



Coal Creek Community Park & Museum, Rotunda



Mossvale Park Berry's Creek



Koonwarra Food & Wine Store

1 December – 3 January

THIS MEMORY

This Memory - an exhibition of works on paper by Jenny Peterson. December 1 to January 3, opening Saturday December 3, 2 - 4pm.

Gallery Hours: Open 10am to 4pm daily (Closed Wednesdays).

Venue: Courthouse Gallery, 122 Commercial Road, Yarram

Contact: 03 5182 6553

Email: courthousegalleryyarram@gmail.com

Website: <http://www.yarramchgallery.blogspot.com/>

11 December – 29 January

SCULPTURE IN THE VINEYARD

Sculpture in the Vineyard is a collection of works by Gippsland artists in various mediums, principally outdoors. The works of various materials are situated around the vineyard, the waterholes, the orchard and the gardens of Lyre Bird Hill, enticing visitors to wander, consider, maybe purchase, and enjoy the idyllic surrounds.

Time: Open daily, 10am to 5pm

Venue: Lyrebird Hill Winery, Koonwarra-Inverloch Rd, Koonwarra

Contact: 03 5664 3204. Email: rowen@lyrebirdhill.com.au

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

15 December – 3 January

COLLECTIVE – ANNUAL VOLUNTEERS EXHIBITION

Stockyard Gallery's fabulous volunteers showcase their awesome talents in the annual volunteer exhibition.

Gallery Hours: Open daily, 10am to 4pm - (except Christmas Day and Boxing Day)

Venue: Stockyard Gallery, Cnr. Main & McDonald Streets Foster

Contact: Stockyard Gallery, 03 5682 1125

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

18 December – 21 January

"QUIET DOWN" – EXHIBITION

New paper and glass works by Sarah Dingwall. December 18 to January 21. Opening Sunday December 18 from 2 - 5pm.

Gallery Hours: Open 7 days mid Dec - end Jan, 10 am to 5pm.

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

Contact: Gecko Studio Gallery, 03 5683 2481

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

22 December – 30 January

VICKI SULLIVAN – OIL PAINTINGS

Gallery Open: Daily, 10am to 4.30pm

Venue: Coal Creek Community Gallery, South Gippsland Hwy, Korumburra

Contact: Coal Creek, 5655 1811

Website: <http://www.coalcreekvillage.com.au>

22 December – 30 January

BINN'S TRACK

Binn's Track - A journey through an ancient land.

Yvonne Renfree and Carol Monson have been stitching and exhibiting together for a number of years. For the first time their husbands, Trevor Renfree and Russell Monson have joined forces to present an exciting visual response to their travels through the centre of Australia on a 4wheel drive journey along Binn's Track.

Gallery Hours: Weekdays: 10am to 4pm (Closed Tues), Weekends: 11-5

Venue: Meeniyan Art Gallery, Whitelaw St, Meeniyan

Contact: Meeniyan Art Gallery, 5664 0101

Website: <http://meeniyanartgallery.org.au>

1 January – 22 January

VENUS BAY COMMUNITY CENTRE – HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Once again, (Venus Bay Community Centre) - VBCC will host a range of holiday activities for children and families.

We will operate the program over the first 3 weeks of January; activities will include the ever popular Street Art workshops, mosaics, craft and games, the wonderfully informative wildlife display along with a host of other activities. We will also be featuring a concert by The Little Stevies.

Venue: Venus Bay Community Centre, 27 Canterbury Road Venus Bay

Contact: 03 5663 7499

1 January

KONGWAK MARKET

Time: 10am - 3pm

Venue: Korumburra-Wonthaggi Rd, Kongwak

Contact: Jane, 0417 142 478

1 January

JUMBUNNA BUSH MARKET

Time: 9am – 1pm

Venue: The Main hall, Jumbunna

Contact: Dawn Wylie, 5657 3253



Whisky Beach, Wilson's Promontory



Sandy Point



Swing Bridge, Tarra Bulga National Park

1 January
PROMONTORY HOME & PRODUCE MARKET
Time: 8am to 2pm
Venue: Foster Showgrounds, Station Rd, Foster
Contact: Juneen, 0427 809 509

2 January
SUMMER PIZZA DAYS
 Relax in the vineyard to enjoy Sicilian style wood-fired pizzas made to your order, listen to live guitar music of old favourites, and smell the glorious roses at Lyre Bird Hill Winery.
Time: 12 noon to 5pm
Venue: Lyrebird Hill Winery, Koonwarra-Inverloch Rd, Koonwarra
Contact: 03 5664 3204. **Email:** rowen@lyrebirdhill.com.au
Website: <http://www.lyrebirdhill.com.au>

2 January
DRUM CIRCLE: AFRICAN DRUMMING
 Caters for all levels of experience and kids too. Cost: \$4 to Inverloch Community House, \$5 for drum hire if needed. Must phone 0409 295 657 for full details. Great fun and musical session!!
Starts: 7pm
 Every Saturday during January starting at 4pm and Mondays at 7pm throughout January and February.
Venue: The Glade, Inverloch
Contact: 0409 295 657

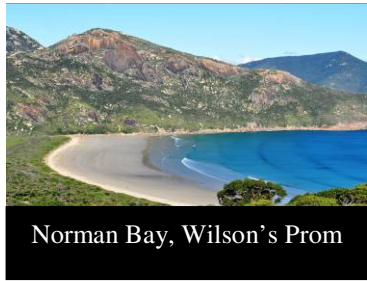
4 January – 8 January
PROM COAST SUMMER FESTIVAL
 Hills to sea - Sea Days Festival, Show N Shine, Tour de Garage. Celebrating summer and the Environment.
 Opening night: Wednesday 4th January 2012.
Sea Days Festival - 6th, 7th and 8th Jan:
 Parks Victoria Display, Touch Tanks, Under Sea Life, Wildlife Exhibition, Come and Try Fishing Day (for the young ones - bookings: 5688 1051), Car-Ed, The Connies, And Much Much more.
Tour de Garage - Bargains, Bargains, Bargains, Sunday 8th January: Garage Sales, Opportunity Shops & Street Stalls, Refreshments.
Venue: Toora and Welshpool townships
Website: <http://promcoastsummerfestival.com>

4 January – 21 January
SUMMER BY THE SEA – COASTCARE DISCOVERY TOURS
Website: www.dse.vic.gov.au/coastcare or 136186

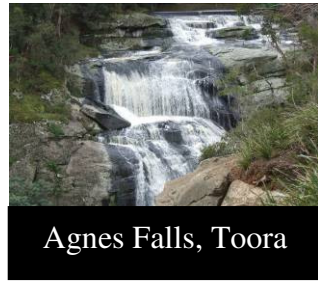
5 January – 17 January
PRIME RUMP & MIXED VEG
 A MIXED MEDIA EXHIBITION by the BASS COAST BODIES
 Opening Event 2pm Thursday 5th January
 Heather Carroll, Jessica Harrison, Jill Hill, Russell Kent, Lyn Landon, Joh Mackenzie, Marian Quigley, Wendy Saphin.
Gallery Hours: Open daily, 10am to 4pm
Venue: Stockyard Gallery, Cnr. Main & McDonald Streets Foster
Contact: Stockyard Gallery, 03 5682 1125
Website: <http://www.stockyardgallery.org.au>

7 January
COAL CREEK HISTORIC GHOST TOURS
 Come and discover the darker side of local history. Be guided through the haunting atmosphere and listen to stories about Coal Creek's ghosts. The tours are not suitable for children under 12. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. The 2 hour tour costs \$25 per person, no concessions. Light supper is included. **Tour times:** 8.30pm to 10.30pm. Tours must be pre-booked and pre-paid. Groups welcome; maximum 20
Venue: Coal Creek Community Park, South Gippsland Hwy, Korumburra
Contact: Coal Creek 03 5655 1811
Email: coalcreek1@southgippsland.vic.gov.au
Website: www.coalcreekvillage.com.au

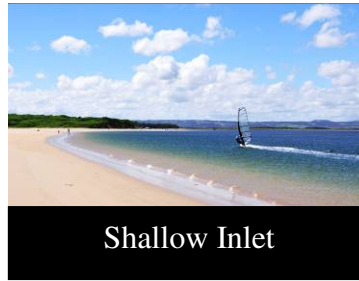
7 January
WELSHPOOL'S INAUGURAL SHOW N SHINE
 PROM COAST SUMMER FESTIVAL and Arthur Southerland Reserve Committees Present: Welshpool's Inaugural Show 'n' Shine 2012. DON'T STOW IT - SHOW IT! 19 Categories!
Entry: Adults - \$5, Family - \$10, Under 14 - Free.
 All exhibitors welcome: Display Vehicle and Driver - \$5, each passenger - \$5. Limited camping facilities available - Friday night (unpowered sites only). Visit website below for registration details.
Time: 9am to 3pm
Venue: Arthur Southerland Recreation Reserve, Port Welshpool Rd
Contact: Kerry, 03 5688 1051 or Jo, 03 5184 1302
Website: <http://www.promcoastsummerfestival.com>



Norman Bay, Wilson's Prom



Agnes Falls, Toora



Shallow Inlet



Lime Kilns Walkerville South

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Starts: 4pm

Venue: The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: 0409 295 657

7 January

THE DANCE OF THE LYREBIRD

Wildlife and Nature Documentary Video by Tessy and Bernd Amesreiter.

Entry: \$10, children under 15 years free.

MC Max Adam. Live Music by B Jeffrey on Harp & Dr T Chalko on Guitar Commencing at 4.00pm

Venue: Foster War Memorial Arts Centre

7 January – 29 January

EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHS

On display in the Hunt Foyer, an exhibition of photographs by Austrian artist, Thomas Trinkl.

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

Contact: Archie's on the Creek, 03 5678 7787

Email: janice@archiesonthecreek.com.au

Website: <http://www.archiesonthecreek.com.au/>

7 January

BOOK LAUNCH – "A MATTER OF COMPLETE EMBUGGERANCE"

"A Matter of Complete Embuggerance" by Liane Arno tells extraordinary, hilarious and sometimes touching tales of the drinkers at The Royal Mail Hotel at Archie's Creek.

Time: 2pm to 4pm

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

Contact: Archie's on the Creek, 03 5678 7787

Email: janice@archiesonthecreek.com.au

Website: <http://www.archiesonthecreek.com.au/>

7 January

SOUTH GIPPSLAND FARMERS MARKET

Time: Starting at 8.30am and finishing around 1pm

Venue: Koonwarra Memorial Park, Koala Drive, Koonwarra

Contact: Rod, 0408 619 182

Website: www.koonwarra.vic.au

8 January

KORUMBURRA SWAP MEET

Contact: Ian Nicholas (after hours) on 03 5657 3371 for details.

8 January

FREE WINE TASTINGS

Join cellar master, Michael Turton as he introduces his latest selection of premium wines for you to taste and comment on. **Time:** 12pm to 5pm

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

Contact: Archie's on the Creek, 03 5678 7787

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8 January

TIDAL RIVER OPEN SPACE PROJECT – MONTHLY WALK

A great opportunity to purge yourself of any guilt about what you ate and drank over Christmas OR to just have a good time.

Start from Squeaky Beach Car Park at 9.30am with a walk along the beach (the tide will be low), up over Tidal Overlook and down into Tidal River for morning tea. A car shuttle will be organised back to collect cars after morning tea.

Venue: Squeaky Beach Car Park, Wilson's Prom National Park

Contact: Dana: dana@blminfo.com.au

8 January

SUMMER PIZZA DAYS

Time: 12 noon to 5pm

Venue: Lyrebird Hill Winery, Koonwarra-Inverloch Rd, Koonwarra

Contact: 03 5664 3204. Email: rowen@lyrebirdhill.com.au

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

8 January

KONGWAK MARKET

Time: 10am - 3pm

Venue: Korumburra-Wonthaggi Rd, Kongwak

Contact: Jane, 0417 142 478

8 January

LOCH VILLAGE LIONS MARKET

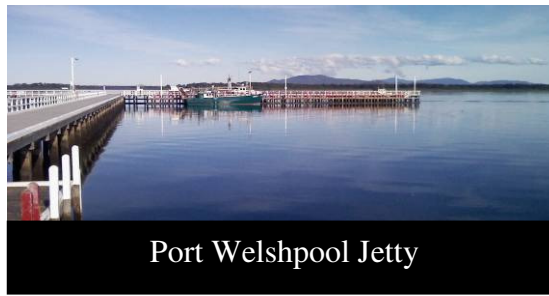
Time: 8.30am start

Venue: Railway Siding, Loch

Contact: Barry Worsburgh, 0418 500 520



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Port Welshpool Jetty



Fishing in Waratah Bay

8 January

TARWIN LOWER CRAFT/TREASURE MARKET

Time: 4pm to 8pm

Venue: Tarwin Lower Memorial Hall, River Drv, Tarwin Lower

Contact: John Classon, 03 5663 7505

9 January

DRUM CIRCLE: AFRICAN DRUMMING

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Starts: 7pm

Venue: The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: 0409 295 657

9 January

LADIES TRIPLE TREAT MARQUEE – STONY CREEK RACES

Gourmet Food, Local Wines, Live Entertainment, Guest Speaker, Giveaways and More! **Members:** \$90; Non Members: \$100.00 All inclusive

Enquiries and Bookings: Phone EVENTS BY KATE, 0419 599 309

Tickets available for purchase at the following businesses: The Duck Hutt, Meeniyan, Stockdale and Leggo, Leongatha & Inverloch

Venue: Stony Creek Racecourse and Recreation Reserve, Stony Creek

Contact: Stony Creek Racing Club, 03 5664 0099

12 January

THE LITTLE STEVIES

Summertime Tour! All ages welcome! 'Folk-pop darlings, dove-tailed vocal harmonies, cheeky, charming and moving' - The Australian

Doors open 8pm. **Tickets:** \$20 adult/\$10 under 18s/Kids under 10 FREE!

Available at the door or pre-book at www.thelittlestevies.com

Venue: Venus Bay Community Centre, 27 Canterbury Road Venus Bay

Website: <http://www.thelittlestevies.com>

14 January

FOSTER HOSPITAL CAR BOOT SALE

Come along, declutter your home and support our wonderful local hospital. Bookings are now being taken.

Venue: Foster Showgrounds, Station Street, Foster

Contact: Jeanette, 03 5682 2025

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Starts: 4pm **Venue:** The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: 0409 295 657

14 January – 15 January

BASS COAST SUMMER AGRICULTURAL SHOW

Psycho Wombat Band, Paul's working kelpies with the ducks and sheep, Wonthaggi Citizen Band, Wonthaggi Motorbike and Power Equipment Arena, Victorian State Championship Woodchop, Children's free pony rides with the Horse-crew workshop, Aero Bounce Bungy Trampolines, Medieval pageantry and tournaments and archery.

Venue: Wonthaggi Recreation Reserve, Korumburra Rd, Wonthaggi

Contact: 03 5672 3259 **Email:** hicksborough@hotmail.com

Website: <http://www.basscoastagshow.org.au>

14 January

FOSTER'S NIGHT OF NIGHTS – WILBUR WILDE & FRIENDS

Features Lisa Edward & Joe Camilleri.

Also appearing is popular local band Empty Your Apron Pockets.

BYO everything. Limited tables available. **Costs:** \$30 adults \$15 under 18's

Venue: Foster War Memorial Arts Centre, Main Street, Foster

14 January

COAL CREEK FARMERS MARKET

Plastic bag free. **Time:** 8am - 1pm

Venue: Coal Creek Community Park, South Gippsland Hwy, Korumburra

Contact: Coal Creek Farmers Market 0459 629 000

Email: farmersmarket@coalcreekvillage.com.au

Website: <http://www.coalcreekvillage.com.au>

14 January

TOORA MARKET

8am - 12.30pm

Venue: Former Bonlac Store, Jetty Rd, Toora

Contact: Jeanette, 5686 2690



Pioneer Chapel, Poowong



South Gippsland Tourist Railway



Local berries

**15 January
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**15 January
INTO THE FUTURE – MADS PRODUCTION**

The theme is the future, space and time. The program includes song and movement with some skits and light comedy drama. Seating at tables.

BYO non- alcoholic drinks and nibbles.

Cost: \$20 adults, \$10 children and concession

Time: 2.00 pm

Venue: Meeniyah Hall, Whitelaw St, Meeniyah

Contact: Pat Hendry 03 5681 2229

**15 January
INVERLOCH FARMERS MARKET**

Fresh food and produce

Time: 8am – 1.00pm

Venue: The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: Peter Arnold, 5664 0096

**15 January
KONGWAK MARKET**

Time: 10am - 3pm

Venue: Korumburra-Wonthaggi Rd, Kongwak

Contact: Jane, 0417 142 478

**15 January
TARWIN LOWER CRAFT/TREASURE MARKET**

Time: 4pm to 8pm

Venue: Tarwin Lower Memorial Hall, River Drv, Tarwin Lower

Contact: John Classon, 03 5663 7505

**15 January
OPEN MIC**

Its Sunday afternoon, laid back, easy listening and a great combination of talents once again as Archie's on the Creek hosts their popular Open Mic.

Time: 2pm to 4pm

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

Contact: Archie's on the Creek, 03 5678 7787

Email: janice@archiesonthecreek.com.au

Website: <http://www.archiesonthecreek.com.au/>

**16 January
DRUM CIRCLE: AFRICAN DRUMMING**

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Starts: 7pm

Venue: The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: 0409 295 657

**19 January – 14 February
LIFE AQUATIC – EXHIBITION AND COMPETITION**

Opening event: begins 12 noon on Sunday 22nd January 2012 with BBQ, live music and announcement of prize winners in each category.

Gallery Hours: Open daily, 10am to 4pm

Venue: Stockyard Gallery, Cnr. Main & McDonald Streets Foster

Contact: 03 5682 1125. **Website:** <http://www.stockyardgallery.org.au>

**15 January
WARATAH BAY FUN RUN**

8 km fun run along the beach from Waratah Bay to Sandy Point.

Family BBQ at Sandy Point Surf Life Saving Club after run

Moons Buslines will run a service back to Waratah Bay

Time: 8.30 am registration – 1.00pm

Venue: Playground Waratah Bay

Contact: Mick McLouglin 0418 148 502 03 5687 1178

AROUND THE RIVER MOUNTAINS



Koonwarra Food & Wine Store



Cape Liptrap Lighthouse



Turtons Creek

23 January

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Venue: The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: 0409 295 657

26 January

AUSTRALIA DAY LUNCH

Contemporary twist on traditional bush tucker, with the best Australian Wagyu and Black Angus beef on the menu, supplemented by seasonal produce prepared in a unique Aussie style...or try the kangaroo or crocodile with native seasonings.

Time: 12pm to 5pm

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

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28 January

SOUTH GIPPSLAND WINE FESTIVAL

A strong, new force is building in the wine producing region of South Gippsland as our local growers recognise that there is strength in numbers. Come and sample the best vintages from the regions top vineyards.

Time: 12pm to 4pm

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

Contact: Archie's on the Creek, 03 5678 7787

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28 January

NIGHT MARKET

Take a stroll among the stall holders who will tempt you with sights, sounds and aromas of spices, handmade soaps, flowers, wines, cheeses, olive oils, preserves, art works, and much more.

Time: 6pm to 9pm

Venue: Archie's on the Creek, 81 Archie's Creek Road, Archie's Creek

Contact: Archie's on the Creek, 03 5678 7787

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Venue: The Glade, Inverloch

Contact: 0409 295 657

28 January

MIRBOO NORTH MARKET

Time: 8.30 am – 1.00pm

Venue: Baromi Park, Ridgway, Mirboo North

Contact: Maxine, 5668 2465

29 January

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29 January

KONGWAK MARKET

Time: 10am - 3pm

Venue: Korumburra-Wonthaggi Rd, Kongwak

Contact: Jane, 0417 142 478

29 January

PORT ALBERT MARKET

Time: 8am - 1pm

Venue: Mechanics Hall, Victoria Street, Port Albert

Contact: Linda 03 5182 5679 or Gloria 03 5182 6303

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FROM COUNTRY TO THE CITY