



Summer/Autumn

activity guide

2026

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 Nhill Learning Centre

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Risotto and arancini

workshop with Lachie

Join Lachie for a delicious hands-on cooking class where you'll master silky, authentic risotto and turn leftovers into golden, crispy arancini. Learn essential techniques, flavour-building tips, and kitchen secrets to create Italian comfort food at its best.

Perfect for beginners and food lovers of all kinds. All ingredients provided – come cook, taste, and enjoy!

When: Tuesday 17 & Tuesday 24 February
Time: 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Where: NNHLC, 80 Macpherson Street, Nhill
Fee: \$45 per person



Figurative oil painting

workshop with Angela

Develop your understanding of the human form through structured instruction in drawing, composition, and oil-painting techniques. Under Angela's guidance, participants will refine observational skills, explore colour harmony, and create a resolved figurative painting.

Suitable for beginners and intermediate artists. All materials provided.

When: Saturday 28 February
Time: 10.00am – 3.00pm
Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill
Fee: \$95 per person



Mosaics: Art to Art Therapy

workshop with Jodie

Enjoy a relaxed, hands-on mosaic workshop with Jodie from *Art to Art Therapy*. Learn mosaic techniques, explore colour and texture, and create your own unique wall hanging or house number. Perfect for beginners, this workshop includes all materials and guided instruction. Bring an image for inspiration or an A4 or A3 photocopy from a colouring book to use as your design. You'll learn direct and indirect mosaic methods, how to cut and shape tiles, and how to create depth and interest using a range of ceramic tiles. Your artwork will be suitable for indoor or outdoor display. All materials provided, including tiles and grout, so you can complete your masterpiece at home.

When: Sunday 1 March
Time: 10.00am – 4.00pm
Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill
Fee: \$175 per person



Crochet: Create a dots n' daisies cosy pouch

beginners workshop with Rae

Join Rae for a fun, hands-on crochet workshop where you'll learn the skills to make your very own personalised Cosy Pouch. Over four sessions, learn three basic crochet stitches, create granny squares and produce your creative Cosy pouch for all your crochet tools! Rae will guide you through techniques, patterns, and finishing touches so you can create a unique handmade keepsake. All materials provided.

When: Wednesday 4, 11, 18 & 25 March
Time: 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Where: NNHLC, 80 Macpherson Street, Nhill
Fee: \$85 per person, includes \$30 tool kit

Note: Previous students with existing kit, please contact for information and costings.



Pilates: Bee connected session

with Kelly

Join us for an afternoon designed to nurture your wellbeing and find your balance with Balanced Bee'ing. Enjoy 45 minutes of pilates to strengthen your body, 15 minutes of mindful stretching followed by 10 minutes of meditation to help you feel grounded and restored.

Includes session and gift bag with nourishing treats. A bee-utiful way to restore balanced mindfully. Afterwards option to stay and connect with everyone and enjoy your healthy treat!

When: Sunday 15 March
Time: 4.00pm
Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill
Fee: \$30 per person

Register with Kelly on 0437 894 257



Basic drawing and sketching

workshop with Kim

Led by Kim, our local artist, this workshop offers a structured introduction to foundational drawing skills. Participants will learn key techniques including line, proportion, shading, and composition through guided exercises and demonstrations.

Designed for beginners, the workshop builds confidence in observational drawing and provides a strong basis for further artistic development. All essential materials are provided.

When: Tuesday 17 & Tuesday 24 March
Time: 6.00pm – 8.30pm
Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill
Fee: \$40 per person



Dried flower wall feature

workshop with Rhiannon

Join local florist Rhiannon for a hands-on creative workshop where you'll design and assemble your own dried flower wall feature. Learn floral styling techniques, colour coordination, and tips for arranging and securing blooms to create a beautiful, long-lasting decoration to beautify your home. Perfect for beginners and flower enthusiasts alike. All materials and flowers provided.

When: Saturday 21 March
Time: 1.00pm – 5.00pm
Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill
Fee: \$70 per person



Summer harvest preserving

workshop with Chris

Learn how to capture the flavours of summer and enjoy them year-round in this hands-on preserving workshop. Participants will explore practical, beginner-friendly methods for preserving seasonal fruits and vegetables, including freezing, pickling, stewing, canning and drying. We'll cover essential food safety guidelines, equipment basics, and tips for selecting peak produce. You'll leave with step-by-step knowledge, tested recipes, and the confidence to preserve your own harvest at home.

Perfect for gardeners and anyone who wants to reduce food waste and savour summer all year long.

When: Saturday 28 March
Time: 1.00pm – 5.00pm
Where: NNHLC, 80 Macpherson Street, Nhill
Fee: \$45 per person



Introduction to permaculture vegetable gardening

soil, compost & seeds with Carolyn

Grow healthier, more productive vegetables with Carolyn, our permaculture expert. In this inspiring beginner-friendly workshop, you'll learn how to build fertile soil, make great compost, and grow strong plants from seed—setting your garden up for success and bigger harvests from day one.

Perfect for anyone ready to grow their own food with confidence. All materials provided and seeds will be available for purchase.

When: Saturday 29 March

Time: 11.00am – 4.00pm

Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill

Fee: \$60 per person

Note: Please bring your own lunch.



Provide CPR (HLTAID009)

Participants will develop basic level life support skills to confidently initiate resuscitation procedures in emergency situations.

When: March/April date to be confirmed or Friday 15 May or Friday 12 June

Time: 9.00am – 11.00am

Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill

Fee: \$100 per person



Provide First Aid (HLTAID011)

This course includes Provide CPR (HLTAID009)

This course provides the skills and knowledge required to provide first aid response, life support, management of casualties and identify risks on site until the arrival of medical assistance.

When: March/April date to be confirmed or Friday 15 May or Friday 12 June

Time: 9.00pm – 3.00pm

Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill

Fee: \$200 per person



MJ Nhill Fitness

A variety of fitness classes available.

When: Monday 2 March, then every Monday

Time: 9.00am – group sessions
10.15am – mature movers (over 60 age group)

Venue: The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill

Contact Margaret direct for bookings on 0427 928 203 and follow MJ Nhill Fitness on Facebook and Instagram.

Art with Kim

Join Kim for a monthly art group, informal artist get together – meets every second Tuesday of each month at The Patch, 9 Clarence Street, Nhill.



To book online visit: <https://socialplanet.com.au/at/nhill-learning-centre>
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Office hours

Mon to Thurs: 9.00am – 3.30pm

Friday: Closed

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