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WHAT'S ON • MARCH

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EDUCATION
*learners first*KINGSTON
WRITERS'
SPACE**Tuesday 2 March, 6.30 - 8.30pm**

Do you want to write but never get the time? Come along to our Writers' Space and enjoy two hours of uninterrupted focus on your project. This group is for all levels, all genres and style of writing welcome. Bookings essential.

HARMONY WEEK

Special Harmony
Week Story Time

Children's stories read in Spanish, Hindi and Mandarin.

Thursday 18 March, 10.30am**Bookings essential.**

everyone BELONGS

www.harmony.gov.auTasTAFE
Introduction
to
Computing**Tuesday 20 April - Tuesday 29 June**
9:30am - 2:30pm. Tuesdays only. 10 weeks.

If you are new to computing, this is the course for you. Learn how to control your mouse, use your keyboard, save and print documents and more. For more info email Sonya.Moon@education.tas.gov.au or phone 6165 6210.

World
Wildlife Day
Special**Thursday 4 March, 10.30am**

Join local author and educator Dr Sarah Jane Moore with the reading of her book *River Business*, learn the *River Business* song and participate in a simple nature based craft activity with your children.

Bookings essential.FREE Film
Screenings
from
Beamafilm**CODA (2020) - Wednesday 10 March, 10.30am Rating M**

A famous pianist who is struggling with stage fright late in his career finds inspiration with a free-spirited music critic.

Starring Patrick Stewart, Katie Holmes, Giancarlo Esposito.

Bookings and contact: 6165 6208

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EVENTS & PROGRAMS

FAMILY HISTORY RESEARCH

Wanting to trace your family history or start your family tree? Contact Kingston Library on **6165 6208** to book a one to one session, or join our weekly research group on **Fridays 1.30 - 4.30**. Places limited.



BOOK CHAT - Wednesday 17 March, 2pm

TOPIC: Miles Franklin nominated books, long listed, short listed or winners.

Join our friendly book chat group.
No preparation or pre-reading required.

FOLK BOOK SALE

1st and 3rd Friday of each month.
Friday 5 & 19 March, 10am - 12pm
Good quality books at bargain prices!
EFTPOS not available for FOLK Book Sales.



CHESS CLUB

Thursdays, 4 - 6pm.
Free to all and no experience needed.
No need to book, just turn up.

Want help with reading, writing or maths?



We can help! One to one support, free and confidential.

Get off to a good start with your learning in 2021.

NEW STUDENTS WELCOME!

Contact: allyson.ekin@education.tas.gov.au
0427 972 490 or 6165 6210



**FIRST
GEAR**

LEARNER LICENCE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Need help to pass the Road Rules Test?
Book your appointment today.

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DISPLAYS

Come in and see our exciting displays! We have books and resources in our collection which can give you more information on these topics.
Ask staff for recommendations!

Landscape Paintings

In the foyer: Landscape paintings in acrylic and watercolour by local artist, Heather Sadler. Largely self taught, Heather has been drawing and painting since she was a small child.
She invites you to view her new works.



The display from the Channel Heritage Museum at Margate continues in March.

Mr J.B. 'Jim' Waldie, a descendant of early Channel settlers, founded the Channel Museum in Snug back in 1977.

He wrote:

"We owe it to our early settlers to keep their memory before the present generation"



HOME LIBRARY SERVICE

Do you know someone who is unable to visit the library due to illness or other incapacity? We can help! Receive library books, DVDs, music and more. Talk to our staff or phone **6165 6208** or email kingston.library@education.tas.gov.au

ENGLISH CONVERSATION GROUP

Every Thursday
@ Kingston Library, 10.30 - 11.30am

Contact
allyson.ekin@education.tas.gov.au to book in.



Bookings:

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FREE Technology Classes - Bookings required

All booking options are provided on the front page

Bookings available via Facebook, Eventbrite, by phone, email or in person.

Digital help available at your library



Book in to get help with computing, smartphones, tablets, iPads and more! Limited/modified times available.

Call us on **6165 6208** or email kingston.library@education.tas.gov.au

Digital mentors wanted



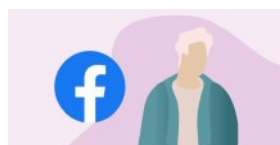
Do you have good digital skills? Like to help others? Can you spare an hour once or twice per week?

Become a Be Connected digital mentor!

Contact Sonya: **6165 6210**
or sonya.moon@education.tas.gov.au

Be Connected Webinars

These sessions are run remotely by the Office of the eSafety Commissioner. Kingston Library staff will host the sessions and provide a Q&A session.



Staying safe on Facebook

- Tuesday 9 March, 2.45 - 4.15pm



Safe online shopping and banking

- Monday 12 April, 3 - 4pm.

Make a digital copy of your photos

Learn how you can copy and store a digital copy of your precious photos, slides and negatives, to share with family and friends.

Monday March 29, 2pm. **Booking essential.**

OTHER LEARNING SERVICES

- Reading, writing, maths and study help.
- Road rules and LI licence test support.
- Literacy/digital support for form filling.
- English Conversation classes.
- Employment / leisure course information.
- Resume and job application assistance.
- Free Wi-Fi and computers.
- Computing classes/individual digital help *please note limited times available.*

For more information phone **6165 6210** or email our Learning Coordinators:

Community Learning - sonya.moon@education.tas.gov.au

Literacy - allyson.ekin@education.tas.gov.au

CHILDREN

STORYTIME

Every Thursday 10:30 - 11am

Stories, rhymes and lots of fun! Suitable for children aged 2 - 5 years. **Bookings for these sessions are open from 3pm Wednesdays. Keep up to date on our Facebook page.**



ROCK & RHYME

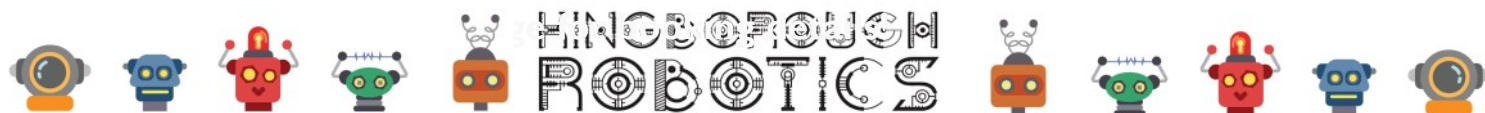
Every Wednesday & Friday 11 - 11:30am



Fun and interactive activity for babies aged 0 - 2 years. **Bookings for these sessions are open from 3pm the previous day. Keep up to date on our Facebook page.**

School Holiday program is coming soon!

Keep an eye out for our awesome program, packed with lots of great programs and events for the kids!



Kingborough Robotics is generously funded by the Tasmanian Community Fund and supported by Libraries Tasmania.

Stop Go Animation (ages 6 - 12)

Thursday March 4, 3.30pm

Bookings essential.

Intro to Ozobots (ages 6 - 12)

Thursday March 11, 3.30pm

Bookings essential.

Intro to Cubetto (ages 5 - 7)

Saturday March 13, 9.30am

Bookings essential.

Intro to Gigo (ages 5 - 8)

Saturday March 13, 11am

Bookings essential.

Swift Coding Intro (ages 8 - 12)

Thursday March 18, 3.30pm

Bookings essential.

Coding with the Dash bots (ages 6 - 12)

Saturday March 20, 9.45am

Bookings essential.

Hour of Code (ages 8 plus)

Saturday March 20, 11.15am

Bookings essential.

Sphero Soccer (ages 8 - 12)

Thursday March 25, 3.30pm

Bookings essential.

Intro to Arduino (ages 12 plus)

Saturday March 27, 10am

Bookings essential.

Come and try Merge Cubes (age 10yrs+)

Saturday March 27, 12noon

Bookings essential.

Opening hours:

Monday	9:30am - 5:30pm
Tuesday	9:30am - 5:30pm
Wednesday	9:30am - 5:30pm
Thursday	9:30am - 6pm
Friday	9:30am - 7pm
Saturday	9:30am - 12:30pm

Contacts/Bookings:

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- 6165 6208
- kingston.library@education.tas.gov.au
- WiFi: connect to "Libraries_Tasmania"

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