



Rottnest Voluntary Guides Association

School Holiday Activities

3 January
to 29 January 2021

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In addition to our full programme of daily activities displayed on the information boards outside the Salt Store, the Rottnest Voluntary Guides are pleased to present these additional, special school holiday activities especially for visitors holidaying on the Island.

Unless otherwise noted, these activities are suitable for all ages, are free and last approximately one hour.

Important: bring your water bottle, hat and sunscreen, closed toe footwear and don't forget your camera!

Beach Discovery

For all budding young marine biologists, come beachcombing, collect and discover some of the secrets of the sea.

The Beach Discovery Sand Sculptures Challenge at Geordie (Celebrity Judge: Pirate Pete!)

Create something amazing using only the sand and what nature provides on the beach. A banner will be placed on Geordie Beach before 9:30am indicating where to get to work and judging will commence around 11am. So, get to work early and good luck!

Behind the Scenes

Ever wondered what makes Rotto tick? This is your chance to find out! Come with us on this unique GUIDED BIKE TOUR of Rottnest's inner workings and its progress towards a sustainable future so future generations can also enjoy our unique island. We depart from the Salt Store and cycling about 4.5 Km passing through the Basin, Longreach and Geordie settlements on our quest to explore what goes on behind the scenes.

Note: duration approx 1.5hrs. BYO bike of course and don't forget your helmet.

Bickley Battery Walk

Bike, hike, bus or march down to the Kingstown Barracks, meet at the gun barrel on the parade ground and come explore the remnants of the WWII coastal defences.

Birds & Beasts of Rottnest

Take a walk on the wild side. Meet some of the Island's amazing bird life, reptiles and mammals in their natural habitats (binoculars available).

Night Skies

Come on a tour of the planets and stars and to hear about the wonders of the beautiful Rottnest night sky. (Bring your torch).

Pirate Pete (Age 10 and under)

Join Pirate Pete's crew, learn some mysteries of the deep then come on a hunt for the hidden treasure.

Quokka Tales (Age 7 and under)

'Okka the Quokka' Stories and colouring in. An educational and entertaining activity suitable for the young and young at heart.

Twilight Tales

Come on a stroll through the Settlement at night, meet some of the characters from the Island's rich history and hear their stories. (Bring your torch).

Vlamingh Lookout Sunset

A twilight stroll up to Vlamingh Lookout for an unforgettable view as the sun sets over the salt lakes. Along the way hear about the island's natural history, the Dutch explorers, the first settlers and the gift of Salt. (Don't forget your camera).

What's Behind Geordie?

Come on a walk and explore what's over the hill behind Geordie Bay, from the mighty wind generator to the biodiversity of the Island's unique Salt Lake ecosystem and return along the costal track that winds its way back to Geordie from beautiful Little Parakeet Bay.

Note: full course approx. 1.5hrs but shorter option available.

Who Lived Here?

Join us on a twilight stroll along 170-year-old Vincent Way and hear stories about some of those who lived in the historic houses on this street.

The Famous RVGA Family Quiz Night

Make up your own tables of eight or come and join a table at this popular family activity. Fun for the whole family and the chance to win some great prizes!

Note: Duration 2 hours.

Booking essential: Book at the Guides' information Site next to the Salt Store 1:00pm-3:30pm weekdays.

Tickets: Adult \$12, School Student \$6, concessions available.

For more information about all these and all of the regular daily activities provided by both the Voluntary Guides and the business community, visit the Information Booth next to the Salt Store.



Summer 2021 Timetable

	Sunday 3, 10, 17, 24 January	Monday 4, 11, 18, 25 January	Tuesday 5, 12, 19, 26 January	Wednesday 6, 13, 20, 27 January	Thursday 7, 14, 21, 28 January	Friday 8, 15, 22, 29 January
9:30am Main Settlement		Quokka Tales Settlement Mall (Indianic Corner)	Quokka Tales Settlement Mall (Indianic Corner)	Quokka Tales Settlement Mall (Indianic Corner)	Quokka Tales Settlement Mall (Indianic Corner)	Pirate Pete Thomson Bay North Beach Shelter
9:30am Geordie Bay		Beach Discovery Geordie Bay Beach Shelter	What's Behind Geordie? Geordie Bay Mall	Beach Discovery Sand Sculptures Geordie Bay Beach	What's Behind Geordie? Geordie Bay Mall	
9:30am - 10:30am		10:15am Bickley Battery Walk Gun Barrel at Kingstown Barracks	10:00am Beach Discovery Thomson Bay North Beach Shelter	9:45am Behind the Scenes Outside Salt Store	10:00am Beach Discovery Thomson Bay North Beach Shelter	
1:00pm - 3:30pm		★ Ticket Sales ★ (Quiz Night) Next to Salt Store	★ Ticket Sales ★ (Quiz Night) Next to Salt Store	★ Ticket Sales ★ (Quiz Night) Next to Salt Store	★ Ticket Sales ★ (Quiz Night) Next to Salt Store	
4:30pm		Birds and Beasts of Rottnest Outside Salt Store	Birds and Beasts of Rottnest Outside Salt Store	Birds and Beasts of Rottnest Outside Salt Store	Birds and Beasts of Rottnest Outside Salt Store	
5:30pm - 7:00pm			★ JANUARY 26 ★ 5:30pm Who Lived Here? Outside Salt Store	6:45pm Vlamingh Lookout Sunset Outside Salt Store	★ JANUARY 7, 14 & 21 ★ 7:00pm RVGA Family Quiz Night Karma Golf Club	
7:00pm - 8:00pm	8:00pm Night Skies (Settlement) Outside Salt Store	8:00pm Night Skies (Geordie Bay) Geordie Bay Mall	★ JANUARY 5, 12 & 19 ★ 7:30pm Twilight Tales Lomas Cottage		★ JANUARY 28 ★ 7:30pm Twilight Tales Lomas Cottage	
★ TICKETED ACTIVITIES ★	<p>All activities are free except the RVGA Family Quiz Night January 7, 14 & 21.</p> <p>Booking is essential: Purchase your tickets at the Information Booth next to the Salt Store from Monday to Thursday between 1:00pm & 3:30pm or Email holidayguiding@rvga.asn.au to book your tickets beforehand and collect them on arrival at Rottnest.</p>					

We're doing our part to keep you safe and maintaining the Western Australian Government's COVID safety measures with frequent cleaning.