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Adult program

HISTORY ILLUMINATED

Cruise



Coal and Power

Join local historian Ed Tonks on a cruise of Lake Macquarie - past Teralba, Speers Point, Green Point, Eraring, Wangi Wangi and Coal Point. Ed will talk on the history of coal and power at each of these locations.

📅 **Saturday 18 January,**
3 - 5.30pm

🏠 **Departing Booragul**
Public Wharf
(in front of Awaba House),
First Street, Booragul

☎ 4921 0556

🎫 **\$60 - includes**
Devonshire afternoon tea

📌 **Bookings are essential**

Curiosities, Wonders and Oddities

Cruise past Blackalls Park, Teralba, Swansea, Belmont, Toronto, and Eraring and learn about some of the curiosities, wonders and oddities of Lake Macquarie.

📅 **Wednesday 19 February,**
11.30am - 3pm

🏠 **Departing Booragul**
Public Wharf
(in front of Awaba House),
First Street, Booragul

☎ 4921 0556

🎫 **\$90 - includes lunch**

📌 **Bookings are essential**

Complimentary coffee, cake and tour at
Museum of Art and Culture from 10.30am

War comes to Lake Macquarie

Learn about the WWI and WWII history of Lake Macquarie with local military historian David Dial on an afternoon cruise around the lake, past Speers Point, Belmont, Rathmines, and Wangi Wangi.

📅 **Saturday 21 March,**
3.30 - 6pm

🏠 **Departing Booragul**
Public Wharf
(in front of Awaba House),
First Street, Booragul

☎ 4921 0556

🎫 **\$60 - includes Devonshire**
afternoon tea

📌 **Bookings are essential**

Series

Get a dose of history and culture on the lake all year round with the History Illuminated Cruise Series, with special guest speakers on board Lake Macquarie Cruise's M.V. Lady Mac.

As places are limited, bookings are essential.



The Lake

Exploring a Splendid Sheet of Water – a guided cruise with author Scott Bevan

Journey to some of Scott Bevan's pick spots around Lake Macquarie as he shares the stories behind his latest book, *The Lake: Exploring a Splendid Sheet of Water*. Along the way, he'll host a lunch at one of his favourite lakeside venues.

Scott is also a well-known broadcaster and documentary maker. His previous books include *The Harbour: A city's heart, a country's soul*, *Bill: The Life of William Dobell*, *Battle Lines: Australian Artists at War* and *The Hunter*.

📅 Wednesday 15 April,
10am – 3.30pm

🏠 Departing Booragul
Public Wharf
(in front of Awaba House),
First Street, Booragul

☎ 4921 0556

💰 \$100 – includes a stop at Wangi
Wangi and lunch

📝 Bookings are essential

Aboriginal Heritage Cruise

Learn about the Aboriginal Heritage of Lake Macquarie on a cruise past Blackalls Park, Speers Point, Belmont, Swansea and Pulbah Island. Prior to the cruise view current exhibitions at Museum of Art and Culture yapang.

📅 Saturday 16 May, 11.30am –
3.30pm

🏠 Departing Booragul
Public Wharf
(in front of Awaba House),
First Street, Booragul

☎ 4921 0556

💰 \$100 – includes lunch

📝 Bookings are essential

Complimentary coffee, cake and tour at
Museum of Art and Culture from 10.30am

Two Local Icons

William Dobell and The Lake –
gallery art talk and a cruise, with
author Scott Bevan

Join Scott as he hosts a tour of William Dobell's art at Museum of Art and Culture. Then take a guided lunch cruise as he shares stories of the characters and history of Lake Macquarie – and the joys and challenges of paddling all the way around it.

📅 Wednesday 17 June

🏠 Event commences at
Museum of Art and Culture
from 9am - 3.30pm
(in front of Awaba House),
First Street, Booragul

☎ 4921 0556

💰 \$100 – includes a stop at Wangi
Wangi and lunch

📝 Bookings are essential

adult

Dr Nick Fuller interval WEIGHT LOSS *for Life*

Bestselling author Dr Nick Fuller's practical guide to reprogramming your body

february

A Taste of Textiles

Try it yourself while viewing demonstrations of several textile techniques, used by members of NCEATA (Newcastle Creative Embroiderers and Textile Artists) in their exhibition *Creative Threads*.

Please arrive in time to register at 12.15pm for activities to start promptly at 12.30pm.

Activities to select from include wrapped cord brooch, collage, braiding, creative stimulation and embellishing with dry needle felting machine.

📅 Tuesday 4 February, 12.15 – 4.30pm

🏠 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

🎟 Free

✅ Bookings are essential

february

Interval weight loss – Dr Nick Fuller

Are you feeling battle-weary and about to give up on your current attempt to lose weight? Do you regain the kilos you've lost?

Dr Nick Fuller, a leading obesity researcher in Australia, explains his research-based approach to weight loss, and introduces you to his books.

📅 Thursday 6 February, 5.30pm

🏠 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

🎟 Free

✅ Bookings are essential

🛒 Books available for purchase and signing





february

Coffee, cake and contemporary women's stories

Enjoy an afternoon with four women authors who love a good story.

Hear contemporary women's fiction writers, Fiona McArthur, Cathryn Hein and Trish Morey in conversation with Jaye Ford.

Enjoy afternoon tea and learn why they write women's stories, and why contemporary women's stories matter.

 Saturday 29 February, 2 – 4pm

 Lakeview café, 192 The Esplanade, Speers Point

 4921 0463

 \$20 – includes afternoon tea

 Bookings are essential

 Books available for purchase and signing



Writapod is a Lake Mac Libraries initiative that will deliver a range of author visits, literacy programs and opportunities for local writers.

march

Memoir Made Simple - Amanda Hampson

Want to write your life story or family history but don't know where to start? How do you decide what to include? What period to cover? How can you make it interesting?

Join best-selling author, Amanda Hampson, for a unique, practical workshop to find out everything you need to know: how to get your material organised, find a structure, turn fragments and memories into stories, craft dialogue and description.

Find your voice and turn your story into a compelling read.

 Wednesday 4 March, 10am – 1pm

 Toronto Library

 4921 0641

 \$45 – light refreshments provided

 Bookings are essential

Book online at library.lakemac.com.au/events

adult

march

The Lake: Exploring a Splendid Sheet of Water

a series of talks with author Scott Bevan

In his new book, *The Lake: Exploring a Splendid Sheet of Water*, Scott has circumnavigated Lake Macquarie by kayak, getting to know this amazing waterway, its history and its characters.

In March, Scott is giving a series of five different talks at libraries around Lake Macquarie telling local stories and travel tales.



📅 Thursday 5 March,
5.30pm – 7pm

🏠 Toronto Library

☎ 4921 0641

🎟 Free

📅 Saturday 7 March,
10.30am – noon

🏠 Wangi Wangi Library

☎ 4921 0643

🎟 Free

📅 Saturday 14 March,
2 – 3.30pm

🏠 Speers Point Library

☎ 4921 0493

🎟 Free

📅 Bookings are essential

🛒 Books available for purchase and signing

📅 Thursday 19 March,
5.30 – 7pm

🏠 Belmont Library

☎ 4921 0731

🎟 Free

📅 Friday 20 March, 5.30
– 7pm

🏠 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

🎟 Free

may

Live and Local

Live Stream from Sydney Writers Festival

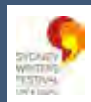
One of Australia's best-loved forums for literature, ideas and storytelling, Sydney Writers' Festival will stream its headline events direct to the Lake Mac Centre for Performing Arts.

Prepare to be stimulated and engaged by conversations, debates and discussions.

Full programs and bookings available from April 2020.

Gold coin entry.

Live refreshments available.



Lake Mac Big Book Sale

Grab a bargain and fill a bag with books for \$5. Over 8,000 books to pick from.

📅 Friday 1 May – Sunday 3 May

🏠 Lake Mac Centre for Performing Arts

☎ 4921 0556

Genealogy after Dark

This is a three-part series of workshops – each session can be booked separately.

 **Bookings are essential**

SESSION 1:

Family History for Beginners

This beginner session will look at sorting your records and useful resources for getting started.

 **Tuesday 9 June, 6pm**

 **Charlestown Library**

 **4921 0792**

 **Free**

 **Thursday 11 June, 6pm**

 **Toronto Library**

 **4921 0641**

 **Free**

SESSION 2:

Online resources and how to best use them

This intermediate session will look at how to use online resources including Ancestry, Findmypast, Trove, Newspaper Archives and local Family History groups.

 **Tuesday 16 June, 6pm**

 **Charlestown Library**

 **4921 0792**

 **\$15**

 **Thursday 18 June, 6pm**

 **Toronto Library**

 **4921 0641**

 **\$15**

SESSION 3:

Specialist and hard to find records – convicts, immigration and hiring a researcher

Not sure where to look next? Learn about specialist resources to find information on assisted and unassisted immigrants and passengers, and convict records.

 **Tuesday 23 June, 6pm**

 **Charlestown Library**

 **4921 0641**

 **\$15**

 **Thursday 25 June, 6pm**

 **Toronto Library**

 **4921 0641**

 **\$15**

regular adult programs

(excludes school holidays)

book club



Join one of our many book clubs and broaden your reading choices, discover new authors and meet friendly, likeminded reading enthusiasts.

Belmont Library	Third Monday of the month	6pm
Belmont Library	(Books4Blokes)	
	Second Tuesday of the month	5pm
Charlestown Library	First Monday of the month	6.30pm
Charlestown Library	Fourth Tuesday of the month	6pm
Charlestown Library	First Friday of the month	10am
Edgeworth Library	Second Thursday of the month	2pm
Edgeworth Library	Fourth Tuesday of the month	5pm
Morisset Library	Third Wednesday of the month	10am
Speers Point Library	First Tuesday of the month	12.30pm
Speers Point Library	First Wednesday of the month	5pm
Swansea Library	(Movie book club)	
	First Thursday of the month	5pm
Toronto Library	Last Monday of the month	11am
Toronto Library	Third Wednesday of the month	10am

book chat



Casual group to discuss whatever you are reading or how to find great reads.

Belmont Library	Last Tuesday of the month	11am
Cardiff Library	First Wednesday of the month	10.30am
Charlestown Library	Fourth Wednesday of the month	10am
Swansea Library	(Crime club) First Tuesday of the month	11am
Wangi Wangi Library	Last Friday of the month	2.30pm
Windale Library	First Monday of the month	11.30am

regular adult programs

(excludes school holidays)

relax



Unwind and play a relaxed game of mahjong or scrabble

Swansea Library	Mahjong	Every Monday Every Thursday	11am 10.30am
Wangi Wangi Library	Mahjong	Every Monday	2pm
Belmont Library	Scrabble	Every Monday	1.30pm
Edgeworth Library	Scrabble	Every Wednesday	10am
Morisset Library	Scrabble	Every Thursday	10am

create



Share your work with fellow writers and poets, have a discussion on current affairs or enjoy a relaxed morning of coffee and craft.

Cardiff Library	Craft	Second Friday of the month	10.30am
Edgeworth Library	Craft	Every second Friday	10am
Morisset Library	Craft	First and third Tuesday of the month	10am
Morisset Library	Drawing	Every Monday	10am
Belmont Library	Knitting	Every Tuesday	10am
Wangi Wangi Library	Knitting	Every Wednesday	10am
Speers Point Library	Memoir writing	Third Thursday of the month	10am
Morisset Library	Poetry club	Fourth Tuesday of each month	9.45am
Morisset Library	Soapbox	Third Wednesday of the month	9.15am
Belmont	Creative Writing meet-up	Fourth Saturday of the month	9am
Wangi Wangi Library	Writers group	First Wednesday of the month	2pm

adult

INSPIRATION

WRITE HERE



FESTIVAL 2020

*Returns in May for an
extended two-day festival*

Building on the 2019 program, Write Here! 2020 will feature talks and workshops to support inspiring authors and enthusiastic readers wanting to learn from some of Australia's most popular and successful writers and illustrators.

📅 Full program will be released in April 2020

📅 Bookings will be essential

📅 Saturday 30 May and Sunday 31 May

🏠 Toronto Library

☎ 4921 0641



Get prepped for your HSC

free
study
tips!



march

HSC SUCCESS

Standard and Advanced English

This workshop will give you an overview of the new HSC English courses, the tools to interpret HSC Exam questions, and how to clearly communicate with well-structured writing.

Discover the tips and tricks to writing essays and extended responses, summarising, organising content and planning what you write, before you sit the exam.

📅 Tuesday 10 March, 6pm

📍 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

april

HSC SUCCESS

Science

This workshop will look at the HSC Science syllabus's, and give you an insight into the HSC marking process, with tips to help improve your answers to maximise your exam marks. This workshop is suitable for anyone studying biology, chemistry, environmental and earth science, physics and senior science.

📅 Tuesday 7 April, 6pm

📍 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

june

HSC SUCCESS

Imaginative writing for HSC English

This workshop will focus on imaginative writing in the HSC English exam, in particular responding to Module C style questions. Learn how to deconstruct the requirements of the question, and plan your response using a range of techniques to communicate your ideas clearly and with conviction.

📅 Tuesday 2 June, 6pm

📍 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

may

HSC SUCCESS

English – texts and human experiences

This workshop will focus on writing skills required for the common HSC English module, texts and human experiences. Learn how to confidently respond to short answer and extended response style questions using some valuable strategies to enhance your writing.

📅 Tuesday 5 May, 6pm

📍 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

**bookings
are
essential**

HSC SUCCESS

Exam ready

This workshop will help guide you through your final preparations for the Trial HSC, and then onto the HSC.

📅 Tuesday 30 June, 6pm

📍 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792



children

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**Confidence
in STEM**

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Kids program



february

Library Lovers' Day storytime

Join us for a special storytime of stories, songs and craft where we celebrate our love of stories, books and reading.

Suitable for ages 3 – 6 years.

 Friday 14 February, 9.30am

 Swansea Library

 4921 0780

 Free

 Bookings are essential



february

Growing brains through music and play

Join Julie Logan Music in this interactive workshop for children aged 0 – 3 years.

Together, you and your child will see how music can optimise development of memory, language, coordination and support lifelong skills. No music experience is required!

 Monday 24 February, 11.15am

 Charlestown Library

 4921 0792

 Free

 Bookings are essential



The You're Kidding Me Program supports understanding of child development and how families can give their child the best start in life.

children



february

Babies into Books (BIBS)

Help develop your baby's language and pre-reading skills at our six-week program for parents and babies under one year.

Learn songs, finger plays and rhymes you can continue to share together at home.

 Starts Wednesday 5 February, 10am

 Toronto Library

 4921 0641

 Starts Tuesday 11 February, 11am

 Morisset Library

 4921 0573

 Free

 Bookings are essential



march

Building speech and language skills at home

Have you ever wondered how you can help foster and build your child's speech and language skills at home?

Early Start Speech Pathology presents a practical and engaging workshop on how to build language and social engagement, as well as outline any language red flag indicators.

 Thursday 5 March, 10.30am

 Swansea Library

 4921 0780

 Free

 Bookings are essential



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children

School holiday fun

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A close-up photograph of a baby crawling on a white surface. The baby is wearing a blue short-sleeved shirt and is smiling broadly, showing its teeth. The background is blurred, suggesting an indoor setting with light-colored walls and furniture.

Tummy Time

Tummy time is vital for so many areas of a developing baby – muscles, eyes, brain, and social to name a few. But tummy time can be hard, especially when a baby is uncomfortable!

Join Felicity from Family Chiropractic Charlestown as she shares secrets on how to make tummy time fun, engaging and enjoyable for all babies and parents.

Tuesday 7 April, 11.15am

 Belmont Library

☎ 4921 0731

 Free

 Bookings are essential



children



april

Babies into Books (BIBS)

Help develop your baby's language and pre-reading skills at our six-week program for parents and babies under one year.

Learn songs, finger plays and rhymes you can continue to share together at home.

 Starts Wednesday 29 April, 10am

 Toronto Library

 4921 0641

 Free

 Bookings are essential



may

National Simultaneous Storytime – Whitney and Britney Chicken Divas

National Simultaneous Storytime is an annual campaign that aims to encourage more young Australians to read and enjoy books, where over a million participants throughout Australia will read the same book together.

Hear *Whitney and Britney Chicken Divas*, written and illustrated by Lucinda Gifford, and join us for a morning of fun activities. Suitable for 3 – 5 years.

 Wednesday 20 May, 11am

 Belmont, Morisset and Swansea Libraries

 Free

 Bookings are essential



june

Confidence in STEM

Join Educational Consultant Niki Buchan, and discover how easy it is to support your child's development Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM). No prior STEM experience required!

Suitable for all ages, however there will be STEM activities for children aged 2-5 years available at this talk.

 Tuesday 16 June, 11.30am

 Charlestown Library

 4921 0792

 Free

 Bookings are essential



children

june

Speech screening

Designed for children aged 3-5 years, this one on one appointment will screen your child's language, speech and communication development. Have your questions answered and addressed before your child starts school.

 Thursday 25 June, 10.30am - noon

 Speers Point Library

 4921 0493

 Free

 Bookings are essential

regular kids programs

(excludes school holidays)



books and babies (Birth to 1 year)

Share stories and rhymes with your baby and nurture an early love of reading.

Enjoy time with your baby and meet other parents.

Belmont Library

Every Tuesday
10.30am

Cardiff Library

Every Friday
10am

Charlestown Library

Every Thursday
11am



read and rhyme time (1 to 3 years)

Move and groove with stories, songs and musical instruments for toddlers.

Encourage imagination, build language skills and have fun.

Belmont Library

Every Thursday
10.30am

Edgeworth Library

Every Tuesday
9.30am

Toronto Library

Every Tuesday
10.30am

Cardiff Library

Every Monday
11am

Morisset Library

Every Thursday
10am

Charlestown Library

Every Tuesday
11am

Speers Point Library

Every Friday
9.30am

regular kids programs

(excludes school holidays)



storytime (3 to 5 years)

Listen to stories, sing songs and create something crafty with your pre-schooler.

Prepare for school and encourage a love of reading, imaginations and social interaction with other children.

Morisset Library

First Saturday
of the month
10am

Swansea Library

Every Friday
9.30am

Toronto Library

Second Thursday
of the month
10.30am



after school (Suitable for Primary school age)

Cardiff Library

Children's book club
First Monday of the month
4pm

Toronto Library

LEGO® Builders
Third Thursday of the month
4pm

Morisset Library

Children's book club
Third Tuesday of the month
4pm

Morisset Library

Maker creator
First Wednesday of the month
4pm

after school (Suitable for ages 12-17 years)

Toronto Library

Comics –Us
First Wednesday of the month
4pm

A black and white photograph of a woman in 1930s evening wear. She is wearing a dark, short-sleeved dress with a large white bow at the neck and a row of white buttons down the front. She is also wearing a white hat, white gloves, and white high-heeled shoes. She is holding a white jacket or shawl over her left arm and is waving with her right hand. A vase with flowers is visible in the foreground on the left.

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The Fine Art of the Cut: 1930's evening wear

Cavalcade of Fashion's presentation

Over 55s program

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february

Planning the future law talk and advice sessions: wills, power of attorney and guardianship

Over 55s

This talk will give an opportunity to find out what you need to know about planning for your future. The talk will be followed by individual 15 minute advice sessions.

Presented by University of Newcastle Legal Centre – Older Persons Legal Clinic.

📅 Friday 7 February, 10am

🏠 Belmont Library

☎ 4921 0731

🆓 Free

📅 Bookings are essential

📅 Friday 28 February, 10am

🏠 Morisset Library

☎ 4921 0573

🆓 Free

📅 Bookings are essential



Living with tinnitus

Tinnitus can negatively affect your lifestyle and wellbeing by disrupting sleep and causing stress. Join Dr Sylvester Fernandes, an Ear, Nose, Throat and Facial Plastic Surgeon to learn more about this condition and strategies to manage.

📅 Tuesday 18 February, 11am

🏠 Speers Point Library

☎ 4921 0493

🆓 Free

📅 Bookings are essential

march

Osteoporosis awareness

What is osteoporosis and who is at risk? Learn the facts of diagnosing and preventing osteoporosis, presented in partnership with Arthritis and Osteoporosis Australia NSW.

📅 Monday 9 March, 11am

🏠 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

🆓 Free

📅 Bookings are essential





Over 55s

Next in Line – Memoir writing

This three-week course is designed to inspire and motivate you to record your life story for future generations.

📅 Tuesday 17, 24 and 31
March, 1 – 3pm

🏠 Toronto Library

☎ 4921 0641

🎥 Free

☑ Bookings are essential

april



Strata living

Learn about common issues and understand how a strata scheme works including the roles, rights and responsibilities of owners, tenants and strata professionals.

Presented by Fair Trading.

📅 Monday 6 April, 11am

🏠 Charlestown Library

☎ 4921 0792

🎥 Free

☑ Bookings are essential

📅 Wednesday 8 April, 1.30pm

🏠 Morisset Library

☎ 4921 0573

🎥 Free

☑ Bookings are essential

may



Be Scam aware

Scams are constantly changing. Learn how to identify a scam and the latest scams by email, phone and Internet.

📅 Tuesday 12 May, 11am

🏠 Wangi Wangi Library

☎ 4921 0643

🎥 Free

☑ Bookings are essential

📅 Thursday 14 May, 1.30pm

🏠 Belmont Library

☎ 4921 0731

🎥 Free

☑ Bookings are essential

june



The Fine Art of the Cut: 1930's evening wear

Over 55s

Cavalcade of Fashion's presentation will share their collection of 1930s gowns and bring the history of women's lives and their families alive. Items are carried amongst the audience, allowing a closer look at pieces from the collection.

📅 Wednesday 10 June, 11am

🏠 Belmont Library

☎ 4921 0731

🎟 Free

📅 Bookings are essential



Be Connected – every Australian Online

Lake Mac Libraries are now a Be Connected partner.

Be Connected is a free Australian Government initiative aimed at increasing the confidence, skills and online safety of older Australians when they use the internet and everyday technology.

Older Australians will be able to learn the basics of going online, including:

- being safe while online
- talking to or seeing family and friends who live far away, more often
- finding new friends or old friends who share similar interests and hobbies
- keeping up-to-date with what's happening in their community and around the world
- shopping online, safely and securely, without leaving home.

For information about upcoming sessions or to become a digital mentor, please contact 4921 0263.



Be Connected
Every Australian online.



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Classic
film
series

Special events

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Then and Now

**Saturday 1 February –
Monday 30 March**

Lake Macquarie has changed a lot in the past 100 years. Our new exhibition showcases photographs of the past and the present. Can you spot the differences?



Collectors

Saturday 4 April – Sunday 31 May

Everyone has a collection. From Star Wars to model trains, this special exhibition brings together local collectors to ask "Why they collect" and "What they collect".



Tyrannosaurs: Ultimate Predators

Saturday 6 June – Sunday 2 August

Dinosaurs return to SEEN this winter with a special exhibition all about the king of the dinos – T-Rex.

Special events

CLASSIC FILM SERIES

DRESS TO SUIT.

ENJOY LIVE MUSIC AND PERIOD APPROPRIATE REFRESHMENTS WHILE SEEING SOME OF THE MOST WELL-KNOWN CLASSIC BOOK TO FILM ADAPTIONS.

Casablanca

For this special Valentine's Day showing, couples can book an individual table with tapas style menu and drinks served throughout the film.

The evening will commence with live music inspired by the film before couples are invited to take their seats for the main show.

📅 Friday 14 February, 6pm

🏠 Lake Mac Centre for Performing Arts

☎ 4921 0556

💰 \$35 – includes drinks and catering

📅 Bookings are essential

The Wonderful Wizard of Oz

Join us along the yellow brick road as we find a heart, some courage, a brain and home.

The evening will start with live music inspired by the film.

Dinner picnic baskets are available for purchase with your tickets.

📅 Friday 27 March, 6pm

🏠 Lake Mac Centre for Performing Arts

☎ 4921 0556

💰 \$15 entry – picnic baskets and drinks available for purchase

📅 Bookings are essential

The Great Gatsby

Don your finest for a screening of *The Great Gatsby* (Baz Luhrmann's 2013 adaption).

Before settling down for the film, guests can enjoy a cocktail and try out their dance moves with live music.

📅 Friday 3 July, 6pm

🏠 Lake Mac Centre for Performing Arts

☎ 4921 0556

💰 \$35 – includes drinks and catering

📅 Bookings are essential



EXHIBITIONS AT THE LIBRARY

FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY TO SATURDAY 30 MAY 2020



See diverse group exhibitions showcasing works from Lake Macquarie community art classes hosted at Museum of Art and Culture Lake Macquarie.

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The Rover

Week 1

Monday	10–11.30am	Valentine Allambee Park, Dilkera Avenue
	12.45–1.30pm	Eleebana Eleebana Residences, Burton Road
	1.45–2.30pm	Eleebana Eleebana Shores, Burton Road
	3–4pm	Mount Hutton Mullington Park, Warners Bay Road
Tuesday	3–4.15pm	Freemans Waterhole Freemans Spring Caravan Park
Wednesday		Available to visit community groups on request
	2–4pm	Redhead Cowlshaw Street (Memorial Hall Park)
Thursday		Available to visit community groups on request
	1–2.30pm	Edgeworth Hawkins Masonic Village, Northville Drive
Friday		Available to visit community groups on request
	2.30–3.30pm	Nords Wharf Baxter Park, Marine Parade
Saturday		Available to pop-up and visit events

Week 2

Monday	10–11.30am	Valentine Allambee Park, Dilkera Avenue
	1.30–2.30pm	Dora Creek Doree Place
Tuesday	10–11am	Bonnells Bay Lakeside Retirement Village, Marconi Road
	11.15am–12.15pm	Bonnells Bay Bay Village Estate, Fishery Point Road
	1.15–2.15pm	Cooranbong Alton Road near the shops
	3–3.45pm	Wyee Community Hall Reserve, Wyee
Wednesday		Available to visit community groups on request
	2–4pm	Redhead Cowlshaw Street (Memorial Hall Park)
Thursday		Available to visit community groups on request
Friday	10–11am	Warners Bay Lake Street
	12.30–1.30pm	West Wallsend Hyndes Street (opp. Workers Club)
	1.45–2.30pm	West Wallsend Sugar Valley Lifestyle Estate
	3–4pm	Cameron Park Pasterfield Sports Complex, Horizon Avenue
Saturday		Available to pop-up and visit events

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Week 1
Week 2
Closed

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