

SUMMERTIME FUN



Goldfields
Libraries

School Holiday Program

THU 21 DEC 2023-MON 29 JAN 2024

Bendigo
Eaglehawk
Heathcote &
Kangaroo Flat
Libraries



Full school holiday program: www.ncgrl.vic.gov.au/holidayprogram

BIG SUMMER READ

JOIN. BORROW. READ. WIN!

December-January



The BIG Summer Read is back!

Read 10 books over summer and be in the running to win great prizes, including book vouchers and gift vouchers from EB Games and Smiggle.

To get started, register at your local library or visit www.ncgrl.vic.gov.au/bigsummerread

Return your reading record by 31 Jan for your chance to win a prize (Beanstack participants will have automatic entry).

Prize winners announced Fri 9 Feb.

For children and young people up to 18 years.

DEC-JAN

All libraries, selected library agencies or online

BSR ACTIVITIES

Creative Colouring Competition

Colour your reading record in an interesting and creative way. On completion of the reading challenge, you'll also be in the running to win a prize for fabulous colouring.

For children up to 12 years.

Find the Mascots!

BSR welcomes a new cast of fun and colourful mascots. Find where they are hiding in our libraries and discover their favourite thing to do on a hot summer day!

A little reward awaits if you complete the challenge.

All ages.

Storywalks

Enjoy reading a children's picture book as you walk in the sunshine and fresh air.

Full details at ncrgl.vic.gov.au/storywalk

Sponsored by Healthy Loddon Campaspe.

THE DAY A TRICERATOPS TURNED UP

By Mica Felix, illustrated by Allira Tee.

DEC-FEB

Heathcote Playspace, 126 High Street

MAGIC BEACH

By Alison Lester.

SAT 6-TUE 30 JAN

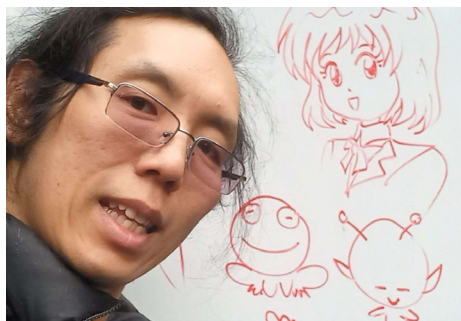
Canterbury Park Gardens, Eaglehawk

AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM MR BEAKY

By Cassie Leatham and Sue Lawson.

MON 8 JAN-5 FEB

Rotary Gateway Park, Kangaroo Flat



Manga Drawing Workshops

Artist and animator, Kenny Chan, will show you quick and simple techniques for drawing characters in the Japanese comic style.

BOOK NOW

WED 10 JAN

8-12 YEARS: 1-2PM

12-18+ YEARS: 2.30-3.30PM

Bendigo Library

Wonderful Water Storytime

Join the educators from Coliban Water to hear stories, sing songs and learn about how amazing water is, followed by a crafting station for children to make their very own water hero.

Ages 3+ years.

TUE 16 JAN, 10:30-11:15AM

Bendigo Library

Minecraft Lab

Enjoy Minecraft with others in specially created Minecraft worlds with challenges, tests and lots of fun along the way. Laptops supplied.

BOOK NOW

WED 24 JAN

6-10 YEARS: 10-11AM

8-12 YEARS: 11.30AM-12.30PM

12-15 YEARS: 2-3PM

Bendigo Library



Make a Poetry Zine

Poets and zine-sharers Dave Munro and Amanda Collins will walk you through the writing of a poem and the creation of a zine for sharing. You will learn how to make a basic zine, explore some poetry, and take away a set of zine creations.

Ages 12-15 years.

BOOK NOW

THU 25 JAN, 10.30AM-12PM

Heathcote Library

STIG Live @ the Library!

Fabulous actor and narrator of Andy Griffiths books, Stig Wemyss is back! Join us for a romping great time in this interactive and hilarious show. Games, sketches and Andy Griffiths giveaways. You'll love it!

Ages 5-12 years.

THU 18 JAN, 3-4PM

Bendigo Library

BOOK NOW



Drop In Activities

Get Your Game On!

Join in and get your game on with friends new and old. Enjoy classics like Chess, Checkers and Backgammon, or try games from far and wide such as Tokaido, Catan, Azul, Weiqi and Mysterium. Even Bendigo Monopoly!

Ages 5-12 years.

FRI 1 DEC & 2 FEB, 5-6.30PM

FRI 5, 12 & 19 JAN, 1.30-6.30PM

Bendigo Library

Summer Science Lab

Drop in science fun.

Ages 5-12 years.

WED 3-31 JAN, OPENING HOURS

Kangaroo Flat Library

Library Magic Beach

Create sea creatures from *Magic Beach* by Alison Lester for the library seascape.

All ages.

FRI 5-TUE 30 JAN, OPENING HOURS

Eaglehawk Library

Marble Run

Test your engineering skills and see how it rolls!

Ages 5-12 years.

TUE 16-30 JAN, OPENING HOURS

Heathcote Library

Movies

Enjoy great kid's movies on our giant screen.

Ages 4-12 years.



Marcel the Shell with Shoes On (PG)

WED 17 JAN, 2-3.30PM

Bendigo Library

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The Little Mermaid (PG)

WED 24 JAN, 2-4.15PM

Bendigo Library

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BENDIGO LIBRARY

5449 2700

259 Hargreaves St

HEATHCOTE LIBRARY

5433 3734

125 High St

EAGLEHAWK LIBRARY

5446 7577

1 Sailors Gully Rd

KANGAROO FLAT LIBRARY

5447 8344

23 Lockwood Rd



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