

# What's On in the Towong Shire

## March 2019

### **MITTA MOUNTAIN RALLY including 2019 MITTA MASTERS**

**Saturday 2 March**

**Venue:** Mitta Mitta & Mitta Mitta Recreation Reserve

**Time:**

**Contact:** Clerk of Course: Colin Elliott on 0408 178 214 or for more information visit [www.mittamountainrally.com](http://www.mittamountainrally.com)

**Cost:** \$550.00 - \$735.00 competitors' entry fees.

This year event is Round 1 at the 2019 Victorian Rally Championship, Round 1 of NSW Rally Championship, and Round 1 of the East Coast Classic Rally Series. Also included is a separate event 2019 Mitta Masters; catering for just classic cars; over thirty years old. This a 5 stage event totalling more than 135kms with no repeat, looping out of Mitta Mitta.

### **THINK, START, GROW – CORRYONG NETWORK FORUM**

**Tuesday 5 March**

**Venue:** Corryong Youth Club Hall

**Time:** 9.30am – 3.00pm

**Contact and bookings:** Lauren Hicks, Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100

The Corryong Network Forum is a part of the third phase of the Towong Shire Council's Think – Start – Grow program. Speakers will cover a wide range of topics, including crowdfunding with the community, support and resources available for start-up businesses, successful sales for start-up businesses, successful sales for start-ups and the local entrepreneurs sharing their experiences. Attendees do not need to have attended the previous workshops to participate in the Network Forums.

### **THINK, START, GROW – TALLANGATTA NETWORK FORUM**

**Wednesday 6 March**

**Venue:** Tallangatta Integrated Community Centre, 32 Towong Street, Tallangatta, VIC, 3701

**Time:** 9.30am – 3.00pm

**Contact and bookings:** Lauren Hicks, Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100

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### **UPPER MURRAY FARMERS & CRAFT MARKET**

**Saturday 9 March**

**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 123<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL SHOW**

**Friday 8 March, Saturday 9 March & Sunday 10 March**

**Venue:** Tallangatta Showgrounds, Cnr Weramu Street & Coorilla Street, Tallangatta, VIC, 3700

**Time:** From 9.00am

**Contact:** Call Secretary: Louise on 02 6071 2746 or email [louisecoulston1@bigpond.com](mailto:louisecoulston1@bigpond.com)

**Cost:** \$10.00 per Adult, \$20.00 Family (2 adults & 2 children), \$5.00 Children (unaccompanied), \$30.00 Annual Senior Society Membership, \$20.00 Annual Junior Society Membership (16yrs and under)

Enjoy the Dogs Victoria All Breeds Championship Dog Show and Show Jumping on Friday, bring the kids on Saturday for a full day of competitions, exhibitions and family friendly entertainment.

### **TOWONG CUP**

**Saturday 9 March**

**Venue:** Towong Race Course, 84 Race Course Lane, Towong, VIC, 3707

**Time:** Gates open at 11am

**Contact:** Rohan Whitehead on 0427 220 966.

**Cost:** General Admission \$20.00 (picnic packs available on for purchase online)

The 2019 Towong Cup promises to be an absolute cracker and to celebrate 148 years of horse racing we have a fantastic day planned with fashions on the field, live music, jumping castles & face painting for the kids, not to mention this year we're rewarding the ladies with a special pamper with the ponies day. A special marquee will be offering free hair, beauty and nail make overs plus the first 200 ladies though the gates will receive a complimentary glass of bubbly.

### **POP UP FARM GATE**

**Saturday 9 March**

**Venue:** Mitta Pub,

**Time:** 10.00am – 2.00pm

Mitta Valley community get together to display and sell their fresh produce grown at home or on the farm. Popping up during the year at various times, joining in with other events that are held in the Mitta Valley, you are bound to find jams, relish, chutney, sauces, fruit, vegetables, honey and walnuts to indulge in.

### **2019 MIGHTY MITTA MUSTER**

**Sunday 10 March**

**Venue:** Magorra Park, Mitta Mitta, VIC, 3701

**Time:** TBC

**Contact:** Mighty Mitta Muster on 02 6072 4263 or 0447 724 263

**Cost:** \$15.00 per adult, \$10.00 students & pensioners, free for children under 15 years.

Come along and enjoy a day of family friendly fun. Be entertained by the stockman's challenge, wood chopping, novelty horse event, High Country Car & Bike Show 'n' Shine, market stalls and sideshows.

### **GRANYA PIONEER MUSEUM CAR BOOT SALE**

**Sunday 10 March**

**Venue:** Granya Pioneer Museum

**Time:** 10.00am – 4.00pm

**Contact:** Lyn O'Shea on 0457 062 097 or Pam Eade on 02 6072 9540

**Cost:** Gold coin donation for museum entry

Come along and wander through the Granya Pioneer Museum Car Boot Sale. BBQ and cold drinks available. Granya Pioneer Museum will be open all day.



### **BERRINGAMA RAIL TRAIL WALK 'N' TALK**

**Sunday 17 March**

**Venue:** Meet at the Needles carpark, Murray Valley Hwy, Berringama

**Time:** 9.30am-12.30pm

**Contact:** **Ant Packer at** Parklands Albury Wodonga on 02 6023 6714

**Cost:** FREE

What's happening on the line? Join Parklands Rangers for an easy walk on the High Country Rail Trail at Lucyvale to find out. This section is the final challenge to linking the entire trail. See what needs to be done to restore the historic trestle bridges, open and improve the trail, discuss the next steps, and find out how local can be involved. Registered via Parklands Albury Wodonga website: [www.parklands-alburywodonga.org.au](http://www.parklands-alburywodonga.org.au)

### **LEO KENNEDY – AUTHOR VISIT**

**Tuesday 19 March**

**Venue:** Tallangatta Library and Community Centre

**Time:** 1.30pm – 2.30pm

**Contact:** Towong Shire Council on 02 6071 5100

**Cost:** FREE

### **LEO KENNEDY – AUTHOR VISIT**

**Tuesday 19 March**

**Venue:** Elyne Mitchell Library, 76 Hanson Street, Corryong, VIC, 3707

**Time:** 10.00am

**Contact:** Towong Shire Council on 02 6076 1639

**Cost:** FREE

This is a free event. Morning tea will be provided. Please register by Friday 15 March 2019.

### **'PARKINSON'S AWARENESS' LADIES GOLF DAY**

**Wednesday 20 March**

**Venue:** Corryong Gold Course

**Time:** 9am

**Contact:** Ilma Clarke on 0409 246 276, Cheryl Smedley on 0458 761 630, Sue Morley on 0458 010 222

**Cost:** \$25.00 includes lunch and morning tea - \$20.00 non-golfers lunch & presentation

Corryong Ladies Golf Parkinson's Awareness Day featuring District Opening Tournament & Irema Brown Trophy Stableford 4BBB – nine holes – draw for partner will be mixed. Non golfers are most welcome for lunch and presentation from approx. 12:30pm

### **TALLANGATTA COMMUNITY MARKETS**

**Saturday 23 March**

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

**Time:** 9.00am – 2.00pm

**Contact and bookings:** Marg Rapsey on 0429 725 252 or Mary Grant on 0439 712 311

Come along and enjoy the various stalls on offer at the Tallangatta Community Markets held in the beautiful Tallangatta Triangles.



## **REGULAR EVENTS**

### **MOSAICS, FUN AND MORE MOSAICS**

#### **Every Monday**

**Venue:** Tallangatta Trade Store, 4 Banool Rd, Tallangatta

**Time:** 10.00am - 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.

### **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 Tuesday - Friday**

**Venue:** Corryong Neighbourhood Centre, Corryong

**Time:** During business hours

**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 Wednesday**

**Venue:** Corryong Library, Corryong

**Time:** 1.30pm

**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.

### **DRAWING GROUP**

#### **Fortnightly on 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

Discover your inner artist with Heather, who will be on hand to help you through any technical support to may need. All skill levels welcome.

### **CORRYONG FOOD SWAP**

#### **Every Saturday**

**Venue:** Attree Park, Jardine Street, Corryong

**Time:** 9.00am – 10.00am

**Contact:** Corryong Food Swap Group (Facebook)

**Cost:** Free

It's simple, put your fresh produce, flowers, garden items, baked goods (label ingredients), seedlings, jars, preserves, garden magazines, eggs, cartons, worm tea, plants, coffee grounds, seeds, honey – just to name a few. Put it on the table and take what you need for you and your family. Zero cost – zero waste.

### **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](mailto: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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