



# 100 YEARS

1917 - 2017

## COBURG WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL

### 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2018

DATE	ACTIVITY	DETAILS
<b>Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>Melbourne Cup Day</b>	<b>Public Holiday (School Closed)</b>
<b>Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>3/4 Incursion</b>	
<b>Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>3/4 Incursion</b>	
<b>Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>Prep Transition</b>	<b>Session 2 - 9.30am-10.30am</b>
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November</b>	<b>Prep Zoo Excursion</b>	
<b>Monday 10<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>3/4 Lego land Excursion</b>	
<b>Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>3/4 Lego land Excursion</b>	
<b>Friday 14<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>3/4 Swimming</b>	<b>12-2pm</b>
<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Prep 2019</b>	<b>Meet the Prep teacher 12-12.45pm</b>
<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Current Preps – Grade 5</b>	<b>Students meet their teacher</b>
<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Reports</b>	<b>Student reports sent home</b>
<b>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Graduation Night</b>	<b>Times TBA</b>
<b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>MSAC</b>	<b>Grade 5/6</b>
<b>FRIDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> December</b>	<b>END OF TERM 4</b>	<b>TBC</b>

**Dear School Community,**

I wish to begin by thanking Mrs Lancuba, for stepping in at short notice, to assist in the running of the school, while I was busy with Jury Duty. Once again, Carmel was a great support to Mr Copping and the team.

Thank you also to the Coburg West School Community group for the wonderful lunch they provided for staff in celebration of International Teacher's Day last Friday. I know I speak on behalf of all staff when I say it was delicious.

#### **Staffing**

In the last few weeks, we have been working through our recruitment plan and as such, I can inform you that Miss Meta has been successfully appointed as our Performing Arts teacher in an ongoing capacity. Miss McKenzie was also successful in being appointed to a part time teaching role for this term.

We are continuing with this process over the coming weeks, interviewing for our Assistant Principal, further classroom teacher vacancies and our Learning Specialists in Science and Digital Technologies.

#### **Student Health**

Unfortunately, it is with this changing weather that schools are often hit with viruses and other issues that can quickly spread through a class and at times the school. As such, I wish to remind parents and carers that it is important to keep your children at home until they are completely well and clear of

whatever has made them unwell. For example, gastroenteritis is a common virus which can quickly spread through a class. In this instance, the Department of Health advises that a child is to be kept away from school until 24 hours after the last vomiting and diarrhoea. If in doubt, please check the Department of Health's website for their factsheets, speak with your GP, pharmacist or our school nurses.

This is also be a time when head lice become active. We ask that long hair be tied back and that you ensure your children have their own sun hat to wear outdoors.

### **Staff Carparks and Gates**

You may have noticed new signage on our school gates. We hope that these act as clear reminders to ensure gates close behind you and that the staff carparks are not for pedestrian access. It has been concerning to see the number of parents and students ignoring these signs and walking through staff carparks. We ask that for everyone's safety, you lead by example and use the correct gates to access our school grounds.

### **Students Proudly Representing our School**

As you will read in this newsletter, a group of our Grade 5/6 students proudly represented our school as they accepted their awards in front of many other schools from across Victoria. Our students were awarded for their Science investigations. They should be very proud of achieving such a high distinction for their work.

We also had a selection of our Grade 3/4 students attend John Fawcner Secondary College today to participate in a soccer fun day aimed at getting more students involved in playing the game. Our students should be very proud of themselves, as they were great sports while having fun.

A reminder to everyone, that Monday is a school day as per normal, while Tuesday is a public holiday and there will be no school.

**Kind regards,  
Mark Colagrande - Principal**

## **RE M I N D E R**

Just a reminder students must wear hats during outside activities.

Hats can be purchased at the school office for \$10

**NOTE: If your child attends the out of school hour's program, please ensure they have a spare hat in their bag at all times.**

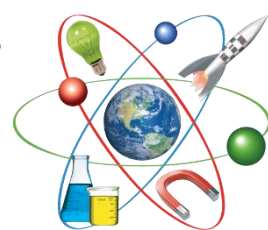


**RESPECT HONESTY ENDEAVOUR FRIENDLINESS RESPONSIBILITY CO OPERATION**

Name	Grade	Values	Awarded by
Rosie B	Prep D	Endeavour	N Dunn
Rosie M	Prep D	Endeavour	N. Dunn
Gus N	Prep S	Endeavour	A Siciliano
Murphy H	Prep S	Endeavour	A.Siciliano
Nikolas G	Prep LM	Endeavour	A Lebon/M. McLean
Felix V	Prep LM	Endeavour	A Lebon/M. McLean
Lydia B	Prep K	Endeavour	J Kennon
Mabel C	Prep K	Co operation	J. Kennon
Kerem G	3/4A	Co operation	P Amerena
Annabelle M	3/4A	Co operation	P. Amerena
Elijah R	3/4F	Endeavour	O. Franco
William S	1/2Y	Endeavour	S Youla
Ibrahim S	1/2B	Friendliness	P Barling/Ms Stewart
Archie W	1/2B	Endeavour	L.Stewart/P Barling
Zac T	1/2Z	Friendliness	L Zampatti
Eve W	1/2Z	Friendliness	L. Zampatti
Trey S	1/2B	Endeavour	P Barling/Ms Stewart
Imogen Mc	5/6E	Friendliness	R. Green
Ruben M	5/6E	Resilience	R Green
Gemma W	5/6E	Endeavour	M. Petersen
Georgina B	5/6E	Endeavour	M. Petersen
Helin T	5/6E	Endeavour	M. Peteren
Adriana G	5/6E	Endeavour	M. Petersen
Tex S	5/6R	Resilience	J Rigby
Ruby V	5/6R	Excellence	J Rigby
Ava S	5/6R	Excellence	J. Rigby
Zach SK	5/6M	Endeavour/ Co operation	S Meagher
Keanu B	5/6M	Endeavour (in Italian)	M. Petersen
Sunday R	5/6M	Endeavour	S. Meagher
Ayda O	3/4F	Endeavour	O Franco
Evelyn P	3/4R	Endeavour	K Roberts
Alex R	3/4R	Co operation	K. Roberts
Aydin Y	3/4B	Endeavour	S Preston/A Pavich
Luca C	3/4B	Endeavour	A Pavich/S Preston
Virginia P	5/6B	Endeavour	A Blatti
Mia M	3/4P	Friendliness	E. Acciarito
Mia I	3/4P	Friendliness	E.Acciarito
Lachlan K	3/4P	Endeavour (in Italian)	M. Petersen
Marcel N-J	3/4C	Endeavour	A Spiteri/F Currie
Marcel N	3/4C	Co operation	F Currie/A Spiteri
Otto M	1/2E	Support	R Esposito
Brandon G	1/2A	Friendliness	R Vukovich
Max D	1/2L	Friendliness	L Blackman

# SCIENCE TALENT SEARCH 2018

This year three of our Year 5 and 6 classes participated in the annual Science Talent Search competition. The competition attracted 3000 entries across Victoria.



The theme for the competition was Australian Game Changers and Change Makers.

We are proud to announce that many of our 5/6 students at Coburg West Primary School, were awarded a Certificate of Merit while others received a Minor or Major Bursary. Congratulations to Certificate recipients, Helin T from 5/6E and all students in 5/6M for their efforts in researching and producing outstanding project work.

On Monday the 29<sup>th</sup> of October the Minor and Major Bursary winners attended a special awards ceremony at La Trobe University.

These awards were presented by scientists currently working in Victoria in different fields including medicine and engineering. All bursary winners were also presented with a beautiful medallion.

I would like to congratulate the Bursary recipients for their thorough research, investigation and outstanding effort put into their projects and models. Extensive knowledge of the scientific concept studied, was manifested on the day of judging.



Congratulations to the Major Bursary winners: all students in 5/6B. A special mention goes out to Nell A, Ashleigh B, Maya B, Tara K, Charlie L, Veronica M and Julie C from 5/6B, for giving up their Saturday to attend the competition judging day and presenting the class project to the judges. The girls did an exceptional job in explaining their knowledge of forces applied to bridges. They confidently spoke about how bridges respond to different loads, weather patterns and other types of stresses.



I would also like to congratulate Imogen M and Lia C of 5/6E who were awarded a Minor Bursary for their project work on 'An Idea That Changed People's Lives'. These girls also attended the Saturday morning judging day, together with Helin T. All three girls spoke about their research and the scientific concepts they investigated. Well done to the remaining students in 5/6E for working collaboratively on their areas of investigation and producing informative posters.

Well done to the representatives of 5/6M - Joanne F, Harrison W, Gianluca D, Seamus H, Samantha M and Brooke M, who attended and represented their classroom at Methodist Ladies College (MLC) on judging day. These



students did an amazing investigation related to exercise and whether it improves learning over a measured period of time.

All students are to be commended for their hard work and enthusiasm displayed throughout their research work. The project engaged our students in scientific thinking and working in ways that build their capacity to critically and creatively reason. They worked collaboratively in all research projects, displaying excellent communication skills and of course our school values.

Well done to all and we hope to do it once again next year.

A special thank you to Ms Meagher for assisting me with judging other school entries at MLC.

**Ms A. Blatti**

**5/6 Teacher**

**Science Coordinator**



# News from the Italian Extension Class

On Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup> of October the extension Italian class spoke to Bayswater West Primary School via Skype. Last term, both schools planned and organised a pizza restaurant luncheon for teachers, where we communicated to each other in Italian. This term, both schools are focusing on the topic of Travelling to Italy. We will be focussing on flights to Italy, accommodation when travelling in Italy, ordering food, directions when in Italy and day to day dialogue. We are hoping to meet up with Bayswater West's Italian class to go to a pizza restaurant in Carlton and visit the Italian immigration museum to learn about Italian immigrants and history.

By Liberty Redican and Scarlet Harrison (members of the Italian Extension class)





## Grade 3 and 4 Italian CLIL Science Project: The Life Cycle of the Plant experiment.

Last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 3/4 Italian CLIL Science classes participated in the preparation and planting of snowpea seeds for their science experiment on the Life Cycle of the Plant.

In groups, our Grade 3 and 4 Italian students prepared, cultivated, planted and watered seedlings for their experiment. We will keep you updated on the course of our science project and we will hopefully be able to prove or disprove our hypothesis related to the needs of a plant.

We would also like to thank Mitre 10 in Richmond for donating the potting mix and a variety of the plants planted in the pots.

Italian teachers:

Signora Marie Petersen & Signora Nadia Di Vincenzo,



We encourage students to revise these new words at home.

## Grade 3 and 4 Italiano: Vegetable Garden Vocabulary

	Italiano	Inglese
<b>Verbs</b>	piantare	to plant
	coltivare	to cultivate
	annaffiare	to water
	raccogliere	to harvest/gather
	preparare	to prepare
	mangiare	to eat
	toccare	to touch
	assaggiare	to taste
<b>Nouns</b>	le verdure	vegetables
	la pianta	plant
	Il fusto	The stem
	Le foglie	The leaves
	Il fusto	The stem
	il giardino	garden
	l'orto	vegetable garden
	l'acqua	water
	Il fiore	The flower
	I semi	The seeds
	Le radici	The roots
	Il ciclo vitale delle piante	The lifecycle of the plants.
	gli attrezzi	tools
	Che buono!	How nice (taste)!
<b>Expressions</b>	Buon appetito	Good appetite
	Che bel profumo!	What a nice smell!
	Mi piace	I like...
	Non mi piace	I don't like...
	gli aromi	aroma
	Mangia	Eat
	Andiamoci	Let's go
	Aiutami!	Help me!
	Facciamolo insieme	Let's do it together
	in giardino	in the garden
	la zucca	pumpkin
<b>Vegetables</b>	gli asparagi	asparagus
	i broccoli	broccoli
	le castagne	chestnuts
	i carciofi	artichokes
	le carote	carrots
	il cavolo	cabbage
	il cavolfiore	cauliflower
	le cipolle	onions
	i funghi	mushrooms
	i porri	leeks
	la lattuga	lettuce
	le melanzane	eggplants
	i pomodori	tomatoes
	le patate	potatoes
	i peperoni	peppers
	il sedano	celery





google: "Coburg West School Community"  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/343163175722450/>

Email: [cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com)

### **Next Meeting for 2018 - Tuesday 13th November, 7pm at the Post Office Hotel**

As our September meeting was a great success we are continuing to hold our evening meetings at the Post Office Hotel. So please join us at 7pm on Tuesday 13th November to have a drink and a meal if you like. Once we have held the meeting we can brainstorm fundraising ideas, and also raise a glass to our wonderful parent volunteers. So we can book enough tables, please RSVP to [cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com), or on the Facebook invitation by Thursday 7th November. We'd love to see you there!

### **Monthly Book Offer in conjunction with Black Inc. Books**

November's special books are: Close to Home: Selected Writing by Alice Pung \$28 (save \$5), My Country: Stories, Essays & Speeches by David Marr \$35 (save \$5) and The The Amazing Adventures of Grover McBane, Rescue Dog by Claire Garth \$20 (save \$5). Not only do you get to purchase these specially selected books at a discount, \$5 from each sale will be donated to the school. Offer available until Friday, 7th December. Order online at: [blackincbooks.com.au/cwps](http://blackincbooks.com.au/cwps)

See the flyer attached for more details

If you are interested in potentially joining a physical book club, or attending an event where the authors come and speak with us, please register your interest by emailing [cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com)

### **UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS - EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW**

#### **CWPS Cookbook - Recipes still needed! Extended deadline Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November.**

The CWPS community cookbook is taking shape and we've had some delicious recipes submitted – thank you to everyone who has contributed so far.

But **PLEASE** we still need more!

Remember the recipes don't need to be originally yours. If it's one from your favourite cookbook or something you found online, as long as it's something you and your family love to cook and eat, then we want it!

In particular we'd love more:

- Breakfast/brunch, lunch box, soups, salads, finger food
- Mains – fish/seafood, rice dishes, veggie sides
- Special occasion meals and treats
- Preserving/ condiments

Download the pack here or email us [cwpscookbook@gmail.com](mailto:cwpscookbook@gmail.com) if you have any questions.  
[sattastudio.com/cookbook.zip](http://sattastudio.com/cookbook.zip)

The CWPS Cookbook Team

### Artwork Keepsakes: Calendars, tote bags, cards and much more.

This year we are offering a new opportunity, with a variety of ways to keep your child's beautiful artwork. This year include an extended range with not just calendars but also tote bags, tea towels, pillowcases, family planners, diaries, cards and even sketch pads.

These make wonderful presents for extended family as well as keepsakes for your child.

The Art team at school are busy helping your child plan their pictures over the next few weeks. Your child will be bringing home a flyer in the next couple of days outlining the products available, prices and how to order.

The important points from this flyer are:

- all orders and payments are made through the link [www.crazycamel.com.au/CoburgWest](http://www.crazycamel.com.au/CoburgWest) which can also be found on the flyer. **Orders cannot be left or paid for at the school office.**
- if you are ordering for more than one child you will need to do **separate orders for each child**
- all orders must be placed online by the **16th NOVEMBER 2018** to ensure delivery before end of year holidays.

Your child's artwork keepsakes will be delivered to the school in mid December and the original artwork will be returned with the order. If you do not place an order then your child's artwork will be in their portfolio to go home at the end of year.

Any queries please get in contact with the co-ordinator of this fundraiser Sarah on 0407117522 or at [sarahtucket01@gmail.com](mailto:sarahtucket01@gmail.com)

### State Election Day - Saturday 24th November 2018 - EVENT ORGANISERS NEEDED

On the day many people come from our local community to our school to vote. We have lots of great ideas for the day and need volunteers to run the stalls. As with all events here at Coburg West, there is plenty of support for newcomers.

Regular events on Election Day are the popular bacon and eggs rolls and sausage sizzle, cake stall and coffee cart. We require an organiser for each event.

Please get in touch with us via email ([cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com)) or Facebook to register your interest in being an event organiser or volunteer.

### Community Stalls - Opportunity for parents to highlight their small businesses

We are opening up an opportunity to parents in our community who wish to run a stall at this event to sell their own products. Each stall holder will pay a small \$20 fee. To apply simply send a note to [cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com) and let us know about your business and products. We have a limited number of stalls available so be quick to take up this offer to get your products out to our wider community.

Event	Date	Volunteers Needed?
Election Day Activities	Saturday 24th November	<a href="http://signup.com/go/HgNXAby">http://signup.com/go/HgNXAby</a>

## Next Meeting for 2018 – Tuesday 13th November at the Post Office Hotel

All welcome! If you have ideas, feedback, suggestions, and/or would like to be involved with the planning of these, or any other events but can't make the meeting times, please let us know by emailing [cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com).

Month	Term	Day/Time
November	4	Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> 7pm
Dec	4	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 9:30am

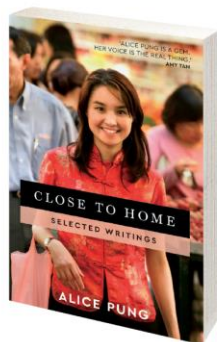
### Get in touch!

Do we have your email address? If you don't receive reminders and information from the Coburg West School Community by email, chances are we don't have your email address. You can also ask questions or comment or suggest events you may want to

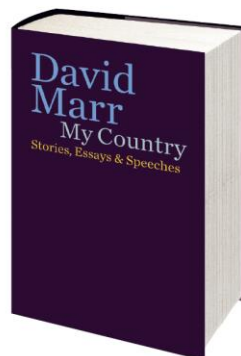
If you'd like to be added to the list, please email [cwpspfa@hotmail.com](mailto:cwpspfa@hotmail.com) with "Add me to the list" in the subject line. And for all those on Facebook, don't forget to join our group (details at top of the page)

## SPECIAL BOOK OFFER

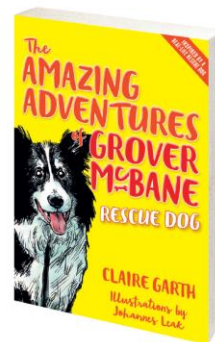
for Friends of Coburg West Primary School



Close to Home:  
Selected Writings  
Alice Pung  
\$28 (save \$5)



My Country: Stories,  
Essays & Speeches  
David Marr  
\$35 (save \$5)



The Amazing Adventures  
of Grover McBane, Rescue Dog  
Claire Garth  
\$20 (save \$5)

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\$5 from every purchase donated  
to Coburg West Primary School

Order online at  
[blackincbooks.com/cwps](http://blackincbooks.com/cwps)

Offer available until Friday, 7 December. Books will be available  
for collection from Friday, 14 December.



*Please join us at Coburg RSL Sub-Branch for our:*



## 2018 REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE SUNDAY 11 NOVEMBER @ 10.30AM

*Marking 100 years since the end of World War 1*

*Guest Speaker: Dr Cheryl Griffin, Author & Local Historian*

**~ EVERYONE IS WELCOME ~**

*The Service will be followed by a two-course lunch plus music from  
"Simple Dreams" for just \$25.00.*

*For further details or to book for lunch, please phone us on 9386 2171.*



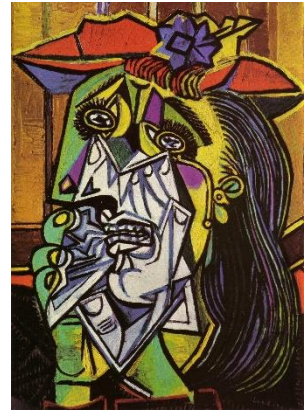
COBURG RSL SUB-BRANCH  
323 SYDNEY ROAD, COBURG  
*CELEBRATING 100 YEARS on 1 DEC 2018*





## ART SHOW INVITATION

Families and friends are invited to view the wonderful art works of our students at Coburg West Primary School. Our focus artist for this year's event was Picasso. Students from Foundation



through to year 6 created artworks inspired by the artworks of Picasso. They have explored a variety of



mediums and have used their observations and ideas to create their own art pieces.

The artworks will be displayed in the main corridor, the community room and the art room. The students will enjoy sharing their art journeys and are very proud to present their artworks.

**Tuesday November 13<sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> November**

**Time: 3.30 – 6pm.**

The majority of the students' work will remain on display for a couple of weeks following the Art Show. Family and friends are very welcome to view these works before and after school.

Joan McGregor & Georgia Kyrkilis

Visual Arts teachers

# **WEST COBURG FOOTBALL CLUB**

## **2019 JUNIOR GIRLS TEAM**

### **U9, U11, U13 & U15**



**West Coburg Football Club (WCFC) is committed to developing a pathway for girls who want to play Australian Rules Football (AFL) from a very young age.**

**In 2019 the WCFC intends to field 4 junior girl's teams: U9, U11, U13 and U15**

## **FREE COME AND TRY SESSIONS**

- **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November**
- **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November**
- **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November**

**Shore Reserve, Pascoe Vale 10.30am**

**ALL GIRLS WELCOME**



**The West Coburg Football Club is a:**

- **family friendly club holding many social events throughout the football season**
  - **very welcoming to new players and their families**
- **offers specialist training sessions such as safe tackling sessions and senior players attend training sessions throughout the year**
- **the girl's teams are supported by the White Ribbon Foundation**

**Register your interest by contacting WCFC**

**email: [contactus@wcfc.com.au](mailto:contactus@wcfc.com.au) or phone: 0411 277 601 or just come along on the day.**



West Coburg Football Club



# FAWKNER FESTA

JOIN US AT THIS  
FREE COMMUNITY EVENT

SUNDAY 11 NOVEMBER 2018  
11AM-3PM

CB SMITH RESERVE  
79 JUKES ROAD, FAWKNER

Music, dance, art, workshops,  
sports, stalls, delicious food  
and much more!



For more information phone 9240 1111  
or visit [moreland.vic.gov.au/fawkner-festa](http://moreland.vic.gov.au/fawkner-festa)



Moreland City Council

FESTIVALS  
MORELAND





### EVENT INFORMATION

**NAME:** The Salvation Army "Our Christmas Gift, Concert Spectacular"

**DATE:** Saturday 1 December 2018

**TIMES:** 2.30pm and 7.30 pm

**VENUE:** Melbourne Convention and Entertainment Centre

**ENTRY:** \$20 [adult] \$15 [concession and children] Free - Children age 4 and under not occupying a seat

**WEBSITE:** <https://salvos.org.au/stillothers/program/our-christmas-gift/>

# You had me at sugar

## CREATING DELICIOUS MEMORIES

Bespoke buttercream cakes, cake cones, cupcakes, mini donuts and more. Lots of flavours available including vanilla, chocolate, red velvet.

Check out our Facebook and Instagram.  
Contact Kez for details.

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 ✉️ k-decosta@hotmail.com
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## Moreland City Libraries Free Events



**Registrations essential online at [moreland.vic.gov.au/read-more](http://moreland.vic.gov.au/read-more)  
or phone 9353 4000**

**Celebrate Diwali – cooking demonstration and drawing a rangoli**  
**7 pm, Tuesday 13 November**  
**Glenroy Library**



Learn how to prepare traditional Indian snacks and discover their association with Diwali, the Hindu festival of lights. A rangoli is an art form using intricate patterns. Geeta will demonstrate how easy and enjoyable it is to make a chalk rangoli. Please note, this is a demonstration only.

**Raised garden beds are for everybody**  
**1 pm, Friday 7 December**  
**Glenroy Library**



Gardening is an activity that fortifies the mind, body and spirit. A thoughtfully planned garden can be modified to accommodate people with an injuries or disabilities, physical or mental. The ultimate goal is to have a garden that can be engaging as well as accessible to everyone with a range of abilities.

**Kombucha workshop**  
**7 pm, Thursday 15 November**  
**Coburg Library**



Kombucha is a fermented drink that boosts your immune system, increases energy and aids digestion. Dean from The Good Brew Company will teach you how to create the perfect batch of kombucha using sustainable and simple techniques. Please let us know if you have any food allergies.

**Zero-waste living – is it achievable?**  
**7.45 pm, Thursday 15 November**  
**Brunswick Library**



Tammy Logan is the author of the popular Gippsland Unwrapped blog where she shares how her family have significantly reduced their waste and other ways of practicing sustainability. Tammy started her journey by completing 'Plastic-Free July' and has gone on to tackle all aspects of low-waste living. She will take us through the practical aspects and realities of committing to a zero-waste home.