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Author talks will discuss the supernatural

Delve into the mysterious realm of past lives and reincarnation with radio and TV presenter and author, Barry Eaton, at Camden Council's upcoming author talks.

Mr Eaton, who will be at **Oran Park Library on Thursday 14 March, at 6.30pm**, said he will talk about the themes in his new book, *Past Lives Unveiled*.

"I'll even explore some of my own colourful experiences, one of which took me back to a life in ancient Greece and another that explored the life of a soldier in the US Civil War!" Mr Eaton said.

"I'll also discuss why we can't remember our past lives, whether reincarnation is inevitable and how people can find out about their past.

"These talks are fantastic because they provide everyone with the opportunity to meet and hear directly from writers about their latest work. It's one thing to read about an author or their book, or even see or hear an interview, but the personal contact is a totally different experience."

Mayor of Camden, Peter Sidgreaves, said Camden, Oran Park and Narellan Libraries are centres dedicated to all kinds of learning, not just spaces focused on borrowing books.

"Parents can bring their infants to Storytime and enjoy stories, songs and crafts, teenagers can come along to the Dungeons and Dragons gaming enthusiast group and adults who have a knack for craft can enjoy Click, Clack and Yak, a social knitting group," Cr Sidgreaves said.

"We know our community is diverse and our residents have so many different needs, passions and interests. Our libraries run more than 1,600 programs every year, so we can make sure there's something for everyone – as well as plenty of books!"

There are a number of other workshops and activities on at Council's libraries, including:

- Seed saving and composting workshop, run by Macarthur Centre for Sustainable Living expert, Helen Byfield-Fleming, on Saturday 16 March, 10.30am-12.30pm, at Oran Park Library.
- Wall hanger Macramé, local expert, Angie Duncan, on Saturday 23 March, 9.30-11.30am, at Camden Library; and
- Legal talk on Tuesday 26 March, 6pm, at Oran Park Library.

Bookings are essential for all workshops and activities at Council's libraries. For more information, to see what else is coming up, and to register for an activity, visit library.camden.nsw.gov.au/bookings

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