

# Alexandrina Arts & Culture Quarterly Program 2023

April-June



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Alexandrina Arts,  
Culture & Events

Alexandrina is home to vibrant communities where a high population of artists have chosen to live and work, making us a regional centre of culture in South Australia. AACE is the arts and culture program of events and activities within the Alexandrina region. Book your next event for the upcoming months.



## UnLemon\*

A solo exhibition by Alison Mitchell

It begins with a reimagining of a seventeenth century Dutch art where paintings of citrus-peel unfurling – evoked representations of wealth, exoticism, trade and expansion. The exhibition continues in the still life genre, exploring citrus' symbiotic relationship with us humans, in both its global success and the disease that threatens to devastate the species. Underpinning this is the crucial role played by Australia's own native citrus.

**Where** South Coast Regional Art Centre, Goolwa

**When** Friday 17 March to Sunday 16 April

### Gallery hours

Wednesday to Friday, 11am – 4pm,  
Saturday to Sunday, 10am – 4pm

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## Harp & Soul - Duo Celtica: Emma Horwood & Christine Morphett

Acclaimed harpist and singer Emma Horwood and Celtic harpist Christine Morphett (Duo Celtica) explore world music both old and new. Innovative arrangements from traditional Irish and Scottish tunes to American blues, Spanish Flamenco and contemporary music. Be mesmerised by two Celtic harps in harmony: 70 plus strings of stunning strumming!

**Where** St Andrews Church,  
Strathalbyn

**When** Sunday 2 April

**Time** 2pm

**Duration** 2 hours

**Cost** Adults \$35, Concession \$30^

**Age** All ages

**Bookings and enquiries**  
trybooking.com/CGOUB

**Things to know** Afternoon tea  
included

## Love Child Joanna Murray-Smith

A rehearsed play reading starring  
Lyn Pike and Jodie Dry

A reconciliation between a mother and the daughter she gave away at birth. Anna defines herself through her political conscience and she believes she has come to terms with her history until a young woman arrives at her door.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Sunday 16 April

**Time** 2pm

**Duration** 60 minutes

**Cost** Adults \$20, Concession \$15^

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## BackBeat 60

We Say Yeah!

Join BackBeat 60 as they explore the songs and stories of this fabulous musical moment in *We Say Yeah!* The 1960s: *Beatlemania* and *The Shadows* hits are topping the charts and young Cliff Richard is the British Elvis, a real 'bad boy'.

Be immersed in the irresistible sounds of this glorious era as rock 'n' roll evolved into 60s pop.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Friday 21 April

**Time** 2pm

**Duration** 70 minutes

**Cost** All tickets \$20^

**Age** All ages

**Bookings** events.alexandrina.com.au  
or 8555 7000



## Bluegum Bill's Suburban Wildlife Safari

Ever wanted to go on a safari? Look no further than your own backyard! Join Bluegum Bill and his platypus friend, Billabong Bob, on a musical adventure to discover the local wildlife of Adelaide. Along the way, you'll meet some awesome animals from the team at Animals Anonymous.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Friday 28 April

**Time** 11am

**Duration** 50 minutes

**Cost** All tickets \$12^

**Age** 3 to 10-year-olds

**Bookings** events.alexandrina.com.au  
or 8555 7000





## Dr Bubble & Milkshake Bubble Laboratory

*It's more than a bubble show  
– it's a bubble adventure!*

Come see shadow bubbles, light bubbles, square bubbles, smoke bubbles, spinning carousels, track bubbles, vortexes, bubble puppets, giant bubble tubes and a million-bubble finale. After an amazing European tour Dr Bubble and Milkshake return to Goolwa with their most popular Bubble Show to date in a fantastic story of friendship through bubbles, ending with bubbles flying out across the audience in their millions. A much-loved bubble theatre experience for children and adults alike.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Saturday 29 April

**Time** 1pm

**Duration** 60 minutes

**Cost** General Admission \$25,  
Group of 4 \$80^

**Age** All ages

**Bookings and enquiries** [fairypig.me](http://fairypig.me)

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## Bubble Show 2 For Adults Only

Continuing the Phenomenal Bubble artistry and soapy neo burlesque that audiences have come to expect, this brand-new show takes the beauty of body bubbling to another level.

See beautiful bubbles, naughty bubbles, bubbles as pasties, smoke filled bubbles, ginormous swirling torrents of bubbles that do things that Fairy Liquid adverts never dreamed of. This is a show that will totally blow your mind, leaving your mouth agape at the bubble brilliance you will witness!

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Saturday 29 April

**Time** 8pm

**Duration** 60 minutes

**Cost** All tickets \$25^

**Age** 18+

**Bookings and enquiries** [fairypig.me](http://fairypig.me)

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## What the Barmaid Knew: High Street, Strathalbyn

A theatrical-historical tour with storytellers, actors and singers.

Walk the 184-year-old town's High Street. Hear the barmaid's stories: an accidental shooting death, the secret tunnel from the hotel to 'a certain place', the feud between High Street and 'the lower town'. Hear drinking songs, dance hall and barbershop songs and visit Strathalbyn's iconic buildings and sculptures.

**Where** Kenny Blake Memorial Statue, 16 High Street, Strathalbyn

**When** Saturday 6, Sunday 7,  
Saturday 13, Sunday 14 May

**Time** 10am Saturdays, 2pm Sundays

**Duration** 2 hours

**Cost** Adult \$25, Concession \$20,  
Family \$60^

**Age** All ages

**Bookings and enquiries**  
[trybooking.com/CGACM](http://trybooking.com/CGACM)

**Things to know** Walking tour 90  
minutes, refreshments 30 minutes

## Creedence Revival

Straight up rock 'n' roll with that well known bluesy/country feel. Performing all the CCR and Fogerty hits with an incredible likeness to the sound and energy that they're well known for. This is a dedication to one of the world's most highly respected and adored artists delivered by musicians who are passionate about the sound that is John Fogerty and CCR.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Friday 19 May

**Time** 2pm

**Duration** 70 minutes

**Cost** All tickets \$20^

**Age** All ages

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## Transcendence\*

Alison Brown, Kit Neave,  
Margie Hooper

Abstract, semi abstract or non figurative painting often requires the viewer to spend more time contemplating the work as it shifts from representational language to a more imaginative vocabulary. The disparate modes of expression between these three artists become visual probes through which new visual realities might be discovered. The trick is to stretch one's perception and perhaps see things in the world previously missed.

**Where** South Coast Regional Art Centre, Goolwa

**When** Friday 26 May to Sunday 25 June

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## Songs that Fly under the Radar

Join Harry Baulderstone and William Jack as they illuminate artists who fly under the radar. Uncover familiar songs through the sound of the acoustic guitar, vocal harmonies and the cello to evoke uplifting feelings of nostalgia. Through this performance the Adelaide born artists will explore the music that has moved them through their careers, including household names Neil Young and Joni Mitchell, Nick Cave and Colin Hay, John Moreland and Sarah Jarosz and Aoife O'Donovan and Jose Gonzalez.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Friday 23 June

**Time** 2pm

**Duration** 70 minutes

**Cost** All tickets \$20<sup>^</sup>

**Age** All ages

**Bookings** events.alexandrina.com.au  
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## Alexandrina Youth Theatre & Film

Drama for young people is a way of acquiring new skills in a safe and supportive environment. Learn to think 'outside the box' through improvisation where you come up with creative and imaginative ideas to respond to any given situation. Experience the thrill of being on stage, learn voice projection, stage movement, and acquire basic skills for acting to camera.

**Where** Centenary Hall, Goolwa

**When** Every Monday during the school term

**Time** 4pm–6pm

**Duration** 120 minutes

**Cost** \$5 per child

**Ages** 12 to 18-years-old

**Things to know** Not during school and public holidays

**Enquiries** 8555 7289 or  
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**Cover:** Dr Bubble & Milkshake Bubble Laboratory.

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\*FREE event <sup>^</sup>Transaction fee applies

## Further Information

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