


# APRIL *calendar of events*

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OPENING HOURS – MONDAY & TUESDAY 9AM–5PM, WEDNESDAY–FRIDAY 9AM–6PM, SATURDAY 10AM–2PM

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 <b>LIBRARY CLOSED</b>	2 <b>6.30pm</b> Open Book Club	3 <b>10am</b> Book Chat <b>2pm</b> Computer Connected <b>4pm</b> Creative Writer's Club for Kids	4 <b>10.30am</b> Baby Rhymetime <b>2pm</b> Family History Help Session	5 <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time	6 <b>11.30am</b> English Conversation Circles
<b>SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS</b>					
8 <b>9.30am</b> Computer Connected <b>2pm</b> Digital Skills	9 <b>2pm</b> U3A Open Tutorial	10 <b>2pm</b> Computer Connected <b>5pm</b> YA Book Club	11 <b>10.30am</b> Baby Rhymetime	12 <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time	13 <b>11.30am</b> English Conversation Circles
<b>SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAMS</b>					
15 <b>9.30am</b> Computer Connected <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time <b>2pm</b> Digital Skills <b>4pm</b> Lego Club & Mindful Meditation	16 <b>10am</b> Tech Lab Safety Induction <b>10am</b> Financial Wellbeing <b>1pm</b> English Conversation Circles <b>4pm</b> Homework Help <b>5.30pm</b> Sticky Subjects	17 <b>10am</b> Exploring Our Past <b>10.30am</b> Story Time <b>2pm</b> Computer Connected	18 <b>10am</b> Tech Lab Safety Induction <b>10.30am</b> Baby Rhymetime <b>5pm</b> Sound Lab Induction <b>6.30pm</b> Expand Your Mind	19 <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time	20 <b>11.30am</b> English Conversation Circles
22 <b>9.30am</b> Computer Connected <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time <b>1pm</b> Digital Skills Registration <b>2pm</b> Digital Skills <b>4pm</b> Lego Club & Mindful Meditation	23 <b>10am</b> Tech Lab Safety Induction <b>2pm</b> U3A Open Tutorial <b>4pm</b> Homework Help	24 <b>10.30am</b> Story Time <b>2pm</b> Computer Connected <b>5pm</b> Young Adult Writers Group	25 <b>LIBRARY CLOSED</b>	26 <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time	27 <b>11.30am</b> English Conversation Circles
29 <b>9.30am</b> Computer Connected <b>10.30am</b> Toddler Time <b>2pm</b> Digital Skills <b>4pm</b> Lego Club	30 <b>10am</b> Tech Lab Safety Induction <b>11am</b> Orchestra Victoria <b>4pm</b> Homework Help	<p><i>Coming next month</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In Conversation with Kerryn Mayne</li> <li>• Makerspace Opening and "Make it May" programs</li> </ul>		 	

## STICKY SUBJECTS

### Addiction, Advocacy and Community Action

**Tuesday 16 April at 5.30 pm**

Sticky Subjects is a new series presenting panel discussions on complex community issues that have often felt taboo, or that challenge us and our ways of thinking. Addiction is one such challenge for the whole community.

Join us for our first session as we hear from safe injecting room advocate Judy Ryan, author of *You Talk, We Die*, her account of the battle to introduce safe injecting rooms in to her community. Judy will be joined by WRAD Health CEO Mark Powell, and Brophy youth specialist AoD programs, Jessica Moloney, to discuss community responses to addiction support.

*Register to attend on the Library website.*



### EXPLORING OUR PAST - Treasures of the Collection

**Wednesday 17 April at 10 am**

**Bookings required**

Come along for a rare peak at some of the hidden gems from the Warrnambool Library and Warrnambool Historical Society collections. A variety of interesting and beautiful items will be on show for this fascinating presentation, helping us to discover what these items can tell us about our past.

Image courtesy of Warrnambool and District Historical Society Collection



### EXPAND YOUR MIND - Hannah O'Neill: Supercharging the brain with music

**Thursday 18 April at 6.30 pm**

**Bookings required**

Music Education can often be seen as an added 'extra' in the curriculum, something that is enjoyable, but perhaps not necessary. However, research over the last 20 years has shown that children who are actively engaged in music education have better language and communication skills, can focus for longer, and have better working short term and long term memory systems. In fact, this is just the start of the permanent and positive neurological changes that musically trained children benefit from. So, why music? What makes it such a cognitively unique activity?

Join as as we hear from Hannah O'Neill from Bigger Better Brains.



### ORCHESTRA VICTORIA - 'Little Puggle's Song'

**Tuesday 30 April at 11 am**

**Bookings required**

Introduce your kids to live music with Orchestra Victoria! "Little Puggle's Song" is a heartwarming tale about a young echidna who dreams of joining the bush choir but can't sing a note. Composer Maria Grenfell's new work, accompanied by woodwind, string, and percussion, brings Vikki Conley's book to life. Narrated by Janet McLeod, it's a perfect first musical experience for young children but may be enjoyed by people of any age.

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