

## BATHURST REGION MARCH



Bathurst Region has many unique and interesting attractions – too many to list on this sheet. Information sheets on activities,		
March,	ertainment and attractions are available at Bathurst Visitor Information Centre, 1 Kendall Ave or phone 1800 68 1000  Autumn Colours Program - Autumn is a beautiful time to visit and enjoy all the events and activities taking place. For a copy of	
April & May	the program contact Bathurst Visitor Information Centre <b>Contact:</b> 02 6332 1444 or 1800 68 1000	
April & Iviay	<b>Autumn</b> - has arrived featuring Autumn colours on display plus appliqué demonstrated by members on Saturday 5 March.	
March	<b>Venue:</b> Rankin Cottage Crafts, 117 Rankin St <b>Time</b> : 10am to 4pm, 7 days a week <b>Cost:</b> free entry <b>Contact</b> : 6331 7572	
	Begonia House - begonias flower between February and late April - early May. The best time to view them is mid-March when	
March to May	they are at their peak. <b>Venue:</b> Machattie Park, Mon to Fri 9am to 4pm; weekends & p/h 11am to 3pm; closed Good Friday	
	Cost: free Contact: 6333 6285 (business hours)	
	Australian Fossil & Mineral Museum - meet SuperCroc (Sarchosuchus Imperator), 'flesh crocodile emperor'. This 11 metre,	
Until Sun 29 May	9,000 kg replica was the largest known crocodilian to ever roam the earth. SuperCroc was a 110 million year old ancient African	
	monster. <b>Venue</b> : Australian Fossil & Mineral Museum, 224 Howick St <b>Museum opening times:</b> Mon - Sat 10am to 4pm; Sun	
	10am to 2pm. Museum entry: adult \$14; conc \$10; child \$7; family \$30 <b>Contact</b> : 6331 5511 <b>w</b> somervillecollection.com.au	
	BMX National Championships 2016 - Bathurst will host the 35th BMX National Championships at the newly constructed	
Tues 1 -	Bathurst Supercross Track. Racing will run from Tues 1 March to Sunday 6 March with 69 classes of racing and participants	
Sun 6 March	from 2 years to 65+ years. <b>Venue</b> : Bathurst Bike Park, 378 College Rd <b>Time</b> : refer to website	
	Cost: Free entry for spectators w bmxaustralia.com.au	
	Applique Demonstration - Rankin Cottage Crafts members will be holding an applique demonstration. Come along and learn	
	how to applique and see how it can be used. Members also make and display handcrafted items for sale. <b>Venue</b> : Rankin	
	Cottage Crafts, 117 Rankin St <b>Time</b> : 11am to 3pm <b>Cost</b> : Free <b>Contact</b> : 6331 7572 w rankincottagecrafts.blogspot.com.au	
ŀ	Bathurst Artisan Market – Come and peruse this amazing Boutique Market with pop up stalls filled with handmade & designed	
	products including fashion, candles, beauty, stationary & art, just to name a few. <b>Venue</b> : Art Gallery/Library Forecourt, Keppel	
	St. <b>Time</b> : 9am – 4pm <b>Cost</b> : Entry Free <b>Contact</b> : 0403 875 183	
	Macquarie Riverside Markets - Come and explore the stalls under the trees beside the Macquarie River, with a	
	playground for the kids and the Lions Club BBQ offering drinks and hot food. A wide range of interesting stalls including old	
Sat 5	books, tools, jewellery, new and recycled clothing, garden ornaments, candles, honey and much more. <b>Venue</b> : Berry Park, Lions	
March	Club Drive <b>Time</b> : 8am to 1pm <b>Cost</b> : Free <b>Contact</b> : 6337 1203 <b>w</b> <u>RiversideMarketsBathurst</u>	
ividicii	Lower Havannah St – Its History and People – Walk with us along lower Havannah St and learn about its history and the people	
	who lived there. Afternoon tea will be served at the conclusion of the tour. Tour lasts approx 90 minutes <b>Venue</b> : Meet at	
	Bathurst Visitor Information Centre, 1 Kendall Ave <b>Time</b> : 11am <b>Cost</b> : Free – bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : Bathurst Visitor	
	Information Centre - 6332 1444	
	Sunset Wine & Cheese @ Mount Panorama - Located in the heart of the iconic race circuit is Mount Panorama Estate. The 14	
	acre property boasts a great display of cool climate vines and views overlooking Bathurst and the Blue Mountains. Join us for	
	sunset wine and cheese with background music. <b>Venue</b> : 151 Mountain Straight, Mount Panorama <b>Time</b> : 5pm <b>Cost</b> : \$25 –	
	bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : 0417 216 648 w mountpanoramaestate.com.au	
	Bathurst Arts Trail - Painters, potters, glass artists, sculptors and printmakers showcase their talents in town and country	
	studios and galleries. Look for the golden Bali flags that indicate artists' locations. Check availability of artists on website or at	
	Bathurst Visitor Information Centre before visiting. Many artists are open other times; just phone ahead. <b>Venue</b> : Various - map	
	available from Bathurst Visitor Information Centre, 1 Kendall Ave <b>Time</b> : 10am to 4pm <b>Cost</b> : Free entry <b>Contact</b> : 6368 1182	
	w bathurstartstrail.com	
	<b>Letterpress Printing and Type Sales</b> - This is a safe introduction to the 'real world' of communication, pre-computer.	
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Sat 5 &	art. Seriously, think letterpress 101.2. Purchase a take home souvenir type. <b>Venue</b> : 4 Budden St, Rockley <b>Time</b> : 12pm to 3pm	
Sun 6	Cost: \$30 – bookings essential Contact: 0421 871 348 w willamer.com.au	
March	NSW Hillclimb Championships Round 1 & 2 - See some of the fastest hillclimb cars in Australia racing one at a time against the	
	clock. Competitors from around Australia will converge at Mount Panorama for this great event. Spectator access at	
	McPhillamy Park. Venue: The Esses, Mount Panorama Time: 9am to 4.30pm Cost: Free entry for spectators	
	<b>Contact</b> : 0408 659 862 <b>w</b> <u>blcc.com.au</u>	
	<b>Turon Technology Museum</b> - See steam and internal combustion engines c1850 to 1950 illustrating the technology behind	
	these power sources. Take a guided tour around the exhibits, then wander at your leisure. Please phone before heading out.	
	Venue: 5833 Ilford Rd, Sofala Time: 10am to 4pm Cost: A dult \$8; under 12 free; family \$24 Contact: 6358 8434	
	w turontechnologymuseum.com	
Sun 6	w <u>turontechnologymuseum.com</u> Clean Up Australia Day - Clean Up Australia Day is a simple way you can take action to clean up, fix up and conserve our prized	
Sun 6 March	w turontechnologymuseum.com	

	History Mystery Tour - Will take you on a new route with new mysteries to solve, leading you to your final destination. Board
	the coach and explore the unknown history of Bathurst, hear stories from yesteryear and finish off the day with afternoon tea
	at our mystery location. Tour lasts approx 3 hours. <b>Venue</b> : Meet at Bathurst Courthouse, Russell St <b>Time</b> : 1pm
	Cost: \$10 per person – bookings essential Contact: 0408 084 450 w bathursthistory.org.au
	Perthville Convent Heritage Centre - Join the Sisters on a guided tour of the Perthville Convent Heritage Centre. A new
	exhibition tells the story of the arrival of the Sisters at St Joseph's in 1872 and of their co-founders Saint Mary MacKillop and
Sun 6	Father Julian Tenison Woods. Stroll around the chapel and cemetery before enjoying afternoon tea of homemade soup and
March	rolls in the dining room. <b>Venue</b> : St Joseph's Convent Tenison Woods Ave, Perthville <b>Time</b> : 2.30pm to 4.30pm <b>Cost</b> : \$15 –
	bookings essential. Tickets available from Bathurst Visitor Information Centre, 1 Kendall Ave 6332 1444 <b>Contact</b> : 6337 2420
	Spirit of Bathurst - Get into the spirit of things as you hear of some past hauntings of Bathurst with this light hearted look at our
	dark side. This one hour tour hosted by the Family History Group of Bathurst Inc. is suitable for the young and the young at
	heart. All aboard the Spirit of Bathurst Ghost tour! <b>Venue</b> : Meet at Bathurst Courthouse, Russell St <b>Time</b> : 7.30pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult
	\$10; conc \$5 – bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : Bathurst Visitor Information Centre 6332 1444 w bathurstfhg.asn.au <b>Stories Carved in Stone – Town Square Foundations</b> - Foundation stones offer interesting insights into the people and times
Wed 9	when buildings were being constructed. On this walking tour you will visit a number of foundation stones, hear their stories and
March	meet a general, a colonial minister, a prime minister, a bishop or two, plus prominent local citizens. Easy access, short walk.
	Venue: Meet at Bathurst District Historical Society Museum, East Wing, Bathurst Courthouse, Russell St <b>Time</b> : 2pm
	Cost: Free Contact: 6331 4951
Thurs 10	Festival of Bells - Marks the annual general meeting of members of the Australian and New Zealand Association of Bell Ringers.
to Mon	Over a hundred bell ringers from all over the world are expected to gather for the five day event. During the festival enjoy the
14 March	ringing of the bells in the hosting bell towers. Ask for entry into the bell tower. <b>Venue</b> : All Saints' Cathedral Bell Tower, Church St
	Time: 9.30am to 6pm Cost: Free Contact: 6332 2830 w bathurstbellringers.org.au
	Abercrombie House Friday Night Jazz – Join us for a cosy, intimate night of jazz in the heritage ballroom Jazz Café featuring
	some of Bathurst's best jazz musicians. Ticket cost includes cheese and fruit platters plus a complimentary glass of wine, tea and
Fri 11	coffee. <b>Venue</b> : Abercrombie House, 311 Ophir Rd <b>Time</b> : 8.30pm <b>Cost</b> : \$45 – bookings essential. Tickets from Abercrombie
March	House & Bathurst Visitor Information Centre, 1 Kendall Ave <b>Contact</b> : 6331 4929 w <u>abercrombiehouse.com.au</u>
	<b>The Badloves</b> - Are part of Australian music history, becoming a household name and influencing a generation of musicians and
	music lovers. Enjoy hits like Lost, Memphis, I Remember, The Weight and Green Limousine. <b>Venue</b> : Bathurst RSL, 114 Rankin St
	Time: 8pm Cost: Member \$30; non-member \$35 Contact: 6333 2999 w bathurstrsl.com.au
	Back to Sofala School - Come and see Sofala Public School! The school is showcasing its history with a photo display and old
	class rolls dating from 1937. There will be school tours, games and activities for everyone to enjoy. <b>Venue</b> : Sofala Public School,
	Turon Terrace, Sofala <b>Time</b> : 10am to 2pm <b>Cost</b> : Free entry <b>Contact</b> : 6337 7085
	Bathurst Base Hospital Auxiliary Annual Fete - Handicrafts, delicious cakes, fresh produce, gifts and a white elephant stall, as
	well as morning tea, BBQ and drinks will be available. All money raised goes to purchase medical equipment for the hospital.
	Venue: Bathurst Base Hospital Grounds, Howick St Time: 9am to 1pm Cost: Free entry Contact: 6331 4874
	Bathurst Panorama Chorus Annual Luncheon & Craft Display – Enjoy a delicious buffet luncheon, a display of handicrafts and
	entertainment by internationally renowned Panorama Chorus. <b>Bookings close 5 March. Venue</b> : Yetholme Community Hall,
	Porters Lane, Yetholme <b>Time</b> : 12pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$25; child under 12 \$12 – bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : 6331 8378
	Official Opening of the Tim Richards Pavilion - The Scots School is proud to celebrate the opening of the Tim Richards Pavilion.
Sat 12 March	The naming of the building commemorates the late Mr Tim Richards, who served the school with distinction from 1980-2011,
	and as headmaster from 2008-2010. Afternoon tea will be served after the ceremony. <b>Venue</b> : Main Oval, The Scots School,
	4173 O'Connell Rd <b>Time</b> : 4.00pm <b>Cost</b> : Free <b>Contact</b> : 6331 2766 w scots.nsw.edu.au
	Taste of Bathurst - Join us for a showcase of local wines and food as local vineyards celebrate harvest and their 2014 vintage
	releases, for tasting and sales. Come and sample regional products including breads, jams, preserves, flowers, condiments,
	brewery products and lots more. <b>Venue</b> : Bathurst Regional Art Gallery forecourt, 70-78 Keppel St <b>Time</b> : 9am to 2pm <b>Cost</b> : Free
	Contact: 0418 336 738 W winesofbathurst.com.au
	The Scots School Turns 70 - To celebrate enjoy a formal garden party in the garden beside 'Karralee' with an evening of
	dancing, memories and friendship. The Scots School Pipes and Drums and Highland Dancers will perform during the night and a
	display of archive material will be on show. <b>Venue</b> : 'Karralee', The Scots School, 4173 O'Connell Rd <b>Time</b> : 6.30pm to 11.30pm
	Cost: \$60 per person – tickets available at stickytickets.com.au Contact: 6331 2766 w scots.nsw.edu.au
	Willie & Roy – The Legends - John Robertson as Willie Nelson and Mark Shelley as Roy Orbison perform the world's best
	characterisations of Willie & Roy. Their appearance, voices, manner and 'spirit' of Willie and Roy are uncanny. Venue: Bathurst
	Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105 William St <b>Time</b> : 8m <b>Cost</b> : From \$45 <b>Contact</b> : 6333 6161 w bmec.com.au
1	Bathurst Autofest - The Mountain is set to rock again in 2016 when Bathurst Autofest returns to the world renowned Mount
	Panorama racing circuit. This performance car festival includes all the high octane action such as Heads Up, Side by Side, Go To
	Whoa, Dyno Shootout, Super Sprints and the almighty Burnout Showdown. <b>Venue:</b> Mount Panorama, Bathurst <b>Time</b> : 9am to
	5.30pm <b>Cost</b> : Refer to website <b>Contact</b> : 0417 511 557 <b>w</b> <u>autofest.com.au</u>
Sat 12 &	Bathurst & District Relay For Life 2016 - Is a fun, outdoor, overnight fundraising event that brings the community of Bathurst
Sun 13	together to celebrate and remember the lives of those who have battled cancer. <b>Venue</b> : All Saints' College, 70 Eglinton Rd
March	Time: 1.45pm Saturday 12 to 9am Sunday 13 March Cost: \$20 Contact: 6392 0800 w relayforlife.org.au
	Introduction to Permaculture - Gardeners from beginners to experienced enthusiasts are invited to attend a weekend course in
	permaculture tailored for the particular conditions of the Bathurst region. Topics include an introduction to permaculture, soil,
	fertilisers, mulch, plants, seeds and year-round food production. <b>Venue:</b> Rahamim Ecology Centre, 34 Busby St <b>Time</b> : 9am to
1	5pm <b>Cost</b> : \$395 <b>Contact</b> : 6332 9950 <b>w</b> <u>rahamim.org.au</u>

Sat 12 &	Rebellion on the Turon - Be part of the 1853 Turon Rebellion re-enactment and tremble through a weekend complete with
Sun 13	cannons, floggings, shootings and duels, market stalls, exhibitions and more. At any time bushrangers may stick you up for your
March	gold (coin). Venue: Denison St, Sofala Time: 10am to 4pm Cost: Free Contact: 6337 7587
	Blind Date with Film - Join us for a movie and munchies while chilling out for the evening. Turn up and be surprised by the film
	showing. Venue: Walshaw Hall, Church St Time: 4.30pm to 7.30pm Cost: Free; supper \$5 Contact: 6331 4711
	w <u>allsaintscathedralbathurst.com.au</u>
	A Settlers Cottage Accommodation Tour – Visit three charming semi-detached workers' cottages from the late 1800s. For
	many years they have been run as an accommodation business and have become a popular heritage stay for visitors. Take a
	tour of these heritage homes in the historic Keppel St precinct. View a local history photographic exhibition. <b>Venue:</b> 140 - 144
	Keppel St <b>Time</b> : 2pm to 5pm <b>Cost</b> : Free – bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : 0412 028 717 w <u>asettlerscottage.com.au</u>
	An Afternoon of Chamber Music @ Abercrombie House - Mitchell Conservatorium and Abercrombie House presents
	'Thoroughbass' featuring Michael Tsalka, Diana Weston and Monika Kornel performing music written for two harpsichords by
	Vivaldi, Handel, Ann Carr-Boyd and others. <b>Venue</b> : Abercrombie House, 311 Ophir Rd <b>Time</b> : 3pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$30; conc \$25;
	school students free – bookings essential. <b>Contact</b> : 6331 6622
	Antique Valuation Day - With over 40 years experience in the antique trade, English auctioneer and valuer Martin King will
	donate his time and expertise to discuss and evaluate treasures. All proceeds will be donated to Daffodil Cottage. <b>Venue</b> : King's
	Antiques, 139 George St <b>Time</b> : 11am to 2pm <b>Cost</b> : \$5 donation for 2 items <b>Contact</b> : 0417 785 495 <b>w</b> <u>kingsantiques.com.au</u>
	Bathurst Cemetery Wander – Join us on this two hour wander around the Bathurst general cemetery, exploring the history and
	lives of past Bathurst residents. Enjoy a delicious morning tea supplied by the Family History Group. Bring a hat, water and
	sunscreen and please wear sturdy walking shoes. <b>Venue:</b> Meet at Dean St entrance to Bathurst Cemetery <b>Time</b> : 10am
Sun 13	Cost: \$5 – bookings essential Contact: Bathurst Visitor Information Centre 6332 1444 w bathurstfhg.asn.au  Bathurst Seasonal Showground Markets - Come and enjoy this local market and help support local producers, artisans,
March	craftspeople, businesses and community organisations. <b>Venue</b> : Bathurst Showground, Kendall Ave <b>Time</b> : 9am to 3pm
	Cost: Free entry Contact: 6331 3175
	Brucedale Twilight Concert - This annual concert will feature a local concert band and selected musical performances and jazz
	by Dale Tuckey and friends. Bring a picnic, rug or cushion and enjoy the beautiful venue. Tea and coffee available.
	<b>Venue:</b> Brucedale Homestead, 1361 Sofala Rd, Peel <b>Time</b> : Gates open 4pm for the concert starting at 5pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$15;
	conc \$10; child 5-16 \$5; family \$40 <b>Contact</b> : 6331 2770
	St Stanislaus' P&F Autumn Fair - Provides you with the opportunity to join the community and celebrate together. With a vast
	array of stalls catering to everyone's needs and tastes, it's a great time to enjoy some fun with the kids, heaps of entertainment,
	games and displays. We look forward to seeing you. <b>Venue</b> : St Stanislaus' College, Cnr Brilliant & Bentinck Sts <b>Time</b> : 11am to
	3pm <b>Cost</b> : Free <b>Contact</b> : 6331 4177
	The Lives of the Women of the Bathurst Female Factory - Understand how the convict women who were sent to Bathurst's
	female factory lived, loved and contributed to Bathurst. A feature of the presentation will be a static display of bonnets, convict
	clothing and items. A convict afternoon tea will be served. <b>Venue</b> : Stanley St Sport Complex, 8 Stanley St <b>Time</b> : 2pm to 4pm
	Cost: \$10 per person Contact: 0467 461 420 w bathurstfhg.asn.au
	The Scots School Highland Gathering - This iconic event attracts over 2000 people and brings a taste of Scotland to
	Bathurst. See pipe bands from NSW compete, enjoy equestrian show jumping, highland dancing, Scottish heritage and a range
	of commercial stalls. Carnival rides and free activities for the kids make it a great family day out. <b>Venue</b> : The Scots School, 4173
	O'Connell Rd <b>Time</b> : 10am to 4pm <b>Cost</b> : \$2 per person <b>Contact</b> : 6331 2766 <b>w</b> <u>scots.nsw.edu.au</u>
Wed 16	<b>Alabar Gold Crown Carnival</b> - Is a major feature of the harness racing calendar. The 10 day carnival includes great juvenile racing for 2 and 3yr old horses. Enjoy the many social events including the Honouree Dinner, Calcutta, Ladies Night Marquee,
to Sat 26	cocktail party, final night marquee and yearling sale. <b>Venue:</b> Group 1 Feeds Paceway, 169 College Rd <b>Time</b> : Race meetings 6pm
March	to 10pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$10; pensioner \$5; child under 16 free <b>Contact</b> : 6333 5000 <b>w</b> goldcrown.com.au
	Violin Virtuoso Attilla Sautov - Solo Recital - Violin virtuoso, Attilla Sautov, returns from an inspiring tour of Italy to present a
Thurs 17	uniquely intimate solo concert in Bathurst. <b>Venue:</b> All Saint's Anglican Cathedral <b>Time:</b> 7pm <b>Cost:</b> adult \$30; conc \$25, student
March	\$20; 12-17 yrs \$10 <b>Visit</b> attillasautov.com for further information
	That Fabulous 60s & 70s Show - InTribute Entertainment is proud to present their new double show featuring musical tributes
Fri 18	to two of the most popular musical groups of the 60s and 70s. Firstly, The Carpenters show entitled 'Yesterday Once More', and
March	secondly, The Mamas and The Papas show entitled 'Mamapapamagic'. <b>Venue</b> : Bathurst Memorial Entertainment Centre, 105
	William St <b>Time</b> : 8pm <b>Cost</b> : A dult \$66; student & BMEC supporters \$63 <b>Contact</b> : 6333 6161 <b>w</b> <u>bmec.com.au</u>
Fri 18 to	March Invitational Exhibition – Artists from the Bathurst region will be exhibiting their works in this annual two week event at
Fri 1 April	T.arts Gallery. Everyone is welcome to view this fabulous collection of works by potters, painters and printmakers. <b>Venue</b> : T.arts
···	Gallery, 148 Russell St <b>Time</b> : 10am to 5pm; closed Sunday <b>Cost</b> : Free <b>Contact</b> : 0490 332 699 w tartsgallery.com
	Bathurst RSL Museum Memorial Walk - Since 1977 Bathurst RSL Sub Branch has received donations of service-related
	memorabilia from the Boer War to Afghanistan. Through a guided tour explore the items on display and learn about their
Sat 19	relationship to the people who owned them and to Bathurst itself. Tour lasts 90 minutes. <b>Venue</b> : Bathurst RSL, 114 Rankin St
March	Time: 1.30pm Cost: Free Contact: 6333 2999 w bathurstrsl.com.au  Co. or Hamast Fasting! A cossessal bounty of local produces live music testings and food stells. Come and be a part of the
	Co-op Harvest Festival - A seasonal bounty of local produce, live music, tastings and food stalls. Come and be a part of the
	growing Bathurst Wholefood Co-op community. <b>Venue</b> : Macquarie Plaza, 49 William St <b>Time</b> : 9am to 12pm <b>Cost</b> : Free entry
	Contact: 6332 1545 w bathurstwholefood.org  Earth Hour Pedal Power Movie Screening with Woodfired Pizza - Join us for an ecological film event! Your ticket price includes
Sat 19	wood-fired pizza served in the garden and entry to the film. <b>Venue</b> : Rahamim Ecology Centre, 34 Busby St <b>Time</b> : 6pm
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	w turontechnologymuseum.com
	An Afternoon of Chamber Music @ Abercrombie House - The Mitchell Quartet performs Beethoven, Tchaikovsky &
	Shostakovich in a celebration of chamber music for string quartet. <b>Location</b> : Abercrombie House, 311 Ophir Rd <b>Time</b> : 3pm
	Cost: Adult \$30; conc \$25; school students free – bookings essential. Contact: 6331 4929 w <u>abercrombiehouse.com.au</u>
	Art in the Park - Draw, paint or just relax under the trees by the banks of the Macquarie River. A demonstration and informal
	instructions will be available on the day. BYO materials. <b>Venue</b> : Cnr River Rd and Stephen's Lane (banks of the Macquarie River)
	Time: 2pm to 4pm Cost: free Contact: 0428 311 534
	Bathurst Light Car Club – Khanacross - Is an expanded motorkhana, with tracks up to 1500 metres long, usually with no
	stopping or reversing but lots of 90° corners. This popular event allows drivers to learn more advanced driving techniques.
Sun 20	<b>Venue</b> : The Quarry on College Rd <b>Time</b> : 8am to 5pm <b>Cost</b> : free entry for spectators <b>Contact</b> : 0408 659 862 w blcc.com.au
March	<b>Long Swamp – Connections to Trunkey Creek -</b> Trunkey Creek is steeped in history and has had a few name changes. With a
	diverse history ranging from the gold rush of 1868 to bushrangers roaming the area, there are many stories to be told. Join us
	for this two hour tour as we explore both Trunkey Creek and the Long Swamp Cemetery. <b>Venue</b> : Meet at Trunkey Creek rest
	area on Arthur St, Trunkey Creek <b>Time</b> : 1pm <b>Cost</b> : \$5 per person – bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : Bathurst Visitor Information
	Centre 6332 1444 w bathurstfhg.asn.au
	<b>Melanoma March Bathurst</b> - Is a wonderful family and community event where participants walk, march and parade along a
	short course to raise awareness and funds for melanoma research. It is a fun family day out with loads of entertainment and
	activities for everyone to enjoy. <b>Venue:</b> Bicentennial Park <b>Time</b> : 9.30am to 12pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$30; child 6 - 17 \$15; under 5 free;
	family \$80 Contact: 0415 983 542 w melanomamarch.org.au
Fri 25, Sat	Bathurst Motor Festival - Will incorporate the inaugural Hi-Tec Oils Bathurst 6 Hour race for production cars. The race has
26 & Sun	attracted significant interest from competitors across Australia and New Zealand, with over 50 entries competing on Easter
27 March	Sunday. <b>Venue</b> : Mount Panorama <b>Time</b> : Refer to website <b>Cost</b> : Refer to website <b>Contact</b> : 07 3315 2499
	w bathurstmotorfestival.com.au
Fri 25 to	Sofala Markets - Come along and grab a bargain at a variety of stalls including clothing, jam, bric-a-brac and pre-loved items.
Mon 28	You may find what you are looking for in Sofala. <b>Venue</b> : Sofala Memorial Hall Denison St, Sofala Time: Friday to Sunday 9.00am
March	to 4.00pm; Monday 9.00am to 1.00pm <b>Cost</b> : Free <b>Contact</b> : 6337 7188
6 . 26	Bathurst Farmers' Markets - Shop for the freshest seasonal produce the region has to offer. Enjoy a gourmet BLT and a locally
Sat 26	roasted coffee for breakfast or try a taste of the Wines of Bathurst. Proceeds support projects sponsored by the Lions Club of
March	Bathurst. Venue: Bathurst Showground, Kendall Ave Time: 8am to 12pm Cost: Gold coin donation
	Contact: 0409 924 182 w bathurstfarmersmarket.com.au
	Abercrombie House Afternoon High Tea - Includes scrumptious savoury and sweet treats, tasting plates, varieties of leaf tea,
	plunger coffee, elegant live classical Celtic harp music and a complimentary glass of champagne. Main rooms and gardens are open to explore. This is an outstanding afternoon of elegance and style. <b>Venue</b> : Abercrombie House, 311 Ophir Rd
	<b>Time</b> : 2.30pm <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$49; conc \$45; child under 14 \$25 – bookings essential. Tickets available from Abercrombie House &
	Bathurst Visitor Information Centre, 1 Kendall Ave <b>Contact</b> : 6331 4929 <b>w</b> <u>abercrombiehouse.com.au</u>
	High Tea at Rockley Bank Tea Rooms - Join us for extravagant high tea in the former historic Rockley Bank. Enjoy delicious and
	elegant mouthfuls of sandwiches, scones, pastries and much more. <b>Venue</b> : Buddens Guesthouse, 18 Budden St, Rockley
	Time: 2pm to 4pm Cost: \$30 per person - bookings essential Contact: 6337 9279 w buddens.com.au
	Kurremi Garden Railway - See the state of the art model railway with a 170 metre rail track that comes complete with model
Sun 27	locomotives and steam engines including the well-known model Santa Fe Express. <b>Venue</b> : Turon Technology Museum, 5833
March	Ilford Rd, Sofala <b>Time</b> : 10am to 4pm; other times by appointment <b>Cost</b> : Adult \$5; child under 12 free <b>Contact</b> : 6358 8434
Widicii	<b>w</b> kurremigardenrailway.com.au
	My Block – A walk and talk around a Bathurst block - 'My Block Tours' are the start to unravelling the history of your front
	yard. This 1.5 hour tour will take you around Block 32, encompassing William, Lambert, George and Piper Sts. On this enjoyable
	tour you will learn about Bathurst architecture and hear stories about the characters, entrepreneurs and residents who were
	associated with the block. Bring a hat, bottle of water and wear sensible walking shoes. <b>Venue</b> : Meet on the corner of William &
	Piper Sts <b>Time</b> : 10am <b>Cost</b> : Free – bookings essential <b>Contact</b> : Bathurst Visitor Information Centre 6332 1444
	<b>Tarana Community Farmers' Markets</b> - enjoy local produce and help support your local farmers and producers. Connect with
	your food and its growers. <b>Venue:</b> Fire Shed, just down from the Tarana Hotel, Tarana <b>Time</b> : 10am to 2pm <b>Cost</b> : Free
	Contact: 6337 5867