

Easter Biscuit making

Join this small class to bake up a range of fantastic treats that you can give as gifts this Easter. You will learn how to make biscotti and shortbread. This is a fun day building basic cooking skills whilst learning tips and tricks to get the right crumb or crunch!

TIME: 10am-12pm

DATE: Monday 3 April

COST: \$15



After School Youth Program

This weekly program is delivered in collaboration with Western Bulldogs Community Foundation, and is open for young people aged 12-15. It will include activities such as sports, music, arts and cooking workshops. Drop in anytime.

TIME: 3.30-6pm

DATE: Wednesdays from 1 Feb-5 Apr

COST: Free

Drop in Chess, Card and Scrabble

If you love playing chess, cards or a game of scrabble in an informal and fun setting, pop over on Tuesday and have a fun. Invite your friends and enjoy a great afternoon while meeting new people. All are welcome!

TIME: 12-2pm

DATE: Every Tuesday

COST: Free



Please note that we require a minimum of participants for a program to commence.

Classes with * are delivered through Yarraville Community Centre, ACFE funding.



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Kids Holiday Activities



School Holiday Movie

Enjoy a screening of the Paw Patrol Movie and watch your favourite characters in their biggest adventure yet! When Humdigger becomes Mayor and causes havoc in Adventure City, Ryder and everyone's favourite heroic pups kick into high gear to face the challenge. Armed with exciting new gadgets, the PAW Patrol joins forces to save the citizens of Adventure City. Parent/carer supervision of children under 10 years old attending programs is required.

TIME: 1-3pm

DATE: Wednesday 4 January

COST: Free

Crafting

A great holiday art workshop where children aged 5-10 get to unleash their creativity. The session will be full of colourful fun and great opportunity to meet new people.

TIME: 11am-12.30pm

DATE: 9 and 16 January

COST: Free

Pizza making

Looking for school holiday activity with a bite? Bring the kids to this fun mini pizza making activity. Children will get their hands dirty by rolling out premade dough and top it with their favourite topping before it gets baked in the oven (by a staff member). Their creation can be enjoyed at the Centre or taken home.

TIME: 11.30am-1pm

DATE: Wednesday 11 January

COST: Free

Art Attack

In this fun and hands on holiday activity, children will enjoy exploring art making. They will use different techniques including paper craft, painting and more to produce inspiring art.

TIME: 11am-12.30pm

DATE: Wednesday 12 April

COST: Free

Photo Gallery



Above: Mosaic Bee Bath Class



Above: Picnic in Park 2022



Above: Drawing in the park class

Welcome to summer

Welcome to our Term 1 newsletter. We hope you all have had a wonderful summer break. Thank you to all our partners, participants, instructors and volunteers for making 2022 a fantastic year. We aim to have a Community Centre that is a place to learn, connect and grow. Our programs are designed to respond to the needs of the community, and to increase health and wellbeing outcomes for those who participate. As we move forward into 2023, we will bring you new and loved programs and activities to keep you connected and inspired. Follow us on Facebook for all our up to date program information. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Saida, Ibrahim and Wendy.

Celebrate Cultural Diversity Week

Every year in March, Victorians come together to celebrate our rich diversity through food, cultural games and more with Cultural Diversity Week. It runs from 11-21 March. Annually we put on a large community lunch, but due to limited space, we will be hosting a range of smaller luncheons during the Week. Join us in 2023 as we celebrate the rich cultures of Ethiopia, Italy and Thailand through food. Spaces will be limited so early registration is recommended.

Thai Dumpling Workshop

Learn to make tantalizing authentic Thai dumplings. You will learn to make the perfect dumpling dough and two delicious fillings. To compliment your homemade dumplings, you will be guided through the process of creating a delicious dipping sauce. Once your delicious dumplings are ready, you'll sit down and enjoy them with workshop participants.

Mosaic Bee Bath/Pot Plant

If you missed the amazing mosaic Bee Bath workshop last year, it's back 2023. These beauties look good in your garden, provide a vital resource for local bees who help our gardens bloom. If you've already done a Bee bath, you can create a beautiful pot for your garden.



HOLIDAY HOURS

Braybrook Community Hub will be open weekdays from 9am-5pm, except public holidays. Feel free to drop in for morning or afternoon tea, a game or cards.

Opening hours for other services:

cohealth

Closed from 2.30pm, Friday 23 December and reopens at 9am, Open 9am, Tuesday 3 January.

One Tree Kindergarten

Closed from 5pm, Friday 16 December and reopens 9am, Tuesday 31 January

HOLIDAY HOURS Cont.

Braybrook Men's Shed

Closed from 1pm, Friday 16 December and reopens at 10am, Tuesday 3 January

Braybrook Library

Closed from 12pm, Saturday 24 December and reopens 10am, Tuesday 3 January

Maternal & Child Health

Closed from 12pm, Friday 23 December and reopens at 9am, Tuesday 3 January

Check us out on Facebook!

Search for Braybrook Community Hub and follow our page for updates on programs and events



• Community Centre

• Maribyrnong Library Service

• cohealth

• Maternal and Child Health

• Braybrook Mens Shed

• One Tree Community Services

• Australian College of Optometry

We acknowledge that we are on traditional lands of the Kulin Nation. We offer our respect to the Elders of these traditional lands, and through them to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples past, present and emerging.

Office Opening Hours

Monday - Friday

9am-5pm

The office is closed on weekends and Public Holidays

Braybrook Community Hub Courses & Workshops

MONDAY

Basic English (YCC)*

Designed to help everyone improve their English. Ideal for complete beginners.

TIME: 9.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Mondays weekly, 6 Feb-19 June

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)

Or

TIME: 9.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Tuesdays weekly, 7 Feb - 20 June

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)

Beginners Sewing

Ever wanted to learn how to sew? This program will introduce you to all the basics of sewing. Start with making a bag and progress to creating simple clothing for you and your family.

TIME: 10am-12.30pm

DATE: 6 Feb-3 April

COST: \$50 Full | \$30 Concession



Basic Clothing Alterations

Learn simple and easy sewing techniques such as taking up hems on pants or skirts, letting out a waistband, repairing seams or shortening sleeves. Bring along your garment for alteration. Please book into a session date that suits you.

TIME: 1-3pm

DATE: Weekly, 9 Jan-3 April

COST: Free

Beginners Computers (YCC)*

This program is targeted at learners who have limited experience with computers and are wanting to develop online and work related computer skills.

TIME: 2-5pm

DATE: Weekly, 6 Feb-19 June

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)

Hatha Yoga Online

Practice yoga in the comfort of your own home with Sue via Zoom. A general Hatha Yoga style practice suitable for all levels, concluding with deep relaxation.

TIME: 6-7pm

DATE: 30 Jan -3 April

COST: \$54

Your Career: Your Way

The 'Your Career, your Way Way' program is for 9-weeks designed to help individuals explore their strengths and values, learn from industry experts and gain the knowledge and skills to become job ready. This program allows you to focus on your career needs in your own way. It aims to help give you the confidence to decide what your career means to you.

TIME: 9.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Weekly, 6 Feb-3 April

COST: Free

TUESDAY

Tai Chi for Health

Exercise your mind, body and soul with Tai Chi, an art form known for its slow and gentle movement. Tai Chi helps promote overall health and relaxation leaving you feeling rejuvenated.

TIME: 10-11am

DATE: Weekly, 31 Jan-4 April

COST: Free



Mosaic Workshops

Join Amanda in this six-week workshop and choose between creating a gorgeous mosaic bee bath or pot plant that will look stunning in your garden or better still, make a great gift. You will be guided on how to cut tiles and design and create a beautiful garden piece.

TIME: 1-3pm

DATE: 21 Feb-28 March

COST: \$40 Full | \$30 Concession



Smartphone Photography

Join us in this hands-on phone photography workshop where you will learn how to capture nature, people and scenes on your smart phone. You will be guided on a learning tour where you will see and capture local scenes, murals, people, and buildings. You will also learn about composition, a filters, exposure and more as well as handy tips from your instructor.

TIME: 10am -12pm

DATE: 28 Feb-4 April

COST: \$60

Community Lunch: Eat Together Tuesday

We are excited to announce that Eat Together Lunches are returning on Tuesdays after over two years. The free, weekly community lunch run in partnership with Department of Justice. Registrations are essential due to capacity limits.

TIME: 12.30pm

DATE: 17 January

COST: Free

FILLS (Family Inclusive Language and Literacy Support) Program

Would you like to support your child's education? Would you like help to better understand the school system? FILLS is a homework club where everyone in the family is welcome. The program runs on Tuesdays and Fridays during school term. If you would like to volunteer or bring your child, Please email us your details to

braycomm@maribyrnong.vic.gov.au

TIME: 4-5.30pm

DATE: Weekly, 31 Jan-4 April

COST: Free

WEDNESDAY

Caring for Our Community

KOGO (knit one give one)

KOGO is a non-for-profit organisation that asks volunteers to donate time and wool to knit warm winter woolies that they can distribute to people in need through over 250 community groups. Help KOGO spread the warmth by picking up your knitting needles/crochet hooks and making a scarf, beanie or blanket.

TIME: 9am-12pm

DATE: Wed and Frid 1 Feb-5 April

COST: Free

Intermediate Computers (YCC)*

This program further develops computer skills in using Word, Excel and PowerPoint by exploring more advanced features. Using the internet, you will discover applications that allow you to create content for YouTube, explore the world using Google Earth and be confident using online banking and bill paying.

TIME: 9.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Weekly, 8 Feb -21 June

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)

Mindfulness and Meditation

Relax your body, calm your mind and improve your focus all while meditating under the guidance of an experienced teacher. This class will also be live streamed so you have the option of attending the class onsite, or staying in the comfort of your own home.

TIME: 10-11am

DATE: 1 Feb-5 April

COST: \$60

Yoga for All

A general hatha yoga style practice suitable for all levels, concluding with deep relaxation. This class will also be live streamed so you have the option of attending the class onsite, or staying in the comfort of your own home.

TIME: 11.30am-12.30pm

DATE: 1 Feb-5 April

COST: \$60



Diversity Week Lunch: Ethiopian

Join us for our first of the three lunches to celebrate Diversity Week, where you will enjoy the delight of Ethiopian food. We will enjoy the aromatic delight of Doro Wot and Misir Wot.

TIME: 1pm

DATE: Wednesday 15 March

COST: Free

Tablets and Devices (YCC)*

Understand the different aspects of using tablets such as iPad's and android tablets and smart phones.

TIME: 2-5pm

DATE: Weekly, 8 Feb -21 June

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)



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THURSDAY



Multicultural Playgroup

MacKillop Family Services' Multicultural Supported Playgroup provides an environment where parents and carers from culturally diverse communities can meet to participate in activities that encourage their child's development and social skills. To book, please call or text 0427 703 582 or email

RegionalParentingService@mackillop.org.au

TIME: 10am-12pm

DATE: Weekly, 2 Feb-6 April

COST: Free

Intermediate Computers

This program further develops skills in using Word, Excel and PowerPoint by exploring more advanced features and uses. Using the internet, you will discover web based applications that allow you to create content for YouTube, explore the world using Google Earth and be confident using online banking and bill paying.

TIME: 9.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Weekly, 9 Feb-22 June

COST: Free

Craft

Looking for a group that can help inspire, teach and support you in your craft endeavours? This is the group for you. Bring along whatever you are working on and enjoy a morning with like minded people.

TIME: 10am-12pm

DATE: 2 Feb-6 April

COST: \$30 Full | \$15 Concession



International Women's Day Afternoon Tea

Join us in this delicious afternoon tea celebrating international Women's Day. We will make some delicious scones, Date Maamoul, and three gorgeous dips to enjoy with some veggie sticks and pita bread.

TIME: 1- 3pm

DATE: Thursday 9 March

COST: \$10

Diversity Week Lunch: Italian

Join us for our second Diversity Week lunch and enjoy delicious Italian pasta and sugo followed by mouth-watering dessert.

TIME: 1pm

DATE: Thursday 16 March

COST: Free

FRIDAY

Beginners Plus Computers (YCC)*

In this class you will learn how to use computers, including how to open an email account and use it to send and receive emails, use folder systems for saving documents, copying and pasting pictures and images into documents and much more.

TIME: 9.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Weekly, 10 Feb-23 Jun

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)

Conversational English (YCC)*

This program is designed to build the literacy and language skills of learners to pathway in to an accredited language/ literacy course, volunteering or employment.

TIME: 10am-2pm

DATE: Weekly, 10 Feb-23 June

COST: Free (eligibility criteria applies)



Dumpling Making Workshop

Love dumplings? Master how to make delicious, mouth-watering and authentic Thai steamed tapioca dumplings filled with seasoned chicken or vegetables. You will also create delicious dipping sauce to go with it and enjoy a sit down them with fellow participants.

TIME: 10am-12.30pm

DATE: Friday 24 March

COST: \$20

Asian Market Tour

Ever Interested in navigating through the hurray of ingredients or overwhelmed by the Asian store/market? Join Soraya as she weaves you through the various stalls and explains the different products and their uses for you to create a delicious meal at home.

TIME: 10am -12pm

DATE: Friday 24 Feb

COST: \$20



Diversity Week Lunch: Thai

Join us for our third Diversity Week lunch you will enjoy a vibrant, delicious fresh som tum (Papaya Salad) with chicken. It's the perfect combo of sweet, salty and sour. A dish guaranteed to put a smile on your face.

TIME: 1pm

DATE: Friday 17 March

COST: Free

AND MORE.....



Eid Celebration

Eid al-Fitr marks the end of the Muslim wholly month of Fasting known as Ramadan. During Eid ul Fitr, family and friends traditionally come together to share celebratory food. Join us as we mark the celebration with delicious food such as Samosa, Basbousa, Date Cake, Fatayer and more, all while you learn about the history of Ramadan.

TIME: 11am-12pm

DATE: Monday 24 April

COST: Free

Machine Imagining

Machine Imagining is an arts project inviting the Maribyrnong community to explore the natural world in collaboration with machine intelligence. Through a series of free workshops, community members will be invited to draw creatures from the local area - plants, animals and insects.

These drawings and photos will then be used to produce a community database of observations of the local, natural world, and used to train machine learning models to generate new, machine imaginings of the Maribyrnong area. They will finally be arranged into large hanging textiles, and finished with hand embroidery and displayed at Braybrook Community Hub.

TIME: 10.30am-12.30pm

DATE: Tue & Sat, 31 Jan-25 Feb

COST: Free



For further information or to book please click the link below or scan QR code above
[CLICK HERE](#) to view classes and book
or call 9188 5800 (Mon-Fri 9am -5pm)