



Capricorn Coast

Easter Holiday Guide

Connection, Community & Family Fun

A community guide created by
The Wellbeing Hub Capricorn Coast

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"Sometimes the best adventures are the simple ones, close to home".

Welcome to the Capricorn Coast Easter Holiday Guide



This guide has been thoughtfully created to help local families discover simple ways to enjoy the school holidays — from family-friendly activities and local events, to places to explore and moments to slow down together.

It's also a celebration of the many incredible local businesses who are offering experiences, spaces and opportunities for connection across our community.

Whether you're planning a day out, looking for something new to try, or simply wanting to make the most of time together, I hope this guide inspires you to explore what's right here on the Capricorn Coast.

We'd love to see what adventures you get up to these holidays, so please be sure to tag us in your socials @thewellbeinghubcapricorncoast and use #CapCoastMoments

Wishing you a holiday season filled with connection, community and family fun.

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Capricorn Coast Scavenger Hunt

Grab your hats and head outdoors to the beach or a park and see if you can find the following:



An unusual seashell
A feather
A crab hole
A bird you've never seen before
A heart-shaped rock
Something yellow
A butterfly
A piece of driftwood
Something red

Animal tracks in sand or dirt
A piece of seaweed or kelp
A cloud shaped like an animal
A leaf bigger than your hand
A stone with a pattern on it
A shell with a hole in it
Something soft (like moss or lichen)





Screen-Free Holiday Ideas

Some sanity-saving ideas to turn to for those days when little minds need a reprieve from technology.....



Pack a beach picnic and head out to watch the sun set



Pull out the board games and have some family time together



Camp in the backyard or build a fort in the lounge room



Embrace your creative side and make a nature collage from leaves, shells, flowers etc



Start a holiday Gratitude Jar – decorate an old jar & then add small notes of what you grateful for each day



Write a postcard to a friend



Take a stroll along one of the many local walking paths. Take the scooters or bikes

Salka Cove

Beautiful finds, family-friendly vibes.

Salka Cove is Yeppoon's new lifestyle boutique, created by mother-daughter duo Leisa and Jayde to bring beautiful, meaningful things into people's lives.

With a thoughtfully curated range of gifts, homewares, accessories, and special treasures, the store is designed to feel welcoming, inspiring, and easy to explore.

Proudly family friendly and pram accessible, Salka Cove invites locals and visitors alike to browse at their own pace, little ones included.

Whether you are picking up an Easter gift, finding something special for your home, or simply stopping in for a look, Salka Cove offers a warm and beautiful shopping experience.

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Simple Adventures.....

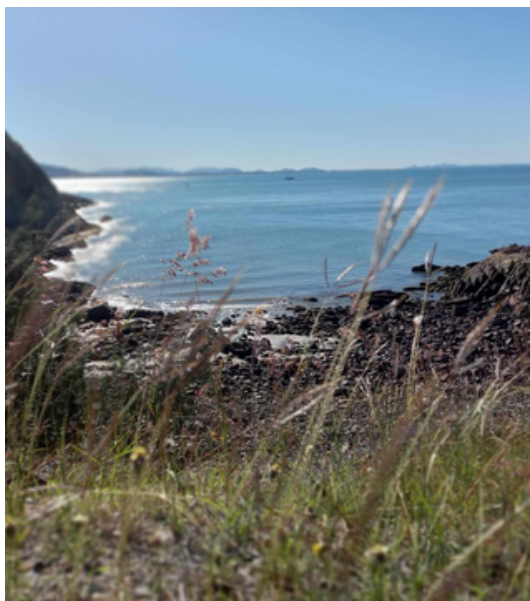
Close to home



How many of these backyard experiences can you check off?

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| ☐ Go on a nature walk | ☐ Try something new together | ☐ Attend a local Easter Event |
| ☐ Watch the sunrise at the beach | ☐ Visit a local cafe for a treat | ☐ Pack a picnic & head to the beach or park |
| ☐ Build a sandcastle & decorate it with treasures | ☐ Spot a crab in the rockpools | ☐ Spend a screen-free afternoon together |
| ☐ Head to the skate park | ☐ Check out a park you haven't been to before | ☐ Create something using nature - sand, leaves or shells |

Share your moments with us — tag The Wellbeing Hub and use #CapCoastMoments



Day Trip

Adventure Ideas



Explore, discover, and make memories close to home!

We are spoiled for choice when it comes to adventuring in our own backyard with a wide range of choices available. And the best part is – you don't even have to pack a suitcase to have a memorable experience!

Here are some of our favourite places on the Capricorn Coast.....

Byfield

Whether you pack a picnic or the goods for a barbecue, heading to Byfield State Forest is always a great idea!

Choose to spend the day at Stoney Creek, Red Rock or Water Park Creek.

Why not stop in at the Byfield General Store for a delicious treat or head to Nob Creek Pottery to check out the latest exhibition?

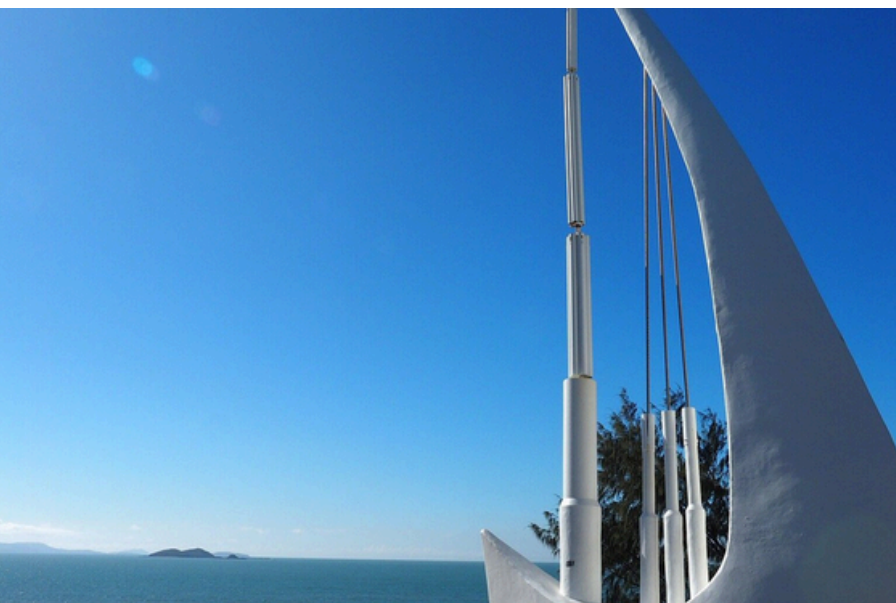


Emu Park

Emu Park is full of coastal charm and hidden gems to explore.

Take a stroll along the Centenary of ANZAC Memorial Walk, spot birds and marine life along the foreshore, or discover the rock pools and quiet beach corners perfect for little explorers.

And for mum and dad? Stop in for a coffee or a treat at Bonjour Mate Patisserie, The Honeybee Collective, or Ocean Brew Eatery—there's no shortage of tasty bites to keep everyone fuelled for a relaxed, adventure-filled day. Or for your fish and chip fix, stop by Parkside Snack Shack, or call into Kinka Kippa on your way home.



Day Trip Adventures - Simple Ways to Explore Locally

Local Attractions



- Visit Koorana Crocodile Farm
- Head to Cooberie Park Wildlife Sanctuary to see the animals
- Check out Capricorn Dinosaur Park & Mini Golf
- Jump on the ferry and head to Great Keppel Island for the day

Outdoor Adventures



- Walk the Pineapple Trail
- Take a dip in the Yeppoon Lagoon (it might be just warm enough still!)
- Take a stroll along the Yeppoon Foreshore or head to Appleton Park
- Visit Shell World at the Tourist Information Centre

Coastal Explorations



- Drop a line in at the Causeway or Ross Creek
- Discover Kemp Hill, take in the view from Turtle Lookout
- Find & walk the Labyrinth at Pebble Beach
- Check out the rock pools at Farnborough or Cooee Bay Beach

“Every day holds a new adventure—go embrace it”

Kid-Friendly Cafes



Relax, refuel and let the kids play



Finding a spot where everyone feels comfortable can make all the difference these holidays.

Here are a few local favourites where kids are welcome and parents can relax too.

Here are our top local picks for family-friendly cafe outings:

 **Gather 4703** – grab a coffee from the van & head to the grassy area to chill while listening to the waves rolling in.

 **Lure Living** – head to the garden where the kids can play while you enjoy a hot cuppa.

 **The Secret Garden Cafe** – relax in the tranquility of the garden, with a kid's play area and a swing too!

 **Hygge at Tanby Garden Centre** – enjoy a delicious treat and see if you can spot Myrtle the Turtle!

 **Oi Coterie** – lots of delicious treats on offer & a dedicated kid's play area to keep the little ones occupied.

 **The Espresso** – the adults can take a breath and relax while the kids explore the playground

Workshops & Events

Fun, friends, and a little magic



From creative workshops to family-friendly events, there's always something happening across the Capricorn Coast these school holidays.

Explore what's on and find something that suits your family.



Ready to plan your days?

View the full calendar at:

www.thewellbeinghub.com.au/events

Creative Fun with Aphrodite Art School

Art Classes in Yeppoon & Rockhampton



Looking for something a little different these school holidays?

Aphrodite Art School invites young creatives to explore a range of hands-on art experiences through their popular School Holiday Art Club. With sessions in drawing and illustration, painting on canvas, and clay creations, children are encouraged to express themselves freely while learning new skills in a relaxed and supportive environment.

Designed for ages 5–15, each class offers the perfect balance of guidance and creative freedom — whether your child prefers to follow along or take their own imaginative direction.

With classes held in both Yeppoon and at East Hall in Rockhampton, families have the flexibility to choose a location that suits them.

Each session provides a calm, welcoming space where creativity can unfold naturally.

It's a beautiful opportunity for children to build confidence, connect with others, and create something they're proud of — all without screens.

A lovely option for a relaxed and creative holiday activity.

Bookings can be made on the [website](#).

Rockhampton

April 7, 10am – Drawing

April 8, 10am – Painting

April 9, 10am – Clay

April 14, 2pm – Drawing

April 15, 2pm – Painting

April 16, 2pm – Clay

Yeppoon

April 14, 10am – Drawing

April 15, 10am – Painting

April 16, 10am – Clay



TMBC PRESENTS: The Mum Meet Cute 💕💕

Speed Friending: School Holiday Edition

Connection for mums, too.

Because school holidays aren't just for the kids —
this is your invitation to connect, too.

The Mum Meet Cute is a guided speed friending experience designed to help you meet other mums in a relaxed, welcoming space hosted by The Mama Brunch Club at The Espresso on 9th April.

This isn't awkward networking — it's thoughtful, facilitated connection, with conversation prompts about you, not just the kids.



How the Morning Works

9:00–10:00am

Arrive, grab your coffee (on us) and settle in.

10:00–11:00am

Guided speed friending — short, meaningful conversations designed to make connecting easy.

11:00–12:00pm

Stay and mingle while the kids play and you connect at your own pace.

What's Included

- One coffee per registered mum
- Light grazing
- A personalised name lanyard
- A QR contact card (so you can swap details if you choose)
- A professionally facilitated connection experience

This event is free to attend, proudly supported by Livingstone Shire Council.

School Holiday Friendly
Big kids welcome. Babies welcome.

[instagram.com/themamabrunchclub/](https://www.instagram.com/themamabrunchclub/)





Other Events to Check Out:

There's plenty happening across the Capricorn Coast these holidays. Head straight to the socials to check out these events:

Easter Cake Making Fun at The Attic Espresso Bar

Keep little hands occupied with a Cake & Sip Event on 3rd April

Capricorn Equestrian Centre

Easter Pony Crazy Mornings on 4th, 6th, 13th & 14th April

Livingstone Shire Council School Holiday Events

A wide variety of events happening across the community throughout the Easter break including an Easter Wonderland, Creative Factory, Tides & Tunes and so much more!

Surf Groms Easter School Holiday Program

3&4 Day Learn to Surf Programs for kids aged 5 – 12. Click the link for more details.

For the older kids.....

Beach Beats! - Coastal Youth Fest 2026!!!

A celebration of youth week on 11th April

Youth Week Skill Training

A selection of free training sessions are being provided by the Livingstone Shire Council throughout Youth Week. Head to their Facebook page for all the details.





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Need to get out of the house without it costing an arm & a leg?

Take a Look at These Library Ideas.....

We are blessed for choice with a range of library options available to us on the coast. We've collated a list to help get you and your little ones out and about!



Visit the Capricorn Coast Toy Library

Need some new toys to play with or a something else to occupy your child's busy mind? Be sure to join the Capricorn Coast Toy Library who now have a range of over 1000 toys available to borrow.

Borrowing days are Thursday and Saturday from 9.30am – 11.30am at the Cordingley Street Library.

You can find more details about membership and how to join [here](#)



Head to one of the local libraries to browse and borrow

Did you know that our local libraries stock more than just books? You can borrow DVD's, audiobooks, puzzles, games, cake tins and so much more! It's worth heading down to one of the branches in Yeppoon, Emu Park or Byfield to see what's available to occupy your little ones over the break.



Discover a Street Library

While you're out and about adventuring, see if you can spot one of our local Street Libraries!

Street Libraries are small, community-run book exchanges where anyone can "take a book, share a book, or find a book." They're free to use, open to all ages, and are designed to encourage reading, spark curiosity, and bring the community together—one little library at a time.



Wellbeing Moments

We know too well overwhelming the days can be, so we've come up with a few Wellbeing Moments to get you through!



3-Minute Breathing Break

Sit together, close your eyes and take five slow breaths.



Gratitude at Dinner

Each person shares one good thing about their day.



Nature Pause

Take a moment outside to notice what you can see, hear and smell or simply take a picnic rug and watch the clouds go by.





Simple Easter Crafts

Ease the boredom & get your craft on.....

Nature Easter Eggs

What you need

- Cardboard or paper egg shapes
- Leaves, flowers or grass
- Glue
- Crayons or markers

What to do

1. Cut out egg shapes from cardboard or paper.
2. Head outside and collect small leaves or flowers.
3. Glue them onto the egg to create a nature pattern.
4. Add colour or patterns with crayons or markers.



Tip:

Encourage kids to collect items from a beach walk or backyard to decorate their eggs.



Bunny Ear Headbands

What you need

- Paper or cardboard
- Scissors
- Glue or tape
- Crayons

What to do

1. Cut out two bunny ears.
2. Decorate with colours or patterns.
3. Attach them to a paper headband.
4. Wear your bunny ears for Easter fun



Easy Easter Treats

Healthy snack ideas to fuel your little bunnies.....

Bunny Fruit Cups



Ingredients

Strawberries

Banana

Blueberries

Yoghurt

Optional: granola or coconut

Instructions

1. Add yoghurt to a small bowl or cup.
2. Slice strawberries and banana.
3. Arrange fruit on top to create a bunny face.
4. Add blueberries for the eyes.

No-Bake Easter Energy Balls

Ingredients

1 cup rolled oats

½ cup peanut butter or almond butter

¼ cup honey

¼ cup shredded coconut

Mini choc chips (optional)

Instructions

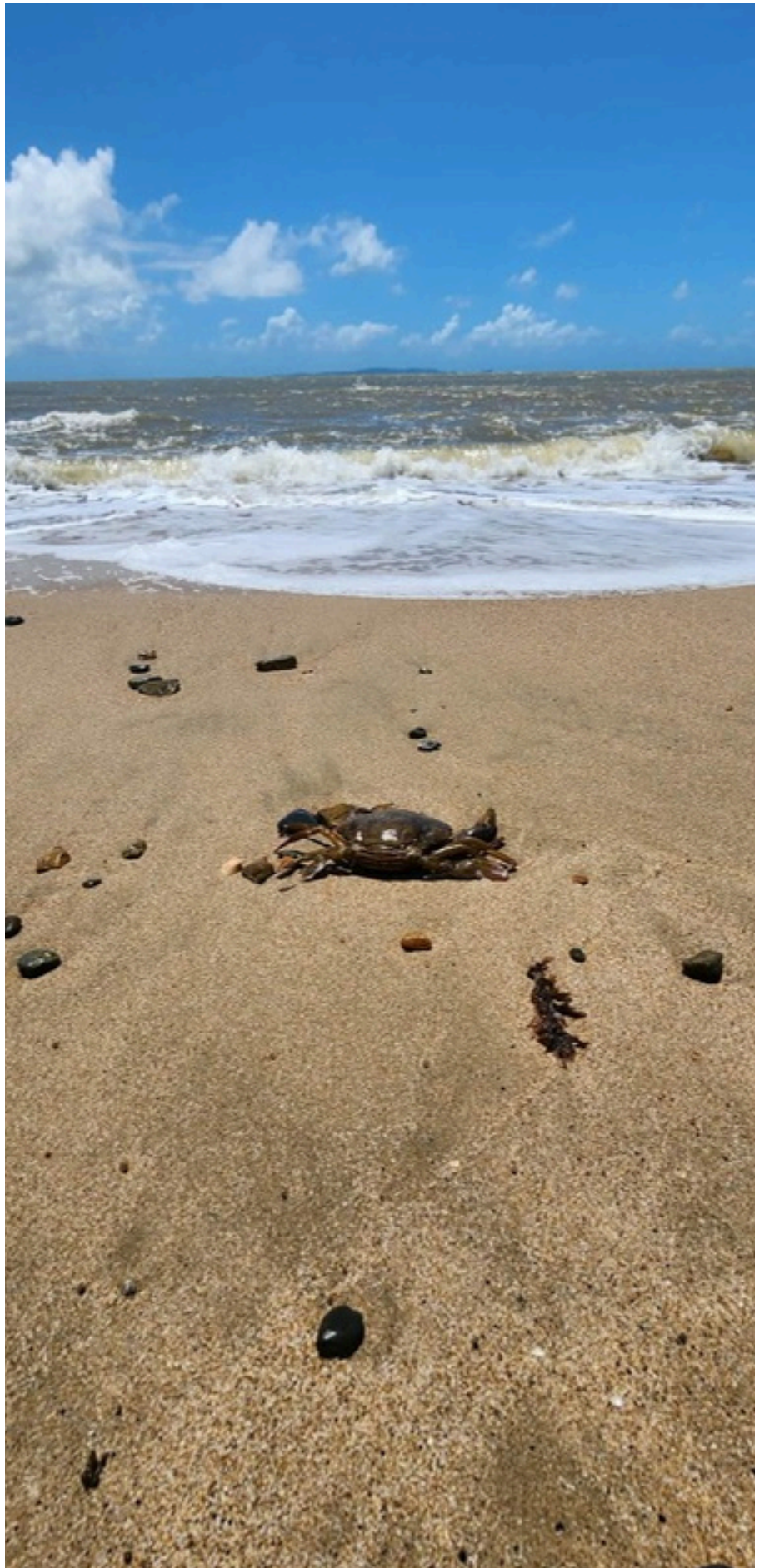
1. Mix ingredients together in a bowl.
2. Roll into small balls.
3. Refrigerate for 30 minutes.
4. Enjoy as a holiday snack.





**"Leave
footprints
of joy,
take with
you
memories
of
wonder."**

No matter how you
choose to spend these
holidays, may they be
filled with joy, wonder,
and memories to treasure.



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