

Kingston Library

What's On

April 2022

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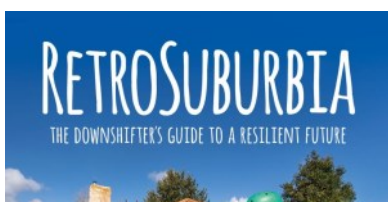
Living in the Seventies: What about me?

by **Garry Willmott**

Monday 11 April, 10 - 11am

Join Tasmanian author, Garry S. Willmott, for the launch of his latest book, *Living in the Seventies*. Willmott is the author of many historical fiction and non-fiction titles in our collection.

Light morning tea provided. **Bookings required.**



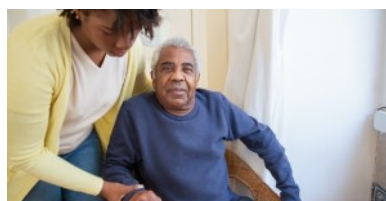
Book Review

RetroSuburbia: the downshifter's guide to a resilient future by David Holmgren – asks the question, ‘how do we live, work, and sustain an ever-growing population on a finite planet?’

With loads of illustrations, diagrams and photos covering a wide range of topics, *RetroSuburbia* focuses on how we can do the day-to-day better, in our kitchens, gardens, backyards and living spaces, focusing on a move away from consumption-based culture. It also has some great gardening content.

Thanks to the generosity of Sustainable Living Kingborough we've recently added another 4 copies to the collection for you to enjoy! Available on our catalogue now.

(review by Jesse)



Employment Course

Job Trainer Funded Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing)

Held at Kingston Library commencing early May. The course will run Mondays and Tuesdays for 6 months. On completion successful participants will be qualified to work in the aged care sector.

For all enquiries please contact Foresite Training on **6214 5056**.



Beamafilm Screening: *Delfin* (PG)

Wednesday 13 April, 10:30am

Argentina, 2019. A boy dreams of playing the French horn in a youth orchestra in a neighbouring village. Spanish language with subtitles. **Bookings required.**



Spotlight on eResources: Newspapers

Did you know your library membership gives you free online access to thousands of Australian and international newspapers using NewsBank?

This currently includes full image editions of *The Mercury*, *The Examiner*, *The Advocate* and more!

Search for titles in our catalogue or browse NewsBank in the eLibrary section of our website.

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EVENTS & PROGRAMS - BOOKINGS REQUIRED



Regular Monthly Programs

Here are our fantastic regular monthly programs - they are on the same day every month. Book via our Eventbrite listings or ask our staff for more details.

For lovers of books and film

Beamafilm Screening

2nd Wednesday of the month 10:30am - 12pm

Film this month: *Delfin* (PG)

Bookings required.

Book Chat

3rd Wednesday of the month 2 - 3pm

Topic this month: Australian historical fiction

Bookings required for new members.

FOLK Book Sales

1st and 3rd Friday of the month 10am - 12pm

Quality books at bargain prices. Cash sales only.

Regular children's programs

Rock & Rhyme (0 - 3 years)

Wednesdays and Fridays 11 - 11:30am

Storytime (3 - 5 years)

Every Thursday 10:30 - 11am

Hobbies and interests groups

Kingston Writers' Space

2nd Tuesday of the month 6:30 - 8pm

Work on your project with other budding writers.

Bookings required.

Chess Club (all ages)

Every Thursday 4 - 6pm

Bookings required for new members.

Family History Group

Meets every Friday 1:30 - 4:30pm

Individual support also available by appointment.



Literacy Programs

Want help with reading, writing or maths?

One-to-one support, free and confidential.

LEARNER LICENCE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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

ENGLISH CONVERSATION GROUP

Every Thursday (except school holidays)

10:30 - 11:30am

Beginner and intermediate groups.

New members welcome.

For all literacy program bookings please contact

sandy.von.allmen1@education.tas.gov.au

6165 6210 or 0427 972 490.



April Displays

REPAIR CAFÉ HOBART

Repair cafés are all about repairing things together and having a chance to make new connections. The Hobart repair café will display some restored items and some to be restored.

ANGLESEA BARRACKS & JAMIE TAWS

A display of male and female hats and headwear from the Army Museum of Tasmania; and a display of army memorabilia from local collector, Jamie Taws.

LEARNING - BOOKINGS REQUIRED



Free Classes (bookings required)

Book to join us for a webinar brought to you by the experts at Be Connected and the Office of e-Safety:

SAFER ONLINE BANKING AND SHOPPING **Thursday 7 April, 3 - 4pm**

@ Bruny Online & Kingston Library

- The benefits of shopping and banking online
- How to safely shop and pay for things online, and do every day online banking safely
- What to look out for

HOW TO USE GOVERNMENT WEBSITES **Tuesday 12 April, 3 - 4pm**

- Which government websites might benefit you
- How to set up a myGov account and link other government services to your account
- How to keep your personal details secure

HELPFUL APPS FOR YOUR SMART DEVICE **Thursday 21 April, 10 - 11am**

- What an app is
- Where to find and download apps
- Which apps might be helpful to you
- Tips about managing your apps

PROTECT YOURSELF AGAINST SCAMS **Tuesday 3 May, 10 - 11am**

- How to protect your personal information from scammers
- How to safely make friends online
- How to spot investment scams
- Where to go for help



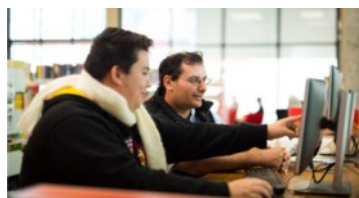
One-to-One Support

Book in with one of our wonderful team members to get help with a range of services.

This includes:

- Computing, smartphones, tablets, and other digital support
- Family history research (Fridays)
- Help with our library eResources
- Resume and job application assistance
- Reading, writing or maths support through our literacy program

To book please call us on **6165 6208** or email kingston.library@education.tas.gov.au



Other Learning Services

- Literacy/digital support for form filling
- Employment/leisure course information
- 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:

sandy.von.allmen1@education.tas.gov.au

CHILDREN



Rock & Rhyme and Storytime

No bookings required, but places are limited.

ROCK & RHYME

Every Wednesday & Friday 11 - 11:30am

A fun 30-minute program for babies, young toddlers and their carers, with simple songs, action rhymes and short stories. Aimed at children from birth to 3 years.

STORYTIME

Every Thursday 10:30 - 11am

A fun 30-minute program for older toddlers, pre-schoolers and their carers, with books, stories, rhymes, action rhymes and songs. Aimed at children from 3 to 5 years.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

Kingston Library will be closed for the Easter break, from **Friday 15 April** and reopen on **Wednesday 20 April at 9:30am**. Happy Easter everyone.

We will also be closed on **Monday 25 April** for Anzac Day.

"At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them."

- *For the Fallen*, Laurence Binyon, 1914

The after hours chute will be available for returns during these times.



School Holiday Craft Kits

Storytime and Rock & Rhyme will continue throughout the school holiday period (except for Good Friday, 15 April).

We'll also have fun craft kits for children to take home, with ideas and materials to keep creative kids busy!

Look out for the School Holiday Program to see what else is on offer in southern libraries.

JUNIOR YOUTH SPEAK OUT
Tunapi (to know)... collecting for story-telling.

GET CULTURAL!
Head into your local library these school holidays to learn about and participate in Tasmanian First Nations cultures.

DROP IN PROGRAM
bookings not required
designed for 2 to 12 year olds

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fun & engaging

- 22nd April - State Library Hobart
- 27th April - Kingston Library
- 28th April - Huonville Library

email info@rectas.com.au for more information

10AM-1PM AT ALL VENUES

Thanks to Aunty Deb Hocking

Opening hours:

Monday	9:30am - 5:30pm
Tuesday	9:30am - 5:30pm
Wednesday	9:30am - 5:30pm
Thursday	9:30am - 6:00pm
Friday	9:30am - 7:00pm
Saturday	9:30am - 12:30pm

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