



April  
2022

# LIBRARY NEWS

Recently at the Gawler Libraries, we've had a few staffing changes, one of them being new faces in our Technical Services department. This is the area of the library which is responsible for the processing of new items to the collections and maintenance of the current collection among many other tasks that keep our library working like clockwork.

Meet our new Technical Services staff members..

## **Rebekah...**

*Rebekah started with the Town of Gawler on a work placement in 2020 as a part of her studies. After completing her degree, she returned to us as a volunteer in March 2021. Rebekah began in her role as a Library Officer (technical services) this February and her favourite part of the job is opening up the new books and preparing them for borrowing as well as exploring the collection. In her spare time, Rebekah enjoys TV, movies, videogames, and books. She is a big fan of the Harry Potter series and loves collecting book and movie memorabilia.*



## **Allen...**

*You may already know Allen as he has been a casual in the library since July 2019. He has worked in both library locations and is a wealth of interesting historical information about Gawler. Allen will be working alongside Rebekah in the Technical Services area looking after our physical collection.*





















**Gawler Civic Centre**  
**8522 9213**

**Evanston Gardens**  
**8522 0123**

# APRIL 2022

# What's On at the Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
 Find us on Facebook! Gawler Public Library				1	2 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	3
4  SHELF TALK AVAILABLE FOR APRIL 2022	5 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library Tiny Tales 9:30 am GCC Library	6  Library Lego 3:30 pm EG Library	7 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library  Plant Propagation 11:00 am EG Library	8	9 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	10
11  beingdigital Leisure & Wellbeing 10am GCC Library  EASTER Take & Makes available both locations	12 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library Tiny Tales Last session for T1 9:30 am GCC Library  Kids Create 3.30 pm EG Library	13	14 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	15 <i>Good Friday Public Holiday</i>  School Holidays Begin 	16 <i>Easter Saturday</i>  SCHOOL HOLIDAYS at Gawler	17 <i>Easter Sunday</i> 
18 <i>Easter Monday Public Holiday</i> 	19 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library  Take & Makes available both locations BOARD GAME FUN! ←	20 Listen @ Lunch 12-1pm GCC  All week at EG Library	21 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	22 	23 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library  Saturday Slowdown 10:00 am GCC Library	24
25 <i>ANZAC Day Public Holiday</i>	26 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library BOARD GAME FUN! ←	27  Tie Dye Workshop 2.30 pm EG Library All week at GCC Library	28 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library	29	30 JP Service 10:30 am GCC Library 	
DISCOVER DIGITAL FUN AT THE GAWLER LIBRARIES - CIVIC CENTRE						
DISCOVER DIGITAL FUN AT THE GAWLER LIBRARIES - EVANSTON GARDENS						

[gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au](http://gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)

Both libraries closed



DISCOVER DIGITAL FUN at the library these school holidays!

Self-paced digital fun is waiting for you at the Gawler Libraries during the Autumn School Holidays!

Bookings not required

Week One 19-23 April Gawler Civic Centre

Week Two (26-29 April) - Evanston Gardens

Gawler



Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

April 11th

beingdigital Workshops

Leisure, Wellbeing, Health & Fun



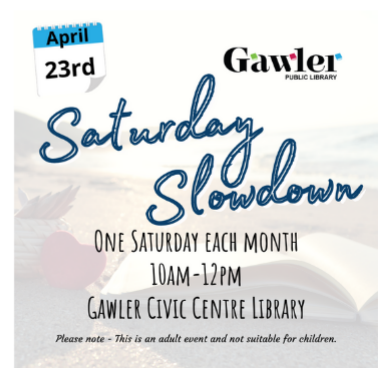
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS Gawler

Tie Dye Workshop

A fun and hands-on activity for kids!

See Gawler Library's Eventbrite listing for all the details and to book your child's spot!

April 27th



April 23rd

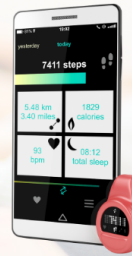
Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY

Saturday Slowdown

ONE SATURDAY EACH MONTH 10AM-12PM

GAWLER CIVIC CENTRE LIBRARY

Please note - This is an adult event and not suitable for children.



# being digital

## Workshops

### DISCOVER DIGITAL FUN

at the library  
these school holidays!

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**Merge Cubes**  
- Use our iPads to scan these odd little cubes to discover all about the Earth, Space or the human body.

**Quiver Augmented Reality**  
- Use your creativity to colour in the sheet & scan your creation to bring them to life and play ball!

**Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**Week One (19-23 April) - Gawler Civic Centre**  
**Week Two (26-29 April) - Evanston Gardens**

# Gawler


PUBLIC LIBRARY

**Gawler Environment Centre**

**April 7th**

**\*Sold Out\***  
Call the library to join our waitlist

## NATIVE PLANT PROPAGATION

The background of the entire page is a light-colored wooden surface decorated with various Easter-themed items. In the top left, there is a cluster of five colorful eggs: a green one with white patterns, a yellow one with red and orange patterns, a red one with white polka dots, a pink one with white floral patterns, and a purple one with white polka dots. Scattered across the surface are numerous small, colorful heart-shaped candies and beads. In the bottom right, there are two baskets filled with more colorful eggs. At the very bottom, the ears of a pink and white bunny are visible.

**Gawler Public  
Library staff  
would like to wish  
all our community  
a safe & happy  
Easter break!**

Both Gawler Libraries will be closed for the  
Easter break 15th-18th of April and for  
ANZAC day on the 25th of April.

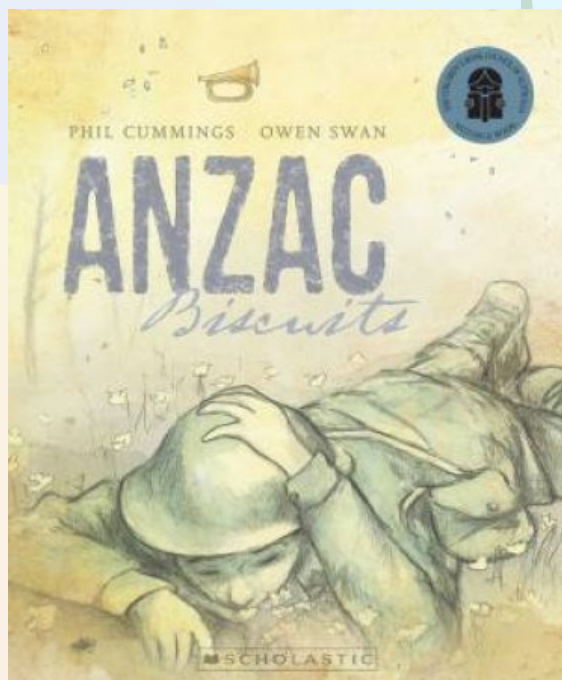
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PUBLIC LIBRARY



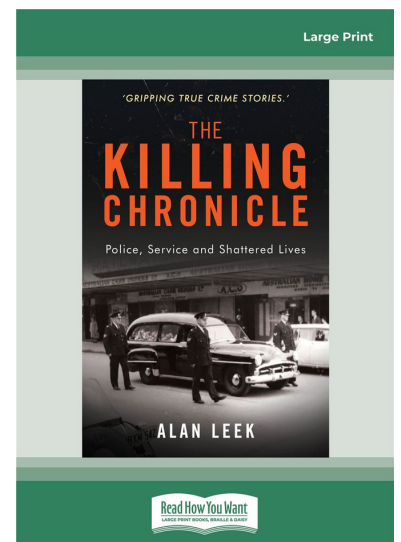
# OFF THE SHELF

On 25 April 1915, the combined forces of Australia and New Zealand formed part of the Allied expedition to seize the Gallipoli peninsula in Turkey. Their objective was to take the peninsula to open the Dardanelles Strait to the Allied navy. This would allow Allied troops to capture the city of Constantinople (now Istanbul) and significantly weaken the Ottoman Empire, who were allies with Germany.

The Allied soldiers met fierce resistance from their Turkish counterparts. After eight months of an ongoing stalemate, allied forces were evacuated. Both sides suffered heavy losses in the conflict, with Australia recording 8,709 and deaths, and New Zealand 2,779 deaths. The Turkish losses were estimated to be 86,692 deaths. Other countries involved in this conflict were Great Britain and Ireland (21, 255 deaths), France (est. 10, 000 deaths), India (1,358 deaths) and Newfoundland (49 deaths).



April 25 is now the date we use to commemorate the lives of ALL Australians and New Zealanders killed in war.



You can search our catalogue for more ANZAC books here: <https://bit.ly/3JubExv> OR scan the QR code on the right.

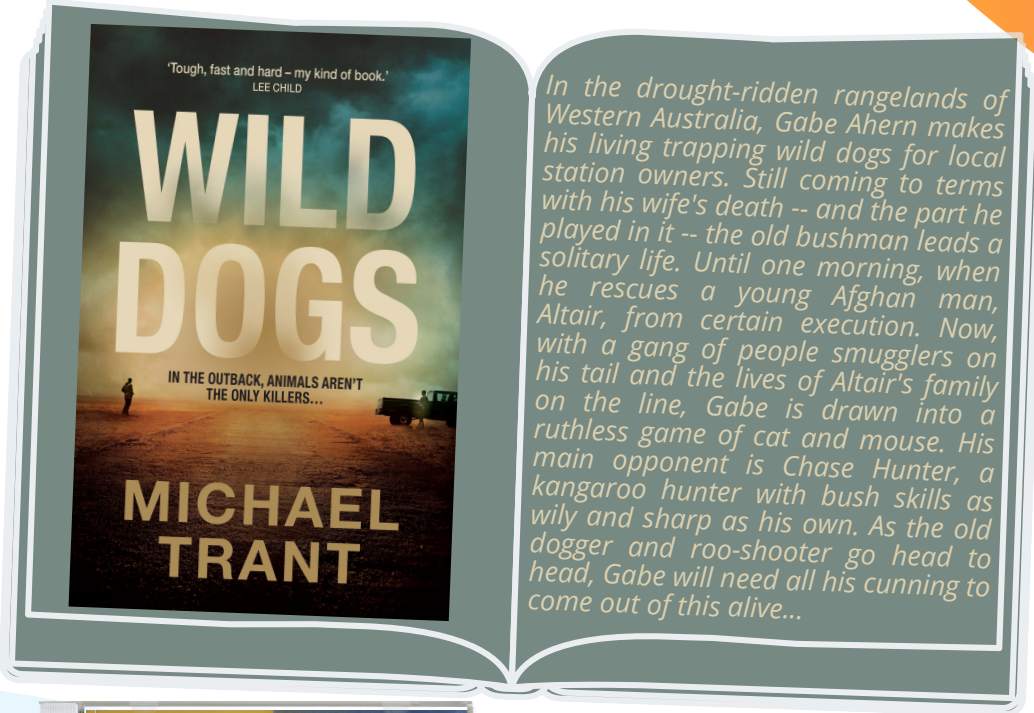


Looking for something new to read, watch or listen to? We always have lots of new items appearing on our shelves in both of our locations: Gawler Civic Centre and Evanston Gardens.

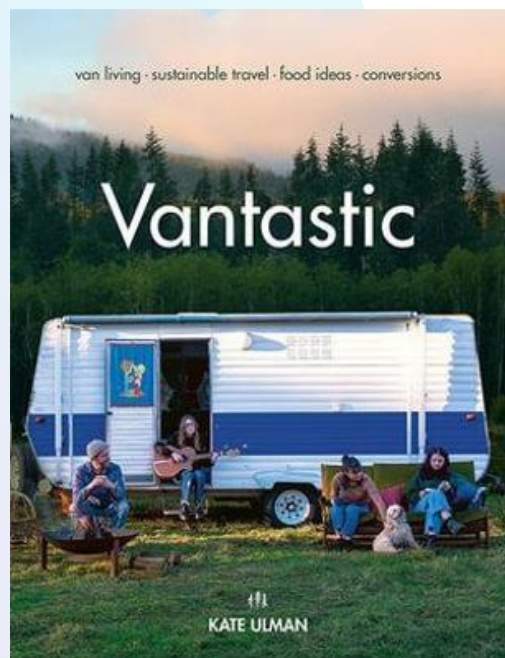
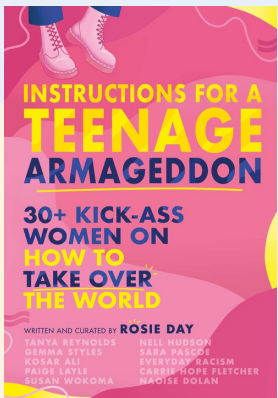
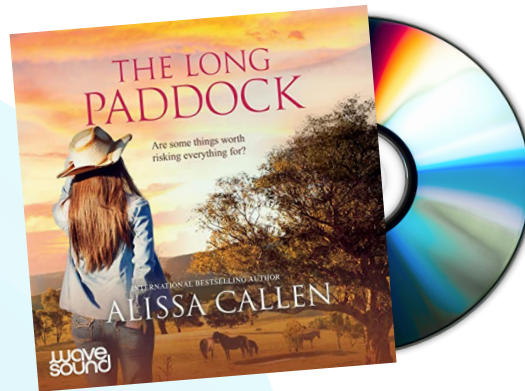
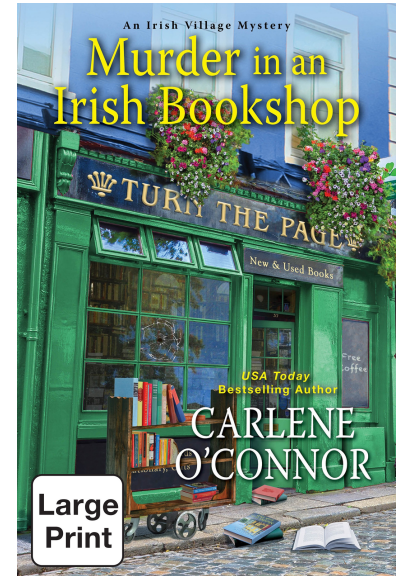
Search our catalogue using the link below to request any of the items you see featured here.

[www.onecard.network/gawler](http://www.onecard.network/gawler)

# LATEST TITLES



*In the drought-ridden rangelands of Western Australia, Gabe Ahern makes his living trapping wild dogs for local station owners. Still coming to terms with his wife's death -- and the part he played in it -- the old bushman leads a solitary life. Until one morning, when he rescues a young Afghan man, Altair, from certain execution. Now, with a gang of people smugglers on his tail and the lives of Altair's family on the line, Gabe is drawn into a ruthless game of cat and mouse. His main opponent is Chase Hunter, a kangaroo hunter with bush skills as wily and sharp as his own. As the old dogger and roo-shooter go head to head, Gabe will need all his cunning to come out of this alive...*



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# MAGAZINE HIGHLIGHT

**Peppermint** is a quarterly Australian magazine that shares and celebrates a wide variety of important topics including sustainability, diversity, social justice and creativity. This magazine is perfect for those who care about style and making the world a better place. In the Autumn issue, be inspired by thought-provoking articles, including AJ Clementine's story about finding acceptance, and an exploration into the wearable art collection created by bio-artist Zena Holloway. After reading about the benefits of having a break from social media, why not try DIY instead? You will find a pattern for a tent dress, as well as a guide for sewing and drafting your own wide-brimmed bucket hat. If cooking is more your style, this issue provides a recipe for Pawpaw Island Curry (Don't forget to compost the leftovers!). In this issue, you will discover how composting can be an effective tool in the fight against climate change.

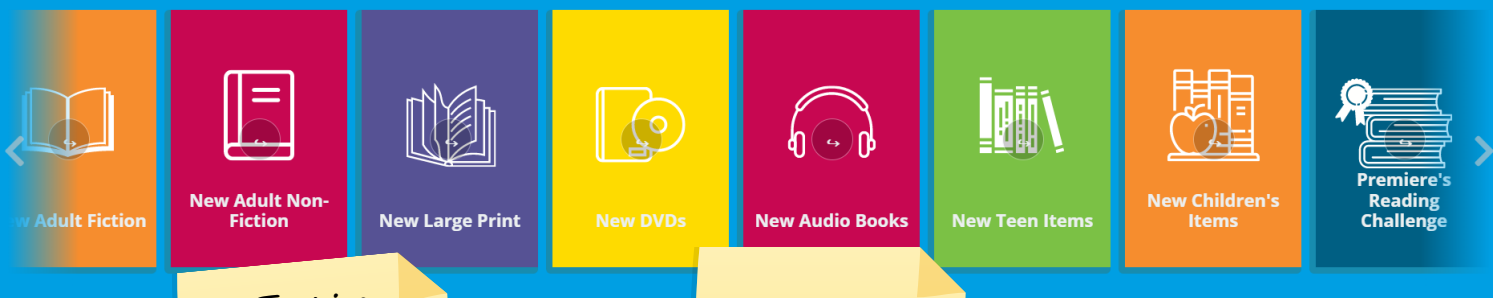


New

# EVENING READS

Looking for something to read for the long weekend? Did you know our online catalogue has buttons that give you a list of all our newest titles in different categories? Just click the **New Adult Fiction** button on the left and you've got so many to choose from. From crime and thriller to romance and scifi and fantasy titles, we're sure there's something you can find to disappear into over the long weekend. If you have any questions about the catalogue functionality or how to understand the different elements please don't hesitate to ask us for assistance or a short tutorial. We are always keen to show you how to get more out of your library membership.

## Featured Collections



*Fast ice*  
Clive Cussler  
and Graham  
Brown

*The siren of  
Sussex*  
Mimi Matthews

*The next  
ship home:  
a novel of Ellis  
Island*  
Heather Webb

*The shattered  
skies*  
John  
Birmingham

*The ruby's curse: a  
River Song/Melody  
Malone mystery*  
Alex Kingston with  
Jacqueline Rayner

*The Warsaw  
orphan*  
Kelly Rimmer

Use the QR code to browse the online catalogue for more new Adult Fiction titles...

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# WEEKLY WIND DOWN

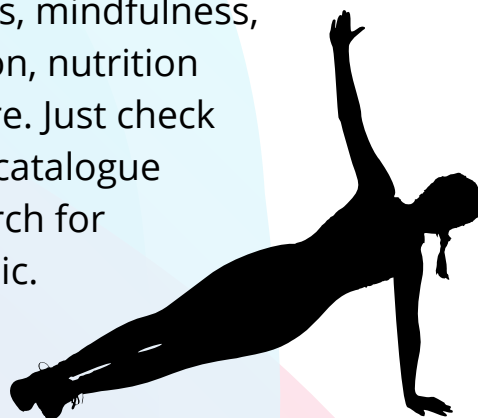
## Getting out and about in Autumn

Do you enjoy the Autumn weather? Do you find the cooler weather easier getting outside for exercise and keeping active? There are many fantastic places in Gawler to enjoy the great outdoors! The Gawler Rivers Path is a good way to get fit whilst enjoying the lovely scenery along the river, whether you're a runner, walker or cyclist.

There are many parks, playgrounds and other green spaces around the Gawler area for you to enjoy with your kids or your furkids while you're out getting your fresh air and exercise!

Apex Park even has a workout zone with equipment you can use.

The library catalogue is full of titles you can access physically or through our digital library, using Libby or BorrowBox, to help you with fitness, workouts, mindfulness, relaxation, nutrition and more. Just check out our catalogue and search for your topic.

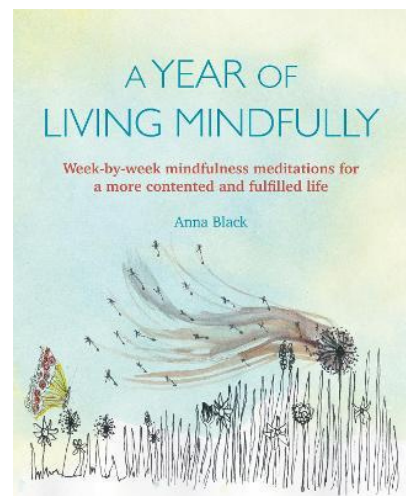
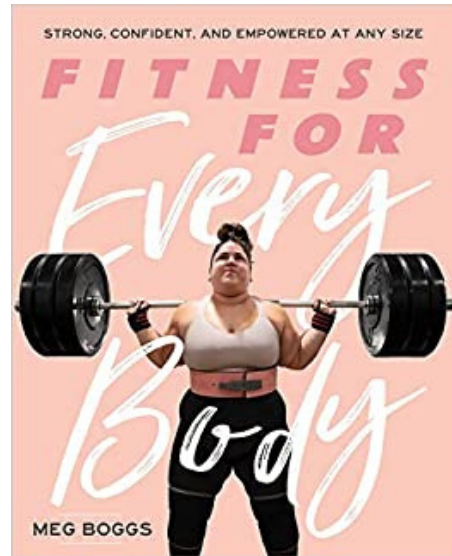


*Would you like to know more about the Gawler River Paths? Check out the link below for a helpful map and further information about outdoor opportunities in Gawler.*

**[gawler.sa.gov.au/recreation/outdoor-family-activities](https://gawler.sa.gov.au/recreation/outdoor-family-activities)**

Use the QR code to browse the online catalogue for more fitness titles, or use the link below...

**<https://bit.ly/3ioCwmH>**



# ARTIST SPOTLIGHT

# AUTHOR HIGHLIGHT

## Tineta Ellis

Tineta Ellis is a local artist, member of the Gawler Art Society, the Gawler Community Gallery and is an active member of the local art community. She likes to incorporate painting, textiles, collage, geometrics, 3D constructions, abstracts in her artistic process using a wide variety of media, to explore shape, form, texture, colour, flow and environment through her artworks.

Over the last six years, Tineta has had many exhibitions for her major works including successful solo exhibitions at the Gawler Community Gallery.

Tineta's newest exhibition, running from March 28th to April 30th will be hosted at the Gawler Civic Centre, upstairs in the Institute Hall. The exhibition "Down On The Farm" (animals and environments) consists of 54 pieces and is open to the public from Monday to Fridays 9am-5pm and Saturdays 9am-1pm.



To find out more about this artist, check out the link below.

[bluethumb.com.au/tineta-ellis](https://bluethumb.com.au/tineta-ellis)



## TEGAN TISS



Tegan Tiss grew up in the local area, and has recently self-published her book

### **"2020: Why We Needed It."**

Her book explores the changes that we've made in our lives as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, and considers the messages we can take with us as we move forward.

In Tegan's words:

*Deaths, illnesses, tragedies, adversities, suffering, cancelled events, changed plans and hardships aside, did some positives come from it? In a world where we have lost our ability to communicate with others, ourselves, and society in general, did COVID-19 bring us closer together? In a world where we predominantly think of ourselves, did it force us to think about others? In a world where we are too busy to slow down and think about where we are going and why we are going there, did it provide us with the opportunity to pause and reassess our lives?*

We're excited to welcome Tegan to the Gawler Civic Centre Library on May 23rd to talk about her experiences and her book.

For more information, check out our Eventbrite page.



[gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au](https://gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)

# DO YOU LOVE TRIVIA?

We have 20 questions for you to solve over 5 different areas: Literature, Science, Sport, Pop Culture and History. If you'd like to get your hands on some general knowledge books, head to our catalogue to check out what we have on offer.

*For the answers to these trivia questions head to the middle page.*

# TRIVIA TIME

## Literature

1. What date is World Book & Copyright Day?
2. What is the animal title of Geraldine Brooks' newest book due to be released in June?
3. What was Zoe Foster's first published book?
4. Garry Disher won the Book of the Year award, Children's Book Council of Australia for which book in 1993?

## Geography

1. Australia is located between the Pacific Ocean and which other ocean?
2. Which latitude line runs through Australia?
3. What is the lowest point on the Australian continent?
4. What is the longest river in Australia?

## Sport

1. Who has recently scored 1000 goals in the AFL?
2. Which Australian tennis star has recently announced her retirement?
3. The Matilda's, Australia's Women's football team, captain Sam Kerr, is a player for which English football team?
4. When does the Barossa Light & Gawler Football Association Round One occur?

## Pop Culture

1. Guillermo del Toro's *Nightmare Alley* released in cinemas during March, stars which two Aussie actresses?
2. Recent action movie, sharing the same name as the the video game series it's based on, *Uncharted*, stars which Marvel actor in the main role?
3. Which Australian actor features in the Xmen series of movies as well as Baz Luhrmann's Australia film?
4. The original TV series *A Country Practice* screened on channel Seven, finished in 1993 having broadcast how many seasons?

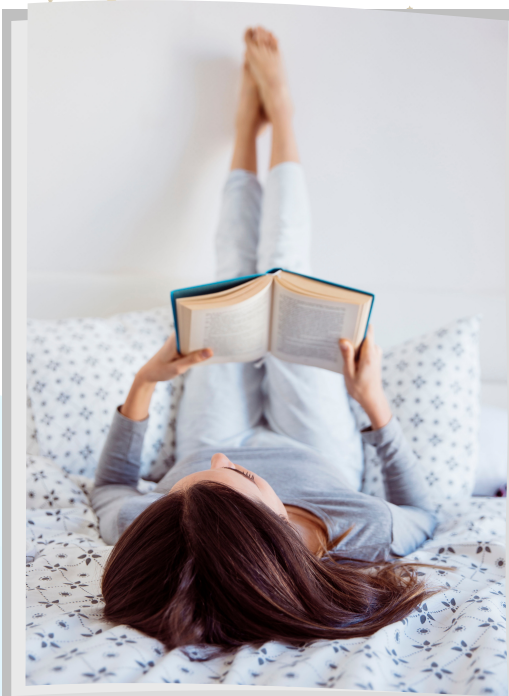
## History

1. In 1975, 'The Fringe' changed its name to what?
2. In which year did the Fringe Festival become an annual event?
3. What was the first Gawler Fringe event called?
4. The Adelaide Fringe has grown into being the biggest art festival in
  - a. Adelaide
  - b. South Australia
  - c. the Southern Hemisphere?

It's that  
combination  
between  
imagination and  
truth that makes  
fiction so special.

~ Poppy Nwosu ~

# LITERARY QUOTES



"The days when we  
sit down with a  
book so good we  
don't get up until  
it's read - those  
are some of the  
best days of our  
lives."

~ Ali SMITH ~



*"A library is not a  
luxury  
but one of the  
necessities of  
life!"*

~ Henry Ward Beecher ~



# STAFF PICKS!

Punctuation is necessary to tell us *how* to read our language but what are some of the names of these symbols?

**#“Octothorpe”** The origins of octothorpe are shrouded in mystery; we are fairly certain that the word began being used in the early 1970s, but we do not know what led to the prefix for “eight” (-octo) being added to the component for thorpe (“thorpe”).



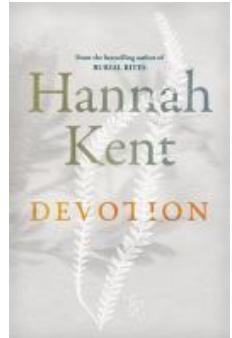
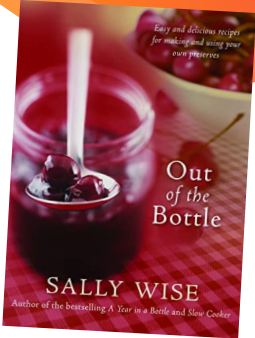
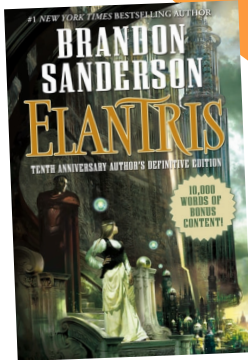
**“Obelus”**  
In addition to serving as the sign indicating division, the obelus is also used to mark a questionable passage of text. Merriam-Webster dictionary also uses it for matters of pronunciation. It should be noted that the entry for the word obelus itself has no obelus in it.



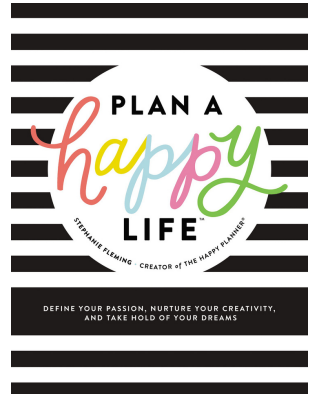
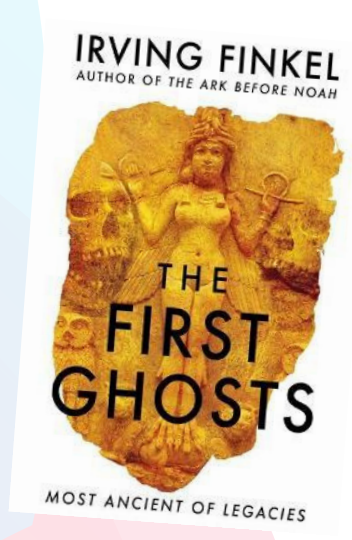
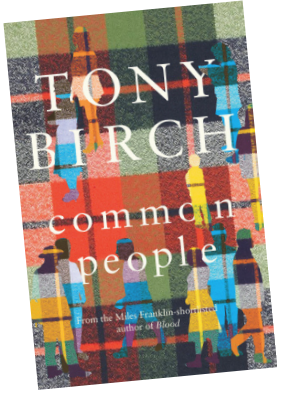
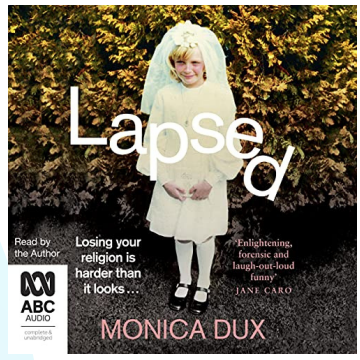
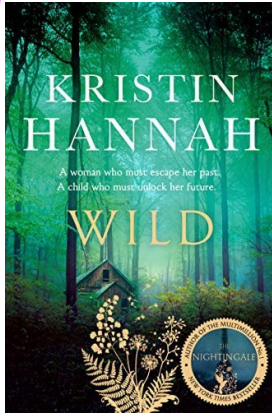
**"Interrobang"** is a punctuation mark designed for use especially at the end of an exclamatory rhetorical question



**“Ellipsis”** marks or a mark indicating an omission (as of words) or a pause



What our staff are currently reading...



Gawler Library  
Book Clubs

Monthly Meetings  
Gawler Civic Centre

Contact **8522 9213** for  
further details

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## Book Clubs

*Page turners, Cover to Cover, Hooked on Books, Affogato, and Nightingales.* These are the names of the Gawler library book clubs. Each group is as individual as their name, meeting in different locations, different days, and times. Some groups have four people, others have ten. Some groups are old friends, others have formed friendships within the group. If joining or forming a book club sounds good to you, ask us next time you're visiting our libraries!



Or contact Angie on 08 8522 0125

TO RELEASE  
PRINT JOBS

1. Scan your library card/guest pass at the **Self-Service Station** (café area) to bring up the list of your print jobs
2. Follow prompts to select your print job, select **Print** and select your payment method
3. Add required amount to black cash box or use eftpos machine then collect your print job & select preferred receipt option on **Self-Service Station** screen

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## TO MAKE COPIES

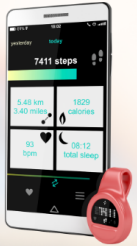
1. Select your payment method
2. Add cash or use credit card.
3. Use the machine as needed then when finished select **Done** on the **Self-Service Station** screen & preferred receipt option

*Don't forget to collect any change from cash box!*

TECH  
TIPS

# beingdigital

## Workshops



Leisure,  
Wellbeing,  
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# DIGITAL LIBRARY

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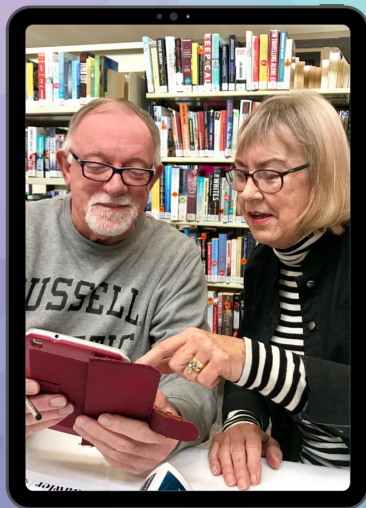
Are you feeling a little lost with your technology? Would you like some help with the basics? Are you keen to learn how to use our digital library? Have you got lots of questions you'd like answered? Never fear, the library is here to help!

Our Being Digital sessions are relaxed, simple and easy to follow for beginners and those who may need some assistance with new technology. The workshops are small and you can either bring along your laptop or borrow one of ours to use during the sessions.

Book in by calling either of our libraries or ask us next time you're visiting, and let us know what you'd like to learn more about. If you need to use one of our laptops, let us know when you book your spot.

We are keen to help you better understand your technology, get connected and get more out of your digital library membership!

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Learn more about your device and the digital world around you with the FREE online programs from Being Digital & Be Connected.

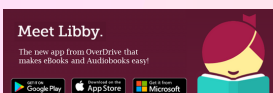
Ask a staff member for more information.

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Be Connected  
Every Australian online.

To find out more about the Being Digital workshops, you can check out the library's Eventbrite or call us 08 8522 9213  
[gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au](http://gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)



# GAWLER CULTURAL HERITAGE COLLECTION

The new Heritage  
Gallery Exhibition  
will open 9 April 2022

## **Behind the Scenes: The History of Theatre and Entertainment in Gawler.**

A new exhibition at the Heritage  
Gallery exploring the rich history of  
entertainment in Gawler.

Stand on the stage and give your own  
performance! Learn about some of the  
extravagant performances the Gawler  
community have produced and starred in.  
Enjoy the stories from behind the scenes...



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## **Ground Floor Gawler Civic Centre**

Opening hours:

Mon-Wed & Fri 9am-5pm  
Thurs 10am-6pm  
Saturday 9am-1pm.

**Gawler**   
CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTRE



Please direct all enquiries and bookings to Jacinta Weiss  
**8522 9268** OR [jacinta.weiss@gawler.sa.gov.au](mailto:jacinta.weiss@gawler.sa.gov.au)



# DOWN ON THE FARM



Institute Hall,  
1st Floor  
Civic Centre GAWLER.  
March 28th - April 30th 2022

Mon-Fri 9-5pm Sat 9-1pm



Artist:  
**TINETA  
ELLIS**

# GAWLER CIVIC CENTRE

## Here Comes The Sun



**BEATLES TRIBUTE**

BY RACHAEL LEAHCAR

**FRIDAY  
22 APRIL  
8.00PM**

**THERE'S NO BUSINESS LIKE STRING BUSINESS**

**THURSDAY 7 APRIL AT 11.00AM**

A TOTAL SHOWBIZ EXPERIENCE! ALL TICKETS \$20!

## STEMmania @ Gawler

Gawler Civic Centre, 89-91 Murray Street, Gawler

Wednesday 20 & Thursday 21 April

General Public sessions 1.30pm - 4.30pm

### 3 HOURS OF HANDS ON FUN!

- Nitro Nat's Phantastic Physics show
- Animals Anonymous Native Animals
- Questacon exhibits
- Crafty the music man
- Electric circuits
- Rocket launching
- Engineering make-it zone
- Slime making

Tickets \$15 children, \$10 adults, under 5's free!

Enquiries: 8522 9213



[gawler.sa.gov.au/gawlerciviccentre](http://gawler.sa.gov.au/gawlerciviccentre)



[gccSTEMmania2022.eventbrite.com.au](http://gccSTEMmania2022.eventbrite.com.au)



# NEXT MONTH...

**May 21st**

**Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY**

## Saturday Slowdown

ONE SATURDAY EACH MONTH  
10AM-12PM  
GAWLER CIVIC CENTRE LIBRARY

*Please note - This is an adult event and not suitable for children.*

**May 6th**

**Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY**

## Mindful Workshops

DIFFERENT TOPIC EACH MONTH

MAY WORKSHOP - WATERCOLOURS

6PM  
GAWLER CIVIC CENTRE

**May 10th**

**Kids Create**  
Gawler

Monthly on Tuesdays  
@ Evanston Gardens Library

**Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**May 16th**

## being digital Workshops

Connecting with others online

**Munday Showcase**

**Gawler**

**NBN Presentation**  
23rd May, 10am  
Evanston Gardens Library

**Worry Dolls**  
30th May, 10am  
Gawler Civic Centre Library

**Game On!**

LEARN HOW TO CREATE YOUR OWN VIDEO GAMES USING MAKECODE ARCADE!

**Starts May 7th**

Bookings Essential through [Eventbrite](http://Eventbrite.gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)  
[gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au](http://gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)

**Library Lego**

Each month on Wednesdays 3.30pm

**May 18th**  
Evanston Gardens Library

**WHAT'S ON AT THE Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY**

[gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au](http://gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)

Scan the QR code here to find our **eventbrite** account to check out what's on and book your spot!

**FAMILY TREE**

Josh Pyke Ronojay Ghosh

Save the date  
Wednesday 25 May 2022

**NATIONAL SIMULTANEOUS STORYTIME**  
#NSS2022 #1MillionKidsReading [www.ala.org.au/nss](http://www.ala.org.au/nss)

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**Listen @ Lunch**

recitals  
poetry  
stories  
instrumental  
spoken word

Gawler Civic Centre Library  
Reading Room  
12 noon



# TRIVIA ANSWERS

How many did  
you get right?  
Check below for  
the answers...

## Pop Culture

1. Cate Blanchett and Toni Collette
2. Tom Holland.
3. Hugh Jackman
4. 13

## History

1. Focus - *The idea was to bring focus to culture in South Australia.*
2. 2007 - *Ending four decades of running side-by-side with the Adelaide Festival's biannual format*
3. 'The Place Next Door' *in 2015*
4. C - the Southern Hemisphere

## Literature

1. 23rd April
2. Horse
3. Air Kisses (2009)
4. The Bamboo Flute

## Geography

1. Indian
2. Tropic of Capricorn
3. Lake Eyre in SA
4. Murray River

## Sport

1. Lance (Buddy) Franklin  
(Sydney Swans)
2. Ash Barty
3. Chelsea
4. 2 April

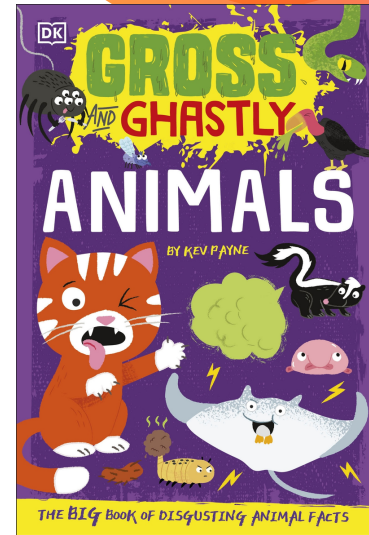


# Gross and Ghastly Animals

By Kev Payne

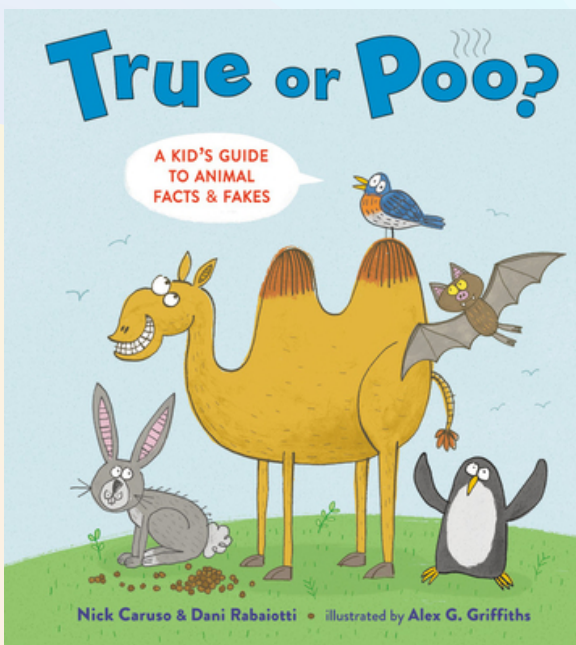
# OFF THE SHELF

We all love wombats, but did you know that they are the only animals in the world that produce cube-shaped poo? Their intestines shape the poo as it travels through the gut. Some scientists believe that the shape means the poo won't easily roll away and this helps the wombats mark out their territory. There are many more gross animal facts to be found in this book!



## True or Poo?

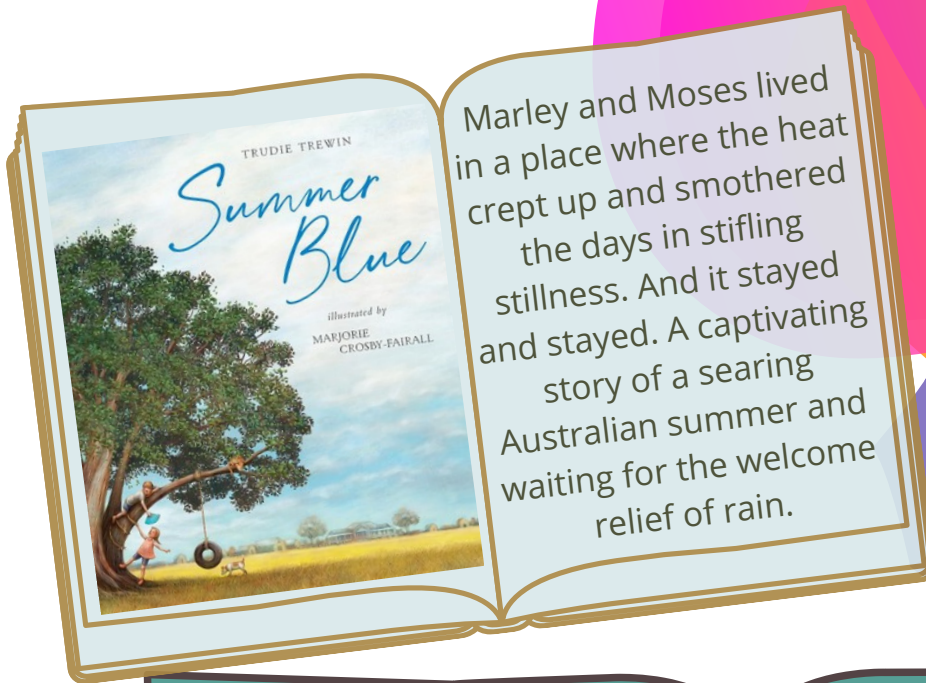
By Nick Caruso  
& Dani Rabaiotti



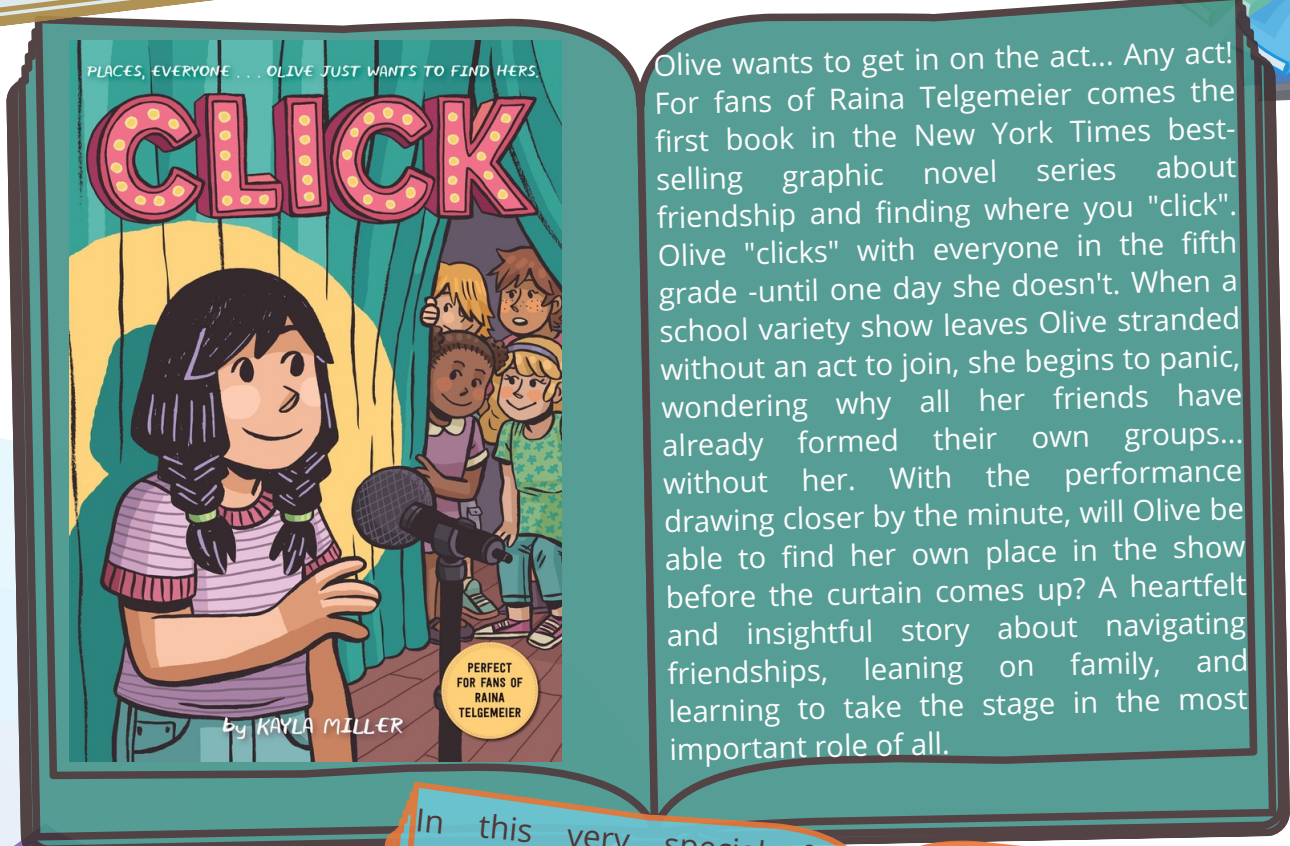
This book takes a closer look at some stories you might have been told...For example, has anyone ever told you that we all eat spiders in our sleep?

Hopefully not, because it's not true. That doesn't mean you've never eaten a spider in your sleep (a few of you probably have), but come on - spiders do not want to go near your mouth. Would you crawl into a giant opening that makes a lot of noise (snoring, coughing, breathing) and moves? I don't think so!

# LATEST TITLES

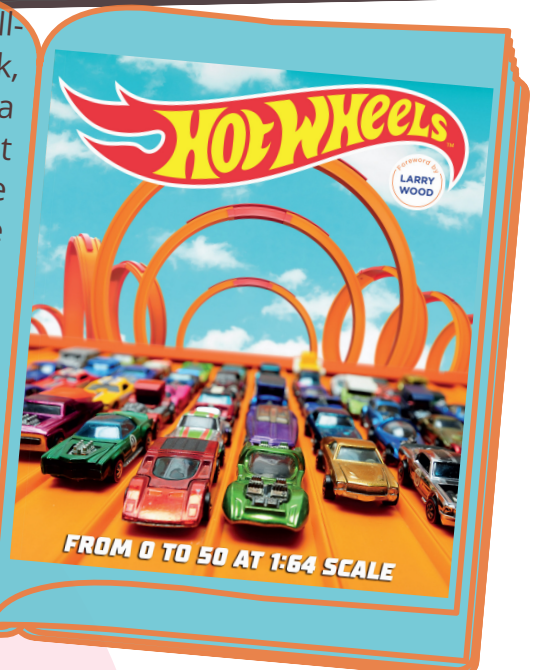


Marley and Moses lived in a place where the heat crept up and smothered the days in stifling stillness. And it stayed and stayed. A captivating story of a searing Australian summer and waiting for the welcome relief of rain.



Olive wants to get in on the act... Any act! For fans of Raina Telgemeier comes the first book in the New York Times best-selling graphic novel series about friendship and finding where you "click". Olive "clicks" with everyone in the fifth grade -until one day she doesn't. When a school variety show leaves Olive stranded without an act to join, she begins to panic, wondering why all her friends have already formed their own groups... without her. With the performance drawing closer by the minute, will Olive be able to find her own place in the show before the curtain comes up? A heartfelt and insightful story about navigating friendships, leaning on family, and learning to take the stage in the most important role of all.

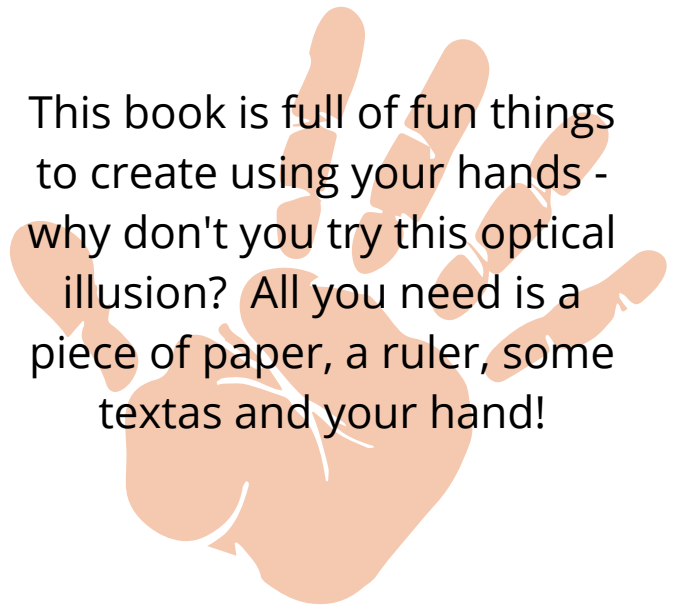
In this very special full-throttle anniversary book, follow the journey of a humble die-cast toy car that ramps up to become the fastest growing, number-one plaything on the planet! Discover why Hot Wheels cars go so fast, how the models were designed, who came up with the logo, the orange tracks, and so much more! This book will thrill Hot Wheels fans of all ages!




# CLEVER KIDS

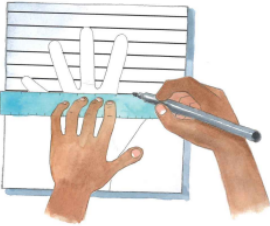



This book is full of fun things to create using your hands - why don't you try this optical illusion? All you need is a piece of paper, a ruler, some textas and your hand!




## 3D HAND optical illusion


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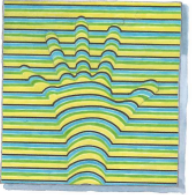
1 Rest your hand on a sheet of white paper and draw around it.
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2 Using a ruler and black felt-tip pen, draw horizontal lines across the page. Do not draw over your hand shape.
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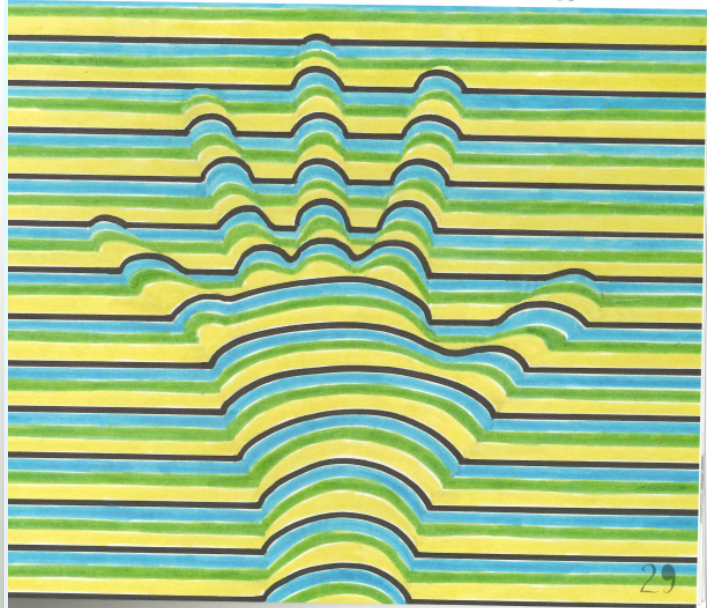
3 Now fill in the gaps using curved lines that appear to go up and over the shape of your hand.
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4 Now use a different coloured felt-tip pen to draw a continuous line below each black line.

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5 Add yet another set of coloured felt-tip lines under the last ones.
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6 Finish off by colouring the remainder bright yellow. Erase any pencil lines.



Reading to children has both immediate and far-reaching benefits. Reading together not only improves language skills, literacy, and brain development. It also forges a deeper connection between you and your child.

# STORY TIME

Library story sessions are an ideal opportunity to meet like minded families to share your love of literacy, discover new authors and topics, and find out about other activities. The staff at our Gawler Libraries welcome all families to join us for StoryTime.

[Beginning in May, our Story Time sessions will move to Evanston Gardens Library \(65 Angle Vale Rd, Evanston Gardens\),](#) and will be held on Friday mornings at 9.30am. With plenty of parking, and plenty of space, we know you will enjoy Story Time at Evanston Gardens Library. Story Time is perfect for little ones aged 0-5 with their parents/carers.



**Story Time**

**Gawler PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**Evanston Gardens Library**  
Friday's @ 9:30am

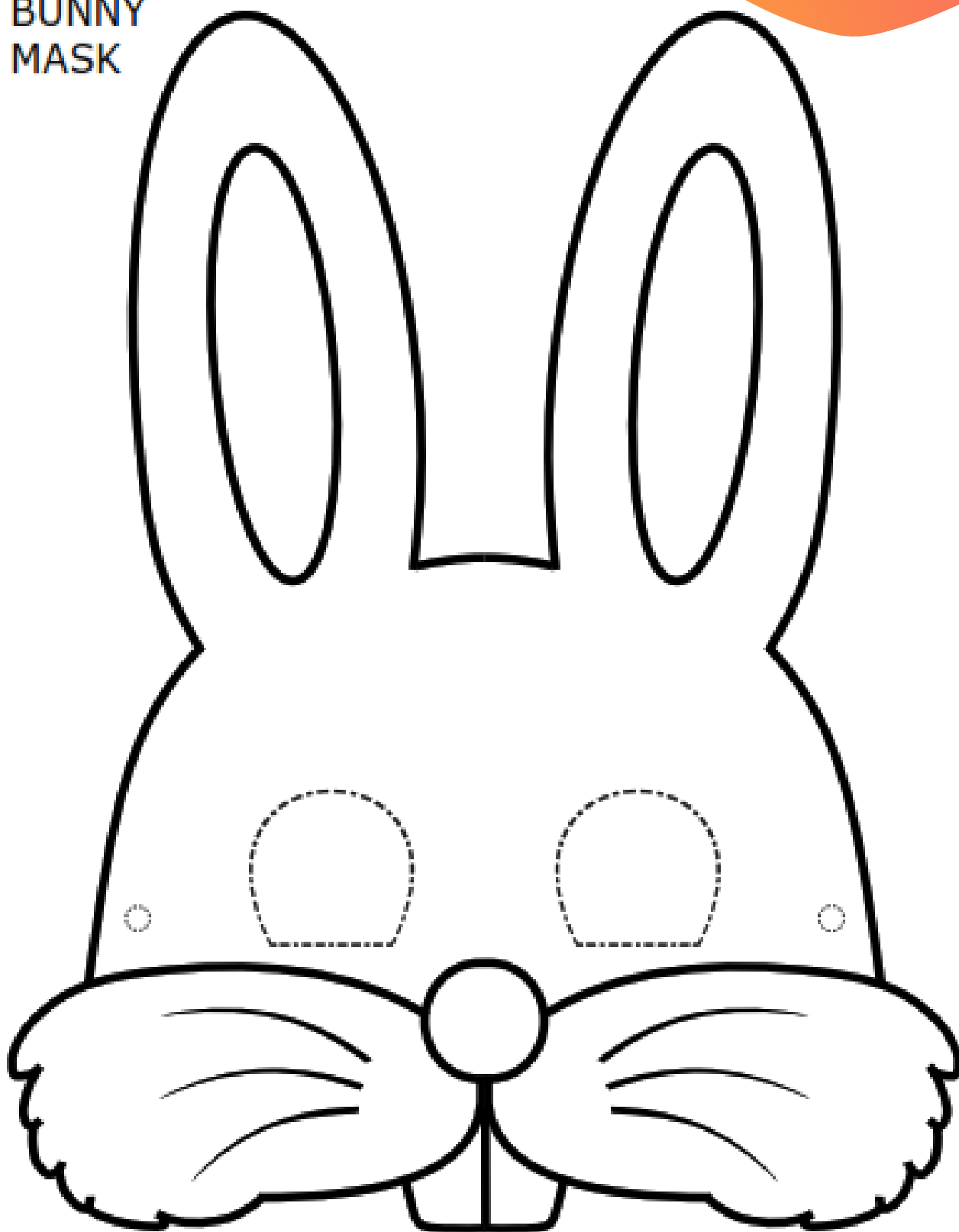
**It's story TIME**  
@your library



Colour and cut out an Easter Bunny mask. You'll need some elastic or ribbon to finish it off. You could decorate with cotton wool to make your bunny super fluffy!

# KIDS CREATE

## BUNNY MASK

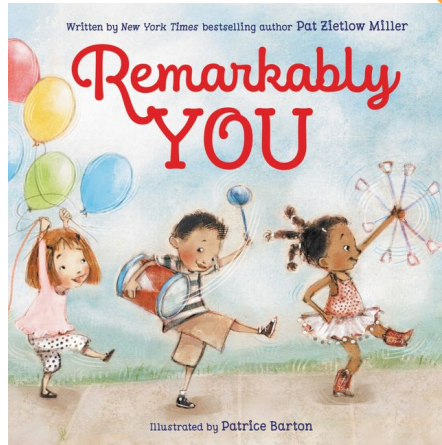




"TODAY YOU ARE  
YOU, THAT IS  
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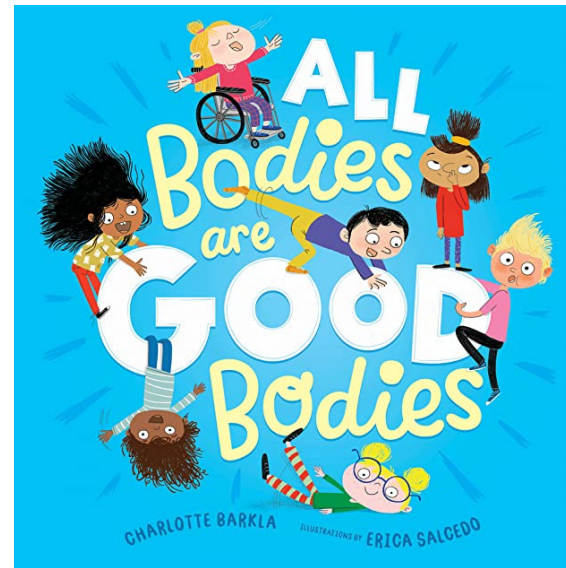
THERE IS NO ONE  
ALIVE WHO IS  
YOUER THAN  
YOU!"

~ DR SEUSS

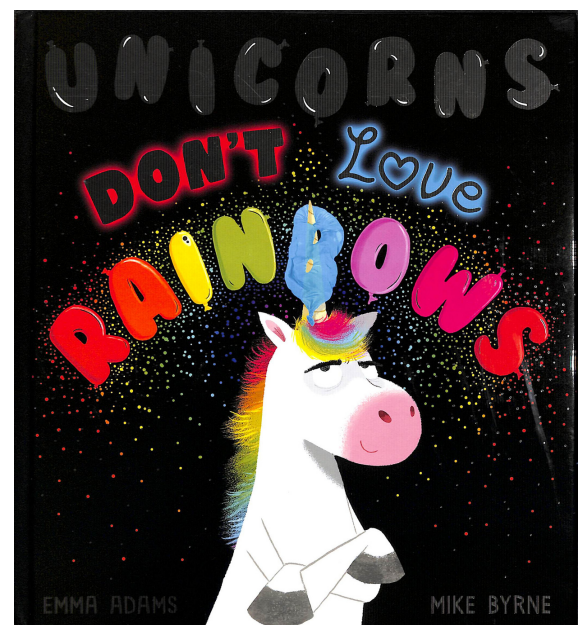


# FAMILY READING

Reading with your child is a good way to encourage a love for reading and setting them up with an interest in reading for themselves. You also have the opportunity to introduce many topics to your child that might be difficult or hard to explain. We have many books that discuss difficult topics with consideration, understanding and sensitivity. Maybe you'd like to foster your child's individuality and self-esteem? The library has plenty of great titles in our children's picture book collection that will help you explain and reassure your child that what makes them different is also what makes them amazing!



We are always keen to help you find the right book. We have access to thousands of titles through the OneCard Network, so if you need assistance, please don't hesitate to ask us next time you visit the library.



If you'd like to browse the catalogue for kids books on this topic, just scan the QR code on the right or use the link below

<https://bit.ly/3JOssjb>





# FRIDAY FUNNIES

How much space is needed for a toadstool to grow?

*As mushroom as possible!*



What's the hottest letter in the alphabet?

**B - because it makes oil boil!**



Why were the early days of history called The Dark Ages?  
Because there were just so many knights then.

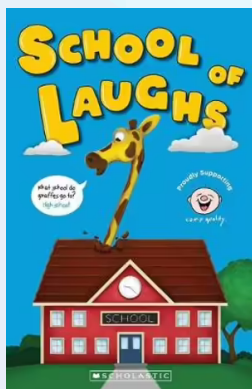


What kind of lollies do science teachers like?  
**Experi-mints**



What subject do cobras enjoy at school?

**Hiss-tory!**



Looking for more great jokes, puns and riddles? Check out our catalogue for more books to request [onecard.network/gawler](http://onecard.network/gawler)

Where did the cats go on their school excursion?

**The mewseum**





# Tie Dye Workshop

April  
27th

Join Active Education for a FUN & EXCITING workshop these school holidays!



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**active**  
education  
outdoor education experiences

**Evanston Gardens Library**  
2:30pm

Bookings through **eventbrite** or Ph: 8522 9213



# SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

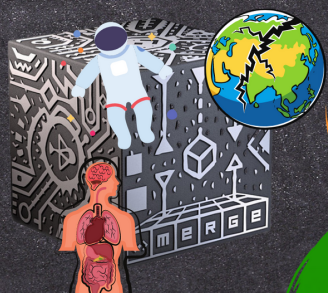
with **Gawler**  
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Check out all our programs and events through our eventbrite account...  
[gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au](http://gawlerpubliclibrary.eventbrite.com.au)

## DISCOVER DIGITAL FUN

at the **Gawler** PUBLIC LIBRARY  
these school holidays!



Self-paced activities for kids at both locations during the Autumn school holidays

Bookings not required

**Quiver Augmented Reality**  
- Use your creativity to colour in the sheet & scan your creation to bring them to life and play ball!

**Merge Cubes**  
- Use our iPads to scan these odd little cubes to discover all about the Earth, Space or the Human Body.

Week One (19-23 April) - Gawler Civic Centre  
Week Two (26-29 April) - Evanston Gardens



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Don't get BORED these school holidays! Join us in the library for some...

## BOARD GAME FUN!

Week One (19-22 April) - Evanston Gardens  
Week Two (26-30 April) - Gawler Civic Centre

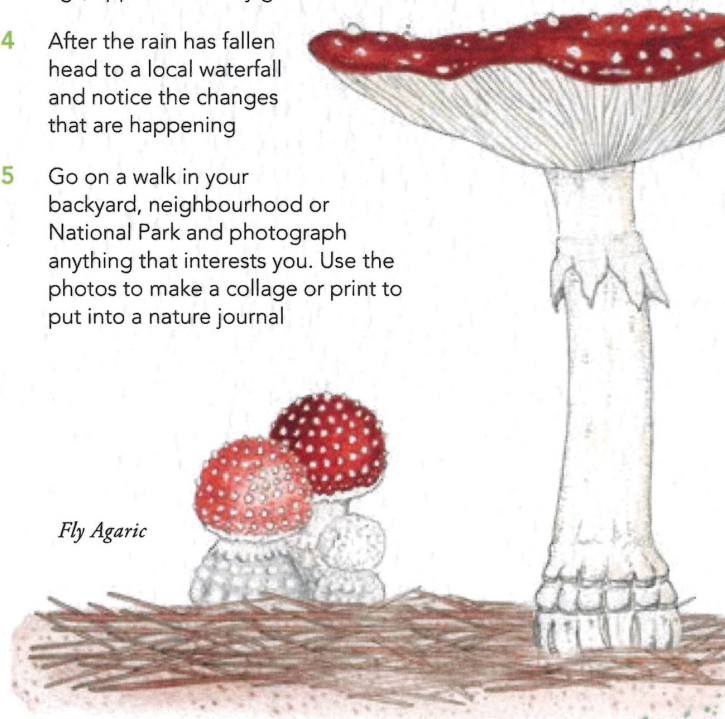
During these school holidays come into the library and get your game on with your friends and family. We've got lots of variety - all your favourites and even some that aren't. (we're looking at you monopoly!)



# 25 things to do in Autumn

- 1 Collect coloured autumn leaves and thread them on a string to make a necklace, garland or decoration
- 2 Visit a pine forest and look for weird and wonderful fungi as it grows on old stumps, trees and from the ground
- 3 Go for a neighbourhood walk in the soft autumn rain. Take in the smells, and examine what lichen and moss have come to life on tree trunks
- 4 Wander through a Botanic Garden or reservoir and take time to learn about the plants or ask questions about their size, age, or where they may have come from
- 5 Learn who your local Aboriginal group is and what plants, traditions or places are special in autumn
- 6 Head to a National Park or caravan park and spend a few days camping – toast marshmallows, make damper and share stories around a campfire (check local fire ban guidelines)
- 7 Autumn is the perfect time to start a nature journal – sketch or paint fallen leaves, fungi or other autumn finds
- 8 Find a place to sit in the warm autumn sunshine and read poetry, a storybook or write something of your own
- 9 Visit your local orchard and pick seasonal fruit such as apples and figs
- 10 Choose a new hike in a National Park or reservoir that you've never visited
- 11 Head to the coast and watch the waves crash or, if it's calm, search the shoreline for washed up treasure
- 12 Go on a backyard creature hunt – peek under rocks and logs for slaters, earwigs and millipedes. Examine leaves and other plants for native bees, caterpillars and ants
- 13 Make a 'campsite' in your backyard with a cubby (try and make it waterproof) and pretend campfire
- 14 Start a nature collection of rocks, feathers, leaves and other unique things (store them in a box, tray, container or on a nature table)
- 15 Prepare a veggie patch ready to plant seeds/seedlings such as spinach, lettuce, beetroot, and carrots
- 16 Spend a sunny autumn afternoon painting or drawing outside – think of what makes autumn different from the other seasons
- 17 Experiment with textures – crush autumn leaves and herbs, mix mud, break up bark and pick backyard flowers – create something unique
- 18 Create a living tepee using sticks or bamboo fastened together and plant a native or edible climber such as peas or beans
- 19 With gloves and tongs, spend a morning picking up rubbish along your local beach or park (avoid anything sharp)
- 20 Find a place with trees that you can wander through, climb and search for signs of life such as tree hollows and scratches from koalas or possums
- 21 Venture to trails that meander along coastal cliffs, take in the views, breathe the wild air and fill your lungs with the salty smell of the ocean
- 22 With friends explore a creek for signs of tadpoles, yabbies or float leaves or sticks downstream
- 23 Cook together with seasonal produce such as pumpkins, figs, apples and leafy greens
- 24 After the rain has fallen head to a local waterfall and notice the changes that are happening
- 25 Go on a walk in your backyard, neighbourhood or National Park and photograph anything that interests you. Use the photos to make a collage or print to put into a nature journal

*Fly Agaric*



Available

Apr  
11th

# Easter Basket



Pick up a  
Take & Make  
activity bag for  
some creative fun.



# Easter Cards



Available  
Apr  
11th

- EXTRAS YOU'LL NEED**
- pencils, textas or crayons
  - glue stick

# 3D TREE



- EXTRAS YOU'LL NEED**
- crayons
  - scissors
  - glue stick
  - autumn leaves

Available  
Apr  
19th

# YOUTH SPACE

CONNECTING YOUNG PEOPLE TO OPPORTUNITIES

## APRIL HOLIDAYS



**glitter bar**

APRIL **19** 8-25 YEAR OLDS

**STEMmania**  
@Gawler  
**HANDS ON FUN!**  
plus **MUSIC**  
with **CRAFTY**

APRIL **20-21** ALL AGES

**Dungeons & Dragons**  
WITH  
**TABLE TOP**

APRIL **22** 8-25 YEAR OLDS

SA YOUTH WEEK  
#WHYGAWLER PROJECT

**SONG WRITING WORKSHOP**

FREE APRIL **22** 12-25 YEAR OLDS

**REVITUP RACING**

**START YOUR ENGINES!**

APRIL **26** 8-25 YEAR OLDS

**MOTIVATE DANCE STUDIO**

**POUND IT!**

FREE APRIL **27** 8-25 YEAR OLDS

SA YOUTH WEEK  
#WHYGAWLER PROJECT

**SONG RECORDING WORKSHOP**

FREE APRIL **27** 12-25 YEAR OLDS

**BARISTA COURSE**

Become a coffee expert

APRIL **28** 14-25 YEAR OLDS

FOR ALL COURSE COSTS, REGISTRATIONS AND FURTHER INFORMATION

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Strictly limited numbers due to COVID-19 restrictions  
**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL**

**2022 SKATE PARK EVENT**

APRIL **30** 11AM TO 4PM  
FREE ★ ALL AGES ★ CLONLEA RESERVE SKATE PARK  
MURRAY ROAD, WILLASTON