



Bathurst
step beyond



WHAT'S ON

Bathurst Region

FEBRUARY 2026

EVERY MONDAY MUSIC BINGO

Location: Tattersalls Hotel, 35 Keppel St

Time: 6.30pm

Cost: Free

Contact: 6331 9405

Facebook: <http://bit.ly/46K9fNN>

It's bingo with a musical twist! Test your knowledge and win great prizes. Fun for all ages!

EVERY SATURDAY

CELLAR DOOR INSPIRED TRUFFLE TASTING

Location: RedGround Truffle Hunts, 264 Titania Rd, Oberon

Time: 12pm - 5pm

Cost: \$45

Contact: 0457 775 297

Facebook: redground.com.au

Enjoy a relaxed, premium truffle tasting at RedGround, inspired by the intimacy of a cellar-door experience. Guests select an hourly arrival time and are seated for a tasting of seasonal truffle canapés and a glass of local sparkling wine (non-alcoholic version available), each highlighting the flavour and aroma of our aromatic truffle varieties.

EVERY SATURDAY

LIVE BANDS AT THE FAMBAM

Location: Family Hotel, Cnr Russell & Bentinck Sts

Time: From 9pm

Cost: Free

Contact: 6331 1353

Facebook: facebook.com/familyhotelbathurst

Dust off your dancing shoes and get on the dance floor at The Family! A night for a top-notch night of live local music! Keep an eye on their Facebook page to see who's playing.

EVERY FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY

DISTILLERY TOUR & TASTINGS

Location: Bathurst Grange Distillery, 3249 O'Connell Rd

Time: Friday 4pm; Saturday 11am, 2pm, 3pm & 4pm; Sunday 11am - 4pm

Cost: \$20 per person

Contact: 02 7228 7913

Website: bathurstgrange.com.au

Join this tour and see surrounding gardens and farmland on our heritage property, The Grange, established in 1823. Share their passion for distilling Whisky and Gin as they explain the techniques and craft of making our premium spirits.

- Taste premium small batch spirits
- Learn the art of distillation
- See farmland & friendly animals
- Discover the history of the region

FEBRUARY

UNEARTHED - CRITICAL MINERALS IN THE ENERGY

Location: Australian Fossil & Mineral Museum, 224 Howick St
Time: 9am - 4.30pm 6 days a week, closed Wednesdays
Cost: Adult: \$15; Concession \$10; School Student \$7; Family \$37;
Under school age Free
Contact: 6338 2860
Website: museumsbathurst.com.au/australian-fossil-and-mineral-museum

This new exhibition titled 'Unearthed - Critical Minerals in The Energy Transition' which explores the uses of critical minerals and aims to help visitors understand how vital they are to our modern world. Minerals are naturally occurring inorganic objects from which we can extract metals and other elements to produce steel, copper, glass, and silicon chips to create and power our technologies.

FEBRUARY

T-ARTS WORKSHOPS

Location: Co-Operative Gallery 75 Keppel St
Time: Varios
Cost: Check website for details
Contact: 0490 332 699
Facebook: tartsgallery.com
Local artists, quality work in most media
NEW!!! Workshops in 2026

FEBRUARY

RANKIN COTTAGE CRAFT

Location: Rankin Cottage Crafts, 117 Rankin St
Time: 10am - 4pm; Closed public holidays & Father's Day
Cost: Free entry
Contact: 0497 015 964
Facebook: facebook.com/rankincottagecrafts

Find a handmade gift for your and your loved one this February at Rankin Cottage Crafts. There are tasty jams and chutneys, jumpers, scarfs, jewellery and a wide range of unique locally crafted items available. Our volunteer staff are happy to help you pick out something special, so come on in today!

SUNDAY 1 FEBRUARY

FREE KIDS' WORKSHOP @ THE ROCKLEY PUB

Location: Rockley Pub, 2 Budden St, Rockley
Time: 12pm - 1.30pm
Cost: Free
Website: therockleypub.com.au

Keep the kids entertained these summer school holidays! Join the Rockley Pub for free, fun and creative workshops every Sunday starting Sunday 14 December to Sunday 1 February. Perfect for children aged 3 - 10 years. Check website for workshops being offered.

UNTIL SUNDAY 22 MARCH

HILL END ART GALLERY EXHIBITION

COLOURS OF HILL END

Location: Hill End Art Gallery, 5 Beyers Ave, Hill End
Time: Saturday & Sunday: 11am - 3pm
Cost: Free entry
Contact: 0497 015 964
Facebook: facebook.com/rankincottagecrafts

Hill End Art Gallery proudly presents an exhibition featuring the works of Jeannie Holmes and Sharon Shelton. Showcasing two exceptional local artists, the exhibition highlights their diverse styles and celebrates the vibrant colours of Hill End.

SUNDAY 1, 8, 15 & 22 FEBRUARY

ROCKLEY MILL & STABLES MUSEUM

Location: 18 Budden St, Rockley
Time: 11.30am - 3.30pm
Cost: Adult \$5; Child under 18yrs free
Contact: 0422 708 732 or 02 6337 9357
Facebook: facebook.com/Rockleymillandstablesmuseum

The Rockley Mill and Stables Museum, built in 1862, showcases the rich history of the area. Exhibits include historic mill machinery, period clothing, old police records, and more.

SUNDAY 1, 8, 15 & 22 FEBRUARY

MISS TRAILL'S HOUSE AND GARDEN

Location: Miss Traill's House, 321 Russell St
Time: 12pm - 3.30pm (tours on the hour)
Cost: Adult \$12; Concession \$10; Family \$34
Contact: 6332 4232 or mth@nationaltrust.com.au
Website: nationaltrust.org.au/places/miss-trails-house

The home Ida bequeathed to the National Trust (1976) is today an elegant house museum containing Ida Traill's significant collection of artifacts including furniture, intriguing horse racing memorabilia, paintings and ceramics – all linked to Miss Traill's and her ancestors and the early history of Bathurst. Session times coincide with house tours and are as follows:

- 12pm – 1pm; 1pm – 2pm & 2pm – 3pm

SUNDAY 1, 8, 15 & 22 FEBRUARY

RECKLESS SUNDAY SESSIONS

Location: Reckless Brewing, 2A Piper St
Time: 12pm - 9pm
Cost: Free entry
Contact: 0497 913 635
Website: recklessbrewingco.com.au

You asked, and Reckless Brewing listened - more music! Join the Reckless Sunday session! Each week, enjoy live music from 1pm, then Reckless Trivia and Happy Hour from 6pm!

MONDAY 2, 9, 16 & 23 FEBRUARY

SYDNEY WRITERS' FESTIVAL AT THE STATE LIBRARY OF NSW – FREE STREAMING

Location: Bathurst Library, 70-78 Keppel St

Time: 12.30 - 1.30pm

Cost: Free

Contact: 6333 6281

Website: library.bathurst.nsw.gov.au

Program of free talks streamed live from the Sydney Writers Festival will continue into 2026 with a great series of lunchtime sessions on offer. No bookings are required, simply attend on the day and collect a set of headphones from the front desk to listen along.

MONDAY 2 FEBRUARY - GERALDINE BROOKS IN CONVERSATION

Geraldine Brooks' body of work is a landmark in Australian writing, spanning six novels, three non-fiction publications, decades of foreign reporting and two memoirs. She is the only Australian to have ever won the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction.

MONDAY 9 FEBRUARY - KATHY LETTE: THE SISTERHOOD RULES

For twins Isabel and Verity, the sisterhood rules were shattered when Verity had an affair with Isabel's husband. Devastated by her sister's betrayal, Isabel vowed never to speak to her again and for five years has kept her promise. But when their mother goes missing, Verity and Isabel are forced to come together. When they do, they realise their problems are about to get worse.

MONDAY 16 FEBRUARY - TYREE BARNETTE: STOLEN MAN ON STOLEN LAND

When Tyree Barnette moved to Sydney from North Carolina, he knew little of his new home. Initially, he was pleasantly surprised to find Black American culture admired and celebrated. But in time, the undercurrents of racism in Australia came into view, as did the ongoing struggles of Indigenous Australians against injustice.

MONDAY 23 FEBRUARY - MARDI GRAS DEBATE: HETROSEXUALITY IS A CULT

The Festival's signature rollicking debate takes to the State Library of NSW stage for a special Mardi Gras edition with everyone's favourite adjudicator, Yumi Stynes. Charting the rise of 'boy meets girl' as societal status quo and interrogating what it promises, six of our best and brightest will argue whether heterosexuality puts the 'cult' in cultural norm.

TUESDAY 3 FEBRUARY

BACKYARD COMPOSTING & WORM FARMING WORKSHOP

Location: Bathurst Library, 70-78 Keppel St

Time: 10.30am

Cost: Free

Contact: 6333 6111 or council@bathurst.nsw.gov.au

Website: facebook.com/sustainablebathurst

This workshop is an opportunity for both beginners and seasoned composters to learn, share, and take away all the tips you need to create 'garden gold' at home. This workshop will be facilitated by local waste experts from EnviroCom Australia, and will give you the knowledge and skills to level up your garden whilst reducing your household waste. A win for you, your garden, and the planet!

WEDNESDAY 4 FEBRUARY

AUTHOR TALK - SUSAN ACKROYD - 'RHYME & REASON'

Location: Bathurst Library, 70-78 Keppel St

Time: 2pm

Cost: Free - Bookings essential

Contact: 6333 6281

Website: library.bathurst.nsw.gov.au

Discover the fascinating history behind well-known children's rhymes with the author of 'Rhyme & Reason', Susan Ackroyd.

English history through nursery rhymes, many of the rhymes explored are political satire, mocking the establishment of the day, particularly the Tudor and Stuart periods of the 16th and 17th centuries.

THURSDAY 5, 12, 19 & 26 FEBRUARY

AUSLAN CONVERSATIONAL SKILLS

Location: Bathurst Library, 70-78 Keppel St

Time: 10.30am - 11.30am

Cost: Free

Contact: 6333 6281

Website: facebook.com/sustainablebathurst

Join accredited teacher Wendy Daly for a series of lessons to learn conversational AUSLAN skills in an informal, no pressure environment. Bookings for each session are essential as spaces are limited.

FRIDAY 6 FEBRUARY

THE TRAVELING WILBURY'S COLLECTION

Location: Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105 William St

Time: 7.30pm

Cost: Member: Adult \$64; Concession \$59

Non-Member: Adult \$69; Concessions Senior/Pensioner \$64

Contact: 6333 6161

Website: bmecc.com.au

There's never been a group, let alone a supergroup, in rock history quite like it 4 years, 2 mega albums, a slew of hits, and a Grammy. But the one thing they never did was tour. That is.. until now. The Traveling Wilburys Collection bring together the collective talents, excitement, and magic that the original had to offer. Live. On stage. Like never before. Featuring all the hits of the Traveling Wilburys PLUS the classics from each individual artist – Harrison, The Beatles, Petty, The Heartbreakers, Lynne, ELO, Orbison, and Dylan.

FRIDAY 6 FEBRUARY

THE HILLBILLY GOATS

Location: Keystone 1889, 99 Keppel St

Time: 8pm

Cost: \$25

Contact: 6332 5492

Website: keystone1889.com

YEEHAW! Them Hillbilly Goats are hitchin' up the wagon and rollin' into town – and they're bringin' a boot-stompin', washboard-slappin', banjo-blazin' hoedown that'll blow the roof clean off the barn!

FRIDAY 6, SATURDAY 7 & SUNDAY 8 FEBRUARY

LIBRARY BOOK SALE

Location: Bathurst Library, 70-78 Keppel St
Time: 5th 10am - 6pm; 6th & 7th 10am - 3pm
Cost: Free entry
Contact: 6333 6281
Website: library.bathurst.nsw.gov.au

Come along for three days of bargains. Ex-library books, second-hand donations and DVDs up for sale at not-to-be-missed prices. Book sales are held on the first Friday, Saturday and Sunday of each month.

FRIDAY 6, 13, 20 & 27 FEBRUARY

LIVE & LOCAL IN THE BACKYARD

Location: Victoria Hotel, 3 Keppel St
Time: 5pm - 9pm
Cost: Free
Contact: 6331 5777
Facebook: facebook.com/TheVictoriaBathurst

Live + Local @ The Victoria! Every Friday, local artists doing what they do best. Get ready for another amazing month of live music, completely free of charge!

SATURDAY 7 FEBRUARY

MOUNT PANORAMA RIVERSIDE MARKETS

Location: Berry Park, Lions Club Drive, Kelso
Time: 8am - 1pm 1st Saturday of each month
Cost: Free
Contact: 6337 1203
Website: e-clubhouse.org/sites/mount_panorama

Come and explore the stalls under the trees beside the Macquarie River, with a kids' playground and Lions Club BBQ offering drinks and hot food. A wide range of interesting stalls are on hand.

SATURDAY 7 FEBRUARY

DRAG ME TO RYDELL - DRAG QUEEN BINGO

Location: The Greens on William, 29 William St
Time: 7pm
Cost: \$32.48
Contact: 6331 3187
Website: thegreensonwilliam.com.au

Get ready to slick back your hair, pull on your pink jackets, and strut like you've just rolled up to Rydell High! We're serving you Drag Queen Bingo, Grease-style — louder than a thunderbolt and hotter than summer nights!

SATURDAY 7 FEBRUARY

JULIE GOODWIN 'YOUR TIME STARTS NOW' TOUR

Location: Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105 William St
Time: 7.30pm
Cost: Member: Adult \$64; Concession \$59
Non-Member: Adult \$69; Concessions Senior/Pensioner \$64
Contact: 6333 6161
Website: bmecc.com.au

This two-hour live show is part cooking demonstration, part heart-to-heart chat, and 100% Julie. Co-hosted by her longtime friend and award-winning broadcaster, Rabbit. With their undeniable chemistry honed over years co-hosting breakfast radio together, the show promises laughs, tears, and a whole lot of heart.

SATURDAY 7 & SUNDAY 8 FEBRUARY

BATHURST ARTS TRAIL

Location: Various
Time: 10am - 4pm
Cost: Free entry
Website: bathurstartstrail.com

The Bathurst Arts Trail is a collective of artists throughout the Bathurst region who open their galleries to visitors on each Art's Trail Open Weekend, which is the first weekend of each month. All artists are happy to have visitors to their galleries by appointment. Painters, potters, glass artists, sculptors and printmakers showcase their talents in town and country studios and galleries. Golden Bali flags indicate an artist nearby. Download map from the website.

SATURDAY 7, 14, 21 & 28 FEBRUARY

BATHURST PARKRUN

Location: Bicentennial Park, Cnr William and Stanley Sts
Time: Every Saturday 8am
Cost: Free – must register before you run
Website: parkrun.com.au/bathurst/

This is a free, timed, 5km run/walk put on by the community for the community. Bathurst Parkrun offers an opportunity for all members of our local community, male or female, young or old, to come together on a regular basis to enjoy the beautiful Macquarie River and get physically active in the process.

SATURDAY 7 FEBRUARY - SUNDAY 3 MAY

BATHURST REGIONAL ART GALLERY EXHIBITIONS

Location: Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, 70 - 78 Keppel St
Time: Tuesday to Friday 10am - 5pm; Saturday & Sunday 10am - 2pm;
Closed Monday
Cost: Free entry
Contact: 6333 6555
Website: bathurstart.com.au

ACTS OF INHERITANCE Bathurst Regional Art Gallery (BRAG) in partnership with We Are Studios presents *Acts of Inheritance*.

Acts of Inheritance presents new work from seventeen Disabled artists who explore identity as something lived, layered and continually remade. We come to know ourselves through small, everyday acts and performances - our own and those of others, families, cultures and communities as they leave their mark upon us.

Some artists revisit family stories or inherited acts; others reflect on Disability, mental health, and shifting perceptions of self and how we perform it. Here, inheritance is not fixed or predetermined, but enacted through the choices we make, the stories we tell and the ways we show up for one another.

Through these works, *Acts of Inheritance* invites us to imagine identity as something performed in ongoing dialogue between who we have been, who we are becoming and the worlds that shape us.

We Are Studios is a 100% Disability-led, artist-run initiative empowering Disabled Western Sydney artists to thrive.

Artists: Aili Brenton, Virginia Bucknell, Ria Cirera-Cruz, Taylah Devlin, Holly-lee Dickson, Georgina Evans, Nina Frankie, Leanne Larwood, Timothy W. Martin, Grazia Napoletano, Adrienne Proud, Rebecca Scioli, Kiri Smith, Jane Thatcher, Miah Tito-Barratt, Jordan Valageorgiou, Eden Young.

Curated by We Are Studios Collective.

The project is supported by the New South Wales Government through Create NSW and by the Australian Government through Creative Australia, its principal arts investment and advisory body.

PATTERN RECOGNITION - Bathurst Regional Art Gallery (BRAG) presents Pattern Recognition by Liz Bryan in the Foyer Gallery.

Liz Bryan is a visual artist and designer working across drawing, painting, textiles, sculpture and digital media. Her practice is shaped by an ongoing interest in esoteric knowledge, mythologies and ritual, and engages with themes of womanhood, place, and the hidden or overlooked histories of feminine experience. Moving fluidly between art and craft, Liz's work also reflects on the intersections of science, mysticism and material knowledge.

For Pattern Recognition at BRAG, Liz presents a body of work that explores the microcosmic world and the underlying geometry inherent in biological structures. Informed by sacred geometry and esoteric traditions outlined in Plato's *Timaeus*, the exhibition draws on the symbolism of the five Platonic solids—earth, water, air, fire and ether—as metaphors for both physical and metaphysical systems. The relationship between microcosm and macrocosm, particularly as seen in DNA structures and natural patterning, underpins the work.

Through this work Liz explores the esoteric potential of shape, line, colour and form. Historic textile motifs, including ogee forms and repeating half-brick patterns, further inform the visual language of the exhibition. Through sculptures and paintings, Pattern Recognition reveals pattern as a connective force—linking matter, meaning and the unseen structures that shape our world.

SUNDAY 8 FEBRUARY

NEWBRIDGE SWAP MEET

Location: Newbridge Showground, 40 Three Brothers Rd, Newbridge

Time: 7am - 11am

Cost: Free entry

Facebook: facebook.com/newbridgensw

A swap meet is all about cars. And people arrive in cars to look at parts for cars (and bikes, of course, and the toys and laundry tubs and vintage wares and any manner of other treasures that you cannot live without). Luckily, the organisers have a plan and can confirm that, once again, there is free parking on the oval for visitors to the Newbridge Swap Meet.

SUNDAY 8 FEBRUARY

BAT OUT OF HELL

Location: Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105 William St
Time: 1pm
Cost: Member: Adult \$23; Non-Member: Adult \$25
Contact: 6333 6161
Website: bmecc.com.au

Get ready for the ultimate rock experience as BAT OUT OF HELL – The Musical hits the big screen! The West End cast brings Jim Steinman and Meat Loaf's iconic hits to life, including I'd Do Anything For Love, Paradise By The Dashboard Light, Two Out of Three Ain't Bad, Dead Ringer For Love, and Bat Out of Hell.

SUNDAY 8 FEBRUARY

ELLA HOOPER - LIVE IN LITTLE ALBERTS

Location: Little Alberts, Victoria Hotel, 3 Keppel St
Time: 6pm - 9pm
Cost: \$54.26
Contact: 6331 6622
Facebook: facebook.com/TheVictoriaBathurst

Ella Hooper is hitting the road this summer bringing a sharp, heartfelt edge to her ever-evolving take on Americana.

MONDAY 9 FEBRUARY

BATHURST THOROUGHBRED RACING

Location: Bathurst Thoroughbred Racing, 55 Eleven Mile Dr
Time: 1pm - 6pm
Cost: \$10
Contact: 6331 2719
Website: facebook.com/BathurstThoroughbredRacing

Head to Tyers Park for a relaxing afternoon! Experience the thrill of racing from our Racing Lounge area or the grandstand. Enjoy a flutter on the TAB, sip on a cold drink from the bar, and treat yourself to a delicious steak sandwich from the Lions Club Van. We can't wait to see you there!

WEDNESDAY 11 FEBRUARY

CENTRAL WEST COMEDY - LEHMO & TONY MARTIN

Location: Reckless Brewery, 2a Piper St
Time: 6.30pm - 9.30pm
Cost: \$50
Contact: centralwestcomedy@gmail.com
Facebook: Centralwestcomedy.com.au

Lehmo is one of Australia's most experienced comedians, headlining comedy clubs for over 15 years and performing internationally in the USA, UK, Ireland, South Africa, Singapore, Malaysia, Hong Kong, and Thailand.

Tony Martin, a New Zealand-born funnyman, has been part of Australian comedy for 35 years. His TV credits include 'The D-Generation', 'The Late Show', 'The Panel', 'Kath & Kim', 'Thank God You're Here', 'Upper Middle Bogan', and the current hit 'Have You Been Paying Attention?'

THURSDAY 12 FEBRUARY

TRACK TO TOWN

Get ready to meet the drivers and get up close with the cars of the Meguiar's Bathurst 12 Hour before they hit the track at Mount Panorama. The entire Meguiar's Bathurst 12 Hour field will be driven from Mount Panorama to the centre of Bathurst for the 2026 Track to Town celebrations on Thursday the 12th of February.

- Cars arrive: Between approx. 10.45am - 11am
- Drivers signing session: 11.30am – 12.15pm
- Cars return to Mount Panorama: 12.30pm
- Location: Russell Street (between William Street and George Street)

For more information visit bathurst.nsw.gov.au/Events/Bathurst-12-Hour



FRIDAY 13 FEBRUARY

GEOFF PARKES IN CONVERSATION

Location: Bathurst Library, 70-78 Keppel St
Time: 11am
Cost: Free
Contact: 6333 6281
Website: library.bathurst.nsw.gov.au

Hear Geoff in conversation at the library for his brand-new book! The First Law of the Bush is Geoff Parkes' new rural noir set in New Zealand's rugged King Country.

FRIDAY 13 FEBRUARY

THE MUSIC AND SONGS OF KENNY ROGERS/GLEN CAMPBELL & JOHN DENVER

Location: Keystone 1889, 99 Keppel St
Time: Dinner 6pm; Show 7pm
Cost: Dinner + Show: \$92.25; Show: \$46.13
Contact: 6332 5492
Website: keystone1889.com

Graham Toole, a dedicated musician, is renowned for his unique style and professional tributes to country music legends." Raised in a musical family, Graham's early influences include his piano-playing mother and singing father, with classical training and eisteddfod participation.

FRIDAY 13 - SUNDAY 15 FEBRUARY

MEGUIAR'S BATHURST 12 HOUR

The Meguiar's Bathurst 12 Hour is Australia's premier international endurance race, featuring a world-class field of GT3 machinery and elite drivers from across the globe. Held at the legendary Mount Panorama Circuit, the event officially launches the 2026 Australian motorsport season

www.bathurst12hour.com.au



SATURDAY 14 FEBRUARY

BLOOM KIDS MARKET

Location: The Greens on William, 29 William St
Time: 10am - 2pm
Cost: Free entry
Contact: 6331 3187
Website: thegreensonwilliam.com.au

Have your kids outgrown their clothes, shoes, or toys? Head to the Bloom Kids Market to buy and sell gently used children's items. Find affordable, stylish pieces, support sustainable fashion, and give well-loved treasures a second life, all in a relaxed, family-friendly market atmosphere.

SATURDAY 14 FEBRUARY

DINE UNDER THE STARS @ THE ROCKLEY PUB

Location: Rockley Pub, 2 Budden St, Rockley
Time: 6pm - 10pm
Cost: \$129
Contact: 6337 9415
Website: therockleypub.com.au

Join The Rockley Pub for a Local Producers' Dinner—an intimate evening celebrating the Central West. Enjoy a three-course shared menu featuring indigenous ingredients from Nathan Lovett (Mudgee) and seasonal produce from Fardon & Sons Organic Farm, perfectly paired with Winburndale wines and cooked over the Pig & Pilgrim.

SATURDAY 14, 21 & 28 FEBRUARY

EXHIBITIONS TOURS

Location: Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, 70-78 Keppel St
Time: 11am - 12pm
Cost: Free
Contact: 6333 6555
Website: bathurstart.com.au

Discover the stories, artworks and artists featured in our summer exhibitions with a guided tour led by BRAG staff. Gain deeper insight into the works on display and enjoy an engaging, informative experience.

SUNDAY 15 JANUARY

BATHURST MINIATURE RAILWAY

Location: John Matthews Sporting Complex, Durham St
Time: 10.30am - 2.30pm (weather permitting)
Cost: \$2 per ride
Contact: bxminirail@gmail.com
Website: bmrs.asn.au

Pack a picnic lunch and take the kids down to the miniature railway to enjoy a few rides on working scale model trains, just across the road from the Adventure Playground. Covered shoes must be worn.

SUNDAY 15, 22 & 29 FEBRUARY

SUNDAY SKETCH SESSIONS // SUMMER EXHIBITIONS

Location: Bathurst Regional Art Gallery, 70-78 Keppel St
Time: 10.30am - 12.30pm
Cost: Free
Contact: 6333 6555
Website: bathurstart.com.au

Drop-in, explore and draw the current exhibitions. All abilities and ages. All materials supplied, no bookings required.

TUESDAY 17 FEBRUARY

VERY OPEN MIC NIGHT @ THE VICTORIA BATHURST

Location: Victoria Hotel, 3 Keppel St
Time: 6pm - 9pm
Cost: \$5 at the door
Contact: 6331 5777
Facebook: facebook.com/TheVictoriaBathurst

A very open mic night that is open to all types of performance, music, poetry, comedy and more. Come and share your thing in front of a supportive audience! Sign up from 6pm.

THURSDAY 19 FEBRUARY

BRAGS SUMMER COCKTAILS & RAFFLE @ NORMA JOAN

Location: Norma Joan, 142 William St

Time: 6pm - 8.30pm

Cost: \$50 - \$70

Contact: 6331 5777

Facebook: bragsinc.com.au

Join the Friends of Bathurst Regional Art Gallery Society for their first 2026 event, celebrating the end of summer and the start of autumn colours. Reconnect with old friends and meet new ones over cocktails and canapés, hear what's planned for the Society and Gallery this year, and take part in a fundraising raffle with over \$1,000 in prizes generously donated by Norma Joan, Littlebourne Guest House, local artists, and more.

THURSDAY 19 FEBRUARY

MONTHLY HISTORY TALK - BATHURST'S MOTORING HERITAGE

Location: Greens on William, 29 William St

Time: 7.30pm - 8.30pm

Cost: \$2

Contact: 6332 2522

Facebook: bathursthistory.org.au

Geoff Fry, a passionate car and bike enthusiast, will deliver an engaging audio-visual presentation on the history of motoring and motor sport around Bathurst since 1900. The session will explore the early racetracks that pre-date Mount Panorama, including the six officially sanctioned State and National Championship circuits. Cost is \$2 per head, light supper provided including tea and coffee. No booking required

FRIDAY 20 FEBRUARY

BEST OF THE BEE GEES

Location: Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105 William St

Time: 8pm

Cost: Member: Adult \$23; Non-Member: Adult \$25

Contact: 6333 6161

Website: bmecc.com.au

The Best of the Bee Gees Show returns to BMEC to honour the 1979 'Greatest' album, with a set list of iconic disco, ballads and songs written by the Bee Gees for other legends. Endorsed by the Gibb family and original Bee Gees musicians, the core trio of Evan Webster (Barry Gibb), Russell Davey (Robin Gibb) and Greg Wain (Maurice Gibb), will be joined by special guest vocalist Debora McLane (Bee Gees niece).

SATURDAY 21 FEBRUARY

GLADYS – A MUSICAL AFFAIR

Location: Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105 William St

Time: 7.30pm

Cost: Member: Adult \$23; Non-Member: Adult \$25

Contact: 6333 6161

Website: bmecc.com.au

The team behind the satirical "Gladys" videos during Covid present a new musical comedy about Gladys Berejiklian, "the woman who saved Australia" but couldn't save herself. A crack team of four multi-instrumentalists and actors takes you through the early life, from her flawless leadership through two disasters, until her biggest disaster: Dodgy Daryl from Wagga Wagga.

SUNDAY 22 FEBRUARY

SOFALA AGRICULTURE & HORTICULTURE SHOW

Location: Sofala Showground,
Time: 8am - 5pm
Cost: Adult \$15; Pensioner \$10; Student \$5; Family \$35
Contact: 0427 377 090
Facebook: facebook.com/sofalahashow

The Sofala Show is always a fantastic family outing with the pavilions overflowing. There will be Collectables, Art, Photography, Wool and much more! An annual event held on the last Sunday in February.

SUNDAY 22 FEBRUARY

TARANA COMMUNITY FARMERS' MARKETS

Location: On the grounds of the Rural Fire Service shed, Tarana
Time: 9am - 1pm; 4th Sunday of the month
Cost: Free
Contact: 0412 759 542
Facebook: facebook.com/TaranaFarmersMarket

Enjoy local produce and help support your local farmers and producers. Connect with your food and its growers.

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

BATHURST LIONS FARMERS' MARKETS

Location: Bathurst Showground, Kendall Ave
Time: 8am - 12pm
Cost: Gold coin donation
Contact: 0409 924 182
Website: bathurstfarmersmarket.com.au

Wander through the pavilions and sample or buy fresh regional produce. The market's aim is to encourage stalls with goods that are grown and/or produced within the Bathurst and Central West Regions. 'Locally grown' Community Groups are often on hand with information, entertainment and much more! There is something for everyone.

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

DINO DAY

Location: Australian Fossil and Mineral Museum, 224 Howick St
Time: 9am - 4.30pm
Cost: Adult \$15 \$7.50; Concession \$11-\$5.50; Child (5-18 years at school) \$7.50 \$3.75
Contact: 6338 2860
Facebook: museumsbathurst.com.au/afmm

A ROARSOME day packed with dinosaur fun! Do you miss the roaring dinosaurs from the Dino-store? They will be roaring back to life for one day only. The day will also feature a special screening of Why Dinosaurs, dinosaur activities, a dinosaur presentation and a whole lot of Dino-mite fun. Adult/Concession/Child tickets 1/2 price until 28 February.

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

EGLINTON COUNTRY FAIR

Location: Cubis Park, Eglinton

Time: 9am - 2pm

Cost: Gold coin donation

Contact: eglintoncountryfair@gmail.com

Website: facebook.com/eglintonfair

Eglinton Country Fair is a fun family day out. The fair continues to grow and offers a huge range of things to see, do and experience. Everyone is welcome!

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

BEERS & BEAT @ THE ROCKLEY PUB

Location: Rockley Pub, 2 Budden St, Rockley

Time: 3pm - 6pm

Website: therockleypub.com.au

On the last Saturday of the month, The Rockley Pub has local musicians showing off their talents between 3pm – 6pm in beer garden, with each month seeing a different artist take the stage. For December, the artist is Bob Green. Guests can buy ice cold, local and imported beers directly from the beer garden and order delicious food from the restaurant.

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

EAGLES - UP CLOSE

Location: Keystone 1889, 99 Keppel St

Time: Dinner 6pm; Show 7pm

Cost: Dinner + Show: \$92.25; Show: \$46.13

Contact: 6332 5492

Website: keystone1889.com

There are few acts in the modern era who have such a deep and profound legacy and impact than The Eagles. Over 50 years after their debut release, the hits this multi genre band (who managed to crystalise the sound of country before evolving through disco and ultimately classic rock) created continue to spread across generations of listeners of all ages.

SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY

A NIGHT AT BATHURST GOLDFIELDS

Location: 428 Conrod Straight, Mount Panorama

Time: 6pm - 11pm

Cost: \$119 per person

Contact: 6332 2022

Website: bathurstgoldfields.com.au

One-night-only evening at Bathurst Goldfields Resort, complete with a beautifully crafted five-course dinner and live music, all set against the sweeping backdrop of Mount Panorama. This special public event is our way of opening the doors and welcoming locals and visitors alike to share a night of good food, great company, amazing entertainment and the magic of the Goldfields.

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