

Free
Activities



Southern Tasmania Winter School Holiday Program

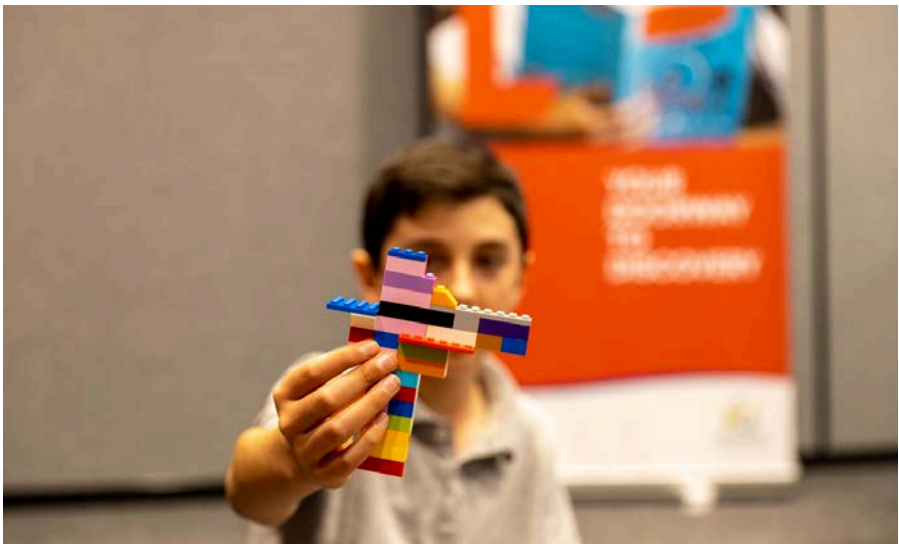
2024

Bridgewater - Glenorchy - Hobart - Huonville - Kingston - New Norfolk - Rosny - Sorell



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Bridgewater Library



Rainsticks



Tuesday 9 July
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Ages 3+



Whip up your own magical Rainstick to bring the soothing sound of rain along on all your adventures!

BeamaFilm Club - Miffy the Movie



Thursday 11 July
10:00 am – 11:10 am
Rated G



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Storytime and Craft - Rainsticks



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Ages 3+



Join us for a winter themed Storytime and Craft. Create your very own Rainstick to conjure the sound of rain wherever you go.

RACT - Yippee program



Wednesday 10 July
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm
Ages 4-8



Bookings required

Explore road safety and have some fun at the same time. An interactive program designed by RACT to encourage children to think about safe ways to travel in the car and when crossing the road. Play-based learning using traffic lights, road signs and a zebra crossing to further develop those important road safety skills.



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BeamaFilm Club - Top Cat Begins



Friday 12 July

10:00 am – 11:30 am

Rated PG



Poor, lonely and living on the streets, Top Cat meets Benny, a naive and good-hearted cat looking for adventure. The pair quickly become best buddies, pickpocketing their way out of poverty. Setting their sights higher, Top Cat and Benny hatch a plan to steal diamonds from crime boss Mr. Big. When Top Cat is captured can Benny and the alley cats work together to save the day?

Glenorchy Library



Storytime and Craft



Tuesday 16 July
10:30 am – 11:30 am
Ages 3+



Join us for a cozy Storytime featuring wintery tales and an opportunity to craft a spinnable Windmill.

Build, Make and Create



Thursday 18 July
2:30 pm – 3:30 pm



Come along for a unique Dot & Dash STEAM challenge, plus building and art materials to create, remix and recreate! Open to children of all ages.

BeamaFilm Club - In The Dog House



Friday 19 July
10:00 am – 11:15 am
Rated PG



When a divorced mum tries to start dating again, her kids and dog set out to sabotage the dates. They are successful until her high school sweetheart shows up...a comedic battle ensues to sway their mum's heart back to their father.

Hobart Library



Behind the Scenes Library Tours



Tuesday 9 July
10:00 am – 11:00 am



Recommended for ages 8 -14

Join us for a guided tour of the Wray and Tower buildings. Explore areas not seen by the public, view special collections and experience the behind the scenes work that goes on in the State Library of Tasmania. Please see Eventbrite for special conditions. Bookings required.

Storytime and Craft



Wednesday 10 July
10:00 am – 11:00 am



Ages 3+

Come in out of the cold and join us for some special winter stories at storytime. There will be fun winter crafts following, so bring your imagination.

Bookings required.

Rock and Rhyme



Thursday 11 & 18 July
10:00 am – 10:30 am



Ages birth - 3

30 minutes program for babies, toddlers and their carers. Including simple songs and action rhymes. It makes talking, reading and singing with your child a fun routine that helps little brains grow.



Ping Pong Challenge



Friday 12 July

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Ages: 6+

Want a challenge that's fun, uses your muscles and brain and where the speed and accuracy of your success relies on you working together? Come along to work out the best angles, speeds, force and trajectories using ping pong balls to set your team's personal best record.



Chess



Monday 15 July

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Ages 8+

Chess for beginners. Come along and learn how to play chess with Black Square Chess.

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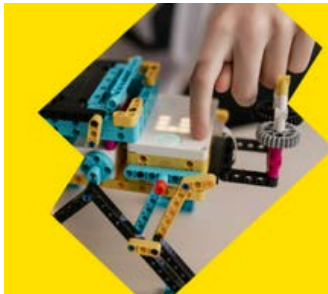
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Lego Spike



Friday 19 July
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm

Ages 6+

STEAM Learning with Lego. Play with the Lego Spike sets at Hobart Library to put the bricks in motion and make moving creations.



Bookings required.

Scavenger Hunt



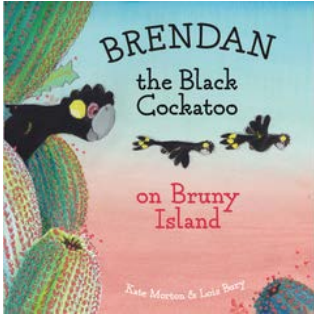
Ongoing through the holidays

Ages 5+

Drop by anytime these school holidays and explore Hobart Library. Find some books hiding in the shelves! Use your library magic to complete the scavenger hunt.



Special Book Launch: Brendan The Black Cockatoo



Wednesday 24 July
10:00 am – 11:00 am
Ages 4-6



Kate Morton will launch her latest book *Brendan The Black Cockatoo* from the 'On Bruny' series at Storytime and read others from her wonderful series.





Story Necklaces and Bracelets



Monday 8 July

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Ages 5+



In Tasmanian Aboriginal culture, people use patterns to tell stories. In this activity you will create a patterned necklace or bracelet that tells your story.

Robotics Club



Tuesday 9 July

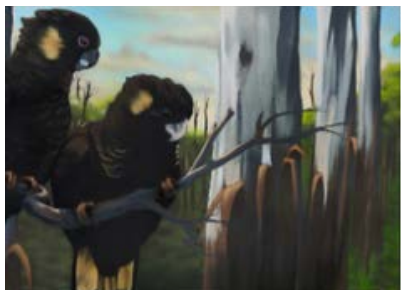
10:00 am – 11:30 am

Ages 5+



Enjoy building, coding and creating with different robotic kits and computer programs. Learn more about block coding with Star Wars and Lego kits.

Rock and Rhyme/Storytime and Craft: We Love Country



Wednesday 10 July

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

All ages



To celebrate NAIDOC Week, join in with our special Rock and Rhyme/Storytime session and read the picture book *We Love Country*, followed by making your own Screech and Scratch mask.



Beamafilm Club: Victor and the Secret of Crocodile Mansion



Wednesday 10 July

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Family (G) 2012

1 hour 31 minutes



Ages 5+

When Victor and his family move, he learns of a dark and mysterious secret.

Flower and Leaf Craft



Monday 15 July

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Ages 5+



Make your own sustainable flower press that you can take home and bring back for another activity in the next school holidays. While you're here create some beautiful leaf rubbing bookmarks.

Sip and Paint



Tuesday 16 July

10:00 am – 11:00 am

Ages 5+



Enjoy a juice box and a snack as you paint your own mini-canvas. Take your creation home to brighten your winter space! All materials will be provided.



Rock and Rhyme/Storytime and Craft: Leaping Penguins



Wednesday 17 July
11:00 am – 12:00 pm



All ages

Enjoy a special winter-themed Rock and Rhyme/Storytime session and create your own cute leaping penguin to take home.

Beamafilm Club: Top Cat Begins



Wednesday 17 July
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm
Family (PG) 2015
1 hour 30 minutes



Ages 5+

Poor, lonely and living on the streets, Top Cat meets Benny. The pair quickly become best buddies - and partners in crime - pickpocketing their way out of poverty and quickly believing they are the real cats' whiskers!



STORY BOX LIBRARY



Story Box Library is a fun, engaging resource that inspires a love of reading in kids of all ages. See and hear your favourite stories come to life, read by well-known Australian and New Zealand storytellers like Nick Cave, Justine Clarke, Eddie Perfect, Kate Ritchie, Kamil Ellis, Missy Higgins, Jay Laga'aia and many more!

You can get FREE access to Story Box Library through the Libraries Tasmania website, by following these steps:

- Click on the 'eLibrary'
- Select 'eBooks + stories'
- Click the red 'Story Box Library' square
- Log in with your Libraries Tasmania card number and password



There are hundreds of videos for you and your kids to enjoy, plus fun activities for kids and a blog full of great information for parents.

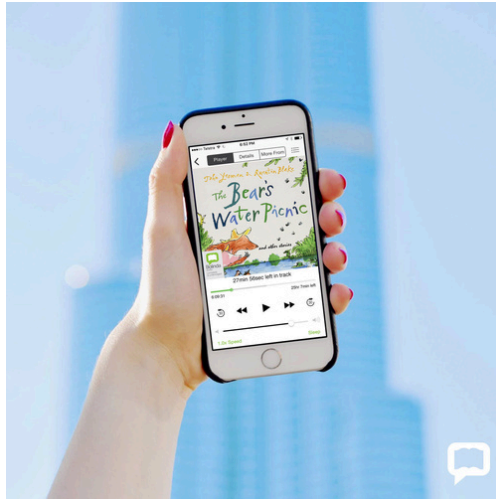
Try Story Box Library today!



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Listening counts as reading!
Try an audiobook.



Libby.



Winter Film Fest: Fast and Furiest



Monday 8 July

10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Ages 5+

Corella Room, Kingston Library
Bookings essential.

Build your own cardboard box car to drive to the movies! Sit in your car and watch the movie Fast and the Furiest. Rated G 1Hr 10mins.



Explore Ozobots



Tuesday 9 July

10:00 am - 11:00 am

Ages 7+

Corella Room, Kingston Library

Discover the incredible little robots known as Ozobots. Using pens and paper, code Ozobots to bring your imaginative storytelling to life!



Little Bits Drop-in Session



Wednesday 10 July

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Ages 4+

Corella Room, Kingston Library

Ever wonder what you can create from little bits? Come in between 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm and discover the wonders of crafting with little bits.





NAIDOC Week Storytime



Thursday 11 July

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Ages 3 - 5



Join us for a special story time to celebrate and acknowledge First Nations people and stories. Stay after for an activity and craft.

Winter Film Fest: Miffy The Movie



Monday 15 July

10:30 am - 11:45 am

Ages 4+



Corella Room, Kingston Library
Bookings essential.

The beloved Miffy book series is now a movie! Come along and watch as Miffy and her friends go on a treasure hunt at the zoo. Popcorn provided for each child. Rated G 1hr 8mins.

Hour of Code



Wednesday 17 July

2:00 pm – 3:30 pm

Ages 7 - 12



Pardalote Room, Kingston Library
Bookings essential.

Have a crack at coding with these self-led tutorials. Parents/carers are required to attend with children.



Storytime and Woolly Snowpeople



Thursday 18 July

10:30 am – 11:30 am

Ages 3 - 5



Come along for 30 minutes of songs, rhymes and stories. Stay after and weave yourself a snow person.

Story Walks at Margate and Snug



Monday 8 - Friday 19 July

During park opening hours

All ages

If you are looking to get outside during the school holidays and celebrate NAIDOC week, try the self-guided tour of the beautifully illustrated book “We Love Country” as it weaves its way along the Dru Point waterfront in Margate. It starts next to the new, accessible children’s playground and continues along the foreshore path.



There is a second Story Walk along the Snug River Track, featuring the wonderful book “Travelling Tasmanian Tigers”.

New Norfolk Library



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Make Your Own Harry Potter Nature Wands



Monday 8 July

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Ages 7+



Let your magical imagination run wild creating your very own Harry Potter Nature Wand.

Come dressed as your favourite character, best dressed wins a prize!!

Storytime and Craft: Snowman



Tuesday 9 July

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Ages 3+



Listen to stories followed by a fun craft session. Can you build a snowman?

Build, Make and Create - Lego Club City



Wednesday 10 July

3:15 pm - 4:15 pm

Ages 6+



Join our Build Make Create session for STEAM fun with Lego. Help build a Lego Club City.

Rosny Library



Winter Film Fest - Fast and Furriest



Thursday 11 July
10:30 am – 12:30 pm



Rated G

Chuck and Woodsly are in for the ride of their lives. What team will get their paws over the finish line first?

Hula Hoops Workshop with Bunnings



Friday 12 July
11:00 am – 12:00 pm



Ages 3+

Spin into Rosny Library and join us for some hula hooping fun and have a great time!

Friendship Bracelets



Monday 15 July
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm



Ages 7+

Make your own personal Taylor Swift or friendship bracelet for you or your friends!



Storytime and Craft: Snowflakes



Tuesday 16 July
11:00 am – 12:00 pm
Ages 3+



Listen to stories followed by a fun craft session, making easy paper snowflakes or try making 3D ones to hang up at home.

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Rosny Library



Dot and Dash Challenge



Friday 19 July

3:00 pm – 4:30 pm



Learn to control and program the Dot and Dash robots using multiple apps. Make them race, make them dance and make them sing!

Sea Country Cultural Pop Up at Rosny Library



Monday 15 July

10:00 am – 3:00 pm



No bookings required.

Drop in and join our Aboriginal Education Workers and learn about Tasmanian Aboriginal culture through games, crafts, activities and stories.

Our Shared Space: Rosny Youth and Intergenerational Activities - Virtual Reality



Tuesday 16 July

3:30 pm – 4:45 pm



Come in from the cold to play with Virtual Reality and teach seniors how to play too!



BeamaFilm Club - Fast and Furryest



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Rock and Rhyme, and Storytime

Bridgewater Library

Rock and Rhyme

Wednesdays 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Storytime

Tuesdays 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Cygnets Library

Rock and Rhyme and Storytime

Tuesdays 11:30 am - 12:00 pm

Glenorchy Library

Rock and Rhyme

Wednesdays 10:30 am - 11:00am

Thursdays 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Storytime

Tuesdays 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Hobart Library

Rock and Rhyme

Thursdays 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Storytime

Wednesdays 10:00 am - 10:30 am

Huonville Library

Rock and Rhyme and Storytime

Wednesdays 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Kingston Library

Rock and Rhyme

Wednesdays 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Fridays 11:00 am - 11:30am

Storytime

Thursdays 10:30 am - 11:00 am

New Norfolk Library

Rock and Rhyme

Wednesdays 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Rosny Library

Rock & Rhyme

Wednesdays 10:30am - 11:00 am

Thursdays 10:30 am - 11:00 am

Storytime

Tuesdays 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Sorell Library (School term only)

Rock & Rhyme

Wednesdays 11:00 am - 11:30 am

Storytime

Fridays 10:30 am - 11:00 am

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Bothwell Library

19 Alexander Street
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Bridgewater Library

23 Green Point Road
Phone: 6165 5446

Bruny Online

School Road, Alonah
Phone: 6293 2036

Glenorchy Library

4 Terry Street
Phone: 6165 5493

Hobart Library

91 Murray Street
Phone: 6165 5493

Huonville Library

1 Skinner Drive
Phone: 6121 7010

Kingston Library

11 Hutchins Street
Phone: 6165 6208

New Norfolk Library

9 Charles Street
Phone: 6165 6381

Oatlands Library

53 High Street
Phone: 6254 1222

Rosny Library

46 Bligh Street
Phone: 6165 6448

Sorell Library

25 Cole Street
Phone: 6165 6452



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