YOUR LIBRARY

Discover **Your Library Boronia**

Presented by Sherelle Furneaux & Tracey Martin

Knox City Council

Maroondah City Council

Yarra Ranges Council

We'd like to begin by acknowledging the Traditional Owners of the land on which we meet today:
The Wurundjeri Woi-wurrung People of the Kulin Nation.
We would also like to pay our respects to Elders past and present.

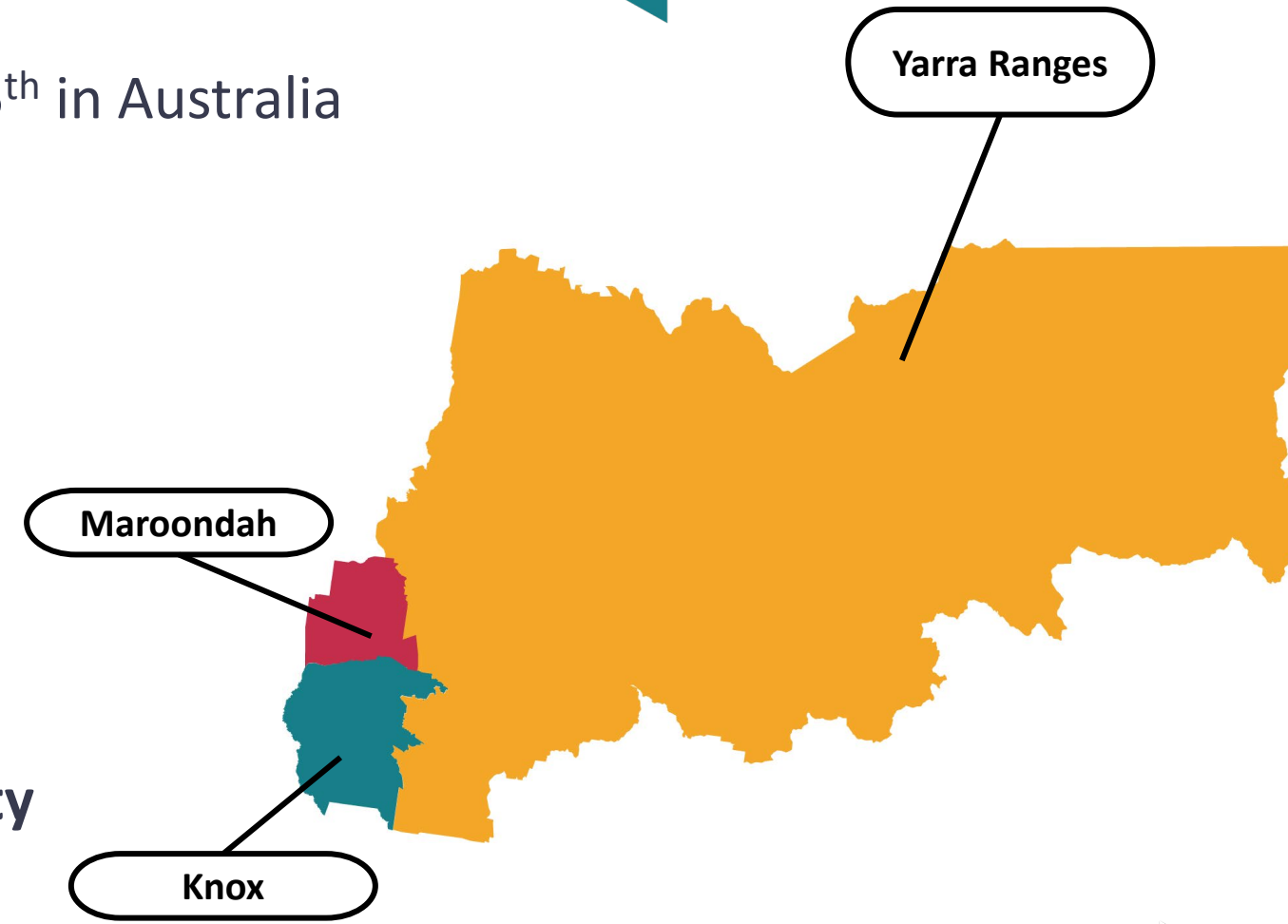
Who are we?

Your Library Vision

At Your Library, we aim to provide:
inclusive spaces, trusted services, and access for all.

Who are we? – Your Library

- Largest library service in Victoria, 5th in Australia
- 14 Libraries and 3 Reading Rooms
- Miller's Homestead in Boronia
- 345,000+ members
- No fines!
- 1.5 million visits per year
- 3.3 million physical loans a year
- **Now an NGO, not-for-profit Charity**



Who are we?

Meet the Boronia Library Team

Your Library Ltd has 14 branches, and almost all of them have a:

Team Leader

Sherelle Furneaux
Team Leader

Children's Services Librarian

Bernadette Ryan
Children's Librarian

Tech Support Officer

Tracey Martin
Tech Support Officer

Senior Customer Service Officer

Mario Rech
Senior CS Officer

Home Library Services Specialist

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Oonagh Murphy
Customer Service Officer
HLS Specialist

Customer Service Officer

Rania Woodany
Customer Service Officer

Who are we?

Our Partners

Mountain District
LEARNING CENTRE

Each

The Basin
Community House

Flair Patterns
Elegant tailored dress patterns

Libraries After Dark

Funding through Public Libraries Victoria (PLV) to provide a safe place for people to find community, fun, and wellbeing after hours.

From 5-7:30pm Monday nights at Boronia Library

Each month, we have: Movies and Makers, Chair Yoga, Puzzles After Dark, and a Workshop like: Sip & Journal, Your Winter Garden, Vision Boards and Financial Wisdom.

What do we do?

The Goings on at Boronia Library

- MDLC: Digital Skills Course
- Movies & Makers
- The Basin House Bookclub
- Tiny Tots Storytime
- Reading Buddies Storytime
- Tech Basics
- MDLC: English for Living & Working in Australia
- Puzzles After Dark
- Toddler Storytime
- MDLC: Conversation Circle
- Chair Yoga
- Teach Me Tech
- Troubleshoot Tech Hour
- Books & Beyond Bookclub
- Craft Table
- MDLC: Brainworks
- Creative Time with Watercolour
- Crochet & Chat
- Scavenger Hunts
- Morning Yoga
- MDLC: Talk, Learn Live
- STEAM workshop: Busy Code for Kids
- Sip & Journal
- Senior's Morning Tea
- Mindful Materials: Threads & Collage
- MDLC: Health & Financial Wellbeing

Who am I?
Technology Support Officer - Tracey Martin

- One at most library branches
- Help the community develop their confidence and comfort with devices and tech basics.
- Small group sessions like Teach Me Tech and Tech Basics are run at most branches.

Apps for learning

1

LinkedIn Learning: Stream online courses.

2

Cooking by NYT: Browse more than 19,000 recipes from Then New York Times.

3

Studiosity: Live study support, quizzes, and resume help

4

Mango Languages: Learn a new language

5

Aussie Driver: Practice tests and FAQ for learner driver's

6

Be Connected: Learn basic internet and computer skills

7

Britannica Library Edition: Access Encyclopaedia Britannica from home

Apps for watching

Medici. Tv: Free streaming of concerts, operas, ballets, documentaries, master classes, jazz, and more.

Kanopy: Free streaming of films and Tv series

Apps for reading

Libby: Read books, magazines, comics, graphic novels manga and listen to audiobooks, on your device.

Borrowbox: Get audiobooks, and read newspapers ex: The herald sun, The age, The Australian.

Apps for listening

Libby: Listen to audio books.

Borrowbox: listen to audio books.

ULibrary: Listen to exclusive audio books

Apps for Research

Britannica library Edition: access Encyclopaedia.

Trove: The national Library of Australia's online database

Apps for Kids

Libby for kids: Read books, magazines, comics, graphics.

Busy Things: Games to entertain and educate young kids.

Busy Code: Simple and fun programming games for kids.

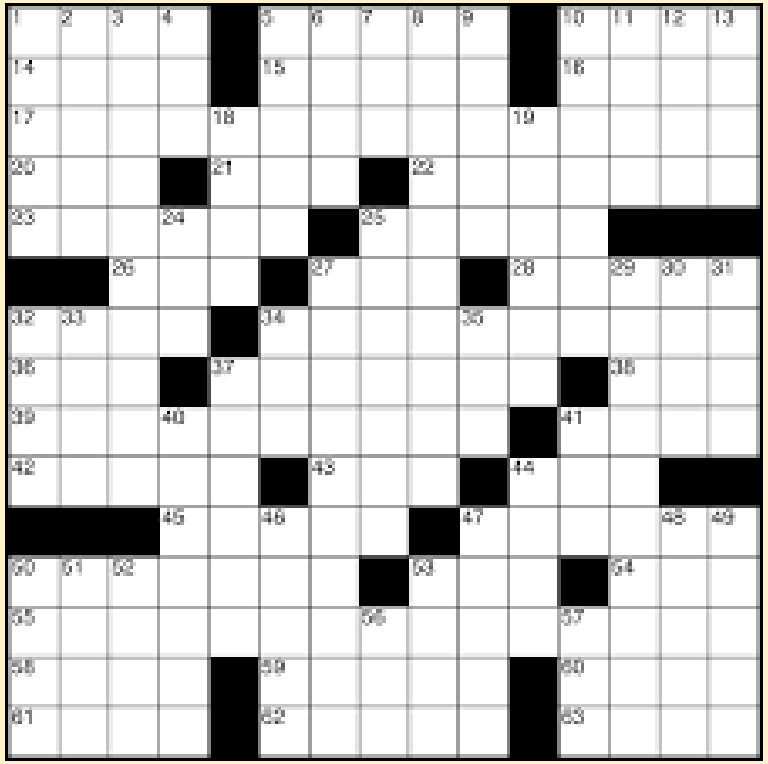
Lote4kids: Storytime in your own Language.

Story Box Hub: Watch
Australia's favourite storytellers read kid's picture books, wherever you are.

Kanopy for Kids: Free streaming of kid's TV and films

Apps for games

The New York Times Games: Play games, puzzles and crosswords



Other library resources

These are in-Library resources and requires a library PC

Ancestry Library: Family history records from around the world

Findmypast: Family history records from around the world

Choice magazine: trusted ratings and review of products

Echo online: Resources for students to understand and analyse issues in the media

Your Library App

- Manage your Library account on-line
- Browse, reserve and renew your items
- Add your Library card
- Book PCs and rooms
- Save titles in a wish list and track your reading with the in-built reading tracker
- View and book into exciting events
- Submit print jobs
- Checkout your own items

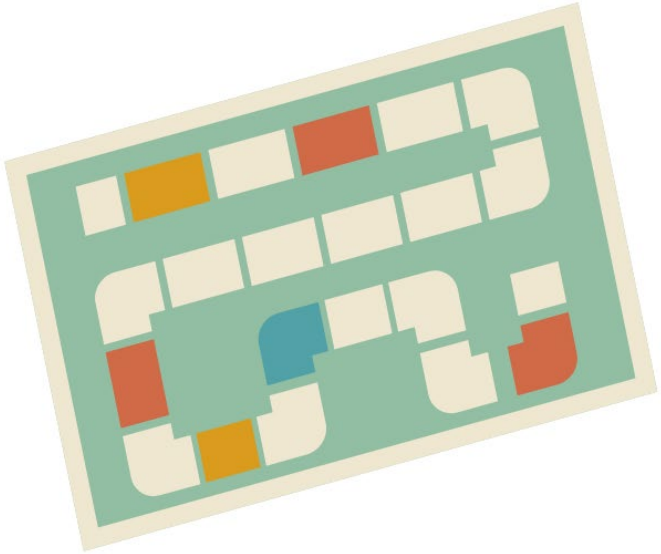
Where to get Apps

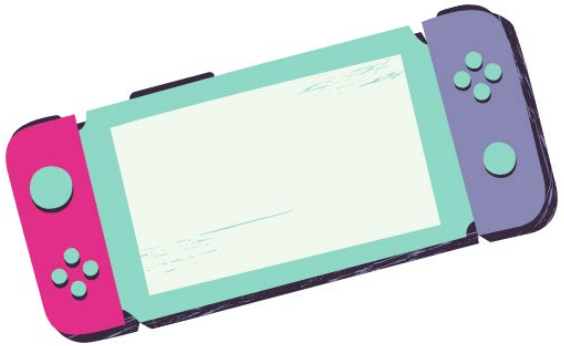
- Android Phone or tablet: The play store
- iPhone or iPad: The App store
- Come in to see Tracey at Boronia Library and she can assist!

To Summarise

Our Collections

- Board Games
- Dementia Resources Library
- Music scores
- Console Games
- Adult Literacy Collection
- LOTE collections
- Seed Library
- Laptops
- Energy Saver Kit





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Library Services

- Public PCs and WIFI
- Printing, photocopying and scanning
- Newspapers
- Reading spaces
- Work/study space
- Self-checkout machines
- Microfiche reader
- Afterhours return chute

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Accessibility

- Access Keys available
- Communication boards available
- Accessible toilets
- Computer font can be enlarged
- Availability of quiet areas
- Home services available to household residents within Knox, Maroondah and Yarra Ranges
- Assistance animals welcome

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Library Programs

- Tech support one-to-one
- Storytime
- Family history
- Home library service
- Book clubs
- Gardening clubs & seed library
- Conversation circles
- Events

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Family History

- A Family & Local History Librarian will guide you through researching your family history
- Book a 45-minute session
- Sessions available at most branches

Call 1300 737 277 or visit events.yourlibrary.com.au to book a session

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Home Library Service

- Delivers library material to people who are unable to visit the library.
- Housebound individuals and residents of care facilities located in Knox, Maroondah or Yarra Ranges Council.

Call 9800 6400 or visit yourlibrary.com.au/contact-feedback

To Summarise
What's On

- Find all our upcoming events in our What's On booklet
- Available online and in branch
- Bookings required for many events

What do we need from You?

Memberships

Borrowing

Partnerships