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How to book

- **In person:** Visit your local library and staff will book on your behalf
- **By phone:** (03) 941 7923
- **Email enquiries:** library@ccc.govt.nz
- For more information visit my.christchurchcitylibraries.com/contact-us



Book now. Bookings are essential wherever you see this symbol.



Book now via external organisation. This means bookings are essential, but aren't taken through our library call centre. Please see each specific listing for more details on how to book.

Are you part of the Children's University?

Did you know that you could be earning learning hours by going along to any of our library run programmes listed in Huraina?

Visit cuaustralasia.com for more information on this project and how you can get involved.



Kia Ora,

Tūranga has just celebrated its first birthday after a fun-filled year. We have welcomed more than one million visitors – including 9000 new members – and issued more than 471,000 items. Our wonderful Discovery Wall has had more than 21 million individual touches.

Christchurch locals have really taken ownership of Tūranga, turning our much-loved central library into the go-to destination for everyone – including thousands of very impressed visitors.

Summer is a great time to catch up on reading and spending holiday time with family and friends, and we have an exciting library programme ahead. Don't forget to take part in our Summertime Reading Challenge which will take place through the summer months!

Finally, a reminder to check our library hours over the Christmas-New Year break.

From everyone at Christchurch City Libraries, we wish you a safe and happy summer holiday season.

Carolyn Robertson
Head of Libraries and Information Unit
Christchurch City Council

All about kids

Ngā Pakiwaitara Bilingual Storytimes

Join Whaea Rochelle for these exciting bilingual storytimes for children (and parents) with all levels of Te Reo Māori. Stories are in both Māori and English, with fun-filled activities designed to get tamariki (children) up to kanikani (dance) to some cool Māori waiata (songs).

Piki mai, kake mai!


Tūranga
Hapori | Community, Level 1
Tuesdays, 10.30am
(sessions will not be running between 18 December–20 January)

Faitauga Tusi Samoan Storytimes

Enjoy and learn stories, rhymes and action songs in Samoan.

Tūranga
Tuakiri | Identity, Level 2
Saturday 25 January,
10.30–11.30am

Story Times at Barrington

 2–5yrs

Come along to our free story times and craft session at Barrington Mall.

Barrington Mall
256 Barrington Street
Monday 10 February
10.30–11.30am

Family Makerspace

Have fun, create craft and make cool stuff. A different creative activity every week.

Tūranga
Taupuni Auaha / Creative Space, Hapori | Community, Level 1
Saturdays, 2.30–4pm

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre
Saturdays, 1.30–3pm

Friday Whānau Fun Night An evening of stories, family and fun at the library!

This is aimed at 5–12 year olds and their family members of any age. Bring the kids! Bring the grandparents! Uncle, cousins, whoever you like — the whole whānau is invited!



Join us for a short story time followed by fun, hands-on activities to do as a family. We'll be building, making and exploring right here in the libraries. Create some great family memories and get your weekend off to a perfect start.

Christmas Fun!

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre
Friday 6 December, 5–6pm

Mazes at Tūranga

Tūranga
Friday 24 January, 6–7pm

Sustainability

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre
Friday 7 February, 5–6pm

Tūranga

Friday 28 February, 6–7pm

Stories in the Sun

Ever wondered what it's like to work at a swimming pool or in a park? Would you like to find out more about what an animal management officer does?

Aimed at kids up to 12 years, we'll learn how to stay safe around water, discover the bugs, birds and trees in our parks, and find out how to be friends with dogs. Stay on after the session to take part in a craft activity, and meet and chat with our special guests.

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre
Animal Control and
Dog Safety

Tuesday 14 January, 10.30am
(Note: The presenters will be bringing either one or two dogs with them to this event)

Parks and Park Rangers

Friday 17 January, 10.30am

Pools and Water Safety

Friday 24 January, 10.30am

A Christmas Story

Come and enjoy an interactive Christmas story time including songs and laughter, at South Library.

Wear your pyjamas, dress in your favourite costume, or just come down and enjoy some Christmas fun for the whole family. Bring a rug and snacks.

South Library

Wednesday 18 December,
5.30–6.15pm



Babytimes and Storytimes programmes include stories, music, movement and rhymes. Kōrero pukapuka, pūoru, korikori.

Most regular sessions will be on hold over the Christmas holiday period, from 15 December and will resume on 10 February.

Wā Pēpi

Babytimes



Aranui Library

Tuesdays, 11.15am

Fendalton Library

Thursdays, 10.30am

Hornby Library

Fridays, 10.15am

Linwood Library

Fridays, 11am

Lyttelton Library

Fridays, 10.30am

Matuku Takotako:

Sumner Centre

Tuesdays, 10.30am

New Brighton Library

Wednesdays, 10.30am

Ōrauwhata:

Bishopdale Library and

Community Centre

Fridays, 10.30am

Papanui Library

Wednesdays, 11am

Parklands Library

Fridays, 10.30am

Shirley Library

Thursdays, 10.30am

South Library

Tuesdays, 11am

Spreydon Library

Wednesdays, 10.30am

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 11am (Tuesday's session is bilingual in English and Mandarin Chinese)

Tūranga

Sundays, 10.30am

Upper Riccarton Library

Tuesdays, 10am



Wā Kōrero

Storytimes



Fendalton Library

Tuesdays, 10.30am

Hornby Library

Wednesdays, 10.15am

Linwood Library

Thursdays, 10am

Lyttelton Library

Tuesdays, 11am

Matuku Takotako:

Sumner Centre

Wednesdays, 10.30am

New Brighton Library

Mondays, 2pm

Ōrauwahata:

Bishopdale Library and Community Centre

Wednesdays, 10.30am

Papanui Library

Thursdays, 11am

Parklands Library

Thursdays, 10.30am

Redwood Library

Mondays, 10.30am

Shirley Library

Tuesdays, 10.30am
(plus Super Saturday
Storytimes at 11am)

South Library

Thursdays, 11am

Spreydon Library

Fridays, 10.30am

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

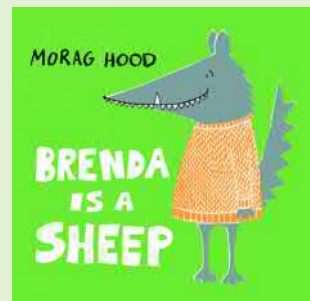
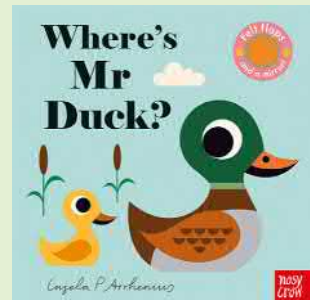
Thursdays, 11am

Tūranga

Wednesdays, 10.30am


Upper Riccarton Library

Mondays, 10am
(plus Super Saturday
Storytimes at 11am)



Holiday fun!


Hot Wheels Frenzy

 Bookings required

 \$10


Learn about construction and physics while playing with mini race cars! Children will reverse engineer their very own Hot Wheels accessories, and take turns building tracks to challenge and race their friends on the day.

South Library

 6–8 years (cardboard carry case/garage)


Tuesday 14 January,
9.30–11.30am


South Library

 9–12 years (car launcher)

Tuesday 21 January,
9.30–12pm

Robot Adventures

 Bookings required

 5–7 years

 \$7

What is a robot? Come and find out! During this time, hear some great stories about what robots get up to. You will even have a chance to play with a robot and do some other fun activities too.


South Library


Monday 13 January,
10am–12pm

South Library

Monday 20 January,
10am–12pm

Meri Kirihimete me ngā mihi o te tau hou. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

 Bookings required

 8–12 years

Join us for some Christmas stories, waiata and craft. It's the perfect time to make some te reo Māori Christmas cards for your friends and whānau, so come on down.

Tūranga

He Hononga | Connection,
Ground Floor


Friday 20 December
10.30–11.30am
12.30–1.30pm
2.30–3.30pm

Linwood Library

Monday 23 December
10.30–11.30am
12.30–1.30pm
2.30–3.30pm




Minecraft Game Zone

 Bookings required

 \$7

Minecraft Game Zone is a 3D gaming experience that involves creating your own virtual world and interacting with others online. To really enjoy this programme, you'll need to have a basic understanding of Minecraft. Book in for a two hour session and play to your heart's content.

 5–7yrs

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre


Wednesday 15 January, 10am–12pm

Tūranga

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Friday 17 January,

10am–12pm

 8–12yrs

New Brighton Library

Wednesday 22 January, 10am–12pm

Tūranga

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Friday 24 January,

10am–12pm

Judge a Book by its Cover: Book Speed Dating

 8yrs+

They tell you 'don't judge a book by its cover'? Well we take it back!

Come and judge Christchurch City Libraries' junior fiction summer reads. Who knows, you might even find a new favourite book!

Tūranga

Taupuni Auaha / Creative Space,

Hapori | Community, Level 1

Friday 17 January, 1–3pm

Origami Fun

 6yrs+

Come along and have fun learning the art of origami.

Ōrauwhata: Bishopdale Library

Thursday 19 December, 2–3.30pm

Friday 20 December, 2–3.30pm

Thursday 16 January, 2–3.30pm

Friday 17 January, 2–3.30pm



Upcycled Magazine Art Workshop



10–15yrs



Bookings required

Feeling crafty? Join us and upcycle old magazines and create an artwork for yourself or for a gift!

Shirley Library

Sunday 8 December,
1.30–3.30pm



Check out these drop-in activities happening around our network during the school holidays. Visit christchurchcitylibraries.com for times, dates and locations.

Summer Time Library Hunt

Hunt for letters hidden around your library, and solve the mystery word! While you're there, remember to pick up an entry form for the **Summertime Reading Challenge** on page 23.

Paper Crafts (ice blocks and ice creams)

Make and decorate a sweet summer treat.

Butterflies

Can you upcycle a piece of paper into a beautiful butterfly?

“O Christmas Tree”

Whip up a paper Christmas tree using recycled magazines. A perfect addition to your festive table.

Make your own decorative wall design

Curl, quill, create a piece of art for your space.

Folded Origami Photo Album

Create a unique paper album to capture your fav summer pics!

Digital curriculum made easy

Graphic Design

Coding

3D Printing

Robotics

Electronic Engineering

In 2018, the new digital curriculum was introduced to New Zealand schools. Now, heading in to 2020, the Ministry of Education expects that schools will be working in line with these new progress outcomes.

Learn alongside your students, through our specialised technology based programmes, and leave with new skills to take back to share with your school and fellow staff. We aim to offer follow-up information, resources and support to assist with implementing the progress outcomes into your classroom teaching.

Bookings can be tailored to your school's current inquiry. Learning outcomes can vary, however our focus areas in Term 2 2020, are graphic design and robotics. With the introduction of electronic engineering, coding, and 3D printing coming in Terms 3 and 4. These programmes can be delivered at the learning and creative spaces in South Library, Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre, Tūranga or at your school.

We are taking bookings for Term 2 now.


Get in touch with our team to discuss how we may be able to help!

schoolbookings@ccc.govt.nz



Youth programmes

YA Creative time


 13yrs+

Get creative with the awesome new equipment on the fourth floor of Tūranga. Drop in and use a variety of technologies for making your ideas a reality, including sewing machines, 3D printers, craft and vinyl cutters, design software, and electronics.

No experience is necessary — just enthusiasm, imagination and a desire to be creative. Specialist staff will be on hand if you need help. This is your chance to hang out with other creative youth, learn from and support each other and make really cool stuff.

Tūranga
Creative Production Studio,
Auahatanga | Creativity,
Level 4
Fridays, 4–6pm

YA Studio Time

 13yrs+


Tūranga has an audio and video studio. Every Friday it's open for teens to come in and play around. No experience necessary, just enthusiasm. This is your opportunity to hang out in the studio, ask our specialist staff questions and meet like-minded new friends.


Tūranga
Audio Video Studio,
Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4
Fridays, 4–6pm





Rap Starter Packs

 12–24yrs

 Bookings required

Rhyme. Rhythm. Record.

That's the starter pack for your first rap. Focus on a different skill each month and learn the basics of rap writing. Then put them into practice at the Tūranga studio. No experience required.

Tūranga


Taupuni Oro / Ataata
– Audio / Video Studio,
Auahatanga | Creativity,
Level 4

Monday 9 December, 4–6pm

Monday 13 January, 4–6pm

Monday 10 February, 4–6pm

Judge a Book by its Cover: Book Speed Dating

 12yrs+

They tell you 'don't judge a book by its cover'? Well we take it back! Come judge Christchurch City Libraries' Young Adult summer reads. Who knows, you might even make a love connection with a truly amazing book!


Tūranga

Taupuni Auaha / Creative Space,
Hapori | Community, Level 1
Friday 10 January, 3–5pm





Bad Art Afternoon

 12yrs+


Get creative and do it badly! Join us for an afternoon of creating truly bad art. The tackier, the better! We'll finish with an exhibition of your pieces of 'art' where you'll vote to decide who has made the Best Bad Art.

Tūranga

Taupuni Auaha / Creativity Space, Hapori | Community, Level 1

Thursday 23 January, 2–4pm

PlayStation 4 Tournament – Crash Team Racing

 10yrs+

Show off your racing skills in our 2020 Crash Team Racing Tournament!


Players will compete in a knockout/elimination style tournament held at Tūranga. Face off against others using the mega screen in the Youth Space. Be in to win!

Tūranga

Wāhi Rangatahi / Youth Space, Hapori | Community, Level 1

Tuesday 28 January, 2pm

Blackout Poetry Workshop

 12yrs+

Feeling a little poetic? Create your own blackout poetry at Shirley Library. Valentines not required!

Shirley Library

Friday 14 February, 4.30–5.30pm

Studio Starters: Video editing and music production

Interested in the production of music or looking to expand your music production skills?

Have you ever wondered how films are put together?

At Tūranga, we have specialist staff who run courses in these areas and may be able to help you advance your skills!

For more information on these please call us on 941 7923.

Listen to this!



eAudiobooks are becoming more and more popular.

Why not listen to some great books, read by some excellent narrators whilst travelling, gardening, doing housework or walking?

Your library membership gives you free access to thousands of eAudiobook titles, check out our catalogue or one of these apps — Libby, BorrowBox or uLibrary.




Check out these great eAudiobooks with wonderful narrators to get started:

- **Stone Mattress by Margaret Atwood.** A collection of short stories each read by a different narrator, including Lorna Raver from *The Young and the Restless*, and Atwood herself.
- **A Game of Thrones by George R.R. Martin** is in the Guinness World Records for most character voices in an audiobook. Roy Dotrice, the narrator, performed distinct and distinguishable voices for each of the 224 characters in this book.
- **Me Talk Pretty One Day by David Sedaris** is a hilarious collection of essays read by the author about his move to Paris and attempts to learn French.
- **A Legacy of Spies by John le Carré** has been chosen as book of the year by many reviewers and is enhanced by the excellent narration by actor Tom Hollander.
- **La Belle Sauvage by Phillip Pullman** is the first in the *Book of Dust* trilogy, the long awaited follow-up to *His Dark Materials* trilogy. The narration by Michael Sheen is exceptional.
- **Harry Potter series by J K Rowling** is brilliantly read by Stephen Fry and a great listen for long road trips.
- **The Christmasaurus by Tom Fletcher** is a delightful tale about a dinosaur, a young boy in a wheelchair and the magic of Christmas, wonderfully read by Paul Shelley.

After school clubs and programmes

All after school programmes run during the school term (excluding public holidays) and begin in the second week of each term.

Afterschool Studio Time




-  10–13yrs
-  Bookings required
-  \$20 per term

Come and learn about the Tūranga Audio Video Studio. Learn about DJ equipment and music recording and try your hand at video editing. Half of the term focuses on audio/music production and the other half on filmmaking/video production.

Tūranga

Taupuni Oro / Ataata / Audio / Video Studio, Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4
Tuesdays, 4–5pm

Minecraft Club

-  6–13yrs
-  Bookings required
-  \$20 per term

Get creative and start crafting! Build imaginative worlds and battle nocturnal creatures at our Minecraft Club. Join the club and play with your friends. A tutor will be on hand to supervise and assist. A basic understanding of the game is required.

New Brighton Library

Wednesdays, 3.30–4.30pm

South Library

Fridays, 3.30–4.30pm

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Thursdays, 3.30–4.30pm

Tūranga




Taiwhanga Rorohiko/
Computer Lab,
Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4
Tuesdays, 4–5pm

Upper Riccarton Library

Fridays, 4–5pm



Afterschool STEaM Lab

-  8–12yrs
-  Bookings required
-  \$20 per term

With a different topic of focus each term, explore the dynamic world of technology in this fun weekly afternoon session. For example — graphic design, electronic engineering, coding, robotics and 3D printing.

New Brighton Library

Tuesdays, 3.30–5pm

South Library

Fridays, 3.30–5pm

Girls in Tech

South Library

Mondays, 3.30–5pm

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Mondays, 3.30–5pm

Tūranga

Taiwhanga Rorohiko/Computer Lab,

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Thursdays, 3.30–5pm

We have a number of drop-in after school clubs happening across our network of libraries. These combine homework help, craft activities, technology tasters and much more.

Check out our website for more details on each individual library and what they have planned each week!

Aranui Library

Wednesdays, 3.30–4.30pm

Linwood Library

Thursdays, 3.30–4.30pm

New Brighton Library

Mondays, 3.30–4.30pm

Shirley Library

Mondays, 3.45–4.45pm

Tūranga

Creative Space,

Hapori | Community, Level 1

Wednesdays, 4–5pm

Creative and connected

Art on the Rooftop



Bookings required



Gold coin – koha entry

Join us for a relaxing summer evening exploring art "en plein air" inspired by the view from Tūranga's rooftop gardens. Materials provided, come along to one or more of these stand-alone sessions.

Tūranga

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Thursday 16, 23 and 30 January, 6–7.30pm

Learn how to Siva Samoa, Samoa Styles

Siva Samoa is the Samoan term for a Samoan dance. Come along and learn a few new moves!

Tūranga

TSB Space,

Hapori | Community, Level 1

Saturday 1 February, 2–3pm

Super Bowl 101

Want to learn about Super Bowl? Come along and learn the basics of American Football in an informal way, in preparation for when the next Super Bowl season kicks off. Discuss the lingo, teams, rules of the game, differences between rugby and football, and background of the Super Bowl event.

Everything you need to know, so you can fake it at your next Super Bowl party!

New Brighton Library

Saturday 25 January, 2–3pm





**Our libraries host crafts, hobbies and games clubs.
Visit christchurchcitylibraries.com to see the full list.**

Knit 'n' Yarn

Bring your knitting, crochet or other craft and have fun with these friendly, social groups.



Games and Cards Clubs

We have a number of drop-in games clubs in our libraries. These range depending on the library hosting, but could be anything from Rummikub to Scrabble, Mahjong, classic cards or maybe even a good game of chess.

Craft Snippets

Quilting, photography, crochet, scrapbooking, card making, soap making, knitting, jewellery, beading, papercraft, floral art — they're all community-based activities and they're happening on your doorstep.

Craft Snippets is a way to learn about artisan crafts from enthusiasts and experts who love to share. We also promote the latest crafting books in the library and talk about what events are happening around Christchurch.

Join us and be inspired! Start a new interest, take away great skills and ideas, and make new friends.

Craft Snippets runs every two months at Upper Riccarton Community and School Library. The first session is Wednesday 29 January, 6.30–7.30pm at Upper Riccarton Community and School Library.

LUNAR NEW YEAR 2020

YEAR OF THE
RAT



Lunar New Year Bilingual Story Times

Celebrate Lunar New Year with our special Storytimes. Listen to the story of Zodiac animals. Sing songs in Chinese and Korean.

Upper Riccarton Library

Monday 27 January, 10am
(Chinese and Korean)

Shirley Library

Tuesday 28 January,
10.30am

Ōrauwhata:

Bishopdale Library

Wednesday 29 January,
10.30am

South Library

Thursday 30 January, 11am

Tūranga

Friday 31 January, 2.30pm

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Friday 31 January, 10.30am

Chinese Traditional Games

Have fun and experience Chinese traditional games, calligraphy, paper cutting and plate painting. Write your name in Chinese and have fun with your friends and whānau in this special celebration season.

Upper Riccarton Library

Monday 3 February,
3.30–4.30pm

Papanui Library

Tuesday 4 February,
3.30–4.30pm

New Brighton Library

Wednesday 5 February,
3.30–4.30pm

Tūranga

Hapori | Community, Level 1

Wednesday 29 January,
4–5pm

Linwood Library

Friday 7 February,
3.30–4.30pm



Lunar New Year Family Day

Peace and joy to all as we celebrate the Year of the Rat.

Come and enjoy a variety of mini performances, Chinese traditional games, crafts and themed activities.

Upper Riccarton Library

Saturday 8 February, 11am–2pm



Lunar New Year Celebration

A spectacular display of colours, costumes, music and performances to celebrate the Year of the Rat. Come dressed in traditional clothing.

Tūranga

Tautoru / TSB Space,

Hapori | Community, Level 1

Saturday 1 February, 11am–1pm





Summer Reading at Riverside Market

Head along to Riverside Market to tick off some of your Summertime Reading challenges and be in to WIN

December

Every Monday and Friday during December, from 10–11am, get caught reading at the Riverside Market by our undercover librarians and be in to win a voucher to spend at the markets.

January

Come along and visit our mini library experience in the heart of Riverside Market. Take time out to relax, read and play.

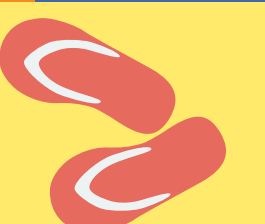
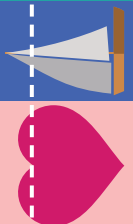
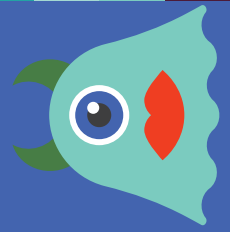
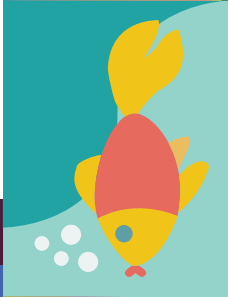
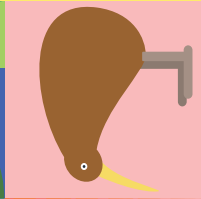
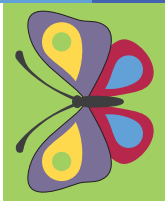
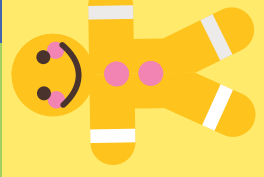
February

Check out our pop-up library on wheels on the bank of the Avon River, next to Riverside Market, every Monday in February from 10am–12pm.



SUMMERTIME READING CHALLENGE

NOT JUST BOOKS





Summertime Reading Challenge

**Discover something new
and be in to win cool prizes.**

Enter before 29 February 2020

christchurchcitylibraries.com

Principal partner:

P3TECH

Supported by:



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RIVERSIDE
MARKET

Not just books

Card #3
of 3

Complete at least five of these reading challenges yourself or team up with your friends and whānau. Tick the challenges off as you complete them.

This summer I have completed these challenges:

- Watch, listen and learn a new skill with our eResources
- Read a newspaper
- Listen to an audiobook while you're on the move
- Read a magazine
- Watch a film inspired by a book
- Attend a library event or programme
- Read a recipe – and make it!
- Read the latest copy of Huiraina
- Set yourself a reading challenge and tell us what you read:

Drop your challenge card off at a library near you in Christchurch or Selwyn.

Name:

Age:

Contact no:

Library:

Each completed challenge card is one entry in the prize draw. You can enter as many times as you like. T&Cs apply. See christchurchcitylibraries.com for details.



Sustainable Living Series

The Great Stash Swap

Bring along your unwanted fabric, haberdashery, buttons, wool, lace, trims, paints, brushes, zips, needles, card, stamps — any old crafting supplies — then choose what you want to take away. No cash involved.

Upper Riccarton Library

Sunday 23 February,
11am–2pm

Shed Stash Swap

Have a look around your shed or garage and bring unwanted hardware such as nails, screws, nuts, bolts or hinges then choose what you need for your next project. Please, no tools.

New Brighton Library

29 February–1 March



Christmas Stash Swap

Ready for a change this Christmas? Bring unwanted decorations, paper or cards then choose from the stash to freshen up your celebrations.

New Brighton Library

2–8 December

Kite Making for Kids

 6–12yrs
 Bookings required

Make and decorate your own kite out of reused materials.

New Brighton Library

Friday 24 January,
10am–12pm



Signature Programme Signature Programme

A series of events specifically designed to explore and celebrate the diversity of spaces and resources available in Tūranga.

Extraordinary

An exhibition inspired by the people and landscapes of Ōtautahi from the collections of the Alexander Turnbull Library.

9 November 2019 – 9 February 2020

Te Pito Huarewa-Southbase Gallery

Gallery Talk

 Bookings required

Enjoy a personal tour of the exhibition with Curator Masha Oliver.

Te Pito Huarewa /
Southbase Gallery,

Tuakiri | Identity, Level 2

Thursday 30 January 2020, 6pm

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Turnbull Library

National Library of New Zealand
Te Puna Mātauranga o Aotearoa



Paint n' Pen Summer Exhibition

Residents and visitors are invited to participate in a summer of street art and storytelling through this exhibition celebrating the street art of Christchurch and the creative writing that has been inspired by it.

You can read short stories, poems and songs written by other Paint n' Pen participants, have the chance to create your own piece of writing and get published, design your own mural using AR technology, digital maps and more traditional methods, plus other pop-up activities throughout the summer.

Exhibition Space

Hapori | Community, Level 1

12 December 2019

-8 March 2020

Paint n' Pen



Image: Gail Ingram



Celebrating our people

Like its counterparts around the world, Humans of Christchurch Ōtautahi aims to share honest stories about everyday people, but of course, with a Christchurch flavour.

There's a depth and richness in our local community that needs to be shared. In a world of fake news, photoshopped portraits and glamourised Instagram accounts, these honest stories and images can be heart-warming, humorous, or confronting. Many of the stories are relatable in one way or another, and many resonate with some familiar values — resilience, creativity, innovation — to name a few. All of them are an integral part of retaining a piece of Ōtautahi's heritage.

This exhibition is a celebration of our diversity, our community and our heritage.

**He Hononga | Connection,
Ground Floor**
9 December 2019
– 1 February 2020



Humans Instagram take-over

Send your stories and photos to hoco.contact@gmail.com throughout January to see them featured on our Instagram page!

Take the time to get to know me

This practical photo and story-telling workshop from the Humans of Christchurch Ōtautahi project is perfectly timed for talking with whānau and friends as you gather for the holidays.

Learn top tips for using your smartphone to capture perfect photos and stories that will become family treasures.

Led by photographer Neil MacBeth and storyteller Sarah Mankelov.

Koha for refreshments.

Ngā Purapura / Activity Room,
Hapori | Community, Level 1
Sunday 15 December, 2–4pm

Story editing pop-ups

Check the libraries event calendar for pop-in times and dates for help editing your transcripts to get to the heart of the story.

Labyrinth in the Library

Knowledge, like a landscape of thought and memory woven into the mind. Created in the twilight, bright threads twist through the labyrinth and back into the light. Hidden then revealed, lost then found. This exhibition examines the concept of individual and collaborative creativity. The labyrinth is the creation of sculptor and harakeke artist Robyn Webster in collaboration with photographer and choreographer Bina Iris, the Christchurch Symphony Orchestra and Christchurch City Libraries. There will be a range of activities and performances throughout the duration of the exhibition.

Please visit our website for more information.

Te Pito Huarewa / Southbase Gallery,
Tuakiri | Identity, Level 2
29 February– 26 April 2020



Heritage programmes

Introduction to Family History

- 📅 Bookings required
- 💰 \$15

Start your New Zealand family history research with this six-week course that will introduce you to some of the key resources available at Christchurch City Libraries and beyond.

Bring along as much as you already know of your forebears — names, dates, places — and we will help you fill in some gaps.

Tūranga

Tuakiri | Identity, Level 2

11 February–17 March

Tuesdays, 2–4pm





Discovery Wall

Located on He Hononga | Connection, Ground level, Tūranga is New Zealand's largest digital touchwall. The Discovery Wall — a touch-sensitive, digital representation of Christchurch — lets you swipe your way through a virtual world. Discover images, videos and text relating to the city's unique history and identity, or upload your own stories, photos and videos to discoverywall.nz

The Discovery Wall also has a smaller, mobile 'sibling' that can travel, allowing as many people as possible to interact with it and upload their content, enriching Christchurch City Libraries' digital collection for all.

Check out the Mobile Discovery Wall as it moves around our community libraries.

December: Parklands Library, **January:** Redwood Library, **February:** Fendalton Library





Quiver Vision **Augmented Reality**

Pick your tool: pencils or crayons, markers or paint and colour in the fish on the opposite page.

Come in to Tūranga, Hapori | Community, Level 1 and scan your coloured creation. See it come to life on the big screen! Ask a librarian for help if you need! If you can't make it in, you can always use the Quiver App on your device to bring the pages to life.



QuiverVision.com

1 Print **2** Color **3** Play






eKnow how

Here are a few of the technology focused sessions that we run across our network.

There are always new programmes and events popping up — so be sure to check our website and Facebook page for these.

Accessing Library eResources

 Bookings required

Come along and learn to use Libby, Kanopy and PressReader, three of our most popular e-resources!

Bring your own device.

Shirley Library

Wednesday 4 December, 10–11.30am

Monday 13 January, 2–3.30pm

Technology Help Drop-in Sessions

Get help with specific issues such as using email, searching the internet, using the library catalogue, using electronic resources and any other general technology related queries.

Hornby Library

Tuesdays, 11am–12noon

South Library

Wednesdays, 11am–12noon

Spreydon Library

(Bring Your Own Device only)

Tuesdays, 10.30–11.30am

Matuku Takotako:

Sumner Centre

Mondays, 2–3pm

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Tuesdays, 2–3pm

Tūranga


He Hononga | Connection,

Ground Floor

Tuesdays, 1–2pm



Introduction to iPads

 Bookings required

 \$15

Have you got an iPad but don't know where to start? This course will help you build confidence and give you the skills to enjoy your device. For absolute beginners.


South Library

Tuesdays, 1–2.30pm
(4 February–10 March)

Shirley Library

Mondays, 10–11.30am
(10 February–16 March)

Beginning Computer Skills

 Bookings required


 \$15

Develop basic computer skills such as using a mouse and keyboard, working with Windows 10, email and searching the internet.

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Mondays, 11–12.30pm
(3 February–9 March)

Beyond Beginners Computers

 Bookings required

 \$15

Build on your computer skills and learn more about internet searching, email, using Microsoft Word and our own fantastic eResources. Basic computer skills required.

South Library

Mondays, 10–11.30am (3 February–9 March)

GenConnect

Questions about your iPad, Smart Phone or Tablet? Want to know how to use Skype, Facebook or share your photos with family or friends? Unsure what an app is or what the best ones to use are? Come along to a free GenConnect session, where friendly high school students will be on hand to help with all of your technology questions! Runs during term time only.

Papanui Library

Tuesdays, 12.10–12.40pm

Upper Riccarton Library

Thursdays, 1–2pm



Open Creative Time

An opportunity to use the exciting range of equipment available in the Creative Production Studio — 3D printers, vinyl and craft cutters, sewing machines and more. Staff will be on hand to support you with equipment. These are not structured sessions, but a chance for you to use the equipment available and work on your creative projects. Bring your own materials or purchase 3D filament and vinyl from the library.

Please note these sessions will not run during summer school holidays (20 Dec–2 Feb).

Tūranga

**Creative Production Studio,
Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4**

Mondays, 6–7.30pm

(sewing and embroidery machines)

Wednesdays, 6–7.30pm

(vinyl and craft cutters)

Thursdays, 6–7.30pm (3D printing)




Thursdays, 10am–12noon (general interest)

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Wednesdays, 10–11.30am

(3D printing and craft cutters)

Introduction to 3D Design and Printing

-  13yrs +
-  Bookings required
-  \$25

In this class learn how to use free, basic 3D modelling software to design and 3D print, using biodegradable PLA plastic.

Skills required: Basic computer skills such as how to save a file and use a mouse.

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Saturday 25 January, 10am–12pm

RoboFun for Adults Drop-in sessions

An introduction to the amazing world of robotics. Explore robotics in a fun and engaging way.




Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Thursdays, 10–11am

(13 February–19 March)



Introduction to Laser and Vinyl Cutting

-  13yrs +
-  Bookings required
-  \$25

Come and learn about our craft, vinyl and laser cutters. Get an introduction to design software and produce your own creation. Competent computer skills required.

Tūranga

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Tuesday 18 February, 6–7.45pm

Open Studio

This is a chance for anyone to come in and discover more about audio and video production. No experience is necessary, just enthusiasm!

Tūranga


Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Mondays, 6.30–7.30pm

Fridays, 10am–12noon

Sundays, 10.30am–12.30pm

Virtual Reality Experience

-  13yrs +

Would you like to explore a whole new world in immersive 3D?

Come to Tūranga and you can choose an experience on our HTC VIVE Virtual Reality device. Let us take you to a world where you can paint your own artwork all around you, or choose from several options that will truly amaze you. Make the journey to another reality one you won't forget!

Tūranga

Computer Lab,

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

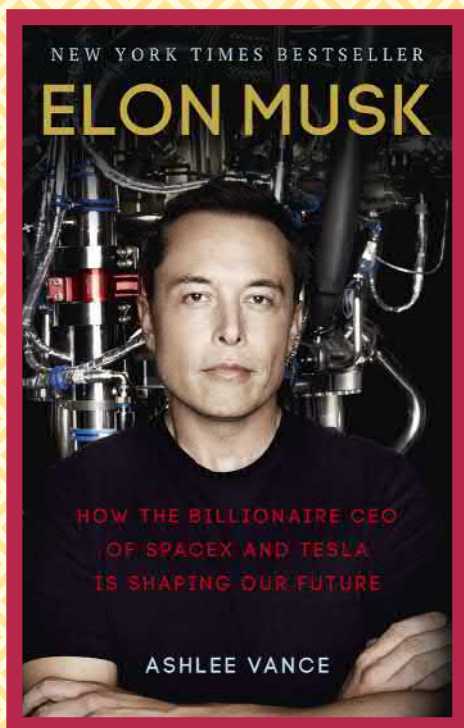
Mondays, 1–2.30pm

Fridays, 10.30am–12noon

Saturdays, 10am–12noon



Sundays, 2–4pm

Authors and books



Interview and Q&A with Ashlee Vance

Author of *Elon Musk: How the Billionaire CEO of SpaceX and Tesla is Shaping our Future*

-  Bookings required via Eventbrite
-  Free

Ashlee Vance is a leading international technology writer. He's covered Silicon Valley for The New York Times, The Economist and now Bloomberg Businessweek and is also the host of the "Hello World" technology travel show.

If you're interested in Elon Musk, aerospace or technology around the globe then this event is not to be missed. At the end of the event, the author will also be available for book signings.

Tūranga
Tautoru / TSB Space,
Hapori | Community, Level 1
Friday 27 December, 5pm

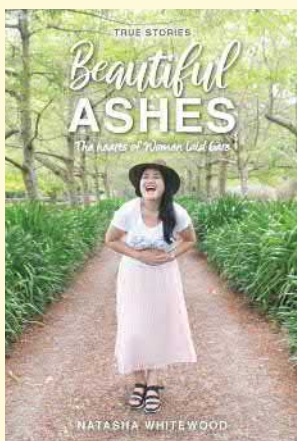


Flash Fiction Book Reading

Celebrate the power of writing small in New Zealand. The Best Small Fictions is the first ever contemporary anthology solely dedicated to anthologising the best internationally published short hybrid fiction in a given calendar year. Now in its sixth year of existence, Best Small Fictions features the best micro fiction, flash fiction, haibun stories and prose poetry from New Zealand and around the world.

Tūranga

Tautoru / TSB Space, Hapori | Community, Level 1
Friday 21 February, 5.30pm



Beautiful Ashes Book Hiko presented by Natasha Whitewood

Waikato author Natasha Whitewood speaks about her new book “Beautiful Ashes,” which tells the true stories of three women who boldly share their traumatic experiences, and their inspiring recoveries. Natasha will also discuss her journey in writing the book, and the self-publishing process.

Fendalton Library

Thursday 20 February, 6–6.40pm



Book Clubs

Love sharing your favourite reads?

Come and join other book lovers in our friendly, relaxed library environment.

Ōrauwhata: Bishopdale Library and Community Centre

Second Monday of each month, 10am

Last Thursday of each month, 1pm

Linwood Library

Last Monday of each month, 10.45am


Papanui Library

Third Tuesday of each month, 10am

Parklands Library

First Wednesday of each month, 11am

Shirley Library

 Bookings required

Fourth Wednesday of each month, 10.30am

Tūranga

Auahatanga | Creativity, Level 4

Third Wednesday of each month, 10am

Fendalton Library

First Friday of each month, 11am

Chinese Book Club

Chat about favourite reads, discover new titles and authors, make friends and share your life experiences with other enthusiastic readers.

Fendalton Library

Second Friday of each month, 6.30–7.30pm

Upper Riccarton Library

Third Wednesday of each month, 6.15–7.15pm

Korean Book Club

Come and share your ideas with other Korean book lovers.


Upper Riccarton Library

Second Friday of each month, 6pm





Bookbuddies


 8–11yrs

Do you enjoy reading? Do you fancy trying something new? Would you like to share your thoughts about books? Do you want to read more? Are you unsure what to read next? Each week's session is themed with different activities and books.

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

First Saturday of the month, 10.30–11.30am

Dewey Book Group

 Bookings required

Each month, read a non-fiction book of your choice on a set theme, and over the year we'll read across the entire Dewey decimal spectrum. Find new reads and share your discoveries in the relaxed environment of Tūranga.

Tūranga

Tūhurātanga | Discovery, Level 3

Last Wednesday of each month, 6pm–7pm

Book Discussion Scheme

Want to meet new people? Fancy getting adventurous with your reading? We've got the answer — join a book group.

For five years we've proudly partnered with Book Discussion Scheme, offering two types of book groups:

- Daytime and evening groups for book lovers (high school age upwards)
- ESOL groups who want to practise talking and reading in English

These small groups are held in libraries and led by a librarian, with a new book provided each month to all members.

For more details, or to find a group near you, visit christchurchcitylibraries.com or call 941 7923.



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Hapori|Community (level one), Tūranga

Book online: www.imagination-station.org.nz

Friends of the Library

Ever thought of becoming a 'Friend'?

Who are the Friends? They're members of the Friends of Christchurch City Libraries, a group formed to advocate for libraries back in 1988 just before the three Councils amalgamated.

Now let's look at one Friend in particular, **Elizabeth Williams**, who was recently farewelled from the committee after an amazing 28 years of 'Library Friendship'.

Elizabeth was encouraged to join the Friends by Ruby Fowler, a City Councillor who was one of the newly formed Friends' leaders. Ruby was a passionate and dedicated advocate of the value of our city's libraries and the Friends were soon petitioning against both the planned 1989 library user-pays and 1990 removal of the libraries' resources vote.

But the Friends do so much else, and Elizabeth has done it all! Since those early days she has filled every role, having been a Friends' committee member, chairperson and deputy chair, membership secretary, book sale volunteers' roster, speaker, organiser and a friendly and welcoming book talk hostess.

Elizabeth's personal highlights include ten years convening the Friends distribution of the Library Books for Babies to parents at Christchurch Women's Hospital; helping at the annual library book sale; attending the diverse and interesting monthly book talks programme and the Friends' social events. Elizabeth has also enjoyed many friendships among the Friends' group.

She richly deserved the Life Membership Certificate presented to her by Carolyn Robertson, Libraries Manager, before the August book talk.

Would you like to know more, and hear about the great benefits involved in being a Friend of the Library?

Visit my.christchurchcitylibraries.com/friends or call us on 941 7923.



Christmas and New Year holiday hours

Meri Kirihimete me ngā mihi o te tau hou.

All our libraries will be closed on statutory public holidays.

December 2019

Monday 23

- Little River Library will close at 4.30pm
- Mobile Library's last day

Tuesday 24

- All libraries open as normal and close at 6pm

Wednesday 25 (Christmas Day)

- All libraries closed

Thursday 26 (Boxing Day)

- All libraries closed

Friday 27

- All libraries open, and will close at 6pm except:
Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre Library (closes at 7pm)

Saturday 28 – Sunday 29

- All libraries open as normal

Monday 30 – Tuesday 31

- All libraries will close at 6pm except:
Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre Library (closes at 7pm), Linwood Library at Eastgate (open from 10am–5pm on Tuesday 31)

January 2020

Wednesday 1 (New Year's Day)

- All libraries closed

Thursday 2 (New Year's Holiday)

- All libraries closed

Friday 3

- All libraries resume normal hours except:
Mobile Library (closed),
Little River Library reopens at 8.30am

Monday 6

- Mobile Library's back on the road.




A celebration of Japanese culture

Christchurch City Libraries celebrates Japan Day – early!
Join us as we enjoy, experience and learn Japanese culture
through a series of activities across the library network.

Tūranga

Ikebana Workshop


 Bookings required

Learn the fine art of Japanese flower arrangement. Bring your own flowers and vase.

**Auaha Hihi / Spark Place,
He Hononga | Connection,
Ground Floor**

Thursday 13 February,
10–11.30am

Haiku Workshop

 Bookings required

Learn how to compose Haiku, a three-line Japanese poem with seventeen syllables.

**Facilitation Space,
Auahatanga | Creativity,
Level 4**

Thursday 13 February,
5.30–7.30pm

Manga – Drawing Workshop

A self-run activity where everyone can have a go at drawing manga comics.

**Youth Space, Hapori
Community, Level 1**
Thursday 13 February, 4–6pm

Takumi Drumming Group

Watch the famous Takumi Drumming Group mesmerise the crowd with their heart-pounding drum beats.

**Tautoru / TSB Space,
Hapori | Community, Level 1**
Saturday 15 February (TBC),
2–2.30pm

Origami Makerspace

Come along and have fun learning the art of origami.

**Taupuni Auaha
/ Creative Space,
Hapori | Community, Level 1**
Saturday 15 February,
2.30–4pm

Origami Crafts – Drop-in Sessions

Fendalton Library
Monday 10 February,
3.30–4.30pm

Friday 14 February,
3.30–4.30pm

South Library
Tuesday 11 February,
3.30–4.30pm

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre
Thursday 13 February,
3.30–4.30pm

Pool party!

2019/2020
Summer Pool Parties

Check our schedule for a party near you!

ccc.govt.nz/summerpools



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Kids in Town

FREE

Singing, dancing and all types of performances by Christchurch kids.

Term 4, 5–19 December 2019
Thursdays 12noon–1.30pm at Tūranga

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Visit us

Akaroa Community and School Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Te Ao Marama

2 Selwyn Avenue

Note: Akaroa library to close temporarily from 1pm Saturday 16 November, reopening Monday 16 December

Aranui Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Aranui

109 Aldershot Street

Diamond Harbour Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Waipapa

Waipapa Avenue,
Diamond Harbour

Fendalton Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Waimairi

4 Jeffreys Road (cnr Clyde and Jeffreys Roads)

Hornby Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Te Uruanu

Goulding Avenue

Linwood Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Ihutai

1st Floor Eastgate Shopping Centre,
Buckleys Road

Little River Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Wairewa

State Highway 75,
Little River

Lyttelton Library and Customer Services

Te Kete Wānanga o Whakaraupo

18 Canterbury Street,
Lyttelton

Matuku Takotako: Sumner Centre

37 Nayland St

New Brighton Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Karoro

213 Marine Parade

Ōrauwhata:

Bishopdale Library and Community Centre

13 Bishopdale Court,
Bishopdale Shopping Centre,
Farrington Avenue

Papanui Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Papanui

35 Langdons Road
(cnr Langdons Road and Restell Street)

Parklands Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Waitikiri

46 Queenspark Drive

Redwood Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Te Kōpare o Iho

339 Main North Road

Shirley Library and Service Centre

Te Kete Wānanga o Ōraka

36 Marshland Road
(by the Palms Mall)

South Library and Learning Centre

Te Kete Wānanga o Wai Mōkihi

66 Colombo Street
(cnr Hunter Terrace and Colombo Street)

Spreydon Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Ōpāwaho

266 Barrington Street
(by Barrington Mall)

Te Hāpua: Halswell Centre

Te Kete Wānanga o Ōtūmatua
341 Halswell Road

Tūranga

Central Library

60 Cathedral Square

Upper Riccarton Community and School Library

Te Kete Wānanga o Pūtaringamotu

71 Main South Road,
Sockburn

Mobile Library

Waka Hau-kōrero

The Mobile Library supports neighbourhoods currently without library services.

For details, see the timetable on our website.

Call us

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