



Rural City of
Wangaratta

Victorian
Seniors
Festival
2023



Wangaratta Seniors Festival

October 2023



Victorian Seniors Festival 2023

1 – 31 October



Thousands of free and low-cost
events all over Victoria



www.seniorsonline.vic.gov.au/festival



A Message from the Mayor

The Victorian Seniors Festival is celebrating over 40 years and the Rural City of Wangaratta is again a proud sponsor of this state-wide event. This year we are excited to partner with local businesses and community organisations to present over 65 free, or low cost, events to our senior community. There's a wide range of events on offer that cater for all interests. From energetic Zumba Gold classes to a peaceful afternoon of board games, there's something for everyone, so come along and have a go!

This year's theme is Learn. Love. Live. The focus is on encouraging seniors to get active, try something new, meet new people and sample what is on offer in their local area. The events scheduled are designed to bring people together, encourage connection and enhance the lifestyle of those in our municipality. We value all the senior members of our community, and this festival is designed with our community in mind. Take this opportunity to be involved and participate however you can.



There is no doubt that without the continued dedication of community groups and their volunteers who collectively bring culture, social interaction, and history to our region, we would not have the interesting patchwork of a community that we do today. This program is a collective effort of these people; providing opportunities to build social connections now, and into the future.

I encourage you all to experience at least one new thing during Seniors Festival 2023 - make one new friend or involve an old friend in a new activity! Togetherness and ongoing connectedness make our communities strong and resilient. Strong and resilient community support is an integral component for our physical and mental health and overall wellbeing.

Take care and have fun while you Learn. Love. Live. the Seniors Festival!

Mayor Dean Rees



Accessibility Legend



– Wheelchair Access



– Accessible Toilets



– All Abilities



\$13

Community Meals Program

3 October | 12pm-3pm

Community lunch for over 65's –
Must be registered with My Aged Care

Venue: St Patrick's Hall
1 Ford St Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 0888
Booking required



FREE

Organ Historical Trust of Australia Concert

3 October | 2pm-3.30pm

Come and hear a presentation by John Maidment OAM and concert featuring Kieran Crichton showcasing the historic Willis Organ in the Holy Trinity Cathedral. Presented in partnership with the Organ Historical Trust of Australia.

Venue: Holy Trinity Cathedral
6 The Close Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 0888
No booking required



FREE

Arthur Hull in Cheshunt – Presented by Safer Together Community Recovery Project

5 October | 12pm-2pm

This year in Seniors Festival, we get together to celebrate our resilient community by sharing lunch while listening to the live music of Arthur Hull. To give the event added value speakers from the CFA & SES will talk about being prepared for future climate related events in our communities.

Although this is a senior's event, it is open to all age groups to attend.

Venue: Community Hall 454
King Valley Rd Cheshunt

Info: Safa Molan
s.molan@wangeratta.vic.gov.au
Bookings required



INVITATIONAL

High Tea Celebrating 95 to 105 year old Residents

5 October | 12pm-3pm

The Rural City of Wangaratta is celebrating our oldest and dearest residents with a High Tea celebration in their honour.

Venue: Quality Hotel
Wangaratta Gateway
29-37 Ryley St Wangaratta

Info: Angie McCormack
a.mccormack@wangeratta.vic.gov.au
Invitational only



\$25

Celebrating Seniors at the Da Vinci Social Club with Rodney Vincent

5 October | 1pm-3.30pm

The Da Vinci Social Club is celebrating Seniors Fest by providing an afternoon of music, singing, dancing, laughter and afternoon tea with Rodney Vincent.

Venue: The Da Vinci Social Club Inc.
55 Pyles Lane, Laceby

Info: Pip Else
dvsc.wang@gmail.com
Members \$20 / Non-Members \$25



\$25

Double Feature by Damian Callinan

5 October | 10.30am

A romantic romp through post WW2 Melbourne! The surprise discovery of his mother's 1946 diary leads three-time Barry Award nominee Damian Callinan on a cinematic, romantic romp through post-war Melbourne. However, her diary poses more questions than it does answers. His mother's charming journal is hilariously contrasted with his father Adrian's retirement diary that bookends his parent's loving relationship and sadly, reveals the tragedy that brought it to an end.

Venue: Wangaratta Performing Arts & Convention Centre
33-37 Ford St Wangaratta.

Info: 03 5722 8105
wpacc.com.au



Come join us at the Da Vinci Social Club Inc. to celebrate Senior's Week.

An afternoon of laughter, songs, dancing and memories with one of Australia's great performers.

Afternoon tea provided.

Da Vinci Social Club with Rodney Vincent

5 October | 1pm-3.30pm
Members \$20 / Non-Members \$25



\$64

An Evening with the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra (MSO)

5 October | 7.30pm

Experience an evening of sparkling Mendelssohn and powerful Mozart with the MSO and Cybec Assistant Conductor Carlo Antonioli. Awestruck by the towering columns of rock and the rushing water at Fingal's Cave on a visit to Scotland's Hebrides Islands, Mendelssohn wrote his evocative overture depicting the monumental beauty and forces of nature he encountered.

Venue: Wangaratta Performing Arts & Convention Centre
33-37 Ford St Wangaratta.

Info: 03 5722 8105
wpacc.com.au



FREE

Zumba Gold

6 October | 10am-11am

Zumba Gold. This is a Latin inspired, low impact dance fitness class. The focus is on balance, flexibility, muscular conditioning and cardiovascular fitness low impact and fun; ideal for people of any age, perfect for older active adults, beginners, and injury recovery. The class is adapted to the participants and can be performed seated ... no floor work!

Venue: CWA Hall
17 Templeton St, Wangaratta

Info: Jenny Chivers
0420 983 473
Bookings required

Zumba Gold

6 October | 10am-11am
Bookings required | FREE

Call Jenny Chivers on 0420 983 473



FIT FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART

GET ACTIVE WITH GREAT PEOPLE AT THE DANCE PARTY WORKOUT THAT MOVES AT YOUR PACE.



\$25

Music Across the Years with Sweet Buzz

7 October | 2pm-4pm

Sweet Buzz are an eight-piece band from Wangaratta with vocalists, trumpet, trombone, saxophone and flute players. Come along for a fun afternoon of music from the 40's through to the 80's, from Ella Fitzgerald to Frankie Valli. Afternoon tea will be available, provided by the Wangaratta CWA. See you then!

Venue: Wangaratta Uniting Church Hall.
10 Rowan St, Wangaratta

Info: [events.humanitix.com/
music-across-the-years](https://events.humanitix.com/music-across-the-years)
Bookings required | \$25



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7 October | 2pm-4pm
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music-across-the-years](https://events.humanitix.com/music-across-the-years)



FREE

Woodwork as a Hobby

7, 10, 12, 14, 17, 19 & 21 October
9am-12 midday

If you are thinking of Woodwork as a hobby but can't afford the equipment and haven't got the room to put it if you had, we can help.

Venue: Wangaratta Woodworkers
Clubrooms & Workshop
4F Evans St
(Via Showgrounds)

Info: Les Whinray
0412250674
No booking required



FREE

Wangaratta Community Market

8, 15 & 22 October | 8am-1pm

Wangaratta Community Market is held every Sunday morning. The new-look market is now being held at Moore than Swimming in a grassed area of the property. There is something for everyone with new handcrafted items, plants, socks, secondhand books, food stalls and much more.

Venue: Next to Moore Than Swimming
13 Mason St Wangaratta



FREE

Aqua Aerobics

9, 11, 13, October | 9.30am
16, 17 October | 5.40pm

Not only can you increase your cardiovascular fitness, strength and muscle tone. You will discover a wonderful social group who have made aqua aerobics a regular part of their active and social lives.

So come and try a fun low impact workout in the pool for all levels and allow a little extra time a social coffee afterwards.

Venue: Wangaratta Sports
& Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723
No booking required



FREE

Zumba Gold

10 October | 10.30am

If you are looking for some fun, this is the class for you! Zumba Gold is a Latin inspired, low impact, dance fitness workout with easy fun moves.

Ideal for people of any age and perfect for the young at heart, beginners and people getting back into exercise after a break or injury.

Venue: Wangaratta Sports
& Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723
No booking required



FREE

Tour of Wangaratta Organics Facility

9 October | 11am

Come along and see how your food scraps and garden organics get turned into compost at the Wangaratta Organics Processing Facility. The free tour includes bus pickup from Ford Street bus stop, a tour of the facility and a light lunch. Please advise of dietary requirements when booking.

Venue: Wangaratta Organics Facility
- Byawatha Rd Wangaratta.
Complimentary bus departing
Ford St.

Info: 03 5722 8128
Booking required



FREE

Adult Swimming Lessons

10 October | 11.30am, 6pm & 6.30pm
16 October | 11.30am & 6pm

Do you think it is too late for you to learn to swim? It's never too late to learn to lifesaving skills for yourself and your family. These entry level classes will be focussed on supporting you to feel more comfortable and gain confidence in the water, while learning the basic swimming skills.

Venue: Wangaratta Sports
& Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723
Booking required



FREE

Arthur Hull in Whorouly – Presented by Safer Together Community Recovery Project

10 October | 12pm-2pm

This year in Seniors Festival, we get together to celebrate our resilient community by sharing lunch while listening to the live music of Arthur Hull. To give the event added value speakers from the CFA & SES will talk about being prepared for future climate related events in our communities.

Although this is a senior's event, it is open to all age groups to attend.

Venue: St Johns Anglican Church.
12 Church St, Whorouly

Info: Safa Molan
s.molan@wangeratta.vic.gov.au
Bookings required



FREE

Lifeball

10 & 17 October | 1pm - 2pm

Lifeball is a non contact sport suitable for over 60 years young. Its played similarly to netball although in a gentler manner...no running! We use a soft foam ball, perfect for arthritic fingers. Specifically for Seniors to enjoy a social, fun activity indoors.

Venue: Wangeratta Sports & Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangeratta (Basketball Court)

Info: Elaine Broadway
0418 574 404



FREE

Story Time with your Grandkids

10 October | 10.30am

Bring along your preschool grandchild or special young friend to be entertained by our Story Time reader. Enjoy stories, sing-alongs and finish with a craft activity that can be taken home.

Venue: Wangeratta Library
21 Docker St, Wangeratta

Info: 03 5721 2366
library@wangeratta.vic.gov.au
No booking required



FREE

Body Balance in King George Gardens

10 & 17 October | 10.30am

Body Balance is a yoga based class that will improve your mind body and your life. Bend & stretch through a series of simple yoga moves and embrace elements of Tai Chi and Pilates. You will strengthen your entire body and leave feeling calm, centred and happy!

Venue: King George V Gardens
Ovens St, Wangeratta

Info: Mel Paul – M & M X-TREME
World of fitness
0439 820 660
wangeratta@atpalates.studio
No booking required



FREE

Grit & Resilience Festival

10 October | 4pm-6.30pm

This World Mental Health Day, the Grit & Resilience Program have partnered with CAV, VACCA, Open Door Community House, LINE, Mind Australia & The Local to host the Grit and Resilience Festival for 2023. This will be an annual event every World Mental Health Day, to learn about the supports in our community, take some time for self-love and enjoy the community for which we live. Join us at King George V Gardens to connect and share in a bit of wellbeing focused frivolity. This is a free, inclusive, family friendly event. There'll be fun interactive activities, along with a range of mental health and wellbeing focused stallholders. Come along for a bit of fun and an opportunity to find out about the services and supports available in our area in a relaxed informal setting.

Venue: King George V Gardens
Ovens St, Wangaratta

Info: Bek Nash-Webster
03 5722 0888
No booking required
wangaratta.vic.gov.au/Residents/Grit-Resilience/Whats-On



The Grit and Resilience Festival

World Mental Health Day

10 October | King George V Gardens

See details above.





FREE

Wangaratta Mens Shed Open Day

11 October | 10.30am-2.30pm

Come and have a game of pool, enjoy a cuppa and take a look around our shed.

Venue: Saleyards Complex.
99 Shanley St,
Wangaratta Sth

Info: 03 5722 4057



FREE

Wangaratta Law Court Tour and Talk

11 October | 11am - 12 midday

Tour a busy working multi-jurisdictional court and participate in a talk with a Magistrate and Registrar.

Venue: Faithfull St, Wangaratta

Info: Paula Griffiths
03 9087 5728
Booking required



FREE

Free Reformer Pilates

11 & 18 October | 11am

@Pilates gives you the best of both worlds; a complete virtual library of Reformer Pilates Classes with guidance of on-site instructors. This allows you to experience the wonderful results and benefits of Pilates. No matter what your fitness background, you'll improve posture, body alignment, as well as get one heck of a core workout.

Venue: 78 Murphy St, Wangaratta

Info: Mel Paul
@Pilates Wangaratta
0439 820 660
Booking required



FREE

Rural Women Online Program – Drop in session

11 & 18 October | 10am - 12 midday

Women living and working in rural and remote Victoria have access to Rural Women Online; a program designed to provide online help with computers, phones, and the internet. It is also your place to learn new digital skills and access technical support. Drop in and see how the program can help you.

Venue: Wangaratta Library
21 Docker St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5721 2366
library@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
No booking required



Arthur Hull in Wangaratta Live in Concert

11 October | 2pm-3.30pm
FREE

Memorial Hall
Wangaratta Performing Arts
& Convention Centre

Morning tea included

03 5722 8105
wpacc.com.au
Bookings required

MORE SHOWS!

Check out Arthur Hull's
other shows throughout
the community during
the Seniors Festival



FREE

Arthur Hull in Wangaratta

11 October | 2pm - 3.30pm

This live music event featuring performer Arthur Hull is presented in partnership with "Safer Together" Community Recovery Project to celebrate our resilient community. Guest agencies such as the SES and CFA will be present for advise on preparing for climate related events.

Although this is a senior's event, it is open to all age groups to attend.

Venue: Memorial Hall
Wangaratta Performing Arts
& Convention Centre
33-37 Ford St Wangaratta.

Info: 03 5722 8105
wpacc.com.au
Bookings required



FREE

Yoga

12 October | 9.30am

Do you want to find your inner zen?

Make the time for yourself to breathe, relax and create a feeling of calm within your body.

This class is for all levels including beginners, focusing on alignment of the whole body while holding poses that support the spine and brings about the awareness of breath with movement.

Venue: Wangaratta Sports
& Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723
No booking required



\$15

Hoy Day including Lunch

12 October | 10.30am-2.30pm

Come and join in the fun playing Hoy. A delicious lunch will be included with the admission price. A great day of fun for everyone. Lots of prizes and a raffle.

Venue: Wangaratta RSL
2 Templeton St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5721 2501
Booking required



FREE

Books for your Ears

12 October | 10.30am

We offer downloadable audio books, which are a great alternative to our regular CD or MP3 sets. There is a wide range of Australian titles and best sellers for all ages. Downloads are free to all members and library staff are looking forward to showing you how to make the most of this service. BYO device.

Venue: Wangaratta Library
21 Docker St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5721 2366
library@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
No booking required



FREE

Arthur Hull in Eldorado – Presented by Safer Together Community Recovery Project

12 October | 12pm-2pm

This year in Seniors Festival, we get together to celebrate our resilient community by sharing lunch while listening to the live music of Arthur Hull. To give the event added value speakers from the CFA & SES will talk about being prepared for future climate related events in our communities.

Although this is a senior’s event, it is open to all age groups to attend.

Venue: Eldorado Hall
94 Main St Eldorado

Info: Safa Molan
s.molan@wangeratta.vic.gov.au
Bookings required



FREE

Meet the Author – Dawn Mauldon

12 October | 6pm

In her poignant and powerful memoir, Unheard Voices, Dawn Mauldon tells the story of her childhood growing up with Deaf parents. Dawn explores the challenges and joys of living in a world that is often hostile and unwelcoming to those who are different. From the isolation and challenges that come with being a child of Deaf parents, to the strength and resilience that comes with love and belonging, the author shares their unique and deeply personal perspective on what it means to see and communicate in a richly silent world. Beautifully written and deeply moving, Unheard Voices is an exploration of what it means to be a part of a diverse and vibrant culture.

Venue: Wangaratta Library
21 Docker St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5721 2366
library@wangeratta.vic.gov.au
No booking required

Finishing Well Seminar

13 October | 9.30am-1pm
Bookings required | FREE

What does it mean to finish life well?
How can we be prepared to face the latter years of life and leave a legacy for our family and community?

events.humanitix.com/finishing-well

See next page for more details.



**FREE**

Finishing Well Seminar

13 October | 9.30am-1pm

A half-day seminar to cover things to think about, such as: Continuum of Care (Retirement Living - Residential Care, In-home Care, Palliative Care, Advanced Care Planning - decision makers etc), Grief Counselling, Estate Planning (Wills, Powers of Attorney), and Funeral Planning. You'll hear from practitioners in these fields and also have an opportunity to ask questions.

Venue: Wangaratta Baptist Church.
1 Sisely Ave Wangaratta

Info: 03 9880 6129
Bookings required

**GATE PRICES**

Wangaratta Show

13 & 14 October

The Wangaratta Agricultural Society Inc has a long and successful history and this year will be no different as they hold their 156th show incorporating 2 days of innovation, excitement, education, fun and fireworks.

Venue: Wangaratta Showgrounds
Evan St, Wangaratta

**FREE**

Wangaratta Farmers Market

14 October | 8am-12pm

A not for profit community organisation run almost entirely by volunteers. We exist to grow a strong sense of community and a vibrant and sustainable local food ecosystem around a shared love of local produce.

Venue: Wangaratta Anglican Cathedral
6 The Close, Wangaratta

**GOLD COIN DONATION**

Wangaratta Concert Band

15 October | 2pm

An afternoon of music with the Wangaratta Concert Band.

Venue: Holy Trinity Cathedral
6 The Close, Wangaratta

Info: Helen Van Riet
wangconcerband@gmail.com
No booking required

**FREE**

Papercraft Afternoon

16 October | 2pm-4pm

Be creative and make a unique item using old books. Paper flowers, bookmarks and cards

Venue: Wangaratta Library
21 Docker St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5721 2366
library@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
No booking required

FREE

Come & Try Croquet

16 October | 10am-2pm

Come & Try Croquet, a sport which involves gentle exercise of both body and mind in a friendly, welcoming atmosphere with equipment and tuition provided.

Venue: Wangaratta Croquet Club
46 Ryan Ave Wangaratta

Info: 0417 326 739
No booking required



FREE

Live, Learn, Enjoy!

16 October | 12pm-2pm

Come and find out about 2024 Wangaratta U3A courses. Meet some of the tutors and committee members. Ask questions, make suggestions, make plans for new learning.

Venue: Wangaratta Library
Conference Room
21 Docker St, Wangaratta

Info: Yve Weinberg
0427 397 602
yve.weinberg@gmail.com
No booking required



FREE

Introduction to the Gym

17 & 19 October | 9.30am

Does the idea of a gym scare you? You are not alone!

Here's your chance to take a no pressure tour of the new gym and discover some amazing new modern gym equipment and programs that can help you to build your strength and balance delivered in a relaxed social environment

Venue: Wangaratta Sports
& Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723
No booking required



FREE

Come Make Music – Seniors Drumming Session

16 October | 11am

This is a chance to come out and try drumming, it's fun, easy and a relaxing activity that anyone of any ability can do.

Venue: King George V Gardens Stage
Ovens St, Wangaratta



FREE

Sounds Organic

17 October | 11.30am-12.30pm

Come and enjoy the thrilling sound of the pipe organ in Holy Trinity Cathedral. Kieran Crichton will present a concert of music to get your toes tapping, and something to hum on the way home.

Venue: Holy Trinity Cathedral
6 The Close, Wangaratta

Info: No booking required



\$20

Glenn Starr

18 October | 10.30am-12 midday

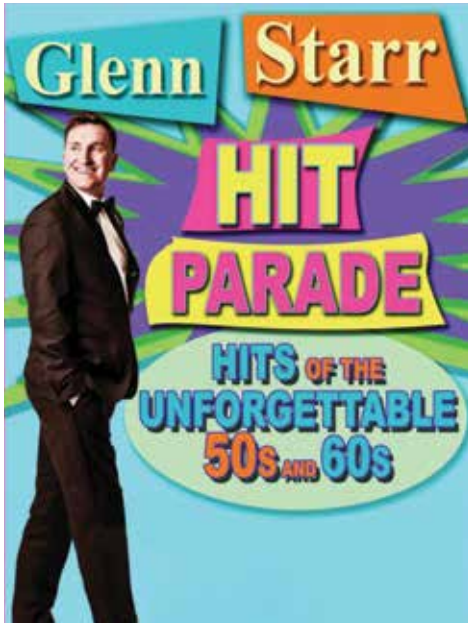
Glenn Starr is a versatile and accomplished Australian singer. He has been performing for over 25 years and has established himself as a headline performer. Glenn's incredible vocal range & ability to cover almost any genre & style are a testament to his dedication to his craft. With his boundless talent & unbridled passion, Glenn Starr is truly a one-of-a-kind entertainer and a treasure of the Australian music scene.

Venue: Memorial Hall

Wangaratta Performing Arts
& Convention Centre
33-37 Ford St Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 8105

boxoffice@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
Booking required
Ticket price includes light refreshments



FREE

Arthur Hull in Springhurst – Presented by Safer Together Community Recovery Project

18 October | 12pm-2pm

This year in Seniors Festival, we get together to celebrate our resilient community by sharing lunch while listening to the live music of Arthur Hull. To give the event added value speakers from the CFA & SES will talk about being prepared for future climate related events in our communities.

Although this is a senior's event, it is open to all age groups to attend.

Venue: Springhurst Community Hall
Anzac Rd, Springhurst

Info: Safa Molan

s.molan@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
Bookings required



FREE

Strong Bones, Healthy Heart

18 October | 10.30am

One with the lot thanks! Using a combo of cardio to build heart strength, weights to build bone strength and Pilates and yoga inspired moves for balance and relaxation this class has it all. The class is low impact and can be modified as needed. Plus an extra topping of fun and uplifting music while you work out.

Venue: Wangaratta Sports
& Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723

No booking required



FREE

Board Games Afternoon

19 October | 2pm-4pm

We have a range of board games to explore. Play a classic like Scrabble or try a giant size game of Checkers or Connect Four.

Venue: Wangaratta Library
21 Docker St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5721 2366
library@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
No booking required



FREE

Caring & Ageing Well Expo

19 October | 10am-2pm

Showcase products and services which promote healthy lifestyle choices, promote positive ageing, meeting diverse needs and assisting people to stay connected to their community and support carers.

Venue: King George V Gardens,
Uniting Church & CWA Halls
Templeton St, Wangaratta

Info: 1300 982 662
No booking required



FREE

Arthur Hull in Moyhu – Presented by Safer Together Community Recovery Project

19 October | 12pm-2pm

This year in Seniors Festival, we get together to celebrate our resilient community by sharing lunch while listening to the live music of Arthur Hull. To give the event added value speakers from the CFA & SES will talk about being prepared for future climate related events in our communities.

Although this is a senior's event, it is open to all age groups to attend.

Venue: Moyhu Hall
26 Bartley St Moyhu

Info: Safa Molan
s.molan@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
Bookings required



FREE

Gallery Talk with Afternoon Tea

19 October | 2pm

Join Gallery Director Rachel Arndt for an informal talk on our current exhibition Looking Glass followed by a delicious afternoon tea. Hear about Looking Glass artist Judy Watson's use of ochres, charcoal and pigments on flayed canvases and Yhonnie Scarce's fusion of fire, earth and air in her beautifully realised glass sculptures. There'll be plenty of time for questions and conversations.

Venue: Wangaratta Art Gallery
56 Ovens St, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 0865
gallery@wangaratta.vic.gov.au
Booking required



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Aged &
Community
Care

Caring & Ageing Well Community Festival

Thursday 19 October | 10am - 2pm

King George V Gardens Precinct Wangaratta

A celebration of Victorian seniors.
A time to honour National Carers Week
and carers who provide support for family
and friends. A place to find information
about services and supports to promote
healthy ageing, assist carers, stay active
and connected to your community.

For more information, contact us at
contactacc@wangaratta.vic.gov.au

1300 982 662





FREE

Introduction to Reformer Pilates

20 October | 10am

Find out why this class is so popular!

Reformer Pilates is a fantastic way to improve strength and flexibility whilst having fun. You will work on balance, alignment, core strength and muscle tone while the reformer bed/machine adjusts to suit your individual strength and flexibility. This special beginners guided session is limited to 20 participants (2 per bed).

Venue: Wangaratta Sports & Aquatic Centre
41 Schilling Drive, Wangaratta

Info: 03 5722 1723
Booking required



FREE

Choral Evensong

22 October | 5pm-6pm

Come and enjoy a relaxing hour of music with the Holy Trinity Cathedral Singers

Venue: Holy Trinity Cathedral
6 The Close Wangaratta



FREE

Variety Aussie Muscle Car Show & Shine

23 October | 5pm-6pm

The Aussie Muscle Car Run is an annual car cruise to help raise funds for SA kids who are sick, disadvantaged or live with disability. The run is open to muscle cars of the golden era of Bathurst, built between 1963 and 1977. These vehicles will be stopping in Wangaratta on 23 October during their 8 day pilgrimage to Mt Panorama, Bathurst. These vehicles are on display in Reid St Wangaratta between 5 and 6pm for members of the public.

Venue: Reid St, Wangaratta

Info: No booking required

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9-20 October 2023

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wsac.vic.gov.au



Melbourne Events

**Free Public Transport
1 to 8 October**

See page 21 for details



FREE

Celebration Day

1 October

Edge Theatre performances 12pm to 4pm.
River Stage & Roving performances 12.30pm to 5pm. Mainstage performances including the Footscray Gypsy Orchestra, One Spirit Africa & SOS (music of ABBA).

Venue: Federation Square Precinct
Cnr Swanston St & Flinders St
Melbourne

Info: No booking required



LOW COST

ACMI Seniors Film Festival

1, 2, 3, 6, 7 & 8 October

Watch a thoughtfully curated line-up of narrative features, classic Hollywood and arthouse restorations, documentaries, musicals and more on the big screen. Please refer directly to www.acmi.net.au.

Venue: ACMI Cinema Level 2
Federation Square Precinct

Info: 03 8663 2583
Booking required



FREE

Melbourne Town Hall Dance

2 October | 11.30am-4pm

Come and enjoy a Big Band Dance Event!

Venue: Melbourne Town Hall.
90-120 Swanston St Melbourne

Info: peter.s.sellars@gmail.com
0438 988 861
Booking required



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8 Days of Free Public Transport

Sunday 1 October to Sunday 8 October

As a Victorian Seniors Card holder, you can get out and explore metropolitan Melbourne and regional Victoria with free travel from Sunday 1 October to Sunday 8 October.

To book a seat on V/Line services requiring reservations, visit your nearest station or agent or call 1800 800 007 from 10:00am on Tuesday 5 September.

- Seats can fill quickly so book early! You'll need to collect your tickets within 48 hours.
- You can only travel free in economy class.

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