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SEPTEMBER 2024

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Editor's Desk

Spring has arrived, the tulips are in full bloom and the year is rapidly drawing to a close. Where did all that time go? For those who missed our Story Telling Night, everyone enjoyed the night and we received amazing feedback from all attendees, we will be doing more again. Also big thanks to Gary who for the 2nd week in a row supplied us all with some amazing mandarins from his tree, thanks Gary they are absolutely delicious. Don't forget to get your images into the End of Year Comp and Quad Comp coming up in October. So get out there and continue snapping, cheers.

TUESDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER: 7:00PM

Audio Visual Group Meeting

BCC Club Rooms - Weeroona Pavilion (Rowing Club), Lake Weeroona VIC

For any members who are interested in making, or want to know more about Audio Visual Presentations, don't forget our Audio Visual Group meets on the fourth Tuesday of every month.

TUESDAY 8TH OCTOBER: 7:00PM

Judging Night:
Macro / Close-up

*BCC Club Rooms -
Weeroona Pavilion (Rowing Club),
Lake Weeroona VIC*

Join us for the results of our October Competition and see what our members were able to find in their search for interesting Macro & Close-up shots.



SUNDAY 6TH OCTOBER 2024: 12 NOON

Tamron Lens Presentation



Carisbrook Senior Citizens Hall - 19 Urquhart Street, Carisbrook VIC

Maryborough Camera Club has invited us to a presentation on the Tamron Range of lenses. A Tamron representative will be present as well there will be chances to test drive most of the range. If you would like to get a lift, please let Pauline or I know and we can organise a pick up point.

PDF Invitation: <https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fi/4cmvakvg6l40hx8vnaefc/Maryborough-Camera-Club-Tamron.pdf?rlkey=6wtf8bh9dyd508y22xr0svm9v&dl=0>

ENTRIES CLOSE: TUESDAY 15TH OCT: 11:45PM

BCC END OF YEAR PHOTO COMPETITION 2024

The deadline for the End of Year Photo Competition is rapidly drawing near, so those members planning on entering the End of Year Competition need to start deciding which images they would like to submit.

Remember all images entered into the 'End of Year Competition' must have been previously entered into any of the years general competitions. You may enter up to 5 images in total.

The Judge will award prizes to the best images for each of the following categories: Landscape, Portrait, Creative, Nature and, Photojournalism. So when entering this may be worth consideration.

TUESDAY 15TH OCTOBER: 7:00PM

Activity Night: Information Night

BCC Club Rooms - Weeroona Pavilion (Rowing Club), Lake Weeroona VIC

Slideshow of the BCC Quad Comp images entered, explaining the process and enticing members to join us in attending on October 19th.

We have Asked Greg to introduce members to our 2025 Photobooks topic. BCC Market (an event we have held in the past where people bring in photography gear they would like to swap, sell or give away).

TUESDAY 29TH OCTOBER: 7:00PM

Social Club Dinner

National Hotel - High Street, Bendigo VIC

Next months social dinner is in the planning. For those who are looking to attend please add your name and any guests attending to the list that will be at the front table at our next club meeting.

FORWARD PLANNING

SATURDAY 7TH DECEMBER: 6:00PM

BCC END OF YEAR DINNER 2024

The end of the Year is fast approaching and the Committee is in the process of organising the Dinner and Awards Presentation. This year we will be self catering the event at our Clubrooms. We will announce more details regarding the event in coming newsletters, so please stay tuned.

SATURDAY 19TH OCTOBER: 12:30PM - 4PM

Quad Comp 2024

*Chewton Senior Citizen Hall -
201 Main Rd, Chewton VIC*

Cordially invites: All members of Bendigo Camera Club, Macedon Ranges PS, Maryborough Camera Club & Mount Alexander PS to Quad Comp 2024. Registration will commence at 12:30pm with the official proceedings beginning at 1:00pm. Proceedings to finish at 3pm approx. We will then have afternoon tea. Close of Day 4pm approx.



In the evening, all Quad members are invited to the Maurocco Bar in Templeton Street for an evening of music - Mention QUAD to get in. BAR OPENS AT 6pm SHOWTIME 8-10

Or book a table at one of the many Castlemaine restaurants/ pubs for dinner and finish the night at the Maurocco Bar. If you would like to attend Quad Comp this year please Please RSVP to Pauline Moore by October 4th with the following information:

- Your Name (and Guest if required)
- Dietary Requirements
- Numbers attending Maurocco Bar (this is an optional activity).
- Carpooling: Do you need a lift or can you offer a lift?:

email Pauline: paulinemoore011@gmail.com

REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE

Allan Doney Collection

On behalf of the Bendigo Historical Society, Peter Legg is looking for members who would be willing to volunteer to be trained and assist in management of an important job of transferring 35mm film negatives owned by the National Trust from the old style paper sleeves to modern archival polypropylene film enclosures. People with experience in handling and managing 35mm film formats would be an advantage, but training is available for those without experience who would still love to help out and you would be doing great service in maintaining the history of a valuable resource covering our local history from the 1950 - 1970's.

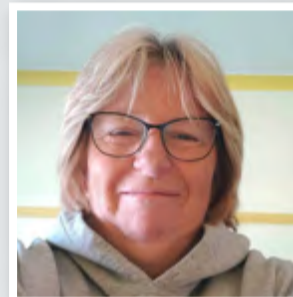
If anyone can help please speak to Peter Legg or email: Euan McGillivray - President, Bendigo Historical Society: president@bendigohistory.com



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YOUR BCC COMMITTEE 2023 / 2024

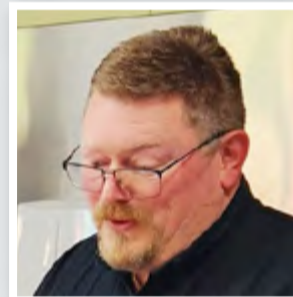
All BCC Members are encouraged to get to know their Committee Members so they can approach them with any enquiries, complaints or suggestions. So we have put together a little photo board below so that new coming members may easily recognise and get to know us better.



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President
[email Pauline](mailto:email_pauline)



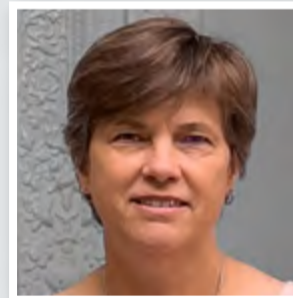
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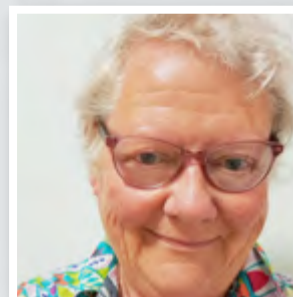
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DO YOU HAVE A POST FOR THE NOTICE BOARD

Just a friendly reminder to members of our new Notice Board Section, where members can add event invitations, ask questions, or sell old equipment they no longer need. If anyone has anything they want to add to the Notice Board, please don't hesitate to contact Mark by phone: 0439 655 695 or email: frissy33@gmail.com or in person at any of the meetings. If at any stage I'm not available please contact Flic via email: secretary@bendigocameraclub.org.au

BCC MEMBERS NOTICE BOARD

PHOTO REQUEST - ST PAUL'S ANGLICAN CATHEDRAL

We have had a request from the Cathedral Parish Council (CPC) of the St Paul's Anglican Cathedral Bendigo, asking the participation of the Bendigo Camera Club (BCC) in the compilation of a photographic profile of the historic Cathedral. As such, the CPC is keen to source a selection of quality images that could be used for purely non-profit purposes, such as contributing to a visitor information booklet. The CPC would guarantee that the BCC photographers are recognised when their images are used. We have created a timetable that avoids religious services and we would love volunteers to help with this project. We have decided on Groups of 6 per day for the shoots. Dates & Times are as follows: Tuesday 24th September (4-6pm), Friday 27th September (2-4pm), Saturday 28th September (9-11am), Monday 7th October (9-11am) Please contact Brian Hinneberg (Treasurer) - for more details or to book a spot: brianhinneberg@gmail.com

PRESIDENTS MONTHLY MONOLOGUE

My Fellow Members

Mildura Trip
It was good to see 10 people enjoy the Mildura weekend. After arriving on Friday we settled into Brian and Nola's cabin for dinner and a chance to show off our treasure hunt phone photos from our trip up. Starting off the weekend with a relaxed evening of laughs and brilliant conversations. On Saturday a sunrise meet up along the banks of the Murray River provided a photo opportunity for everyone's liking. After we all headed out to different attractions it was nice to cross paths with everyone as you ventured to a new destination, after sharing some tips on each area. After spending the day wandering around it was nice to all meet up for dinner at a local Chinese restaurant, where of course lots more laughs and tales of the days adventures continued. After dinner we managed an Astro workshop at the local salt lake. Sunday morning was again spent watching the sun rise along the Murray River. Where are goodbye were said. Although we all seemed to cross paths on the way home. Thanks to the 7 members and 3 family members who came and made the weekend a relaxing, fun enjoyable trip.

End of Year Dinner & Presentation Night

This year's Annual Presentation Night will be at the club rooms on the 7th December. It will be a sit down meal. More details will be released next month. If you have not been before this a social occasion where we as the club get to acknowledge the effort of our fellow club members and enjoy in the successes. I'm looking forward to seeing you all there.

As always feel free to contact me if you have any queries

Pauline Moore BCC President 0413 968 793

BCC COMPETITION DEADLINES 2025: 11:45PM

BCC Photo Competition Set Subjects 2025

Get a head start on the Set Subjects for the BCC Photographic Competitions 2025. As each current Competition is in play a more comprehensive description (definition) will be added to that subject in the hope that it will help members define what they wish to shoot. If you are still uncertain of what to shoot, please ask any of the Committee Members for help and they will attempt to give you more guidance.

ARTIFICIAL LIGHT Due Tuesday 14th January 2025

Use man-made lights such as studio lights, flashes, or street lamps, to enhance your subject/s for visually compelling results.

Artificial light refers to any light source that is man-made, including studio lights, flashes, LED lights, and other lighting equipment. The focus is on how photographers manipulate and control artificial light to enhance their subjects, create mood, add colour, highlight textures, or craft dramatic effects.

Entries should demonstrate a strong understanding of lighting techniques, showing how artificial light can be used to shape, define, or transform the subject matter. Participants are encouraged to push the boundaries of artificial lighting to produce visually compelling and innovative photographs.

PORTRAITS Due Tuesday 11th February 2025

Convey a story or emotion through your image of a person. Create a mood by highlighting facial expressions, body language, and/or the environment in which the subject is placed.

INTENTIONAL CAMERA MOVEMENT Due Tuesday 8th April 2025

Create abstract, impressionistic, or dynamic effects by moving the camera during exposure. Showcase artistic use of camera movement to convey emotion, atmosphere, or unique interpretations.

TRIPTYCH (SERIES OF 3 IMAGES) Due Tuesday 10th June 2025

Create a cohesive, visually engaging work using three distinct images that, when combined, convey a unified idea or artistic expression.

AUSTRALIANA Due Tuesday 12th August 2025

Showcase the spirit of Australia. Explore landscapes, wildlife, culture, and iconic elements. Convey a sense of place, culture, and distinctive qualities. Offer a compelling and authentic glimpse into what it means to be Australian.

STRUCTURES Due Tuesday 9 September 2025

Photograph man-made structures. Focus on form, space, light, design, and aesthetics. Highlight visual appeal, historical significance, or cultural context. Offer a fresh perspective or artistic interpretation.



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2ND OR 3RD FRIDAY OF THE MONTH: 5PM START

Sidewalk Astronomy

Discovery Science & Technology Centre - Bendigo VIC

Discovery Science and Technology Centre have paired up with The Bendigo Astronomical Society Victoria (ASV) to bring an all-weather sidewalk astronomy experience. No longer are we at the mercy of cumulus formations our planetarium will let you can see the planets and constellations digitally before heading out to the Astronomical team to see them up close and personal through some incredible telescopes. Sidewalk Astronomy is the Friday closest to the first quarter of the moon. If you just wish to be part of the Sidewalk Astronomy experience that part is totally free! Friday: 11th Oct, 8th Nov, 13th Dec. Please see website for details & bookings: <https://ecom.roller.app/discovery/sidewalkastronomy/en/products?date=2024-05-11>

SUNDAYS MOST OF THE YEAR: VARIOUS TIMES

Swan Bay Express Train Rides



Queenscliff Station - Bellarine Railway, 20 Symonds St, Queenscliff VIC

Travel across the Bellarine along Swan Bay and through remnant bushland as the train traverses rural farmland on its way to Queenscliff and skirts the foreshore around Swan Bay during the eight-kilometre trip. Trains run on most Sundays year-round and on selected public holidays. On running days trips will depart at 11:00am, 12:00pm and 2:15pm. Please note bookings are recommended to avoid disappointment. Please see website for further details: <https://bellarinerailway.com.au/heritage-train-rides/>

SECOND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH: 2PM - 4:30PM



Central Deborah Goldmine (76 Violet Street), Bendigo VIC

On the second Saturday of every month: August 10th, September 14th, October 12th, November 9th 2024, you can enjoy the sights of Bendigo's architecturally stunning CBD from on board the sensationally restored vintage Class tram 610, while being serenaded. Please see website for details: <https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/events/bendigo-blues-tram>

SATURDAYS: 5:30PM - 7PM & 8PM - 9:30PM



Alexandra Fountain Tram Stop - Charing Cross, Bendigo VIC

Step on board one of Bendigo's iconic trams and be transported to a world of pure entertainment, where live music, local brews, and fine wine, are all enjoyed against a picturesque backdrop. Please see website for details: <https://www.bendigotramways.com/tours/groove-tram>

SEPTEMBER - NOVEMBER: VARIOUS TIMES

BLOOM Festival Bendigo

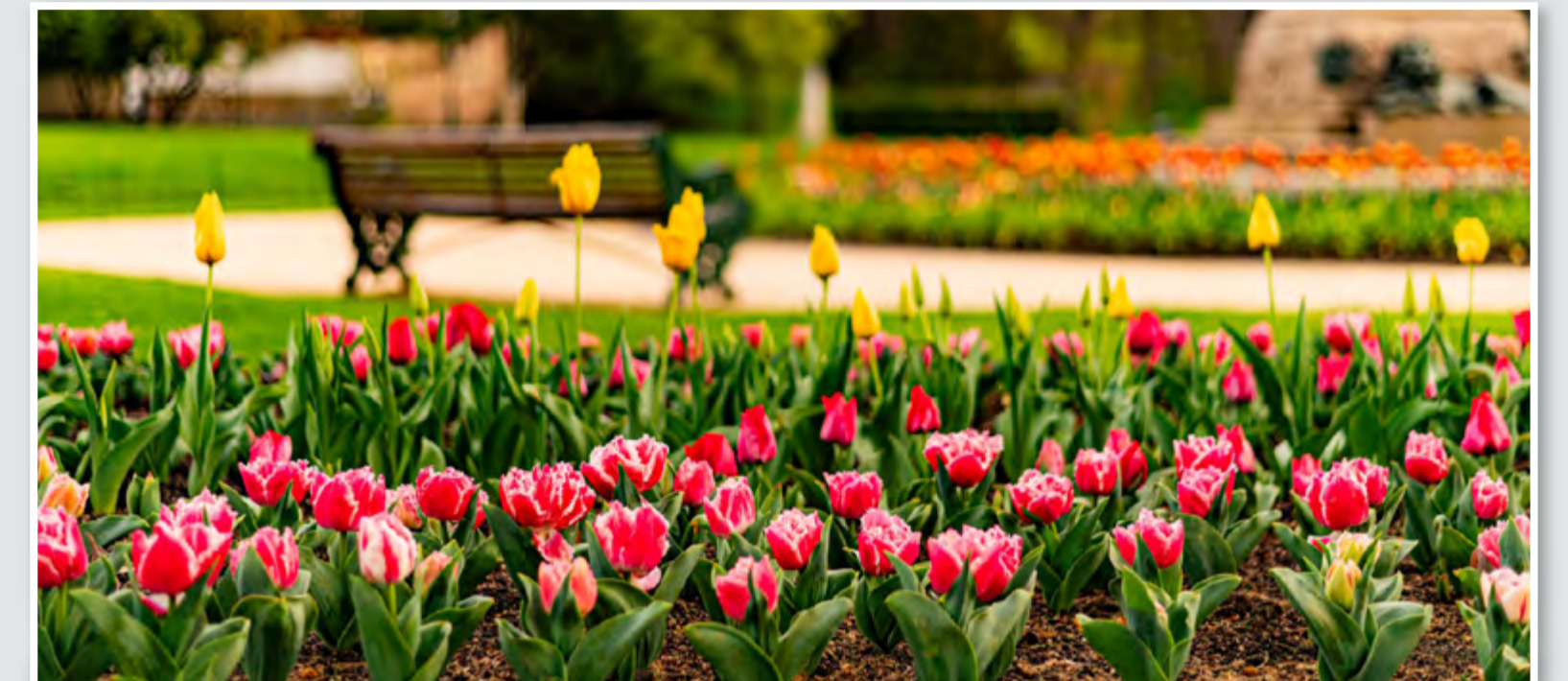


Various Places - Bendigo VIC

Welcome to Bloom - Bendigo's spring program of events and experiences! Bendigo is celebrating its 21st anniversary of its famous Tulip display with over 43,000 tulips blooming along Pall Mall, the Conservatory and various gardens. Come and explore our beautiful city and enjoy food and wine events that celebrate spring. Please see website for details: <https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/bloom>

MID SEPTEMBER - MID OCTOBER: 24 / 7

Bendigo Annual Tulip Display

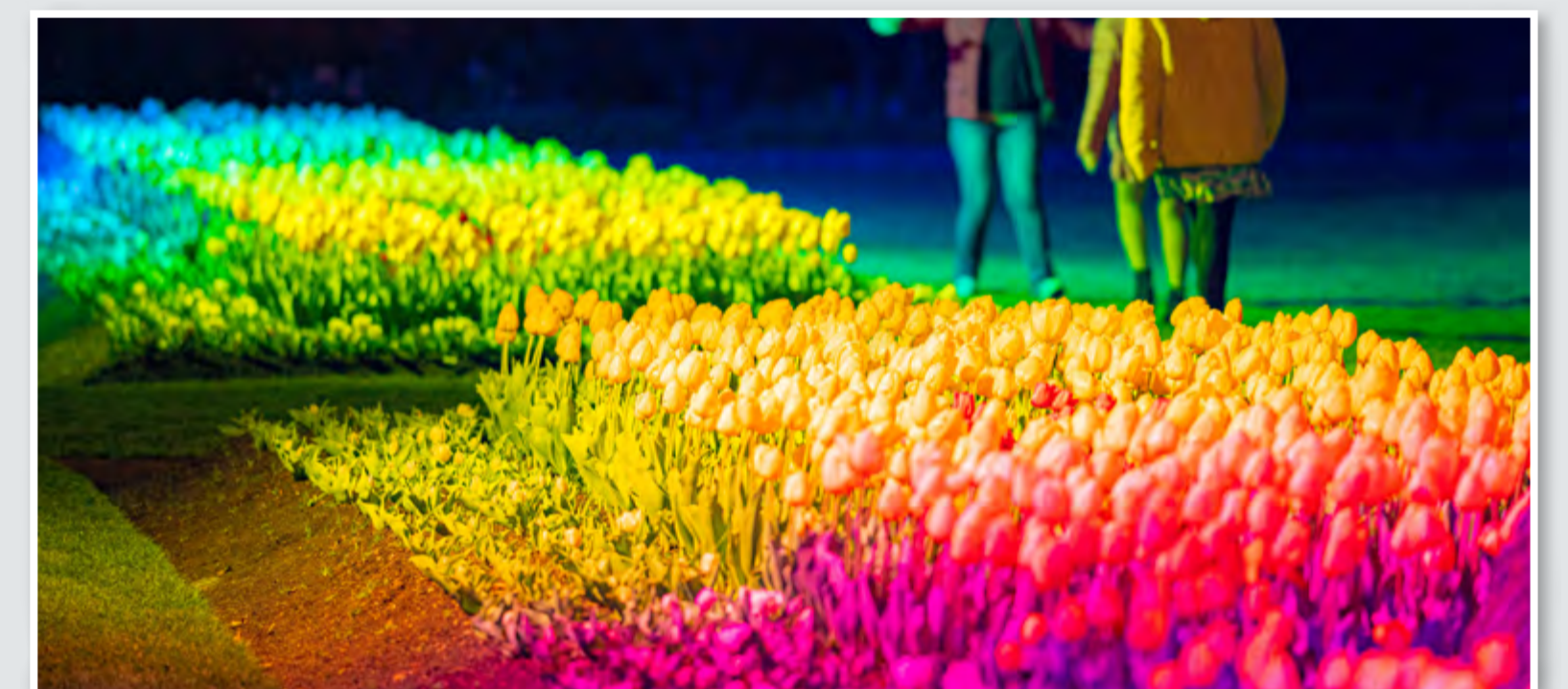


Various Locations - Bendigo VIC

As the warmer days and clear skies appear, more than 43,000 of Bendigo's famed tulips open to brighten the beautiful heritage streets. The Bendigo Annual Tulip Display is part of our Spring program, Bloom. The majority of tulips are now in bloom and expected to last for the next 2 weeks (weather dependent). The City of Greater Bendigo's Park and Natural Reserves team put on a great annual Tulip display along Pall Mall and Conservatory Garden. The display features more than 43,000 tulips in an assortment of colours, sizes and blooming times. Please click this link to download our [Tulip Displays Map](https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/bloom), or for details visit the website: <https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/bloom>

FRI 20TH SEPT - SUN 6TH OCT: 6.30PM - 9:30PM

Bloom After Dark



Various Locations - Bendigo VIC

Discover Bendigo's Tulip Display after dark! Running nightly from Friday 20 September - Sunday October 6th, this free, family friendly activation is sure to impress the entire family. Stroll along Pall Mall and explore glowing tulip beds and interactive flowers. Celebrate The Year of the Dragon at the Dai Gum San precinct, where Yi Yuan Gardens will come to life with a tunnel of lanterns, floating lotus flowers in the pond, and a large illuminated Chinese dragon! Please click this link to download our [Bloom After Dark Map](https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/bloom), or for details visit the website: <https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/bloom>



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FRIDAY - MONDAY: 11AM – 5PM

Cornella Canola Walk



The Shiraz Republic - 507 Hamblin Rd, Cornella VIC

Central Victoria is known for its amazing canola fields which flower from August into early September. The time is ripe for a visit to the iconic Colbinabbin/Cornella canola fields as they come into bloom and colour the paddocks fluorescent yellow! In conjunction with the Shiraz Republic and Cornella Brewery, we have established a viewing platform and walking track through the flowering yellow crop. Most farmers, understandably, do not want tourists entering their canola fields and unknowingly destroying the crop and potentially spreading disease but the Shiraz Republic has created a track and viewing platform in their 100 acre fields of canola so that tourists can wander through the canola field and take their insta-worthy selfies! Walk the canola fields. Immerse yourself in the sea of yellow colour. Park safely at the Shiraz Republic cellar door. Walk the Canola Trail. Experience the 360 degree wonder. Enjoy a drink and something to eat at our picturesque cellar door or visit nearby Colbinabbin to view the spectacular Silo Art. Stay in one of their cabins and take advantage of early morning or evening photography.

Tickets & Information

Entry is \$10 per Adult, \$5 Children (Children Under 5 FREE). A Family Pass is \$30. Purchase tickets from Shiraz Republic's cellar door and to collect your guide. Open Friday to Monday 11am – 5pm. Other times by appointment. Please see website for details: <https://shirazrepublic.com.au/cornella-canola-walk/>

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER: VARIOUS TIMES

Spring In The Bush



Various Locations - Bendigo VIC

The City of Greater Bendigo's Climate Change and Environment team have put together a wonderful array of workshops, walks and talks taking place in the Bendigo to celebrate the natural landscapes of the box-ironbark country. All events are free. Please see website for full program: <https://www.bendigoregion.com.au/explore-bendigo/spring-in-the-bush>

SEPTEMBER - NOVEMBER 2024

Sonic Bloom: A Transformative Sound Experience



Rosalind Park Conservatory - Bendigo VIC

This spring 2024, Rosalind Park's historic Conservatory will come to life with "Sonic Bloom", a transformative sound experience designed by Artistic Producer Aimee Chapman and commissioned by the City of Greater Bendigo with support from Emporium Creative Hub. Sonic Bloom invites you to step away from the everyday bombardment of screens and visual stimuli and reconnect with Bendigo's extraordinary parks and gardens through immersive soundscapes, audio stories, and live music. Join us on the Conservatory lawns on Sundays, September 8th, October 6th, and November 3rd, as Aimee Chapman is joined by an eclectic roster of talented musicians and performers from across regional Victoria, including Troy Firebrace, Aviva Edean, and Nathan Curnow. Together, they will create improvised live performances fueled by sound recordings from Bendigo's parks and gardens, including talks with the workers and volunteers who care for these beautiful spaces. These performances will then be available to experience by visitors during Conservatory opening hours for the remainder of Spring. Bring a picnic and immerse yourself in this harmonious blend of art, nature, history, and community at Rosalind Park's Conservatory, Pall Mall, Bendigo. Live Performances: Sunday 8 September, 2pm – 3pm, Sunday 6 October, 2pm – 3pm, Sunday 3 November, 2pm – 3pm. Sound installation daily throughout Spring inside the Conservatory: Opening hours: 7 days a week, 7am - 9pm.

CURRENT - SUNDAY 13TH OCTOBER: 1PM - 5PM

20th Century Monochrome



XYZ Photo Gallery - 312/757 Bourke St, Docklands VIC

The gallery has been collecting important works from the history of photography. This exhibition highlights the black and white work of many of the most important figures. With the revival of digital photography, it is time to revisit the best of the past to inspire a new generation of photographers to explore and find their own voice. Please see website for details: <https://www.photo-gallery.xyz/>

CURRENT - FRI 25TH OCT: MON - FRI 10AM - 4.30PM

Reception This Way



Victorian Archives Centre - 99 Shiel St, North Melbourne VIC

Travel around Australia revisiting your memories of the classic Aussie motel, from family holidays and long road trips to continental breakfasts and mid-century mod-cons. In a land where the car has provided us with the ultimate freedom to hit the road and explore, it is no surprise that Australians wholeheartedly embraced the American concept of the motel. When motels began springing up in the 1950s, they represented a new, stylish and sophisticated way to travel on a driving holiday through the quintessential Australian experience. Please see website for details: <https://www.naa.gov.au/visit-us/victoria>

CURRENT - SUN 27TH OCT: 4PM - 10PM WED - SUN

Sensual Sheets and Natural Textures

Life's Too Short Bar - Shop 2/412 Victoria Pde, East Melbourne VIC

In his first solo exhibition, Melbourne artist Scott McKernan presents a collection of varied stipplings crafted during the pandemic. His fine dot art is created with black pigments in the traditional Renaissance style but adapted to the ordinary textures of everyday objects that somehow transform them into the extraordinary. Peruse these beautiful detailed works over a glass or two of fine wine. Original works and prints for sale. Please see website for further details: <https://lifestooshortbar.com.au/>



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CURRENT - 29TH SEPT: WEEKENDS 10AM - 4PM

Wild Discoveries



Newstead Arts Hub - 8A Tivey St, Newstead VIC

An exhibition of nature photography. Four local photographers, Daryl Fleay, Patrick Kavanagh, Marte Newcombe, Bronwyn Silver, entranced by and enthused about nature present some of their most striking discoveries of the wild – visual testaments to and explorations of the natural world. Nature embodies breathtaking complexity, subtle and intricate relationships and ineffable beauty. Much remains hidden to the casual eye, yet much can be revealed through the photographic lens. Please see website for details: <https://newsteadartshub.org/whats-on>

CURRENT - SATURDAY 14TH DEC: 11AM - 5PM

Sci-Fi: Mythologies Transformed

Science Gallery Melbourne - 114 Grattan St, Parkville VIC

SCI-FI: Mythologies Transformed offers fresh insights on science fiction – a genre built on envisioning alternative futures and imaginary realms. The lines connecting science fiction with ancient philosophy and mythologies are brought to light by Asian artists and collectives. Shown in Australia for the first time, this narrative is expanded to incorporate First Nations perspectives and knowledges. Please see website for further details: <https://melbourne.sciencegallery.com/>

CURRENT - SAT 23RD NOVEMBER: 9.30AM - 11AM

Secret Life of Birds



Visitor Centre, Royal Botanic Gardens - Melbourne VIC

Royal Botanic Gardens Melbourne is full of incredible birdlife, from coots to cormorants, spinebills to swans. On this guided walk, spot water birds nesting around Ornamental Lake and delight in the sights and sounds of the birds that call the gardens home. Continue your discovery with a take-home bird guide. Prices: Adult / general \$20, Student / concession \$15, Children \$10. Please see website for further details: <https://www.rbq.vic.gov.au/melbourne-gardens/whats-on-melbourne/>

CURRENT - SAT 31ST MAY 2025: 11AM - 5PM

Punting on the Lake



Royal Botanic Gardens - Birdwood Ave, South Yarra VIC

Glide between the bays and islands of the Royal Botanic Gardens' Ornamental Lake on a guided boat cruise. View the landscape as never before and get up close to amazing birdlife and aquatic plants for some wonderful photo opportunities. Please see website for further details: <https://puntingonthelake.com.au>

SAT 21ST SEPT - SUN 13TH OCT: VARIOUS TIMES

Dragons at Kryal Castle



Kryal Castle - 121 Forbes Road, Leigh Creek VIC

A flight of dragons have landed at Kryal Castle and they're ready to meet you! From hatchlings to full sized fire-breathers these beautiful beasts are back for one more weekend by popular demand! Plus live performances, face painting, potion making, axe throwing, live Jousts, archery and so much more, there's magic around every corner this Spring at Kryal!. Please see website for details: <https://www.kryalcastle.com.au/pages/dragons-at-kryal-castle>

WED 25TH - SAT 28TH SEPT: VARIOUS TIMES

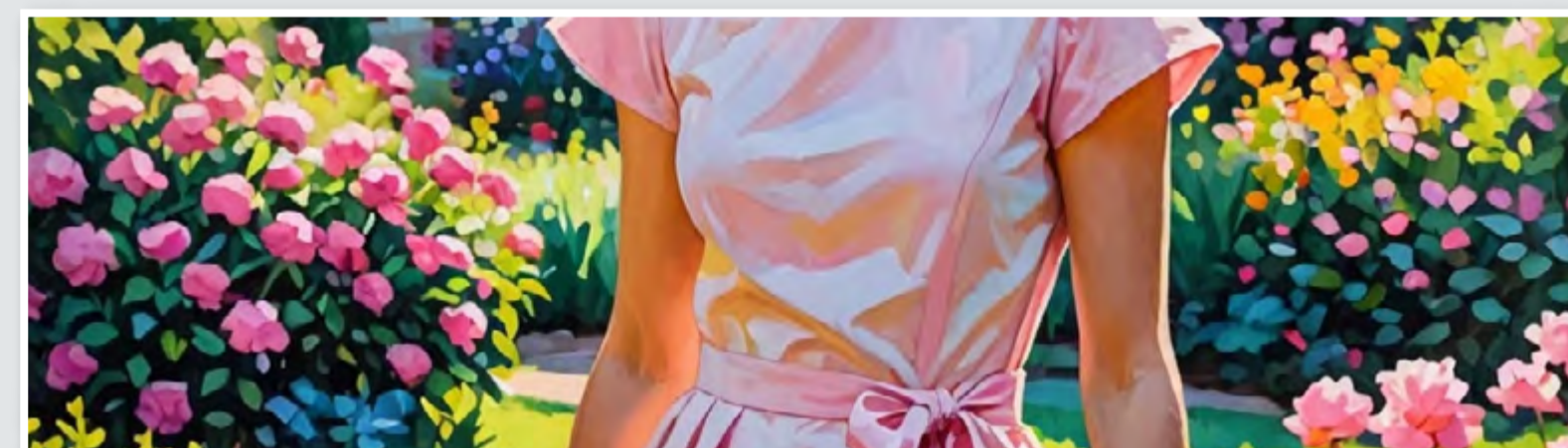
AFL Footy Festival

Yarra Park - Marathon Way, East Melbourne VIC

Footy Festival is back and bigger than ever before, taking over Yarra Park during Grand Final week. Entry is free and there's entertainment for all ages including player appearances, giveaways, AFL Play zones, live music and some of Melbourne's best food trucks and bars. Please see website for further details: <https://www.afl.com.au/footy-festival>

SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER: 3PM - 5PM

Roses: Cam Whitepeace



North Melb Community Centre - 49-53 Buncle St, North Melbourne VIC

Price: Adult / General \$48. The painting exhibition Roses by Cam Whitepeace presents a stunning exploration of floral themes through a contemporary lens. Whitepeace's mastery of colour and brushwork brings vibrancy and depth to each piece, inviting viewers to experience the delicate beauty and complexity of roses. The exhibition features a range of styles, from realistic portrayals to abstract interpretations, showcasing the versatility of the subject. Please see website for bookings: <https://www.manyadore.com/event-details/roses-by-cam-whitepeace-an-art-event>



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SAT 21ST SEPT - SUN 6TH OCT: 9AM - 6PM

Discover the Magic of Seahorses



SEA LIFE Melbourne Aquarium - King St, Melbourne VIC

Prices: Adult / general \$47, Children \$32, Children Under 2 FREE. During the holidays families can explore Seahorse Pier where they'll see a real seahorse hotel, discover fascinating artefacts, and hear daily talks about the crucial role these incredible creatures play in ocean conservation. Big belly seahorse feeding takes place daily at 11:30am. Seahorse Hotel is included in the price of an admission ticket. Please see website for details: <https://www.visitsealife.com/melbourne/seahorse-hotel/>

SAT 21ST SEPT - SUN 27TH OCT: VARIOUS TIMES

Raise a Stein for Oktoberfest

Munich Brauhaus Melb - 45S Wharf Promenade, South Wharf VIC

Kick off the Oktoberfest celebrations with Munich Brauhaus' Oktoberfest Bier Tasting Towers of your favourite German beers and let the good times roll!



Then, dive into the Yodelahihi Oktoberfest Platter, a mouthwatering feast packed with juicy pork knuckle, Schweinebraten, haus sausages, schnitzel and so much more. And as a souvenir, of this epic party, take home a free German Alpine hat. Please see website for further details: <https://munichbrauhaus.com.au/whats-on/raise-a-stein-for-the-ultimate-oktoberfest-melbourne/>

THURS 26TH SEPT - SUN 6TH OCT: 9.30AM - 9.30PM

Melbourne Royal Show



Melbourne Showgrounds - Epsom Rd, Ascot Vale VIC

Prices: Adult / General \$49.50, Senior \$35, Student / Concession \$35, Children \$26, Children Under 4 FREE. Nothing compares to the Melbourne Royal Show at Melbourne Showgrounds. This iconic 11-day event brings happiness to Victorians of all ages, offering a wide variety of unique, and memorable experiences to enjoy with family and friends. There's plenty to do and see at this year's show. Please see website for details: <https://royalshow.com.au/>

FRIDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER: 4PM - 7PM

Harvest Moon Festival



Dai Gum San Precinct - Bendigo VIC

Celebrate Harvest Moon with multi-cultural food and entertainment at this free family event! Join us on Friday, September 27th 2024 (Grand Final Public Holiday) from 4pm - 7pm at the Dai Gum San Precinct, Bendigo. The Harvest Moon Festival is a cherished celebration observed in various forms across numerous Asian countries. Please see website for further details: <https://bendigochinese.org.au/events/>

SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER: 4:30PM - 9:30PM

Bendigo Flame Festival

Bendigo Showgrounds - 74 Holmes Road, North Bendigo VIC

Get ready for breath-taking fire performers and thrilling fire stunts. Enjoy the rhythm of live music that will keep you on your feet all night long. As the sky lights up with flame performances, experience the thrill of amusement rides, bounce around in jumping castles and Indulge in a variety of delicious treats from our food trucks. Please see website for tickets: <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1242460>

SAT 28TH SEPT - SUN 29TH SEPT: 9:30AM - 4:00PM

Australian Flower Show

Victory College - Corner of Condon St & Kairn Rd, Strathdale VIC

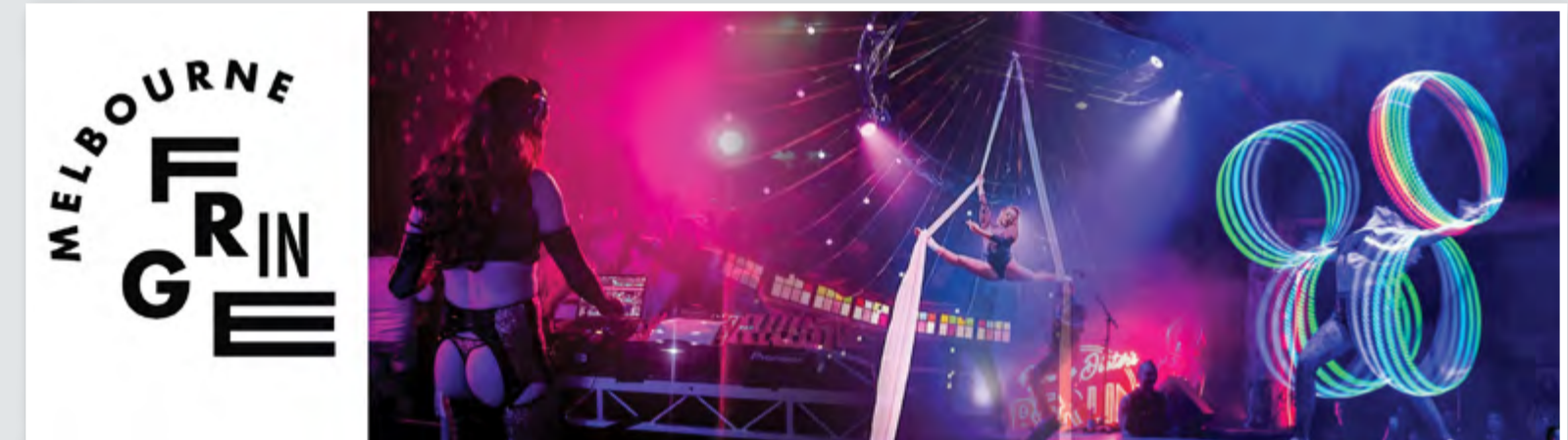
Come, admire and be intrigued by a huge display of native flowers all grown by members of the Australian Plants Society, Bendigo, in Central Victorian gardens. Purchase plants from specialist nurseries; books about native plants, birds, insects, garden design, garden accessories and more.



Please see website for further details: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/1494640104166986/events>

TUE 1ST - SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER

Melbourne Fringe Festival

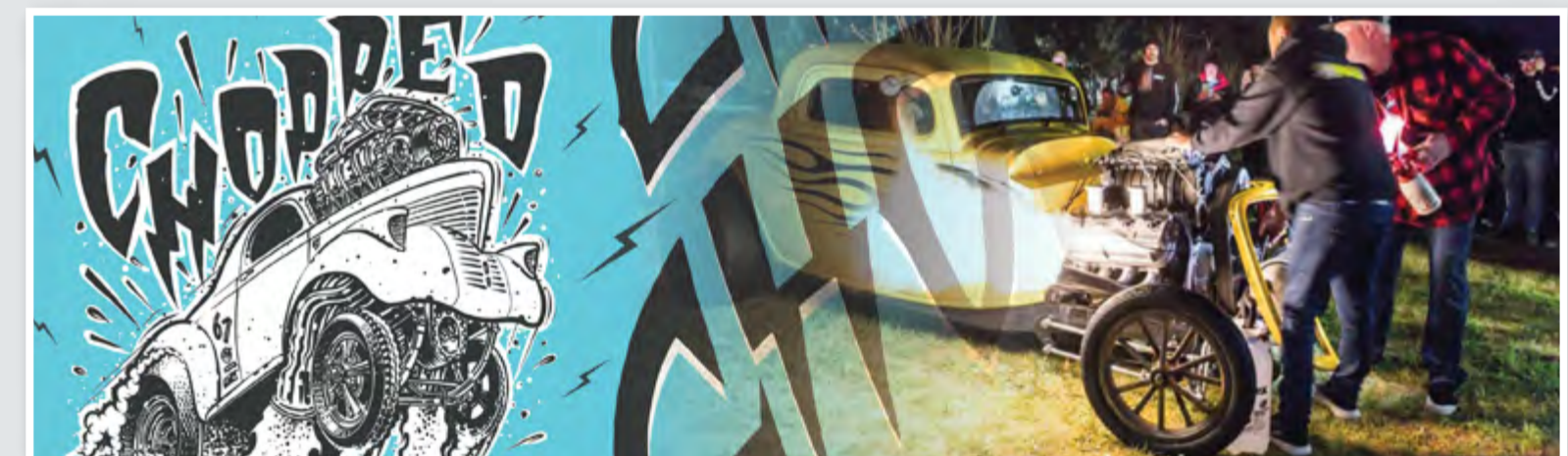


Various Times & Locations - Melbourne VIC

The Melbourne Fringe Festival is back this October, with over 450 events to discover across the city from cutting-edge independent artists. The city is your own art adventure menu, with three weeks of ground-breaking new events, art and bold ideas (and just a dollop of mischief and mayhem) set to bring out the cheeky and artistic spirit of Melbourne. Please see website for details: <https://melbournefringe.com.au>

FRIDAY 4TH - SUNDAY 6TH OCTOBER: 9AM - 4PM

Chopped Festival 2024



Maryborough Harness Racing Complex - 337 Bucknall St, Carisbrook VIC

Be ready for 3 days of action at CHOPPED in the Spring! Live 'DIRT DRAGS' are back! Asphalt Racing with the 'HARD METAL' presents hour, Chop 'A' ramA - Indoor Motorcycle Show. Hot Rods, Customs, Choppers. Loads of Vendors, Bars, Food. Tickets & updates: <https://www.chopped.com.au/>



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SAT 5TH - SUN 6TH OCTOBER:

Heathcote Wine and Food Festival

Heathcote Showgrounds - Cnr Chauncey & Caldwell Sts, Heathcote VIC

From passionately maintained vineyards on the worlds most ancient soils come amazing world class wines. Once a year, the artisan winemakers of Heathcote gather to show some of the most distinctive and iconic wines in the country. The festival is your chance to be among the first to sample new release wines from the Heathcote region and learn more about wines that have recently achieved success in international and national awards as well as the Saint Martin Heathcote Wine Show. Please see website for further details: <https://www.heathcotewinegrowers.com.au/festival>

SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER: 10:00AM TO 3PM

Vegecareian Festival



Free event

Vegecareian FESTIVAL

Love Food. Love Animals. Love Life.

The Great Stupa - 25 Sandhurst Town Rd, Myers Flat VIC

This free, fun family event is all about celebrating vegetarian cuisine from around the world. Vegecareian Festival celebrates the coming together of friends, family and cultures. Learn how vegetarianism has developed in other communities, watch cooking demonstrations and sample vegetarian dishes from all over the globe. Bring along your furry friends and get them blessed inside The Great Stupa. Please see website for further details: <https://stupa.org.au/vegecareian-festival/>

SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER: 11AM - 6PM

City North Festival

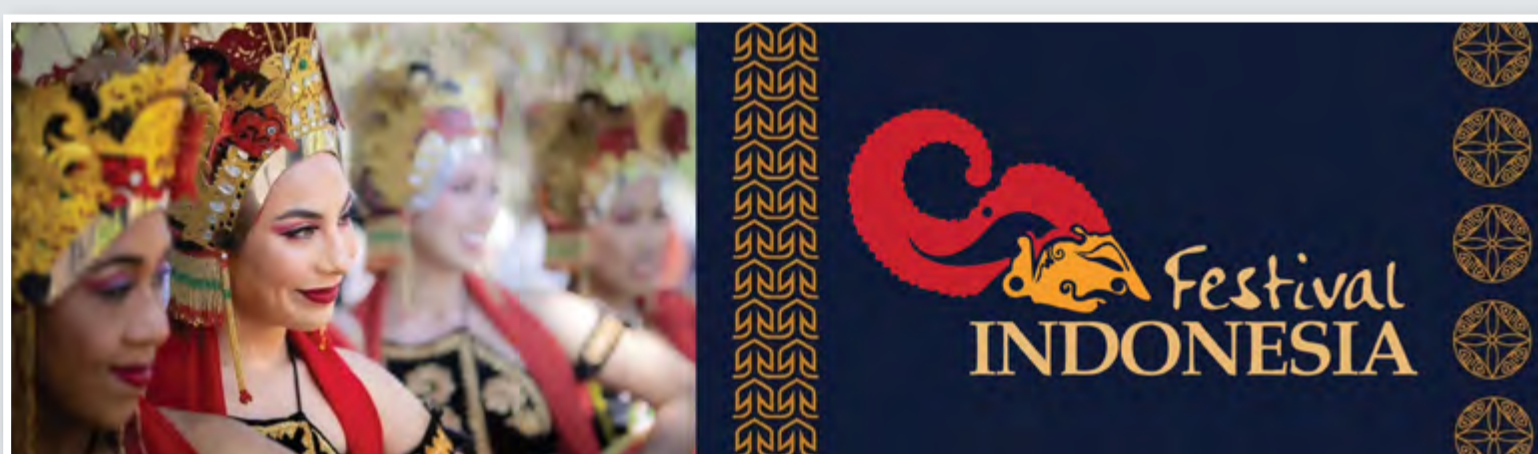


Cardigan Street (near Victoria Street), Carlton VIC

What does Melbourne's future look like to you? At this one day event RMIT University, Melbourne International Games Week and Melbourne Fringe Festival intersect, to create a spectacular collision of creativity, imagination, and possibilities. Visit Cardigan Street and collectively imagine our shared futures in a spectacular collision of creativity, imagination, and future focused possibilities. City North Fest takes place on Cardigan Street, near Victoria Street (11am-4pm); Arcade launch at RMIT Building 78, corner of Cardigan and Earl Streets (4pm-6pm). Please see website for further details: <https://www.rmit.edu.au/events/2024/october/city-north-fest-shared-future-series-cardigan-street-takeover>

SUNDAY 6TH OCTOBER: 10AM - 6PM

Festival Indonesia

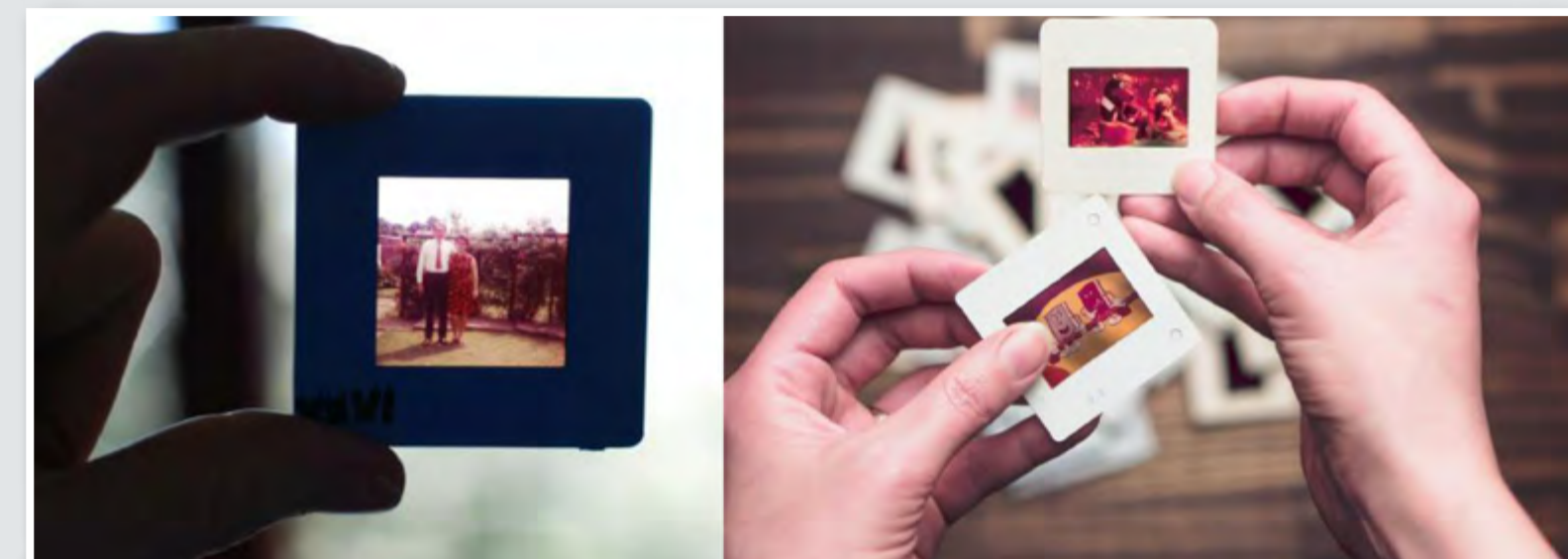


Argyle Square - Carlton VIC

Festival Indonesia, in collaboration with the Consulate General of the Republic of Indonesia in Melbourne, is celebrating Independence Day with an outdoor festival at Argyle Square. Get ready to immerse yourself in the vibrant culture of Indonesia, where the rich traditions of Eastern Indonesia-Papua, Maluku, and East Nusa Tenggara-shine alongside the diverse cultures of the entire archipelago, all under Melbourne's open skies. Discover the beauty and capabilities of Indonesia in an event that features trade and food stalls showcasing authentic Indonesian products and local delicacies. Cultural performances will provide a glimpse into Indonesia's vibrant heritage. Please see website for further details: <https://www.festivalindonesia.com.au/outdoor-festival>

TUESDAY 8TH OCTOBER: 10AM - 11:30AM

Saving Family Stories - Photo & Video Digitisation

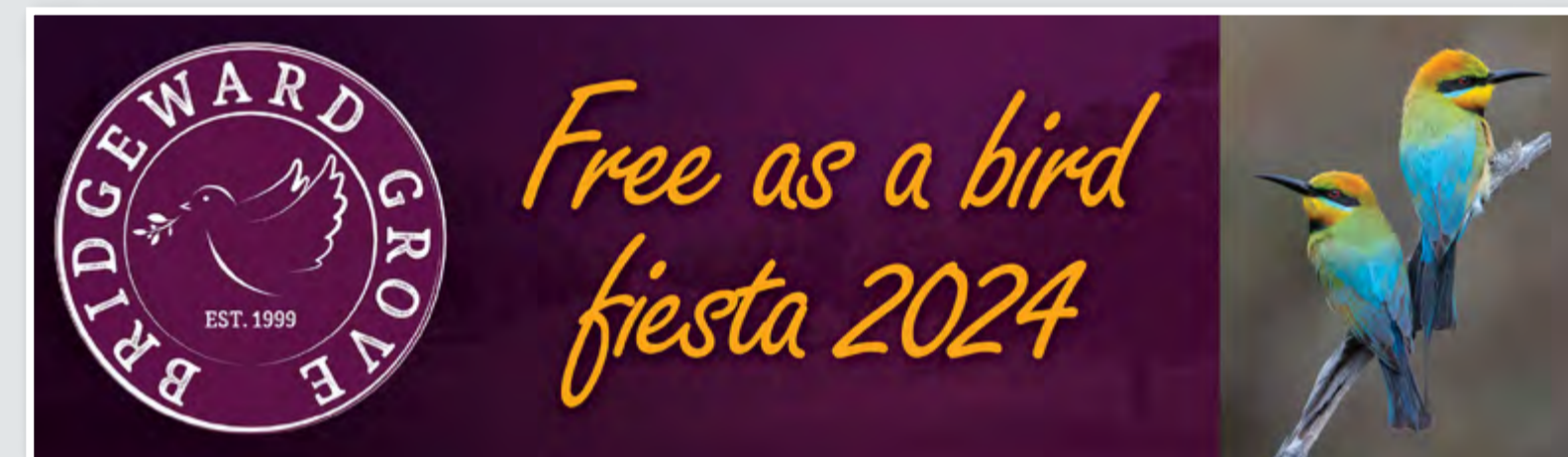


Newcomb Library - Cnr Bellarine Highway & Wilsons Rd, Newcomb VIC

Get those photos, VHS tapes, slides and film negatives out of storage and learn how you can bring them to digital life, ready to share with family and friends! Please see website for further details: <https://events.grlc.vic.gov.au/event/11167447>

SUNDAY 10TH OCTOBER: 12PM - 4PM

Free as a Bird Fiesta



BRIDGEWARD GROVE
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Free as a bird fiesta 2024

Bridgeward Grove - 170 Englishs Rd, Goornong VIC

After a very successful event last year Bridgeward Grove Olives and Art will be hosting their Annual 'Free as a Bird Fiesta' event on the 20th October 2024, 12pm until 4pm. Artists on display will be released soon! Please see website for more details:

www.facebook.com/events/1419502895204363

SATURDAY 19TH OCTOBER: 1PM - 10PM

Queensberry Cup

Errol & Queensberry Streets, North Melbourne VIC

The Queensberry Cup reflects North & West Melbourne's rich auto history and culturally diverse neighbourhood. In 2023, 50 people designed, built and raced an unpowered vehicle down Queensberry St. Can you beat them? Please see website for details: <https://queensberrycup.org.au/>





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Charing Cross by Mal Brayshaw ©

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THURSDAY 10TH OCTOBER: 9:30AM - 11:30AM

Treasured Tales - Sharing Your Stories

Boronggook Drysdale Library - 2-8 Wyndham St Drysdale VIC

Going through old photos can bring up amazing lost memories so why not turn them into an audio keepsake for your family and loved ones. Geelong Regional Libraries, in partnership with the City of Greater Geelong, are hosting multiple events for Victorian Seniors Festival! If you are looking at how to save old memories, we can help you learn how to digitally record your recollections and save them for the future using your smart device.



Come along and bring your smart device if you have one and add voice to your memories. Although this event is free, bookings are essential, secure your spot now. Morning tea provided. Please see website for further details: <https://events.grlc.vic.gov.au/event/11526786>

FRI 11TH - SUN 20TH OCTOBER: VARIOUS TIMES

Bendigo Wine Week

Various Locations - Bendigo VIC

A week filled with wine, food and fun. The Heritage And Hidden Spaces Wine Walk is the finale and premier event of the annual Bendigo Wine Week program, a fabulous calendar of wine events from Friday 11 October to Sunday 20 October. Please see website for further details: <https://www.bendigowine.org.au/bendigo-wine-week>

WEEKENDS 11-12TH & 18-19TH OCT: 5PM - 10PM

Food, Fire and Light at Sovereign Hill



Sovereign Hill - Bradshaw Street, Ballarat VIC

Experience a fusion of gritty performances, unique light installations, food cooked over flames, smoky cocktails and fire-lit wonders at Sovereign Hill's Food, Fire and Light Festival. An immersive, sensory festival, Food, Fire and Light is a captivating night of artistic creativity and expression under Ballarat's starlit skies. Please see website for further details: <https://www.ffl.sovereignhill.com.au/>

FRI 11TH - SUN 13TH OCTOBER: 10AM - 4PM

Bendigo Open Studios Weekend 2024



Various Locations - Bendigo VIC

Bendigo Open Studios provides a unique opportunity to meet our talented artists, working in a range of mediums including ceramicists, painters, printmakers, textile artists, photographers, sculptors, digital artists and more. Each artist has a unique way of interpreting inspiration and stories, opening their studios to share it all with you. Watch a demonstration, learn about an artist's practice from the artist themselves, or attend a workshop for some creative fun. You can learn more about them via our website: <https://www.bendigopenstudios.org/>

SATURDAY 12TH OCTOBER: 11AM - 5PM

Zinda Festival 2024



Garden for the Future - White Hills VIC

Zinda Multicultural Festival is all about multicultural music, food and art in Bendigo. Zinda celebrates our region's growing diversity – the cultures that increasingly contribute to the vibrancy of our community. Zinda means alive and lively in a number of languages – Dari, Bengali, Farsi, Hindi, Hazaraghi and Urdu. It is, therefore, a truly multicultural name for our multicultural festival. Please see website for further details: <https://zinda.org.au/>

SUN 13 OCT: 11AM - 5PM

Indian Community Day



National Gallery Victoria - 180 St Kilda Rd, Melbourne VIC

Featuring Bollywood dancing, dhol drumming and DJ sets, the hugely popular Indian Community Day returns to NGV International. Celebrating the creativity and diversity of Victoria's Indian community, this annual free event features vibrant art, captivating dance, delicious food, dynamic music and free activities for the whole family. Please see website for details: <https://www.ngv.vic.gov.au/ngv-indian-community-day/>

THUR 17TH - SAT 19TH OCTOBER

Supermoon - Various Locations VIC

For those contemplating taking photos of the Supermoon, I would recommend shooting when moon is Setting or Rising as it looks largest on or close to the horizon.

	Set	Rise	km	Lume
Thursday 17th October	6:11 am	7:31 pm	357,402	98.7%
Friday 18th October	6:41 am	8:48 pm	357,481	100.0%
Saturday 19th October	7:16 am	10:07 pm	359,651	97.9%



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MONDAY 21ST - TUESDAY 22ND OCTOBER

Orionids Meteor Shower 2024

Bendigo VIC

Full Period: 2 Oct–7 Nov
Peak: 21–22 October - Up to 20 mph
Parent: 1P/Halley
Where Visible: Both Hemispheres

The Orionids Meteor Shower are active every year in October, usually peaking around October 20/21. At its peak, up to 20 meteors are visible every hour. The Orionid meteor shower is the second meteor shower created by Comet Halley. The Eta Aquarids in May is the other meteor shower created by debris left by Comet Halley. Halley takes around 76 years to make a complete revolution around the Sun. It will next be visible from Earth in 2061. Orionids are named after Orion, because the meteors seem to emerge or radiate from the same area in the sky as the constellation.

Time	Direction/Altitude	Direction/Altitude	Direction/Altitude
1:00 am	Mon 66°E-NE / 5.2°	Tue 66°E-NE / 5.3°	Wed 65°E-NE / 5.5°
2:00 am	Mon 56°NE / 15.6°	Tue 55°NE / 15.7°	Wed 55°NE / 15.8°
3:00 am	Mon 44°NE / 24.8°	Tue 44°NE / 24.8°	Wed 43°NE / 24.9°
4:00 am	Mon 30°N-NE / 32.0°	Tue 29°N-NE / 32.0°	Wed 29°N-NE / 32.0°
5:00 am	Mon 13°N-NE / 36.4°	Tue 13°N-NE / 36.3°	Wed 12°N-NE / 36.2°
6:00 am	Mon 355°N / 37.2°	Tue 355°N / 37.1°	Wed 354°N / 36.9°

Sunset: 20 Oct / 7:43pm	Sunrise: 21 Oct / 6:30am
Moonrise: 20 Oct / 11:23pm	Moonset: 21 Oct / 8:45am
Sunset: 21 Oct / 7:44pm	Sunrise: 22 Oct / 6:29am
Moonrise: 22 Oct / 12:33am	Moonset: 22 Oct / 9:41am
Sunset: 22 Oct / 7:45pm	Sunrise: 23 Oct / 6:28am
Moonrise: 23 Oct / 1:33am	Moonset: 23 Oct / 10:44am

Reduced visibility: Moon very close to radiant

If you're interested in more detailed information, speak to Mark, he can give you more details about meteor chasing.

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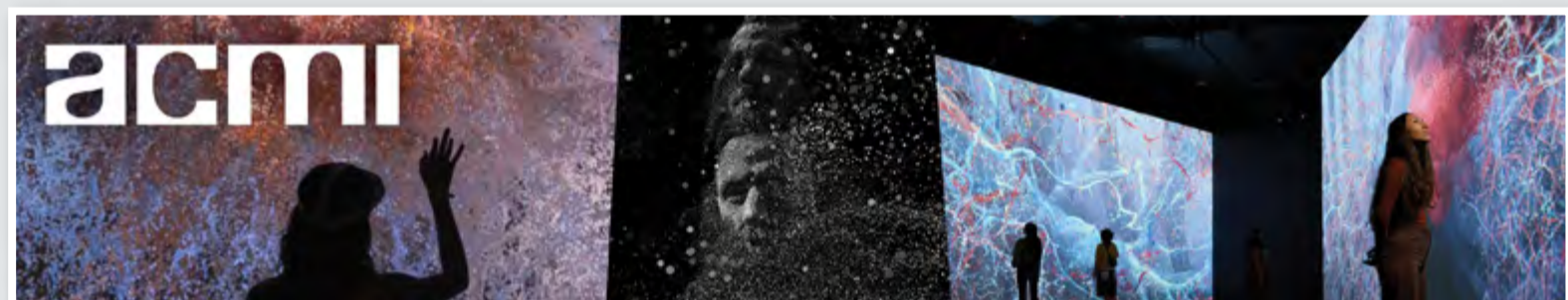
CURRENT EXHIBITIONS - MELBOURNE

Melbourne has a vast array of exhibitions offering social commentary, story telling and so many insights to where we've been, where we are and often where we may be heading. As photographers we should always consider the social and human connection to our story telling. So when you're in Melbourne, try to see some of these events, you may just find inspiration.



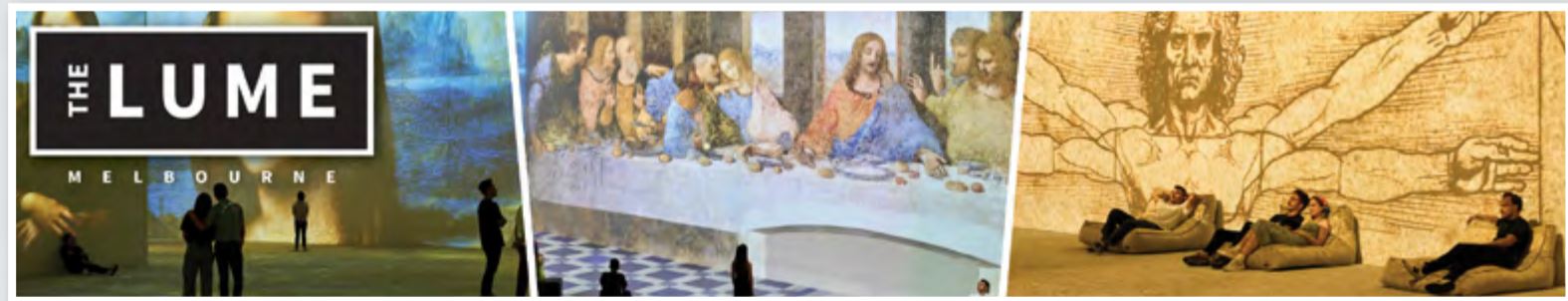
MCEC - 1 Convention Place, South Wharf, Melbourne VIC

Home to the LUME, the Melbourne Convention Exhibition Centre (MCEC) is often home for a wide range exhibits and shows, so keep an eye open for whats on here, it might just strike an interest. Please see website for details: <https://www.mcec.com.au/whats-on>



ACMI - Flinders St, Melbourne VIC

Open daily 10am - 5pm the ACMI is a key location for Exhibitions, Films, Festivals, Workshops, Talks, often centered around modern forms of the art of modern medias. Well worth a visit for budding and experienced photographers. To check what's currently available please see their website for details: <https://www.acmi.net.au/whats-on>



MCEC (West end) - 5 Convention Centre Pl, South Wharf VIC

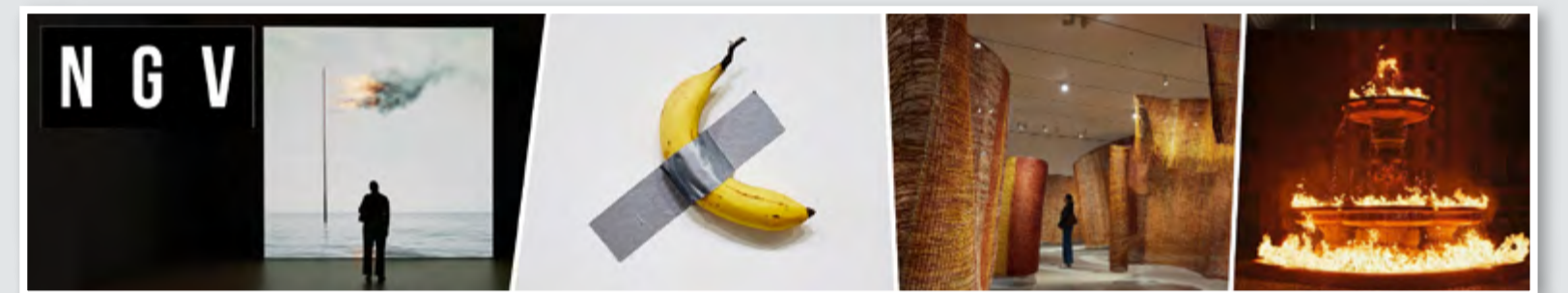
Ranking among Melbourne's most-loved and most-visited attractions, THE LUME Melbourne immerses visitors into the world's finest art at a jaw-dropping scale. The experience's featured come from a broad range of visual and musical artists, representing large collections of creative visualisations. For current exhibitions and more information, please see their website: <https://www.thelumemelbourne.com/whats-on>

OLD TREASURY BUILDING



Old Treasury Building - 20 Spring St, East Melbourne VIC

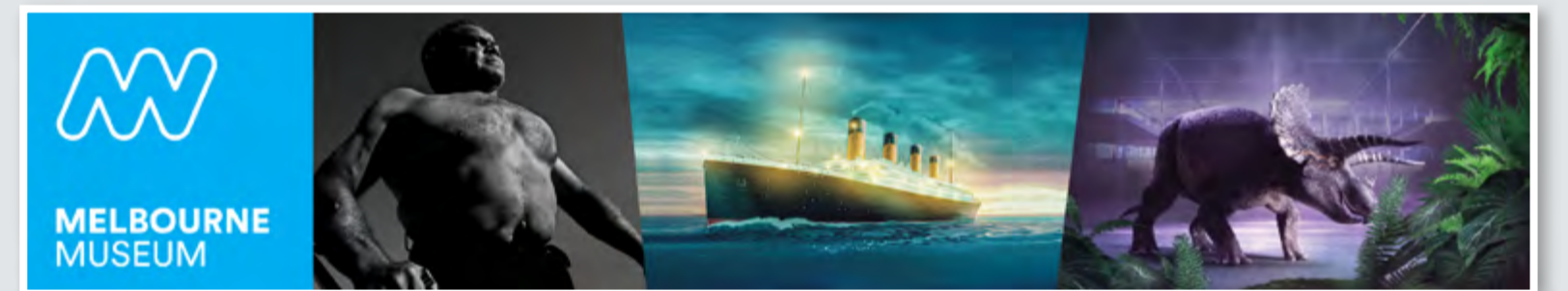
With a long history in Victoria, the Old Treasury is widely regarded as one of the finest 19th century buildings in Melbourne, what better place to host exhibitions of vast historic value. Please see website for details: <https://www.oldtreasurybuilding.org.au/whats-on/exhibitions>



National Gallery Victoria - 180 St Kilda Road, Melbourne VIC

The Ian Potter Centre - Fed Square, Melbourne VIC
The Fox - 77 Southbank Boulevard, Melbourne VIC

With three locations The NGV has a vast expansive space for a broad range of art exhibitions from past, present and leading into the future. For those who often find themselves visually inspired these galleries clumped so closely together offer a wealth of inspiration. For more information, please see their website: <https://www.ngv.vic.gov.au/whats-on/>

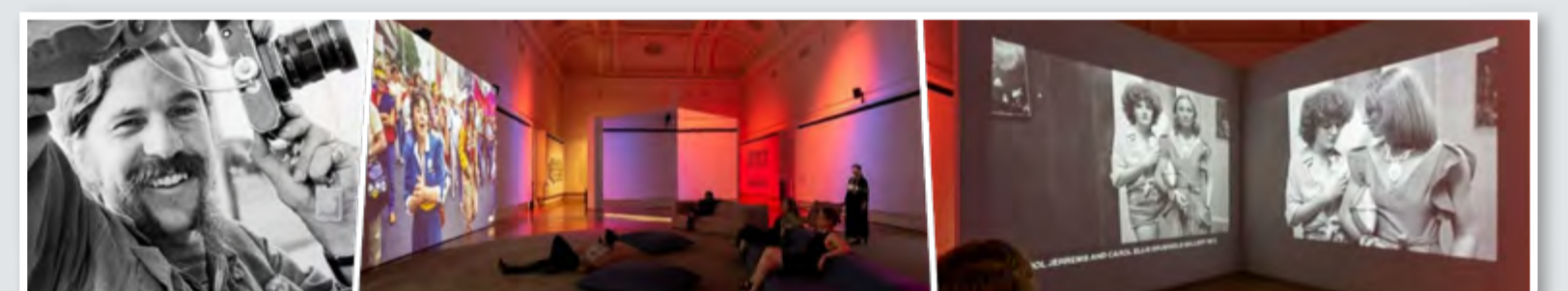


Melbourne Museum - 11 Nicholson St, Carlton VIC

Open daily 9am - 5pm the Melbourne Museum offers up a broad depth of subjects, often based in Science, Nature, History and Arts. To check what's currently available please see their website for details: <https://museums.vic.gov.au/melbournemuseum/whats-on/>

CURRENT - SAT 28TH JAN 2025: 10:00AM - 6:00PM

Melbourne Out Loud: . . . Rennie Ellis



State Library Victoria - 328 Swanston Street, Melbourne VIC

If there was a photographer to take Melbourne's portrait, it was Rennie Ellis. He roamed: St Kilda Beach, the MCG, Swanston Street, Sidney Myer Music Bowl, met superstars and attended: Melbourne Cup, AFL Grand Final and Boxing Day Test. Please see website for details: <https://www.slv.vic.gov.au/whats-on/melbourne-out-loud>



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Public Record Office Victoria



Victorian Archives Centre, 99 Shiel St, North Melbourne VIC

Public Record Office Victoria is Victoria's State Government archive. They preserve less than 5% of government records, often those records that are of significant value to individuals or the State of Victoria. The records date from the mid-1830s, the early period of European settlement of the Port Phillip District, up until recently. The collection includes memories of events and decisions great and small, records of immigration and shipping, criminal trials and prisons, premiers and governors, royal commissions, boards of inquiry, wills and probates and more. Watch this video for more information on how we assess records for long term preservation. The archive holds many photographic collections and public records that can be used for research for those wishing to study historic pasts and maybe even produce a publication. Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10.00am to 4.30pm, and the second and last Saturday of every month, Closed on public holidays. Please note: Ballarat, Bendigo and Geelong Centres have different opening times. Please see website for further details: <https://prov.vic.gov.au/explore-collection/where-start>

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APS Photo Book Awards 2024



Total PRIZE POOL \$2,400

Provided by APS and APS Print Group

- Entry is FREE and open to all APS members and camera club members
- Entries submitted must be printed books, using a printer of your choice
- Entrants may submit one book in each category
- There is no limit to the size, format, or number of pages

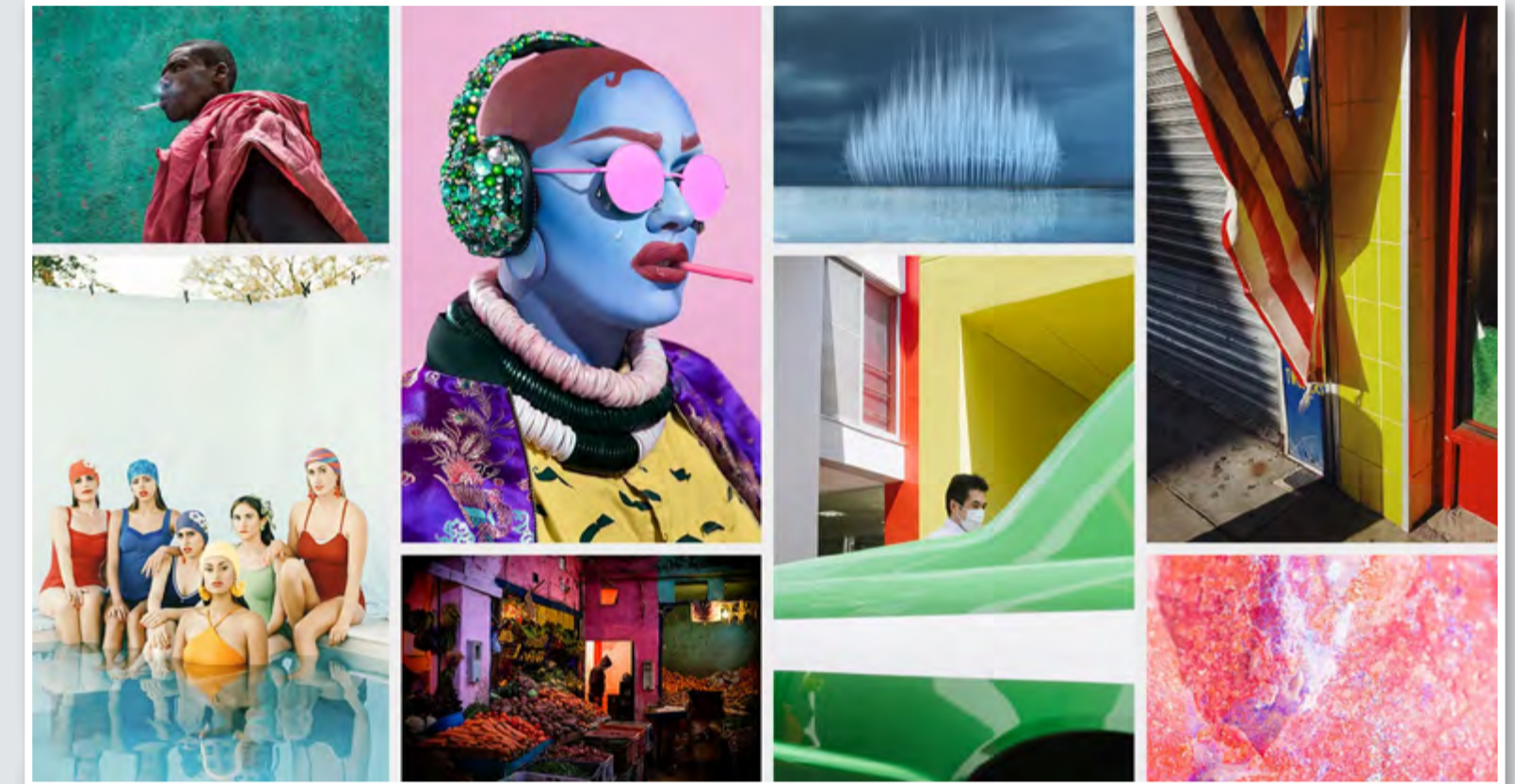
Send or deliver entries to: Paul Balfe, 120/16 Surbiton Court, Carindale QLD 4152

For details contact Paul Balfe: paul.balfe@a-p-s.org.au m: 0404 822 317

The categories for the APS Photo Book Awards will be "Open" & "Travel". Entries are open to any member of APS and/or an Australian camera club, and to group entries prepared by two or more members of any Australian camera club. Please see website for info: <https://www.a-p-s.org.au/index.php/exhibition/aps-photo-book-awards>

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Life Framer Photo Comp: COLOURS



Life is a stream of colour. Red, blue, yellow, and a billion pigments in between! We are looking for color-inspired photographs... literally and figuratively. A scene, a detail, a narrative or mood. A single tone or a technicolor daydream. Urban street scenes, portraits, travel adventures, landscapes, editorial, conceptual, still life... Color our lives. Please see website for more info: <https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/>

CLOSING DATE: MONDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER 2024

Australian Photography

YOUR BEST SHOT - SPORT



Your Best Shot is a photo competition open to Australian residents.

HOW TO ENTER

To enter, email your entry: yourbestshot@australianphotography.com with the name of the competition theme in the email subject line, for example: Flight, Framing, Water, etc. This months theme is **SPORT**. The image file must be the same as your name, for example Jane Smith.jpg. If you enter multiple images, each image file name must be numbered, eg Jane Smith2.jpg. A maximum of three images per person. Images must be in JPEG format, and size must not exceed 7MB. Also, please include the following information about your entry in the body of your email: Name, image title and up to 200 words explaining how you created your image. Please also include: camera, lens, focal length, shutter speed, aperture, ISO, tripod (if used) and a brief summary of any software edits. Please see website to enter or for full details: <https://www.australianphotography.com/page/your-best-shot>



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Australian Photography

SEPTEMBER 2024 - LITTLE THINGS



The world is full of interesting little things, and we want you to show us some of them this month! Think macro, micro and tiny. The best shot will take home a 12-month AP subscription. Please see website to enter or for further details: <https://www.australianphotography.com/yafphotocompetition/september-theme-little-things>

CLOSING DATE: TUESDAY 15TH OCTOBER 2024

Australian Digital Photography Awards (ADPA)



Sections: Open, Mono, Nature, Birds (Nature definition applies), Minimalism, Shadows (Mono or Colour), Results Notification: Wednesday 20th November 2024.

AWARDS

- Presented to the Gold, Silver and Bronze placing in each section (Herbert Medallion).
- APS Silver plaque for the most successful exhibitor.
- At the discretion of the judges acceptances in each section that have not received a placing, may be awarded a Merit.
- VIRTUAL JUDGING will be used with judges in different locations within Australia.
- Acceptances gained in exhibition may be applied towards APS honours.

GENERAL RULES & REQUIREMENTS

14th AUSTRALIAN DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY AWARDS-2024 APS APPROVAL NUMBER 2024/16

Entries will be accepted from residents of the Commonwealth of Australia and its Territories and from APS member's resident overseas. Unless otherwise specified, permission to reproduce entries in the catalogue for publicity and distribution purposes will be assumed but the author retains the copyright to their images. Each entrant will receive a report and details of acceptance or awards. The report and catalogue will be available on the website in PDF format and the report details will be forwarded to the email address supplied on the entry form. A maximum of FOUR IMAGES may be submitted in each section. No Image shall be entered in more than one section of the exhibition.

An image accepted in any previous APS National Exhibition may not be entered into this Exhibition. We want to see your new images.

All images must have been taken by the Entrant. Images must have a photographic origin and entrants must hold the copyright for the images. Entries and entrant details can only be accepted electronically via the entry form on the website. Entries submitted by email or CD's cannot be accepted. The organising committee reserve the right to call for the original digital image file if any doubt arises to the authenticity of any submitted photograph. Failure to acknowledge the committees request or submit the image may result in the disqualification of that entry.

Please see website to enter or for further details: <https://www.a-p-s.org.au/index.php/exhibition/aps-nat-exhib/adpa>

CLOSING DATE: THURSDAY 24TH OCTOBER 2024

APS National Exhibition Nature



There are four sections. Four images allowed per section: OPEN NATURE, WILDLIFE, BUGS, BEES & BUTTERFLIES, WATERWAYS and WETLANDS.

Each entrant may submit up to four entries in each of the four sections. By entering this exhibition your images may be used for the APS entry into the prestigious 2024 FIAP Nature Biennial. A single non-refundable entry fee applies for entry to all three section. APS Members AUD \$10 / Non-APS Members AUD \$30. Payments are to be made using the PayPal payment gateway on this website. Credit and debit cards are accepted.

APS Nature Content Guidelines

Nature photography records all branches of natural history except anthropology and archaeology. This includes all aspects of the physical world, both animate and inanimate, that have not been made or modified by humans.

- Nature images must convey the truth of the scene that was photographed. A well-informed person should be able to identify the subject of the image and be satisfied that it has been presented honestly and that no unethical practices have been used to control the subject or capture the image. Images that directly or indirectly show any human activity that threatens the life or welfare of a living organism are not allowed.

Please see website to enter or for further details: <https://apsnature.myphotoclub.com.au/>



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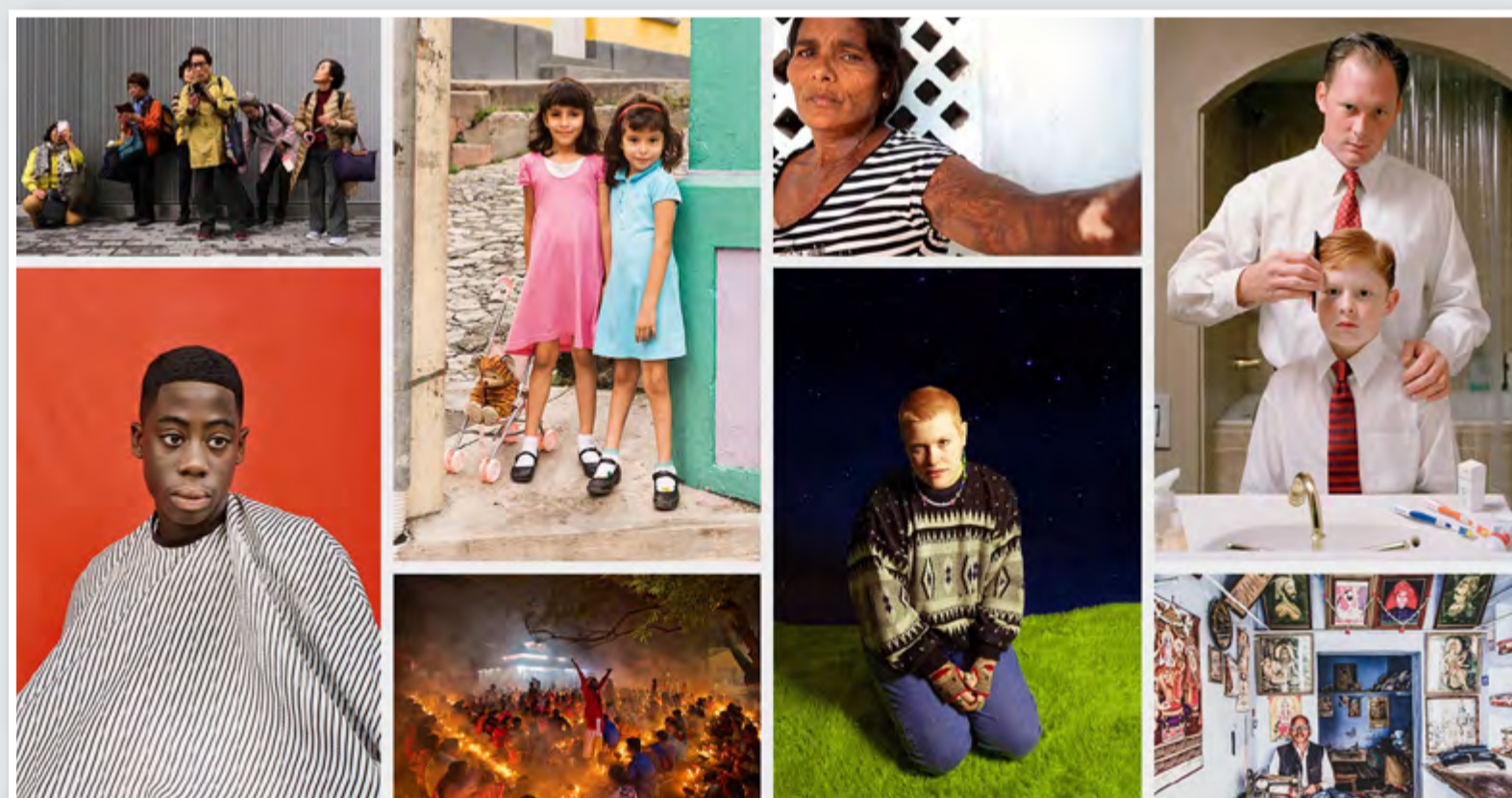
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CLOSING DATE: THURSDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2024

Life Framer Photo Comp: HUMANS



8.1 billion people on Earth and counting. Each of us is a unique combination of genetics and experience, and yet our similarities are greater than our differences. Across vast geographies and wide cultural boundaries our humanity unites us. Social, national, personal and sexual identity. Faces and bodies, hearts and minds. So show us the portraiture, studio, candid, conceptual, travel, street, composite. Please see website for more info: <https://www.life-framer.com/competitions/>

CLOSING DATE: SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2024

PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE YEAR 2024

PRESENTED BY Ted's Cameras

For 2024, entrants will compete for a prize pool valued at more than \$16,000. The Top 100 entries across the nine categories will be published in a special Photographer of the Year edition of Australian Photography magazine. The winning entries will be exhibited at Ted's World of Imaging in Sydney. Photographer of the Year includes six portfolio categories – Landscape, Animal & Nature, People, Aerial, Travel and Black & White – and three single-image categories – Single Shot, Creative and Junior (for entrants under 18). For the Portfolio categories, you need to enter four images. For the Single Image categories, enter one image. To enter the competition you must be an amateur photographer (as defined in the terms and conditions), and a citizen or resident of Australia or New Zealand. Closing date for entries is 11.59pm AEDT Sunday 20 October 2024. Please see website for more info: <https://www.australianphotography.com/page/enter-now-2024>

CLOSING DATE: MIDNIGHT SUNDAY 11TH NOV 2024

South Coast Camera Club National Print Salon



Based on the Fleurieu Peninsula of South Australia and established in 1955 SCCC is proud to host its first national PRINT Salon as a part of its 70th Birthday celebrations for 2025. This is a PRINT Salon with a difference. Photos will initially be uploaded via this website and the First Round of judging will be on the uploaded, full sized, jpg photos. From the online submissions our six (6) judges will select their "Acceptances", which will then be printed by Atkins Photo Lab, Adelaide's Premier Print House, at no cost to entrants, on Premium Ilford Galerie Paper.

Those photos will then be judged by our six (6) judges, in the Second Round of judging at Victor Harbor in South Australia and announced at an Awards Night Dinner on Thursday Jan 16th 2025. A Photo of the Salon will be chosen from all section winners. Tickets for the Awards Night Dinner will be sold separately and places are limited. The Photos will then form part of the Bendigo Bank Fleurieu Festival of Photography Exhibition Opening in Victor Harbor on Friday Jan 17th. There are six (6) Sections:

- Open Colour
- Built Environment
- People
- Open Monochrome
- Nature
- Landscape / Seascape.

Please see website for details: <https://sccnps.visualpursuits-au.com/>

CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2024

2024 Oceania Nature Photo Contest



The Nature Conservancy (TNC) Australia's nature photo contest is back, with more than \$14,000 worth of prizes up for grabs. For the first time ever, the 2024 Photo Contest will sharpen its focus, seeking entries only from residents of Australia, New Zealand, the Solomon Islands and Papua New Guinea. Nature lovers and photographers across Oceania are asked to share their pics and enter the Contest, which will run from September 18 until November 8, with results announced late November 2024.

Please see website to enter or for further details: <https://www.natureaustralia.org.au/newsroom/2024-oceania-photo-contest/>

CLOSING DATE: SUNDAY 23RD FEBRUARY 2025



We're delighted to announce the third edition of The Landscape Awards presented by Camera House is now open for entries, as we once again look for Australia's and New Zealand's best landscape photographers. In the 2025 edition of the Awards, photographers will compete for a massive prize pool valued at more than \$20,000, including \$8,000 cash, with the top 20 entries in each category published in Australian Photography magazine in May and at www.australianphotography.com.

There are four categories in The Landscape Awards: Landscape, Seascape, Aerial and Urban.

Finally, we're thrilled to announce that \$2 from each entry will be donated to the Australian Conservation Foundation to protect our unique wildlife, bush and beaches. Since the competition began, your entries raised over \$20,000 for this important cause. **Early bird entry is on until 1 December 2024** with entries closing Sunday 23 February 2025.

Please see website to enter or for further details: <https://www.thelandscapeawards.com.au/the-landscape-awards-2025-presented-by-camera-house-is-open-for-entries>