

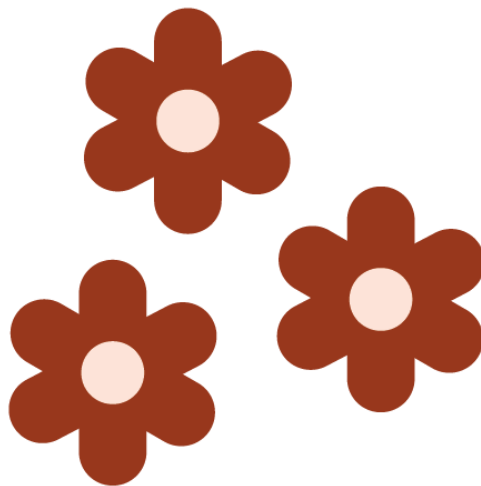


# *What's On Guide*

## *September - December 2024*

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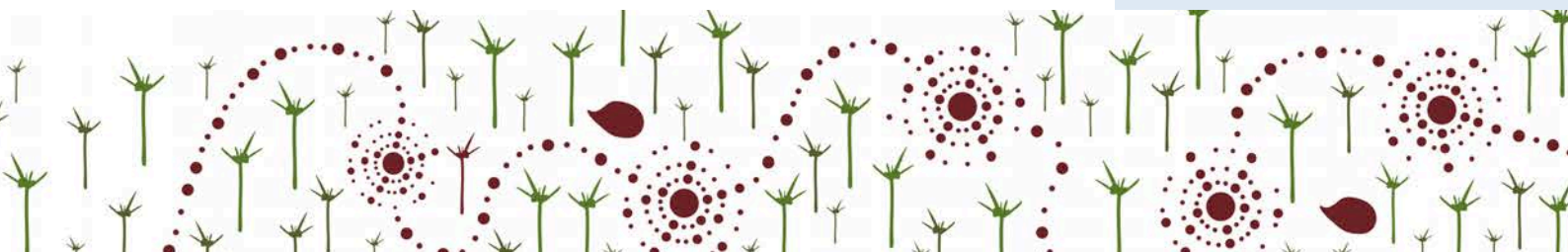
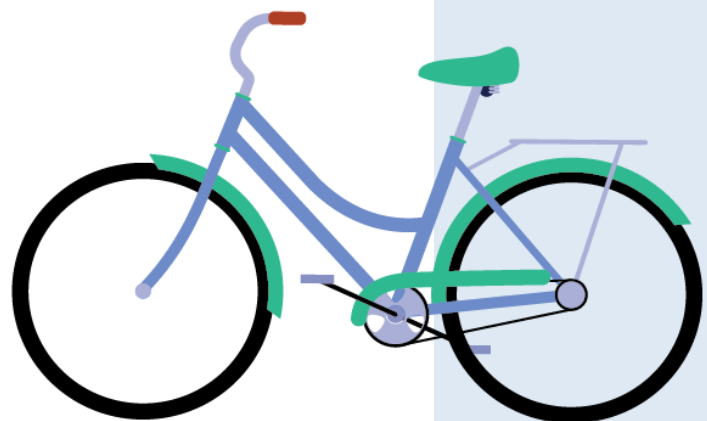
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# Adult programs

Adelaide Hills Council Libraries provides a range of adult programs, with something for everyone!

## *Movies not to be Missed from 2023/2024*

Join fellow film lovers on the last Friday of the month for some movie magic in the morning & stay for a cuppa & chat. For ages 15+

- When:** 27 Sept., 25 Oct., 29 Nov. & 27 Dec.  
**Time:** 10.30am - 12.30pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Contact:** 8408 0400 for titles | ratings  
**Bookings:** Free | No bookings required



## *Photography Workshop for Smartphone & Camera*

Explore how to use photography to find the extraordinary in the ordinary in this workshop with Graham Taylor, a WEA travel photography teacher for over 40 years & an active member of the Adelaide Hills Photography Club.



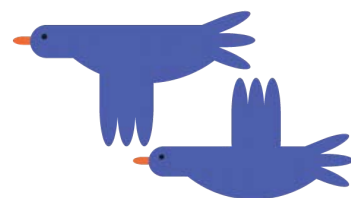
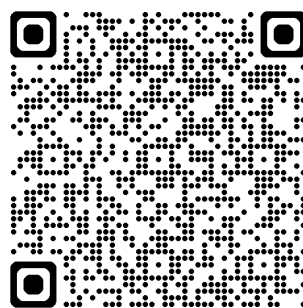
Discover simple techniques that take advantage of composition, lighting & more & be guided through the thinking that transforms a simple snapshot into a compelling image.

- When:** Tuesday 15 October  
**Time:** 10:30am - 12:00pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *Unlock your Ancestry: Dive into DNA & Genealogy*

Curious about DNA? Want to explore how DNA can assist you to dig deeper into your family history research? This session will include an overview of the different types of DNA & patterns of inheritance & how each can be useful. Find out what the different testing companies provide & what to do after testing in this interactive session where questions are encouraged.

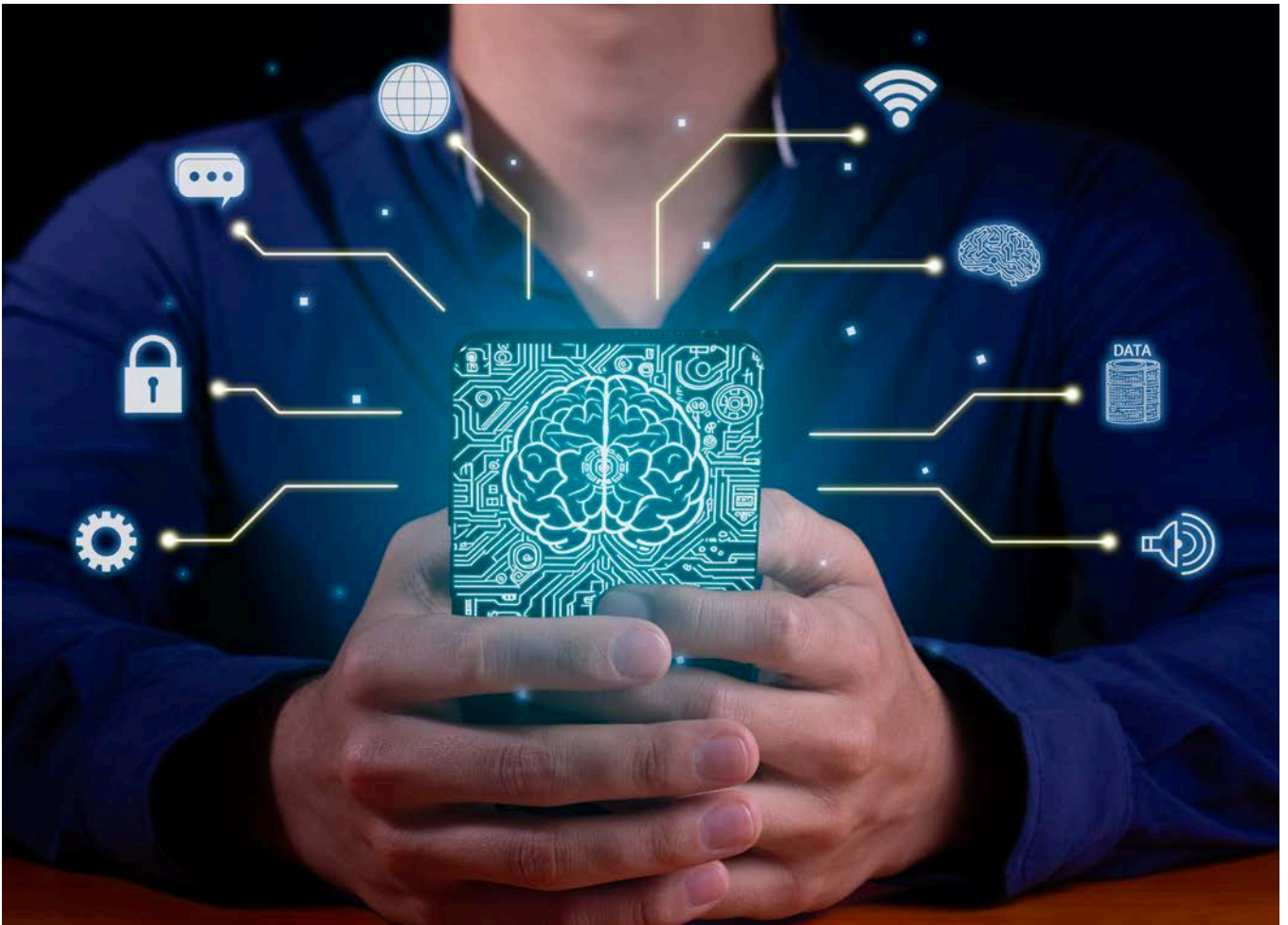
- When:** Saturday 26 October  
**Time:** 2:00pm - 3:00pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential



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# *Adult programs*

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## **Understanding AI: Opportunities & Risks**

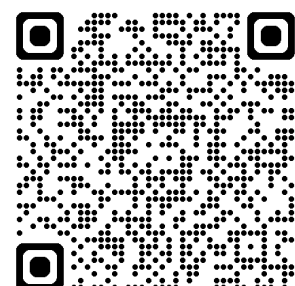
Join Dr John Flackett, a leading AI expert & noted international speaker & educator, for an insightful presentation about the world of AI.

Explore the latest advancements, AI tools & techniques, & the excitement & concerns that accompany this rapidly evolving technology & its future impact on society.

**Friday 13 September**  
**7:00pm - 8:00pm**

**Coventry Library,**  
**Stirling**

**FREE | SCAN QR TO  
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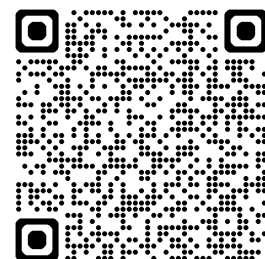
## Christmas Angels & Snowflakes



Join Susan & Karien for Christmas craft in the library. Make a Christmas angel from recycled books & a macrame snowflake for your tree.

**When:** Thursday November 28  
**Time:** 10:30am - 12:30pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings** Free | Bookings essential

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# Digital literacy

Develop your skills and confidence to connect with today's digital world.

## *One on One IT Help*

Get free, one on one help with your smartphone, laptop or tablet in a relaxed, jargon-free session tailored just for you. Sessions run approximately 45-60 minutes and are tailored to your level of experience. Beginners are absolutely welcome, and you can make follow-up visits as often as you need.

**When:** Monday & Friday

**Time:** 2:00pm (Mon.) | 11:00am (Fri.)

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

**When:** Alternate Wednesdays

**Time:** 9:00am & 10:00am

**Where:** Woodside Library

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

**When:** Alternate Thursdays

**Time:** 2:00pm & 3:00pm

**Where:** Gumeracha Library

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *Android One on One IT Help*

**When:** Sept. 4, 11, 25, Oct. 2 & 23,  
Nov. 8 & 20, Dec. 4 & 11

**Time:** 10:00am & 11:00am

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential



## *Family History: an introduction*

An introductory session in a small group to get you started researching your family history.

**When:** Selected Fridays

**Time:** 10.00am - 12.00pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *One on One Family History Help: the next step*

Receive one on one support to explore your family history further. Get tips on where to look, how to interpret findings & find out more about what DNA tracing can offer.

**When:** Selected Fridays

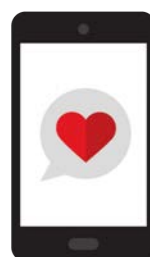
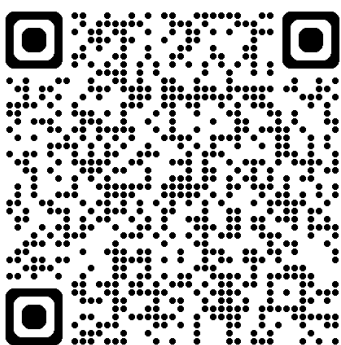
**Time:** 10.00am - 12.00pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential



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# *Local history events*

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The Adelaide Hills is full of history! Find out what local history events are happening near you.



## *Rhododendrons in South Australia*

Dr Jeff Jenkinson from the South Australian Rhododendron Society

**When:** Friday 6 September

**Time:** 7:30pm - 9:30pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Bookings essential

## *Joseph's Sketchbook: A tale in watercolours England & France, 1917-1918*

Guest speaker Historian Stan Woods

**When:** Thursday 14 November

**Time:** 2:00pm - 4:00pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Bookings essential

## *A Christmas Miscellany - Songs & Stories*

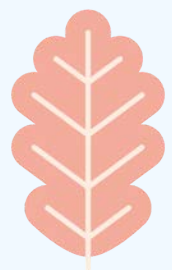
**When:** Friday 6 December

**Time:** 7:30pm - 9:30pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Bookings essential

*All local history bookings to be made through Dr Ann Herraman on 0419 816 490*



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# *Special Family Christmas Show*

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## Harp2Harp

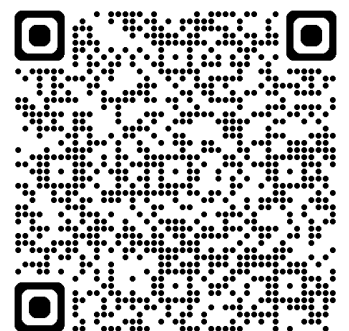


**Join us for a magical Christmas performance by duo Harp2Harp featuring Emma Horwood & Visnja in harmony**

This magical vocal & harp duo will wow you with their pitch perfect harmony & contrasting Celtic harp & concert harp textures of their instruments. The concert will include a Christmas repertoire from classical to Celtic, traditional carols, jazz, popular & contemporary songs from Kate Bush & Joni Mitchell & more. Perfect for the whole family to come together.

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**When:** Sunday 15 December  
**Time:** 5:00pm - 6:30pm (includes interval)  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Essential  
**Cost:** Adults \$20 | Concession \$15  
Child \$10 | Family \$50 (2 adults + 2 children)





# Children's programs



## SPECIAL STORYTIME WITH KAREN BRIGGS

Thursday 5 September  
Coventry Library, Stirling  
10:00am - 11:00am

Join Karen for a special storytime to celebrate Indigenous Literacy Day.



Karen is an illustrator, graphic designer & contemporary First Nations artist. She is a Yorta Yorta woman from Northeast Victoria who now lives in the Adelaide Hills.

COME ALONG TO SHARE STORIES, DRAWING & LEARN ABOUT CULTURE WITH KAREN



## Christmas Craft

School is over & Christmas is just around the corner! We invite children to come & create Christmas crafts with us at our fun & hands on craft stations. For children ages 4+.

**When:** Wednesday 18 December  
**Time:** 10:30am - 12:30pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Free | Drop in

## Storytimes with a Science Twist

Come to our storytimes with a science twist. Enjoy stories, songs & rhymes followed by explore & play stations. Explore life in the ocean at our 'On the Shore & Beneath the Waves' storytime & rocks, minerals & fossils at our 'Tick Tock, I Spy a Rock' storytime. For children ages 3-7.

**When:** Thursday 19 Sept. & 7 Nov.  
**Time:** 10:00am - 11:00am  
Thursday 3 October  
6:00pm - 7:00pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling



# School holidays

Find a family friendly and fun activity for the kids!

## *Badge Making & Pom Pom Monsters*

Create your own personalised badge with our badge making machine & make a new furry friend to take home for the holidays. Ages 5+

**When:** Monday 30 September

**Time:** 1:00pm - 3:00pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Free | Drop in

## *Shadow Puppets*

Explore a world of shadows & learn how to create magical shadow puppets in this hands-on workshop. Ages 7+

**When:** Tuesday 1 October

**Time:** 10:00am - 11:30am

**Where:** Woodside Library

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *Build a Structure with Ros Cameron & Mobile Library Pop-up*

Visit us at the mobile library pop up for stories, songs, games & craft. Learn how to build a structure out of natural materials including storytelling & cultural immersion with Ros Cameron from Woven Arts,

**When:** Tuesday 1 October

**Time:** 10:30am - 1:30pm

**Where:** The Summit Community Centre  
4 Crescent Drive, Norton Summit

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential for structure building ages 5+

## *Map Making*

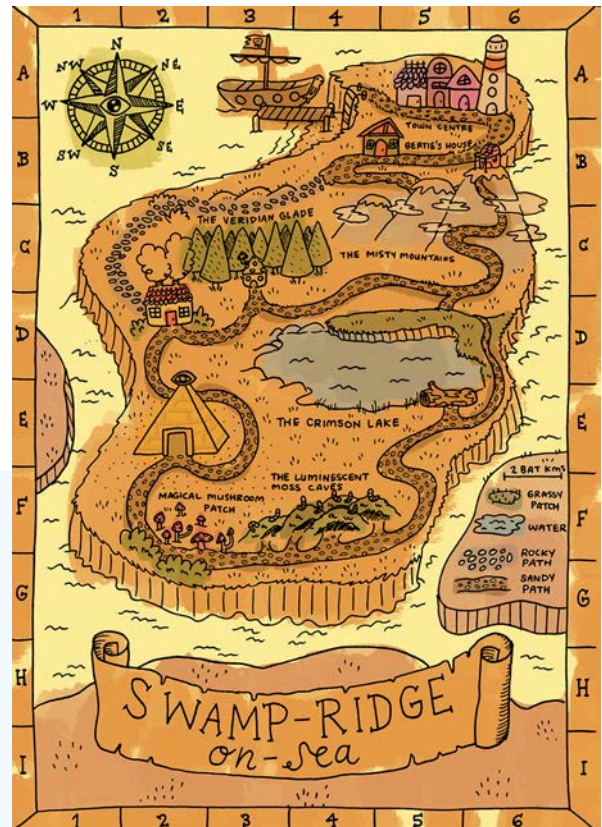
Build your very own world through the magic of mapmaking. Perfect for lovers of fantasy and world-building. Ages 7+

**When:** Wednesday 2 October

**Time:** 11:00am - 12:00pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential



## *Spring in for a Lego Challenge*

Calling all LEGO builders - come & enjoy the challenge of creating, designing and building. Ages 5+

**When:** Thursday 3 October

**Time:** 1:30pm - 2:30pm

**Where:** Gumeracha Library

**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *Evening Storytime with a Science Twist*

Come to our evening storytime with a science twist. Explore life in the ocean with stories, songs & rhymes followed by explore & play stations. Ages 3-7.

**When:** Thursday 3 October

**Time:** 6:00pm - 7:00pm

**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling



# School holidays

Find a family friendly and fun activity for the kids!

## *Sock Puppets*

Discover how to transform a sock into your own unique puppet that is sure to steal the spotlight at this fun & creative workshop. Ages 5+

**When:** Tuesday 8 October  
**Time:** 2:00pm - 3:30pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *Birds & Butterflies*

For children who love to craft & explore nature - come & make birds & butterflies - even ones that move! Ages 5+

**When:** Wednesday 9 October  
**Time:** 10:30am - 11:30am  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential

## *Family Pop-up in the Park*

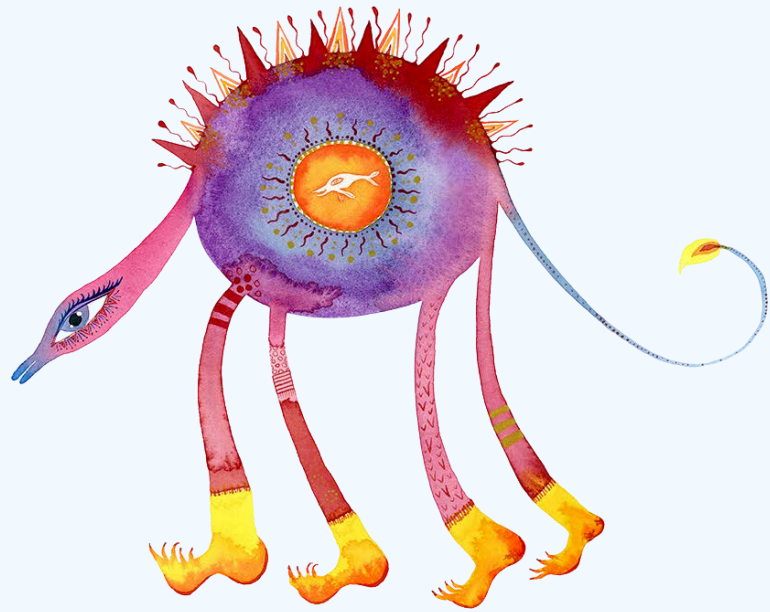
Visit us at the mobile library pop up for stories, songs, games & craft. Learn how to build a structure out of natural materials including storytelling & cultural immersion with Ros Cameron from Woven Arts,

**When:** Thursday 10 October  
**Time:** 10:00am - 12:00pm  
**Where:** Federation Park, Gumeracha  
**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential for structure building ages 5+

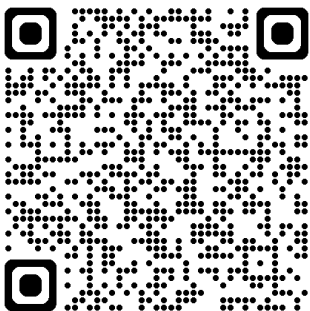
## *Whimsical Watercolour Workshop*

Learn basic watercolour techniques & then let the watercolour guide you as you create a set of small 'blob monsters' and then your own larger whimsical creation. Ages 7+

**When:** Thursday 10 October  
**Time:** 2:00pm - 3:00pm  
**Where:** Coventry Library, Stirling  
**Bookings:** Free | Bookings essential



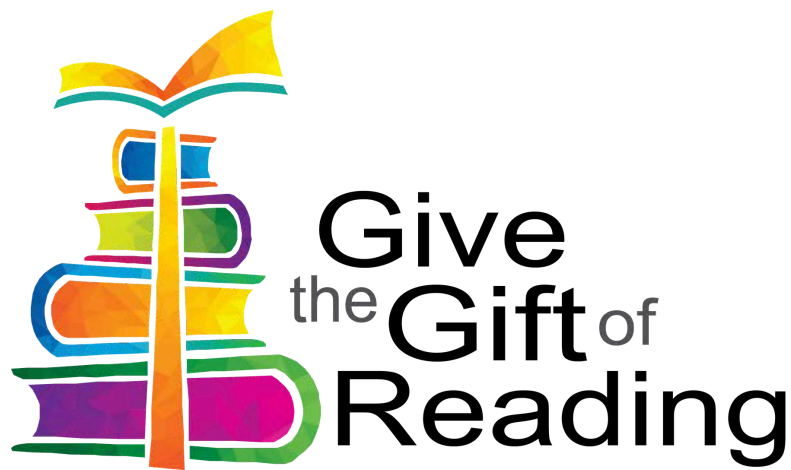
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DIY craft & lego at all  
library branches  
throughout the  
holidays



Library school holiday bookings open on Eventbrite on Monday 16 September



## Give the Gift of Reading through Adelaide Hills Council

Adelaide Hills Council is proud to support the Gift of Reading donation drive. This year we will be accepting donations from the 1st of November that will be collected and distributed by Anglicare SA.

### **How can you support?**

1. Purchase a new book suitable for a child of up to 12 years old. (Matilda's Bookshop are offering a 10% discount for Gift of Reading purchases).
2. Drop your purchased book to a Council staff member at any Council Service Centre or Mobile Library.
3. Your generous donation will then be distributed to children in need in the community.

*Final date for donations - 6 December 2024*





# Children's Programs

## MONDAY

### Woodside

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#### Baby Bounce

- Birth - 18 months
- 10 am - 10:30 am

#### Action Rhymes

- 18 months - 3 years
- 11 am - 11:30 am

## WEDNESDAY

### Gumeracha

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#### Bounce and Rhyme

- Birth - 3 years
- 10 am - 10:30 am

## TUESDAY

### Stirling Coventry

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#### Baby Bounce

- Birth - 18 months
- 10:15 am - 10:45 am

#### Action Rhymes

- 18 months - 3 years
- 11:15 am - 11:45 am

## THURSDAY

### Stirling Coventry

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#### StoryTime

- 3 - 5 years
- 10:00 am - 10:45 am

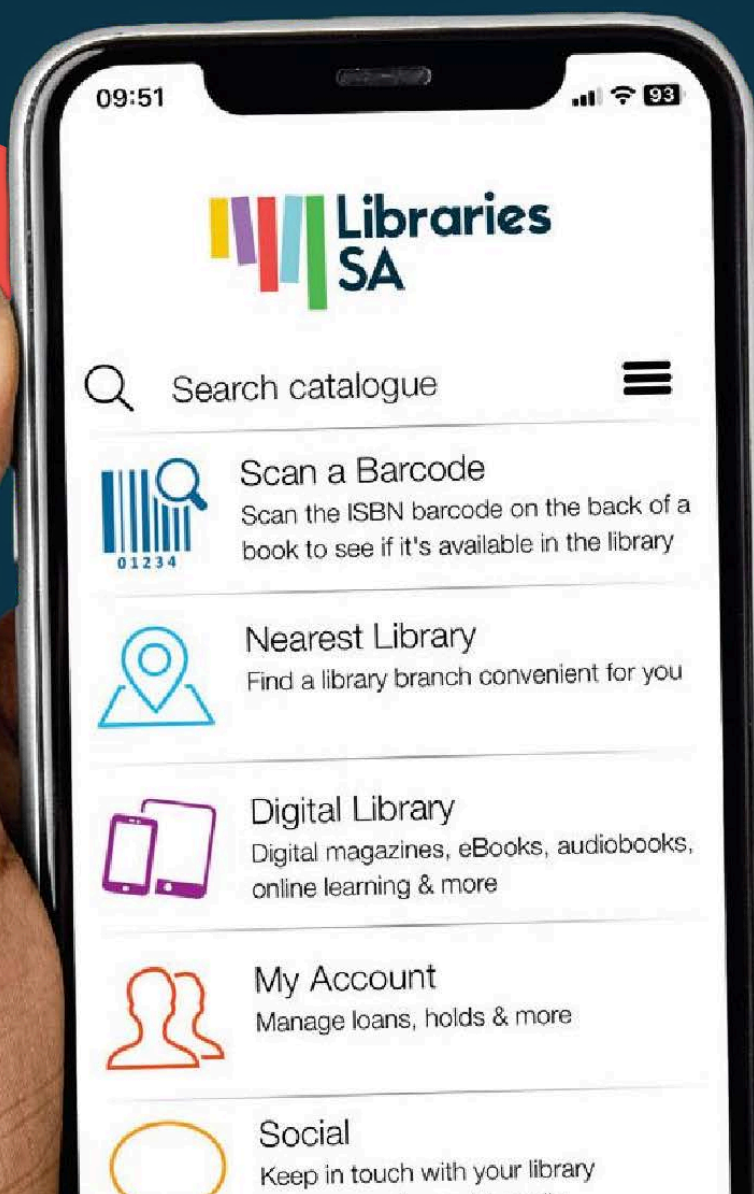
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- Birth - 18 months
- 11:15 am - 11:45 am

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## *Coventry Library*

**63 Mt Barker Road, Stirling**

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 10.00am - 6.00pm

Thurs: 10.00am - 7.00pm

Sat: 10.00am - 4.00pm

Sun: 1.00pm - 4.00pm

Public holidays: closed

## *Woodside Library*

**26 Onkaparinga Valley Road, Woodside**

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 9.00am - 5.00pm

Thurs: 11.00am - 7.00pm

Sat: 10.00am - 1.00pm

Sun: closed

Public holidays: closed

## *Gumeracha Library*

**45 Albert Street, Gumeracha**

Mon 9.00am - 2.00pm

Tues, Thurs: 12.00pm - 5.00pm

Wed: Self service 9.00am - 2.00pm

Fri & Sun: closed

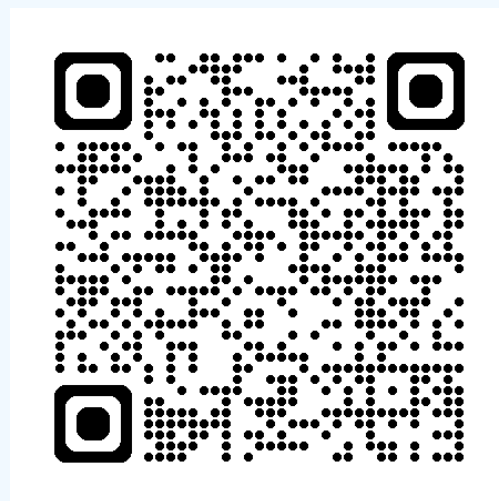
Sat: 11.00am - 2.00pm

Public holidays: closed

**T: 08 8408 0400**

**W: [ahc.sa.gov.au/libraries](http://ahc.sa.gov.au/libraries)**

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Council acknowledges that we conduct our business on the traditional lands and waters of the Peramangk and Kaurna people. We pay our respects to Elders past, present and emerging as the Custodians of this ancient and beautiful land.



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