

Monday 30th	Tuesday 1st	Wednesday 2nd	Thursday 3rd	Friday 4th
Big Inflatables/Aquarun: Everyday 1pm - 3pm @ Makino				
10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Dive Into Creativity</b>	9:45am - 10am @ MCHL <b>Storytime</b>	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Hovercrafts</b>	10am @ MCHL Makerspace <b>Design &amp; Create Stickers</b> (Bookings essential \$2pp)	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Stars</b>
12pm @ Makino <b>Under 8's Snorkelling</b> (Bookings essential)	10am - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Star Dome</b> This is a free event. Eight sessions available, each limited to 20 children. (Bookings essential)	2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Virtual Reality</b> (Bookings essential)	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Octopuses</b>	10am - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Minecraft - 1 hour sessions</b> (Bookings essential)
1pm @ Makino <b>Over 8's Snorkelling</b> (Bookings essential)			12:30pm @ Makino <b>Canoe Paddling</b> (Bookings essential)	12:30pm @ Makino <b>Water Safety Session</b> <b>Safety on Boats</b> (Bookings Essential)
2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Movie Mondays</b>	12:30pm @ Makino <b>Lifeguard Water Safety Session</b> (Bookings essential)		2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Virtual Reality</b> (Bookings essential)	
Monday 7th	Tuesday 8th	Wednesday 9th	Thursday 10th	Friday 11th
Private Swim Lessons: Monday - Friday @ Makino				
Big Inflatables/Aquarun: Everyday 1pm - 3pm @ Makino				
10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Moo Bottles</b>	9:45am - 10am @ MCHL <b>Storytime</b>	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Tie Dye Art Under 8's</b>	9:45am - 10am @ MCHL <b>Storytime</b>	9:45am - 10am @ MCHL <b>Storytime</b>
2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Movie Mondays</b>	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Creation Station</b>	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Tie Dye T-shirts Over 8's</b> (Bookings essential \$6pp)	10am - 11:30am @ MCHL <b>Craft - Lobster or Stingray</b>	10am - 10:50am @ MCHL <b>Coding for 4-7 years</b> (Bookings essential)
3pm @ Makino <b>Under 8's Snorkelling</b> (Bookings essential)	2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Virtual Reality</b> (Bookings essential)	2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Virtual Reality</b> (Bookings essential)	2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Virtual Reality</b> (Bookings essential)	11am - 11:50am @ MCHL <b>Coding for 8+ years</b> (Bookings essential)
4pm @ Makino <b>Over 8's Snorkelling</b> (Bookings essential)	3pm @ Makino <b>Canoe Paddling</b> (Bookings essential)	2pm - 4pm @ MCHL <b>Virtual Reality</b> (Bookings essential)	3pm @ Makino <b>Under 8's Aqua Dance</b>	4pm @ Makino <b>Float-In Movie Night: Elemental</b> (Bookings essential)
	4pm @ Makino <b>Canoe Paddling</b> (Bookings essential)	3pm @ Makino <b>Poolside Pages</b>	4pm @ Makino <b>Over 8's Aqua Dance</b>	6:30pm @ Makino <b>Float-In Movie Night: Jaws 2</b> (Bookings essential)

## Colour Key for Events

Manawatū Community Hub Libraries @ MCHL

Makino Aquatic Centre @ Makino

Joint event: Manawatū Community Hub Libraries & Makino Aquatic Centre

## Programme Information

### Craft Sessions

Craft sessions run from 10am - 11:30am. Limited supplies are available, so we suggest arriving between 10am - 10:30am.

### VR Sessions - 20 minute

Available between 2pm - 4pm at set times each week. Age 8+  
**Bookings essential**  
To book VR, phone: 06 323 5373

### Float-In Movie Night

For the little splashers, we're screening **Elemental**, for the brave and buoyant, take the plunge with **Jaws 2**... if you dare!  
**Bookings essential**  
[mdc.jonasleisure.com.au/Ticket/Buy](http://mdc.jonasleisure.com.au/Ticket/Buy)

### Poolside Pages

Storytime with a splash! Dive into imagination as we read children's books out loud by the Learn to Swim pool.

### Bookings

To book for either facility scan the QR code or visit:  
[mdc.jonasleisure.com.au/Ticket/Buy](http://mdc.jonasleisure.com.au/Ticket/Buy)  
For VR bookings please see info above



## Dive Into Creativity

Make a splash these school holidays by crafting your own quirky diver at MCHL on Monday 30 June, then swim it over to the Makino for our fun-filled **Diver Art Competition!**

Your diver will join a colourful underwater gallery on display at the Makino all holidays long!

### Awesome prizes up for grabs in three age groups:

- Preschool
- 5–8 years
- 9+ years

### Important dates:

- Create your diver at MCHL: Mon 30 June
- Drop entries to the Makino: by Wed 2 July
- Winners announced: Friday 11 July

Get crafty with popsicle sticks, googly eyes, straws – anything to make your diver shine!

## New Splash-tacular Aquarun at the Makino!

Get ready for the ultimate inflatable adventure! Our brand new Aquarun will arrive these school holidays – bigger, bouncier, and more fun than ever.

Join us daily from 1–3pm for slippery slides, wild jumps, and non-stop laughs. Don't miss the splash!

**To use the Aquarun Children may be required to take a swim test at the lifeguard's discretion.**

Visit our websites for opening hours.

[www.mchl.co.nz](http://www.mchl.co.nz)  
[www.makino.co.nz](http://www.makino.co.nz)

## Star Dome Adventures: Journey Through Matariki

This July, journey to the stars with Spaceward Bound NZ and their incredible Star Dome experience. Step inside the dome for a captivating, guided experience where science meets storytelling themed around Matariki, New Zealand's stunning clusters of stars that mark the Māori New Year.

**This event is free**, but due to limited places be sure to book so you don't miss out!

### Star Dome Session Times

Join us for one of our exciting sessions throughout the day!

- ★ 10:00 AM – Session 1
- ★ 11:15 AM – Session 2
- ★ 12:00 PM – Session 3
- ★ 12:45 PM – Session 4
- ★ 1:30 PM – Session 5
- ★ 2:15 PM – Session 6
- ★ 3:00 PM – Session 7
- ★ 3:45 PM – Session 8

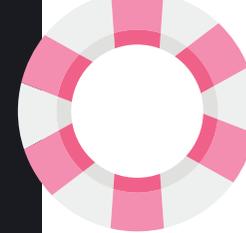
Each session is limited to 20 children, so be sure to book early to secure your spot!



### Bookings essential

To make your free Star Dome booking, scan the QR code or visit:

[mdc.jonasleisure.com.au/Ticket/Buy](http://mdc.jonasleisure.com.au/Ticket/Buy)



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## What's On



# July School Holiday Programmes



30 June – 11 July 2025

