

Cookability creating budding chefs

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Dana Milner, Emmilou Medley (4), Madeline Conway (3), Oliver Whymark (4), Daphne Hutchison (4), Sophie Hutchison (2), Callie Beaton (7), Annabel Wickenden (4) and Jodi Spinks were busy in the Cookability kitchen at a previous workshop. Photos by Dominica Sanda

Cookability offers children a wonderful way to learn how to cook during the school holidays. The program begins on April 11 and runs until April 21 and classes are filling up. Most classes are suitable for children from aged six to 14 years, however check the website for individual recommendations, times and costs.

Start the holiday cooking classes on Monday, April 11 with a good old pie - suitable for any time of year. At this class you will make your own shortcrust pastry for the base, then fill up the pie with your own lovely creation. Finish it off by decorating the top with golden puff pastry. And don't forget to make the chocolate brownies as well. On Tuesday, April 12, it's Mexican and Portuguese day. Make delicious nachos from scratch and season them in your own special way. Guacamole will top off the dish and for something sweet, children will learn to make mouth-watering Portuguese tarts.

On Wednesday, April 13 get the kids to create you something special for Mother's day. This popular class will show the children how to spoil their mum with homemade breakfast cereal (granola) and some seriously good French toast topped with maple syrup. Finish off the day with some hand-made meringue kisses - the perfect loving gift for mum. There are so many great cooking classes on offer at Cookability these school holidays.

Choose from schnitzel and cake, or Pad Thai for the older children, rainbow cakes, delicious honey soy chicken with fried rice plus you will learn how to make your own thirst-quenching lemonade.

There is something for everyone here, and children will be kept busy in a fun and exciting environment.

Book now to avoid disappointment. Cookability is at Kazcare, Room 7. 15-17 Kirkham road (Cnr Kirkham and Centennial roads) in Bowral. Call them on 4861 6122 or 0402 657961. Further detail can be found at: www.cookability.com.au or send an email to melissa@cookability.com.au