



CANOWINDRA

Canowindra Historical Society Museum Inc

History in the Club - Lunch & other activities
Service & Citizens Club, Caskill St

'History in the Club' lunch with a guest speaker from the Central West Astronomy Society. Other activities - social evening at the club. Power point presentation "Our Place in Space" by members of Central West Astronomical Society & "Viewing in the Paddock" - at a local farm on a star gazing night. An organised trip to Parkes CSIRO's Radio Telescope. All welcome.

3 April 12.30pm - 2pm

Bookings Essential 6364 0258 / 6344 1747

COONAMBLE

Coonamble Heritage Advisory Committee

Open day at Coonamble Museum, Coonamble Archives Sunset & Stargazing at Mt Magometon
Coonamble Museum, Coonamble Archive Centre, 80 Castlereagh St & Mt Magometon

The Coonamble Museum & the Coonamble Archives welcomes you to their space on this annual open day. Volunteers will be on hand to provide answers to any questions you may have. Then at night, come along to the only mountain in Coonamble Shire & watch the sun set while sipping wine, eating cheese & stargazing at the amazing sky. BYO wine & cheese.

4 April 10am - 2pm (for open day one hour before sunset for Mt Magometon)

Gold coin for both

Enquiries 0437 271 936

DUBBO

Dubbo Field Naturalist & Conservation Society

Walking tracks with Field Naturalists

Western Plains Cultural Centre, Wingewarra Ct

The Dundullimal and Dibalambil walking tracks are two of three early walking tracks developed in the Dubbo area by the Dubbo Lands Office in association with other community groups in the 1970's. Both tracks were located along the Macquarie Riverbank which will be explored. Wear good walking shoes, bring drinking water.

18 April 9am - 12noon

Free

Bookings Essential 0427 480 440

FORBES

Forbes Shire Council Heritage

Festival Committee

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival

Friday 1 May at 4.30pm; Guided historical tour - Lake Forbes. 7pm; Wiradjuri event - Dream Times, Lake Forbes. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

1 May 4.30pm & 7pm

Enquiries 6850 2300

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10am; The trial of the troubled life of Kate Kelly (Ned's Sister) whose body was mysteriously found in Forbes Lagoon, (mini bus). 2pm; Vintage Fashion parade at Mezzanine. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

2 May 10am & 2pm

Enquiries 6850 2300

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9am; Historical Cemetery tour. 10am - 5pm; Open House, Forbes & District Historical Museum. 12noon - 4pm; Exhibition of schools, open art, photography and writing competitions at Forbes Town Hall. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

3 May 9am & 12noon

Enquiries 6850 2300

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10am; Forbes Court House - "The trial of Ben Hall". Debate between Forbes High School & Red Bend Catholic College. 6.30pm; Forbes Shire and Country Energy Heritage Festival Presentation evening - presentation of Forbes Medal. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

5 May 10am & 6.30pm

Enquiries 6850 2300



Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival Committee

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Family History group information day. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

6 May 10am - 4pm
Enquiries 6850 2300

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival Committee

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Tour of Forbes heritage buildings as featured in the film "The Dish". Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

7 May 10am
Enquiries 6850 2300

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival Committee

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival

Guided walk of Forbes Lakes with historical interpretation. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

8 May 8am
Enquiries 6850 2300

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival Committee

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Departs Forbes Town Hall

Lachlan Branch National Trust Coach Tour - Historical "Carroboblin", Burrawang Station, Seven Sisters historical site & Jemaline Station. Bring packed lunch. Bookings essential. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

9 May 9am
Bookings Essential 6850 2300

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival Committee

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"It was a great night". Fun themed cabaret evening at Forbes Town Hall. Featuring renowned folk / rock band with dance, music, poetry, yarns of fun. BYO drinks and nibbles. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

9 May 7pm
\$20
Bookings Essential 6850 2300

Forbes Shire Council Heritage Festival Committee

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St John's Anglican Church - organ recital on restored 'vocalion' organ - c1900. Old fashioned community hymn singing followed by afternoon tea in the beautiful church grounds. Further details will be displayed at www.forbes.nsw.gov.au.

10 May 3pm
Enquiries 6850 2300

HILL END

Hill End & Tambaroore Progress Association

Craigmoor House Open

Craigmoor House, Byers Ave

Historic Craigmoor House: See life how it was lived in 1870s. Craigmoor was occupied by the one family from when it was built in 1875 to 1950s. Hanna Cho, last surviving member died in 1950 and the house has not been permanently occupied since. See original interiors, patchwork quilts and domestic artifacts.

11 & 12 April 11am - 4pm
\$10 Adult / \$8 Concession
Enquiries 6337 8306

JUNEE

Junee Shire Council

Heritage Walking Tour

Junee Railway Station

A fascinating guided tour is planned which will take you around the town, highlighting the public architecture of Junee. Information will be provided on various designers, builders and architectural features and styles. Good walking shoes.

7 April 5pm
Bookings Essential 6924 8100

LEETON

Leeton Shire Council

Filtration Plant Tour

Leeton Water Filtration Plant, Acacia Ave. Meet at front in Acacia Ave.

Tour the Art Deco Water Filtration Plant. See how raw water is treated for drinking. No children under 12 years of age. No unaccompanied children. Flat & closed shoes required. Tour includes stairs. Good walking shoes. Max 14.

11 April 2pm
Free
Bookings Essential 6953 2611



MOAMA

Friends of Old Moama

Friends of Old Moama

'Old Telegraph Station', 60 Chanter St

The 'Friends of Old Moama' aim to showcase the rich diverse history of the old Township and enable the public to walk the street of history and learn about Moama's fascinating past. Members will re-create the period by dressing in costumes c1800's. A morse-codian will demonstrate sending a message and will display their equipment and demonstrate the importance of morse-code and how it helped improve the lives of the farmers and people in the outback. Free entry and BBQ (donations welcome). Wheelchair access, parking available, good walking shoes required, refreshments available.

19 April 10am - 2.30pm

Free entry and BBQ

Enquiries 5480 1818

PARKES

Parkes District Historical Society Inc.

Our Place in Space

Parkes Museum, Newell Hwy

Night viewing of the eastern sky from the museum. Special display of old photos of the building of Parkes Telescope and the working machinery used at Coobang Valley pre 1950, during the early years of the telescope. Wheelchair access, parking, BBQ lunch, refreshments available, bus tours.

18 April 8pm - 9pm

\$7 Adults / Children up to fifteen no cost

Enquiries 0412 674 261

TEMORA

Temora Shire Council

Temora Rural Museum Annual Live Exhibition

Temora Rural Museum, Junee Rd

Theme: "Roses from the Heart" - Celebrating Neptunes Convicts. Opening: Temora's Shed for Men. Wheelchair access, refreshments available.

14 March 10am - 5pm

\$8 Adult / \$2 Children

Enquiries 6977 1291

WAGGA WAGGA

Museum of the Riverina

Winning sky photos: the David Malin Awards

Museum of the Riverina Botanic Gardens sites, Lord Baden Powell Dr

Some of the most spectacular images of the sky are on display as part of the touring exhibition 'Winning sky photos: the David Malin Awards'. See the winner and selected entires from the annual photography competition named after the world-renowned astrophotographer and competition judge, Dr David Malin.

9 April to 17 May Tues - Sat 10am - 5pm /

Sun 12pm - 4pm

Free

Enquiries 6925 2934

Riverina Regional Committee

Heritage Walking tour

Wagga Wagga Information Centre

Join the guided tour of Monks (architect) & Hardy (builder). Buildings of the late 19th and early 20th century in Wagga Wagga. Come and learn about the design elements and architectural features they used in their buildings and why this collaboration of architect and builder was so important to Wagga Wagga.

11 April 10.30am

\$5

Bookings Essential 6926 3320

WELLINGTON

Heritage Festival Committee

A Starry Night

Wellington Caves BBQ picnic area

Gathering for picnic, BBQ menu (bring own meal etc). 8pm guest astronomer to speak on Sky Telescopes. Limited numbers.

12 April 6pm - 8pm

Bookings Essential 6845 2030

Heritage Festival Committee

Childrens Art Exhibition

Percy St, Nanima Cres, Lee St

Exhibition of childrens art - Under 18 years. Theme "Our Place in Space - Under the Southern Cross" official opening: Guest speaker - 4 April 2009.

4 to 19 April 10am - 4pm

Enquiries 6845 3337



REGIONAL events

Heritage Festival Committee

Heritage Festival Dinner

Heritage Dinner, menu of traditional food, held at Historic Wellington Hotel. Guest speaker on local history.

18 April 7.30pm

\$30 Dinner

Bookings Essential 6845 2030

Heritage Week Committee

Heritage Shop Windows

Percy St, Nanima Cres, Lee St

Window display in Main Street shops reflecting heritage week theme. Awards presented at Heritage Dinner.

1 to 20 April

15 April 7pm - 8pm

Enquiries 4951 2506