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## What's on at your Library

### Bassendean Memorial Public Library Newsletter

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July 2021

#### Our RFID project is completed!

We still have some encoding to do but the system is up and running! When you come to the desk you will now see that instead of barcode scanners we are using pads to issue items. We are still getting used to a new way of working, so please forgive any mistakes or hiccups that may occur during this stage.

Also the self checker is now active. After you have scanned your card, you just have to place your items on the inbuilt pad and they will be automatically issued.

Local Studies will take some time to be added to this system due to the uniqueness of the material in the collection.



#### An Early Evening Interlude

### Job Searching Tips & Tricks

Learn innovative ideas to consider when trying to secure employment in the current market.



#### Bassendean Memorial Library

**Tuesday 27 July, 2021**

**5.30 pm - 7.30 pm**

Please book via the below booking link.

[www.trybooking.com/BSKVY](http://www.trybooking.com/BSKVY)

**3 & 17 July** - Justice of the Peace at the Library; Saturday 9.15am-11:00am

**7 July** - School Holiday event.  
Pug Time - Sensing stories with our Ears, Eyes and Hands.  
10.30am - 11.30am

**15 July** - Sharing Dreamtime Stories with Bindi Bindi Dreaming - NAIDOC  
11.00am - 12.00noon

**26 July** - LEGO league.  
Ages 5 - 12. 4.00pm to 5.00pm

**27 July** - An Evening Interlude:  
Job Searching Tips & Tricks  
5.30 pm- 7.30 pm

**Craft group**; every Friday.  
9.00am - 12.00 noon.  
Meeting room 1

**ESL classes**; every Monday -  
Beginners 5.00pm  
Intermediate 5.30pm

**Rhymetime**; every Tuesday & Wednesday 11.00 am

**Storytime**; every Thursday - 10.30am

**Justice of the Peace** - Available for the first 3 Wednesdays of each month. 10.00am - 11.30am

### Our New Opening Hours

Monday	9.00am to 6.00pm
Tuesday	9.00am to 8.00pm
Wednesday	9.00am to 6.00pm
Thursday	9.00am to 6.00pm
Friday	9.00am to 5.30pm
Saturday	9.00am to 1.00pm



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Thank you for your  
understanding and support  
of our Library Service

Don't forget that our updated opening hours start on 6 July, 2021.

We will be open until 8.00pm on Tuesday evenings as we tentatively start to emerge as COVID-19 restrictions ease.

Please be aware that this could change if COVID conditions change.



### Lockdown: Perth and Peel

We ended June in a 4 day lockdown. Each time we experience lockdown we streamline our response and establish procedures to try to offer our community the best service we can in the circumstances.

Thank you for your patience and understanding during these difficult times.

All information is correct at time of listing but may be subject to change.  
We thank you for your understanding.

## New DVDs

### Movies

Sound of metal  
My big fat Greek wedding  
Boss level  
Zack Snyder's Justice League  
It & It: chapter two  
Russian raid  
Rosemary's baby  
A united kingdom  
High society  
Boruto. Naruto next generations  
Sorry angel



### Junior

Barbie in a mermaid tale  
Peter Rabbit  
Jimmy Neutron, boy genius  
Legends of Oz :  
Dorothy's return  
100% wolf



### TV Series

Fruits basket:  
season one, part two  
Yellowstone: season 3  
Hannibal: seasons 1 - 3  
Reign: seasons 2 - 4  
Penny dreadful:  
seasons 1 - 3  
Hell on wheels:  
season 1 - 5

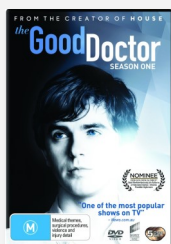


### DVD Recommendation

#### The Good Doctor (2017 - 2021)

The Good Doctor, is a light medical drama that focuses on a young surgeon, Dr. Shaun Murphy, who is both brilliant and autistic. The series highlights the challenges he faces in being accepted by his medical peers in light of his autism and how he struggles in relating to people. It also shows his development and journey and how he adapts and grows with his condition to better navigate professional and personal relationships while proving that he has a gift that can help others. I really enjoyed this series and found it quite comical, heart-warming but also tear jerking in parts.

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## New Books

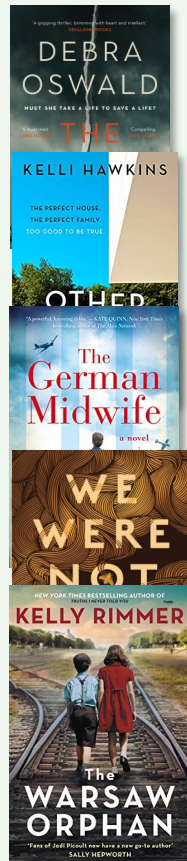
**Check the Library website for New Titles in Stock, updated weekly.**

### Fiction

Murder at Blackwater Bend / Clara McKenna  
The family doctor / Debra Oswald  
Black widows / Cate Quinn  
Other people's houses / Kelli Hawkins  
Sixteen horses / Greg Buchanan  
The girl who died / Ragnar Jonasson  
The McCalister legacy / Nicole Hurley-Moore  
The German midwife / Mandy Robotham  
The royal correspondent / Alexandra Joel  
How to mend a broken heart / Rachael Johns  
Snowy Mountains daughter / Alissa Callen  
One hundred days / Alice Pung  
We were not men / Campbell Mattinson  
While Paris slept / Ruth Druart  
Home stretch / Graham Norton  
The Warsaw orphan / Kelly Rimmer

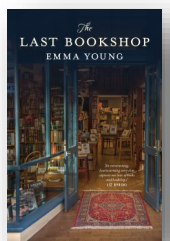
### Junior

Just Jaime / Terri Libenson  
Good night, Dora! / Christine Ricci  
Supernatural investigations series / B. B. Alston  
Aveline Jones series / Phil Hickey



**The Last Bookshop** by Emma Young. (2021). Perth bookshop owner Cait's best friends have always been books - along with the rare souls who love them as much as she does, like the grandmotherly June. June's sudden interest in Cait's lacklustre love life and the appearance of a handsome man force Cait to concede there might be more to happiness than her shop and her cat.

Look honestly, just from reading the synopsis I knew this was going to be a book for me. Booklover - tick. Set in Perth - tick. About a bookseller - tick. Cait would rather read than socialise - tick, tick, tick. So it was no surprise to me that I absolutely loved this novel. For me, I felt like in an alternate universe I could have been Cait. Her love of books shone off each page, and I enjoyed all the references to novels throughout the story. The situation with the shop rent increase and Cait feeling pushed out of her prime location was all too believable and you'll find yourself filled with tension just hoping Cait and her shop can come through this. Not only do we have this issue going on, we have some romantic drama and the exploration of the relationships Cait has with some special mobile customers as well as the physical patrons that frequent her shop. These experiences are combinations of touching, humorous and at times frustrating.



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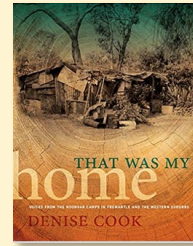
## Local Studies Collection

**NAIDOC Week** celebrates the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. NAIDOC Week is celebrated by all Australians and is a great opportunity to learn more about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities. The NAIDOC 2021 theme is – Heal Country!

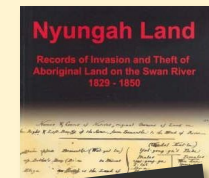
The Town of Bassendean was a pioneering local government when it embarked on establishing a Reconciliation Action Plan in 2012. While progress is ongoing, it's encouraging to see what has been accomplished including:

- Welcome/Acknowledgement of Country protocol at all Council/Committee meetings, functions and events;
- Acknowledgement of Noongar people as the traditional custodians of the land on Town's website, corporate publications and documents;
- Raising the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (ATSI) flags daily alongside the Australian, West Australian and Town flags;
- Oral histories recorded of long-time notable Aboriginal residents contained in the Local Studies Collection within the Bassendean Memorial Library
- Annual displays and talks on Noongar culture in the Bassendean Memorial Library.

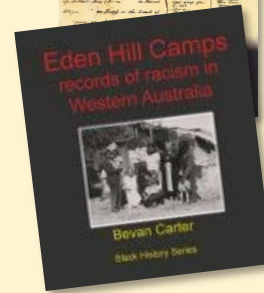
Find out more about Aboriginal local history by writers including Bevan Carter, Denise Cook and Richard Wilkes.



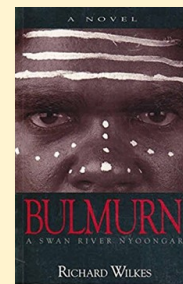
**That Was My Home : Voices from the Noongar Camps in Fremantle and the Western Suburbs**



**Nyungah Land: Records of Invasion and Theft of Aboriginal Land on the Swan River, 1829-1850, by Bevan Carter**



**Eden Hill Camps: Records of Racism in Western Australia by Bevan Carter**

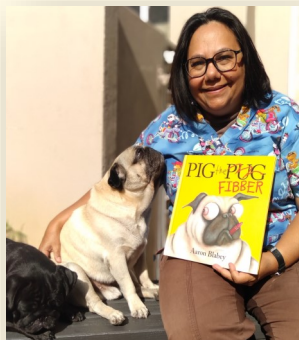


**Bulmurn : A Swan River Nyongar by Richard Wilkes UWA Press 1995**

## School Holidays

### A July School Holiday Event **Barbara the Veterinarian**

Pug Time - Sensing stories with our Ears, Eyes and Hands. Join Barbara the Vet as she reads two delightful stories from the Pig the Pug series.



Bassendean Memorial Public Library

**Wednesday 7 July, 2021**

10.30 am - 11.30 am

Ages 5 -11yrs

Please book via the following link below

[www.trybooking.com/BRNPW](http://www.trybooking.com/BRNPW)

or call 9279 2966

### A July School Holiday Event

#### **NAIDOC**

Sharing Dreamtime Stories with Bindi Bindi Dreaming

Our NAIDOC activity with Marissa Verma will explore Dreamtime mythology. Stories will come alive as the children help Marissa re-create these amazing narratives.



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**Thursday 15 July, 2021**

11.00 am - 12.00 noon

Ages 5 - 11yrs

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## Notice board



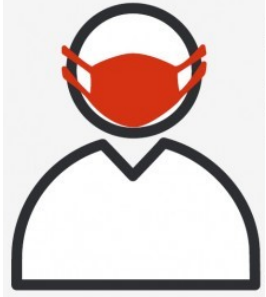
Storytime . Anytime

### What is Story Box Library?

We get kids excited about reading, inspire their imaginations and let them have fun with stories, improving their language and literacy skills along the way.

Young children can watch and listen to stories read by a range of Australian storytellers.

<https://storyboxlibrary.com.au/login>



### Local History guided walks

Free monthly guided walks resume August—December 2021. Learn local history and walk with an experienced volunteer guide.

20 people per walk

Online Bookings required

Contact Bassendean Memorial Library staff for booking assistance  
92792966 or  
[baslib@bassendean.wa.gov.au](mailto:baslib@bassendean.wa.gov.au)



Old Perth Road Walk Thursday 12 August

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

River Walk Tuesday 14 September

<https://www.trybooking.com/BRQM9>

Historic Homes Thursday 14 October

<https://www.trybooking.com/BRQM2>

Exploring Eden Hill Tuesday 9 November

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



### Print from anywhere, pick up at the library.

With our MobilePrint Service, you can use your personal computer or mobile device to print to the library's printers from anywhere.

### Mahjong for Beginners at Bassendean Library

#### Expressions of interest.

Learn how to play Mahjong at our six week course.  
Mahjong is a tile-based game that was developed in China during the Qing dynasty.



Classes will be every Tuesday evening 6.00pm - 7.45pm.

6 July  
13 July  
20 July  
27 July  
3 August  
10 August



Discover your family tree in the Library.

Available during Library hours in the Local Studies room.



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### Opening Hours

**Monday 9am - 6pm**  
**Tuesday 9am - 8pm**  
**Wednesday 9am - 6pm**  
**Thursday 9am - 6pm**  
**Friday 9am - 5.30pm**  
**Saturday 9am - 1pm**

Closed Sundays and Public Holidays

The Town of Bassendean acknowledges the Nyoongar people as traditional owners of this land and their continuing connection to land and community.

We pay our respects to them, to their culture and to their Elders, past, present and emerging.