

TAKE A JOURNEY OF DISCOVERY INTO THE REMARKABLE WORLD OF SCIENCE THROUGH STATE LIBRARY COLLECTION STORIES AND ARCHIVES.

Take part in story trails, games, talks, panel discussions and films.

Connect with stories of discovery, exploration, science, innovation, technology and research from the days of settlement through to the contemporary faces of science.

Our National Science Week program is free and offers something for all ages.

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FRONTIERS OF SCIENCE: GAME CHANGERS AND CHANGE MAKERS

National Science Week
@ the State Library of South Australia
11 – 19 August 2018



A SPECIAL EVENT LEADING INTO NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK:

IGNITION - Close encounters - Frontiers of science

Thursday 9 August, 6pm to 7.30pm

Are you 14-18 years old and interested in all things science? Then our IGNITION Series is for you or anyone interested in science.

When does science fiction become science fact? Do the two intertwine and meet? Are they contradictory?

Join our panel to find out the answers.

Discover science at the Library

Sunday 12 August, 11am to 3pm

Join us for all things science, from talks on Citizen Science, space, weather forecasting, SciFi and Tintin to SCINEMA, fun trails with our Explorer in Residence, storytelling, activity tables and even a close encounter with NASA's moon rocks! Something for all ages. *Bookings not required.*

From submarines to satellites: family session

Sunday 12 August, 1pm to 2.30pm

Join Dr Jeanette Dixon AM as she takes you on a journey into space to learn about man-made satellites, life in space on the International Space Station and more. Suitable for ages 10+.

Young Faces of Science (main entrance foyer)

Monday 13 to Friday 17 August

9.30am to 10am | 11.30am to 12pm

Stop by the Science Lounge and meet some of the emerging faces of science whose research is leading us into exciting realms of possibility and potential. *Bookings not required.*

Collected science

Tuesday 14 August, 1pm to 4pm

Discover the science of conservation on a special behind-the-scenes tour of Artlab. Return to the Library and join our Explorer in Residence, a collection historian and special guest Dr Jeanette Dixon AM as they share collection stories of science, innovation and technology. Suitable for adult audience.

Twilight science

Tuesday 14 August, 5pm to 7pm

A fun filled evening of wine and science. Listen to our panel as they discuss science from different perspectives - wine, weather, archival stories and NASA's moon rocks. Welcome glass of wine. Aimed at 18+ years of age.

Collected science

Thursday 16 August, 2pm to 4pm

Join our Explorer in Residence and collection historian as they share some of our intriguing collection stories of science, innovation and technology. Suitable for adult audience.

IGNITION - Moon rocks, space debris and scientific frontiers

Thursday 16 August, 6pm to 7.30pm

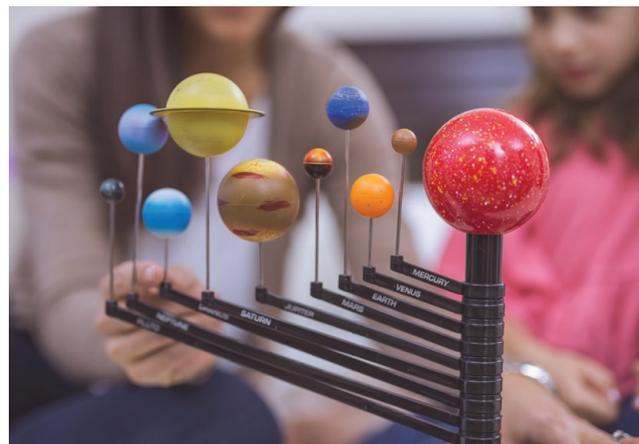
Join Dr Jeanette Dixon AM as she takes you on a journey into space. Get up close and personal with NASA's moon rocks! Refreshments will be available.

SCINEMA

Friday 17 to Sunday 19 August, 12pm to 4pm

Enter the exciting world of science through the eyes of filmmakers from around the world. Continual loop throughout the day. Suitable for ages 12+.

On Sunday, join John McCluskey-Garcia for Grown Up Storytime, and enjoy his selected readings from the science-fiction classics, *War of the Worlds* at 2pm and *Alien* at 3pm. *Bookings not required.*



CENTRE OF DEMOCRACY EVENTS

(enter off Kintore Avenue)

Big data and shrinking democracies

Monday 13 August, 2pm to 3pm

Join *CityMag* publisher Josh Fanning as he walks you through the basics of the media's business model and how data and the Internet can strengthen the democratic process.

Democratic digging: community archaeology and citizen science

Wednesday 15 August, 2pm to 3pm

Join Dr Adam Paterson, Curator Maritime Museum, for a revealing discussion about community approaches to archaeology, how they have been applied in the past and new projects.

Reclaiming the Fact

Friday 17 August, 2pm to 3pm

Science communicator and activist Matt Richardson shares the challenges and solutions in building a knowledge powered democracy and informing citizens to demand better policy.

Help us build our future city

Sunday 19 August, 11am to 3pm

Visit the Centre of Democracy for a hands-on activity, and help us imagine what our future city might be. *Bookings not required.*

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE BUT BOOKINGS ARE REQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. TO FIND OUT MORE AND TO BOOK VISIT WWW.SLSA.SA.GOV.AU/SCIENCEWEEK