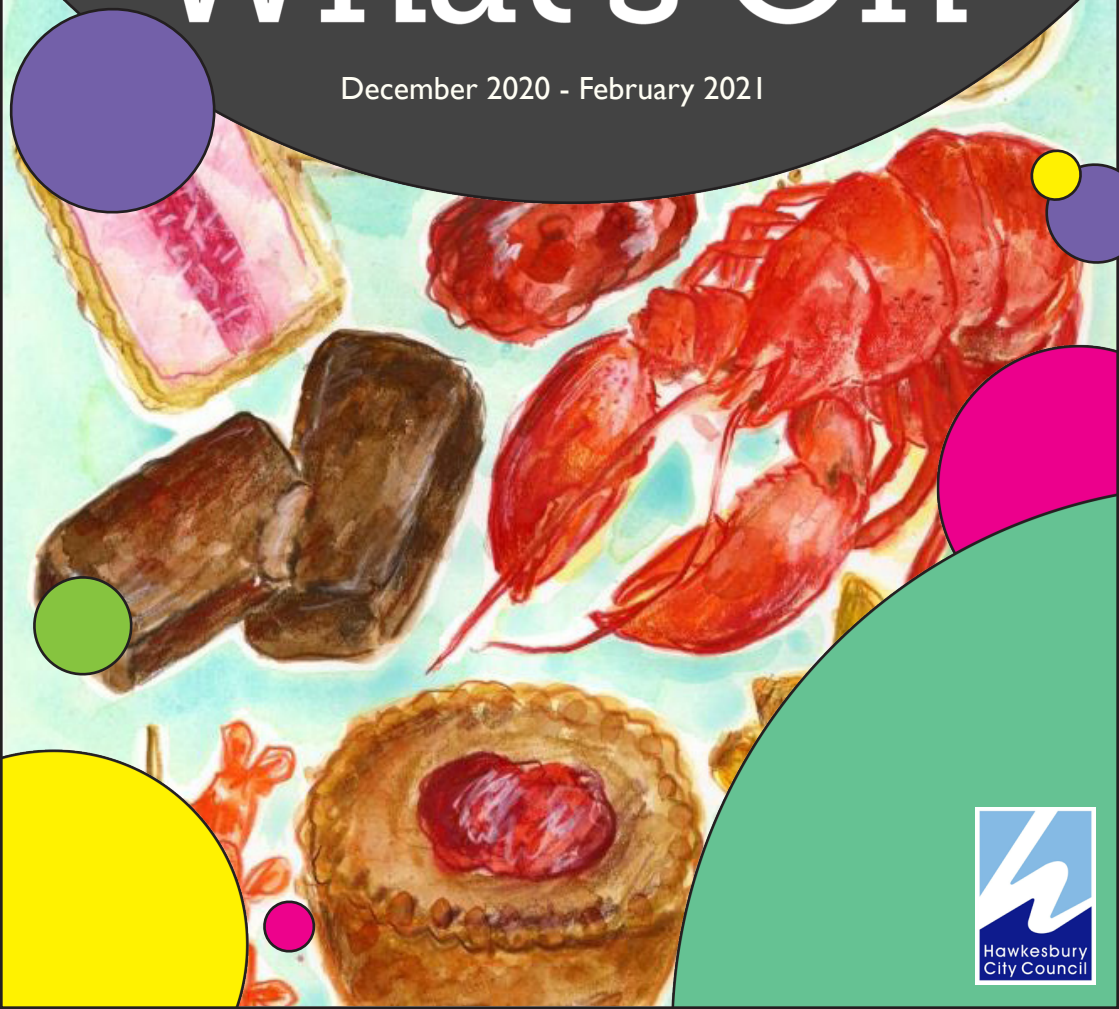


LIBRARY **M**MUSEUM **G**GALLERY

What's On

December 2020 - February 2021



Library





Hawkesbury Library Service

Hawkesbury Central Library

Deerubbin Centre (Ground Floor)
300 George Street WINDSOR NSW 2756
Monday-Friday 9am-7pm
Saturday 9am-1pm Sunday 2-5pm
Closed public holidays
(02) 4560 4460

Richmond Branch Library

29 West Market Street RICHMOND NSW 2753
Monday-Friday 9.30am-6pm Saturday 9am-1pm
Closed Sundays and public holidays
(02) 4560 4270

See back page for holiday opening hours.

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Library



A ROWLAND SINCLAIR MYSTERY
SULARI GENTILI

When Rowland Sinclair solves his worst case to plot by the renowned international press and soon to be film and TV series, he is faced with a new mystery. Can he solve the case before the royal coroner of all Britain is put to rest?

In this it seems, the government is the enemy and the police are the enemy. The government is the enemy and the police are the enemy. The government is the enemy and the police are the enemy.

A coroner's report is murder on the steps of Parliament who will not be denied all bring the one great trial.

Once upon a time Rowland Sinclair solved the case and old law.

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DISPLAY**550 YEARS OF THE PRINTED BOOK****Until 30 June 2021**

A display of objects highlighting an extraordinary collection of antique books dating back to very first printed books also known as incunabula, from book collector, Peter Op't Land.
FREE – during library opening hours.



DISPLAY**GREG HANSELL 'THE CROSSING' EXHIBITION****Until 28 February 2021**

An exhibition, dedicated to the crossings of the Hawkesbury River at Windsor. The exhibition has been curated by celebrated Hawkesbury artist Greg Hansell.
FREE – during library opening hours.



SPECIAL EVENT**REWARDING READS****During December and January**

Every time you borrow during December and January you automatically enter the draw with a chance to win a weekly prize. On top of that, you can have up to 40 items on your card at any time.

FREE – for all library members

SPECIAL EVENT**SUMMER READING CLUB (SRC)****1 December to 31 January 2021**

SRC is back! Get rewarded for the books you read. Collect reading coupons to spend at the SRC Shop in February. Visit your library to register and pick up a starter pack.

FREE – for children 16 years and under

Library



BOOK CLUB **ONLINE**

TIME TRAVELLERS BOOK CLUB

Wednesday 9 December 7 - 8pm (Intro session)

From February 2021, we will be running Time Travellers Online Book Club, a new historical online book club, where we will travel back in time. It will meet monthly on the first Wednesday of the month, 7pm to 8pm via Zoom. Each month different books/themes will be read. This first session will be an intro where you are invited to help us shape our new online bookclub. The membership of the Book Club is free to all library members. Individual bookings for each month's meeting will be essential.

FREE – Bookings essential.



TALK

GREG HANSELL 'THE CROSSING' CURATOR TALK

Wednesday 9 December 6pm &

Friday 22 January at 3pm

Take the opportunity to tour this exhibition, currently on display in the Library, with artist Greg Hansell.

Greg curated this exhibition, which focusses on the crossing of the Hawkesbury River at Windsor.

FREE – Bookings essential.



HISTORY

ONLINE & IN PERSON

SHOW & TELL

Wednesday 9 December 10 - 11.30am

Hawkesbury Family History Group meeting

Join us and view an array of family treasures, photographs and resources. Attend in person or via Zoom.

FREE – Bookings essential.



TECHNOLOGY

EBOOKS & DIGITAL MAGAZINES ON YOUR TABLET

Thursday 10 December 1 - 3pm

Discover thousands of eBooks and audiobooks with Libby and the Indyreads app and learn how to borrow digital magazines. Free for Library members. Bring your email and password to access your Google or Apple account, as well as your Hawkesbury Library card number and PIN.

FREE – Bookings essential.



WRITING

HAWKESBURY WRITES – BEGINNERS SESSIONS

Tuesdays 2, 9, 16 & 23 February 6.30 - 8pm

Do you have stories that you long to write but don't know where to start? Join us to start your creative writing with a look at plot structure, characters, transformations, genres, settings, scenes and use of language. Participants must be Library members.

\$50 for 4 sessions - Bookings essential.



KIDS WRITING

WRITING GREAT STORIES WITH LAURA GREAVES

Tuesdays 2, 9, 16, 23 Feb & 2, 9, 16, 23 Mar 4 - 5.30pm

Join author Laura Greaves to discover how stories are made, how to find stories worth telling, and why expressing ourselves is so important. We will explore coming up with ideas, creating interesting characters and writing great dialogue. In these lively classes, students will develop their own pieces of writing, as well as working as a group. Suitable for ages 11-14 years.

\$100 for 8 sessions - Bookings essential.

NSW Creative Kids Vouchers accepted.



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TECH SAVVY SENIORS

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TECHNOLOGY

TECH SAVVY SENIORS- BEGINNER: INTRODUCTION TO TABLETS & SMARTPHONES

Friday 5 February 10am -12.15pm

Learn how to make the most of your smartphone, with tips on making calls, using the internet and downloading apps. Free for Library members. Participants must also bring their email and password to access their Google or Apple account.

FREE – Bookings essential or phone (02) 4560 4460



HISTORY

ONLINE & IN PERSON

MAGIC MYSTERY: ELIZABETH PHIPPS STORY

Wednesday 10 February 10 - 11.30am

Hawkesbury Family History Group meeting

Jill Ball will discuss the story of convict Elizabeth Phipps 1785-1869 who arrived in 1814. In person or via Zoom.

FREE – Bookings essential.



MOVIES

MOVIES @ YOUR LIBRARY

Thursday 11 February 10am & 6pm

Come along and enjoy a FREE movie at the Library. Two screenings every second Thursday of the month. Movie titles are listed on Eventbrite for each screening.

FREE - Bookings essential.



HISTORY

NEW TO GENEALOGY

Thursday 11 February 6.30 - 8pm

Saturday 13 February 9.30 - 11am

Are you interested in finding where your family came from? Do you want to trace your family history but not sure where to start or how? Join us and learn the basic steps.

FREE – Bookings essential.



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TECHNOLOGY

TECH SAVVY SENIORS- INTERMEDIATE: USING APPS ON YOUR TABLET AND SMARTPHONE

Friday 19 February 10am -12.15pm

Discover and download a number of useful smartphone and tablet applications, including apps for entertainment, travel and current events. Free for Library members. Participants must bring their email and password to access their Google or Apple account.

FREE – Bookings essential or phone (02) 4560 4460



REGULAR EVENT

KNIT WITH FRIENDS

Last Friday of the month 10am-midday (except Dec.)

Join in to knit, crochet and sew blankets for people in need.

FREE – Bookings essential.



Library



REGULAR EVENT

JP SERVICES

Check website for most up to date details

The Justices of the Peace (JPs) are volunteers within the community who are able to witness and attest many documents like Statutory Declarations and Affidavits. The service is free and it is not necessary to book.

FREE – no need to book.



REGULAR EVENT

BOOK CHAT - NIGHT TIME BOOK CLUB

Tuesday 8 December 6.30-8pm (December only)

Third Tuesday of the month 6.30-8pm (except December)

FREE – Bookings essential.



REGULAR EVENT

THIRD THURSDAY BOOK CLUB

Thursday 10 December 10am-midday (December only)

Third Thursday of the month 10am-midday (except Dec.)

FREE – Bookings essential.



REGULAR EVENT

COMMUNITY LEGAL CLINIC

Every Wednesday 10am-1pm

(Break between 21 December 2020 – 6 January 2021)

A Solicitor from Western Sydney Community Legal Centre is available to provide free legal services.

FREE – Bookings not required.



REGULAR EVENT

CHESS CLUB

Every Friday from 5 February 2-4pm

Whether a novice or champion chess player, drop in and join us for a friendly game of chess.

FREE – participants must be 16yrs+. Bookings essential.



REGULAR EVENT

TECH HELP

Every Wednesday from 3 February 10am-midday

Library staff and volunteers can assist you with your tech problem. Participants must be Library members.

FREE – Bookings essential. Phone (02) 4560 4465.



REGULAR EVENT

PRE-SCHOOL STORYTIME

Check website for most up to date details

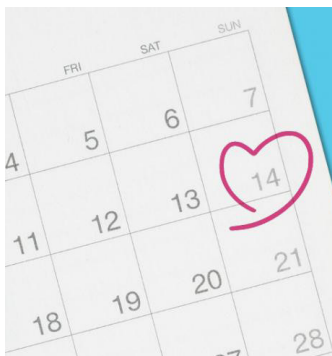
Storytime may resume in 2021, depending on Covid-19 restrictions lifting.

REGULAR EVENT

TEA & COFFEE

Monday 15 February 10am - midday & 2.30 - 4.30pm

This year to celebrate Library Lovers Day we will have free tea and coffee from our Library coffee cart. Come and enjoy a cuppa' on us.



make a date
WITH YOUR LIBRARY

Library Lovers' Day 14 February 2021

alia.org.au/libraryloversday #LibraryLoversDay



Museum





Hawkesbury Regional Museum

8 Baker Street WINDSOR NSW 2756

Wednesday-Monday 10am-4pm

Closed Tuesdays (except by appointment for guided groups)

Closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day and Good Friday.

Open 10am-4pm other public holidays

Guided tours of historic Howe House: Weekends 11am and 2pm

FREE ENTRY

(02) 4560 4655

See back page for holiday opening hours.

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Museum

Food Bowl Farming

Migrants and Food Production
in the Hawkesbury District 1794-1994



EXHIBITION

FOOD BOWL FARMING: Migrants and Food Production in the Hawkesbury District 1794-1994

Through research and interviews with present day farming families, this exhibition presents stories about the cultural history of agriculture in the Hawkesbury and the role of migration in its evolution.



EXHIBITION

EVERY THREAD TELLS A STORY

After cataloguing over 600 items in the textile and costume collection, Museum staff and Hawkesbury Historical Society volunteers have selected their favourite pieces for display.



EXHIBITION

THE CATHEDRAL OF THE HAWKESBURY: 200 years of St Matthews Anglican Church.

This bicentennial celebratory exhibition includes parish registers and items on loan from the Cathedral rectory, dating back to 1817.



TALK

INVISIBLISING THE ORPHANS

Saturday 12 December 2 - 3.30 pm

Join us in this discussion on the history of Australian orphanages by Jo Henwood. We will uncover how society's view on orphanages has changed over time and how this impacted on the children & their stories, silencing them until they became invisible.

\$5 – Bookings essential.



SPECIAL EVENT**AUSTRALIA DAY****Tuesday 26 January 10am-4pm**

Drop-in kid's activities all day.



TALK**GRACE KARSKENS TALK****Sunday 7 February 2 - 4 pm**

Grace Karskens, Emeritus Professor of History, will be talking about her book *People of the River: Lost Worlds of Early Australia* (Allen & Unwin, 2020) which explores the history of Aboriginal people and settlers on Dyarubbin, the Hawkesbury-Nepean River, from deep time to the colonial period. Grace will also introduce *The Real Secret River: Dyarubbin*, a current collaborative project with Darug researchers which is restoring the Aboriginal names for places along the river.

\$5 – Bookings essential.

TOUR**CANDLELIT TOUR****Friday 19 February 7.30-9pm**

Discover Howe House by candle light and hear local tales of death by fire, flood, knife and pestilence, of opportunities seized, and hopes dashed, of multiple marriages, true love, and past lives kept secret until now. But be warned because these are true stories!

\$25 per person –12 years and over.

Bookings essential.

Gallery





Hawkesbury Regional Gallery

Deerubbin Centre (Top Floor)
300 George Street WINDSOR NSW 2756
Monday, Wednesday-Friday 10am-4pm
Saturday, Sunday 10am-3pm
Closed Tuesdays and public holidays
FREE ENTRY
(02) 4560 4441

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<http://hawkesburygallery.eventbrite.com>

Gallery

EXHIBITION

EAT ART

5 December – 31 January

Eat Art explores a universal aspect of human existence – food and its influence on our daily lives and imaginations. What and how we eat can reflect contemporary life, just as ‘national’ eating habits can represent cultures. The depiction and re-creation of food in art means it reaches beyond its biological necessity. In Eat Art the symbolic dimensions are revealed, stimulating not just an appetite for eating, but for ideas, for creativity and the potential for creating change towards a more thoughtful and delicious future.

Eat Art featured artists include Marian Abboud, Cath Barcan, Mechelle Bounpraseuth, Lucy Culliton, Phil Ferguson, Chrissy Flanagan, Kenny Pittock, Ben Tankard, Dawn Tan, Jason Wing.

TALK

CURATOR TALK

Wednesday 9 December 11am - midday

Join the Gallery Curator for exhibition insights.

FREE – Bookings essential.

WORKSHOP

FUNKY FOOD JEWELLERY

Saturday 23 January 10.30am - 12.30pm

Create your own food inspired jewellery using polymer clay. Participants will learn simple techniques to make quirky food themed jewellery. Adults & Children 16+.

\$40 – Bookings essential.

WORKSHOP

LEONARDO DA VINO – WITH BEN TANKARD

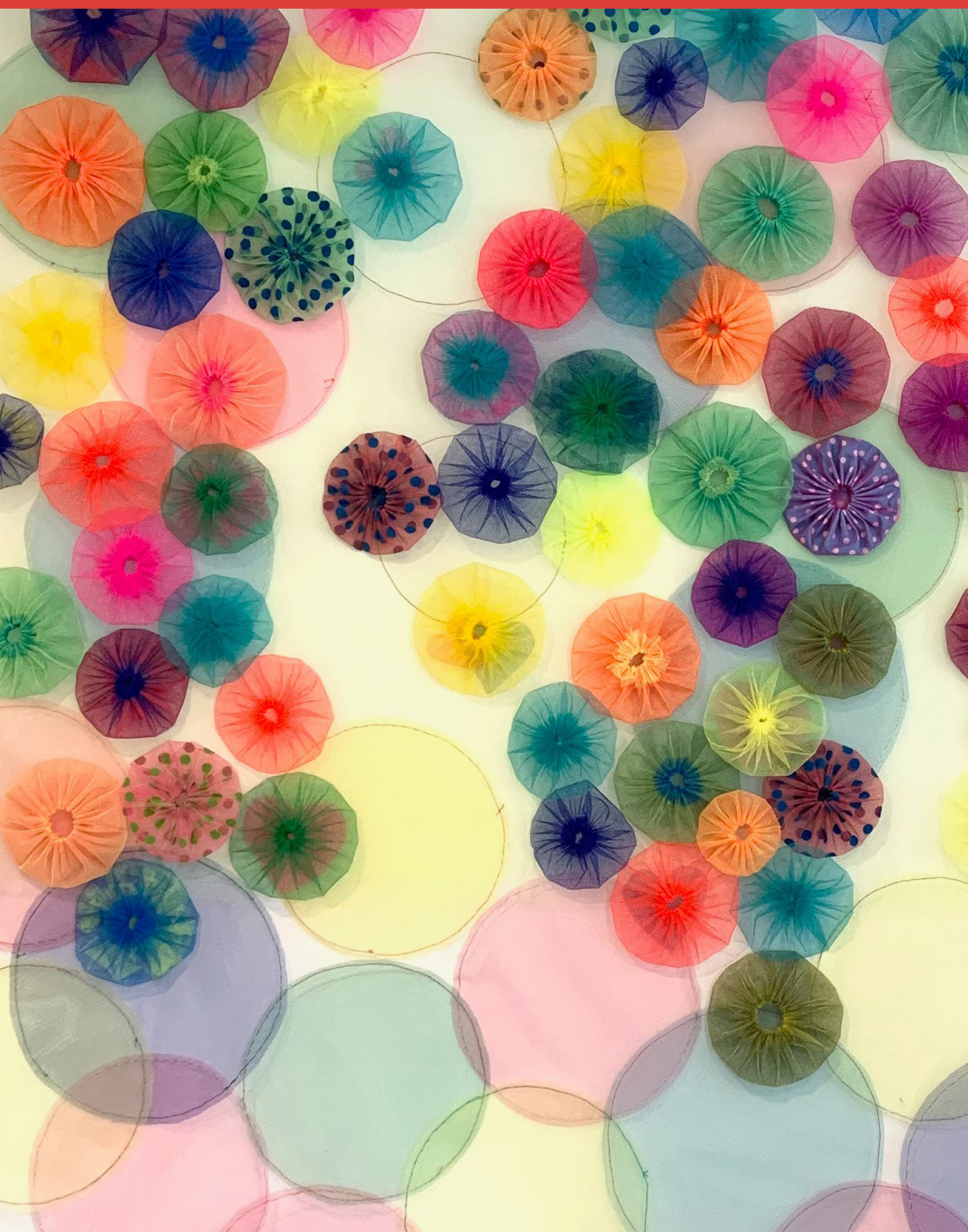
Friday 29 January 6 - 8pm

Sip on a glass of wine while you are led by an artist in creating your own work of art. This class is fun and light hearted, no artistic skills needed. Be taken step by step through the creation of your own art work, as you drink wine, nibble on light refreshments, and laugh with friends. Includes wine, refreshments and supplies.

\$60 – 18+. Bookings essential.



Gallery





EXHIBITION**THE NEW QUILT****6 February – 11 April**

The New Quilt is a survey exhibition of contemporary Australian quilt art presented by QuiltNSW showcasing never seen before quilts. Textile artists were invited to think big, think bold – be adventurous! The final selection is an opportunity to experience an amazing array of creativity and innovation from across Australia. Visitors may find themselves redefining their perception of a quilt, beyond layering of materials, to that of an artwork full of aesthetic impact, technical skill and powerful storytelling. This fascinating exhibition includes two and three dimensional sculptural works in a huge range of materials and styles, responding to many of the challenges we have faced in 2020 including bushfires and Covid-19, as well as environmental challenges, new life, revenge and sheer joy!

TALK**CURATOR TALK****Wednesday 10 February 11am-midday**

Join the Gallery Curator for exhibition insights.

FREE – Bookings essential.

TALK**QUILTING EXPERTS FLOOR TALK****Sunday 7 February 11am - midday**

Artists Anna Brown and Judy Hooworth were instrumental in establishing the inaugural QuiltNSW New Quilt exhibition in 1991, the first Australian national survey exhibition of quilts as art. Thirty years later, they returned as jurors for The New Quilt 2021, along with Hawkesbury Regional Gallery curator Elissa Blair. Join Anna and Judy for a floor talk of the 2021 exhibition as they share insights about the factors that informed their selection of works and reflect on the development of quilts as an art medium.

FREE – Bookings essential.

Gallery



MEZZANINE EXHIBITION

SAVE THE SEAS

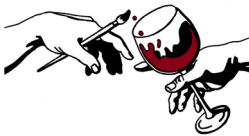
From Tuesday 1 December

A stunning mural project by local primary schools, created using recycled objects. This display highlights the environmental impacts that our oceans are currently facing due to pollution. The ocean drives global systems that make the Earth habitable for humankind. This essential global resource is a key feature of a sustainable future. However, there is a continuous deterioration of coastal waters due to pollution, ocean acidification and overfishing is having serious negative impacts on our marine environment.

Saving our ocean must remain a priority. Marine biodiversity is critical to the health of people and our planet.

Displayed in the Mezzanine Gallery, overlooking the Library.

WORKSHOP

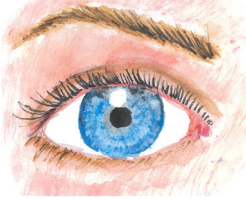


LEONARDO DA VINO – WITH TARYN MALZARD

Friday 12 February 6 - 8pm

Sip on a glass of wine while you are led by an artist in creating your own work of art. This class is fun and light hearted, no artistic skills needed. Be taken step by step through the creation of your own art work, as you drink wine, nibble on light refreshments, and laugh with friends.

\$60 – 18+. Includes wine, light refreshments and art supplies. Bookings essential.



KIDS WORKSHOP

DRAWN TO ART

Thursdays 4-5.30pm

11, 18, 25 Feb. & 4, 11, 18, 25 Mar. & 1 Apr.

For children 10 and over who want to learn techniques to take their drawing to the next level. All materials supplied. Bookings essential.

\$100 for 8 classes

NSW Creative Kids Vouchers accepted.

As a registered provider for the Creative Kids program, you can redeem your voucher with us and create something great. If you don't have a voucher, please visit service.nsw.gov.au.



KIDS WORKSHOP

ART AFTER SCHOOL

Wednesdays 4-5.30pm

10, 17, 24 Feb. & 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 Mar.

For children aged 5-12 who will explore a different medium each week. All materials supplied. Bookings essential.

\$100 for 8 classes

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Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult for all Library, Museum and Gallery (LMG) activities.

DECEMBER 2020

- 1 Summer Reading Club starts
- 1 Rewarding Reads starts
- 1 Saves the Seas exhibition opens
- 2 Community legal clinic
- 5 Eat Art exhibition opens
- 8 Book chat
- 9 Eat Art curator talk
- 9 Time travellers book club
- 9 Greg Hansell curator talk
- 9 HFHG: Show & tell
- 10 Ebooks & digital magazines
- 10 Third Thursday book club
- 12 Invisiblising the orphans talk
- 16 Community legal clinic

JANUARY 2021

- 6 Community legal clinic
- 13 Community legal clinic
- 19 Book chat
- 20 Community legal clinic
- 21 Third Thursday book club
- 22 Greg Hansell curator talk
- 23 Funky food jewellery
- 26 Drop in kids activities for Australia Day
- 27 Community legal clinic
- 29 Knit with friends
- 29 Leonardo da Vino
- 31 Summer Reading Club ends

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JANUARY 2021 (continued)

31 Rewarding Reads ends

31 Eat Art exhibition ends

FEBRUARY 2021

2 Hawkesbury writes

2 Kids- writing great stories

3 Tech help

3 Community legal clinic

5 Chess club

5 Tech savvy

6 NSW Quilting exhibition opens

7 Grace Karskens talk

7 Quilting experts talk

9 Hawkesbury writes

9 Kids- writing great stories

10 Tech help

10 Community legal clinic

10 HFHG: Magick mystery

10 Art after school

10 Quilting exhibition curator talk

11 Free movies

11 New to genealogy

11 Drawn to art

12 Chess club

12 Leonardo da Vino

13 New to genealogy

15 Tea & coffee

16 Hawkesbury writes

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FEBRUARY 2021 (continued)

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Rachael Daisy Dodd (2020) *Sheer Joy* [Tulle netting, cotton thread.]. NSW, Australia.

CULTURAL SERVICES LOCATIONS



Hawkesbury City Council wishes you a

MERRY
Christmas

and

HAPPY NEW YEAR

	Central Library, Windsor	Richmond Library	Gallery	Museum
Thurs 24 Dec	9am - 3pm	9.30am - 3pm	10am - 3pm	10am - 3pm
Fri 25 Dec	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Sat 26 Dec	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Sun 27 Dec	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	10am - 4pm
Mon 28 Dec	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	10am - 4pm
Tue 29 Dec	9am - 5pm	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
Wed 30 Dec	9am - 5pm	CLOSED	CLOSED	10am - 4pm
Thurs 31 Dec	9am - 3pm	CLOSED	CLOSED	10am - 3pm
Fri 1 Jan	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	10am - 4pm

Normal Hours will operate for all services up until
Wednesday 23 December 2020 and resume
again on Saturday 2 January 2021