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DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION
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Understanding mental health issues with Wellways

Tuesday 20 July, 10am - 1pm

This session is open to anyone who would like to increase their understanding of mental health and mental illness and/or increase their understanding of symptoms and helpful interventions.

Bookings required



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Kingston Writers' Space

Tuesday 8 June, 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. Please note, this is not a class and participants are self directed.

Bookings required.



Volunteer with us!

Literacy tutors/digital mentors wanted!

We are looking for people in the Kingborough community who would be committed to helping others lift their skills in literacy and numeracy, or improve their digital skills.

Call Allyson on **6165 6210** to have a chat about what's involved or email allyson.ekin@education.tas.gov.au




Beamafilm Screening: *Promised* (2019)

Wednesday 9 June, 10:30am. Rated PG.

Two young Italian children are promised in marriage by their fathers. Twenty one years on - despite changing times, fading traditions and 70's liberation - the pair are expected to marry, or face the consequences. **Bookings required.**

Bookings and contact:

 6165 6208



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EVENTS & PROGRAMS



Regular Library Services & Programs

FAMILY HISTORY RESEARCH

Ready to research your family history? We currently have places available in our Family History Group which meets every **Friday, 1:30 - 4:30pm**. Bookings are required, so to reserve your spot in the group, or to book in for a one to one session, Contact Kingston Library on **6165 6208**.

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 give us a call. Contact information is on the front page.

CHESS CLUB

Thursdays 4 - 6pm.

Free to all and no experience needed, No need to book, just turn up.



Displays & Special Events

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!

THE KINGSTON GARDEN CLUB

A display of floral arrangements by the Kingston Garden Club

KINGSTON SPINKNITS

Kingston Spinknits are a group of talented artisans creating with spinning, knitting, felting and weaving techniques. Their display is of items produced from the group as well as showcasing the raw materials used.



For Book Lovers

FOLK BOOK SALE

Friday 4 June & Friday 18 June, 10am - 12pm

Good quality books at bargain prices!
EFTPOS not available for FOLK Book Sales.

BOOK CHAT

Wednesday 16 June, 2pm

Topic: The arts

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



Literacy Programs

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!



ENGLISH CONVERSATION GROUP

Every Thursday, 10:30 - 11:30am

Improve your English in a friendly group atmosphere. New migrants welcome!

LEARNER LICENCE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Need help to pass the Road Rules Test?

Book your appointment today.

For all literacy program bookings please contact
allyson.ekin@education.tas.gov.au - 0427 972 490

Contact and booking details on the front page.

LEARNING



Free Digital Help available at your library

Book in to get help with computing, smartphones, tablets, iPads and more!

Bookings available Monday - Saturday.

Call us on **6165 6208** or email

kingston.library@education.tas.gov.au



Other Learning Services

- Reading, writing, maths and study help.
- Road rules and LI licence test support.
- Literacy/digital support for form filling.
- 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



Free Technology Classes

UNDERSTANDING THE CLOUD

Thursday 24 June, 2 - 3pm

Find out about cloud storage and what options are available including free and paid services.

This session will cover:

- What is cloud computing
- Options available
- Storage
- Costs

Bookings required.

HOW TO USE SMART HOME TECHNOLOGY - BE CONNECTED

Monday 7 June, 9:45 - 11:15am

With the increasing popularity of smart home technology in Australia, you may have already heard the term 'smart home' but wondered exactly what it is and how it works. We will introduce you to the benefits of smart homes, tell you what you need to set one up, and how to protect your privacy and safety while enjoying all the convenience this technology brings. **Bookings required.**

HOW TO USE ZOOM TO MAKE VIDEO CALLS - BE CONNECTED

Wednesday 9 June, 2:45 - 4:15pm

With millions of meeting participants worldwide, Zoom has become one of the world's most widely-used video conferencing services. The Zoom platform allows users to see and talk to anyone, anywhere in the world in real time. However, like any online application it's important to keep your safety in mind while using Zoom.

Bookings required.



Australian Government

Be Connected

Every Australian online.

Contact and booking details on the front page.

CHILDREN



Storytime and Rock & Rhyme

STORYTIME

Every Thursday 10:30 - 11am

Storytime is a free 30 minute session which includes stories, rhymes and action songs. Sessions are aimed at preschoolers aged 2-5 years. **No bookings required.**

ROCK & RHYME

Every Wednesday & Friday 11 - 11:30am

Rock & Rhyme is a fun, free 30 minute lap-sit session for parents, carers and their babies. It is ideal for babies up to 2 years of age and includes lots of fun songs, action rhymes and stories. **No bookings required.**

KINGBOROUGH ROBOTICS

Intro to Lego WeDo - ages 6 plus

Thursday 3 June, 3:30 - 4:30pm

Intro to micro: bit - ages 9 - 12

Saturday 5 June, 12 - 1:30pm

Stop Go Animation - ages 6 - 12

Thursday 10 June, 3:30 - 4:30pm

Swift Coding Intro - ages 8 - 12

Thursday 17 June, 3:30 - 4:30pm

Intro to Flip Robot - ages 9 plus

Saturday 19 June, 10 - 11:30am

Intro to Osmo - ages 5 - 8

Thursday 24 June, 3:30 - 4:30pm

Bookings essential for all our classes.



Kingborough Robotics

Robotics programs and equipment available for community groups for ages 3 to 15 years.

If your group would like to explore robotics and coding, please contact our Kingborough Robotics Team.

We have staff available to support you in how to use the equipment as well as resources to get you started.

Our **educator training sessions** are below for any community group or service who would like to learn more about the robotics library.

Project concludes 30 June and the Robotics Library will open in July.

For more information contact

kingboroughrobotics@gmail.com or phone Sonya Moon at Kingston Library on **6165 6210**.

Intro to the Robotics Library for Educators

Tuesday 1 June, 9:30 - 11am

For early years educators.

Tuesday 1 June, 11:30am - 1pm

For educators working with ages 7 - 15.

Wednesday 16 June, 6 - 7:30pm

For early years educators.

Monday 21 June, 6 - 7:30pm

For educators working with ages 7 - 15.

Bookings essential for these sessions.



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

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

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