



## MERRY CHRISTMAS

**BELLO YOUTH HUB**

**SUMMER HOLIDAY  
CLOSING TIMES**

WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER -  
MONDAY 15TH JANUARY 2024

We are OPEN on

Tuesday 16th January: 9am-5pm  
Wednesday 17th January: 9am-5pm  
Thursday 18th January: 9am-5pm  
Friday 19th January: 9am-5pm

Summer Holiday Program will be  
posted shortly

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

Thursday 7th December 10am - 12 noon  
@ Urunga Neighbourhood Centre

**Children's  
Christmas Party!**

**URUNGA**

Messy Art & Crazy Balloons

One for the kids!  
(0-5yrs) Enjoy 'Messy Art'  
with Caitlin & 'Balloon  
twisting' with Rai, morning  
tea and other fun!

**MESSY  
ART**

**HooRai Balloons**

Bringing MESSY ART & HooRai Balloons to Urunga for a  
special Christmas treat for Children 0-5years!!

Messy art and sensory play is a great way for kids to explore  
their creativity, strengthen fine motor skills and try new  
things. Giving children the chance to explore and investigate  
through their senses is crucial to brain development as it  
helps build nerve connections to the brains pathways.

HooRai provides an interactive show style of entertainment  
where children can all learn how to make a simple balloon  
animal. The show is entertaining and confidence building.  
Bringing kids together to laugh & make their own balloon art.

**FREE EVENT! Please text RSVP to Julia (0439 908 046) for morning tea catering**

### OUR CHRISTMAS - NEW YEAR CLOSING DATES

- Urunga NC - closed Wed 20 December to 7 January. Reopens Monday, 8 January 2024
- Bellingen NC - closed closed Wed 20 December to 7 January. Reopens Monday, 8 January 2024
- Dorrigo NC - closed Wed 20 December to Tue 9 January; Reopens Wednesday 10 January 2024
- Dorrigo Youth Centre - closed from 15 December to 9 January; Reopens Wed 10 January 2024
- Early Childhood Family Support - closed Monday 18 December to 7 January 2024
- Bellingen Nambucca Youth Services - closed Monday 18 December to 7 January 2024
- Services Australia (Centrelink) Agency - closed 22 December to 1 January 2024
- Bello Youth Hub - closed Wed 20 December to Mon 15 January 2024. Reopen Tues 16 January



### No Interest Loans in the Bellingen Shire:

NILs provides people on low income living in the Bellingen Shire with flexible, affordable credit to purchase essential household goods, car rego and repairs, dental work and medical equipment. Loans are now available for up to \$2000 free of interest, charges and fees to purchase multiple items.

For more info Call the Connecting Neighbourhood Centres of Bellingen Shire at either Bellingen on Thursday Ph 6655 1239, Dorrigo on Thursday Ph 0438 750 673 & Urunga on Tuesday Ph 6655 6993.

### Youth Services Bellingen & Nambucca LGAs

**We** assist and support young people living in the Bellingen and Nambucca LGAs aged 12 - 18 years and their families. Individual appointments, group programs and regular school visits are available.

**Contact Eliza:** [youthworker@ncobs.org.au](mailto:youthworker@ncobs.org.au)  
**0429 839 473 (Mon-Tue-Wed)**

**Or Kylie:** [youthwellbeing@ncobs.org.au](mailto:youthwellbeing@ncobs.org.au)  
**437 460 856 (Mon, Wed & Friday)**

### *Dorrigo Youth Centre drop-in*

Wednesday and Thursday from 3pm to 5pm

**For more info drop in or call Christine on  
0438 766 491**



The Hub Youth workers are available to lend an ear to any problem young people might be having. Young people can drop-in or make a time for a confidential chat to provide support.

**Administration Hours: Tues to Fri - 9.00 am – 5.00 pm**

**Drop-in Hours: Tuesday to Friday - 3.00 pm – 5.00 pm**

**Phone 02 6655 0381**

**Email - [info@belloyouthhub.net](mailto:info@belloyouthhub.net)**



### The Bellingen Services Australia Agency

Offers a one stop place to conduct your Centrelink, Medicare & Child Support Business.

Friendly staff are on site to assist you with any inquiries as well as the use of Self Service facilities such as online, phone use & faxing, when and where needed.

**Opening hours : Monday to Friday 9:30am to 12:30pm : 1:00pm to 3:30pm**

### WORK AND DEVELOPMENT ORDERS

Do you have unpaid fines or are you having difficult paying them?

You may be eligible to have the fine converted into a Work and Development Order and work the fine off.

For more details call Bellingen Neighbourhood Centre on 6655 1239 and book an appointment or ask for an information sheet.



**<https://www.connecting.org.au/>**

😊 **Bellingen Neighbourhood Centre**  
**Phone: 6655 1239 Email:**  
**[bnc.reception@ncobs.org.au](mailto:bnc.reception@ncobs.org.au)**  
**9:30am to 12:30pm : 1pm to 3:30pm**  
**Monday - Friday**

😊 **Urunga Neighbourhood Centre**  
**Phone: 6655 6993 Email:**  
**[unc.reception@ncobs.org.au](mailto:unc.reception@ncobs.org.au)**  
**9:30am to 2:30pm Monday to Thursday**

😊 **Dorrigo Neighbourhood Centre**  
**Phone: 0438 735 904 Email:**  
**[dnc.reception@ncobs.org.au](mailto:dnc.reception@ncobs.org.au)**  
**9:30am to 2pm Wednesday & Thursday**