

## Playford North Connections

Offers a range of programs and activities developed to suit the needs of the community.

Offering friendship, activities, fitness, learning opportunities, information sessions, social interaction and respite.

Located at:  
John McVeity Centre  
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SA 5113



# Community Services



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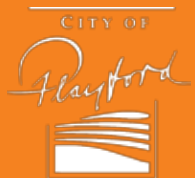
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## Social connection programs

These programs have been developed to provide a friendly and supportive environment to foster on going independence for older people living in Playford North.

### The Kookaburra Group

**When:** Wednesdays  
9am – 2pm

### Malpa Group

**When:** Thursdays  
9am – 2pm

Activities and Services that are offered in these programs include:

- Entertainment
- Craft
- Outings
- Games and activities
- Information and referral to services
- Guest speakers / workshops
- Links to allied health services

Activities are determined by consumers during group sessions with an aim to increase community connection and participation, expand opportunities for creative and fulfilling activities, contribute to the community in which they live, reduce isolation and maintain personal independence.

## Computer and IT courses

There are basic to intermediate classes, which include topics such as Email, Word and Publisher. For more information about our courses and programs, call City of Playford Community Services on **8256 0333**.

### Eligibility criteria

People eligible for the programs include residents of the City of Playford who are over 65 and who are isolated through frailty, mental illness, lack of transport or social/support networks.

These activities and services are for people with low level care requirements. Should the needs of attendee's increase, Playford Staff will support individuals to transition into more appropriate service.

**Cost:** A small fee is required to cover costs of these activities.

## Volunteering in the programs

City of Playford acknowledges the valuable support and contribution of community volunteers in its programs.

There are lots of benefits to becoming a volunteer. Contact **8256 0333** to find out more.

