

# SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM



# IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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*ALL LIBRARY SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES ARE FREE*

## **BOOK LIBRARY EVENTS**

Phone: 1300 135 668

Online: [kingston.vic.gov.au/school-holidays-bookings](https://kingston.vic.gov.au/school-holidays-bookings)

In person at any library branch

**Children under 10 years must be accompanied by a responsible adult.**

**Storytime and Tiny Tots programs continue as usual throughout the holidays.**

**See website for details.**

All dates and times are correct at time of printing.

Changes may be made in accordance with Government regulations.  
See our website for updates.

# Children + Families

## Tiny Tots Rhyme Time

For babies & toddlers  
0-24 months.

Encourage a love of stories and reading with your baby at our Tiny Tots program.

## Auslan Storytime

For preschool children  
2-5 years.

Auslan Storytime is held at 10:30am at Cheltenham Library on the second Friday of each month during their regular storytime program and it is also live-streamed.

## Sensitive Storytime

For preschool children  
2-5 years.

Sensitive Storytime is designed for preschool aged children with additional needs or those who simply prefer a quieter and calmer session.

## Preschool Storytime

For preschool children  
2-5 years.

You and your child will love Storytime at the library! Enjoy a fun 30 minute session of stories, action songs, rhymes and puppets.

## Saturday Storytime

For families.

A wonderful opportunity for busy parents to enjoy story time at the library with their children. Have fun with stories, songs, rhymes and puppets. Find something new to read and borrow or rediscover old favourites.

FOR STORYTIME LOCATIONS  
DATES AND TIMES,  
SCAN THE QR.



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# Monday 27 June

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## Drop-in Lucky Dip Craft

Cheltenham Library  
10am-7pm

Patterson Lakes Library  
10-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Marble Run

Parkdale Library  
2:30-3:30pm  
Ages 5+

Come along and make a marvellous marble run out of materials and see if your marble can go the distance.

**Bookings required.**

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## Storytime & Craft

Aspendale Gardens  
Community Service  
10:30-11:30am  
Ages 3-6

Join us for stories, songs, and simple craft.

**Bookings required.**



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# Tuesday 28 June

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## Drop-in lucky dip craft

Clarinda Library & Westall  
10am-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Dungeons & Dragons

Parkdale Library  
3-5pm  
Ages 12-17

Learn how to play Dungeons & Dragons - a fantasy tabletop role-playing game

**Bookings required.**

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## Bedtime Storytime

Cheltenham Library  
6pm  
Ages 0-5

Jarmies on and pop to the library for some bedtime stories to ensure sweet dreams of adventure, exploring and wonder.

**Bookings required.**

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## Drop-in Family Card & Board Games

Chelsea Library  
11am-5pm

Pop in and try to outsmart your family with board games at the library.



# Wednesday 29 June

## Bricks Challenge

Aspendale Gardens  
Community Service  
10:30-11:30am  
Ages Prep – Grade 6

Join the Young Engineers  
in their fabulous Bricks  
Challenge program.

Bookings required.

## Star Weaving Workshop with the Connect Group

Westall Community Hub  
10am-12pm  
For older primary and  
secondary school kids

Bookings required.  
To book, call 9581 3050.

## Movie & Craft

Westall Library  
2:30-3:45pm  
Rated PG (ages 5-10)

"Everything is awesome",  
so come along and sink your  
teeth into a Dino mini movie,  
followed by a simple dinosaur  
craft to take home to pop  
on your fridge.

Bookings required.

## Drop-in Lucky Dip Craft

Chelsea Library  
1-7pm

Get creative with some  
simple craft materials  
while visiting the library.



# Thursday 30 June

## Drop-in lucky dip craft

Highett Library  
10am-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Zumba Kids

Patterson Lakes  
Community Centre  
2:30-3:30pm  
Ages 6+

Zumba is a Latin inspired dance/exercise class with easy-to-follow moves and great music. Wear comfortable clothes and runners. Please bring own water bottle.

Bookings required.  
To book, call 9581 3040.

## Marble Run

Cheltenham Library  
10:30-11:30am  
Ages 5+

Come along and make a marvellous marble run out of materials and see if your marble can go the distance.

Bookings required.

# 1000 BOOKS BEFORE SCHOOL

## For preschool children 0-5 years.

Share 1000 books with your child in the years before they start school to prepare them for formal learning and nurture a love of books, reading and language.

It's never too early to start reading to your child – even newborns. You can read a thousand different books or read one book a thousand times! Books experienced at library story time sessions, preschool, daycare and playgroup can also be counted towards your child's total.

You'll get a free library bag when you register, there are milestone rewards to collect as you progress through the program, and of course there's a certificate at the end. The program is completed when your child reaches 1000 books or they start school.

Register via the Beanstack App and collect your bag from the library.





# Friday 1 July

## Drop-in Lucky Dip Craft

Parkdale Library  
10am-5pm

Dingley Library  
2-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Movie & Craft

Patterson Lakes Library  
2:30-4pm  
Rated PG (ages 5-10)

Come and make your very own 'Owen' jeep then 'drive' to the drive-in for a roar some mini Dino movie. Snacks provided.

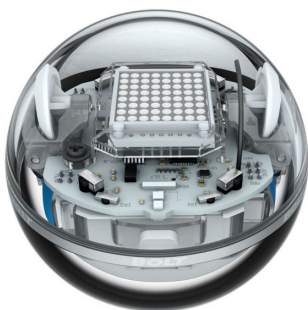
Bookings required.

## Sphero Robotics

Chelsea Library  
10:30-11:30am  
Ages 8-13

Get to know our Sphero robots. Learn how to direct them through a maze and more.

Bookings required.



# 2022 STORY LINES WRITING COMPETITION FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH

ENTER FOR  
SOME GREAT  
PRIZES

Write a short story or poem of up to 500 words for your chance to win shopping vouchers up to \$150.

Entries open Monday 11 July and close Sunday 18 September. There will be four age groups covering ages 5-16. Entry forms will be available at all library branches, or at [library.kingston.vic.gov.au/story-lines](http://library.kingston.vic.gov.au/story-lines) from Monday July 11.

Presented by Kingston Libraries.

# Monday 4 July

## Drop-in Naidoc Celebration Craft

Chelsea & Clarinda Library  
10am-7pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Sphero Robotics

Cheltenham Library  
2:30-3:30pm  
Ages 8-13

Get to know our Sphero robots. Learn how to direct them through a maze and more.

**Bookings required.**

## Slime, Sherbet and Bubbles

Dingley Library  
10:30-11:30am  
Ages 5-10

Patterson Lakes  
2:30-3:30pm  
Ages 5-10

It's all in the title! Join Fizzics Education for cool chemical reactions, fun!

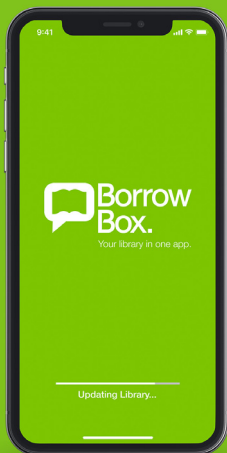
**Bookings required.**



Your library in one app.

Check out the exciting new junior and YA eBooks and eAudio titles on Borrowbox.

To get the app view online  
[kingston.borrowbox.com](http://kingston.borrowbox.com)



# YA Beanstack READING CHALLENGE

**Monday 20 June – Sunday 10 July**

Register on the Beanstack app and challenge yourself to read beyond what you can imagine!

Stretch yourself these holidays and explore new genres and specific types of books.

Read books and complete activities to go in the running to win a YA book pack.

FOR  
AGES  
12-18



# Tuesday 5 July

## Drop in Naidoc Celebration Craft

Highett & Westall Library  
10am-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Sphero Robotics

Clarinda Library  
2:30-3:30pm  
Ages 8-13

Get to know our Sphero robots. Learn how to direct them through a maze and more.

**Bookings required.**

## Mad About Science workshop

Westall Hub activity  
2-3pm  
Ages 6-13

Prepare for some serious FUN! Mad About Science is bringing an engaging and educational hands-on holiday workshop to Westall Hub! It is designed to inspire imaginations and get junior scientists of all ages excited by science!

**Bookings required.**

**To book, call 9581 3050  
or visit in person.**

## Dungeons & Dragons

Parkdale Library  
3-5pm  
Ages 12-17

Learn how to play Dungeons & Dragons - a fantasy tabletop role-playing game

**Bookings required.**

## Marble Run

Chelsea Library  
2:30-3:30pm  
Ages 5+

Come along and make a marvellous marble run out of materials and see if your marble can go the distance.

**Bookings required.**

# Wednesday 6 July

## Drop in Naidoc Celebration Craft

Patterson Lakes Library  
2pm-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Drop-in Family Card & Board Games

Cheltenham Library  
1pm-7pm

Pop in and try to outsmart your family with board games at the library.

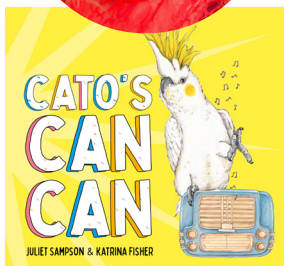
## Authors talk & Book Reading

Chelsea Library  
2:30pm  
Ages 5+

Dancing Storytime with special guest author Juliet Sampson.

Come and learn some dance moves and hear the story about Cato the cockatoo who loves to dance. We'll also make dance puppets, by the book's illustrator Katrina. Wear your favourite dancing outfit.

Bookings required.



# Warm up at Waves!

Make a splash these school holidays every Monday Wednesday and Friday from 1-4pm. Join Ollie the Octopus for some inflatable fun, pool games and the famous aqua disco on Friday 9 July! For more information, visit [kingstonactive.com.au](http://kingstonactive.com.au)



Waves

# Thursday 7 July

## Drop in Naidoc Celebration Craft

Parkdale Library  
11am-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

## Buzz Wire

Cheltenham Library  
10:30-11:15am  
Ages 8+

Construct, then attempt to guide the metal hook along your course without touching the wire!

Bookings required.

## Zumba Kids

Sundowner  
Community Centre  
11:30am-12:45pm  
Ages 6+

Zumba is a Latin inspired dance/exercise class with easy-to-follow moves and great music. Wear comfortable clothes and runners. Please bring own water bottle.

Bookings required.  
To book, call 8551 1200.



## Friday 8 July

### Drop in Naidoc Celebration Craft

Cheltenham Library  
10am-5pm

Get creative with some simple craft materials while visiting the library.

### Buzz Wire

Chelsea Library  
10:30-11:15am  
Ages 8+

Construct, then attempt to guide the metal hook along your course without touching the wire!

Bookings required.

### mBots

Westall Library  
3:30-5pm  
Ages 8-14

Build one of our mBot robots and then program it to move!

Bookings required.



## Saturday 9 July

### Saturday Storytime

Chelsea Library  
10:30am

Perfect for families with young children. A wonderful opportunity for busy parents to enjoy story time at the library with your children. Have fun with stories, songs, rhymes and puppets. Find something new to read and borrow or rediscover old favourites.



# ▶ MOVIES

## LIBRARIES & HUBS

### Monday 27 June

Westall Community Hub  
2pm  
Rated PG

Big dreams and spectacular hit songs abound as the ever-optimistic koala, Buster Moon, and his all-star cast of performers prepare to launch their most dazzling

**To book:**  
**Call:** 9581 3050  
or visit in person.

### Wednesday 6 July

Dingley Library  
2:30-4pm  
Rated PG

An adventure comedy, based on the global blockbuster videogame franchise Sega that centres on the infamously brash blue hedgehog. The film follows the (mis)adventures of the hedgehog as he navigates the complexities of life on Earth with his newfound – human – best friend Tom, joining forces to stop the villainous Dr. Robotnik. Snacks provided.

**To book:**  
**Call:** 1300 135 668  
or visit in person.

### Thursday 30 June

Sundowner  
Community Centre  
11am  
Rated PG

The story of Barney, an awkward middle-schooler and Ron, his new walking, talking, digitally connected device. BYO water bottle.

**To book:**  
**Call:** 8551 1206  
or visit in person.

### Thursday 7 July

Chelsea Activity Hub  
10-11.30am  
Rated PG (ages 6+)

Luis, a 12-year-old boy, is somewhat of an outcast at school. He lives alone with his father, who is too busy with his hunt for extra-terrestrial life to have time for him. When the school principal tries to send Luis away to boarding school, he must come up with a plan to escape. Snack provided. BYO Water Bottle.

**To book:**  
**Call:** 9581 3045  
or visit in person.



# AT THE LIBRARY

## Thursday 30 June

Chelsea Activity Hub  
10-11.30am  
Rated PG (ages 6+)

A young silver dragon teams up with a mountain spirit and an orphaned boy on a journey through the Himalayas in search for the Rim of Heaven.

**To book:**  
**Call:** 9581 3045  
or visit in person.

## Monday 4th July

Westall Community Hub  
2pm  
Rated PG

When Emily Elizabeth meets a magical animal rescuer who gives her a little red puppy, she never anticipated waking up to find a giant, 10-foot hound in her small New York City apartment.

**To book:**  
**Call:** 9581 3050  
or visit in person.

## Thursday 7 July

Westall Library  
2:30-4:30pm  
Rated PG

Oh, an alien on the run from his own people, lands on Earth and makes friends with the adventurous Tip, who is on a quest of her own. Snacks provided.

**To book:**  
**Call:** 1300 135 668  
or visit in person.

BOOKINGS  
REQUIRED  
FOR ALL  
SESSIONS



# LEGO® DROP-IN CHALLENGE

Kids of all ages welcome.

Enjoy free play with LEGO® or attempt our challenge - can you make some famous landmarks out of LEGO®?

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## Monday 27 June

Hihett Library  
& Westall Library  
10am-5pm

## Tuesday 28 June

Patterson Lakes Library  
2-5pm

## Wednesday 29 June

Clarinda Library  
1-7pm

## Thursday 30 June

Chelsea Library  
& Parkdale Library  
10am-5pm

## Friday 1 July

Cheltenham Library  
10am-5pm



# XBOX ONE AVAILABLE TO PLAY

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## LOCATED AT:

- Chelsea Library
- Westall Library
- Dingley Library
- Clarinda Library



Attempt our challenge - can you make a kangaroo or a goanna out of LEGO® or simply have free play with LEGO®.

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### Saturday 2 July

Dingley Library  
9am-2pm

### Monday 4 July

Parkdale Library  
10-7pm

### Tuesday 5 July

Cheltenham Library  
10am-7pm

Patterson Lakes  
2-5pm

### Wednesday 6 July

Clarinda Library  
& Westall Library  
1-5pm

### Thursday 7 July

Highett Library  
10am-5pm

### Friday 8 July

Chelsea Library  
10am-5pm

### Saturday 9 July

Dingley Library  
9am-2pm

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# Contact Us

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## FIND YOUR NEAREST BRANCH

**Chelsea** 1 Chelsea Rd

**Cheltenham** 12 Stanley Ave

**Clarinda** 58A Viney St

**Dingley Village** 31C Marcus Rd

**Highett** 310 Highett Rd

**Moorabbin** Shop 5, 1 Taylor St

**Parkdale** 96 Parkers Rd

**Patterson Lakes** 54 Thompson Rd

**Westall Library** 35 Fairbank Rd Clayton South

### **Sundowner Community Centre**

24 Sundowner Ave, Clarinda VIC 3169

### **Chelsea Activity Hub**

5 Showers Ave, Chelsea VIC 3196

### **Patterson Lakes Community Centre**

54-70 Thompson Rd, Patterson Lakes VIC 3197

### **Westall Community Hub**

35 Fairbank Rd Clayton South 3169

### **Aspendale Gardens Community Service**

103-105 Kearney Dr, Aspendale Gardens VIC 3195

