

Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre has some great performances this Summer including:



#### **Working Class Boy: An Evening** of Stories & Songs

#### Thu 8 Dec 8pm

Jimmy will tell his life story for the first time on stage, sharing stories from his troubled childhood and delinguent adolescence, and intimate musical performances of key songs drawn from his earliest years. A night of storytelling, this show provides a real insight into the events that shaped Jimmy's life and his music.

A Res \$119.90, B Res \$99.90



SEC LIVE in association with Downunder Promotions presents

#### **Bobby Bruce as Nearly Neil Diamond** Fri 13 Jan 7.30pm

For almost two decades, Canadian singer Bobby Bruce has been performing to packed houses all over the world with his passionate, exhilarating and vocally brilliant salute to music legend, Neil Diamond.

SEC LIVE Member/Group 5+ \$39, Adult \$45, Conc. \$42



#### SEC LIVE and Rock & Roll Wrestling present **Rock and Roll Wrestling GOLD RUSH**

#### Sat 21 Jan 7.30pm

Due to popular demand, Rock and Roll Wrestling is returning to the Shoalhaven after a sell-out performance. Enjoy brilliant moves, intense action and an electric atmosphere!

SEC LIVE Member/Group 4+ \$13.50, Adult \$15

#### shoalhavenentertainment.com.au | 1300 788 503

A \$5.50 transaction fee applies to telephone bookings





Libraries



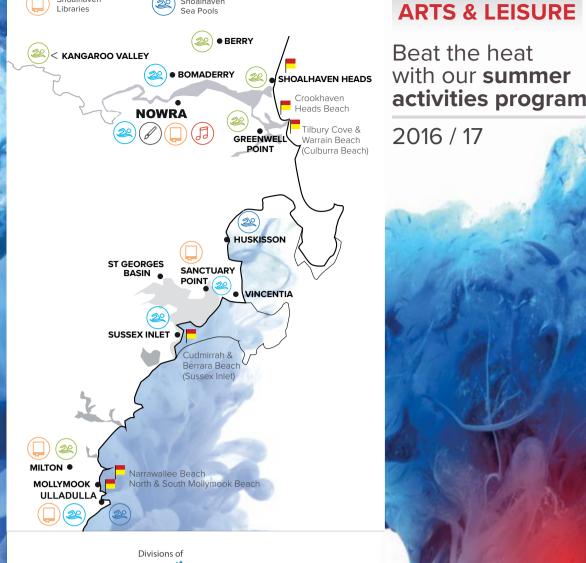
Shoalhaven SWIM & FITNESS















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WHAT'S ON





From Berry in the north of the City, to Ulladulla in the south, our award winning facilities complement the lifestyle of the Shoalhaven. We provide our community and visitors with quality recreational activities which promote and enhance a fit and healthy lifestyle while having a tonne of fun!

Some of our programs include Learn to Swim intensive classes and fitness classes to suit all ages and abilities.

Of course summer holidays wouldn't be complete without a big day out in a pool. Some of our aquatic facilities include water slides, giant inflatables, splash pools and other cool stuff to keep kids entertained for hours.



# WAY TOO MUCH FUN!!

#### **OUR POOLS AND CENTRES**

Bay & Basin Leisure Centre Bomaderry Aquatic Centre Nowra Aquatic Park Ulladulla Leisure Centre

Find us on

Sussex Inlet Aquatic Centre

#### **VILLAGE POOLS**

Greenwell Point

Kangaroo Valley Milton

Shoalhaven Heads

## **SEA POOLS**

Huskisson Ulladulla



Each of our Leisure Centres has their own holiday programs and facilities.

To find out more information and locations of all our pools, please visit shoalhavenswimandfitness.com.au.

#### Enjoy our famous beaches but please stay safe.

The 2016 / 17 Professional Beach Patrols will complement existing weekend volunteer beach lifeguard patrols on designated local beaches - please visit

#### shoalhavenswimandfitness.com.au/Beaches-Patrol.

9am to 5pm daily services are provided on the following beaches commencing 17 December to 29 January

Shoalhaven Heads

Crookhaven Heads Beach

Tilbury Cove (Ocean Street, Culburra Beach) Warrain Beach (Farrant Avenue, Culburra Beach) Cudmirrah / Berrara Beach (Sussex Inlet)

Narrawallee Beach (Surfers Avenue) North Mollymook Beach (Beach Road)

South Mollymook Beach (Golf Avenue)

28 November until 24 February





# EXHIBITIONS Nov 2016 - Jan 2017



# BIOGRAPHS - Kurt Brereton Main & Foyer Galleries

Large scale abstract paintings and mixed media sculptures in this exhibition can be read as biographs or time-maps. Each map is a performance record or test result of how we individually engage with the drama of passing time. Each new moment offers us the experience of life refreshed. This show is both therapeutic and conceptually provocative.



# [DUHK-LING] - Therese Sweeney Access Gallery

[Duhk-ling] extends the artist's exploration of belonging and relationship, engaging in a new community through portraiture in nature. Focusing on the humanity of the local people who purchase her ducklings; Therese finds vulnerability through their connection with new life. It is a significant departure from her work to date which has involved intense engagement and relationship in densely populated regions. By responding to subjects in her new environment, Therese has found a direct immediacy and connection between her camera and people.



#### REAL MEN AND THEIR DOGS Anne-France Fulgence (A-F) East Gallery

The artist was born in Morocco in 1960. During her childhood, her family used to hunt wild pigs and kept 3 dogs to help in the hunt. For A-F there is a romance in this continued hunting tradition. Hunting feral pigs with dogs is not for the faint hearted. It can be brutal and bloody. It is always intense. A-F has painted portraits of hunting dogs for many years. In this exhibition she has included a portrait of the hunter as well as the dog portrait. These portraits bring the viewer into the world of hunting and the bond between man and dog.





#### **Duck Duck Duck**

Tue 10 Jan 10am - 11.30am \$6 pp Suitable for (3-5yrs). Bring snack and drink. Do you love fluffy ducks? Meet Therese Sweeney and her brand new ducklings. Using paper, cardboard and feathers create 3 flying ducks for your bedroom wall.



#### **Delightful Ducklings**

Tue 10 Jan 12.30pm - 2.30pm \$10 pp Suitable (6-12yrs). Bring snack and drink. Delight in making your very own duckling sculpture using modelling clay, add a little bling to make your ducky stand out in a crowd.



#### **Patchy Puppy Mask**

Wed 11 Jan 10am - 11.30am \$6 pp Suitable (3-5yrs). Bring snack and drink. Let's make our own patchy pups. Using paper and collage materials, you can make your very own puppy mask and do a little puppy play.



#### **Puppy Play**

Wed 11 Jan 12.30pm - 2.30pm \$10 pp Suitable (5-12yrs). Bring snack and drink Working on a stretched canvas create your own puppy portrait with paint and coloured string.



#### **Animal Artistry**

Thu 12 Jan 10am - 12pm \$15 pp Suitable (13-18yrs). Bring snack and drink. Working on canvas students will learn to paint fur, feathers scales and skin. Creating a grid style art work, using paint, crayons and charcoal, they will explore different textures and colours of the animal world. Reference images supplied.



#### **Linear Landscape**

Thu 12 Jan 1pm - 3pm \$15 pp Suitable (13-18yrs). Bring snack and drink. Working on cotton rag paper, students will explore the landscape of the Shoalhaven through artmaking. Using line to describe the forms, then adding a variety of collage materials and stitching to build form and colour. Reference image supplied.



#### Summer Workshop with Kurt Brereton

Sat 14 Jan 10am - 4pm \$65pp Includes lunch: Sandwiches, cakes, fruit platter, tea and coffee.

Do you love mixed media? Sign up for Kurt Brereton's workshop and experience drawing, printmaking, painting, stamping and stitching. Under Kurt's guidance explore a range of skills and techniques to create artworks on paper.

Shoalhaven City Arts Centre & Regional Gallery | Check our website or facebook page for Christmas & New Year Opening Hours open Tues - Fri 10-4 | Saturday 10-2 | FREE ENTRY 02 4429 5444 | Bookings Eventbrite.com or 4429 5444 | shoalhavenartscentre.com.au

# FREE CHRISTMAS LIBRARY EVENTS





#### December in Shoalhaven Libraries

As Christmas approaches it seems we are constantly opening our wallets, but at Shoalhaven Libraries, you can still access a range of activities, events and services FREE so get into the Christmas spirit with the following festive events:

**Sanctuary Point** (02) 4406 2076

Christmas Preschool Storytime and end of year Party

**Thu 15 & Fri 16 Dec 10.30 - 11.00am** Suitable (0-5yrs). Bookings essential.

#### **Christmas Craft for Kids**

**Thur 22 Dec 10.30am - 11.30am**Suitable (All ages). Bookings essential.
Christmas story and make a little Christmas tree.

# **Christmas Cookies**

**Fri 23 Dec 10.30am - 11.30am**Suitable (All ages). Bookings essential.
Decorate cookies to leave out for Santa.
Call 02 4406 2076 for more details.

## Ulladulla Library (02) 4444 8820

Christmas Carols & Nursery Rhymes plus Christmas Trinket give-away Thu 15 Dec 10.30am

Suitable (0-2yrs). Maximum 20.

#### Storytime

Thu 15 Dec 11am

Suitable (2-5yrs). Maximum 20. Christmas Stories plus decorate your very own Christmas tree bauble to hang on your tree.

## Pine Cone Santa Decoration

Fri 16 Dec 10.30am Suitable (All ages). Maximum 18.

Decorate a cookie for Santa Thu 22 Dec 10am Suitable (All ages). Maximum 25.

Do it yourself library activity

Christmas puzzles & activity pack



# **Nowra Library** (02) 4429 3705



#### Dr Michael Davey Thu 8 Dec 6pm

Join us for an inspirational hour with local author Dr Michael Davey. Michael is a bestselling author, motivational speaker and child advocate who rode 14,000km to raise money for children suffering with cancer.

# Christmas Storytime

Tue 13 Dec 10am

Join us for some Christmas cheer with a special guest.

## **Christmas Rhymetime**

Thu 15 Dec 10am

Nowra is also hosting the **Share the Dignity** "It's in the bag" campaign. You can drop off a handbag filled with feminine essentials that will be given to homeless women in the Shoalhaven. So share the love this festive season and place a bag under the Christmas tree at Nowra Library.

# **Christmas Hours**

Our libraries will close on Friday the 23rd of December and re-open on Tuesday the 3rd of January. Borrowers are invited to take some extra items home to read over the break and they can be returned in any of our branches after hours book chutes.

Don't forget to also check out our great digital resources by visiting **shoalhavenlibraries.com.au** to access eBooks, eAudio and digital magazines.

All of the Staff at Shoalhaven Libraries wish everyone a safe, happy and booky Christmas.



## **Summer Reading Club**

All of our branches run the Summer Reading Club which starts on 1st December and runs throughout the holiday period. Join up and join in the fun activities, get reading and perhaps win some prizes along the way.

Participation in the Australian Summer Reading Club allows children and young people to develop a sense of community with other children across the country.

No matter where they are during the summer holidays, children and young people will be able to participate in activities aligned to the annual programming theme, discover great Australian authors and illustrators, and share their voice by engaging in literary and creative activities, both online and in libraries.



