



2024-25 Annual Report

Richmond-Upper Clarence Regional Library





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*Richmond-Upper Clarence Regional Library recognises the people of the Bundjalung Nation as Custodians and Traditional Owners of this land and we value and appreciate their continuing cultural connections to lands, their living culture, and their unique role in the life of this region in the past, present, and future.
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Richmond
Valley
Council



Casino Library

Graham Place Casino NSW 2470

(02) 6660 0250

Opening hours:

Monday - Friday 10.00am - 5.30pm

Saturday 9.00am - 12.00pm

Coraki Library

Adams Street Coraki NSW 2471

(02) 6660 0230

Opening hours:

Tuesday and Thursday 2.00pm -5.00pm

Evans Head Library

Woodburn Street Evans Head NSW 2473

(02) 6660 0374

Opening hours:

Monday - Friday 8.30am - 4.30pm

Saturday 9.00am - 12.00pm

Kyogle Library

Stratheden Street Kyogle NSW 2474

(02) 6660 0240

Opening hours:

Monday 2.00pm - 5.30pm

Tuesday - Friday 10.00am - 5.30pm

Saturday 9.00am - 12.00pm

Mobile Library

0428 695 213

Our Mobile Library vehicle currently visits 21 locations throughout the Richmond Valley Council and Kyogle Council local government areas, including 11 educational facilities and 10 town and village localities.

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From the Manager Regional Library

It's my pleasure to lead the Richmond-Upper Clarence Regional Library in the delivery of public library services to the communities of the Kyogle and Richmond Valley regions. Becoming the fourth manager in the Library's 47 year history is a significant changing of the guard, taking over from our previous manager, Gary Ellem, who had worked in this role from 1997-2024. I thank Gary for his mentorship and for taking the care and time he did in helping me understand both the historical context of our library service, and the future vision he hoped for our community.

Our public library service continues to be more than simply buildings containing books, (although any building filled with books is a quality building in my personal opinion). We encompass four buildings, a truck, a smaller van, and 18 team members across our region. Together we create spaces where community members and visitors can spend time; whether that's relaxing, working, studying, or completing life admin. tasks, which we facilitate by providing access to computers, laptops, printers, and WiFi.

Our library's physical and digital collections strive to continually provide our community with an array of diverse, inclusive, and current content, keeping in mind accessibility to language and learning by including resources in dyslexic-friendly print, large print, audiobooks, graphic novels, and most recently, the addition of resources published in Braille. We also provide access to online encyclopedias and information databases to ensure our community can gain access to accurate and current information in an age where information overload and fake news is pervasive.



Changing of the Guard

2024 saw the retirement of long-standing Manager Gary Ellem, with Ngarie Macqueen taking the reins as the fourth Manager Regional Library.

Our team deliver programs and events for community members of all ages, both in our buildings, and through outreach to other organisations. In doing so, we nurture language and literacy - including information and digital literacy, as well as providing creative outlets for connection and well-being for our community.

At a time of decreasing literacy rates in Australia, and the potential social impact to the community as artificial intelligence technology becomes embedded into many aspects of our everyday life, the Richmond-Upper Clarence Regional Library team strive to remain responsive to the future needs of our community. Throughout these changes we will continue to provide a safe, welcoming space to access books, resources, information, and technology, so that everyone, no matter their life situation and circumstances, can be an active and connected citizen.

Ngarie Macqueen
Manager Regional Library



Manager Regional Library *Through the Years*



Helen Braid
1978 - 1986



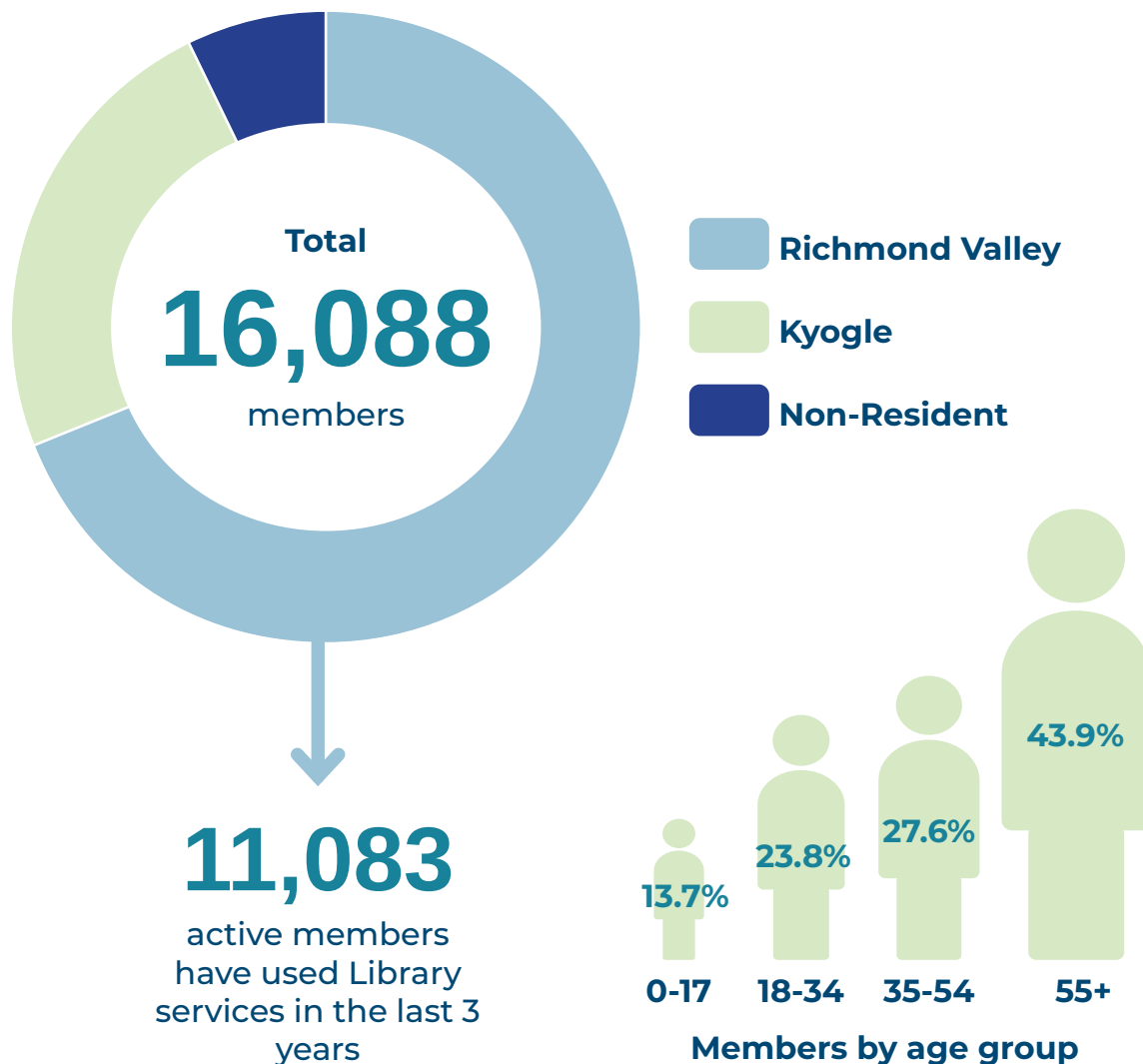
Judy Saunders
1987 - 1997



Gary Ellem
1997 - 2024

Our Year in Review

Memberships



Loans

153,575

Total loans increased 3.2% compared to 2023-24.



Programs

1,010

Programs run decreased 3.2% compared to 2023-24.



Visits

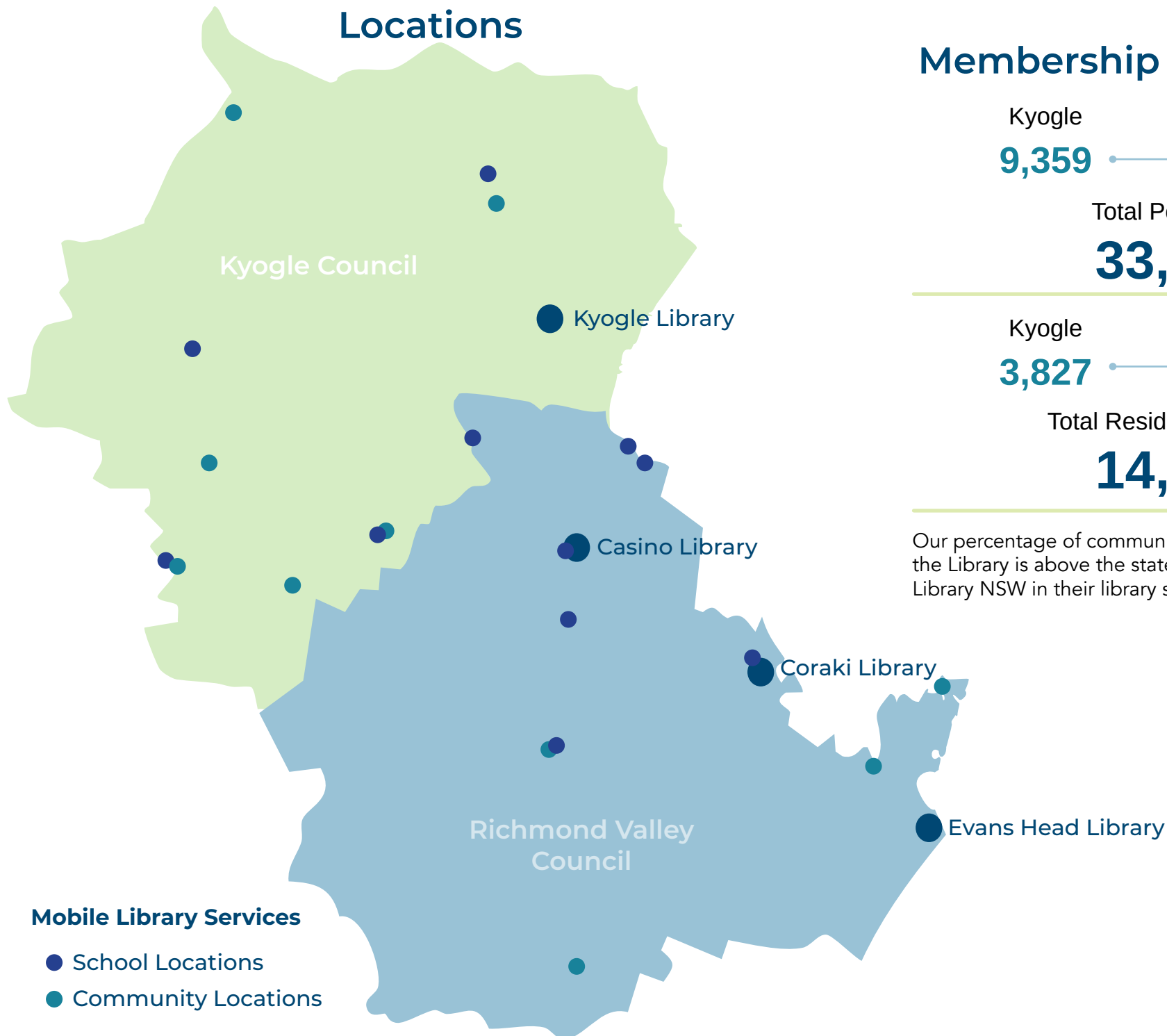
113,523*

There was a 12% decrease in visitors in 24-25

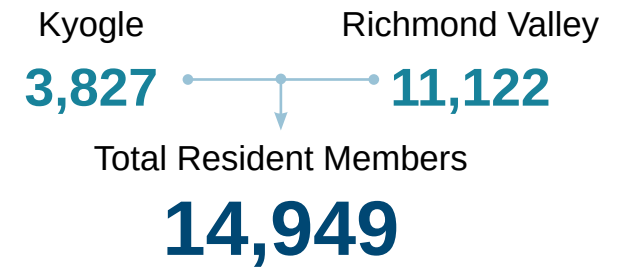
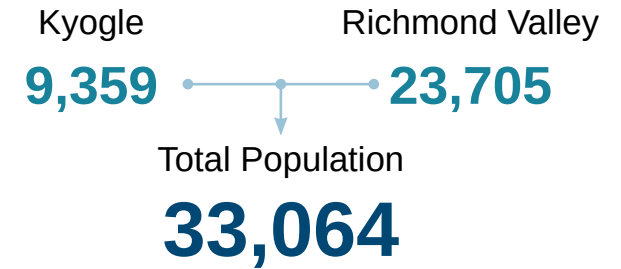


*Visitor counters in Casino and Evans Head Libraries were not functional between October 2024 and January 2025

Locations



Membership by Population



Our percentage of community members who are a part of the Library is above the state median provided by State Library NSW in their library standards.

45.2%
of the community are
Library members

36.7%
state median

Our Collection

Physical Collection

New additions to the Regional Library physical collection this year included:

- Braille Learning Kit - which includes magnetic balls and practice board
- Wonderbooks - Picture books with an attached pre-loaded audio player
- Robotics STEM kits - kits including instructions and components to create and control electronic robots.
- Book Club Sets - sets of 10 copies of a book and associated discussion questions for members to be able to hold a book club at home.

A range of approved public library suppliers are utilised for the majority of library acquisitions. A smaller number of items are purchased through additional websites and from independent and self-published creators whose works fall within the guidelines of the library's Collection Development Policy.

Standing orders for new titles published by our most popular fiction authors were utilised to ensure the community continually had access to new release popular titles as they were published.

Donated items were assessed against the Library's Collection Development Policy. Any items not added to the collection, as well as any withdrawn library collection resources, were sold in library book sale events, utilised in pop-up libraries, or donated to local

groups such as op shops.

There was a 3.2% increase in loans from the library's physical collection during the 2024/25 year.

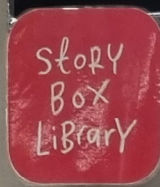
The collections with increased loans included:

- Adult, Young Adult, Junior, and Easy Junior Graphic Novels
- Local Studies
- Junior Fiction
- Early Readers
- Braille
- Seed Library
- Cake Tins
- Jigsaw Puzzles
- Crochet Hooks

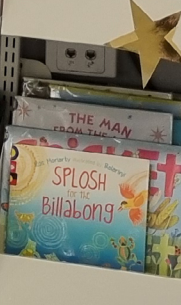
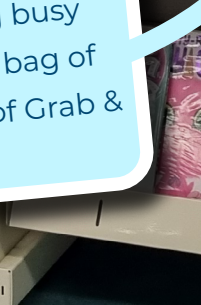
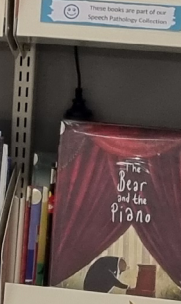
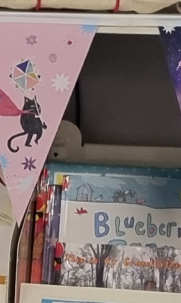
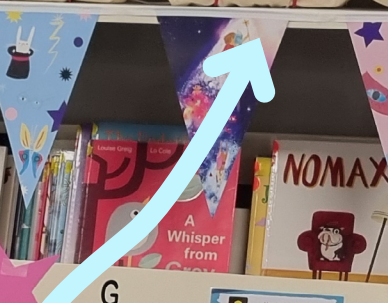
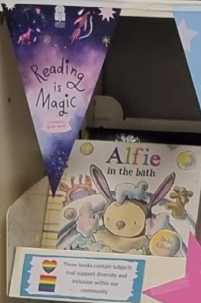
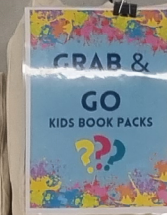
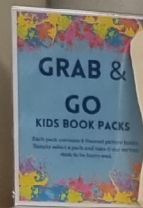
While libraries are expanding into the digital space, offering programs and meeting spaces; our physical collection remains one of our core services. With a passionate team dedicated to collection maintenance and development, our shelves always look fresh, with a diverse range of topics, voices, and formats available to our community.

Two projects for this last year included re-envisioning how we present our Junior Nonfiction and DVD collections.





Reading
is Magic



50,106

items in physical collection

5,025

items purchased

769

donated items added

8,034

items removed from collection

81%

of the collection
acquired in the
last 10 years

Grab & Go Bags!

Grab & Go bags were implemented in 2024-25 by our team member Tamara. Allowing busy parents and carers to borrow a themed bag of four picture books. There were 44 loans of Grab & Go bags.

Our Collection



2024-25 Top Loans *Physical Collection*



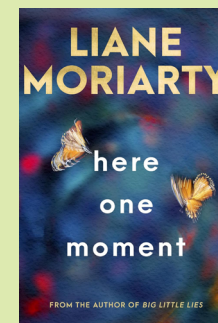
#1

Bluey - The Decider
Bluey
54 Loans



#2

What Happened to Nina?
Dervla McTiernan
50 Loans



#3

here one moment
Liane Moriarty
50 Loans

Junior Nonfiction Collection

The Junior Nonfiction collection has been evolving for many years. Where it was once utilised for reference, it is now more popular for leisure amongst the younger members of our community. The evolution of the Junior Nonfiction collection started while the library was closed due to public health regulations, where it was separated out from where it had been historically interfiled within the Adult Nonfiction collection.

DVD Collection

Our DVD collection is very popular amongst our community but there were issues with items getting placed into different sections and like topics being shelved apart. After a review of our collection we applied a similar method that had been used for our Junior Nonfiction collection. This was to assist both library members and staff to shelve and locate items that may interest them a little easier, as well as shelving similar themes in the nonfiction DVDs together. We moved away from Dewey and updated their call numbers to reflect genres, adding new signage to assist browsing.



Team Member - Amy

Over the last year, we investigated different approaches used for junior nonfiction collections in other libraries and adapted them for our community. We reorganised these items into seven key themed collections (Animals, People, Places, Make, Tales, Facts, Science), retaining their Dewey call number, identifying each item with a genre spine label, shelving them within their collection, and creating more visual signage to make discovering similar topics easier.



125,880
loans of physical items

Including:

102,165
physical books

12,724
DVDs

4,099
graphic novels

4,067
seed library packets

3,688
magazines

Our Collection

Digital Collection

The Regional Library's digital collection currently includes eBooks, eAudiobooks, eComics, eMagazines, streamed music, tv shows, movies, and documentaries.

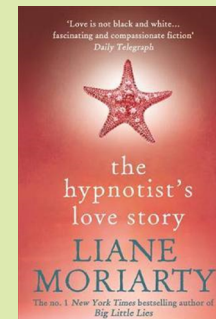
The use of physical audiobooks has decreased steadily over recent years, which has been partly affected by the availability of CD players, both portable and in new vehicles, and the removal of disc drives from laptops and computers. However, the rise in use of eAudiobooks is far exceeding that drop, with a 27% increase in loans of eAudiobooks in the 2024/25 year.

The Regional Library is part of a consortia with Clarence Regional Library with two eResource providers, and a NSW state-wide consortia for an additional two eResource providers, which enables our library service to provide a much wider range of content to the community.

We provide digital resources through a number of different apps to enable the library to offer a wider range of content to the community. This decision is due to constraints associated with current digital publishing rights and lending conditions, where in some cases, a specific publisher will often retain sole rights to a specific authors digital content or place an embargo on its availability.

Our collection now provides access to a combination of pay-per-use content, one-user per loan content (which is limited by the publisher by the number of borrows or length of time the library can provide access), and multi-user content that allows up to 100 people to borrow an item at one time. The library team strives to provide access to as wide a range of content whilst getting the best value for money for the community.

2024-25 Top Loans *Digital Collection*

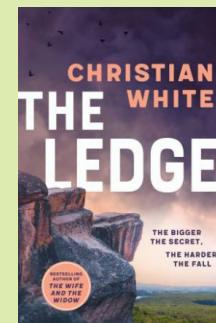


The Hypnotist's Love Story

Liane Moriarty

36 Loans

eAudiobook



The Ledge

Christian White

22 Loans

eAudiobook



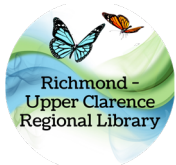
His Outback Temptation

Annie Seaton

4 Loans

eAudiobook

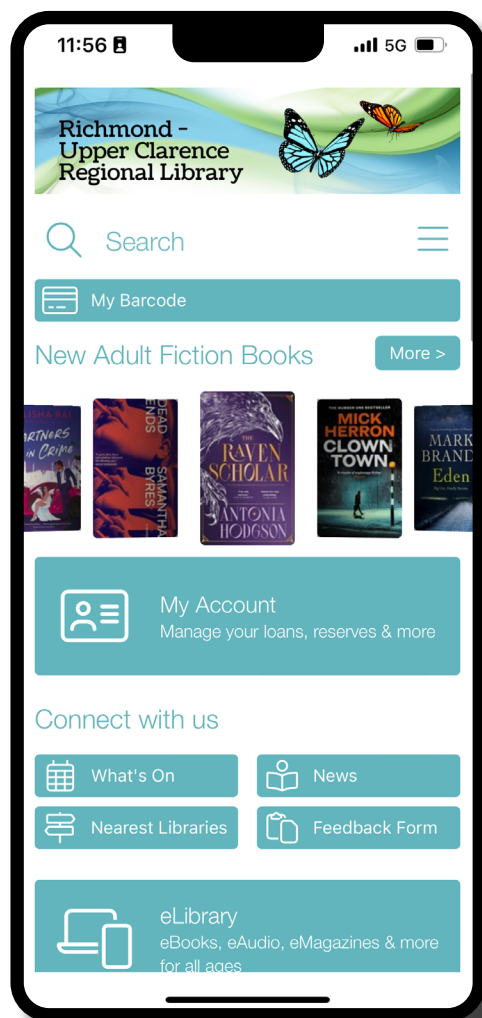
Our eLibrary



**Richmond-Upper
Clarence Regional
Library app**

The Regional Library provides access to 1,698,303 digital items across all available digital formats via 8 apps.

Additional information is provided via 20 online information databases via Gale, as well as World Book Online encyclopedia, Haynes Online manuals, and connection to resources provided by the State Library of NSW such as Find Legal Answers and DrugInfo resources



Libby



BorrowBox



IndyReads



uLibrary



hoopla



Beamafilm



**Story Box
Library**



7,995
eBook Loans

12,608
eAudiobook loans

3,866
eMagazine loans

42
music streaming sessions

1,550
video streaming sessions

1,634
eAudio streaming sessions

Marketing and Promotion

Our Displays



Library Lovers' Day
Mobile Library



Nature Week
Kyogle Library



Pride Month
Casino Library



Local Studies
Casino Library



International Intrigue Display
Coraki Library



Anzac Day



Our top Facebook post for 2024-25 promotes our home delivery service and features our volunteers Bev and Viv.



Our most liked Instagram photo features our local pre-schoolers caught reading while they were visiting the Casino Library.



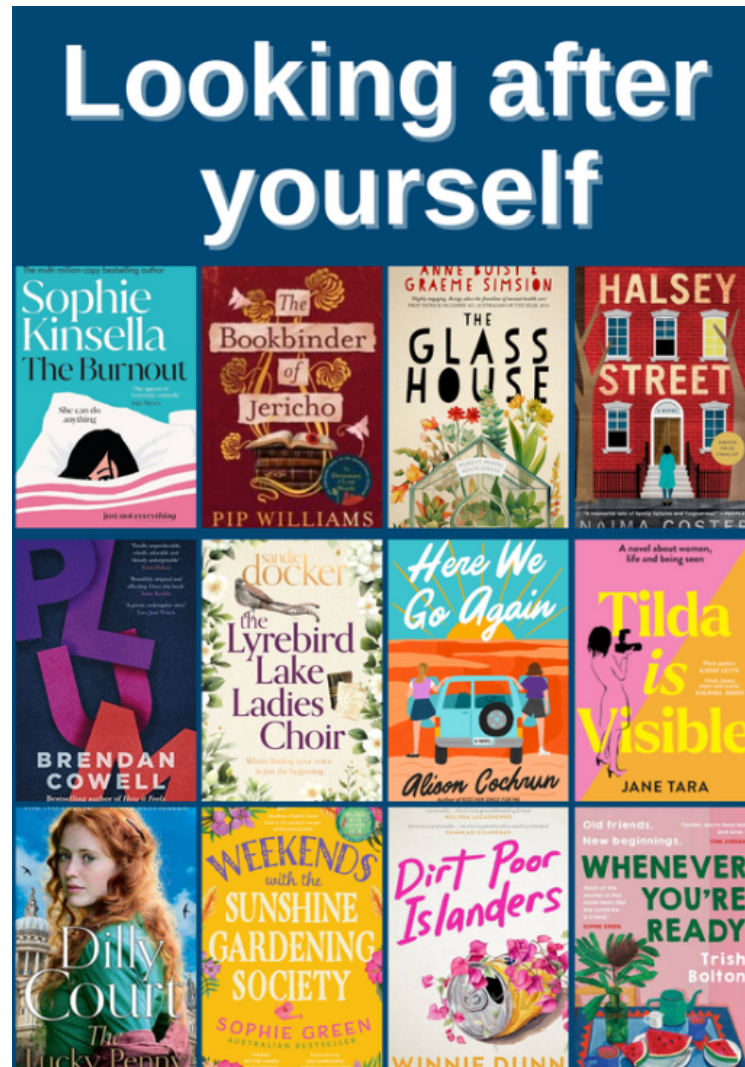
Library Lovers' Day
Evans Head Library

Readers Advisory

In Readers Advisory we focus on helping the people in our community find something that suits their reading tastes. As part of this we have created a monthly handout that aims to highlight the lesser-known genres and themes. Over the year we have had handouts about cozy mysteries, international intrigue, Outback mysteries, Indigenous authors, wellness and self-care, books that have been banned in other countries around the world, road trips and many more. We make sure to suggest a diverse range of books with authors from different backgrounds and characters from all walks of life to represent the diversity in our community.



Team Member - Aaron



39,402

visits to the website landing page

6,243

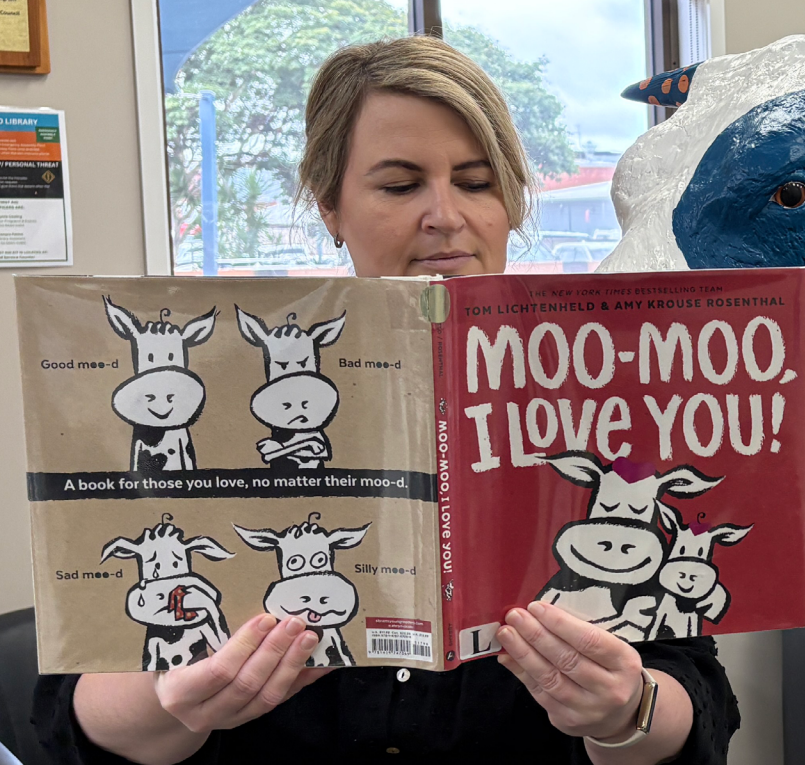
eNewsletter subscribers

666

devices with the Library app

256

new devices downloaded the app



Our Library team proudly partnered with Casino Beef Week to decorate Steve the Steer. Drawing inspiration from graphic novels, the team designed Steve with bold, creative flair.

He was displayed downtown in Casino throughout the festival, adding a vibrant and literary twist to the celebrations and showcasing the artistic talents within our library staff.

Additional Borrowing Services

Whilst the Regional Library team strives to provide access to as many resources as possible, the team still receive requests for titles and items not owned by the Library.

To help bridge this gap the Library provides a Suggestion for Purchase service, where community members can recommend titles to be added to the collection. After assessment, if the items are purchased, the item will be reserved for the person who requested the title.

For items that are an older publication, or outside the Library's policies, the team participates in an Australia-wide interlibrary loan service, where the Regional Library can obtain a copy of the resource, from another library within Australia for our member to loan. In addition, we help fulfill requests for other libraries to support their members getting access to the titles they need.



Book Sales

We regularly sell books as part of our service, offering items that are being removed from our collection for purchase at our libraries. These sales provide an opportunity for the community to pick up affordable reads while supporting our library programs. During 2024–25, we received \$2,259 in book sales.

Pictured to the left is our team member Cheryl at the book sale event she organised in the Kyogle Library.



81

interlibrary loan requests
satisfied

79

interlibrary loan requests from
other libraries satisfied

537

items purchased through
our Suggestion for Purchase
service

12,949

reserves were satisfied

\$2,259

received in book sales

Our Programs and Events

During the 2024–25 year, the Regional Library delivered over 1,000 programs and events for the second consecutive year. These programs supported a wide range of outcomes including literacy and lifelong learning, digital inclusion, personal development, and wellbeing. From storytime sessions and tech help to author talks and creative workshops, our programming continues to reflect the diverse needs and interests of our communities.

Programs were held both onsite at our library branches, including through the Mobile Library and at various community locations across the Richmond Valley and Kyogle regions. This outreach approach reinforces that our library is far more than just a physical space with shelves; it is a dynamic, responsive service embedded in the heart of the community.

In October 2024, we transitioned to a new online booking platform, making it easier for community members to locate and book library spaces independently. Since this change, the meeting rooms at both Casino and Evans Head Libraries have seen a 36% increase in community bookings. These spaces are now regularly used by not-for-profit organisations, support groups, legal and health services, and individuals seeking a quiet place for work or study. Demonstrating the library's role as a trusted and accessible community hub.





1,010

programs and events held

8,778

attendees

878

programs run at the Library

132

programs held at community
locations

991

public bookings of library
meeting spaces

Playdough Playtime Program



Playdough Playtime is one of our regular children's programs aimed at children 2 – 5 years old and their parents/carers.

It is a monthly program run by Library team member Tamara Patino and it is now in its seventh year, having started at Casino Library in August 2018.

Each month we gather in the children's area with a theme (usually inspired by, or gathered from previous conversations and interests had with our playdough playtime participants). Our playdough and accompanying loose parts, tools and resources are organised on the tables as an invitation to play and in a way to encourage sharing and development of social skills.

As we flatten, mould, pinch, squeeze, roll, snip and converse our way through Playdough Playtime we know we are building and strengthening our little hand and finger muscles whilst fostering a real sense of curiosity and creativity.

The children, the parents/carers as well as our library team members all enjoy the calming effect and learning through play experience that our Playdough Playtime offers (so much so that we aren't sure who enjoys it most- the children or the grown-ups!)



Team Member - Tamara

Djanangmum Preschool Storytime Program

Every Wednesday, educators bring a group of 10-14 preschoolers to the Casino Library for storytime. This partnership between the Library and the Preschool acknowledges the value of community connection and supports recognition of the use of the Galibal language in our spaces. Our storytime program is designed to foster a lifelong love of books and reading in a fun way.

Each one-hour session follows a theme that often coincides with the Preschool's area of learning. Multi-sensory engagement is encouraged with the use of pop-up books, story props, rhymes, songs, puppets, craft, STEM, and tactile play.

So what are the benefits?

- Pop-up books create a sense of wonder and visually enhance the story
- props bring the story to life visually and encourage participation
- rhymes and songs support early literacy and numeracy skills
- puppets support language skills and imaginative play
- craft encourages individual interpretations of the story and its characters
- STEM and tactile play encourage conversations through spontaneous experiences.

At the end of each session, the Djanangmum show off their craft and chat to everyone they pass on the way out. As they wave goodbye, there's a chorus of 'What are we doing next week?' Yes, they had a wonderful time, and we're instilling a love of libraries and reading, one storytime session at a time.



Team Member - Sylvia



Kyogle Library Book Group



I'm pleased to report Kyogle Library's book group is going well and steadily growing. From a core of six to eight regular members each month through to 10 regular members in 2025 as we welcomed new members. The members are all lovely folk who come together the third Tuesday of each month at 10.30am to share their reading, listening, and viewing experiences, as well each other's company. I've witnessed the development of confidence of our members to openly share opinions and offer honest reviews. I've also seen friendships grow, newcomers to our area warmly welcomed, encouragement of members feeling shy to be a part of the group by sitting-in or reviewing, as well giving care and support.

We've been very fortunate to welcome a number of fantastic local authors and guests including Annika Johansson, Gary Davis, P.A. Thomas, Tony Howley, J. Mary Masters, Maggie Walters, Kate & Jol Temple, and Matt Stanton.

We've also celebrated Senior's Festival at Book Group with lots of fun and games whilst learning helpful tips from Mark Poole from NBN Co who talked about cyber safety awareness for seniors. We've also enjoyed Literary Mocktails, played games for prizes and took home fab go-bags full of handy information courtesy of the State Library of NSW's Drug Info Kit's housed at all Richmond-Upper Clarence Regional Library branches. It was a great year for Book Group at Kyogle Library but 2025-26 will be even bigger and more fun! Everyone welcome!



Team Member - Corinne

Tech Savvy Program

The purpose of the Tech Savvy program is to provide one-on-one support with technology issues. For example, using a smartphone, tablet, or laptop.

Richmond-Upper Clarence Regional Library has multiple staff members who participate in the program over the region, which allows us to provide a variety of available session times. Each staff member has their own unique strengths with the different aspects of technology, and this gives our team a great knowledge base to utilise and support one another with.

As technology changes and advances, we have seen different trends appear in the community and we are always learning alongside patrons. In the past year the common themes that have emerged and staff have helped with are identifying and avoiding scams, lodging online forms (passport renewals, police checks etc), cloud-based storage options, using digital library resources, setting up and using email, password recovery, social media apps and file transfers.

When conducting Tech Savvy sessions, we aim to emphasise that even though our staff members are not experts in every area of technology we endeavour to help each person to the best of our ability. A technology issue may seem simple to one person, but it can be distressing to another and being able to help people understand or solve these issues is a rewarding aspect of working at the library.



Team Member - Laura



Our Services

Our community and our members will always remain at the heart of everything we do. The Regional Library provides far more than books. We offer a wide range of services designed to support learning, connection, and everyday life.

In addition to our physical and digital collections, and the delivery of over 1,000 programs and events this year, our team supports the community through:

- **Information and Customer Support**

Staff assist with printing, scanning, completing online forms, accessing government services, and conducting research, including local history inquiries.

- **Technology Access and Support**

We provide free access to WiFi, public computers, laptops, and tablets. Our Tech Savvy one-on-one appointments help community members navigate smartphones, email, online safety, and digital library resources.

- **Mobile Library Services**

Our Mobile Library visits 21 locations across the Richmond Valley and Kyogle regions, including schools and remote communities, ensuring equitable access to library services.

- **At-Home Library Services**

We deliver books and resources fortnightly to 12 home library members and provide bulk loans to two organisations and one school, supporting those unable to visit a branch.



- **Device and Equipment Loans**

Members can borrow tablets and access gaming consoles at Casino Library. We also offer 18 laptops for onsite use across three branches.

- **Community Partnerships and Outreach**

We collaborate with local organisations to deliver outreach programs such as storytime sessions at Bentley Community Preschool and early literacy visits to Jumbunna Community Preschool.

- **Social and Wellbeing Initiatives**

Programs like Playdough Playtime, Bookworms, book discussion groups and adult colouring in promote creativity, literacy, and social connection. We also support initiatives like Share the Dignity and It's in the Bag, helping deliver period care products to those in need.

- **Spaces for Community Use**

Our meeting rooms, especially at Casino and Evans Head Libraries, are used for telehealth appointments, legal services, support groups, and private study. Since launching our online booking platform in October 2024, bookings have increased by 36 percent.

Whether it's borrowing a book, attending a workshop, getting tech help, or simply finding a quiet space to work, our services are designed to meet the evolving needs of our community.



12

home library members received
deliveries fortnightly

2

organisations receive bulk loans

1

school collects bulk loans

7,268

internet bookings were utilised

9,945

wireless sessions

Our Team



The Richmond Upper Clarence Regional Library team is made up of 18 dedicated staff members who bring a wide range of skills, creativity, and care to our library service. Spread across four branches, a mobile library, and outreach locations, our team works collaboratively to deliver high-quality services that reflect the needs and interests of our diverse communities.

Our staff are passionate about literacy, inclusion, and lifelong learning. Whether it's helping someone navigate a new device, curating a themed book display, or running a storytime session, each team member contributes to making our libraries welcoming and responsive spaces.

The Regional Library team participate in a range of training opportunities each year to ensure they have current industry knowledge, as well as understanding the range of applications and resources the library provides to the community.

During the year the Regional Library team had members participate in:

- Annual SWITCH NSW public library services conference
- Annual Libero conference
- SBS Core Inclusion and Diversity training
- Cyber security and modern slavery training
- Libraries as Community Connectors training with Plumtree
- Verbal Judo training
- Novelist training with the State Library of NSW
- eSafety 101 for library staff training
- Corinne connected with key staff at Kyogle Council on partnerships for planning and events
- Aaron was a part of a State Library of NSW, state-wide working group on Reader's Advisory services, helping plan and run their annual meeting

Together, we are proud to be part of a service that is more than books and buildings. We are a team that listens, adapts, and connects.



18

team members

13

permanent staff

1

School-based Trainee

4.2

staff eligible for ALIA professional membership

0.81

staff eligible for ALIA Library Technician membership

Looking Ahead - Key Projects and Initiatives

Casino Library Meeting Rooms

The Casino Library Meeting Room Project, funded by a 2022–23 NSW Public Library Infrastructure Grant, is nearing completion. This initiative will deliver three new meeting rooms, significantly increasing the library's capacity to host programs, workshops, and community gatherings. The design of these spaces prioritises flexibility, accessibility, and comfort, ensuring they can be used for a wide range of purposes including quiet study and tutoring sessions to larger group meetings and creative activities.

The addition of these rooms responds directly to community feedback about the need for more shared spaces in Casino. By providing dedicated areas for collaboration and learning, the library strengthens its role as a community hub. These rooms will also support local organisations and services that rely on accessible venues for outreach and engagement, fostering stronger community connections.

Construction on the meeting rooms is due to be completed late 2025.



Mobile Library Replacement

In 2024–25, the Regional Library was awarded a \$500,000 NSW Public Library Infrastructure Grant to replace its 11-year-old mobile library vehicle. This funding will allow us to design and build a modern, accessible mobile library that better meets the needs of our rural and remote communities. The new vehicle will feature improved technology, climate control, and flexible shelving to accommodate a wider range of materials and programs.

The mobile library is a lifeline for residents who live far from a physical branch, offering access to books, digital resources, and library staff. With this upgrade, we'll be able to expand our outreach, improve service reliability, and create a more welcoming experience for users of all ages. It's a vital investment in equitable access to information and lifelong learning across the region.

New Website and Domain

The Regional Library is currently in the planning stages of launching its own domain and a brand-new website. This digital transformation will streamline access to library services, making it easier for users to browse the catalogue, register for events, and explore digital resources. The new site will be designed with accessibility and mobile responsiveness in mind, ensuring a smooth experience for all users. This project reflects our commitment to evolving with the needs of our users in an increasingly digital world.



2025-26 Key Projects

- **Casino Library Meeting Rooms**

Three new meeting rooms for community use.

- **\$500,000 Mobile Library Replacement**

Funding secured to replace 11-year old Mobile Library

- **New Website and Domain**

Development and launch of the Regional Library's own domain and brand-new website.

- **New Collection Development**

Exploring new formats like picture book nonfiction and video-enhanced books

- **Local History Archives**

Bound editions of the Express Examiner from 2011-2020 will be added to the collection

- **Bookworms Outreach expansion**

Expanding to include visits to Jumbunna Community Preschool and Early Intervention Centre.

- **Achieve Australia Partnership**

Fortnightly outreach program supporting craft and creative programs

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Adult Fiction - Stock	7141	933	1,894	2,634	721	594	13,917
Adult Fiction - Circulation	23,950	607	7,274	10,043	1,549	2	43,425 ↓
Adult Graphic Novel - Stock	45	1	8	3	4	1	62
Adult Graphic Novel - Circulation	104	1	0	3	13	0	121 ↑
Adult Large Print - Stock	869	78	387	645	363	18	2,360
Adult Large Print - Circulation	3,101	160	562	1,556	634	0	6,013 ↓
Adult Non Fiction - Stock	4,751	140	911	2,042	343	391	8,578
Adult Non Fiction - Circulation	8,481	133	1,613	3,126	699	0	14,052 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Local Studies - Stock	128	0	2	9	2	2	143
Local Studies - Circulation	222	0	8	15	8	0	253 ↑
Young Adult Fiction - Stock	687	64	180	234	81	51	1,297
Young Adult Fiction - Circulation	854	32	265	215	47	0	1,413 ↓
Young Adult Graphic Novel - Stock	249	32	52	94	36	0	463
Young Adult Graphic Novel - Circulation	737	53	50	331	90	0	1,261 ↑
Young Adult Non Fiction - Stock	54	10	38	31	0	0	133
Young Adult Non Fiction - Circulation	78	0	16	20	0	0	114 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Junior Fiction - Stock	923	64	245	604	168	99	2,103
Junior Fiction - Circulation	2,712	70	534	1,445	379	0	5,140 ↑
Junior Graphic Novel - Stock	182	20	42	121	58	0	423
Junior Graphic Novel - Circulation	1,067	11	327	277	255	0	1,937 ↑
Junior Fiction Dyslexia - Stock	11	0	0	4	0	0	15
Junior Fiction Dyslexia - Circulation	14	0	1	0	0	0	15 =
Junior Non-Fiction - Stock	792	43	284	602	127	32	1,880
Junior Non-Fiction - Circulation	2,032	79	450	920	275	0	3,756 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Easy Junior Fiction - Stock	688	57	219	446	200	40	1,650
Easy Junior Fiction - Circulation	2,175	45	495	1,128	438	0	4,281 ↓
Easy Junior Graphic Novel - Stock	65	12	23	38	22	0	160
Easy Junior Graphic Novel - Circulation	378	4	158	144	96	0	780 ↑
Easy Junior Fiction Dyslexia - Stock	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
Easy Junior Fiction Dyslexia - Circulation	7	0	0	0	0	0	7 ↑
Picture Book Fiction - Stock	1,414	282	527	1,019	289	14	3,545
Picture Book Fiction - Circulation	8,010	105	2,399	2,707	1,293	0	14,514 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Board Book - Stock	105	28	80	89	100	2	404
Board Book Circulation	1,247	55	628	684	912	0	3,526 ↓
Wonderbook - Stock	4	0	2	2	1	0	9
Wonderbook - Circulation	17	0	4	8	7	0	36 *
Early Readers - Stock	125	34	27	74	56	0	316
Early Readers - Circulation	795	16	119	336	258	0	1,524 ↑
Braille Picture Book - Stock	8	0	0	0	0	0	8
Braille Picture Book - Circulation	12	7	0	0	0	0	19 ↑

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Book Club Set - Stock	0	0	0	0	0	26	26
Book Club Set - Circulation	8	0	0	6	0	0	14 *
Kits - Stock	0	0	0	2	0	5	7
Kits - Circulation	4	0	1	1	0	0	6 *
Brain Kits - Stock	8	0	3	0	0	0	11
Brain Kits - Circulation	19	0	2	1	4	0	26 ↓
Adult Audiobooks - Stock	410	102	201	408	88	31	1,240
Adult Audiobooks - Circulation	940	25	205	607	41	0	1,818 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Junior Audiobooks - Stock	18	0	0	15	1	0	34
Junior Audiobooks - Circulation	27	2	0	21	0	0	50 ↑
Adult DVD - Stock	1,079	309	498	677	190	5	2,758
Adult DVD - Circulation	5,267	170	1,262	3,347	325	0	10,371 ↓
Junior DVD - Stock	271	18	66	182	81	1	619
Junior DVD - Circulation	1,330	26	159	545	281	0	2,341 ↓
Music CD - Stock	45	0	51	85	0	1	182
Music CD - Circulation	57	0	11	70	16	0	154 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Junior Music CD - Stock	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Junior Music CD - Circulation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 ↓
Magazines - Stock	374	20	229	183	131	1	938
Magazines - Circulation	2,115	46	384	780	363	0	3,688 ↓
Youth Magazines - Stock	4	0	0	0	106	0	110
Youth Magazines - Circulation	33	0	0	0	174	0	207 ↓
Seed Library - Stock	61	29	94	109	27	0	320
Seed Library - Circulation	2,665	69	487	837	9	0	4,067 ↑

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection

	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Cake Tin - Stock	48	0	0	0	0	0	48
Cake Tin - Circulation	47	0	5	14	0	0	66 ↑
Exercise Equipment - Stock	37	0	0	0	1	0	38
Exercise Equipment - Circulation	60	0	0	2	2	0	64 ↓
Jigsaw Puzzle - Stock	114	3	19	38	3	0	177
Jigsaw Puzzle - Circulation	516	0	79	164	4	0	763 ↑
Knitting Needle - Stock	41	0	0	0	0	0	41
Knitting Needle - Circulation	7	0	0	0	0	0	7 ↓

Regional Library Statistics - Physical Collection							
	Casino	Coraki	Evans Head	Kyogle	Mobile Library	ArtVanGo/ Stack	Total
Crochet Hook - Stock	26	0	0	0	0	0	26
Crochet Hook - Circulation	22	0	0	2	0	0	24 ↑
Tablet - Stock	2	0	2	2	0	0	6
Tablet - Circulation	3	0	5	0	0	0	8 =
Reference - Stock	55	3	34	56	1	42	191
Local Studies Reference - Stock	248	0	3	88	0	286	625

↓ Decrease circulation compared to 2023-24 figures

↑ Increase circulation compared to 2023-24 figures

* New collection

Quiet Area



Richmond-Upper Clarence
Regional Library