

MONDAY 15 TO SUNDAY 21 MAY 2023

CAMDEN COUNCIL CELEBRATES NATIONAL FAMILIES WEEK



LIVING REAL DREAMING BIG



Council is offering a range of free and low-cost activities throughout the week, with something for everyone to enjoy!


This program also highlights activities hosted by businesses and organisations throughout Camden, celebrating children and families.

This program is proudly brought to you by:



PARENT AND CARER CHILD SAFETY TALK

Youth Officer Kylie Marinello will be hosting a talk for parents and carers to discuss child safety topics. This is a great opportunity for parents and carers to learn about preventing and managing online safety challenges that a child may face and feel empowered to take action. Come along to enjoy some refreshments while having a chance to ask any relevant questions to Officer Marinello.

 **Monday 15 May 2023**
6-7.30pm

 **Oran Park Library,
Sandown Room 3
72 Central Ave, Oran Park**

 **Free**

 www.trybooking.com/CGQKP

**Enquiries: Children and Families
Community Project Officer 4654 7777
or camden.kids@camden.nsw.gov.au**



TEDDY BEAR PICNIC

Join us for a Teddy Bear Picnic – a morning of sensory play, story time and morning tea. Bring along your favourite teddy bear to join the fun. Mess it Up will be attending the event, along with local children and family organisations; Big Yellow Umbrella, Benevolent Society, Northcott and Uniting.

 **Wednesday 17 May 2023**
10am-noon

 **Narellan Child, Family &
Community Centre,
Elyard Street, Narellan**

 **Free**

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FAMILY YOGA SESSION

Join Prana Kids Yoga in a fun family yoga session, suitable for both parents, carers and children 3-12 years.

 **Tuesday 16 May 2023**
5.30-6.30pm

 **Julia Reserve Community Centre
Peter Brock Drive, Oran Park**


 **\$10 for adults, \$5 for children**

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CHILD RESTRAINT FITTING DAY

An opportunity to have your new or existing child restraints, harnesses and booster seats correctly fitted and checked for safety.

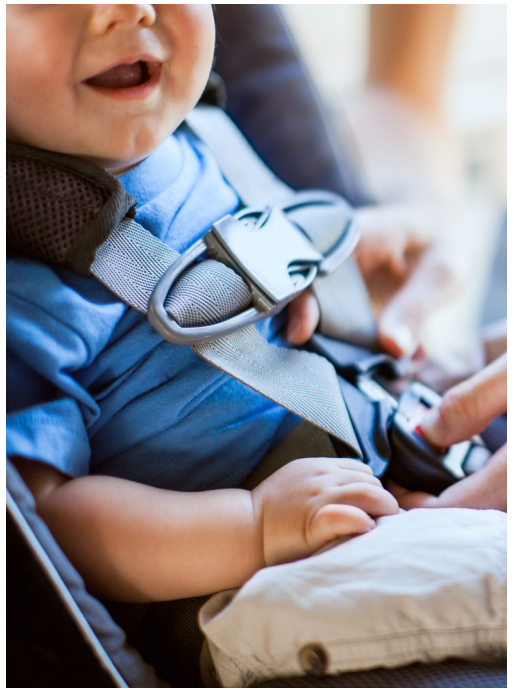
 Thursday 18 May 2023
9am-2pm

 Chellaston Street Carpark,
70 Chellaston Street, Camden

 Free


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CAMDEN SWIRLS – TWEEN CREATIVE CLUB

Camden Residents aged 10-14 years are invited to unleash their creative side and engage in a fun afternoon of arts and crafts. Participants will be guided by a facilitator in creating their own artwork.

 Friday 19 May 2023
4-7pm

 Julia Reserve Community Centre
Peter Brock Drive, Oran Park

 Free


 www.trybooking.com/CFGNA


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FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT

Come and watch a family movie at Narellan Library.

 **Friday 19 May 2023**
6pm

 **Narellan Library**
Corner Queen &, Elyard St,
Narellan

 **Free**

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FAMILY GAMES DAY

Join Oran Park Library for a day of giant outdoor family games

 **Saturday 20 May 2023**
10am-noon

 **Oran Park Library**
72 Central Ave,
Oran Park

 **Free**

 **No bookings required**

Enquiries: www.library.camden.nsw.gov.au/contact/

ALAN BAKER ART GALLERY FAMILIES WEEK WORKSHOP

In celebration of National Families Week, children aged 5-12 years and their families are invited to Alan Baker Art Gallery to draw your very own family portrait using coloured pencils. Make sure to bring along a photograph of your family!

 **Saturday 20 May 2023**
11am-noon and 12.30-1.30pm

 **Alan Baker Art Gallery**
37 John St, Camden

 **Free**

 www.trybooking.com/BBOHZ

Enquiries: Alan Baker Art Gallery,
4645 5191 or [alanbakerartgallery@
camden.nsw.gov.au](mailto:alanbakerartgallery@camden.nsw.gov.au)





FAMILIES WEEK STORYTIME AT CAMDEN LIBRARIES

Join Camden Libraries for Families Week themed story times. Storytime allows young children to build their literacy knowledge through play, songs, reading and imagination. Be sure to join in the fun and assist your child in developing language and vocabulary skills before starting school.



15 May - 21 May 2023
0-2 years - 10am
2-5 years - 11am



Narellan Library
Corner Queen &, Elyard St, Narellan
Monday, Wednesday and Friday

Oran Park Library
72 Central Ave, Oran Park
Monday and Wednesday

Camden Library
40/44 John St, Camden
Tuesday and Thursday



Free



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CAMDEN KIDS CREATIVE COMPETITION

Entries open Monday 15
May at 9am and close
Monday 29 May at 5pm.

Winners will be
announced Friday 2
June 2023.

Camden Kids Creative Competition is back, so get involved for your chance to win **one of 3x \$50 Narellan Town Centre gift vouchers!**

With three themes to pick from, Camden Kids are encouraged to create an artwork, short story or a poem.

The themes are as follows:

- What does it mean to be a Camden Kid?
- What should Camden look like in the year 2043?
- What do you love to do with your family in the Camden area?

For entries Creative Kids Competition | Your Voice Camden