au](http://scribblersfestival.com.au)

## International Literacy Day

### Friday 8 September

This year's focus is to promote literacy for a world in transition – Building the foundation for sustainable and peaceful societies. Reflect on the importance of literacy as a matter of dignity and human right.

## Adult Learner's Week

### Friday 1 – Friday 8 September

Celebration of lifelong and lifewide learning, along with investigating opportunities to take the next step.

## R U OK Day

### Thursday 14 September

Start a meaningful conversation, or learn how to, support someone you care about who is struggling with life. [ruok.org.au](http://ruok.org.au)

## Get Online Week

### Monday 16 – Sunday 22 October

An opportunity to focus on a new digital skill and be motivated to learn more.

## International Games Month

### November

Reconnecting communities through the educational, recreational and social value of all types of games.

## Where The Wild Things are – 60th anniversary

### November

Fall in love all over again with this all-time classic by Maurice Sendak as Max goes on a fantastical adventure where he meets fierce and playful monsters called the Wild Things.

## What's On in the City of Joondalup this Spring

### Joondalup GREAT Waste Challenge

Join the City's GREAT Waste Challenge and learn how you can help the City reduce the amount of waste created.

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### The TAKE Workshop

Plastics: the good the bad and ugly

**Saturday 9 September**

**9.00am – 11.00am**

Connolly Community Centre

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### The GIFT Workshop

A circular economy – the principles of a circular economy

**Saturday 14 October**

**9.00am – 11.00am**

Duncraig Community Centre

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### Sunday Serenades Events

**A Salama Odyssey**

**Sunday 17 September**

**2.00pm – 3.00pm**

Redmond Theatre, Prendiville Catholic College, Ocean Reef

A lively performance of Creole music and dance!

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**De Cuba Son**

**Sunday 15 October**

**2.00pm – 3.00pm**

Redmond Theatre, Prendiville Catholic College, Ocean Reef

A Cuban-flavoured repertoire of spicy, rhythmic music!

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**Cece Desist**

**Sunday 19 November**

**2.00pm – 3.00pm**

Redmond Theatre, Prendiville Catholic College, Ocean Reef

Be dazzled by the showgirl excess of Perth's premiere campy crooner!

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Book online for Sunday Serenades and The Great Waste Challenge at [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au)

**Invitation Art Prize:  
25 Year Retrospective  
Sunday 8 October – Sunday 22  
October**

Westfield Whitford City

The Invitation Art Prize is one of the state's most lucrative and prestigious awards for professional artists. This year's iteration brings all winning artworks together for the first time, marking the evolution of West Australian contemporary art across 25 years.

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**Town Team Convergence –  
Make it happen!**

**Friday 27 and Saturday 28  
October**

Joondalup City Centre

Be empowered, reimagine, connect, inspire and activate connections through placemaking.

Register online at  
[joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au)

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**Little Feet Festival  
Sunday 29 October**

**10.00am – 3.00pm**

Edith Cowan University

See p15 for details.

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**Music in the Park  
Saturday 11 November**

**From 5.00pm**

Timberlane Park, Woodvale

Enjoy an evening of music from three incredible artists, activities for kids and delicious food from the food trucks!

Head to [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au) for the full program.





## Discovery Session – Newsfeed Fact Checking

**Friday 1 September, 2.00pm, Woodvale Library**

Unsure what to believe on social media newsfeeds? Join Lucy Jarvis as she shares tips to identify fake news and check facts. A former journalist, Lucy shares newsroom insights and demonstrates how people can develop skills to counter a flood of misinformation online.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – Maritime Royalty

**Tuesday 5 September, 6.00pm, Woodvale Library**

Join maritime historian Chris Frame to learn about a unique class of ships known as The Queens. Explore the history of the iconic *Queen Mary* and her sister ship *Queen Elizabeth*, both of which were named for British Queens. These remarkable ships went on to have a stellar career in peacetime and in war.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – Mature Aged Job Seeking

**Friday 8 September, 2.00pm, Duncraig Library**

This presentation is designed to equip mature aged job seekers with the tools to enhance their success in today's job market. Alison Bannister is an award-winning career coach who empowers individuals to build confidence, increase knowledge, upskill, and make positive career choices.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





## Meet the Author – Brodie Whitburn

Tuesday 12 September, 6.00pm, Joondalup Library

Local author Brodie Whitburn will provide insight into the authors and books that inspired him to become a writer. He will showcase his three latest books from different genres: horror, sci-fi, and his next book in his fantasy series *The Heart of Athoria*.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.

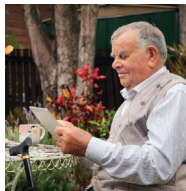


## Discovery Session – My Aged Care Services

Wednesday 13 September, 10.00am, Whitford Library

Do you need help connecting with My Aged Care? Join us for an information session to get face-to-face My Aged Care support. We will give you in-depth information on the types of services, check your eligibility and support you to the use the My Aged Care website.

No cost. Register online.



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# QUICK READS

Avoid the queue and try our Quick Reads collection.

This collection of new releases is designed for quick turn-around: no holds, no renewals, 7-day loan – just grab, and go!

Visit the Library to see what Quick Reads are currently available.





## Discovery Session – Get Started With Embroidery



**Tuesday 19 September, 10.00am, Woodvale Library**

You will be led by experienced members of the Embroiderers' Guild of WA who will share their tips and tricks with you as you create your own stitching project. This enjoyable embroidery is suitable for beginners as well as more experienced stitchers and you will have everything you need provided so that you can complete the project at the workshop. Note: This two hour session is for adults. Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – Advanced Care Planning



**Thursday 21 September, Joondalup Library**

**Times: 10.00am or 2.00pm**

We all want to have a say in what happens in the last part of our lives. By making plans that cover your future care, lifestyle, health and finances, you're not only working out what you want, you are also making things easier on those around you. This process is called Advance Care Planning.

No cost. Register online.



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## Discovery Session – Jigsaw Competition

**Saturday 23 September, 10.00am – 12.00noon  
Duncraig Library**

Are you competitive and love working on jigsaw puzzles? Then grab a friend and test your skills against other local puzzle enthusiasts.

Every pair starts with the same 500-piece design and your aim is to be the first pair to complete it.

Cost \$15.00 per pair. Book and pay online.



Visit the Libraries any time during the School Holidays and join in the Wild Things Treasure Hunt to win one of four book vouchers. No cost. No bookings required.



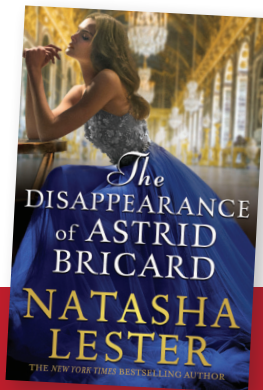
## Spring School Holidays – Wild Things

**Saturday 23 September – Sunday 8 October  
City of Joondalup Libraries  
Suitable for ages 5 – 12**

Be inspired to Go Wild these spring holidays! In celebration of the 60th anniversary of *Where the Wild Things Are* by Maurice Sendak the Libraries are presenting a series of fun activities featuring animals and insects, wild music, and getting back to nature. Cost is \$4.00 per child per activity.

Bookings are essential and open online on **Monday 11 September** from **9.30am**.

Visit [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au) for the complete program.



## Meet the Author – Natasha Lester

Tuesday 3 October, 6.00pm

St Stephen's auditorium

Can the women of the Bricard fashion dynasty finally rewrite their history? Natasha's new novel *The Disappearance of Astrid Bricard* is a visually engaging historical fiction. Paris, 1917: New York, 1970: French countryside, present day. Three generations and one chance to prove themselves. Natasha's book will be available for purchase and signing on the night. Cost \$8.00. Book and pay online.

### About Natasha

Natasha Lester is the *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Paris Seamstress*, *The French Photographer*, *The Paris Secret*, and *The Riviera House*, and a former marketing executive for L'Oreal. Her novels have been translated into many different languages and are published all around the world. When she's not writing, she loves collecting vintage fashion, practising the art of fashion illustration and reading about history. Natasha is a sought-after public speaker and lives with her husband and three children right here in Perth, Western Australia.

Cost \$8.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – Nut Milks

**Wednesday 4 October, 6.00pm, Whitford Library**



Are you looking to make a change from dairy milks to other plant-based milks? In this session we will dive deep into what plant-based milks are, their nutritional profiles, and how to make plant-based milks at home. We will make some milks from scratch in the session to taste-test, comparing them to grocery-store equivalents.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Digital Drop in – Facebook for Beginners

**Friday 6 October, 10.00am, Woodvale Library**



Learn how to create a Facebook account, adjust security settings, find your friends, create posts, and attach photographs to your Facebook profile.

No Cost. No bookings required.

Note: This is an information session however you can BYO phone or device.



## Meet the Author – John Hollywood

**Sunday 8 October, 2.00pm, Joondalup Local History**



Join John Hollywood as he shares his memoirs as an orphan sent to Western Australia through Britain's Child Migrant Scheme. This is the story of his life at the orphanages of Castledare and Tardun. These places became home to him, where he formed lasting friendships and happy memories. John's book will be available for purchase on the day.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.





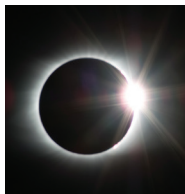
## Parenting Workshop – Raising Resilient Kids

**Tuesday 10 October, 10.00am, Joondalup Library**

Resilience is the ability to bounce back after setbacks. For children it is an essential skill that allows them to persist and be confident when facing challenges that life throws at them.

Join psychologist, author, and parenting expert Rachel Tomlinson as she provides practical, down to earth tips and strategies to help you raise resilient kids.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – Chasing a Moonshadow

**Tuesday 17 October, 6.00pm, Woodvale Library**

The recent solar eclipse at Exmouth drew huge crowds from across the world. Another eclipse in 2028 will cross the entire country from Karratha to Sydney. Why are eclipses so rare, where can you go to see them, and what have they taught us about not just our solar system but also the entire universe?

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – Accidental Counsellor Workshop

**Thursday 19 October, 9.00am – 3.30pm  
Joondalup Library**

The Accidental Counsellor is a one day workshop providing participants with the skills to talk to someone going through a difficult time; having relationship issues; not coping with life; or feeling helpless. Presented by Helping Minds. Light lunch provided.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.

## ENACTUS ECU Sustainability Festival

### Saturday 21 October, Hilary's Boardwalk Amphitheatre

Butterflies are often seen as a symbol of hope, rejuvenation and transformation. Flutter by the Joondalup Libraries stand as we transform the pages of pre-loved books and magazines into beautiful butterflies.



### Discovery Session - Quendas of Western Australia



#### Wednesday 25 October, 6.00pm, Whitford Library

The Quenda, a native marsupial, and a member of the bandicoot family is found in parks and bushland around the Perth metropolitan area. Join ECU lecturer Dr Hopkins and Perth Zoo Science Program Leader Dr Mills, as they talk about these ecosystem engineers who disperse seeds, maintain soil health and help to decrease fire risks.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



### Discovery Session - Visible Mending Workshop



#### Saturday 28 October, 9.30am, Duncraig Library

Join us for a creative and fun visible mending three hour workshop with Elise Hinkley from Hoop Hoop Hooray. Learn how to give your clothes a new lease on life and reduce the amount of clothing going to landfill!

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.

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# LITTLE FEET FESTIVAL



29 October 2023  
ECU Joondalup  
10.00am – 3.00pm

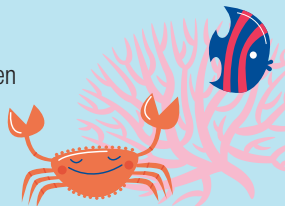
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## “I’d like to be, under the sea...”

Dive into the Libraries magical underwater garden where you will discover amazing sea creatures, explore sensory play areas, and create colourful crafts to take back up to the surface.



## ATAR students – Study and Chill-out

**Monday 30 October until the end of the exam period, Joondalup Library, Reference area**

Find a comfy spot to study alone or with friends in a quiet environment. When you need a break, we have a range of activities to help you relax. You can even say hello to Pip, Darcy and the other Story Dogs who come to visit.



## Discovery Session – The Science of Fruit Mince Pies

**Wednesday 1 November, 6.00pm, Whitford Library**

It’s not too early to start planning your Christmas baking. We have convinced one of our favourite home chefs to share his secrets for making fruit mince pies that have everyone clamouring for more. Learn the tricks to making your own fresh spices and smell the difference between home-made and shop bought. And of course, you’ll get to try the fruit mince pies that turn our staff into a stampede every Christmas.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



# Food for Fines

Wednesday 1 November – Thursday 30 November

Food for Fines is a community food drive that presents a great opportunity for City of Joondalup residents and library members to support the community.

All donations of non-perishable food items in cans, bottles and boxes will be shared between local community organisations: Patricia Giles Centre for Non-Violence, The Spiers Centre and No Limits, to assist families and people in need in the lead up to Christmas.

## Acceptable Food for Fines donations can be:

- Peanut butter or spreads.
- Canned meats, chicken, tuna, salmon.
- Canned vegetables or fruit.
- Pasta or rice.
- Soups or sauces.
- Cereal.
- Fruit cake.
- Dinner sauces and mixes.
- Coffee, tea and biscuits.
- Cooking oil.

As pets are also an important part of family life, sealed canned food or dried biscuits for cats and dogs will also be accepted.

Food items need to be in good condition and staff will not be able to accept:

- Open, damaged packages or repackaged food.
- Expired food.
- Perishables or food requiring refrigeration.



\* Library members may have \$1.00 in current fines cleared for each donated food item, Food for Fines does not include replacement fees for lost or damaged materials, card replacement fees or future overdue fines.

For more information visit [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au) or call **9400 4751**.



PATRICIA GILES  
Centre for  
**Non-Violence**



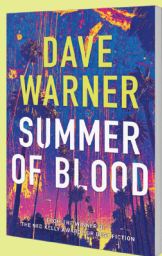


## Libby Book Club This November

Get ready for a wild ride through the *Summer of Love* with Dave Warner's newest crime novel. This book is not to be missed for fans of gripping crime fiction and rock'n'roll.

Read the book or listen to the audiobook then tune into the Zoom book club with the award-winning author, Dave Warner.

Install the Libby app on any apple or android devices to get started.



# Anytime, anywhere library access



Discover what the online Library has to offer by checking out the eBook at [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au)

A take home booklet is also available at the Library.

[joondalup.spydus.com](http://joondalup.spydus.com)



## Digital Drop in – Facebook Marketplace

Friday 3 November, 10.00am, Woodvale Library

Learn how to create a Facebook account, adjust security settings, find and list things for sale, create posts and attach photographs to your Facebook profile.

Note: This is an information session however you can BYO phone or device.

No Cost. No booking required.



## Stories in the Park

Tuesdays in November, 10.00am

City of Joondalup Parks

If you're looking for something different this spring, join us under the trees at some of our favourite parks for Story Time. Invite your friends for a morning of stories, songs, adventure and nature craft. Suitable for families with children aged 2 – 4 years.

No cost. No bookings required.



7 November	14 November	21 November	28 November
<b>Neil Hawkins Park</b> 200 Boas Avenue, Joondalup	<b>Robin Park</b> Parnell Avenue, Sorrento	<b>Camberwarra Park</b> 63 Camberwarra Drive, Craigie	<b>Barridale Park</b> 45 Barridale Drive, Kingsley

**Did you know?** Alexis Place in Duncraig is named after a character from a Gilbert and Sullivan Opera. To find out more street name nomenclature visit Local History at Joondalup Library.

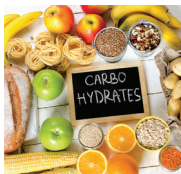


## Discovery Session - Enhance Your Gut Health

Tuesday 7 November, 6.00pm, Duncraig Library

Gut health is fundamental to reaching and maintaining a healthy weight, optimal immunity, sleep and a stable mood. Join gut health expert Natalie Woodman to learn how to look after your microbiome.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session - Carbohydrates: The Basics

Friday 10 November, 2.00pm, Whitford Library

What is the glycemic index? What are good carbohydrates? How much is right for me? Join our dietician from Diabetes WA who will help you to make informed and healthy lifestyle choices for people living with Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## We Will Remember Them

The 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month.



## Discovery Session – Grow Your Business

**Monday 13 November, 6.00pm, Woodvale Library**

Join business systems expert Evan Kolbe as he shares his top 10 tools for navigating the challenges of business growth. Learn how to eliminate waste, improve workflows, enhance communication, and reduce stress. Ideal for business owners and corporates seeking smoother operations.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



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CENTRE  
AUSTRALIA**

## Discovery Session – Meningitis Awareness

**Thursday 16 November, 10.00am**  
**Joondalup Library**

Meningitis remains one of the most dangerous childhood infections since polio, and it is still claiming and disabling the lives of many people across Australia, mainly children in early life, young adults, and the over 65's. Learn how to recognise the signs and symptoms, and the quick actions that may save a life.

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session – AI Writing

**Monday 20 November, 6.00pm, Woodvale Library**

Thanks to generative Artificial Intelligence (AI), there is a revolution in the writing world. While some writers are wondering whether software like Chat GPT will replace them, these tools do offer us an inexpensive digital assistant that can make the work of writing easier. So is AI the writer's best friend, or nemesis?

Cost \$5.00. Book and pay online.



## Discovery Session - Christmas Wreath Workshop



Saturday 25 November, Duncraig Library

Times: 11.00am - 1.30pm

Celebrate the festive season and our beautiful Australian native plants during a Christmas wreath making workshop with The Green Florists' Renee Botman.

Create your own wreath masterpiece using native plants and enjoy it for many years to come. All materials supplied.

Cost \$10.00. Book and pay online.

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## Regular Library events



### Experience Stories and Rhymes

Spend time with your child in a fun environment, whilst developing their pre-literacy and social skills.

Libraries offer a range of different sessions to encourage a love of stories through songs, rhymes and story books.

All sessions are free and registrations may be required for some events.



### 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.

Duncraig

Monday,  
Thursday

Joondalup

Wednesday,  
Thursday

Whitford

Friday

Woodvale

Friday

### Toddler Time

10.00am

For toddlers 18 – 30 months

These sessions encourage the love of books and language while letting your child move and be creative.

Whitford

Tuesday

Duncraig

Wednesday

Joondalup

Friday

Sessions during the school terms

Woodvale

Thursday

Sessions run all year



## Baby Rhyme Time

10.00am

For babies 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.

Joondalup	Duncraig
Monday	Tuesday
Woodvale	Whitford
Wednesday	Thursday

## Sensory Story Time

10.00am

Ages 2 - 5 years

These sessions are aimed at children who are looking to experience Story Time in a quiet small group setting. Enjoy stories, song and activities that promote literacy followed by sensory playtime. Sensory Story Time may be beneficial to children living with challenges related to sensory experiences or are on the Autism spectrum. No cost.



### Whitford

Term 4 - Wednesdays starting  
18 October - 6 December

## Family Time

Saturdays, 10.00am

Woodvale Library

Ages 18 months - 4 years

Start the weekend with stories and songs at Family Time. Preschool aged children are invited to bring their families to Woodvale Library every Saturday for a morning of fun and excitement.

## STEAMing into Story Time

Saturdays, 10.00am

Whitford Library

Ages 2 - 7 years

Stories, songs, and hands-on STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Mathematics) activities that encourage children to use their critical thinking and problem-solving skills, imagination, and creativity.



July marks the 25th Anniversary of the City of Joondalup

2023

CELEBRATING  
25  
YEAR  
ANNIVERSARY

2021  
The City of Joondalup was established on 1 July 2021, following the merger of the City of Joondalup, the City of Swan, and the City of Wanneroo.

2020  
The City of Joondalup was awarded the title of 'Best Local Government' in the 'Best Local Government' category at the 2020 Australian Local Government Awards.

2019  
The City of Joondalup was awarded the title of 'Best Local Government' in the 'Best Local Government' category at the 2019 Australian Local Government Awards.

2018  
The City of Joondalup was awarded the title of 'Best Local Government' in the 'Best Local Government' category at the 2018 Australian Local Government Awards.



2022  
The City of Joondalup was awarded the title of 'Best Local Government' in the 'Best Local Government' category at the 2022 Australian Local Government Awards.

Look back in time. Located at the Joondalup Library walkway.



## Brain Games

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

No cost. No bookings required.

Joondalup

Duncraig  
Second Saturday, 10.00am

Monday,  
2.00pm

9 September | 14 October |  
11 November



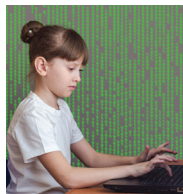
## Chess Afternoons

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.

For enquiries call **9400 4180**.



## CoderDojo

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.

Whitford

Joondalup

Monday

Wednesday



## Crochet Group

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.

**Woodvale**

Wednesday, 9.30am

**Whitford**

Wednesday, 10.00am



## Cuttings and Cake

Join our new community garden clinic where you swap spare plants, share gardening tips while enjoying a morning tea. Bring something to share – a cutting or cake.

No cost. No bookings required.

**Duncraig**

Third Saturday, 10.00am

16 September

21 October

18 November



## English Conversation Group

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.

No cost. No bookings required.

For enquiries call **9400 4762**.

**Whitford**

Tuesday, 1.00pm

**Joondalup**

Wednesday, 1.00pm

Note: Sessions are not held during school holidays.



## 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.

For enquiries call **9400 4711**.

Note: Sessions are not held during school holidays.



## 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.



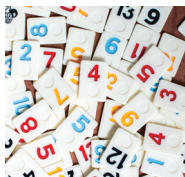
## Game On!

### Thursday, 10.00am, Joondalup 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.

For enquiries call **9400 4751**.





## Genie Exchange



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 including the 1921 England and Wales census. Resources from the Genealogy collection are available to borrow. No cost. No bookings required.

Woodvale	Joondalup, Local History
Tuesday 9.30am - 12.30pm	Friday 9.00am - 12.00noon



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

# imagination station

Join us for craft activities that will engage your imagination. Drop in for an hour of entertainment, learn new skills and let your creative side run free. No cost. No bookings required. Ages 5 - 12 years.

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

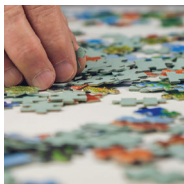
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## Jigsaws



Jigsaws are a fabulous way to improve memory and spatial reasoning. Enjoy the opportunity to tackle jigsaw puzzles of different sizes, whilst interacting with other jigsaw enthusiasts.

No cost. No bookings required.

**Duncraig**

**Third Wednesday of the month, 2.00pm**

20 September

18 October

15 November

### 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

Thursdays, 5.00pm - 6.45pm  
Saturdays, 10.00am - 12.30pm

### Woodvale Library

Saturdays, 9.30am - 11.30am

To find other JP services within the City, please visit the Community Directory on the City's website [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au). For enquiries call 9400 4751.

**Woodvale and Joondalup Libraries have a jigsaw and game swap. Bring one, take one, to try something different.**



## Keystrokes

### 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* at [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://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.

### Duncraig

First Wednesday of the month, 2.00pm

6 September

4 October

1 November

### Whitford

Every Thursday, 1.00pm

### Joondalup

Fourth Saturday of the month, 1.00pm

23 September

28 October

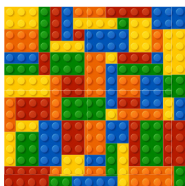
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## Lego Club – Challenge, Create, Construct

### 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.

No cost. No bookings required.

Whitford	Woodvale	Duncraig	Joondalup
Tuesday 4.00pm	Wednesday 4.00pm	Thursday 4.00pm	Saturday 2.00pm



## Mah-jong

### City of Joondalup Libraries

Mah-jong 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.

For enquiries call **9400 4761**.



## Minecraft Engineers

Tuesdays, 4.00pm, Woodvale Library  
Ages 7+

Calling all Minecraft builders and Redstone enthusiasts! Build amazing things with Redstone in creative mode while encouraging the development of STEM skills.

Sessions run during the school term and a personal device with Minecraft installed is required in order to participate.

No cost. Register by calling **9400 4180**.

**NEW  
EVENT**

## Step into Volunteering

Would you like to meet new people and make a difference in your community? Then consider volunteering! If you're a first-time volunteer or seeking different volunteer experiences, these informal introduction to volunteering sessions are for you.

Come along to a FREE session and learn about:

- The benefits of volunteering and opportunities available.
- Identifying the skills that you have to contribute to volunteering.
- Rights and responsibilities of volunteers and volunteer involving agencies.
- How to find the right volunteering position.

Hosted by Joondalup Volunteer Resource Centre at Whitford Library.

For further information visit [joondalup.wa.gov.au](http://joondalup.wa.gov.au) or call **9400 4734**.



### 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 with the help from a facilitator.

No cost. No bookings required.

For enquiries call **9400 4870**.



### 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. For enquiries call **9400 4761**.



The City of Joondalup acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of this land, the Whadjuk people of the Noongar nation. We recognise the culture of the Noongar people and the unique contribution they make to the Joondalup region and Australia. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging and all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.



Artist credit: Sandra Hill, *Wauit Paardalaniny (Moving Camp All Together)*, 2008. Oil on board. City of Joondalup Art Collection.  
Photo Christophe Canato.

Celebrate Joondalup – Showcase in Pixels  
Winning artwork: Taj Eaton – Prendiville  
Catholic College

This artwork will be on display in  
Yagan Square alongside other Local  
Government Showcase in Pixels entries  
from **Monday 4 September –  
Sunday 24 September.**

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