



WHAT'S ON Week January 2018

Apollo Bay, Otways & Colac

WHAT'S ON APOLLO BAY

MARKETS & LOCAL PRODUCE

Apollo Bay Community Market – Apollo Bay Foreshore

All goods locally made, baked, grown, sewn, sculpted, painted, carved and created!

When: 3rd, 6th, 10th, 13th, 17th, 20th & 27th January 2018: 9am to 1pm (Every Saturday, weather permitting)

Apollo Bay Farmers Market – Youth Club Hall, 21 Moore Street, Apollo Bay

Fresh seasonal vegetables, local beef, lamb, cheese, wine, preserves, cakes, salami, bread, tea, coffee, honey, goats milk soap, nuts etc.

When: Sunday 21st January 2018 – 9am to 1pm

Apollo Bay Indoor Market - Anglican Church Hall, Nelson St, Apollo Bay

Hand made, textile design & shiatsu and Art & Photography Show (Gayle Seach & Andrew Strang).

When: All through January, Open daily 10am – 4pm

Tastes of the Region – McLaren Parade Apollo Bay (behind GOR Brewhouse) – www.greatoceanroadbrewhouse.com.au

Sample local craft beer and wine in the tasting room and browse a great range of delicious products from the Otway & GOR region.

When: Open daily from 11am | Whiskey Tasting Event: 21st Jan:6:30pm

GALLERIES, EXHIBITIONS & ENTERTAINMENT

Apollo Bay Arts Inc. Gallery – Mechanics Institute Hall (Cinema), 21 Great Ocean Rd, Apollo Bay – www.apollobay.com/arts

Victoria Howlett: Re-Imagining Landscape with Sisca Verwoert. Opening night: Sat 6th Jan – 17:00pm-19:00pm

When: Friday 5th – Sunday 29th January 2018: 11:00am-4:00pm (Gallery open Fridays , Saturdays & Sundays)

Apollo Bay Sailing Club Monthly Fundraiser BBQ - Apollo Bay Sailing Club - Overlooking the Harbour

Price: \$15 adults and \$10 for under 18.

When: Sat 6th January 2018: 5:00pm

41st Apollo Bay Art Show – 4 Whelan Street, Apollo Bay 3233 VIC

Showcasing the work of local and regional artists. Painting, Drawing, Mixed and New Media, Photography, 3D Sculpture. Tickets: Adults \$3

When: 29th December 2017 – 3rd January 2018

Apollo Bay Hotel – 95 Great Ocean Road, Apollo Bay – (03) 5237 6250 – www.apollobayhotel.com.au

Music Line-up: Thu 4th Jan: 9:00pm -Matty Orchard | Fri 5th Jan & Sat 6th Jan:9:00pm-Totally 80's weekend | Wed 10th Jan:9:00pm-Days

Gone By | Fri 12th & Sat 13th Jan:9:00pm- Mr Meaner | Wed 17th Jan:9:00pm- Dylan Johnson

Thu 25th Jan:9:00p -Trent Hamilton | Fri 26th Jan:9:00pm-Cold oil Collectors | Sat 27th Jan:9:00pm-19-Twenty

Great Ocean Rd Brewhouse – 29 Great Ocean Rd, Apollo Bay – (03) 5237 6240 – www.greatoceanroadbrewhouse.com.au

Music Line-up: Tue 2nd Jan:9:00pm-Tim Henwood | Wed 3rd Jan:9:00pm-Matty Orchard & Tim Henwood | Thu 4th Jan:9:00pm-Hayden Evans

Fri 5th Jan:9:00pm-Jason Bull | Sat 6th Jan:9:00pm-The Hollow Majors | Sun 7th Jan:2.30pm - Open Mic Sunday Session | Wed 10th

Jan:9:00pm - Andrew Hoskins & Friends | Thu 11th Jan:9:00pm - Mike Elrington | Fri 12th Jan:9:00pm - Brendan Forward | Sat 13th

Jan:9:00pm - Levi & Cody | Sun 14th Jan:2:30pm - Jade & Jarrod | Sat 20th Jan:9:00pm - Ben Smith | Sat 27th Jan:9:00pm - Dirt River Radio

Gypsy Fire – Music Concert – St. Aidan Church, Nelson Street 3233 VIC

Featuring Amazing Czech Violinst Romana Geermans and 10 String Guitarist Matthew Fagan.

Tickets: \$30/\$25(Con); \$50 Family; Child U16 free when accompanied by a paying adult.

When: Sat 20th Jan: 7:30pm

Monster Book Sale - Apollo Bay P-12 College Leisure Centre, Costin Street Apollo Bay 3233 VIC

Thousands of books, Kate's Famous Cake Stall ,Sausage Sizzle , Great Coffee and Raffle

When: Sunday 7th Jan 2018: 9:00am-2:00pm

Shannon's Gallery & Studio – 12 Montrose Ave, Apollo Bay – (03) 5237 6578

Changing drawings, paintings & prints by Pat & Mark Shannon.

When: Daily 10am to 6pm (closed Tuesdays)

Summer Foreshore Carnival - Apollo Bay Foreshore, 3233 VIC

Fun for all the family!

When: 26th December 2017 – 27th January 2018 : 6:00pm

Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Harbour

The Apollo Bay Sailing Club runs a series of wednesday twilight racing series. An ideal oppertunity for those who can not make it on Saturday's. Contact us if you wish to come for a sail!

When: 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th & 31st January 2018- 5:00pm-8:00pm

Upstairs Gallery & Glance Twice Glass Studio – 57 Great Ocean Rd, Apollo Bay

Located above Apollo Bay Noodle Bar. Paintings & Photos by Gayle Seach & Andrew Strang. Photography by Leslie Fisk. Glance Twice jewellery studio/gallery – watch Margaret Glance at work, unique handmade jewellery, bowls, platters and vases for sale.

When: 10am to 5pm (Sat, Sun & Holidays)

Victoria Howlett @ 'TORS' – By Arrangement – 32 Ocean Park Drive, Marengo – 0408 863 043

Paintings & ceramics. When: Open by arrangement.

CINEMA

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Apollo Bay Cinema - Mechanics Hall , 21 Great Ocean Road, Apollo Bay - www.greatoceanroadcinemas.com.au

Screenings over long weekends and throughout School Holidays – (session times online or pick-up from the Visitor Centre).

Apollo Bay Sailing Club Movie Night - the Sailing Club – Movie: Maidentrip , gold coin donation

When: Wed 17th Jan: 9:00pm

LIBRARY

Apollo Bay Community Library – 6 Pengilley Ave, Apollo Bay – (03) 5237 1013 – www.crlc.vic.gov.au



When: Mon 2pm to 5pm, Wed 11am to 6pm, Fri 10am to 5pm, Sat 10am to 12pm

MUSEUMS

Apollo Bay Museum – 6250 Great Ocean Rd, Apollo Bay – (03) 5237 7441 – www.apollobay.org.au/history

Featuring old photographs, aboriginal relics, shipwreck flotsam including a cannon, timber saws, pioneer women's room.

ENTRY: Ad \$5, Child \$1 (8-16 years old).

When: 2pm to 5pm (Sat, Sun & Holidays)

SWIMMING POOL

Apollo Bay Swimming Pool – (03) 5232 9551 - www.bluewater.org.au/Aquatics/Apollo-Bay-Leisure-Centre

Apollo Bay has a 25-metre outdoor pool with six lap lanes. The pool is operated by Bluewater staff on a seasonal timetable for the summer months, opening from December to early March. The facility is shared with the Apollo Bay P-12 School .

Price: Adult\$6 , Conc. \$5.10 , Child \$4.30 , Family \$18.90

When: 1st - 21st Jan 2018 - No weather policy. Open Mon – Sun: 11:00-6:00pm (Please note New Years Day:11:00pm-6:00pm)

21st - 29th Jan 2018 - Weather policy in place. Must be over 20 degrees Celsius for open - Mon – Sun 11:00am-6:00pm

KIDS ACTIVITIES

APOLLO BAY

Junior Ranges– Free Cost, Bookings not essential. www.juniorrangers.com.au

Take part in fun, ranger guided activities during school holidays, suitable for children aged 6-12 years.

Schedule:

Wednesday 3rd January 2018-2:00pm – Rainforest Walk at Maits Rest

Tuesday 9th January 2018- 10:00am – Cultural Education/Activities at Aire River West Campground (Meet at the Info Board)

Wednesday 10th January 2018- 10:00am – Ranger Games at Johanna Beach (First Carpark)

Tuesday 16th January 2018- 2:00pm – Rockpool Ramble at Marengo Reefs (Meet at the main Carpark)

Wednesday 17th January 2018- 2:00pm – Ranger Games at Marengo Reefs (Meet at the main Carpark)

Tuesday 23rd January 2018-2:00pm – Rockpool Ramble at Marengo Reefs (Meet at the main Carpark)

Wednesday 24th January 2018-1:30pm – Rainforest Walk at Maits Rest

Tuesday 30th January 2018- 1:30pm – Rockpool Ramble at Blanket Bay (Meet at day visitor Carpark)

Summer by the Sea – Free Cost, Bookings essential unless otherwise stated; meeting places provided upon booking at:

www.summerbythesea.vic.gov.au. Enquiries 0437 035 120.

Schedule:

Wednesday 17th January 2018-11:00am-12:30pm –Shorelines Secrets at Skenes Creek (Meet west of the bridge near the Skenes Creek Beachfront park)

Wednesday 17th January 2018- 6:00pm – 19:30pm – Rockpool Ramble at Marengo (Meet at the Carpark near Marengo Holiday Park)

Thursday 18th January 2018- 10:00am-11:30am – Shoreline Secrets at Wye River (Meet at the Wye River beach Carpark and look for the Coastcare flag)

Thursday 18th January 2018- 6:30pm – 8:00pm – Rockpool Ramble at Kennett River (Meet at the Kennett River Surf Life Saving Club)

Apollo Bay Beach Out: 2nd – 5th January 2018 : Apollo Bay – Jen (0400 064 453)

Christian volunteers providing a free, fun kids holiday program next to the playground at the Apollo Bay Foreshore.

Apollo Bay Beach Out Theos: 1st – 3rd Jan 2018

Free Brunch (2nd Jan) at the Apollo Bay Recreation Reserve & Camping Ground.

Tackers: Learn to Sail – www.theboatshed.net.au/apollobay - Ph: 9686 2571

Building on last summer's program, four courses will run this year for kids, adults and teens.

When: Sat 6th - Tues 9th Jan - 8:30am-1:00pm: Tackers 1 – Having fun (Beginners age 7-12)| Start Sailing 1&2 – (Beginners) -Adults & teens

Sat 6th – Tues 9th Jan-1:30pm- 6:00pm: Tackers 2 – Tricks/techniques (Intermediate age 7-12)| Better Sailing – (Intermediate) Adults & teens

The Mobile Boatshed will provide qualified Australian Sailing instructors, Opti's for kids and Pacers for adults plus lifejackets and fun!



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WHAT'S ON - OTWAYS

MARKETS & LOCAL PRODUCE

Birregurra Sunday Market - Birregurra Park, 35 Main Street, Birregurra 3242 - 0419 367 994

Local produce including wine, cider, nuts, ice cream, slices and cakes. Plants of all types plus special garden art.

When: Sunday 14th January 2018: 9:00am-2:00pm

Otway Makers & Growers Market – Kawarren Reserve & Echidna House – Kawarren East Rd

Local food and craft food available, family day out.

When: Sunday 28th January: 10am to 2pm

GALLERIES, EXHIBITIONS & ENTERTAINMENT

Gellibrand River Gallery – 14 Main St, Gellibrand – (03) 5235 8410 

Located in the small picturesque township of Gellibrand.

When: 10am to 4pm (Weekends & Holidays)

GALLERIES, EXHIBITIONS & ENTERTAINMENT

Gosling Creek Winery – 495 Murroon Rd, Murroon – (03) 5236 3229 – www.goslingcreek.com.au 

Premium estate wines, light seasonal food at the cellar door. Great views, Free BBQs & Free live music on Sunday from 2pm.

When: 11am to 5pm (Sat, Sun & Public Holidays) – Live Music 1pm to 4pm

MUSEUMS

Birregurra Historical Society – Main Street, Birregurra – (03) 5236 2665

When: Sundays 2pm to 4pm or by appointment

Cape Otway Lightstation – Lighthouse Rd, Cape Otway – (03) 5237 9240 – www.lightstation.com 

Built in 1848, the oldest lighthouse on the Australian mainland with spectacular views and a fascinating history. Climb to the top of the tower.

Explore the Telegraph Station (1859). Learn about traditional indigenous ways & bush tucker at the Aboriginal Centre.

When: Open Daily, 9am to 5pm (last entry 4:30pm)

WHAT'S ON - COLAC

EVENTS

2018 Australia Day Celebrations - Memorial Square, Murray Street, Colac 3250

The Colac Otway Shire in partnership with local clubs and groups are holding Councils official Australia Day event. There will be the official Australia Day ceremony, an Australia Day market, food stalls, a community BBQ, children's activities and a great line up of entertainment.

When: Friday 26th January 2018: 11:00am - 3:00pm

MARKETS & LOCAL PRODUCE

Carl Karacsay Furniture – 1 Gallop St, Colac – (03) 5232 2898 – www.blackwoodfurniture.com.au

Visit the showroom to view unique and one-off creations in wood. Specialising in Blackwood, Carl works with all types of wood including Mountain Ash, Red Gum, Tasmanian Sassafras, local Satin Box, Fiddleback and more.

When: By appointment

GALLERIES, EXHIBITIONS & ENTERTAINMENT

Carolyn Theatre, Red Rock Regional Theatre & Gallery – 520 Corangamite Lake Rd, Cororooke – (03) 5233 1030 www.redrockarts.com.au

Presenting this month: Minuscule – 'Small works Exhibition': Sat 2nd Dec 2017 – Sun 28th Jan 2018 

Gallery will be closed for the Christmas break and will re-open at 11am, Sat 13th January 2018

Colac Otway Performing Arts & Cultural Centre (COPACC) – Gellibrand St, Colac – (03) 5232 9504 – www.copacc.com.au

Colac Cinemas – Open Daily 

Studio 92, Inclusive Gallery and Community Art Space, 70 Murray St, Colac - 0407 818 932

Studio Open – Mon-Fri 9am – 3.30, Sat 10am – 2pm

MUSEUMS

Colac & District Family History Group Inc – COPACC Gellibrand St, Colac – (03) 5232 9504

When: Monday & Tuesday 10am to 3pm, Thursday & Friday 1:30pm to 4:30pm

Colac & District Historical Society Inc – COPACC Gellibrand St, Colac – (03) 5232 9504

When: Thursday, Friday & Sunday 2pm to 4pm

SWIMMING POOL

Bluewater Aquatic Centre – Open 7 days – Hearn St, Colac – (03) 5231 4398 – www.bluewater.org.au

LIBRARY

Colac Community Library & Learning Centre – 173 Queen Street, Colac – (03) 5231 4613 – www.corangamitelibrary.vic.gov.au

When: Monday – Thursday: 8:30am to 5:30pm, Friday: 8:30am to 7pm, Saturday: 10am to 12pm



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UPCOMING EVENTS:

EVENTS IN JANUARY:

Sat 2nd Dec 2017 – Sun 28th Jan 2018- Minuscule Exhibition @RRRTG
 2nd Jan 2018 - Tim Henwood @Brewhouse
 3rd Jan 2018 – Apollo Bay Community Market
 3rd Jan 2018 - Matty Orchard & Tim Henwood @Brewhouse
 3rd Jan 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 4th Jan 2018- Hayden Evans @Brewhouse
 4th Jan 2018 -Matty Orchard @Apollo Bay Hotel
 5th Jan 2018 - Jason Bull @Brewhouse
 5th Jan & 6th Jan 2018 -Totally 80's weekend @Apollo Bay Hotel
 6th Jan 2018 - Apollo Bay Community Market
 6th Jan 2018 – Learn to sail in Apollo Bay
 6th Jan 2018 - The Hollow Majors @Brewhouse
 6th Jan 2018 – Summer Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 6th Jan 2018 – Tackers: Learn to Sail – Apollo Bay
 7th Jan 2018 – Monster Book Sale
 7th Jan 2018 - Open Mic Sunday Session @Brewhouse
 7th Jan 2018 – Gosling Creek Live Music
 7th Jan 2018 – Tackers: Learn to Sail – Apollo Bay
 8th Jan 2018 – Tackers: Learn to Sail – Apollo Bay
 9th Jan 2018 – Tackers: Learn to Sail – Apollo Bay
 10th Jan - Andrew Hoskins & Friends @Brewhouse
 10th Jan 2018 - Apollo Bay Community Market
 10th Jan 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 10th Jan 2018 - Andrew Hoskins & Friends @Brewhouse
 10th Jan 2018 -Days Gone By @Apollo Bay Hotel
 11th Jan- Mike Elrington @Brewhouse
 12th & 13th Jan 2018- Mr Meaner @Apollo Bay Hotel
 12th Jan - Brendan Forward @Brewhouse
 13th Jan 2018 - Summer Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 13th Jan - Levi & Cody @Brewhouse
 13th Jan 2018 - Apollo Bay Community Market
 14th Jan 2018 – Birregurra Sunday Market
 14th Jan- Jade & Jarrod @Brewhouse
 14th Jan 2018 – Gosling Creek Live Music
 17th Jan 2018 - Apollo Bay Community Market
 17th Jan 2018 - Dylan Johnson @Apollo Bay Hotel
 17th Jan 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 20th Jan 2018 - Apollo Bay Community Market
 20th Jan 2018 - Ben Smith @Brewhouse
 20th Jan 2018 – Gypsy Fire Concert – St. Aidan Church
 21st Jan 2018 – Apollo Bay Farmers Market
 21st Jan 2018 - Whisky Tasting Event at Tastes of the Region
 21st Jan 2018 – Gosling Creek Live Music
 24th Jan 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 25th Jan 2018-Trent Hamilton @Apollo Bay Hotel
 26th Jan 2018-Cold oil Collectors @Apollo Bay Hotel
 26th Jan 2018 – Australia Day – Colac

26th Jan 2018- Summer Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 27th Jan 2018- 19-Twenty @Apollo Bay Hotel
 27th Jan 2018 - Dirt River Radio @Brewhouse
 27th Jan 2018 - Apollo Bay Community Market
 28th Jan 2018 – Gosling Creek Live Music
 28th Jan 2018 – Otways Makers & Growers Market
 31st Jan 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club

UPCOMING MONTHS:

3rd Feb 2018 – Flying Fifteen Trophy Race
 7th Feb 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 11th Feb 2018 – Birregurra Sunday Market
 14th Feb 2018 – Twilight Wednesday Series – Apollo Bay Sailing Club
 16th, 17th & 18th Feb 2018 – Apollo Bay Seafood Festival
 24th & 25th Feb 2018 – Gellibrand River Blues Festival
 24th & 25th Feb 2018 – Otways Odyssey 2018
 11th Mar 2018 – Birregurra Sunday Market
 17th Mar 2018 – Colac Kana 18
 18th Mar 2018 – Otway Trail Run
 24th & 25th Mar 2018 – Surf Life S. State Championship
 17th April 2018 – The Beggars Sing from the Heart
 28th Apr 2018 – Great Ocean Road & Otway Classic Ride
 26th June 2018 - The 60s Girls Rock Show
 29th August 2018 – We've Only Just Begun
 12th November 2018 – Great Songs of the War
 4th December 2018 – Santa Claus is Coming to Town

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