



## THORNIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Term 3 Week 10

Wednesday 19 September 2018

### Together We Grow

### GROWTH, RESPECT, OPPORTUNITY, WORTH

#### Welcome to All

Dear Parents/Guardians

#### INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOL

It gives me great pleasure to announce that our school has been successful in achieving Independent Public School status from 2019. This is testament to the continued hard work of our staff, its students, families and our community that continue to support us.

#### FAMILY PICNIC

Thank you to staff and families for attending our family picnic today. It was wonderful to see so many families come along and enjoy lunch with their children.

#### ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

Well done to all students for their wonderful efforts at last week's Faction Athletics Carnival. A big thankyou to Mr Thomas for organising the day and thankyou to staff for their efforts in preparing the students. We are very grateful to our parents who worked hard with the packing up at the end of the carnival as well as their encouragement of all the participants throughout the day. Thankyou also to the P&C for organising the food, drinks, morning teas and raffle prizes on the day. Our P&C do a fantastic job !!



#### NAPLAN 2018

This year both our year 3 & 5 NAPLAN results were once again very pleasing and indicate that our students are making good progress. Parents will receive a copy of their child's 2018 NAPLAN individual student assessment this week.

I would encourage you to read over this and feel free to make a time to speak with your child's class teacher if you would like to discuss the results.

#### YEAR 6 MAINSTREAM CAMP

Thank you to the staff who attended the recent mainstream Year 6 camp at Woodman Point. The camp was a great success and the student behaviour was excellent.

#### ZUMBA PARTY BEHAVIOUR & ATTENDANCE REWARD

Our aim at Thornlie Primary School is to reward the vast majority of students who consistently do the 'right thing'. This year we will continue our whole school behaviour and reward system at our school. **Children with an attendance rate of 80% or greater who have not received 3 red behaviour slips or a suspension during a term will be eligible for whole school behaviour and attendance rewards.**

#### SCHOOL DEVELOPMENT DAY

A reminder that Monday October 8<sup>th</sup> is a School Development Day. Students do not attend on this day.

#### STUDENTS NOT RETURNING IN 2019

If you are aware that your children will **NOT** be attending Thornlie PS in 2019 we kindly request that you inform the front office as soon as possible. Thankyou

#### STUDENT PROGRESS

I would also remind all parents/carers that they can contact the school **at any time** to request a meeting with their child's teacher should they have a query or concern.

Kind Regards

Lee Woodcock  
Principal



#### SMS TO OUR ABSENTEE SERVICE

USE 0437 881 842 TO SMS YOUR CHILD'S ABSENCE

Parents/Caregivers

Please remember when taking photographs and videos of school assemblies and events that they are for your personal use only and CANNOT be uploaded to social media sites such as Facebook or websites such as YouTube. Thank you.

## QKR OUR PREFERRED PAYMENT METHOD

The new Qkr (pronounced 'quicker') app is now live for families of students at Thornlie Primary School.

Qkr by MasterCard can be downloaded for free from Apple's app store for iPhones (for I pads download the iPhone app) or from Google Play for Android phones and tablets.

After downloading the app and registering, simply select Thornlie primary School from 'Nearby Locations' on Qkr or type **thornlie** after tapping the magnifying glass in the top right of the home screen on Qkr.

You can pay for School Contributions and Charges, Sports activities and Excursions. Other items will be available for payment on Qkr over time, so download it today and take a look at our school on Qkr.

Additional information is available on our website.

Alternatively monies can still be received via EFTPOS, Cash or Direct Deposit into the schools bank account.

All feedback to the school office is very welcome.



### DATES TO REMEMBER

20 Sep	Aboriginal Attendance Reward
21 Sep	Zumba Party Behaviour & Attendance Reward
	Final Day Term 3

**happy  
holidays!**

#### TERM 4

08 Oct	School Development Day (Students do Not attend)
09 Oct	First day for Students Term 4
15 Oct	Headspace Workshop Year 6
16 Oct	School Photos Assembly: Councillors and Junior Choir
18 Oct	School Photos
24 Oct	P&C Meeting 3.15pm
25 Oct	Interschool Athletics Carnival
30 Oct	Assembly: Rm 10
31 Oct	School Council Meeting 8.30am
01 Nov	Allsorts Art Exhibition 3-4.30pm
13 Nov	Kindy/Pre Primary Parent Information Afternoon 2pm

Congratulations to the following Students who received Awards at our Last Assembly.

EC2	Hongyuan L, Emma P, Ahmad A
EC3	Mianna L
Rm1	Eliya H, Alexis D, Amelia B
Rm 2	Mikayla O, Hamza K
Rm 4	Azaria K,
Rm 5	Nur Hessa A, Alicia B
Rm 6	Charlie J, Oliver E
Rm 7	Hasan A, Mekhathera H
Rm 8	Emircan K, Herzen M
Rm 12	Matin Q
Rm 13	Eh Lah Shei, Soe Soe Lin
Rm 18	Mehdi A, Renee M



 AUSSIE OF  
THE MONTH



**Congratulations to Zac  
EC2**

Zac is an enthusiastic, independent and self-motivated learner who always strives to do his very best. He consistently displays sensible and responsible behaviour and always uses his beautiful manners. Zac works cooperatively with all his peers and takes on the leadership role in small group activities in an encouraging and supportive manner.

His is a kind, caring and thoughtful friend who is always willing to lend a "helping hand". Zac is an exceptional role model to his peers and is a truly worthy recipient of the Aussie of the Month Award.



## THORNLIE DENTAL THERAPY CENTRE

The Thornlie Dental Therapy Centre will be closed for the October school holidays. In the first week of the school holidays from Tuesday 25 Sept 2018 to Friday 28 September 2018 in an emergency only please call:

*Wattle Grove Dental Therapy Centre on 9453 6969 Clinic opening hours are 8.00-4.00pm*

In the second week of school holidays Monday 1 October 2018 to Thursday 4 October 2018, in an emergency only, please call:

*Queens Park Dental Therapy Centre on 9451 1015 Clinic opening hours are 8.00am—4.00pm.*

On Friday 5 October 2018, in an emergency only please call:

*Edney Dental Therapy Centre on 9454 4034 Clinic opening hours are 7.30am—3.30pm.*

Should an emergency outside this time or on a public holiday please contact:

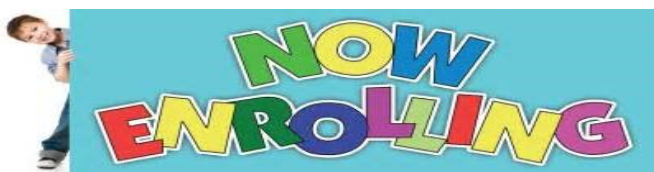
The emergency service on 1800 098 818

Or your local private dentist.

Or the Oral Health Centre of WA on 6457 4400 (eligibility criteria apply)

The School Dental Service continues to provide free and general preventive dental care for all enrolled students from Pre-Primary to year 11.

The Thornlie Dental Therapy Centre will reopen on Monday 8 October 2018.



Applications are available from our school office if you would like to apply to enrol your child/ren for Kindergarten, Pre Primary or Primary school (years 1-6) for the 2019 school year.



Booklists for the 2019 school year will be sent home with students in Week 2 next term.



Swimming Lessons will commence in Week 7. Permission Notes will be sent home with students early in Term 4.

School Watch encourages the school community to report any suspicious activity in and around school grounds, after hours and on weekends, as well as during school holidays. Telephone 1800 177 777 (freecall) or 13 14 44 (WA Police)

## CHICKENS IN THE SCIENCE ROOM

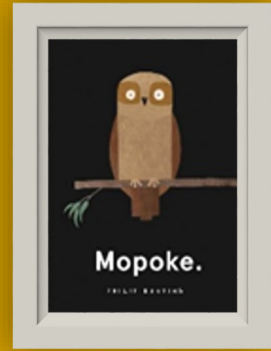
Six chirpy chicks were at home in the Science Room for the last two weeks. Students from a few classes were able to observe them hatch, feed and grow. They learnt about the similarities and differences in the needs of various living things. They were also able to identify differences between wants and needs.



# What's Been Happening in Room 6?

Room 6 thoroughly enjoyed reading the humorous book *Mopoke* written by Philip Bunting.

In the text, the author introduces a mopoke owl who just wants some peace and quite. The author wittingly disrupts the mopoke's peace by changing the owl to a:



Mo'poke,



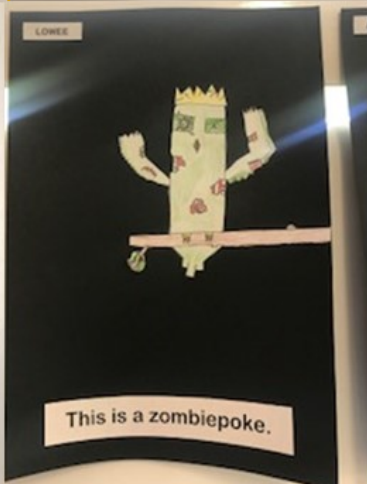
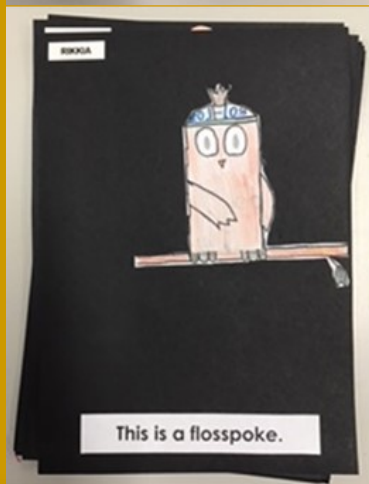
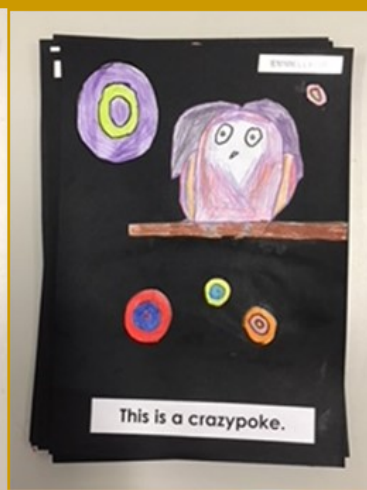
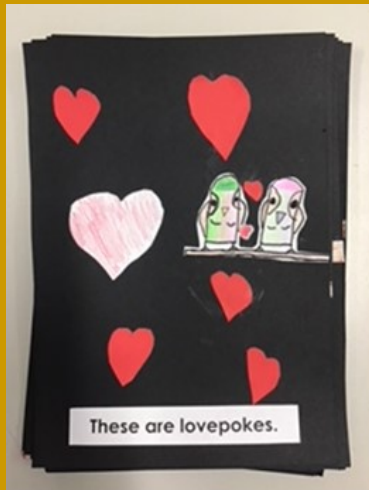
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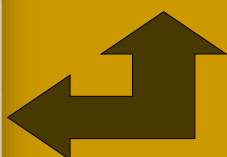
and a blowpoke which turns into a Woahpoke!



The students in Room 6 made some of their own humorous additions ....



Miss Pol sent photos of these amazing creations to the author Philip Bunting and...he replied! He said, "These 'pokes are fantastic, thank you! Please pass on a Yo!-poke from me to all of those clever kids over in WA."



If you would like to view all of our Mopoke additions, you can see them hanging along the windows of our classroom near the door.





As usual, the Green Team volunteers ensured that our school remained litter free and our Kitchen garden flourished. Everyone contributed to composting, weeding and watering the garden. Alex, Luke and Aku raised a good amount of money selling worm wiz and garden produce.



**Our lost property bin is overflowing!!**

If your child has lost something please come have a look through the lost property bin located outside Admin.



## SCHOOL PHOTO DAY IS COMING!

Our school photo day is coming! Every student should have received a Kapture Photography order envelope today. The recommended method of ordering your photos is online through Kapture's website as your payment is secure and can be easily verified at any time. If you pay online, there is no need to return the order envelope to school.

Alternatively you can pay by cash and return the provided envelope to the school on the photography day. Please note the photographers cannot open sealed envelopes and cannot provide change.

**SIBLING ORDERS CAN ONLY BE PLACED ONLINE:  
Late requests cannot be granted.**

You have the option to order a sibling photo package online, however please note sibling orders will close in most instances @midday sharp at least one business day before the first photo date. We suggest you place your online sibling order as soon as you receive your order envelope with your order instructions.

**Log on to [kapture.com.au](http://kapture.com.au) for your sibling photo order cut-off date and time.**

Late payment envelopes cannot be accepted by the school office or by Kapture. You can place an order online for class or individual photographs at any time for the remainder of the current school year however a \$15 fee will apply if you order more than 10 days after photography.

Please note; Class group, individual and sibling portraits are not available to view online.

Due to unpopular demand there will not be group photos this year, eg Choir, Student Councillor and Sporting groups.

Kapture offer a money back guarantee for any parent who is not fully satisfied with their photo package. Should you have any queries before or after photo day, please direct them to the Kapture office on 9240 1714 or email [enquiries@kapture.com.au](mailto:enquiries@kapture.com.au).

*All students will be photographed individually on photo day for school administration records AS WELL as included in their class group photo available for purchase to all families. Should there be any reason why your child should **NOT** be included in the photo shoot –please contact the school office.*



# YEAR 6 GO TO CAMP





## BUZ (Build Up Zone)



Thornlie Primary School is now a BUZ school!

BUZ Life Skills is a proactive, wholesome approach that enables children to develop emotional and social well being.



Students in Rooms 4 & 5 are participating in BUZ Friends and learning skills for making and keeping friends – especially skills to enable children to instigate, build and maintain successful friendships; the ability to cooperate with others in the classroom and playground.

This week we learnt about bullying like waterproofing.

Keep  
your  
COOL!



www.buildupzone.com



## USEFUL INFORMATION

School Hours: Mondays 8.40—2.30pm  
Tues -Fri 8.40am to 3.00pm

Please ensure all students are at school ready to commence the day at 8.40am and collected at 2.30pm or 3.00pm when the school siren sounds.

Thornlie Primary School Bank Account  
BSB 066 040 Account: 19901172 Commonwealth Bank

Dentist: At Thornlie Primary School Ph: 9459 7540

Early Childhood Centre: 9459 4910

Thornlie Intensive English Centre: 9459 4304

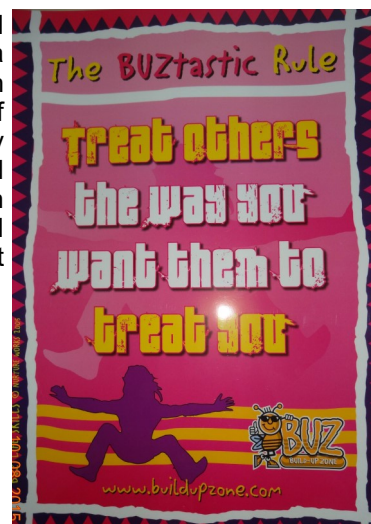
Message You SMS: Mob 0437 881 842

For School News and School Event Updates please go to our School Website [thornlieps.wa.edu.au](http://thornlieps.wa.edu.au)

## CHAPLAINCY CORNER

The Thornlie Primary School Chaplain is available for a confidential 'chat' with students, families and staff from the school community on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Appointments can be made through the school office on 9459 4333, or just drop in to Room 16.

Christine Thomas  
School Chaplain



www.buildupzone.com

*This project was funded by the Australian Government Department of Education, Employment and Workplace Relations under the National School Chaplaincy and Student Welfare Program.*

## PLAYGROUP

Playgroup is a group of parents/carers and their children that play together every Tuesday morning in Room 16.

If you have a child 0-4 years old and are interested in joining please contact Laura on 0424 653 747.



**Our 2018 Coles Sports for Schools Order has now Arrived!!**

Do you remember collecting the Coles Sports for Schools vouchers last term? Our sporting equipment has arrived and we now have even more equipment to share around. A big thank you to our Thornlie community for collecting the vouchers and supporting our school.



# FACTION





# CARNIVAL 2018

**CULROSS**  
**469**

**CAMBERLEY**  
**463**

**CHURCHDOWN**  
**554**

EVENT	NAME	FACTION
Year 1 Champion Boy	Mohamed A	Culross
Year 1 Runner Up	Matthew D	Culross
Year 1 Champion Girl	Ella Marie J	Churchdown
Year 1 Runner Up	Ayat H	Churchdown
Year 2 Champion Boy	Resharde T	Churchdown
Year 2 Runner Up	Joseph O	Churchdown
Year 2 Champion Girl	Savannah T	Churchdown
Year 2 Runner Up	Richi M	Culross
Year 3 Champion Boy	Jordan T	Culross
Year 3 Runner Up	Hassan A	Churchdowns
Year 3 Champion Girl	Deborah A	Culross
Year 3 Runner Up	Skyla D	Camberley
Year 4 Champion Boy	Leowelen L	Culross
Year 4 Runner Up	Nawid H	Churchdown
Year 4 Champion Girl	Kestrel D	Camberley
Year 4 Runner Up	Alicia B	Camberley
Year 5 Champion Boy	Akuhata K	Culross
Year 5 Runner Up	Elliot O	Culross
Year 5 Champion Girl	Chloe V	Churchdown
Year 5 Runner Up	Faareha F	Churchdown
Year 6 Champion Boy	Emircan K	Culross
Year 6 Runner Up	Tarquin C	Camberley
Year 6 Champion Girl	Biak Tha Cin Par	Culross
Year 6 Runner Up	Maimuna F	Churchdown



# THORNIE PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Term 4 Parent Calendar 2018

T4	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1	8 Oct School Development Day <b>STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND</b>	9 Oct Students commence for Term 4	10 Oct	11 Oct	12 Oct
2	15 Oct Early Close 2.30pm Headspace Workshop Year 6	16 Oct Playgroup 8.40-10.40  School Photos  Assembly: Councillors & Junior Choir	17 Oct  Newsletter	18 Oct  School Photos	19 Oct
3	22 Oct Early close 2.30pm	23 Oct  Playgroup 8.40-10.40	24 Oct  P&C Meeting 3.15pm	25 Oct Interschool Athletic Carnival	26 Oct
4	29 Oct Early close 2.30pm	30 Oct Playgroup 8.40-10.40  Assembly: Rm 10	31 Oct School Council Meeting 8.30am  Newsletter	1 Nov  Allsorts Art Exhibition 3.00-4.30pm	2 Nov
5	5 Nov Early close 2.30pm	6 Nov Playgroup 8.40-10.40	7 Nov	8 Nov	9 Nov
6	12 Nov Early close 2.30pm	13 Nov Playgroup 8.40-10.40 Kindy/Pre Primary Parent Information Afternoon 2pm	14 Nov  Newsletter	15 Nov	16 Nov Book Fair 8.15-3.30pm
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SWIMMING LESSONS MAINSTREAM & IEC					
8	26 Nov Early Close 2.30pm	27 Nov Playgroup 8.40-10.40  Book Fair 8.15-3.30pm	28 Nov School Council Meeting 8.30am Book Fair 8.15-3.30pm Newsletter	29 Nov  Book Fair 8.15-10.40	30 Nov
SWIMMING LESSONS MAINSTREAM & IEC					
9	3 Dec Early Close 2.30pm	4 Dec Playgroup 8.40-10.40  Final Assembly Book Awards	5 Dec	6 Dec Carols Evening 4.30pm Thornlie High School Orientation Day Yr 6  Final Day Uniform Shop & Breakfast Club	7 Dec  Parent Helper Morning Tea 10.30am
IEC PARENT INTERVIEWS					
10	10 Dec Early Close 2.30pm	11 Dec Playgroup 8.40-10.40 Year 6 Graduation Excursion	12 Dec Graduation Assembly 9.00am Newsletter Reports distributed to Students	13 Dec End of Term Reward Day  Final Day all Students	14 Dec School Development Day <b>STUDENTS DO NOT ATTEND</b>



# Maddington Little Athletics Club

## New Season Starting Soon!!



Club Training Days  
Tuesdays & Thursdays  
4:30-6:30pm  
Training venue  
Harmony Fields, Alcock St  
Maddington  
Pre season training starts  
Tuesday the 11<sup>th</sup> of  
September 2018

Registration is for a twelve-month period that includes both the summer season (October – March) and the optional winter season (May – August) for athletes from age 5 through to 17



### Family, Fun & Fitness

Athletes can compete in running events ranging from 60m to 1500m and walking events from 300m to 1500m all depending on their age. All athletes compete in discus, shot put, hurdles and long jump. Athletes U11-U17 compete in Javelin, while U6-U10s use the Vortex/Turbo Jav. Athletes U10-U17 also compete in triple jump and high jump.

For more information

Contact: 0413671182 or 0402019146

*Prepare yourself,*

## School Photo Day

2018

— is coming! —

Tuesday 16 October  
& Thursday 18 October

Capturing the  
*Spirit*  
of your school

To order, go to  
[www.kapture.com.au](http://www.kapture.com.au)  
or scan the QR below



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# HOLIDAY MAYHEM AWESOME ANTICS

This program is jam-packed with adventures and challenging activities. Get out of the house and get ready for some awesome days out.

**Ages:** 10 -16 years

**Where to meet:** Thornlie Community Centre,  
14 Glenbrook Road, Thornlie.

**Times:** The centre will be open from 8.30am - 3.30pm for drop off and pick up.

**What is provided:** Lunch and snacks. No spending money required.

**What to bring:** Each day please bring a bag/backpack, hat, water bottle, appropriate clothing and footwear.

**How to book:** Book online at [www.thehive.net.au](http://www.thehive.net.au) on each program page or call 9397 3000.

**TUES 25 SEP**

## ART WORKSHOP

Create your own wonderful watercolour.

\$10

**WED 26 SEP**

## OPTUS STADIUM TOUR

Behind the scenes tour of the new Optus Stadium.

\$30

**THURS 27 SEP**

## AWESOME ANTICS PERTH ZOO

Discover and explore Perth Zoo wildlife, with some never before seen prehistoric visitors.

\$25

**FRI 28 SEP**

## SUPERSIZE GAME DAY

Chill at the Youth Centre playing giant sized games.

\$10

**TUES 2 OCT**

## CULTURAL SPORTS AND GAME DAY

Cultural Workshop including games, knowledge of Bush Tucker, Aboriginal history run by Blackfit Fitness.

\$25

**WED 3 OCT**

## NOSTALGIA BOX VIDEO GAME TOUR

An interactive video game museum tour with a chance to make some Pokemon origami.

\$25

**THURS 4 OCT**

## METTAMS TOUCH POOL & AQWA

Hands on interactive experience at AQWA.

\$25

**FRI 5 OCT**

## UKULELE AND DRUM WORKSHOP

Explore your music ability.

\$15

[thehive.net.au](http://thehive.net.au) | 9397 3000 | [/cityofgosnellsyouth](https://www.facebook.com/cityofgosnellsyouth)

## SKATE PARKS VARIOUS AGES

### Skate Jam

1.30pm - 4.30pm

Wed 26 Sep - Maddington SP  
Fri 28 Sep - Mills Park SP  
Mon 1 Oct - Thornlie SP  
Wed 3 Oct - Maddington SP  
Fri 5 Oct - Mills Park SP

1pm - 5pm

Tues 25 Sep - Gosnells SP  
Tues 2 Oct - Gosnells SP



## FOR THE LITTLE ONES AGED 0 - 10

### Park Play

9.30am - 11.30am

Wed 26 Sep - Pioneer Park, Gosnells  
Fri 28 Sep - Tom Bateman Reserve, Canning Vale  
Fri 5 Oct - Mills Park, Beckenham

9.30am - 3.30pm  
Wed 3 Oct - GosCon  
Thornlie Library

## YOUTH CENTRES VARIOUS AGES

### Drop-in

The Shack, Gosnells  
1pm - 5pm

Tues 25 Sep  
Thurs 27 Sep  
Tues 2 Oct  
Thurs 4 Oct

## LIBRARIES

### GosCon

Ages 8 to 16 years

9.30am - 3pm  
Wed 6 Oct - Thornlie Library  
Bookings essential for some activities.

Check out what's happening these school holidays in the City of Gosnells, with heaps of fun programs and activities for children and young people.

### Skate Parks

The City runs regular skate jam sessions, competitions and clinics and provides skateboards and helmets for participants. All events are supervised by youth workers. These are drop-in style programs where young people are free to come and go as they wish.

### Children's Programs

Get out and active these school holidays. Bring the kids along to Centro Maddington and join in some free fun physical activities. A range of activities for the kids, including Tumble Tots, Sporty Kids, Kindamania and Activ Sports.

### Youth Centres

Supervised drop in for an open session with heaps of activities on offer - pool table, game consoles, table tennis, sports equipment, basketball, and heaps more. Young people are free to come and go as they wish.

### For the Little Ones

Free, fun activities, such as messy play, big games and sports equipment, for children up to 10 years and their families. Be sure to dress for the weather and bring a drink and snacks.

### Libraries

Find out what's happening at your library. The City runs school holiday activities for young people at the City's libraries. These activities are free but may require bookings.