

# Course & Activity Guide

Term 4: 7 October to 17 December 2024 (10 weeks)

Note: classes are set for a 10-week term, so classes that run on a Monday or Tuesday will extend to 16 and 17 December to make up for the Cup Day long weekend.



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## Health & Wellbeing

Stay active so you can enjoy life's important moments – keeping up with loved ones and pursuing your hobbies with ease. Our classes can be adapted to all fitness levels and are also a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the company of others.

#### Pilates (Floor/Mat Style)

Tuesdays 6.15pm – 7.15pm (15 October to 17 December, 9 weeks)

Attend weekly for \$152.60 per term (concession \$129.50)

## Parents & Bubs Exercise

NEW

Are you a new parent finding it hard to get to an exercise class? Join our class and bring your baby. Birth mums must have passed their 6 week post-natal check.

Mondays 10.30am – 11.30am Attend weekly for \$150 per term

Try one session of any health and wellbeing program for only \$5 (places are limited). Plus enjoy a 15% discount when you book two or more health and wellbeing programs per term.

#### **Chair Exercise**



This class is for people wanting to exercise in the security of a chair – perfect if you have balance issues or are recovering from an injury.

Thursdays 1pm – 2pm Attend weekly for \$105 per term

#### Tai Chi (Paul Lam Style)

#### Advanced

Wednesdays 10am -11am

#### **Beginner-Intermediate**

Wednesdays 11.15am - 12.15pm

Choose one session to attend weekly for \$169.50 per term (concession \$143.50)

#### Living Longer Living Stronger®

Progressive strength training and balance classes for people aged 50+. Prior to commencement all new participants must provide an exercise and health self-assessment – forms are available online or from the office.

Casual Passes are available (with strict terms and conditions) please contact the Centre to find out more.

Mondays 9am - 10am Mondays 3pm - 4pm Tuesdays 11am - 12pm Tuesdays 12.30pm - 1.30pm Wednesdays 8.45am - 9.45am Thursdays 9.30am - 10.30am Thursdays 11.30am - 12.30pm Thursdays 8pm - 9pm Fridays 11am - 12pm

Choose one session to attend weekly for \$105 per term



#### **Interval Training**

Interval Training is for people wanting a more challenging activity. Work at your own fitness level with low to high intensity exercises.

Mondays 7pm – 8pm Attend weekly for \$169.50 per term (concession \$143.50)

Come into the office or scan the QR code to book online.



## Life-long Learning

Build skills for enhanced living and discover new opportunities for employment and volunteering. Life-long learning is for everybody.

## Mixed Media Art @ Wyreena



This term program is for people with a disability and teaches skills in various art and craft mediums. Cost includes all materials and participants must be accompanied by a carer.

Mondays 10am – 12pm (7 October to 9 December, 9 weeks) No class 4 November

Attend weekly for \$213 per term

This program is a collaboration between Wyreena Community Arts Centre and Yarrunga Community Centre.





#### **Closure Dates**

Monday 30 September 2024 – Friday 4 October 2024

Wednesday 18 December 2024 – Friday 17 January 2025

## Explore Mixed Medium Art



This semester-long program will explore different water-soluble art mediums including acrylics, inks, water colour, graphite pencils, colour pencils, charcoal and chalk pastels. Class suitable for beginners to advanced. Cost includes materials. No oils.

Fridays 10am – 1pm or Fridays 1.30pm – 4pm

Attend weekly for \$160 per semester

#### **Barista Skills 1:1**



Would you like to have a 1:1 session to brush up your Barista Skills?

Call for available days and times.

Attend a two-hour session for \$160 including materials

If you have a small group

that would like Barista Training please contact the Centre to arrange a session that suits you.

## Winter Shelter Community Cooking



This semester-long program is suitable for people wanting to learn hospitality skills by preparing meals for the Winter Shelter Community Meals program.

Mondays 11am – 2pm or Tuesdays, 2pm – 5pm

Attend fortnightly on one of the registered days

## Practical Computer Skills



This term-based course is perfect for anybody wanting to gain confidence in everyday computer skills including staying safe online, smartphone use, social media, using apps and software, and using technology for everyday tasks. Easy to understand learning materials provided.

Thursdays 9.15am – 12.15pm Attend weekly for \$25 per term

Yarrunga Community Centre is a Learn Local organisation providing quality pre-accredited training. Programs with the symbol are Learn Local funded.





## Other Activities

We have a number of other activities ranging from educational workshops to community events and social gatherings. Great opportunities for connection, learning and fun. Bookings essential.



#### **Chatty Café**

Feel like you need to connect over a coffee for a chat. Drop in and we'll make time for you.

\$5

#### **Tech Help with Sam**

Need some technical help? We have a fabulous volunteer – Sam – who can help you. Bookings essential.

Tuesday fortnights, 10am - 12pm

Book through Reception

#### **Barista for Teens**

This one-day session is for teens looking for part-time work in the hospitality industry. The class size is small so there is plenty of time for hands-on, practical experience.

Thursday 26 September 9.30am – 1pm

Attend this intensive workshop for \$117.50

#### Downsizing FREE

"Downsizing" is a short 6 session course designed to equip you with the up-to-date information, tools, and contacts to better support your informed decision making around downsizing, retiring and future care support. Each session covers a different topic - come to as many sessions as you wish. Contact the Centre for more information.

Thursdays 10.30am – 11.30pm (17 October to 28 November) No session 31 October **Book Now** 



17 Oct	1	Downsizing Rachael Lane	It's not about square metres. It's about right-sizing your home for the next chapter in life and downsizing to a better lifestyle.
24 Oct	2	Move with Ease Simpson Rial	Learn about the 5 tips and techniques to use when downsizing, handy packing tips and who really wants that old furniture.
7 Nov	3	Managing the Emotions Estelle Kelly	Downsizing can lead to emotional baggage. Hear about the 3 stages of a transition and dealing with change.
14 Nov	4	Financial Planning in Retirement Shaun Ganguly	Downsizing with sound and reliable financial advice to meet your changing needs.
21 Nov	5	Making Informed Plans for Next Steps Jayne Maini	Exploring what's available to support us at home and in times of need, and next step planning for the future.
28 Nov	6	Wrap Up Summary Craig Green	What's in our toolbox? Let's refresh on what we have heard, actions required and next steps. An interactive Q&A session with giveaways.

## Social Groups

Find a sense of belonging by connecting with like-minded people through social groups at Yarrunga. Join today to discover a community that shares your interests and values. Most groups have a \$5 annual membership plus \$3 per meeting.



#### **Redit Book Club**

Redit Book Club holds monthly meetings to add insights, understanding and perspective to your reading.

Second Wednesday of the month, 7.30pm - 9.00pm

Join this group for an annual membership fee of \$110 (includes library fees and social group membership fees)

#### Yarrunga Retirees

This independent group holds a range of activities including a monthly meeting. Guests are welcome for a nominal cost. For more information contact yarrungaretirees@outlook.com.

Monthly meeting second Wednesday of the month

Join this group for an annual membership fee of \$40 plus activity costs

#### **Pickleball**

Pickleball combines elements of badminton, table tennis and tennis. Two or four players use paddles to hit a lightweight ball over a net. So, grab some friends and book a pickleball time. Equipment supplied

Call the Centre to book a time

#### Yarrunga Writers

Share your love of writing and enhance your writing skills through the use of fun activities that stimulate your creative side.

Mondays 1pm – 3pm Attend weekly for \$125 per year

#### **Yarrunga Crafters**

Work on your favourite craft projects in the company of others. Sewing machines and ironing facilities are available.

Mondays 12.30pm - 2.30pm

#### Yarrunga Walkers

Explore the beauty of your local area. Walks are around one hour long at a moderate pace.

Fridays 9.15am - 10.30am approx.

#### Yarrunga Indoor Bowls

Indoor bowls is loads of fun and helps keep you active.

Mondays 11.30am - 2.00pm

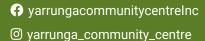
#### OM:NI (Older Men, New Ideas)

This group brings together men aged over 50 years to talk about a range of topics.

Every second and fourth Thursday of the month, 10am - 12pm



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