



Free community technology events

Basics: tablets Blacktown Tuesday 2 October 10.00 am – 11.30 am

Learn the basic functions and features of tablets. You will be surprised at how these versatile handheld devices can help you in everyday life. Bring your own tablet or use one provided. Bookings required: tab2018btn.eventbrite.com.au

The resume workshop Mount Druitt Monday 8 October 1.00 pm – 2.30 pm

Learn vital tips on how to create a modern resume. You will also learn how to email your resume to prospective employers, and how to upload to job-seeking websites. All you need are basic experience with Microsoft Word, computer, mouse and keyboard skills. Bookings required: res2018mtd4.eventbrite.com.au

Basics: computers Lalor Park Tuesday 9 October 10.00 am – 11.30 am

Learn how computers work and what they are capable of. You will also learn how to develop basic keyboard and mouse skills. Bookings required: comp2018lpk2.eventbrite.com.au

The cover letter workshop Riverstone Wednesday 17 October 2.30 pm – 4.00 pm

Learn how to create a modern cover letter to complement your resume. Please bring a job ad to base your cover letter on. Bookings required: cov2018riv2.eventbrite.com.au

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Our Libraries

Max Webber Library
9839 6677
Corner Flushcombe Road and Alpha Street
Blacktown NSW 2148
Library Function Centre: 9839 6640
Monday – Friday 9.30 am – 7.45 pm
Saturday 9.30 am – 4.00 pm
Sunday noon – 4.00 pm

Our Library @ The Mount Druitt Hub
8886 2000
Ayres Grove
Mount Druitt NSW 2770
Monday – Thursday 9.30 am – 7.45 pm
Friday 9.30 am – 6.00 pm
Saturday 9.30 am – 4.00 pm
Sunday noon – 4.00 pm

Dennis Johnson Library
9421 2670
Corner Stanhope Parkway and Sentry Drive
Stanhope Gardens NSW 2768
Monday – Thursday 9.30 am – 7.45 pm
Friday 9.30 am – 6.00 pm
Saturday 9.30 am – 4.00 pm
Sunday noon – 4.00 pm

Lalor Park Library
9624 5243
Corner Freeman Street and Northcott Road
Lalor Park NSW 2147
Monday – Wednesday and Friday 9.30 am – 5.00 pm
Thursday noon – 7.45 pm
Saturday 9.30 am – 11.45 am

Riverstone Library & Digital Hub
9627 3823
First floor, Riverstone Village
Corner Market Street and Riverstone Parade
Riverstone NSW 2765
Monday – Wednesday and Friday 9.30 am – 5.00 pm
Thursday noon – 7.45 pm
Saturday 9.30 am – 11.45 am

BLACKTOWN CITY LIBRARIES

WHAT'S ON

OCTOBER 2018



All libraries are CLOSED on public holidays

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October 2018

Starting Tuesday 2 October

Spring school holidays

We have plenty of fun and interactive activities these school holidays for kids of all ages, including lava lamps for tweens, science storytime and craft and cooking classes. To find out what's happening at your local library, pick up a copy of our School Holidays Guide from the customer service desk, or visit www.blacktown.nsw.gov.au

Wednesday 3 October

HSCram Blacktown 10.00 am – 3.30 pm

HSCram is an exam preparation workshop, and specialised small group subject specific tutoring run by The University of Sydney. Bookings required: bit.ly/2018-HSCram-Blacktown

Saturday 6 October

HSC Lock-in Mount Druitt 3.30 pm – 7.30 pm

At HSC Lock-in, our library staff and Youth in Motion tutors will be available to assist you. To attend you need to be sitting for your HSC this year. Bookings required: hsclockinmtd.eventbrite.com.au

Saturday 13 October

Stanhope Scribes Stanhope Gardens 2.00 pm – 3.30 pm

Join Stanhope Scribes and develop your skills, share your work and meet new friends. This is an informal and supportive writers' group for adults. Enquiries call 9421 2670.

Saturday 20 October

Flim Club: I, Daniel Blake Blacktown 2 pm

Daniel has worked as a skilled carpenter for all his working life but now he needs help from British government welfare. Rated MA15+: strong coarse language. This is a free screening event for library members, please remember to bring your card and join us afterwards for a discussion about the film. Enquiries: 9624 5243

Tuesday 23 October

Sip & Share Mount Druitt 4.30 pm – 5.30 pm

A book club where young people can share thoughts on all their favourite books. Open to ages 13 – 18 only. Bookings required: sipandsharemtd.eventbrite.com.au

Wednesday 24 October

Australian citizenship course Stanhope Gardens 7 pm – 9 pm

This free 8-week course will help you prepare for the Australian Citizenship Test. To participate, you must be able to read English and be able to use a computer. Limited to 15 places. Register now: ourcommonbond.eventbrite.com.au

Starting Friday 26 October

Maths Club Blacktown 4.00 pm – 5.30 pm

Step up to the challenge and join our Maths Club. This workshop is open to anyone aged 12 -18 and runs for eight weeks, covering different concepts each week. Limited to 20 places. Register now: mathsclubbtn.eventbrite.com.au

Starting Friday 26 October

Little Bang Discovery Club Mount Druitt 10.30 am – 11.30 am

A fun and interactive 4-week program for 4-5 year olds, combining everyday objects and experiences with genuine scientific methods that children and their parents will enjoy. Cost is \$10 per child. Bookings essential: littlebangmtdterm4.eventbrite.com.au

Starting Saturday 3 November

Dad & Me Group: Little Bang Discovery Club Blacktown 10.30 am - 11.30 am

Calling on dads and granddads! Take on this great opportunity to bond with your little scientist. Cost for the 4-week program is \$10/child which includes the loan of Little Bang Discovery Box, and graduation ceremony at the end of the program. Bookings essential: littlebangmw.eventbrite.com.au

Savvy Seniors Month

We are hosting a month of events aimed at education and informing our valued senior residents. To see all events with full details, ask your librarian for a brochure.



5, 9, 15 and 30 October

National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) workshop Blacktown, Mount Druitt and Stanhope Gardens

A workshop for people who already have, or are about to receive their NDIS plan and want to learn how to get the most out of it. Bookings required. See Savvy Seniors Month brochure for full workshop details.

Thursday 18 and Monday 29 October

Seniors Rights Service: Strata Living Blacktown 2 pm – 4 pm

Lawyers from Seniors Rights Service will discuss common issues facing older residents in strata schemes, and where to find information and advice. Bookings required: stratalivingbtn.eventbrite.com.au

Saturday 27 October

Carolinda Witt: Live @ The Library Blacktown 1.30 pm – 3.30 pm

It took Carolinda Witt seven years to track down and uncover most of her grandfather's incredible secrets. In the process, she rewrote history and reunited a family spread across the world, all of whom knew nothing about the existence of each other. Her book, *Double Agent Celery*, has been favourably reviewed by the CIA's Centre for the Study of Intelligence. Bookings required: carolindawitt.eventbrite.com.au

HSC Sundays Max Webber Library,
Blacktown and Our Library
@ The Mount Druitt Hub will be open
on 7, 14, 21 October from 11 am – 5 pm