



Learning Through Sharing

Programme

Semester Two, 2025



Online enrolments open:

9.30am Tue 22 July to 5pm Mon 28 July

In person enrolments open:

Tue 22 July to Fri 25 July, 9.30am to 2pm

Classes commence: Monday 4 August 2025

Kalamunda Community Learning Centre

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WELCOME TO SEMESTER TWO 2025

Kalamunda Community Learning Centre is a not-for-profit organisation run by volunteers. We share skills, knowledge, and friendship, aiming to build connections and strengthen the community around us. Our organisation is built on a unique model that relies on our members contributing their time and skills to help run the organisation, helping to keep our course costs low and community involvement high.

DATES FOR SEMESTER TWO- 2025

- Term 3 4th August - 26th September
- Term 4 13th October - 5th December

ENROLMENTS CAN BE MADE ONLINE OR IN-PERSON

Please refer to the dates and times on the cover. It is strongly recommended that you enrol online if possible. If you are having trouble enrolling online, please come to the office during Enrolment week and you will be helped to complete your enrolment electronically. We do not accept late enrolments during Administration Week or the first two weeks of the semester.

FEES

A Membership Subscription fee of \$20 for the calendar year is charged for everyone except tutors. Course fees are based on a rate of \$5 per session. Some fees include a levy for the use of resources and several courses have extra costs to be paid in class e.g., kits provided by the tutor, photocopying etc.

CASUAL ENROLMENTS

A casual rate is offered to people who may wish to attend a class on an occasional basis. Members pay \$30 at enrolment and are issued 3 casual tickets. All casual members must present a casual ticket to the Class Secretary at the beginning of each session they attend. Additional casual tickets (\$10 each) are to be purchased from the Learning Centre Reception Desk during office hours (9.30 am - 2.00 pm). Some courses include a resource levy, and these will be charged at enrolment for both the full-time and casual options.

COURSE DETAILS

Course details are correct at the time of printing, but amendments might be made prior to enrolments opening. Please ensure you read all the details online before you enrol.

CLASS ATTENDANCE

Class members must ensure their attendance has been recorded for each session. If, after the first two weeks of a class, you have neither attended nor given your apologies to the Centre, your enrolment in that class may be cancelled. No refund will be given under these circumstances.

WORKGROUP SIGNUPS

We ask members enrolled in full-time courses to register for a Workgroup. There are many tasks available for selection, covering a wide variety of interests, skills, and activity levels. Every person's contribution is valued - we would not be able to offer our classes at such a reasonable rate without our members doing their part in the running of the organisation. Please note: we ask that members register for one Workgroup only, irrespective of how many full-time courses they are enrolled in.

CRECHE

We are currently offering a volunteer led creche Thursday mornings but there are very limited places available with priority given to those who were using it in semester 1. These members will need to register with the creche supervisor (who will have contacted you) and enrol in your full-time course during the enrolment week. New users need to register for the creche and enrol in their own course.

OUR TUTORS

Our tutors are all volunteers who generously give their time and share their skills and knowledge to enhance our community.

TERMS AND CONDITION

When enrolling for courses you will be asked to read and accept the KCLC Terms and Conditions and the Health and Safety requirements. These will be available to be viewed at the checkout. They can also be viewed via our Home Page: "About Us".

IN CONCLUSION

We thank you for your interest in Kalamunda Community Learning Centre and hope you find a course that suits you. We look forward to meeting you at the Learning Centre. **Annie O'Malley, Anne-Marie Botica and John Paskulich** Coordinators

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COURSE TIME

MONDAY AM



CALLIGRAPHY SKILLS AND PROJECTS - SEMESTER 2

Description: This semester we explore Lombardic, illuminated letters and decorative lettering, and extend Foundational and Italics hands from first semester. A beginners' program is available.

Requirements: See 'Further Details' for a detailed list of requirements for semester 2.

Tutor: Janelle Macgregor

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & Time: Monday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



SCRAP TO SCULPTURE - SEMESTER 2

Description: You will make fun indoor and outdoor sculptures using many found objects and recycled materials with some new components. **NB** We do not normally make sculptures using clay or stone.

Requirements: Protective eyewear and enclosed shoes, some projects might also require a dust mask. A creative mind and basic handyperson skills (e.g. using a drill etc). You don't have to be an expert - just be prepared to give it a go. See Further Details for Health and Safety requirements.

Tutor: Marilyn Harries

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & Time: Monday 9.30 -11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



KNITTING AND CROCHET WORKSHOP AM - SEMESTER 2

Description: A workshop for those experienced in the arts of knitting or crocheting. Class members work on their own projects while encouraging one another, sharing their skills and enjoying the company as they crochet, knit and natter. **No beginners please.**

Facilitator: Alida Jansen

Duration: 14 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & Time: Monday 9.45- 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00

MONDAY PM



CHESS: BEGINNERS TO ADVANCED - SEMESTER 2

Description: Chess is an ideal way to keep the mind active. It is the most-played board game in the world and is enjoyed by men and women of all ages. This course is open to complete beginners as well as advanced players.

Requirements: Chess boards will be provided, but you are also welcome to bring your own board, smartphone, iPad or laptop to play on.

Tutor: Steve Keeling

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & time: Monday 12.45 - 2.15 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



OIL PAINTING BEGINNERS TO ADVANCED - SEMESTER 2

Description: Classical and modern techniques of oil painting.

Requirements: Materials & equipment needed - oil paints, canvas, cleaning equipment, good brushes. For a full list of requirements see Further Details. Cost approximately \$100.

Tutor: Nisa Lourvanij

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & Time: Monday 12.15 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



GAMES CLUB - SEMESTER 2

Description: Fun and games for all! Join us in playing board games and family card games for enjoyment. Scrabble and Scrabble Trickster, UNO and UNO Flip often feature. As well as these popular games, members are invited to bring other games for the group to learn.

Requirements List. The games mentioned above are available ready to play. Members may bring other games to play in the group if they choose.

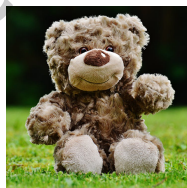
Facilitator: Bart Horne

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & Time: Monday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



TEDDY BEAR CIRCLE - SEMESTER 2

Description: Have fun while making a teddy with jointed arms and legs. Patterns are provided and class members purchase their own fabrics. During the first session new members have the opportunity to look through the books to select a pattern and are given general insight into the skills they will develop. In subsequent weeks they bring in their fabric and are given friendly instruction and advice. Class members all work on their own projects while enjoying a chat and sharing their skills.

Requirements: Basic sewing kit. Cost approx \$25.00

Facilitator: Katie Fairweather

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 4th August 2025

Day & Time: Monday 12.45 - 2:45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00

TUESDAY AM



CANASTA - SEMESTER 2

Description: A morning of fun and companionship. Canasta is a card game of the rummy family of games.

Tutor: Maxine Lorraine

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 5th August 2025

Day & Time: Tuesday 9.15 - 11:45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



TAI CHI CONTINUING - TUESDAY - SEMESTER 2

Description: This class serves to strengthen our Tai Chi/Qigong skills by repeating the basics. Continuing students will assist beginners by performing at a higher level during the class. Casual enrolments are accepted and late enrolments from members transferring from other sessions will be permitted. **No beginners please.**

Requirements: Participants **must have completed the KCLC Beginners' class.** Continuing participants are encouraged to wear our KCLC Tai Chi 'uniform'.

Tutors: Mike and Ranee Jefferson

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 5th August 2025

Day & time: Tuesday 9.15 - 10.50 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



TUESDAY MORNING ART GROUP - SEMESTER 2

Description: For beginners and experienced painters & sketchers. See Further Details for more information.

Requirements: Own art material. Beginners bring pencils and drawing pad.

Tutor: Mavis Paskulich

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 5th August 2025

Day & Time: Tuesday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00

TUESDAY PM



BOTANICAL DYEING ADVANCED WORKSHOP - SEMESTER 2

Description: This advanced workshop is for members who are already experienced in the art of botanical dyeing. NB - this course has been cancelled for term 3 but will continue in term 4.

Requirements: Members should have completed the beginners' course or have experience from elsewhere. Please bring along materials for your own projects.

Facilitator: Rosemary Hamersley

Duration: 8 weeks

Start Date: 14th October 2025

Day & Time: Tuesday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$35.00 - \$45.00



SING YOUR HEART OUT - SEMESTER 2

Description: Choirs are fabulous for people - body, mind and spirit. SYHO isn't a choir exactly, but an opportunity to let out your natural voice and feel heaps better for it. We sing songs from around the world and in many different styles - songs that lend themselves to harmony in three or four parts. All ages and voices welcome. No need to read music and no auditions!

Requirements: File for song sheets and water. A small fee is charged each semester to cover photocopying costs.

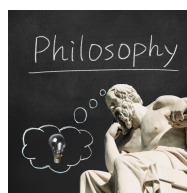
Tutor: Jo Randell

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 5th August 2025

Day & Time: Tuesday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



PHILOSOPHY DISCUSSION GROUP - SEMESTER 2

Description: Reading and discussion on papers and articles presented by the tutor. Students share the reading of commentaries on philosophical topics and writers who range from the great Greeks, Plato and Aristotle to the more current moderns such as Roger Scruton and Bertrand Russell.

Requirements: An open mind!

Tutor: Gerard Tonks

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 5th August 2025

Day & Time: Tuesday 12.45 pm - 2:45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00

WEDNESDAY AM



PAINTING WORKSHOP AM - SEMESTER 2

Description: A venue to paint with like-minded artists in a mutual self-help environment. Artists using any medium are welcome; oil, acrylic, watercolour, pencil or pastel. Artists, current and aspiring, experienced or not are all welcome. Participants can also enrol in the afternoon session for a whole day experience.

Requirements: Your own painting materials.

Facilitator: Andrea McGellin

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



TAI CHI CONTINUING - WEDNESDAY - SEMESTER 2

Description: For advanced and recent graduates. This class continues our growth in Tai Chi/Qigong skills with new exercises and the full Set of Tai Chi. This will continue to improve our breathing, balance and relaxed wellbeing. Preference is given to continuing class members. No beginners please.

Requirements: Participants must have completed a minimum 16 weeks of Tai Chi practice with KCLC.

Tutors: Mike and Ranee Jefferson

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 9.00 - 10.35 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



SILVERSMITHING WORKSHOP AM - SEMESTER 2

Description: Working on your own projects. Aimed at people who know their craft but don't have specific tools (mills etc) and need a place to work. The fee includes a \$15 levy for the use of the Centre resources . **No beginners.**

Requirements: Sheets/wires of copper/silver/gold, etc. See Further Details for Health and Safety information.

Facilitators: Judith Sumich

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$45.00 - ~~\$95.00~~ \$48.00

WEDNESDAY PM



CRYPTIC CROSSWORDS BEGINNERS - SEMESTER 2

Description: Ever wondered what all those funny clues to a Cryptic Crossword meant? Well, this is your chance to find out.

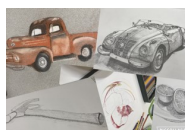
Tutors: Elaine Giggins

Duration: 8 weeks fortnightly

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$20.00 - ~~\$40.00~~ \$30.00



DRAWING (GENERAL AND LIFE) - SEMESTER 2

Description: This course is designed for those with some experience in drawing. It consists of alternating life drawing sessions (with a nude model) and general drawing classes where we will concentrate on the skills needed for the life classes. We will cover all aspects of drawing such as line, tone, form, composition, and perspective, as well as the specific aspects of the figure. Students are encouraged to use a variety of mediums and will receive individual tutoring.

Requirements: A variety of mediums and papers will be required. See Further Details for a suggested list.

Tutor: David Thornton

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: ~~\$120.00~~ \$60.00



PAINTING WORKSHOP PM - SEMESTER 2

Description: A venue to paint with like-minded artists in a mutual self-help environment. Artists current and aspiring, experienced or not, using any medium; oil, acrylic, watercolour, pencil, pastel or collage are welcome. Students will be encouraged to experiment with different mediums and explore their natural expression. Participants can also enrol in the morning session for a whole day experience. **Requirements:** Your own painting materials and a table-top easel is suggested.

Facilitator: Steve Keeling

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



SILVERSMITHING WORKSHOP PM - SEMESTER 2

Description: Working on your own projects. Aimed at people who know their craft but don't have specific tools (mills etc) and need guidance and a place to work. The fee includes a levy of \$15 for the use of the Centre resources. **No beginners please.**

Requirements: Sheets/wires of copper/silver/gold, etc. See Further Details for Health and Safety information.

Facilitator Fadwa Abdallah

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 6th August 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$45.00 - ~~\$95.00~~ \$48.00

WEDNESDAY EVENING



POSITIVE PARENTING (TERM 4) - SEMESTER 2

Description: Positive parenting is an educational course tailored to empower parents with the tools and knowledge needed to foster meaningful connections with their children. By focusing on understanding the underlying reasons behind children's behaviour, this approach helps parents respond with empathy and patience rather than frustration or punishment. The course emphasises research-based techniques and strategies that promote healthy communication, mutual respect, and emotional well-being within the family. Please see **Further Details** for more information. **Requirements:** Notebook if you wish to take notes.

Tutor: Kathrine Morisco

Duration: 8 weeks (term 4)

Start Date: 15th October 2025

Day & Time: Wednesday 6.30 - 8.30pm

Price: \$40.00

Term 4 commences 13th October

THURSDAY AM



EXIT STAGE LEFT (TERM 4) - SEMESTER 2

Description: Of all the experiences we share, two universal events bookend our lives. We were all born and we will all die. We don't have a choice in how we enter the world but we can have a say in how we leave it. In order to die well we must be prepared to contemplate our mortality and to broach it with our loved ones, who are often called upon to make important decisions on our behalf. These are some of the most important conversations we can have with each other - to find peace, kindness and gratitude for what has gone before and acceptance of what is to come.

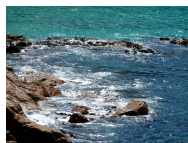
Tutor: Faye Smith

Duration: 8 weeks (term 4)

Start Date: 16th October 2025

Day & Time: Thursday 9.45 - 11.45 AM

Price: \$40.00



THE ECLECTIC SCIENTIST - SEMESTER 2

Description: The environment has many challenges. Eclecticism is a conceptual approach, with NO underlying assumptions, but makes use of any framework to gain insights into what is happening. This course will contemplate and examine a different environmental issue each week; success stories of rehabilitation and why; latest from world of science, impact of climate issues/environmental degradation on health & well-being, our responsibility to future generations.

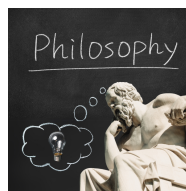
Tutor: Dr Marilyn Bennet-Chambers

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 7th August 2025

Day & time: Thursday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



PHILOSOPHY CIRCLE - SEMESTER 2

Description: No previous experience is needed, just an open mind and the ability to listen to criticism and strange opinions, which may clash with your own. We run a facilitated discussion on a large array of philosophical subjects. Although often exploring the lives and work of particular philosophers and following a bit of a theme through the term, this is not a structured philosophy course. Participants hopefully learn something new every week. Note that current affairs and politics are well covered in other KCLC offerings so are off our agenda.

Tutor: Brian Jones

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 7th August 2025

Day & Time: Thursday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00

THURSDAY PM



INTRODUCTION TO EXPLORING FIBRE ART: SILK PAINTING (TERM 4) - SEMESTER 2

Description: An introduction to the basics of Silk Painting.

Requirements: A basic kit will be provided including silk samples to work on, and an embroidery frame. Gutta and some dyes will also be provided. A \$5 levy is included in the course fee to cover this cost. You will need to bring an apron, gloves, paint brushes and palettes.

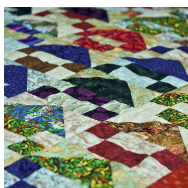
Tutor: Mavis Paskulich

Duration: 4 weeks

Start Date: 16th October 2025

Day & Time: Thursday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$25.00



PATCHWORK PM - SEMESTER 2

Description: For experienced patchworkers only please, beginners should enrol in the morning session. Students may also enrol in the morning session for a full-day workshop.

Requirements: Bring sewing equipment, (machines welcome - these must be electrically tested and tagged) and your own project.

Facilitators: Prue Linge and Tracey Radford

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 7th August 2025

Day & Time: Thursday 12.45 pm - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - \$80.00 \$40.00



INTRODUCTION TO EXPLORING FIBRE ART: WOOL FELTING (TERM 4) - SEMESTER 2

Description: An Introduction to the basics of Wet and Dry Felting.

Requirements: Wool samples to felt will be provided. You will need to bring felting mat, felting tool, soap, netting and towels. Please see Further Details for a fuller explanation.

A \$5 levy is included in the course cost for other expenses.

Tutor: Mavis Paskulich

Duration: 4 weeks

Start Date: 13th November 2025

Day & Time: Thursday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$25.00



TABLE TENNIS - SEMESTER 2

Description: We play for fun so everyone welcome. Some experience needed.

Requirements: Knowledge of the rules. All equipment supplied.

Facilitator: Isobel Venus

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 7th August 2025

Day & Time: Thursday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - \$80.00 \$40.00

FRIDAY AM



AMAZING SCIENCE - WITHOUT THE MATHS (TERM 4) - SEMESTER 2

Description: Each week, we'll look at a different topic and delve into lesser-known facts and interesting aspects of each, but without the maths and equations. Everyone knows at least something about each of the topics, but we'll dig a bit deeper to uncover some amazing facts and details. Please see **Further Details** for course outline. **This is a repeat of the course offered in term 1.**

Requirements: No more than a curious mind! No scientific training or education needed.

Tutor: Mike Barlow

Duration: 8 weeks (term 4)

Start Date: 17th October 2025

Day & Time: Friday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$40.00

MOSAICS WORKSHOP - SEMESTER 2

Description: This workshop is for those members who are experienced mosaicers and crafters who would like to make use of the excellent facilities at the Kalamunda Community Centre craft room. Workshop members will need to be able to work on their own projects without supervision and bring in all their own materials and tools. **No beginners please** (see Further Details)

Requirements: Protective eyewear and enclosed shoes. See Further Details for Work Health and Safety information.

Facilitator: Barbara Smith

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 8th August 2025

Day & time: Friday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



DRESSMAKING FOR PLEASURE AM- SEMESTER 2

Description: A course for people who know how to sew to work on their own projects with like-minded people, sharing their knowledge, and helping each other if needed. There is no tutoring but members will assist each other under the encouragement of the facilitator. No beginners please. For a full day workshop you can also enrol in the afternoon session.

Requirements: Your own sewing machine and/or overlocker (must be tested and tagged), own patterns, materials and sewing equipment.

Facilitator: Cherie Reffell

Duration: 16 weeks

Start date: 8th August 2025

Day & Time: Friday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$80.00 ~~\$40.00~~

OIL PAINTING WORKSHOP FRIDAY AM - SEMESTER 2

Description: This workshop is for those who are experienced in the art of oil painting and would like to join others as they share their passion, experience and expertise under the guidance of the tutor. Members can also enrol in the afternoon session for a whole-day workshop. No beginners please.

Tutor: Wendy Salter

Duration: 16 weeks

Start date: 8th August 2025

Day & time: Friday 9.45 - 11.45 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



TAI CHI ADVANCED - FRIDAY - SEMESTER 2

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Requirements: Participants must have completed at least two years with KCLC and have reasonable competency with the Set. Refer to Further Details for full requirements.

Tutors: Mike and Ranee Jefferson

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 8th August 2025

Day & Time: Friday 9.15 - 10.50 am

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00

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Facilitator: Cherie Reffell

Duration: 16 weeks

Start date: 8th August 2025

Day & Time: Friday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



PROJECTS IN PROGRESS WORKSHOP - SEMESTER 2

Description: If you have outstanding projects – embroidery, sewing, craft etc. come and finish them in the company of friends.

Facilitators: Mary Kowalski and Bridget Hogarth

Duration: 16 weeks

Start Date: 8th August 2025

Day & Time: Friday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00



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Facilitator: Lyn Dickson

Duration: 16 weeks

Start date: 8th August 2025

Day & time: Friday 12.45 - 2.45 pm

Price: \$30.00 - ~~\$80.00~~ \$40.00