



the Word

Bassendean Memorial Public Library Newsletter

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This month in the Library

Free English classes in the Library



Bassendean Memorial Library invites adults whose first language is not English to join our free English classes.

Our weekly sessions are run by an experienced ESL teacher on Monday evenings from 3rd February, 2020.

5.30pm - 6pm for beginners

6pm - 7pm for Intermediate

Please reach out to your community and pass this information to friends, neighbours, and anyone who you feel may benefit from learning or improving their English.

Register your interest at the Library information desk or call us on 9279 2966.



Inter-Library Loan Changes 2020

The following items CAN be requested from other libraries:

- Items with an accession date older than 12 months; all categories and formats including fiction, non-fiction, junior, young adult and audio
- Large Print and audio items can be requested for Housebound patrons regardless of accession date
- Any item can be requested for those that require it and need a particular format due to having a disability and/or a culturally and linguistically diverse background
- DVDs that are required for educational purposes and are not available to buy
- DVD series that have many seasons and may be too expensive to buy



Going Local in 2020



Bassendean Memorial Library will continue to host a variety of activities and events that are home grown and facilitated by local residents. Of course, we welcome presenters from many areas and all walks of life, but it does give us great pleasure to support our local entrepreneurs and create even stronger connections with our community.

A huge thank you to all of our 2019 presenters. A variety of local and non-local writers, artists, practitioners, musicians; and endless display of talent and community involvement. Bassendean Memorial Library sincerely appreciates your interest, support and investment in our future.

We also wish to extend a huge thank you to our patrons who attend these events, we appreciate the time you all take to come along and enjoy, as well as provide your feedback to us.

In 2020, come and visit us for any (or all) of the awesome events we have planned (bookings required)!



New DVDs

Movies

Destination wedding
Extra ordinary
Burning
Irrational man
Joker
Once upon a time in...Hollywood
Stockholm
The farewell
London has fallen
Angel has fallen
Olympus has fallen
On the basis of sex
The nightingale
The village
Hustlers
Maleficent: mistress of evil
Judy
Ride like a girl
No country for old men



DVD Review

Murder Call seasons 1-3

A blast from the past- I've enjoyed watching this Australian crime series on TV back in late 90's and was pleased to see it finally being released on DVD- and it is still a pretty good viewing.

Homicide detectives Tessa Vance and Steve Hayden go about solving complicated and sometimes truly bizarre crimes with the help of a small, but brilliant team, in the classic whodunit style. It is great to watch emotional, intense Tessa and by-the-book, logical Steve arrive at the solutions, with Tessa always the one connecting the clues together. Nineties fashion and technology adds to the charm! Set in Sydney, this is a little treat for the nostalgic, crime-viewing fans.

-RP



TV Series

Vicious: seasons 1 & 2
Mystery 101: collection one
The good doctor: season 2
Blue Bloods: seasons 8 & 9
Big little lies: season 2
Britannia II
Sanditon
You: season 1

Non Fiction

Ready for takeoff: season two
Junior
The jungle book
Igor
Tashi: the ogre games
Surf's up 2: wavemania
The baby-sitters club
All dogs go to heaven
Fun and fancy free
Impy's wonderland
The Justine Clarke show!
Dora and the lost city of gold
UglyDolls
Abominable



New Books

Check the Library website for New Titles in Stock, updated weekly.

Fiction

State of fear / Tim Ayliffe
Heaven, my home / Attica Locke
Those people / Louise Candlish
Burning bright / Nick Petrie
Never have I ever / Joshilyn Jackson
The girl who reads on the metro / Christine Feret-Fleury
Call me by your name / Andre Aciman
Halcyon / Rio Youers
Full throttle / Joe Hill
The wayward girls / Amanda Mason
The house on Sunset Lake / Tasmina Perry
The peppercorn project / Nicki Edwards
Suitcase of dreams / Tania Blanchard
Our song / Dani Atkins
Outback blaze / Rachael Johns
The art of keeping secrets / Rachael Johns



Non fiction

The Amityville horror / Jay Anson
Modern macramé / Emily Katz
The secret language of cats / Susann Schotz
Yellow notebook : diaries. Volume I, 1978-1987 / Helen Garner
The end is always near / Dan Carlin

The Strangers We Know by Pip Drysdale. (2019)

Charlie's heart stops when she sees on a dating app a man who is the spitting image of her husband Oliver. Surely she must be mistaken, she only got a glimpse...but she can't let it go because she's the one who took that particular photo, on their honeymoon.



This is a fast-paced thriller that no doubt will have you racing through the pages just so you can finally find out what exactly is going on. It seems pretty damn obvious that Oliver is cheating on Charlie but at the same time there is all these hints that something else is going on and so it leaves you wondering what the explanation could possibly be... A seriously enjoyable and entertaining read that was super easy to read and also very engaging. Fans of psychological thrillers and suspense novels will find this book a real treat!

-BG

Local Studies Collection—Guided Walks 2020

We are happy to advise that we will be having FOUR Guided Walks this year!

Old Perth Road Duration 1.5 hours

Meet in the Bassendean Memorial Library foyer.

Walk along Old Perth Road, leaning about early shops, the importance of the railway station, a local church, St Marks, and the Bassendean Fire Station concluding at the Bassendean War Memorial.

Historic Homes Duration 2 hours

Meet outside the Bassendean Primary School car park, West Road, Bassendean.

Walk around Bassendean with an experienced volunteer guide and learn about some amazing places and architecture including Daylesford House and Holme House. Start and finish at Bassendean Primary School.

Exploring Eden Hill Duration 2 hours

Meet on Robinson Road, outside the Stan Moses Pavilion, Eden Hill.

Explore Eden Hill and learn about Mary Crescent Reserve, a registered Aboriginal site, Alf Faulkner Hall and Eden Hill Primary School.

River Walk Duration 1.5 hours

Meet at Point Reserve, Bassendean, upper carpark.

Stroll along the Swan River in Bassendean from Point Reserve to Success Hill and return to Point Reserve with an experienced volunteer guide. Learn about local history including interesting people, architecture and natural features.

Please meet at 9.45am for a 10am start.

<u>2020</u>	<u>Old Perth Road</u>	<u>Historic Homes</u>	<u>Exploring Eden Hill</u>	<u>River Walk</u>
February 4	<u>Old Perth Road</u>			
March 3		<u>Historic Homes</u>		
April 7			<u>Exploring Eden Hill</u>	
May 5				<u>River Walk</u>
June 2	<u>Old Perth Road</u>			
July 2		<u>Historic Homes</u>		
August 6			<u>Exploring Eden Hill</u>	
September 3				<u>River Walk</u>
October 1	<u>Old Perth Road</u>			
November 5		<u>Historic Homes</u>		
December 3			<u>Exploring Eden Hill</u>	

Coffee Pods Recycling

eServices



Did you know that we have a coffee pod recycling box in the Library foyer?

In just over 6 months, this box has been filled 10 times!

The Nespresso website explains it best:

"Nespresso aluminium coffee capsules that are recycled with Nespresso are sent to a specialist recycling plant based in Nowra, NSW. There, the aluminium is separated from the residual coffee. The coffee is sent to an industrial composting facility to be transformed into compost, while the aluminium is recycled and sent back to the aluminium industry to produce new aluminium products."



Call today to make a free appointment!
9279 2966

New to the digital world?

Did you just get a new phone or Tablet?

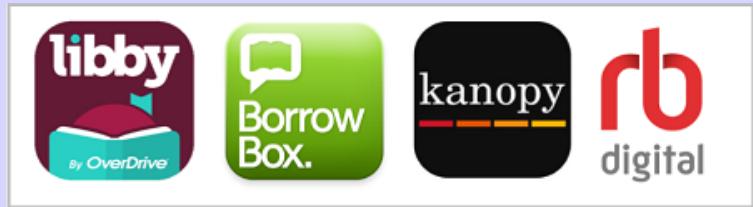
Looking for an update to your technology skills?

Do you feel like your computer/tablet/laptop/phone skills need some updating?

Our trainers are available to help you with personalised one hour sessions.

Get access to our digital library collection from where ever you are. We have brochures with step by step instructions available from our website to help you set up your eservice accounts.

library.bassendean.wa.gov.au/information-resources/eresources/e.aspx





An eco-friendly Furoshiki art workshop

Lunchtime
interludes

Furoshiki is a traditional Japanese wrapping cloth, used to carry gifts and other goods.

The Furoshiki art technique is a sustainable way to wrap any size and shape of gifts without using wrapping papers! You can also make shopping bags, handbags, backpacks, carrybags and much more!

Wrapping material will be provided for practise only, so feel free to bring along your own pieces of large, square and rectangle fabrics, if you wish to take home examples of wrapping.



Bassendean Memorial Library

Friday 28 February 2020

<https://www.trybooking.com/BHXLW>

or call the Library on 9279 2966

Please be aware:

We have **MOVED** the *Adult Fiction* books around, so you may find your favourite authors are not where they used to be...

There are signs on the **BOTTOM shelves** to assist you in locating your items.

We also have a brand new book section!

All of our **Science Fiction & Fantasy** **Adult Fiction** books are now located after the 'Z' section in adult fiction.

Please do not hesitate to ask staff if you need assistance!

Department of Human Services myGov Workshop

How to create a myGov account and link to Medicare, Centrelink and/or Child Support

Please bring

Photo ID
Medicare Card
Centrelink Reference Number*
Child Support Reference Number*
Mobile phone/Tablet/Laptop*
Email address & Username/Password*
*If applicable

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Friday 21 February 2020

1-2pm

www.trybooking.com/BHXLA

or call the library on 9279 2966

Our regular weekly Wednesday Justice of the Peace sessions will resume on

5 February, 2020.



Rhymetime resumes

11.00am Wednesday 5 February, 2020.

Storytime resumes

10.30am Thursday 6 February & Friday 7 February, 2020.

Come along!

No booking required.

Lego League with BRICKS4KIDZ 2020

24 February



Please book via the link:

www.trybooking.com/BHZLX

Children aged 7-14yrs

30 March

25 May

29 June

Every last Monday of the month
Session times: 4.00pm - 5.00pm

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Opening Hours

Monday 9am - 8pm

Tuesday 9am - 8pm

Wednesday 9am - 6pm

Thursday 9am - 6pm

Friday 9am - 6pm

Saturday 9am - 1pm

Closed Sundays
and Public Holidays

Mobile Printing Available!



Send from anywhere.

Pick up at
the library.

Technology by EnvisionWare Pty Ltd.

Head to our website
www.bassendean.wa.gov.au/library