



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEKEND IN ECHUCA MOAMA AND DISTRICT

EVENTS ON THROUGHOUT WEEK

- August 5-6** **Alton Gallery – “An Artist’s Journey” by Neville Stewart**
Echuca Moama Artists are presenting, “An Artist’s Journey”, by Koondrook artist Neville Stewart, in the Alton Gallery, during the months of July and August. The exhibition, in oils, features a variety of Landscapes, and Seascapes, as well as animal studies. It opens July 9, and finishes on August 27. Gallery hours are: Fridays: 10am - 2. 00 pm, Saturdays: 10am - 1pm, or by appointment. Free entry.
Contact: 0439 460 690
- August 5-11** **The Foundry Art Space – Art Prize 2022**
The Foundry Arts Space is exhibiting the Art Prize 2022 – Reflections on Ten Exhibition from Saturday the 23rd July to Sunday 14th August. The Foundry Arts Space is open 11am to 3pm weekdays (closed Tuesday’s) and 10am to 4pm weekends and public holidays.
Contact: 0475 448 452
- August 5-11** **Kyabram Town Hall Gallery Exhibition**
Kyabram Town Hall Gallery is open from 10am to 4pm Monday to Saturday. From August 1st several new exhibitions will open – SAQA Oceania – Distance and Diversity – an innovative showcase of quilts from Australasia and beyond; Deb Layt textile artist also opens August 1; Tarli Bird contemporary art also opens August 1; Splinter Contemporary Artists opens August 1.
Contact: 03-58521546
- August 5-11** **Bridge Arts Project – Pink House Art Installation**
A Meninya Street House, half finished, has just become the canvas for renowned artist Ash Keating – the result is an unmissable piece of contemporary art. Ultimately, the now bright pink house will be demolished to make way for the projects keystone infrastructure, a \$6 million gallery. To find out more about the bridge arts project please visit www.bridgeartproject.com.au

August 5-11

Moama Lights

Visit Echuca Moama for the return of the Moama Lights event, lighting up the Murray from 31 July – 21 August 2022. Once again, our iconic red gum bushland and most legendary river will be illuminated using sound and lighting for an original and immersive experience like no other. Taking place in Moama's culturally-significant Horseshoe Lagoon, follow the trail of up-lit river red gums and theatrical fog rising from below the boardwalks as you are mesmerised by the lightshow of gum leaves slowly drifting across the lagoon. Venture into thick bushland where you will be engulfed by a canopy of light, captivated by the vast night sky of hundreds of flickering stars lights, and wander through a field of thousands of illuminated native flowers covering the bush floor. As the treeline begins to part, the majestic Murray River will reveal itself, ablaze with colour in a triumphant finale. Moama Lights has been produced by renowned production and lighting design company, Mandylights, which delivered the largest ever New Year's Eve lighting show in Dubai, illuminated the Singapore National Gallery, Sydney Harbour Bridge and Auckland Bridge, and has created installations for Vivid Sydney. Moama Lights is brought to you by Murray River Council and Visit River Country. Tickets are Adults: \$20; Children (3-16 years): \$10; Children (under 3 years): Free - no need to obtain a ticket. Family (2 adults & 2 children): \$50. Entry via Kerrabee Soundshell Moama. Book now at <https://www.123tix.com.au/events/profile/1756>

Contact: 1800804446

August 5-6

The Australian Darts Open Tournament

The Australian Darts Open Tournament is returning to Echuca Moama in 2022. The 2022 Darts Open Tournament will be held 3 -6 August at Moama's premier venue, the Moama Bowling Club. The tournament will be held as part of a twelve day extravaganza of darts in Echuca Moama, incorporating the Australian Darts Championships and Pacific Masters Tournament which will both be held at Rich River Golf Club in Moama between 7 - 13 August. The tournament is open to all players including amateurs and elite professionals, and is tipped to once again attract some of the world's best players. We are excited to announce this year's tournament is a World Darts Federation Platinum ranked tournament. This is your chance to win a share of \$80,000 and play against the world's best players. Spectator Tickets to come watch the Australian Darts Open Tournament are now available. No ticket is needed for the Thursday and Friday sessions, however for the Saturday finals you'll need to book a free ticket. Qualifying Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th August. Tournament Running Times: Thursday 4th August from 6.00pm - Tournament Session 1; Friday 5th August from 12 noon - Tournament Session 2; Friday 5th August from 6.00pm - Tournament Session 3; Saturday 6th August from 12 noon - Finals (Free ticket required).

Contact: 1300087004

August 7-13

Australian Darts Championships & Pacific Masters Tournament

The Australian Darts Championships and Pacific Masters Tournament will both be held at Rich River Golf Club in Moama between 7 - 13 August. The action kicks off with the Pacific Masters on Sunday 7th August, followed by the Australian Darts Championships. Entry for spectators is free.

Contact: 1300087004

FRIDAY

August 5

Echuca Moama Sleepout

Fighting Homelessness - Will you take up the challenge and brave the chill? On Census night in 2016, more than 116,000 people were estimated to be homeless in Australia - EM Sleepout is a response to this issue in our local area – and you and your team are invited to be a part of it. Get involved to help us spread awareness about homelessness, raise much needed funds for our local services who support families and children are experiencing homelessness. The aim of the event is to give participants a taste of the experience faced by thousands of homeless people each night by providing an opportunity to sleep out in the elements. Each participant will be provide a hot meal (soup kitchen food), homelessness snack pack (water, snacks) to get them through the night. Nominate your mates, managers, family members to sleep rough outside for one cold winter night with you or to sponsor your sleepout night. Challenge your community to raise funds to make a difference through social justice. The EM Sleepout will be held on Friday 5th August from 4.30pm at Moama Football Ground. Registrations fee is \$30.00 per person (under 18 free) Fundraise as a team, family or individual.

Contact: Crossenvale Community House on 0459049474

August 5

American Hotel

Simon Marks will perform live from 5pm. DJ Strats will entertain from 10pm to close.

Contact: 03-54800969

August 5

Rich River Golf Club

Simon Ward will perform live from 8.30pm to 11.30pm at Rich River Golf Club.

Contact: 03-54813333

SATURDAY

August 6

Echuca Moama Parkrun

Parkrun is a free weekly timed 5km run suitable for all fitness levels. Echuca Moama Parkrun takes place every Saturday morning at 8am at Lions Park. Please visit: www.parkrun.com.au/echucamoama/

August 6

Echuca Farmers Market

Taste fresh food and support local grower's when you buy locally. Echuca Farmers Market is an accredited Farmers Market and operates at the Aquatic Reserve Echuca (beside Visitor Centre) from 8.00am – 12.00 noon. The market is held on the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month. Enjoy a cooked breakfast and freshly brewed coffee from 8.30am to 11.30am.

Contact: 0437746459

August 6

HorseHand Meet & Greet

You are warmly invited to join us on the first Saturday of every month between 10am to 11am where you can check out what goes on at HorseHand Australia. See us in action and meet our beautiful equine friends. Take a break from the rigors of everyday life. Experience why people keep coming back to HorseHand and why so many see our little piece of horse heaven as a sanctuary from life's pressures. All welcome.

Contact: Jodie on 0409 941 714

August 6

St Joseph's Rochester Golf Day

St Joseph's Rochester Golf Day is a 4 ball Ambrose any combination. Hit off is 11am, \$15.00 per player. Lunch and drinks available on course. High Tea for the ladies at 2.30pm with guest speaker Walt Collins from Country House Facelift. Goods and Services auction from 5pm, dinner available (roast rolls and wood fired pizza) Rochester Golf Club on Saturday 6th August.

Contact: 0438843499

August 6

The Shiraz Republic

Live Music from Sunset Stranger at The Shiraz Republic from 2pm

Contact: 03-54336338

August 6

Gypsy Bar

Ryan Webb will perform live from 7pm to 10pm.

Contact: <https://tableagent.com/melbourne/gypsy-bar/>

August 6

Rich River Golf Club

Under the Radar will perform live from 8.30pm to 11.30pm

Contact: 03-54813333

SUNDAY

August 7

Miniature Train Rides Sunday

The Campaspe Miniature Railway Club will be running our ride- on trains on Sunday 7th August, starting at 10am until 3pm. The Miniature Rail track is located inside Rotary Park, Echuca at the corners of Crossen Street, Rose Street & Campaspe Esplanade. Follow the miniature railway rides signs. Rides are \$4.00 each or \$10.00 for an all day ticket. The rides are well suited to pre-school and primary school aged children (passengers under 4yo need to be accompanied by an adult). Passengers must wear enclosed toe shoes (no thongs or sandals etc). Come down and have BBQ picnic and make a day of it. A free BBQ is available. Trains run first Sunday of the month, March to December, weather permitting.

Contact: Colin on 0448 548 081

August 7

2022 Johnno's Run

Johnno's Run is an annual event raising funds for Community Living and Respite Services Opening Doors Project. 2022 is the first year the event has been held in Echuca Moama and the course will involve crossing over both bridges into both states. While pre-registration has now closed, you can still enter on the morning of the run. You can run, walk or wheel the 5km course or if you are a keen runner the 10km or 21.1km may be more of a challenge. The event commences from the Moama Soundshell, with the 21.1km race from 8am; the 10km from 9.30am and the 5km from 11am.

Contact: 03-54802388

August 7

Mr Perfect BBQ

Free BBQ at Echuca's Apex Park, hosted by Mr Perfect, a community organisation connecting men across Australia over a relaxed free BBQ to chat about all things life. But we are more than a BBQ, online we provide quality resources for the good of men's mental health. Come along to Apex Park from 10.30am to 12.30pm to find out more. Joins us to meet people from your community – friends, men, women and children are all welcome. Mental Health discussion is purely optional.

Contact: Andy Rogers 0467094061

- August 7** **The Shiraz Republic**
Live Music from David Cosma at The Shiraz Republic from 2pm
Contact: 03-54336338
- August 7** **Border Inn Hotel**
Brian Watts will perform live at the Border Inn Hotel from 2pm to 5pm
Contact: 03-54809966
- August 7** **Echuca Workers**
Simon Ward will perform live from 3pm to 6pm in the lounge.
Contact: 03-54823140
- August 7** **Gypsy Bar**
Jessica Lorraine will perform live from 7pm to 10pm.
Contact: <https://tableagent.com/melbourne/gypsy-bar/>

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For information about coming events please visit www.echucamoama.com

