

# PROM COUNTRY MARCH EVENTS

**1 February—31 March**

## **2010 GIPPSLAND FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL**

Inspired by Gippsland: 2010 Food and Wine Festival, February-March 2010.

A slice of Gippsland featuring...fine, food, fabulous restaurants, organic, berries, world beating cheeses, wicked wineries, prawns fresh from the boat, farmers markets, harvest picnics and festivals galore.

**Venue:** Different wineries around South Gippsland

**Website:** <http://www.inspiredbygippsland.com.au>

**4 January—2 March**

## **RENEWAL—REMEMBERING BLACK SATURDAY**

A group exhibition responding to the fires.

FREE ENTRY

**Gallery Hours:** 10am to 4pm daily. Closed Wednesdays

**Venue:** Courthouse Gallery, 122 Commercial Rd, Yarram

**Contact:** 03 5182 6553

**14 February—20 March**

## **“ASSEMBLAGES #15” EXHIBITION**

Transforming everyday objects into art.

Includes artists: Sian Adnam (Cape Woolami), Deb Le Cerf (Cape Patterson), Peter Cole (Venus Bay), Bridget Crowe (Fish Creek), Grant Flather (Yanakie), Sue Gilford (Agnes), Mandy Gunn (Tarwin Lower), Suellen Lee (Binginwarri), Andrew McPherson (Fish Creek), Ann Parry (Foster North), Jane Power (Fish Creek), Abigail van Rooyen (Waratah North), Kerry Spokes (Fish Creek), Annie Stark (Fish Creek), Rachel Warren (Outrim), Helen Wilkinson (Yanakie).

**Opening:** Sunday 14th Feb 2pm-5pm

**Gallery Hours:** 10am-5pm, Thursday to Monday (Closed Tue, Wed)

**Venue:** Gecko Studio Gallery, 15 Falls Rd, Fish Creek

**Contact:** Gecko Studio Gallery, 03 5683 2481

**Website:** <http://www.geckostudiogallery.com.au>

**25 February—14 March**

## **TONY KNIGHT PHOTOGRAPHY**

**Gallery hours:** open daily including gift shop from 10am - 4pm.

**Venue:** Stockyard Gallery, Main St, Foster

**Contact:** Stockyard Gallery, 03 5682 1125

**Email:** [info@stockyardgallery.org.au](mailto:info@stockyardgallery.org.au)

**Website:** <http://www.stockyardgallery.org.au>





# PROM COUNTRY EVENTS

**27 February—25 March**

## **SEXY SACRED EXHIBITION**

An exhibition of works by Ellen Taylor.

'The forceful, the fleeting, the sacred and the sexy. Ellen's drawing, collages and installations will examine intimate human to human encounters'

**Opening:** Sunday 28th February from 2-4pm

**Gallery hours:** Weekdays, 10-4pm (closed Tuesday), Weekends, 11-5pm

**Venue:** Meeniyana Art Gallery, 84 Whitelaw St, Meeniyana

**Contact:** Meeniyana Art Gallery 5664 0101

**Website:** <http://meeniyanaartgallery.com.au>

**5 March—8 March**

## **SEVENTEENTH INVERLOCH JAZZ FESTIVAL**

Musician and patron registration from 2pm on **Friday 5th March**. Then 7pm - 11.30pm programmed music including opening ceremony.

**Saturday 6th March:** 10am street parade featuring musicians, decorated community floats, brass band, marching groups and vintage cars. 11am - 11.30pm full music program at all venues.

**Sunday 7th March:** 10am combined churches jazz service.

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**Monday 8th March:** 11 am picnic in the park, jazz, food and wine in the Glade, on the beautiful Inverloch foreshore.

**Entry Fees:** Patron registration for full festival (Early bird - by 05/02/2010): \$55 All others: \$65 Musicians Spouse/partner: Prepaid \$20, At desk \$25

Friday Night Only: \$20 Sat or Sun (full day): \$35 Sat or Sun (evening only) \$20 Marquee only - one gig: \$5 Children 16 and under FREE

Street parade, church service, jazz picnic: FREE

**Venue:** Inverloch Township

**Contact:** Secretary, 03 5674 3879. Musician Registrations: Ross Owen, 03 5674 6086

**Website:** <http://www.inverlochjazzfestival.com.au>

**6 March—7 March**

## **CLASSIC MUSIC CONCERTS**

Poowong Historical Group Presents:

Classic Music Concerts featuring the Team of Pianists in the historic 'Pioneer Chapel' in Poowong.

**Saturday March 6th:** 2pm and 7pm and **Sunday 7th March** at 2pm.

**Venue:** Pioneer Chapel, Poowong

**Contact:** 56275576 or 56592379

**6 March**

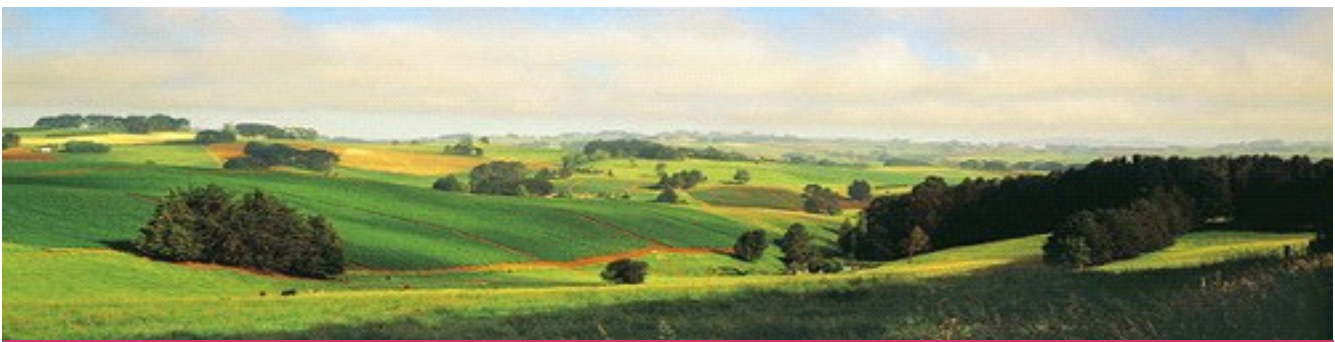
## **FISH CREEK COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CAR BOOT SALE**

Monster garage and car boot sale. Have fun exchanging your treasures.

Funds raised will assist local community projects.

**Venue:** Old Railway Station and Park, Fish Creek

**Contact:** Doug Knez, 0408 170 465



# PROM COUNTRY EVENTS

**6 March**

## **ANDERSONS INLET STAMP AND COIN FAIR**

The Anderson Inlet Stamp Club, incorporating "Sammy Stamp", is again holding their annual "Stamp & Coin" Fair on Saturday, 6th. March, 2010. We choose the Saturday of the Labour Day Weekend to coincide with Inverloch's Jazz Festival.

Stamp and coin dealers from Melbourne and Gippsland will be in attendance, both buying and selling.

We are always hoping to attract new members to this interesting and informative hobby. We also collect and sell excess stamps for "Sammy Stamp", a wonderful charity located in Melbourne.

So if you are looking for a great hobby with a fun crowd, call in to our fair.

**Time:** 9am—4pm

**Venue:** Uniting Church Hall, Williams Street, Inverloch

**Contact:** Dawn Kuyer, 03 5674 3382. **Email:** [gippystamps@vic.chariot.net.au](mailto:gippystamps@vic.chariot.net.au)

**6 March**

## **CONCIARTO SERIES—PARKVILLE ENSEMBLE**

Bottesini Gran Duo Concertante, Reynaldo Hahn songs, Interval, Mozart piano quartet

Admission \$55 includes glass of wine and a light supper. Bookings essential 03 56832628

**Time:** 7 pm for 8pm

**Venue:** Celia Rosser Gallery, Waratah Road, Fish Creek

**Contact:** [andrew@celiarossergallery.com.au](mailto:andrew@celiarossergallery.com.au)

**6 March**

## **LYRE BIRD HILL WINERY—WOOD FIRED PIZZAS**

LONG WEEKEND! Tantalise the senses at Lyre Bird Hill Winery. The wood fired pizza oven will have the fires burning to cook freshly made pizzas by Sam and Rose from Paradise Pizza in Leongatha. Local guitarist Peter has been adding to his repertoire of easy listening old favourites, Leongatha Painters Group are hanging their recently painted watercolours of local flowers and landscapes, and Zak Chalmers of Valley Plains Pottery has been firing his handmade pots ready to use at your table.

**Venue:** Lyre Bird Hill Winery, 370 Inverloch Rd, Koonwarra

**Contact:** Lyre Bird Hill Winery, 03 5664 3204. **Email:** [rowen@lyrebirdhill.com.au](mailto:rowen@lyrebirdhill.com.au)

**Website:** <http://www.lyrebirdhill.com.au>

**7 March**

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**Venue:** Pioneer Chapel, Poowong

**Contact:** 03 5627 5576

**7 March**

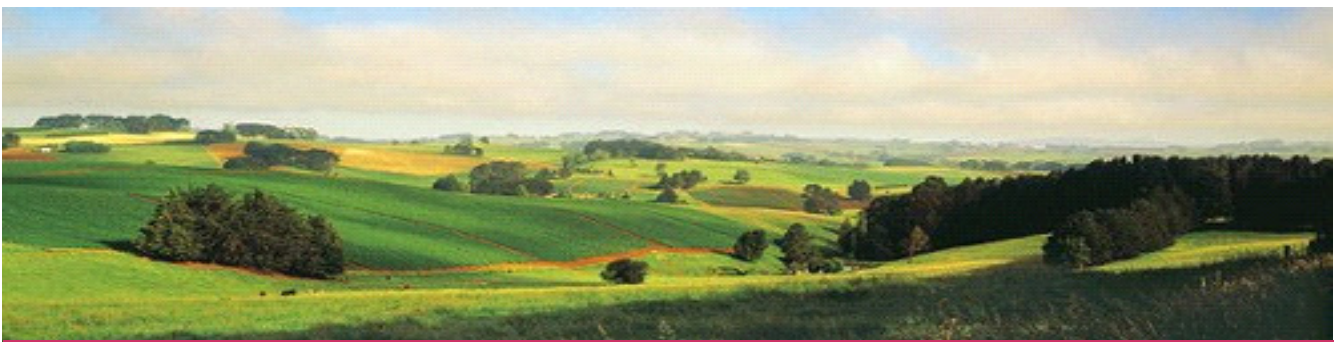
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**7 March**

## **STONY CREEK RACING—STONY CREEK CUP**

Cup Day is the major draw card of our season. Exciting racing is guaranteed and our card for the day includes several races for quality gallopers. This feature day is one on which many groups pin their social plans, renting marquees, pre-booking food and bar packages, and dressing with style to for there chance to shine in our Fashions on the Field.

**Gates Open:** 11am

**Admission:** Adults \$20, Concession and Pensioners \$15, 17 & Under Free, Members Free

**Venue:** Stony Creek Racecourse, South Gippsland Hwy, Stony Creek

**Contact:** Stony Creek Club Office, 03 5664 0099. **Email:** enquiries@scrc.com.au

**Website:** <http://www.countryracing.com.au>

**7 March**

## **BOWDEN, FINC AND LEONARD @ MEENIYAN**

The band, Cousin Leonard, is coming to Meeniyan on the long weekend. They are touring with international acts Peter Finc from Switzerland and Drew Bowden from NZ. BYO drinks & nibbles.

**Tickets:** pre purchased \$15 at Moos of Meeniyan, At door \$20

**Time:** 7.30 pm

**Venue:** Meeniyan Hall, Main St, Meeniyan

**Contact:** Moos at Meeniyan, 03 5664 0010

**13 March**

## **INVERLOCH FOOD AND WINE FESTIVAL**

Includes wine tasting and cooking demonstrations.

The festival aims to showcase to locals and tourists the culinary delights of Inverloch and surrounding region and provide an opportunity to sample wines from local boutique wineries.

Fantastic local musicians will be providing relaxing and festive background music all afternoon.

**Costs:** Adults \$10, children free, \$15 for tasting glass

**Time:** 11 am—5 pm

**Venue:** The Glade, Inverloch

**Contact:** 1300 762 433

**13 March**

## **MOSSVALE MUSIC FESTIVAL MOSSVALE PARK**

On Saturday the 13th March the music at Mossvale Park will have a little more Alt Country / Rock flavour.

Multi-award winning Australian alternative country singer-songwriter Kasey Chambers with partner Shane Nicholson, father Bill Chambers as well as guests, will headline at Mossvale.

Receiving praise across the globe, 2010 will be Australia's first chance to see and hear the alluring Eilen Jewell and her band. Eilen Jewell puts her own beautiful stamp on old country, folk and blues.

Also appearing at the March Mossvale will be American Mary Gauthier: "With songwriting as powerful as hers, there's no need to go looking for qualifiers...She's a unique, intrinsically valuable musical voice. And there's never a surplus of those." - Los Angeles Times.

Also performing will be Australian bands, The Junes featuring Suzannah Espie and Sarah Carol, and rising stars on the Australian music scene, Sal Kimber & the Rollin' Wheel.

**Cost:** Members / Concessions \$50, Adults \$55, Family \$150 (2 adults & mas 4 children) plus booking fee.

**Tickets:** Bair Music, Leongatha, Gecko Studio Gallery, Fish Creek and Main Street Revelations, Foster.

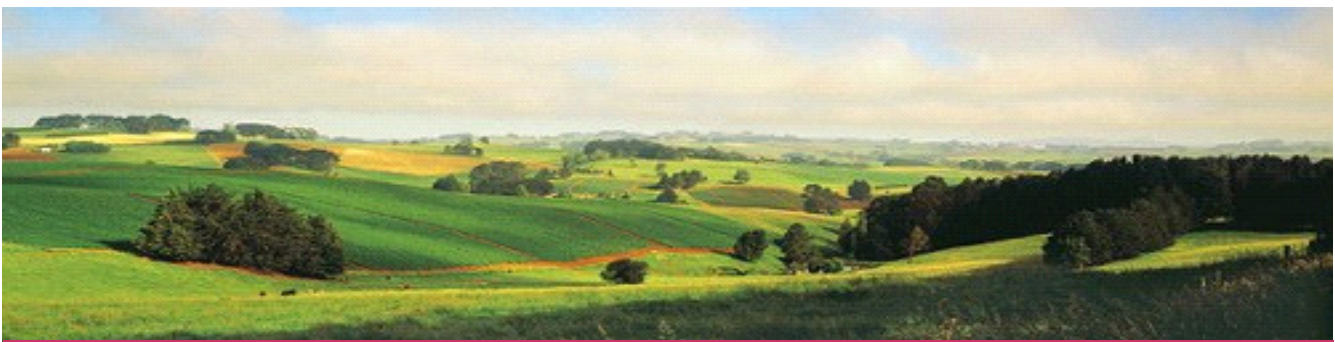
Tickets also available at [www.moshtix.com.au](http://www.moshtix.com.au),

**Venue:** Mossvale Park, Berry's Creek.

**Contact:** Lyrebird Arts Council Inc

**Email:** [lyrebirdarts@hotmail.com](mailto:lyrebirdarts@hotmail.com)

**Website:** <http://www.lyrebirdartscouncil.com.au>



# PROM COUNTRY EVENTS

**14 March**

## **SUSTAINABILITY FESTIVAL**

This is one day in March for all your questions about living now for a brighter future. Come to see cooking demonstrations, specialist food exhibitors, farming demonstrations on soil care and water management and guest speakers on agriculture diversification, energy and built environment, sustainable food production and manufacture, health and wellbeing and self sufficiency living. The event will also include fun activities and education for the kids.

FREE EVENT

**Time:** 9am—4pm

**Venue:** Coal Creek Community Park and Museum

**Contact:** Chris Hamilton, 03 5662 9314.

**14 March**

## **TIDAL RIVER OPEN SPACE PROJECT (TROSP)—MONTHLY WALK**

Meet at the Cenopath at 9.30 am for a monthly walk with members of the TROSP. Morning tea is provided and normal Park fees are waived.

**Venue:** Cenopath, Tidal River, Wilson Promontory National Park

**Contact:** Parks Victoria, 13 19 63.

**Website:** <http://www.parkweb.vic.gov.au>

**19 March**

## **“DAVO” AUSTRALIA’S FUNNIEST IMPERSONATOR**

Meeniyah Bowls Club & MDU football Club fundraising function.

**Cost:** \$20 per head

**Venue:** MDU Clubrooms, Meeniyah Recreation Reserve, Nerrena Rd, Meeniyah

**Contact:** Bob Graeme 03 56624509 to book tickets or tables.

**19 March—20 March**

## **WELSHPOOL AND DISTRICT HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY AUTUMN SHOW**

Welshpool & District Hort Soc Autumn Show.

Dahlia's, Cut Flowers, Fruit & Veg, Pot Plants, Home Produce, Floral Art, Plant Stall, Raffle.

**Times:** Fri 1.30pm – 5pm, Sat 10am-4.30pm

**Venue:** Welshpool Hall, South Gippsland Highway, Welshpool

**Contact:** Fran Grylls 03 5184 1376

**20 March—21 March**

## **KORUMBURRA WORKING HORSE AND TRACTOR RALLY**

The Theme for this year's Rally will be Green. Commencing at 10am

Activities and displays include Pioneer skills, vintage cars and trucks, cow milking and butter making, craft and variety stalls, food stalls and much much more. There will be a Grand Parade each day.

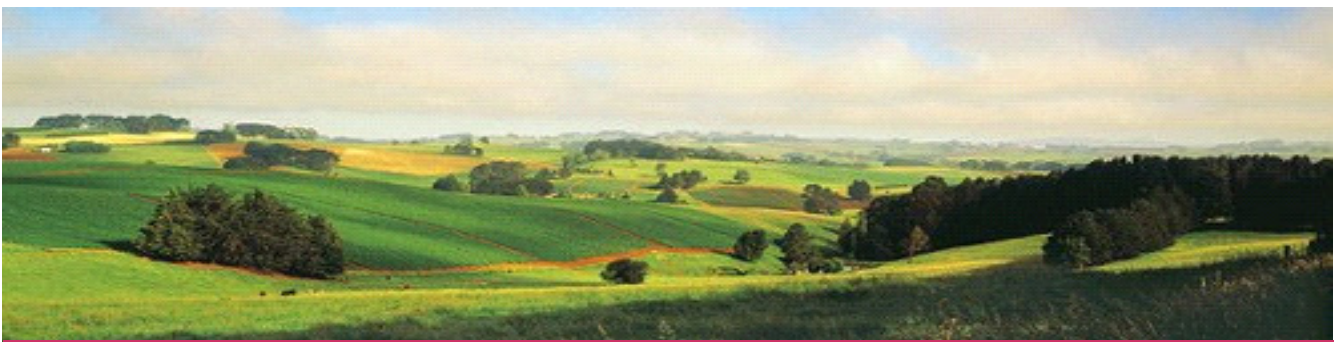
**Admission:** Adults: \$10, under 16 free, Two Day Pass: \$15 Free parking

**Times:** 10 am— 4 pm

**Venue:** South Gippsland Highway, Nyora Ref Mel 612 S9

**Contact:** Melanie Durkin 03 5659 4305. 0412 051 740. **Email:** [ilolden@dcsi.net.au](mailto:ilolden@dcsi.net.au)





# PROM COUNTRY EVENTS

**21 March**

## **LEONGATHA SHOW 'N' SHINE & CAR BOOT SALE**

Leongatha Rotary Club Charity Event:

If its got wheels and you're proud of it, **SHOW IT**, or Convert surplus goods to cash at the car boot sale!

With live music, food providers and childrens activities!

**Entry:** Adults - \$5.00, Family - \$10, Children under 14 FREE

**EXHIBITORS WELCOME!**

At 1pm - auction of framed HRT shirt signed by Garth Tander & Will Davison.

Categories: Entry of the Show, Bike of the Show, Best Hot Rod, Best Street Machine, Best Custom, Best Commercial Van Ute or Wagon, Best Aussie Vehicle, Best Original Restored Car, Best Original Restored Bike, Best Paint Job, Best Engine Bay, Best Interior, Special Interest Vehicle, Best Vintage Truck, Best Truck age 1-3 years, Best Truck age 3-10 years, Best Caravan or Motor Home, Best Go Kart, Best Feral Ute.

**Costs:** Display Vehicle and Driver - \$5 each, Each Passenger \$5, Car Boot \$5.

**Times:** 9 am— 3 pm

**Venue:** Leongatha Velodrome, Roughead St (Strzelecki Hwy), Leongatha

**Contact:** John O'Connor, 0416 193 990 or John Mackie, 0408 512 353

**27 March—22 April**

## **"STILL LIFE" EXHIBITION**

An exhibition of works by Antonia Buckley.

Antonia's work pays homage to the detail of pattern and colour that are essential in nature for reproduction and continuity. This exhibition focuses on fruit, vegetables and flowers.

**Opening:** Sunday 28 March from 2-4pm

**Gallery Hours:** Weekdays, 10-4pm (closed Tuesday), Weekends, 11-5pm

**Venue:** Meeniyana Art Gallery Whitelaw Street, Meeniyana

**Contact:** 03 5664 0101

**Website:** <http://www.meeniyanaartgallery.com.au>

**27 March**

## **SILO STRING QUARTET**

This internationally renowned quartet will play at the Yarram Courthouse Gallery, starting at 8pm.

**Tickets:** \$39 (\$34 members)

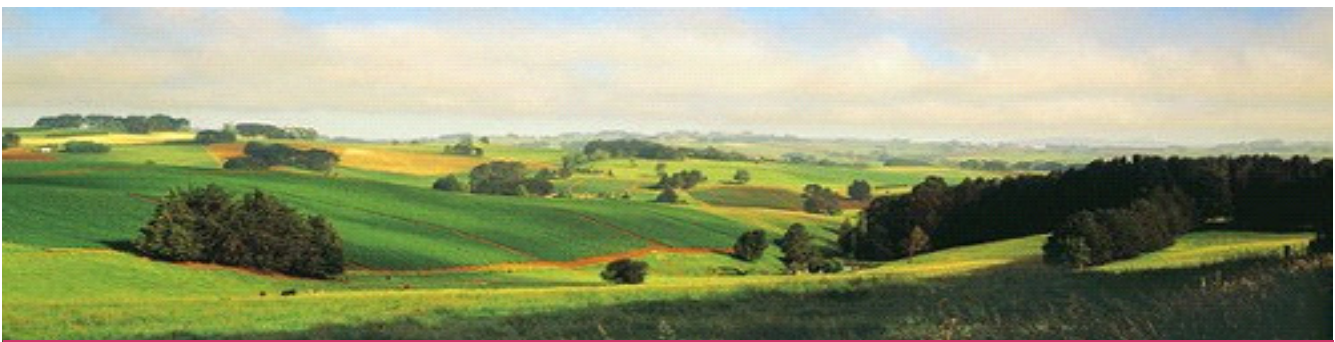
Tickets on sale at "All Forms of Design" 217 Commercial Rd Yarram from 24th February. Wednesday to Saturday.

**Ticket enquiries:** Phil, 03 5182 6978 or [courthousegalleryyarram@gmail.com](mailto:courthousegalleryyarram@gmail.com)

**Venue:** Yarram Courthouse Gallery, 122 Commercial Rd, Yarram

**Contact:** Phil 03 5182 6978





# PROM COUNTRY MARKETS

## **PROMONTORY HOME/PRODUCE MARKET**

**Venue:** Foster Showgrounds, Foster

**Time:** 8am Start

**Contact:** Max Parnell, 03 5682 2654

**2009/10:** Nov 1st, Dec 6th/27th, Jan 24th, Mar 7th, Apr 4th

## **PROM COUNTRY FARMERS MARKET**

**Venue:** Foster WMAC hall, Main St, Foster

**Time:** 8am—12noon

**Contact:** Market Manager 03 5682 1345

**2009/10:** 3rd Saturday of each month.

## **TARWIN LOWER MARKET**

**Venue:** Tarwin Lower Memorial Hall, Tarwin Lower

**Time:** 8:30am start

**Contact:** Carol Dwyer 5663 7657

**2009/10:** Monday of a Public Holiday

## **JUMBUNNA BUSH MARKET**

**Venue:** The Main Hall, Jumbunna

**Time:** 8:30am start

**Contact:** Dawn Wylie 03 5657 3253

**2009/10:** 1st Sunday of each month.

## **MIRBOO NORTH MARKET**

**Venue:** Baromi Park, Mirboo North

**Time:** 8:30am start

**Contact:** Maxine, 03 5668 2465

**2009/10:** Last Saturday of every month.

## **KONGWAK MARKET**

**Venue:** Korumburra—Wonthaggi Rd, Kongwak

**Time:** 10am start

**Contact:** Jane 0417 142 478

**2009/10:** Every Sunday

## **STH GIPPSLAND FARMERS MARKET**

**Venue:** Koonwarra Memorial Park, Koonwarra

**Time:** 8.30am start

**Contact:** Juliet Klauer 03 5659 8208

**2009/10:** 1st Saturday of each month.

## **TOORA MARKET**

**Venue:** Former Bonlac Store, Jetty Rd, Toora

**Time:** 8am start

**Contact:** Joyce 03 5688 1237

**2009/10:** 2nd Saturday of each month.

## **LOCH VILLAGE MARKET**

**Venue:** Railway Siding, Loch

**Time:** 8:30am start

**Contact:** Ron Payne 03 5659 0212

**2009/10:** 2nd Sunday of each month Oct—Apr

## **LOCH PUBLIC HALL WINTER MARKET**

**Venue:** Loch Public Hall, Smith St, Loch

**Time:** 9am—1pm

**Contact:** Jennie Kennedy, 03 5659 4305

**2009/10:** 2nd Sunday of each month May—Sep

## **INVERLOCH FARMERS MARKET**

**Venue:** The Glade, Inverloch

**Time:** 8am to 1pm

**Contact:** Peter Arnold, 03 5664 0096

**2009/10:** 3rd Sunday of each month

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