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FAMILY SHOWS



KOORI KINNECTIONS

with Jess Sinnott, Thursday 6 July

Celebrate NAIDOC Week by exploring Aboriginal culture, history and heritage. Jess is a Yuin and Wiradjuri woman and she will share with you her wealth of knowledge about bush tucker, sustainability and traditional dance.

Who: the whole family

Time: 10.30 - 11.30am

Tickets: \$5 per person (children under 2 are free)



MAGIC MIME CIRCUS

with Leo Bonne, Wednesday 12 July

Due to popular demand, the amazingly funny mime and entertainer Leo Bonne is coming back to Penrith Library. Leo will dazzle and amaze the whole family with unicycling, mime, comedy and magic. With audience interaction, clown gags and slapstick, you won't be able to get the smile off your face.

Who: the whole family

Time: 10.30 - 11.30am

Tickets: \$5 per person (children under 2 are free)

SCHOOL HOLIDAY EVENTS TICKETS ON SALE FROM MONDAY 5 JUNE

All events are held at Penrith Library. Bookings are essential! Tickets sell fast so be quick to avoid disappointment. There will be no refunds or exchanges for tickets purchased. Family shows are \$5 per person and every adult and child over 2 years old must have a ticket. Workshops are supervised by professional performers and library staff. All accompanying adults can attend our workshops for free.

Your feedback helps us plan future events - email our Children's team at childrensteamlibrary@penrith.city

WORKSHOPS

ART WORKSHOP

with Na'ama Atzmon-Simon, Tuesday 4 July

Be inspired by the changing of the seasons to create a unique leaf shaped clay bowl, which you will then paint and decorate with a variety of traditional and experimental tools.

Come in clothes ready for a messy workshop.

Who: 7 – 15 year olds

Time: 10.30am - 12.30pm

Tickets: \$15 per child



WORKSHOPS

THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR ORIGAMI WORKSHOP

with Midori Furze, Tuesday 11 July

Midori will read the popular book, The Very Hungry Caterpillar in Japanese and you'll learn some Japanese characters. Then you'll make some hungry origami caterpillars and butterflies.

Who: 5 – 7 year olds

Time: 10.30 - 11.30am

Tickets: \$12 per child



ORIGAMI AND CALLIGRAPHY BOOKMARK MAKING WORKSHOP

with Midori Furze, Tuesday 11 July

Midori will teach you how to create your own origami and how to write your name using Japanese characters. Then you'll make and decorate your bookmark with your name in Japanese calligraphy.

Who: 7 – 13 year olds

Time: 12 - 1pm

Tickets: \$12 per child



STORIES IN THE STARS – PLANETARIUM

with Starr's Planetarium, Thursday 13 July

Start with a trip through the Solar System and onwards to the very edge of our galaxy. Then come back down to Earth and explore Indigenous Australian astronomy in this fascinating mobile planetarium show. Discover how Indigenous culture describes constellations that cannot be seen from the Northern Hemisphere. Learn about how European night sky stories and constellations appear in a different way in the Southern Hemisphere. Come and travel through the universe and learn more about the night sky above you.

Who: 5 - 7 year olds

Time: 10 - 11am

Tickets: \$12 per child

Who: 8 - 13 year olds

Time: 11.30am - 12.30pm

Tickets: \$12 per child



BOOK WEEK 2017

Book Week is the time to celebrate Australian children's literature and its authors and illustrators. It's an annual event organised by the Children's Book Council of Australia (CBCA). Penrith Library will be exploring the 2017 Book Week theme in our regular Story Time sessions through songs, stories and craft.

Theme:	Escape to Everywhere
Session times:	10.30 – 11.30am
St Marys	Tuesday 22 August
Penrith	Wednesday 23 August
St Clair	Thursday 24 August



AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY TERM 3: CHESS CLUB

Chess Club will continue in Term 3. We hope to see our regulars and some new faces too.

Who:	Students in year 1 and above
Time:	4.30 - 5.30pm
Dates:	Thursday 20 July – Thursday 21 September
Cost:	\$60 for the term

For more information please call Barjinder on **4732 7890** or email childrensteamlibrary@penrith.city



YOGA FOR TEENS

with Suzanne Ellis

Strengthen your body and mind every Tuesday afternoon during Term 3.

Yoga helps you study, increases focus and concentration, calms nerves, builds confidence and resilience, gives overall physical, emotional and mental wellbeing. It also energizes you, helps you sleep better and is lots of fun!

This ten week course will set you on the path to becoming stronger, more focused, calm, and relaxed.

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Who:	Students in years 7 – 12
Time:	4 - 5pm
Dates:	Every Tuesday 18 July – 19 September
Cost:	\$80 for a 10 week term



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