



# WHAT'S ON

Issue 23 - December 2016 / January 2017

## in the School Holidays

### Contact and booking information:

**SOOSH** Waverley Street, Scone Phone: 6540 1177 | Email: soosh@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au

**UPPER HUNTER SHIRE LIBRARIES** ABERDEEN Moray Street Phone: 6540 1303  
CASSILIS Buccleugh Street Phone: 6376 1295 | MERRIWA Bettington Street Phone: 6521 7007  
MURRURUNDI 47 Mayne Street Phone: 6540 1363 | SCONE 130 Liverpool Street Phone: 6540 1183  
Bookings essential for all library activities. [uhrl.nsw.gov.au](http://uhrl.nsw.gov.au)

**GYMNASICS AT SCONE YOUTH CENTRE HALL**  
Bookings essential contact Nicky Western on 0414 806 074. \$25 per day or \$40 for two days

**TWILIGHT TENNIS AT ABERDEEN** all ages and abilities welcome  
RSVP to Nicky Western on 0414 806 074 by Monday, 23 January 2017

**GYMNASICS AT MURRURUNDI PUBLIC SCHOOL**  
Bookings essential contact Nicky Western on 0414 806 074. \$10 per day or \$15 for two days

**YOUTH CENTRES** SCONE Phone: 0417 87 540 | MERRIWA Phone: 0447 610 815 | MURRURUNDI Phone: 0438 437 082  
TUESDAY 20 December - the final youth event for 2016 will be a pool party for each centre at their local pool from 6.00pm.  
FRIDAY 13 January - Murrurundi Youth Centre ice skating excursion - contact Kathryn for details on 0438 437 082  
TUESDAY 17 January - Scone and Murrurundi Youth Centres re-open  
THURSDAY 19 January - Merriwa Youth Centre re-opens  
Find us on Facebook: Scone Youth Centre | Merriwa Youth Centre | Murrurundi Youth Centre [upperhunter.nsw.gov.au](http://upperhunter.nsw.gov.au)

**SAVE THE DATE!**  **THE UPPER HUNTER & KIA-ORA YOUTH MUSIC CAMP 2017**  
Wednesday 22 March to Friday 24 March



**CELEBRATE WHAT'S GREAT ON AUSTRALIA DAY**  
Thursday, 26 January 2017  
in the *Upper Hunter Shire*



ABERDEEN	MERRIWA	MURRURUNDI	SCONE
1.00pm Awards Ceremony & Luncheon Sport & Recreation Club Jefferson Park	11.00am Awards Ceremony & Luncheon Merriwa RSL Club  FREE pool entry from 2.00pm to 6.00pm	10.00am Parade & Games to follow Wilson Memorial Oval  FREE pool entry from 1.00pm to 6.00pm	10.30am Awards Ceremony Scone Council Chambers  FREE pool entry from 12 noon to 4.00pm

**Are you organising a community event?** Have your event details published in Upper Hunter Shire Council's 'What's On' calendar and on our website. Email your event details to [council@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au). Contributions need to be submitted three (3) weeks prior to school holiday period to ensure inclusion in the 'What's On' calendar.

The information provided in this community calendar has been provided in good faith. However, the accuracy of the information cannot be guaranteed. Please contact the event organiser directly if you have enquiries.

**All correspondence to:**  
General Manager | Upper Hunter Shire Council | PO Box 208, Scone NSW 2337  
Scone Administration Centre: 135 Liverpool Street, Scone | Merriwa Office: 34-40 Vennacher St, Merriwa  
Murrurundi Office: 47 Mayne St, Murrurundi  
Phone: 02 6540 1100 | Email: [council@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au](mailto:council@upperhunter.nsw.gov.au) [UPPERHUNTER.NSW.GOV.AU](http://UPPERHUNTER.NSW.GOV.AU)

## STAYING IN SCONE FOR THE FIRST PART OF THE HOLIDAYS? WANT TO DO SOMETHING ACTIVE? HOW ABOUT A TRIATHLON?!

Sign up to a five session training program with Council's Sports Participation Officer, Nicky Western, with the goal of participating in the Singleton Tri Club race on Sunday, 8 January 2017.



### SESSIONS

Wednesday 28 December - 9.30am to 10.30am - Scone Pool  
Thursday 29 December - 9.00am to 10.00am - Bill Rose Sports Complex  
Friday 30 December - 9.00am to 10.00am - Bill Rose Sports Complex

Tuesday 3 January - 9.00am to 10.00am - Bill Rose Sports Complex  
Saturday 7 January - 9.30am to 10.30am - Scone Pool

### RACE

Sunday 8 January - register at 7.30am - Singleton Gym 'n' Swim

### EQUIPMENT

Scone Pool: bring your swimmers, goggles, cap and joggers  
Bill Rose Sports Complex: bring your bike, helmet and joggers

**COST** \$35 + \$5 (Junior race fee) + pool entry (if no season pass)

For more information or to sign up,

contact

**NICKY**

UHSC Sports Participation Officer  
on  
0414 806 074

Available to all school aged children



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**MONDAY  
19 DEC**

**SOOSH - Christmas Fun**  
Crosswords, colouring in, Santa belly limbo, Santa says, candy cane toss, scavenger hunt, santa hat relay, Christmas card making, DIY santa stockings, paddle pop stars, reindeer biscuits & milkshakes

**TUESDAY  
3 JAN**

**SOOSH - New Year Celebrations**

**THURSDAY  
12 JAN**

**SOOSH - Wheelies**

**UPPER HUNTER SHIRE  
YOUTH CENTRES**

Check out the back page for info on your local youth centre, or look up the Youth Services Calendar on Council's website or facebook page.

**MONDAY  
23 JAN**

**SOOSH - Camping day**

**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - barnyard animal fold-up masks

**MURRURUNDI GYMNASTICS @ Murrurundi Public School**  
9.00am to 11.00am, limited places \$10 for one day, \$15 for two days Supported by UHSC, Scone Gymnastics & Mdi Public School

**TUESDAY  
20 DEC**

**SOOSH - Christmas Fun**  
Balloon volleyball, Christmas Mr Squiggle, letter to Santa, natural Christmas trees, rob Santa's sack, bauble & spoon race, bauble decorating, sand art, felt Christmas trees, fruit kebabs, crackers & dip

**WEDNESDAY  
4 JAN**

**SOOSH - Built by Kidz. Hands on woodwork construction day**

**FRIDAY  
13 JAN**

**SOOSH - Captain Underpants & Rubber Duckie day**

**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - storytime

**TUESDAY  
24 JAN**

**SOOSH - Wipeout day**

**CASSILIS LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - stained glass frames  
**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - Summer Reading Club party

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**TWILIGHT TENNIS ABERDEEN**  
All ages social tennis, 6 - 7.30pm  
RSVP Monday 23 January

**WEDNESDAY  
21 DEC**

**SOOSH - Christmas Fun**  
Playdough, rip a Christmas tree, Santa's treasure, reindeer rush, slip 'n' slide, water balloon fight, paper plate wreaths, foam mosaic magnets, angel tree decorations, mini Christmas cookie houses

**THURSDAY  
5 JAN**

**SOOSH - National bird day**

**MONDAY  
16 JAN**

**SOOSH - Science day. Gory Green in more ways than one**

**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - decorating wooden car frames

**WEDNESDAY  
25 JAN**

**SOOSH - Australia Day theme**

**CASSILIS LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - decorating animal masks  
**MURRURUNDI LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - storytime



**THURSDAY  
22 DEC**

**SOOSH - Christmas Fun**  
Christmas cooking, find Santa's beard, honey I love you, obstacle course, race to the North Pole, fill the bucket relay, 'Santa stop here' door hangers, cardboard weaving, paper plate Christmas trees, Christmas treats

**FRIDAY  
6 JAN**

**SOOSH - Chinese luncheon at the Bowling Club**

**TUESDAY  
17 JAN**

**SOOSH - Make a bear day**

**ABERDEEN LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - paper weaving  
**MERRIWA LIBRARY:**  
11.00am - craft

**THURSDAY  
26 JAN  
AUSTRALIA DAY  
PUBLIC HOLIDAY**



**FRIDAY  
27 JAN**

**SOOSH - PJ Day chill out**

**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - storytime

**SUNDAY 25 DEC  
MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**MONDAY  
9 JAN**

**SOOSH - Mr Maker craft day**

**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - scratchboard bracelets

**SCONE GYMNASTICS CLUB CAMP @ Scone Youth Centre Hall**  
9.00am to 11.30am, limited places \$25 for one day, \$40 for two days

**WEDNESDAY  
18 JAN**

**SOOSH - Maitland Pool**

**CASSILIS LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - decorating wooden tealight holders  
**MURRURUNDI LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - 12pm - story @ the park  
**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
11.30am - summer craft

**TUESDAY 27 DEC  
PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

**TUESDAY  
10 JAN**

**SOOSH - Splish Splash Splosh**

**ABERDEEN LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - folding mini photo albums  
**MERRIWA LIBRARY:**  
11.00am - craft

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9.00am to 11.30am, limited places \$25 for one day, \$40 for two days

**THURSDAY  
19 JAN**

**SOOSH - Movies & popcorn**

**BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL FOR MOST ACTIVITIES**  
**Check over page for contact details and booking information**

**MONDAY 2 JAN  
PUBLIC HOLIDAY**

**WEDNESDAY  
11 JAN**

**SOOSH - Inflatable World excursion**

**CASSILIS LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - making kites  
**MURRURUNDI LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - making & decorating tambourines  
**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
11.30am - Chinese paper lanterns

**FRIDAY  
20 JAN**

**SOOSH - Swimming pool afternoon**

**ABERDEEN LIBRARY:**  
2.30am - weaving baskets  
**SCONE LIBRARY:**  
10.30am - storytime

**Upper Hunter Shire  
Swimming Pools**



MERRIWA OLYMPIC POOL	MURRURUNDI & DISTRICT WAR MEMORIAL POOL	SCONE MEMORIAL SWIMMING POOL
<b>PUBLIC &amp; SCHOOL HOLIDAYS</b>	DEC, JAN & FEB	Monday - Friday 6am - 6pm
Monday to Friday: 6.00am - 8.00am & 1.00pm - 6.00pm	Laps - Tues & Thurs: 6.30am - 8.30am General - Monday to Friday: 12 noon - 7pm Saturday & Sunday: 11am - 7pm	Saturday 7am - 6pm
Saturday & Sunday: 1.00pm - 6.00pm	(closed Christmas Day, closing at 6pm on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve)	Sunday & Public Holidays 11am - 6pm
(closed Christmas & New Year's Day)	Phone: 02 6546 6138 or 0412 672 520 contact@murrurundipool.com.au www.murrurundipool.com.au	Phone: 02 6545 1102 Check the Scone Swimming Pools Facebook page to see when the giant inflatable play equipment is in action