

What's On in the Towong Shire December 2018

CUDGEWA CHRISTMAS MARKET

Saturday 1 December

Venue: Cudgewa Hall, Main Street, Cudgewa, VIC, 3705

Time: 9.00am - 1.00pm

Contact: Tracey Paul on 0448 760 774

Come and celebrate summer at the Cudgewa Christmas Market! There will be plenty of arts and crafts, plants, preserves, cakes, bric-a-brac, sausage sizzle and more.

TEDDY'S JOINT PRESENTS "OPEN SKIES" ART EXHIBITION

Thursday 8 November – Monday 17 December

Venue: Teddy's Joint – 85 Towong Street, Tallangatta, Victoria, 3700

Time: Thurs-Sun 7.30am – 3.00pm

Contact: 0432 456 780 or email teddysjoint@gmail.com for more information.

Teddy's Joint is delighted to present Tangambalanga based artist, Melinda Hamilton's latest exhibition "Open Skies". Open Skies is a collection of abstracted works inspired by her love of skiescapes.

WONDER – FREE CINEMA SCREENING

Monday 3 December

Venue: Upper Murray Pizza & Cinema Café, Hanson Street, Corryong, VIC, 3707

Time: 1pm

Contact and bookings: Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100. **Bookings Essential.**

Cost: FREE

THINK-START-GROW... PHASE TWO: THINK DIGITAL - TALLANGATTA

Tuesday 4 December

Venue: Think. Digital Coach, Towong Street, Tallangatta, VIC, 3700

Time: 10.00am – 2.00pm

Contact and bookings: Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100 or register via Eventbrite

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/think-start-growphase-two-thinkdigital-at-tallangatta-tickets-52845266615?aff=ebapi>

Cost: FREE

THINK-START-GROW... PHASE TWO: THINK DIGITAL – CORRYONG

Thursday 6 December

Venue: Think. Digital Coach, Attree Park, Jardine Street, Corryong, VIC, 3707

Time: 10.00am – 2.00pm

Contact and bookings: Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100 or register via Eventbrite

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/think-start-grow-phase-two-thinkdigital-at-corryong-tickets-52845742037?aff=ebdssbcitybrowse>

Cost: FREE



THINK-START-GROW... PHASE TWO: THINK DIGITAL – MITTA MITTA

Friday 7 December

Venue: Think. Digital Coach, Mitta Mitta Pub

Time: 10.00am – 2.00pm

Contact and bookings: Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100 or register via Eventbrite
<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/think-start-grow-phase-two-thinkdigital-at-mitta-mitta-tickets-52845625689?aff=ebapi>

Cost: FREE

HIGH COUNTRY RAIL TRAIL HORSE RIDE

Friday 7, Saturday 8 & Sunday 9 December

Venue: Shelley Forrest Camp, 33 Avondale Rd, Koetong, VIC, 3701

Time: Contact organiser

Contact and bookings: 0428 399 113 or www.highcountryrailtrail.org.au

Cost: \$160.00 per person, \$350.00 per family (2 Adults & 2 children, under 16yrs), \$60.00 per child under 16yrs.

Explore the high country rail trail and surrounding area by horseback whilst taking in the views of the Snowy Mountains & bush trails from Shelley.

UPPER MURRAY FARMERS & CRAFT MARKET

Saturday 8 December

Venue: Attree Park, Jardine Street, Corryong, VIC, 3707

Time: 9.00am - 12.00pm

Contact and bookings: Kerrie Haycraft on 0408 685 900

Featuring a variety of fresh and local produce including local wines, preserves, cakes, chocolates, plants, arts, crafts and much more.

TALLANGATTA SKATE PARK LAUNCH

Friday 14 December

Venue: Tallangatta Skate Park, Tallangatta, VIC, 3700

Time: 4.00pm – 6.00pm

Contact: Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100

Cost: Free

Come along to the official opening of the newly revamped Tallangatta Skate Park. Bikes, scooters and skateboards welcome. Free sausage sizzle. Lots of prizes and giveaways.

CORRYONG COMMUNITY CAROLS

Friday 14 December

Venue: Attree Park, Jardine Street, Corryong, VIC, 3707

Time: 6.00pm – 8.00pm

Cost: Free

Bring a chair or a picnic rug and enjoy a family friendly night of Christmas carols. Carols performed by local choir "Colours of Sound". The night would not be complete without performances also by local school groups.

Food stalls will be available. This community event is being brought to you by Mainly Music, Corryong Kindergarten, Sacred Heart School, Corryong College and the Colours of Sound.



TALLANGATTA'S CHRISTMAS PARTY AND CAROLS IN THE PARK

Friday 14 December

Venue: Tallangatta Triangles, Towong Street, Tallangatta, VIC, 3700

Time: From 6.00pm

Cost: Free

Join in the fun for the whole family with Tallangatta's Christmas Party and Carols in the Park. Commencing with the Christmas Party at 6pm, relax whilst the kids participate in a treasure hunt. Christmas carols performed by community groups and local schools, the evening would not be complete without a visit from Santa. .

FANNY LUMSDEN & COUNTRY HALLS TOUR

Saturday 15 December

Venue: Cudgewa Hall, Main Street, Cudgewa, VIC, 3705

Time: 6.30pm – 11.55pm

Tickets: https://www.stickytickets.com.au/78546/country_halls_tour_christmas_cudgewa_hall.aspx

Cost: Varies

Country Halls Christmas is a very special bush Christmas show featuring all of your favourite Christmas tunes with Fanny Lumdsden & the Thrillseekers and Melody Moko. Tickets are strictly limited.

NARIEL CREEK FOLK FESTIVAL

Thursday 27 December – 3 January

Venue: Nariel Creek Recreation Reserve, Corryong Benambra Road, Nariel, VIC, 3707

Time: Varies

Contact: 02) 6077 1273

Cost: \$25.00 per adult, concession \$20.00, kids under 15 are free.

Come along and enjoy the one of the longest running folk festival's in Australia. The Nariel Creek Folk Festival is a celebration of traditional folk music, song and dance and is held on the banks of the beautiful Nariel Creek in the Nariel Recreation Reserve.

2018 MAGNIFICENT MITTA MOUNTAIN RIDE

Friday 28 December & Saturday 29 December

Venue: Anglers Rest to Mitta Mitta

Time: TBC

Contact: Mitta Valley Inc. on 0438 862 570 or email manager@mittavalley.com.au

Bookings: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/2018-magnificent-mitta-mountain-ride-tickets-50841670806?aff=ebdssbdestsearch>

Cost: \$100.00 early bird registration (paid by 14 December) \$120.00

Join us for a spectacular road riding experience in the Mitta Valley. Quite roads, amazing views and fantastic company. Make your way or jump on the bus to Anglers Rest on the Friday, stay a night in the high country near the Blue Duck Inn. The MMMR will then start near the Blue Duck on the following morning where you'll ride the Mitta Valley along the picturesque Omeo Highway. This undulating ride is approximately 80km with all riding abilities catered for with rest stops along the way.



REGULAR EVENTS

MOSAICS, FUN AND MORE MOSAICS

Every Monday

Venue: Tallangatta Trade Store, 4 Banool Rd, Tallangatta

Time: 10.00am to 1.30pm

Contact: Aaryn on 0407 910 368

Cost: From \$20 (BYO materials)

Learn how to mosaic from start to finish. Only \$30 per person includes most materials or for \$20 per person bring your own project and materials.

JAM SESSION

Every Wednesday

Venue: Corryong Neighbourhood Centre, Hanson Street, Corryong

Time: 6.00pm

Contact: Corryong Neighbourhood Centre on 02 6076 2176

Cost: Free

Share your talents with other locals who enjoy music and performing. Meet others who are interested in various musical styles and develop your skills together.

TAI CHI

Every Wednesday

Venue: Tallangatta Health Service, Barree Street, Tallangatta

Time: 7.30am and 4.30pm

Contact: Tallangatta Health Service on 02 6071 5200

Cost: Free

Tai Chi is valuable in promoting health and improving concentration and overall wellbeing. Anyone regardless of age or level of fitness can practice and benefit from Tai Chi. Loose, comfortable clothing and flat shoes should be worn to classes. The Tallangatta Health Service conducts two classes per week on a Wednesday, facilitated by Barb Ritchie. Barb has practiced Tai Chi for over 15 years. If you are interested in participating in the classes, they are held on Wednesday from 7.30am to 8.15am and a new class is due to commence on Wednesday afternoon from 4.30pm to 5.30pm (depending on numbers).

MAINLY MUSIC

Every Wednesday (except during school holidays)

Venue: Corryong Baptist Church, Hanson Street, Corryong

Time: 10.30am to 12.00pm

Contact: Kirsty on 0411 524 442

Cost: \$3 per child (capped at \$8)

Would you like to bond with your children, have lots of fun, meet other parents and be nurtured at the same time? If the answer to this question is yes, then Mainly Music is definitely for you! Each week parents bring their young children, aged from birth to pre-school, for a half hour session of song, actions, rhymes and rhythm. Adults are encouraged to interact and participate with their children. This is then followed by morning tea which is provided. After morning tea there is an opportunity for the children to play and socialise while the adults get a chance to chat.

TRIVIA NIGHT

Every Thursday night

Venue: Corryong Hotel Motel, Corryong

Time: 6.30pm

Contact: Corryong Hotel Motel on 02 6076 1004

Cost: Free entry.

Winning team wins \$200, with a chance to win \$5000. If you fancy yourself a bit of a trivia buff and know your way around the World Book Encyclopedia then come on down every Thursday for our trivia nights. This is a fun night out for all ages and kicks off at 6.30pm. If you are a local sporting, community, school or charity group, this



is a wonderful opportunity to fund raise - if your team wins donate your winnings to your group! It's that easy. Terms and conditions available at the bar.

TECHNOLOGY PLAYGROUP

Every Thursday and Friday

Venue: Corryong Neighbourhood Centre, Corryong

Time: Morning and afternoon (no specified times)

Contact: Corryong Neighbourhood Centre on 02 6076 2176

Cost: \$5 per person

Are you interested in learning about your new technology device or learning how to use different apps or tools? Bring along your device or jump on one of the CNC's computers to learn some new skills.

ADULT COLOURING SESSION

Every Thursday

Venue: Corryong Library, Corryong

Time: 2.30pm to 3.30pm

Contact: Corryong Library on 02 6076 2160

Cost: Free

Get your creative juices flowing at the adult colouring sessions put on by the Corryong Library. Great stress relief, meditation and socialising over a cup of tea. Fun and free for all to attend.

GETTING CRAFTY

Every Friday

Venue: 39 Hanson Street, Corryong (next to the Post Office)

Time: 1.00pm to 3.30pm

Contact: Corryong Neighbourhood Centre on 02 6076 2176

Cost: \$5 per person

Held with Michelle Collins, bring your own project along to work on or suggest a craft or project that the group may like to learn.

STORYTIME AT CORRYONG LIBRARY

First Thursday of every month

Venue: Elyne Mitchell Library, Corryong

Time: 10.00am

Contact: Towong Shire Council (Corryong Office) on 02 6076 2160

Cost: Free

Bring the little ones to Corryong Library on the first Thursday of every month to find out what storyteller Shirley has in store!

STORYTIME AT TALLANGATTA LIBRARY

First Friday of every month

Venue: Tallangatta Library and Community Centre

Time: 10.00am

Contact: Tallangatta Library on 02 6071 2955

Cost: Free

Bring the little ones to the Tallangatta Library on the first Friday of every month to find out what storyteller Jo has in store!

SPOTLIGHT

First Friday of every month (except during school holidays)

Venue: Uniting Church Hall, Donaldson Street, Corryong

Time: 3.30pm to 5.00pm

Contact: Linda Nankervis – nankervis.linda@gmail.com

Cost: Free

Five to fourteen year old students are welcome to attend and enjoy afternoon tea, games, stories and craft activities. Meet at the quiet tree then walk to the Uniting Church Hall.



BUSH POETRY AND ACOUSTIC MUSIC

Third Sunday of every month

Venue: The Resting Place – Poet’s Paradise, Towong

Time: From 3.00pm

Contact: Maurie Foun on 0429 100 279

Cost: Free

Free regular live acoustic music and bush poetry sessions held at 'The Resting Place – Poet’s Paradise' have gained the reputation of being the friendliest gig in Corryong. A group of talented local musicians head up the entertainment which often includes poetry recitations from some of Australia's best exponents. Host, Maurie Foun, himself an acclaimed performing poet, warmly welcomes and encourages the involvement of his visitors. Sessions held on the third Sunday of each month are rounded off with a shared camp-oven and open fire cooked meal.

Want your event on the Towong Tourism 'What's On'?

Contact Corryong Visitor Information Centre

50 Hanson Street, Corryong VIC 3707

Monday to Sunday, 9.00am to 5.00pm

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