

Balwyn Community Centre Inc.

LIFESTYLE PURSUITS

Italian for Beginners

This beginners course will help develop basic conversational Italian and comprehension of the written language.

Monday 7pm – 9pm

Term 1 from 6 Feb \$115 (7 wks)

Term 2 from 16 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

Thursday 7.30pm – 9.30pm

Term 1 from 9 Feb \$135 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 19 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

Italian (Intermediate)

Build on your language skills with more challenging written and oral Italian in this bright and bubbly class.

Friday 10am – 12noon

Term 1 from 10 Feb \$135 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 20 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

Italian (Advanced Conversation)

Challenge yourself by speaking only in Italian for the entire lesson and be amazed at the results.

Friday 1pm – 3pm

Term 1 from 10 Feb \$135 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 20 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

NEW French for Beginners

This beginners course will help develop basic conversational French and comprehension of the written language.

Wednesday 10am – 12noon

Term 1 from 8 Feb \$135 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 18 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

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NEW Spanish for Beginners

This beginners course will provide an introduction to Spanish, help develop basic conversational Spanish and comprehension of the written language, vocabulary and grammar.

Tuesday 7.30pm – 9.30pm

Term 1 from 21 Feb \$100 (6 wks)

Term 2 from 17 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

French Polishing

Join this hands-on group and restore your much loved furniture or special find. No previous experience required.

Wednesday 12.30pm – 3.30pm

Term 1 from 8 Feb \$195 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 18 Apr \$220 (9 wks)

Thursday 12.30pm – 3.30pm

Term 1 from 9 Feb \$195 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 19 Apr \$220 (9 wks)

Thursday 7.30pm – 9.30pm

Term 1 from 9 Feb \$130 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 19 Apr \$149 (9 wks)

Hobby Electronics Workshops

Choose one or more workshops to learn the basics of Electronics and project building. It is perfect for those interested in amateur radio, restoring old radio sets or creating accessories for home or car.

Sunday 1pm – 5pm \$60 per session

Term 1 26 Feb, 18 Mar & 1 Apr

Term 2 22 Apr, 6 May, 3 & 24 June

Upholstery Workshops

Take advantage of these full day workshops to make inroads on your upholstery projects under the skilled supervision of our tutor Amber.

Saturday 10am – 4pm \$70 per session

Term 1 25 Feb & 17 Mar

Term 2 12 May, 9 & 23 June

Upholstery

Learn upholstery techniques each week with Amber and work on your special piece to create something to be treasured.

Tuesday 5pm – 7.30pm

Term 1 from 7 Feb \$185 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 17 Apr \$210 (9 wks)

NEW Gardening Workshops

Practical workshops on how to have a beautiful yet functional and productive garden. For more information and dates, please contact the Centre on 9836 7942

Men in the Kitchen

These hands-on cooking classes offer men the opportunity to learn some cooking fundamentals, create meals with recipes to take home.

Tuesday 7pm – 9.30pm

\$45 per session

Term 1 21 Feb, 28 Feb, 7 & 13 Mar

Term 2 17 Apr, 24 Apr, 1 May,

8 May, 15 May, 22 May, 29 May

& 5 Jun

Wednesday 10.30am – 1pm

\$45 per session

Term 1 22 Feb, 29 Feb & 7 Mar

NEW DeClutter Your Space

Workshops

Learn practical steps to declutter the space around you, prevent it coming back and gain back control in your home or office.

Tuesday 9.30am – 12noon

\$30 per session

Term 1 21 Feb

Term 2 24 Apr

Thursday 7pm – 9.30pm

\$30 per session

Term 1 1 Mar

Term 2 24 May

HOW TO FIND US

Address: 412 Whitehorse Road Surrey Hills 3127 Melways Reference: 46, F8

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February – June 2012 Course Guide

Look what's on...

Balwyn Community Centre Inc. offers a range of courses and activities in a friendly, tranquil garden setting. Our classes are small so that individual attention is offered for all skill levels by our experienced tutors. We also offer professional child care and 3 year old learning program, a range of function room hire options and three plexi-paved tennis courts.

FOR THE CHILDREN

Children's Art

Give your primary school aged child a creative outlet in this small, friendly class where they can draw and paint in a variety of fun ways.

Tuesday 4pm – 5.30pm

Term 1 from 7 Feb \$95 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 17 Apr \$105 (9 wks)

NEW Teen Art

Give your teen a creative outlet in this exciting new art class.

Tuesday 5.45pm – 7.15pm

Term 1 from 7 Feb \$95 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 17 Apr \$105 (9 wks)

Children's Yoga

Help build your child's strength, flexibility and coordination with this Yoga class designed especially for children.

Wednesday 4pm – 5pm

Term 1 from 8 Feb \$88 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 18 Apr \$110 (10 wks)



Children's Pottery

Build creative skills & confidence in our hands-on pottery class for children (Grade 3+). Class cost includes materials. (Small additional cost for firing)

Monday & Tuesday 4.30pm – 6pm

Term 1 from 6 Feb \$125 (8 wks)

Term 2 from 16 Apr \$135 (9 wks)

Child Care

Leave your child in the care of our capable childcare staff for a morning, an afternoon or a whole day. We accept both regular and casual bookings. Child care commences Monday 6th February (term 1) & Monday 16 April (term 2).

Mon & Wed 9am – 12noon

Tue & Thu 9am – 4pm

Fri 9am – 3.30pm

From \$10.50 per hour (\$31.50 per 3

hour block)

Three Year Old Learning Program

This program is specifically for 3 year old children and is designed to meet individual learning and developmental needs. The sessions are run by our qualified childcare staff in a delightful garden setting and fully equipped child care centre. The program follows the school term and bookings & payments are also by the term.

Mon & Wed 12.30pm – 3pm

Both sessions \$42 per week

Term 1 commences Mon 6 Feb

Term 2 commences Mon 16 Apr

Children may also participate in a morning childcare session prior to the 3 year old program, subject to availability.

For bookings and enquiries please call Ros Morrish on 9836 7833.

M.A.D CHILDREN'S COMPANY ENGAGE, CREATE, COMMUNICATE

'Drama Alive' is a program aimed at Primary School children wanting to learn skills in drama.

Starting Monday 6 February 2012 From 4.30pm

For booking enquiries please contact Susan Neilson on 0432 641 307 or visit the website <http://madchildrenscompany.com.au>

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FITNESS & WELLBEING **NEW Body Balance**

Try this new dynamic exercise class that incorporates Tai Chi, Pilates and Yoga to help improve your flexibility and core strength.
Friday 9.30am – 10.30am
Term 1 from 10 Feb \$100 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 20 Apr \$140 (11 wks)

Tai Chi/Qi Gong

Improve your health & vitality in our tranquil garden surrounds with the gentle exercises of Tai Chi combined with Qi Gong breathing techniques.
Tuesday 10.30am – 11.30am
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$100 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$140 (11 wks)

Meditation

Take time out to relieve yourself of the stresses of life; learn to breathe, relax your body and take some time back for yourself.
Monday 10.45am – 11.45am
Term 1 from 6 Feb \$85 (7 wks)
Term 2 from 16 Apr \$125 (10 wks)

Yoga

Join our Hatha Yoga class and get back in touch with your body in this dynamic class incorporating breathing techniques, relaxation and meditation.
Monday 9.30am – 10.30am
Term 1 from 9 Feb \$85 (7 wks)
Term 2 from 19 Apr \$125 (10 wks)

Wednesday 7pm – 8pm & 8.15pm – 9.15pm
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$100 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$125 (10 wks)

Thursday 7pm – 8pm
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$100 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$140 (11 wks)

Exercise Classes

Choose from a dynamic Hi/Low exercise class incorporating aerobics (9.15am) or a Stretch & Strengthen class (10.30am).
Thursday 9.15am – 10.15am & 10.30am – 11.30am
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$88 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$120 (11 wks)

NEW Pilates

Join this new Pilates class to improve your core strength and body tone.
Tuesday 9.15am – 10.15am
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$100 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$140 (11 wks)

NEW Declutter your Mind

Workshops
These workshops will provide practical steps to help you relax, plan, find balance, develop positive habits and learn to focus on what is really important to you.
Tuesday 9.30am – 11.30am
\$25 per session
Term 1 6 Mar
Term 2 22 May
Thursday 7pm – 9pm
\$25 per session
Term 1 16 Mar
Term 2 3 May

NEW Deep River, Daily Life

Workshops
This series of three all day workshops run by Penny Sara will explore ways to restore yourself, gain control of your to-do list and find your own sense of wisdom and purpose.
Sunday 10am – 4pm \$180*
18 Mar, 25 Mar & 1 Apr
*Additional cost of approx \$25 for text book

Walking Group

Put your best foot forward and join our moderate paced walks around the Balwyn area. Mums & bubs in prams welcome.
Every Wednesday
9am – 10am Free

Tennis

Casual tennis court hire is available throughout the week.
Office hours Monday to Fri
9am – 5pm \$15 per hour
Annual memberships of \$150 individual & \$200 family are also available for year round court usage.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

We have a variety of special interest groups that run throughout the week. Each session is \$4.50 plus annual membership.

Bridge

Intermediate to advanced players, duplicate games so partners are required. New players welcome.
Monday evenings (7pm – 11pm)
Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday afternoons (12.15pm - 4pm)

Solo (Experienced players)

Wednesday 7pm – 11pm
& Friday 9am – 12noon

Book Groups

2nd Wednesday of month 1pm – 3pm
3rd Wednesday of month 1pm – 3pm
(C.A.E group)

Scrabble

Monday 12noon – 4.30pm

Decoupage Workgroup

Thursday 10am – 12noon

Tapestry Workgroup

Tuesday 10am – 12noon

Pergamano Workgroup

Tuesday 1pm – 3pm

Community Venture – Vegie swap

Swap the excess from your garden with your neighbours. All produce welcome including herbs, eggs, fruit, vegetables, honey, seedlings, flowers, compost or manure.
3rd Sunday of each month from 9am
15 Jan, 19 Feb, 18 Mar, 15 Apr,
20 May & 17 June

CREATIVE ENDEAVOURS

Botanical Drawing

These classes will develop and challenge your technical drawing skills using living floral subjects.
Wednesday 9.30am – 12noon & 1pm – 3.30pm
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$169 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$169 (8 wks)

Decoupage

Decoupage is the 18th century fine art of composing unrelated paper cut-outs onto painted objects together with special paint effects and varnish. Join this friendly, creative group and amaze yourself at the beautiful things you can create.
Monday 12.30pm – 3pm (Beginners)
Term 1 from 6 Feb \$165 (7 wks)
Term 2 from 16 Apr \$209 (9 wks)

Monday 1pm – 3pm
Term 1 from 6 Feb \$135 (7 wks)
Term 2 from 16 Apr \$169 (9 wks)

Wednesday 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$150 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$169 (9 wks)

Drawing

Develop your creative drawing talents in these friendly classes using a variety of mediums.

Wednesday 10am – 12noon & 7pm – 9pm
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Thursday 10am – 12noon
Term 1 from 9 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 19 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

NEW Drawing & Portraits

Tuesday 10am – 12noon
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Mosaics/Leadlight

Create individual pieces using traditional glass mosaics or tiles, learn to repair leadlight pieces or create new panels/objects using lead and copper foil techniques.
Tuesday 10am – 12noon & 1pm – 3pm
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$125 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$140 (9 wks)

NEW Leadlight

Take this new evening class to learn how to repair your much loved leadlight pieces. No experience necessary
Thursday 7.30pm – 9.30pm
Term 1 from 9 Feb \$125 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 19 Apr \$140 (9 wks)

Pottery/Ceramics

Discover your creative self using clay in our spacious studio. Learn pottery techniques including hand building, wheelwork, slip casting, sculptures, decorating and glazing.
Monday 10am – 12noon & 7pm – 9pm
Term 1 from 6 Feb \$115* (7 wks)
Term 2 from 16 Apr \$149* (9 wks)
*Materials not included

Painting

Choose from a wide variety of painting classes depending upon your choice of mediums;

NEW Contemporary Art

Join this exciting class lead by new tutor, Payam Khajeh and explore the world of contemporary art.
Wednesday 7pm – 9pm
Term 1 from 8 Feb \$115 (7 wks)
Term 2 from 18 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Acrylics

Tuesday 7.30pm – 9.30pm
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Oil Painting

Friday 10am – 12noon & 1pm – 3pm
Term 1 from 10 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 20 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Pastel Painting

Tuesday 1.30pm – 3.30pm
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Painting for Pleasure (mixed mediums)

Tuesday 1pm – 3pm
Term 1 from 7 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 17 Apr \$145 (9 wks)
Thursday 1pm – 3pm
Term 1 from 9 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 19 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Watercolour Painting

Monday 10am – 12noon & 1pm – 3pm
Term 1 from 6 Feb \$115 (7 wks)
Term 2 from 16 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

Thursday 10am – 12noon & 7.30pm – 9.30pm
Term 1 from 9 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 19 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

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Term 1 from 10 Feb \$130 (8 wks)
Term 2 from 20 Apr \$145 (9 wks)

FUNCTION ROOM HIRE

Balwyn Community Centre has a spacious Function Centre set in tranquil gardens. Accommodating up to 100 people it is perfect for birthday celebrations, intimate weddings, seminars and workshops. Smaller rooms are also available. Prices are available upon application.

CENTRE MEMBERSHIP

All Centre users must be a member and are eligible to vote at our annual general meeting. Any member is eligible to join the Committee of Management. The annual \$10 membership is valid to 31 December 2012.

HOW TO ENROL FOR A COURSE

Bookings and payment: (Cash, EFTPOS, cheque or credit card) can be made:
- In person Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm
- Over the phone on 9836 7942
- Email: info@balwyncc.org.au
- Website: www.balwyncc.org.au
Full payment is needed to secure your place in all classes.