### JANUARY 2016
School Holiday Activities for Children and Young People in Bankstown

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<td>Bankstown City Council</td>
<td><strong>BUS TO BEACH</strong>&lt;br&gt;Over 2 weeks, Council is offering a free bus service to transport residents from Bankstown to Cronulla beach to enjoy a day of fun in the sun.&lt;br&gt;All buses depart Cronulla Beach at 3:00pm SHARP.&lt;br&gt;For pick up points and times visit <a href="http://www.bankstown.nsw.gov.au">www.bankstown.nsw.gov.au</a></td>
<td>12-24 years&lt;br&gt;Children and Families welcome as well</td>
<td>Tuesdays and Thursdays, 12, 14, 19, 21 January</td>
<td>Bus departs Bankstown LGA from multiple locations.&lt;br&gt;For pick up points and times visit <a href="http://www.bankstown.nsw.gov.au">www.bankstown.nsw.gov.au</a>&lt;br&gt;<strong>Bookings are not required; the program operates on a 'first come, first served' basis.</strong></td>
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<td><strong>FREE YOUTH SURFING PROGRAM</strong>&lt;br&gt;Join us at Bankstown’s Free youth surfing program and spend the day with professional coaches to learn how to surf!&lt;br&gt;Free lunch is included, registrations are essential as spots are limited.</td>
<td>12-18 years</td>
<td>Tuesday 12 January 2016</td>
<td>Meet at 69 The Mall, Bankstown at 9:15am to catch the bus to Cronulla Beach return.&lt;br&gt;All participants must accompany Council staff on the bus to and from Cronulla Beach.</td>
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<td><strong>EVERYONE BELONGS PICNIC DAY</strong>&lt;br&gt;Enjoy a day out with the family: Activities include face painting, treasure hunts, free photo booth, healthy snacks and games.</td>
<td>Children and families</td>
<td>Thursday 21 January 2-6pm</td>
<td><strong>FREE</strong>&lt;br&gt;Campbell Hill Pioneer Reserve, Chester Hill</td>
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| Bankstown City Council              | **THE BIG BLUE BASH YOUTH DANCE PARTY**  
Fundraising money to support beyondblue. For gold coin donations, youth can also receive a sausage sizzle, cakes, glow sticks, airbrush tattoos and a photo in our photo booth. | 15-24 | Friday 15 January 6:30-11pm. Doors open at 6pm | $5 entry at the door. Ticket includes a free drink  
Bankstown PCYC, 55 Meredith St, Bankstown |
| Bankstown City Council              | **VOLUNTEERING FOR MEALS ON WHEELS**  
Enjoy morning tea with other volunteers before heading out to deliver meals to elderly residents. Volunteers will be paired together and are not required to drive. | 12+ | Monday-Fridays 10:30am-12:30pm                | Greenacre Senior Citizens Centre  
101 Waterloo Rd, Greenacre  
Free  
Bookings required -                        |
| Bankstown City Council              | **SAFER DRIVERS COURSE**  
The Safer Drivers Course is a Roads and Maritime Services initiative which combines theoretical and practical skills for learner drivers under 25 years old who have completed 50 log book hours.  
* Learner Drivers who complete the course will receive 20 hours of Logbook credit. | 16-25 | Thursday 14 January 9:30am-12:30pm            | $40  
Bankstown PCYC, 55 Meredith St, Bankstown  
* To attend this program you must be on your Ls, completed 50 log book driving hours and be under 25. Registration essential and your spot is only confirmed once payment has been received. |
| Youth Off The Streets, Bankstown Outreach | **Aquatic Centre @Olympic Park**  
|                                                                                  | 12-21 | Wednesday 6 January                           | FREE  
Meet at Youth Off The Streets                   |
| 97961193 Mohamedf@youthoffthestreets.com.au | • 10 spots available please register to attend and bring your swimmers!  
• Spend the day at the famous Sydney Olympic Park Aquatic Centre | 10am -4pm | Bankstown Outreach Office  
1 West Terrace, Bankstown NSW 2200 |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach  
97961193 Mohamedf@youthoffthestreets.com.au | Beach Volleyball @Maroubra  
• 10 spots available please register to attend and bring your swimmers!  
• Spend the day at the beach playing volleyball or going for a swim. Lunch is included | 12-21 years | Friday 8 January 9am -5pm  
FREE  
Meet at Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach Office  
1 West Terrace, Bankstown NSW 2200 |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach  
97961193 Mohamedf@youthoffthestreets.com.au | Mind Over Matter Day Trip  
• Mind Over Matter is a comprehensive program providing young people with education workshops, activities, excursions and a support network in order to improve health and wellbeing and connect them with community services and opportunities.  
• The Program offers:  
FREE boxing sessions from professionals and famous boxers  
Life skills workshops which provide support for young people | 12-21 years | Every Mondays during school term  
Day trip for those young people that have attended the program from 9-5pm (includes sport and team building activities)  
FREE  
Mind Over Matter will run all year round. The program is held every week on Monday from 3:00pm to 4:30pm at Bankstown PCYC, 55 Meredith St, Bankstown  
Free meals provided after every session |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach | Bankstown Outreach program  
• Our outreach BBQ’s and activities | 12-21 years | Every Tuesdays | FREE  
Paul Keating Park |
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| 02 9796 1193 | BankstownOutreach@youthoffthestreets.com.au | Create an environment where family and community participation is encouraged and welcomed. Come share a BBQ, make new friends, meet our team and get involved.  
- **Major Activities:**  
  Outreach BBQ's  
  Sport and recreational activities  
  Arts and Crafts  
  Music and Dance  
  Individual advocacy support  
  Assistance with referral to other services.  
  but open to families and friends  
  and Thursdays all year around 5pm -9pm  
  The Mall, Bankstown CBD |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach | bankstownoutreach@youthoffthestreets.com.au 9796 1193 | Free Camp @Woombaroo  
- Camp Woombaroo is the perfect place for your child or teen to experience an adventure during the school holidays. With a huge range of activities and fantastic staff, the Day Holiday Adventure Camps offer something new, challenging and fun for all!  
- 20 spots available please register to attend the camp  
  12-21 years  
  13 - 15 January  
  FREE!  
  Camp Woombaroo  
  Black Spring Rd,  
  High Range NSW 2575  
  Meet 8:00am, 13 January at Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach Office  
  1 West Terrace,  
  Bankstown NSW 2200  
  Return 5:00pm, 15 January |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach | Mohamedf@youthoffthestreets | Bush Walking & Swimming Hole @ Sassafras  
- This is an enjoyable walk through the valleys joining Faulconbridge  
  12-21 years  
  18 January  
  8am-4pm  
  FREE  
  Meet at Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach Office  
  1 West Terrace, Bankstown NSW |
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| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach           | and Springwood. Using the Victory and Sassafras Gully tracks, the walk stays close to water as it descends into the valley, returning up through the changing vegetation.  
- 10 spots available please register to attend and bring your swimmers! | 12-21 years | 20 January 9am-5pm    | FREE  
Meet at Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach Office  
1 West Terrace, Bankstown NSW 2200 |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach           | Tree Top Adventure Day & Swimming @Yarramundi  
- Learn to see each other in a new light. Tree-top adventures are a brilliant self-confidence boosting exercise especially with the progression from easy to hard challenges, and they present a great opportunity to learn how to encourage colleague through difficult situations and build lasting trust.  
- 10 spots available please register to attend | 12-21 years | 22 January 9am-5pm    | FREE  
Meet at Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach Office  
1 West Terrace, Bankstown NSW 2200 |
| Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach           | Kayaking @The Minnamurra River  
- The Minnamurra River located 15 kilometres south of Wollongong is an ideal location for a half day kayak outing.  
- 10 spots available please register to attend | 12-21 years | 22 January 9am-5pm    | FREE  
Meet at Youth Off The Streets Bankstown Outreach Office  
1 West Terrace, Bankstown NSW 2200  
Registrations are essential! |
| Chester Hill Neighbourhood Centre – Roundabout Youth | Surfing Program  
RYC has reserved places for | 12-18 years | Tuesday, 12th January | Cost: $10.00 for registration. |
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<th>Bankstown's Youth Surfing Program. Youth will have the chance to spend the day with professional coaches and learn how to surf! A free lunch is included. <strong>Limited places. Bookings are essential.</strong></th>
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<td>Dillon Barnett – Youth Project Officer</td>
<td><strong>Meeting place:</strong> Roundabout Youth Centre, 104 Carlingford Street, Sefton. <strong>Travel:</strong> By bus provided by Council to and from Cronulla <strong>Time:</strong> 8:45am – 4:00pm Bus leaving RYC at 9:00am sharp.</td>
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<td>9644 9436</td>
<td><strong>Drop In</strong> Youth will have a chance to hang out with fellow youth and play various games &amp; activities that will be facilitated by RYC staff such as pool (either kelly pool or snooker), roller skating, wii, basketball and indoor bowling. A free lunch is included. <strong>Limited places. Bookings are essential.</strong></td>
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<td><a href="mailto:ryc@chnc.net.au">ryc@chnc.net.au</a></td>
<td><strong>Cost:</strong> FREE <strong>Place:</strong> Roundabout Youth Centre, 104 Carlingford Street, Sefton. <strong>Time:</strong> 10:00am – 2:00pm</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.chnc.org.au">www.chnc.org.au</a></td>
<td><strong>Youth Cooking Day</strong> Youth will have the chance to prepare, explore and cook various meals. This activity will give youth a chance to build their skills in regards to healthy eating, cooking and knowledge of nutrition. Limited places. Bookings are essential.</td>
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