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Greater Hume Libraries and Jindera Community Hub receive \$1500 to help celebrate Get Online Week 2018

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Next month will see Greater Hume Council Libraries help residents to improve their digital skills, thanks to the international campaign Get Online Week.

The event, taking place at our Libraries and the Jindera Community Hub gives everyone the chance to make the most of the internet, no matter how confident they are online.

Running from October 15 - October 21, Get Online Week will see hundreds of community events take place across the country. It is the first time the campaign has been held in Australia, after 11 successful years in the UK where hundreds of thousands of people have been supported.

Jess Wilson, National Director for Good Things Foundation, the organisation running the campaign, says "Get Online Week will help thousands of people across Australia to improve their digital skills - whether they've never been online before, or have done a little but want to do more. There is free and friendly support in hundreds of communities, and so whatever you want to do online, you can find the support to do it."

Susan Kane from Greater Hume Libraries says: "More people than you probably think still don't use the internet at all, and we're here to help. Getting the most out of the internet doesn't have to be scary. Doing just one new thing online is all you need to do to get started - come along to our events and we can help you do just that!

"We'll be holding Get Online Week events and there'll be lots of friendly support for anyone who wants to start doing a bit more online - and it's absolutely free."

Events will be held as follows:

Location	Date	Time	Details	Bookings
Henty Library	Monday 15 October	11am-12pm	Join Library staff and learn how to access the Library's Online Information then have the ultimate experience with Virtual Reality. Enjoy morning and afternoon tea.	For bookings at the Henty, Culcairn and Jindera Library contact Council on (02) 6036 0100.
Culcairn Library	Monday 15 October	3pm - 4pm		
Jindera Community Hub	Monday 22 October	4pm - 5pm		

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Holbrook Library	Thursday 18 October	11am	Join Leonie for morning tea and we'll show you how to use Facebook and Skype	Contact the Holbrook CTC (02) 6036 3262

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