

Goulburn Valley Library Lines

26 April 2021

Sydney Writer Festival : Live and Local

30 April to 2 May 2021

Prepare to be engaged by conversations, debates and discussions, as the Festival brings the world's finest authors to the Goulburn Valley in real time. Be part of Live & Local, streamed live by the Sydney Writers Festival and delivered locally to the libraries around the Goulburn Valley.

Check your local library for program times and dates.

Cobram – Euroa – Nagambie - Shepparton

Looby : A Documentary

Shepparton Library is proud to present a special screening of LOOBY : A Documentary.

Perhaps a habit of drawing colonialism, painting non-conformists and speaking up made Keith Looby persona non grata? With sumptuous cinematography, candid interviews and a striking original score, LOOBY uncovers the life and work of an artist we need to remember.

Born in Sydney, Keith Looby entered the National Art School as a 15-year-old and graduated with an unmistakable style that went on to win Australian paintings highest plaudits including the Sulman, Blake and Archibald prizes.

Shepparton Library **29th April 2021 6.00pm**

Law Week 17-23 May

Coffee with a Cop

Ask questions or voice a concern in a relaxed environment

Shepparton Library **Monday 17 May** **10.30am**

Grandparenting and Family Dispute Resolution

Learn how to ensure that grandparents and grandchildren retain a connection when there is a family breakdown.

Shepparton Library **Tuesday 18 May** **10.30am**

Koori Court & Umalek Balit

Come on a journey and learn about the Koori Court and the *Umalek* Balit which is a unique service offered at the Shepparton Magistrate Court.

Shepparton Library **Thursday 20 May** **7.00pm**

Partner Visa & Family Violence

This session will help if you have any questions about how family violence laws impact partner visa applications.

Shepparton Library **Friday 21 April** **10.30am**

COVID & Migrant Visas Update

A year on since COVID began, this session will provide updated information on some of the relevant changes to migration, migrant visas and travel restrictions.

Shepparton Library **Friday 21 May** **11.30am and Facebook Live**

Booking essential for all Law Week events held in the library.

Covid-safe practices are adhered to for all library events. Please do not attend if you are unwell.

Libraries After Dark @ Shepparton Library

Looking for something different on a Thursday evening? Why not visit the library! The Shepparton Library is open until **10.00pm** with a host of special events, guest speakers, regular sessions and old favourites – or just come along to socialise with others. All our regular library services are available. Library membership is **free** – just ask Andre or Nicole how easy it is to sign up.

There will be puzzles and games every Thursday evening or join in with one of the group activities

Chess and Cards for Kids Every Thursday 4.30 to 6.00pm

Learn new skills playing chess and card games, meet new people and have fun!

Leaders from the Shepparton Bridge and Chess Clubs are on hand to teach you how to play and help you to improve your game. Parents and carers welcome. Bookings required.

Meditation Masterclass Every Thursday during May 7.30pm

Meditation has been proven to reduce stress and anxiety, and help settle an overactive mind. Join Alicia Niglia, meditation facilitator, to learn simple and practical techniques to relax your body and calm your mind. *Be sure to wear comfortable clothing.* Feel free to bring a water bottle, journal, pen, and a light blanket or shawl.

Bookings essential.

Craft Circle Every Thursday 6.00pm

Bring your project, knitting or crochet to join the circle. Once a month we will offer a special evening Craft and Chat session with a special activity if you wish to join in.

Monthly Movie

13th May 7.00pm *Jasper Jones* rated M

The life of Charlie Bucktin, a bookish 14-year-old, changes irrevocably the night Jasper Jones shows him the dead body of Laura Wishart.

10th June 7.00pm *Lion*

Australian biographical drama based on the 2013 non-fiction book *A long way from home* by Saroo Brierly

LAD Scrabble Challenge - Battle of the tiles! War of words! Join in a fun scrabble challenge to see who can be crowned Libraries After Dark Scrabble Champion. **From 6.00pm**

View and Chat : Conversation that matters

What a collective can achieve: Reflections on unified movements and moments.

The Women's Collective invites you to join them as they lead a discussion on recent events in society, strong women in the forefront, and what needs to change.

Shepparton Library Thursday 27th May 6.30pm

Bookings required as spaces are limited. Phone your library to reserve your place.

Human Book Club

The Human Book Club will meet every third Thursday in the library and live on Facebook. Human "Books" discuss topics of interest: the topic for May is:

I can tell by your accent...

By definition, an accent is the manner of pronunciation specific to people who come from or are educated in a certain place. But your accent tells so much more. How much does accent define perception? Can you change your accent?

Our books are about how accents are developed and how the way they speak has affected their lives.

Shepparton Library Thursday 22nd April 6.00pm

Call 1300 374 765, email Shepparton@gvrlc.vic.gov.au or call into Shepparton Library.

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Tech Chat

Popular group chat, sharing problems and learning how to use mobile devices such as mobile phones, tablets and iPads.

Shepparton Library **Every Wednesday** **11.00am**

Bookings required as spaces are limited. Phone your library to reserve your place.

Craft and Chat

Come along and try out some basic craft projects in this fun group. Sessions run for around one hour and all supplies to make a fun craft are provided. BYO chat and have a great time with like-minded people.

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Tatura – Butterfly Terrarium **Thursday 6th May** **10.30am**

Create adorable butterfly terrariums in jars for your table décor.

Shepparton - Paper Cactus Magnet **Thursday 20th May** **2.00pm**

Using egg cartons and beautiful paper, create this cute 3d magnet for your fridge.

Mooroopna – 3D Collage Bird **Thursday 27th May** **10.30am**

Create bird using collage techniques, from old book pages and magazines.

Mooroopna regulars

Scrabble Club

Scrabble fun for everyone. Every Friday afternoon from 2:00pm. All welcome – Mooroopna Library.

Local Artists @ Mooroopna

A joint project from Mooroopna Education Activity Centre (MEAC) and Mooroopna Library to display art created locally.

View during library open hours, or visit MEAC Monday to Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm.

- **Suzana Bardic** exhibition is coming to a close

Movies on Monday @ MEAC

Movie selections from Goulburn valley Libraries' Kanopy catalogue every Monday 1.00pm.

Bookings essential, call MEAC 5825 1744.

For Information about Libraries After Dark, our new library hours, any of our programs, or to make bookings for our activities:

Phone - 1300 374 765

Email - gvrhc@gvrhc.vic.gov.au

Or call into your local library.

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