



## News from One Community Together (OCT)'s 26TEN Clarence Plains Community

#### **Dates for the Calendar:**

8 June: 26TEN Glebe Hill Pop Up: 9-3pm

17th June: Stories After Dark: Hobart Library 5-9pm

6 September: Indigenous Literacy Day 1-8<sup>th</sup> September: Adult Learners Week

25 October: 26TEN Day (26th of October is Show Day 2023)



We are very excited to announce that *Lutruwita Love Stories* hits the stores this week! This collection of stories about connection, culture and sharing comes from the people who live, love, work and walk in Clarence Plains. You can now buy your own copy for \$24.99 from Fullers, Dymocks, The Hobart Bookshop and Bellerive Post Office. If you have contributed a story to the book, please pick up your copy from the Clarence Plains Child and Family Learning Centre.



**Story Stones** Come to Rokeby and Clarendon Vale Neighbourhood Centres, the Grace Centre and the Child and Family Learning Centre to write "What stories mean to me" on a stone. These will be added to the <u>Stories After Dark</u> installation at Dark Mofo on Saturday 17 June.

### Glebe Hill Pop up

Next Thursday 8th June Kate, our 26TEN Community Coordinator will be at Glebe Hill Shopping Centre letting people know about 26TEN and the support that is available to community members in Clarence Plains.

## **Adult Learning**

## **26TEN at Clarence Plains Neighbourhood Centres**

Reading, writing and maths help and English Conversation sessions are available for community members at the Clarence Plains Child and Family Learning Centre and at Clarendon Vale and Rokeby Neighbourhood Centres! Call Kate on 0401 931 335 if you know someone who might need support.

## Reading Café - Rokeby Neighbourhood Centre 11.30am-12.30pm Tuesdays

Come along for a coffee and some delicious treats, connect with others, do some reading and take a book home.

# **English Conversation Group: Clarence Plains Child and Family Learning Centre: 11-12.00 Mondays**

Our wonderful 26TEN volunteers are on hand to help members of the community with English as an additional language practice their spoken English. Our tutors are also available for one-to-one sessions with learners if that is preferred.

#### **Upcoming Training**

#### CHC22015 Certificate II in Community Services

Back by popular demand! This FREE course is open to everyone. If you are the parent of a child/children aged 0-5 years of age adjunct childcare will be available. There is an info session available Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June at 10-11am, at the Clarence Plains Child and Family Learning Centre.

## **Family Literacy**

#### Literacy facts: Read Read Read to your kids!

"...shared storybook reading plays an important role in the development of language skills in both preschoolers and school-aged children."

Canadian Council on Learning. (2006, February 01). How parents foster early literacy. http://en.copian.ca/library/research/ccl/lessons\_learning/how\_parents\_foster/how\_parents\_foster.pdf

## **26TEN Workshops**

Literacy Awareness Workshops explain the community need for support with reading writing and maths and why this has become a problem for so many Tasmanians. There are lots of opportunities for movement and discussion in this interactive workshop. Call or email Kate to organise a workshop.

*Plain English Workshops* outline how important it is to create written information that is accessible to everyone. This is a hands-on workshop and a real eye opener for those using the written word as part of their day-to-day work. Call Christina at 26TEN on **1300 00 2610** for details of upcoming workshops.

## Watch This Space

## Reading Café Rokeby Neighbourhood Centre 2.00-3.00pm Tuesdays

Come along before and after school pick up for a coffee and some delicious treats, connect with others, do some reading and take a book home. Adults and kids books available.

## Reading Café Clarendon Vale Neighbourhood Centre 2.30pm Thursdays

As soon as the CVNC renovations are complete, come along for a coffee and some treats, do some reading and take a book home!