

ACTIVITIES AT YOUR LIBRARY

Please ring Cessnock Library 4993 4399 or Kurri Kurri Library 4937 1638 to enquire about bookings.

FILM AND CRAFT - AGES 5-12

Tuesday April 11	Cessnock Library	2 - 4pm	FREE
Wednesday April 12	Kurri Kurri Library	2 - 4pm	FREE

Enjoy an afternoon at the movies, followed by craft - there will be popcorn!

IMAGINATURALISTS - AGES 7-12

Thursday 13 April	Cessnock Library	2 - 3pm	\$5.00
Thursday 13 April	Kurri Kurri Library	10 - 11am	\$5.00

Engage creatively with the natural world in this special art workshop presented by the wonderful local artist and educator, Gillian Hewitt.

POLYMER CLAY BEADS AND JEWELLERY MAKING - AGES 11-18

Wednesday 12 April	Cessnock Library	11 - 12pm	FREE
Thursday 13 April	Kurri Kurri Library	1:30 - 2:30pm	FREE

Create some beaded jewellery and have a go at making your own beads out of polymer clay.

SENSORY STORYTIME - AGES 0-6 & FAMILIES

Tuesday 18 AprilCessnock LibraryMonday 17 AprilKurri Kurri Library

Cessnock Library 1 -2pm FREE Kurri Kurri Library 2 - 3pm FREE

A sensory storytime for neurodivergent children 0-6 years of age – includes stories, songs and sensory experiences for your child to enjoy.





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OUR BUSHLAND BIRDING BACKPACK LAUNCH BOOK READING & KIDS BIRDING ACTIVITIES – FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

Wednesday 19 April	Cessnock Library	10 - 11am	FREE
Monday 17 April	Kurri Kurri Library	10 - 11am	FREE

Our Bushland Birding Backpacks include binoculars, Bird ID guides, activity sheets and other information for families to begin their birding journey in the Cessnock region, and will be available for loan from our libraries!

Join Meg Bruce from Hunter Landcare for a reading of the wonderful book "The Forgotten Song: Saving the Regent Honeyeater", followed by some birding activities.

SUPERHEROES WORKSHOP - AGES 4-12

Tuesday 18 April	Cessnock Library	4 - 5pm	FREE
Wednesday 19 April	Kurri Kurri Library	4 - 5pm	FREE

Do you have what it takes to be a superhero? Test your superhero skills and make your own superhero cape and mask (or come along as your favourite superhero!)

BIRDLIFE ILLUSTRATION WORKSHOP - AGES 11-18

Wednesday 19 AprilCessnock Library3 - 4pm\$5.00Wednesday 19 AprilKurri Kurri Library11:30 - 12:30pm\$5.00

Join Sandii from Casscar for a birdlife illustration workshop using graphite and soft pastels.

Cessnock City Libraries, Performance Arts Culture Cessnock (PACC) and Cessnock Youth Centre Outreach Service (CYCOS) are proudly owned and operated by Cessnock City Council.

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INDIGENOUS ART WORKSHOP - AGES 5-12

Thursday 20 April	Cessnock Library	1 - 2pm	FREE
Thursday 20 April	Kurri Kurri Library	10 - 11am	FREE

Join Genus and Sam from Youth Express as they share their knowledge of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander art in this hands-on workshop.

TSHIRT BAGS & BRACELETS - AGES 6 - 12

Friday 21 April Friday 21 April Cessnock Library 1 - 2pm Kurri Kurri Library 10 - 11am

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Using old T-shirts, learn how to make a bag and a friendship band with Upcycle Newcastle - all tools and materials provided.

ESCAPE THE UPSIDE DOWN - AGES 11-18

Thursday 20 April	Cessnock Library	10 - 11am	FREE
Thursday 20 April	Kurri Kurri Library	2 – 3pm	FREE

Solve the mystery of Barb's murder and escape the Upside Down at the library!

WAYAPA WUURRK - AGES 11-18

Friday 21 April	Cessnock Library	2 - 3pm	FREE
Friday 21 April	Kurri Kurri Library	11 - 12pm	FREE

Wayapa Wuurrk is an earth connection practice based on ancient Indigenous wisdom. Join Sarah from Rainbow Crow Cultural Collective for this wellbeing event, which also features some traditional bush tucker!

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MORE FUN WITH CYCOS

FASTER TAKE-HOME ART PACKS AGES 11+

Pick up @CYCOS 10am - 12pm Tuesday 11 April FREE

Grab one of our art packs and keep those creative vibes going over the Easter school holiday break! Limited number available so 'hop to it' - Text Megan on 0427 489 414 or DM us on socials to secure your pack.

'BALANCE & FLARE' - STREET ART WITH PLAYSTATE CURATE - AGES 11+

Tuesday 11 April @ CYCOS 10am - 12pm FRFF

Join super-talented First Nations Street artist Jakeob Watson from Playstate Curate to learn the elements and techniques behind street art! Session runs from 11am-1pm - contact Megan on 0427 489 414 or DM our socials to claim your spot.

HOYTS GREENHILLS EXCURSION AGES 11+

Thursday 13 April

Meet @CYCOS Bus departs 9:45am

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Chill out in comfort at Hovts Greenhills with the CYCOS crew. Admission covered - raid your piggy bank for snacks/lunch. Bus departs CYCOS at 9:45am, return time TBA.

ABORIGINAL CULTURAL EXCURSION - AGES 11+

Tuesday 18 April

Departs CYCOS@ 9:15am returns 2pm FREE

Come walkabout with Uncle Warren Taggart and the CYCOS team on Wonnarua country. Explore the Baiame Cave site - a heritage listed Aboriginal site of national significance. Places are limited with First Nations young people given first preference.

Bus departs CYCOS at 9:15am, returning at 2pm. Enclosed shoes must be worn! Call Megan on 0427 489 414 or DM us on socials for further info and to secure your spot.

