

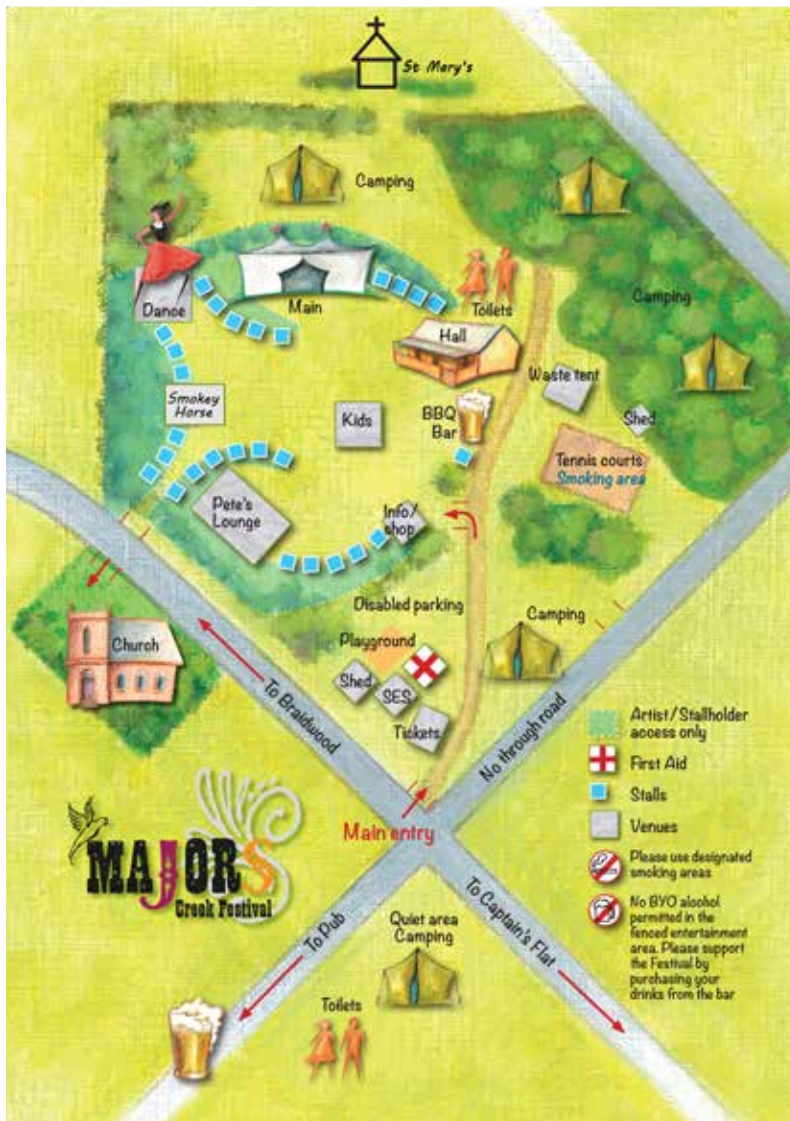


MAJORS

Creek Festival

Program Guide

8-10 November 2019



ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF TRADITIONAL OWNERS

In keeping with the spirit of Reconciliation, the Majors Creek Festival Committee acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land on which we gather and recognise that this has always been a place of teaching, learning, music and art.

We wish to pay respect to their Elders, past, present and emerging and acknowledge the important role Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people continue to play in our community.

LIFETIME FESTIVAL FRIENDS

Majors Creek Festival acknowledges the hard work and dedication of past committee members through its Lifetime Festival Friends program. An initiative of our 25th festival anniversary celebration in 2018, the committee honour our Lifetime Festival Friends by welcoming them to attend Majors each year as our very valued guests. This year's worthy recipients are Arthur Baker and Gordon Pritchard.

Sue Rendell (2018), Alison Smith (2018), Arthur Baker (2019), Gordon Pritchard (2019)



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AND WILL BE IN CONTACT WITH YOU VIA THE
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We understand the significant role that clubs, projects and community groups play in building the fabric of a local community and in bringing people together.

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FESTIVAL RAFFLE

TICKETS \$2 OR 3 FOR \$5

1ST PRIZE: 2 X ADULT SEASON PASSES TO NATIONAL FOLK FESTIVAL 2019 WITH CAMPING—VALUE \$720

2ND PRIZE: 2 X ADULT WEEKEND PASSES TO WINGHAM AKOOSTIC FESTIVAL 2020—VALUE \$265

3RD PRIZE: 2 X MAJORS CREEK FESTIVAL TICKETS AND MERCH PACK—VALUE \$250

4TH PRIZE: 2 X ADULT WEEKEND PASSES TO COBARGO FESTIVAL WITH CAMPING—VALUE \$250

5TH PRIZE: PERFORMER CD PACK—ESTIMATED VALUE \$200

6TH PRIZE: CAPITAL BREWERY TOUR AND BEER TASTINGS FOR 4—VALUE \$100

7TH PRIZE: CASE OF CAPITAL BREWERY COAST ALE—VALUE \$80

Purchase your tickets from the festival shop or our lovely roaming ticket sellers.

Thanks to the National Folk Festival, Wingham Akoostic Festival, Cobargo Folk Festival, Capital Brewery and all the generous artists who have donated to our raffle this year.



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KIDS FEST

Located at the centre of the festival, the Kids Fest is a vibrant and colourful hub, somewhere to catch a great show for little ones, create something in one of our fun craft workshops to take home or find a quiet corner and read a book. All children under the age of 12 should be in the care of a responsible adult at all times.

FRIDAY

4:00PM

Free Play Craft Time

Come and draw, glue, paint a picture, read a book, or just lounge around in the shade.



SATURDAY

8:00AM

Kids Yoga with Alicia

A healthy and creative introduction to yoga. We will stretch, breathe, develop coordination and use our imagination. The class aims to leave kids peaceful and calmly energised to enjoy their day at the festival.

8:30AM

Free Play Craft Time

Come and draw, glue, paint a picture, read a book, or just lounge around in the shade.

9:00AM

Recycled Instrument Workshop

Make your own musical instrument out of recycled and everyday materials. Little hands may need an accompanying adult to help.

10:00AM

Maypole with Molly

Join Molly and her musicians to dance the maypole using colourful ribbons to make a Barbers Pole, Spiderweb or weave a colourful pattern.

11:00AM

Flower Garlands

Make a beautiful spring garland from locally picked ivy and flowers to wear for the weekend.

12:00PM

The Pitts Family Circus Show

Be entranced by spectacular acrobatics! Sword swallowing children! Baby balancing! Human Pyramids and more...

1:00PM

Viking Amour Workshop with Chun

Come along and craft a shield, a sword or even a double handed axe then heave the anchor and set out on a Viking raid throughout the festival. And all with recycled cardboard!

2:00PM

Saplings Sessions with the Bush Music Club

Bring your instrument and come and have some fun learning colonial Australian songs and tunes or join in with percussion (some provided). For young people 8-16 years, music available or play by ear.



3:00PM

Making Jewellery with Redpeg

Design and stamp a unique token in recycled copper, brass or aluminium. You can use numbers, letters and symbol stamps to create a necklace, a key ring or even a tag for your dog!

4:00PM

The Water Runners Puppet Show

Join John, Jane and puppet Charlie for a special performance of original songs covering topics such as cake making, new shoes, going to the moon, penguins and having afternoon tea.

4:30PM

Clay Animal Bowls Workshop

Join Katy to make a little bowl for special things. She will show you how to craft a bowl out of air-drying clay based on your favourite animal and then decorate it with found objects and textures.

SUNDAY

8:30AM

Circus Skills Workshop for Families

Join The Pitts Family Circus to learn some family acrobatics, juggling and manipulation plus elementary trapeze and silks.

9:30AM

Natural Paints with Lara

Splat! Splot! What can we paint with natural colours? Make brushes from nature finds then experiment with colours in this collaborative workshop.

10:30AM

Maypole with Molly

Join Molly and her musicians to dance the maypole using colourful ribbons to make a Barbers Pole, Spiderweb or weave a colourful pattern.

11:30AM

Rainbow Fairy Wands

Wool Wrapping Workshop using colourful wool and sticks from the bush. Create something to take home as a reminder of the festival. Small children may need a parent or older sibling to help.

12:30PM

Little Flamencos Dance Workshop

Join Ruido for this interactive dance workshop, giving hands-on experience with flamenco rhythms, castanets and fans - parents welcome to join in.



1:30PM

Fun Scots songs with Fiona Ross

Join Fiona to learn some great children's songs from the Scottish tradition.

2:00PM

Free Play Craft Time

Come and draw, glue, paint a picture, read a book, or just lounge around in the shade.

KIDS TALENT SHOW

The Kids Talent Show aims to encourage children visiting the festival to have a taste of being on the stage. Come to the Dance Stage at 10:30am Sunday and have a go, whether you are singing, dancing, playing an instrument or telling jokes, we want to see you there! All performers need a parent or guardian to fill out an entry form by 9.30am Sunday. Forms available at the kids tent. Great prizes to be won!

TEEN LOUNGE

FRIDAY

7:00PM

Hula Hoop Decorating Workshop for Teens

Create a colourful hoop to keep using strips of recycled fabric and then learn a few great hoop tricks.

8:00PM

Poi Workshop

Come and learn some awesome glow in the dark poi tricks. BYO or Poi available to purchase at the festival shop.

9:00PM

Youth Lounge

Jam Session/Chill Space.

A cosy space for teens to share music or just stay warm.



SATURDAY

7:00PM

Rock your own festival T-shirt

Come and explore some creative and irreverent ways you can customise a T-shirt in this playful, post-punk inspired creative workshop. Bring along a t-shirt to reinvent, or dive into the pre-loved pile.

8:00PM

Poi Workshop

Come and learn some awesome glow in the dark poi tricks. BYO or Poi available to purchase at the festival shop.

9:00PM

Youth Acoustic Blackboard

Put your name down to perform or come along and show your support to upcoming young artists.

AROUND THE GROUNDS

Look out for our roaming performers like **Gramophone Man** entertaining the crowd near the main gate or the coffee line, the stilt-walking duo from **Bite-Sized Circus** looming overhead, face-painting and games with **Big Fun for Little Ones** and the gorgeous **Felicia** with her glow in the dark fan veil illuminating the night.

OPENING EVENT—FRI 5:00PM: MAIN

Come together to kick start the festival weekend! Meet the festival's volunteer committee, celebrate some awards, and get the low down on this year's program.

POETS BREAKFAST—SAT 8AM: BAR | SUN 8AM: BAR

Join Stonybroke with special guests The Rhymer from Ryde and Phil Inn to share in poetry, tales and laughs alongside your morning sustenance.

DISCUSSION FORUM: 'SASS THE PATRIARCHY'—SAT 10:00AM: PETE'S

Join festival faves This Way North plus other artists and organisers from the festival for an open and forward-looking discussion on gender equality in the music industry.

CIRCUS PERFORMANCES—SAT 12:00PM: KIDS

Catch The Pitts Family Circus as they bring their Little Big Top to life with a mesmerising all-ages show.

Bite-sized Circus will also present The Littlest Show on Earth which features illuminated circus props in a Hula hoop and juggling spectacular!—**SAT 9:00PM: OVAL**

Don't miss the breath-taking Arial performances by the **Clyde Circus troupe**, featuring young people from Batemans Bay High School—**SAT 2:00PM: OVAL | SUN 1:30PM: OVAL**

BRAIDWOOD FOLK CLUB: LIVE AT ST MARY'S

Wander over to the old St Mary's catholic church for a smorgasbord of local talent! The wooden 1930s building is now home to Rose Ricketson and Michael Simic (better known as Mikelangelo), along with daughter Sunny and dog Luna. With the help of Braidwood Folk Club's new president, Trent Arkleymith, they have put together a great local line up to showcase from their back deck. We hope you all enjoy this new pop up festival venue.

Situating east of the rec ground, St Mary's is not to be confused with the stone Anglican Church, an established festival venue.

SATURDAY—ST MARY'S

12:00PM: MICHAEL SIMIC & ROSIE RICK

1:00PM: THE PERFS

2:00PM: STURKELLA MUSIC STUDIO PRESENTS

3:00PM: TWO IF BY SEA

SESSIONS

This year we have reinvented our hall space for anyone and everyone to come together to make music of an eve.

FRIDAY: 7:00PM—IRISH FOLK MUSIC: Join Johnny Spillane and Wayne Millar for an open and inclusive session.

8:30PM—SCOTTISH SINGING SESSION: led by esteemed tradition bearer Fiona Ross.

10:00PM—OPEN SESSION: just bring your instrument and/or voice and come in for a play

SATURDAY: 7:00PM—AMUSING SONGS: sing along with Sallyanne and Clark or bring along one of your own.

8:30PM—SING LIKE A SAILOR: with Canberra Shanty Club

10:00PM—OPEN SESSION: just bring your instrument and/or voice and come in for a play

SUNDAY: 11:30AM—SUNDAY STRUM SESSION: come along, bring your uke and/or voice and join in with SsUkeo!

12:45PM—SAPLING SESSIONS: for young musicians (8-16 years) to experience playing colonial Australian music facilitated by the Bush Music Club

BLACKBOARD CONCERTS

Blackboard concerts provide a space for all-comers to share their talents. Come and hear special off-the-cuff performances and discover some hidden gems. Got a song in your system you need to share with the world? If you'd like to perform, see the team at either the Hotel or Smokey Horse stage to sign up! Check out the program grid for blackboard operating times.

WRAP CONCERT

To party on as the festival winds up at the main site, head down to the Majors Creek Hotel for a BBQ and musical feast—well worth staying that extra night!

SUNDAY—MAJORS CREEK HOTEL

4:00PM: DAVID GARNHAM & THE REASONS TO LIVE

5:30PM: EMILY-ROSE AND THE WILD THINGS

7:00PM: CALLE UN CUARTO ALL STAR BRASS & PERCUSSION BAND

Festival WORKSHOPS

Get involved, have fun and learn something new!

Friday	Location
5:30PM Bavarian Dancing: with Jim & Ingrid Rehle-Williams—learn Bavarian couples’ dances, made easy for everyone with their clear instructions.	Dance Stage
6:30PM Burlesque: with Felicia—explore the world of burlesque. All ages, shapes, sizes and dance experience welcome. Come and unleash your inner diva!	Dance Stage
7:00PM Canberra Shanty Club: Experience the feeling you get from singing at the top of your lungs together with a bunch of other people!	Bar Area
7:30PM Batemans Bay Rock n Rollers: Learn Rock & Roll plus Swing dance styles at this easy to follow workshop – you’ll rock the dance floor in no time!	Dance Stage
8:00PM Poi Workshop: Come and learn some awesome glow in the dark poi tricks. BYO or Poi available to purchase at the festival shop.	Kids Tent
Saturday	Location
7:00am Tai Chi: encourage a complete body, mind, spirit practise; strengthen your joints, increase flexibility and balance to build internal energy.	Dance Stage
9:00am Yoga with Alicia Brown: Rise and shine to salute the sun with this flow yoga session.	Dance Stage
10:00am Wake Up Dancing with Rachel Murphy: Start your day off dancing with this uplifting dance workshop.	Dance Stage
10:00am Can the world be helped? Yes, It Can! With Martin Royds: Underfoot climate change solutions; Improving soil nutrients with composting, worm farming and smart agriculture to get the balance back.	Waste Tent

10:00AM	Speed arranging! With Big Fiddle Little Fiddle: learn a tune and a simple, groovy arrangement. Suitable for all instruments and levels	Hall
10:30AM	Adagio with Clyde Circus: Get ready to play and go upside down with this fun Adagio partner balance workshop.	Dance Stage
11:15AM	Gypsy Swing Guitar with Sverre Molland: Enter the exhilarating world of jazz manouche guitar. All guitarists welcome, and spectators too!	Hall
12:00PM	Irish Set dancing with Set in Their Ways: Learn Irish Set dancing to awesome music with devoted dancers. All ages and abilities welcome.	Dance Stage
12:30PM	Jackie French: Backyard self-sufficiency and letting the earth heal.	Waste Tent
12:30PM	Canberra Shanty Club: a landlubber’s guide to shanties with a bit of history, and lots on how to confidently join a singing session.	Hotel
12:30PM	Mongolian Throat Singing with Equus: Learn about this unique singing style known as “Khuumi” (Hoomi) with world renowned Mongolian singer Bukhu Ganburged	Hall
1:45PM	Harmony Singing with The New Graces: Bring your lungs and come along to weave your voice together with these wonderful women	Hall
2:30PM	Traditional Greek Folk Dancing with Harika: Come and express your inner Terpsichore, God of dance, with this energetic dancing workshop.	Dance Stage
2:30PM	Tree Planting with Landcare: Offset your carbon and learn about native trees and shrubs by planting trees in our camping paddock.	Waste Tent
3:00PM	Aerial circus skills with Clyde Circus: After being amazed by their performance, have a go hanging from a sky hook!	Oval
3:00PM	Song craft with Scott Cook: Join Scott for insights into his writing process and tips and tricks to enhance your own creative journey.	Hall
3:15PM	Clog Dancing with the Silver Sole Cloggers: Lay down your hoe and come and try traditional Appalachian mountain tap dance.	Dance Stage
4:15PM	Exploring the Handpan with Lachlan Hawkins: Join Lachlan to learn more about this beautiful Swiss-made steel sound sculpture.	Hall

5:30PM	Flamenco Dancing with Ruido: Get fierce with Flamenco and learn to dance a fiery Spanish Fandango.	Dance Stage
5:30PM	Ukelele Workshop with Ssukeo: Join the The Seaside Ukelele Orchestra to wrap your fingers around those chords and learn a few songs.	Hall
8:00PM	Poi Workshop: Come and learn some awesome glow in the dark poi tricks. BYO or Poi available to purchase at the festival shop.	Kids Tent

SUNDAY

8:00AM	Yoga with Alicia Brown: Rise and shine to salute the sun with this flow yoga session.	Dance Stage
9:00AM	Music Meditation with Amy Viola: Experience a unique meditation as Amy combines mindfulness, visualisation and breathing practices with live, improvised and looped music.	Hall
9:00AM	Wake Up Dancing with Rachel Murphy: Start your day off dancing with this uplifting dance workshop.	Dance Stage
9:30AM	Youth Hip Hop with Braidwood Dance School: Learn some funky moves and grooves with this easy-to-follow hip hop choreography workshop.	Dance Stage
10:00AM	TBC Recycle Right with Vanessa Palmer: Join the Festival's waste manager and learn what happens to festival refuse	Waste Tent
10:15AM	The Eternal Learner: Join Emily-Rose as she shares how to always be an active, continuous and competent learner in the realm of music.	Hall
11:00AM	Irish Folk Music Session with Johnny Spillane and Wayne Millar: join in with this open and inclusive session.	Bar Area
11:30AM	Maggots! Goterra manages food waste using insects to keep food out of landfill and help Aussie farmers weather the effects of climate Change.	Waste Tent
12:30PM	Canberra Shanty Club: Experience the feeling you get from singing at the top of your lungs together with a bunch of other people!	Bar Area
1:30PM	Irish Set dancing with Set in Their Ways: Come along to learn some Irish dances to awesome music. Suitable for all ages and abilities.	Dance Stage
2:30PM	Aerial circus skills with Clyde Circus: After being amazed by their performance, have a go hanging from a sky hook!	Oval

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5:00 PM	5:00 PM–5:30 PM <i>Welcome</i>				
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5:45 PM	Holly Arrowsmith <i>Performance</i>			Jim & Ingrid Rehle-Williams <i>Bavarian Dance Workshop</i>	
6:00 PM		6:00 PM–6:45 PM	6:15 PM–7:00 PM		
6:15 PM		The Water Runners <i>Performance</i>	Bleeding Gums Murphy <i>Performance</i>		
6:30 PM				6:30 PM–7:30 PM	
6:45 PM	6:45 PM–7:30 PM			Felicia <i>Burlesque Workshop</i>	
7:00 PM	The New Graces <i>Performance</i>				7:00 PM–8:30 PM
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7:30 PM		Andy Nelson <i>Performance</i>	Big Fiddle Little Fiddle <i>Performance</i>	Batemans Bay Rock n Rollers <i>Rock n Roll Workshop</i>	
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8:00 PM	8:00 PM–8:45 PM				
8:15 PM	Parkville <i>Performance</i>				
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8:45 PM		Scott Cook and the She'll Be Rights <i>Performance</i>	Lachlan Hawkins <i>Performance</i>		8:30 PM–10:00 PM
9:00 PM				8:30 PM–10:30 PM	Fiona Ross <i>Scottish Singing Session</i>
9:15 PM	9:15 PM–10:00 PM			Shack Shakers <i>Rock n Roll Social Dance</i>	
9:30 PM	La Mauvaise Réputation <i>Performance</i>				
9:45 PM		9:45 PM–10:45 PM	9:30 PM–11:30 PM		
10:00 PM		Quarter Street <i>Performance</i>	Blackboard		10:00 PM–12:00 AM
10:15 PM					Open Session
10:30 PM	10:30 PM–11:30 PM <i>This Way North</i>				

Schedule Friday

	Main Stage	Petes Lounge	Smokey Horse	Church	Dance Stage	Hall	Around the Grounds
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3:00 PM				3:00 PM–3:45 PM The New Graces Performance			
3:15 PM	3:00 PM–4:00 PM This Way North Performance						
							WRAP PARTY @ HOTEL from 4:00 PM Featuring David Garnham & the RTL, Emily-Rose and the Wild Things, Calle un Cuarto All Star Brass & Percussion Band

Artists

ABOVE THE BIT



Lauded songwriters in their own right, Luke Watt & Nigel Wearne join forces to go Above The Bit. Skirting the fringes of blues, country and outlaw folk, Above The Bit shines a light on true tales of mutiny and civil disobedience in Australian history. **Sat—Church: 11:30 AM | Sat—Pete's: 2:30 PM | Sun—Smokey: 12:15 PM**

ACCAPALERANG

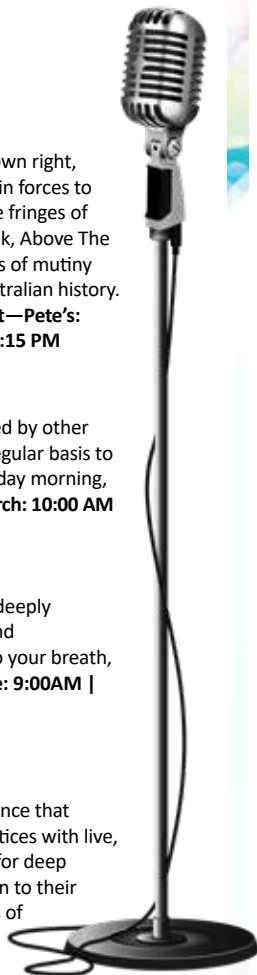
Accapalarang is a local choir that formed in 2006 inspired by other community choirs, where people come together on a regular basis to share their love of singing. Join in at The Church on Sunday morning, featuring songs from many parts of the globe. **Sun—Church: 10:00 AM**

YOGA WITH ALICIA BROWN

Alicia finds yoga fun, magical, profound, self-sufficient, deeply connected, and so very much more. She teaches safe and inclusive classes intending to bring lightness and ease to your breath, movement and mind. **Sat—Kids: 8:00AM | Sat—Dance: 9:00AM | Sun—Dance: 8:00AM**

AMY VIOLA

Music Meditation is a gentle, guided meditative experience that combines mindfulness, visualisation and breathing practices with live, improvised and looped music to create a unique space for deep meditation. Participants experience a deeper connection to their bodies and breath while being supported by the sounds of uniquely crafted music. **Sun—Hall: 9:00AM**



ANDY NELSON

Andy Nelson has burst onto the live music scene with rustic Americana style. Smooth vocals coupled with unique guitar playing and cinematic stories; his passionate performances are delightfully infectious. Andy's band features the gorgeous stings of Amy Viola and Pandora Holliday with Jon Wilby on bass. **Fri—Pete's: 7:15PM | Sat—Pete's: 3:45PM | Sun—Main: 12:30PM**

BATEMANS BAY ROCK N ROLLERS

Chris and Leisa Tague, founders of the Batemans Bay Rock n Rollers, teach a combination of Rock and Roll and Swing dance styles perfect for music from 30's through to the top 40. Their workshops are fun and easy to follow—you'll have the basics to rock the dance floor in no time. **Fri—Dance: 7:30PM: Workshop | Fri—8:30PM: Social Dance**

BIG FIDDLE LITTLE FIDDLE

With a love of infectious tunes and driving rhythms, fellow-travellers Louise Godwin, cello, and Jessica Foot, fiddle, scour fiddling styles from West to East in search of melodies that make their hearts sing. Energised by the sheer joy of playing, they can't wait to share their euphoric musical discourse with you. **Fri—Smokey: 7:30PM | Sat—Hall: 10:00AM: Workshop | Sat—Church: 3:30PM | Sun—Pete's: 12:00PM**

BIG FUN 4 LITTLE ONES

Local kids' legend Miss Emma and her team will bring fun and joy to littlies and biggies alike with artistic face painting and games – book them for your next party! **Around the Grounds—All Weekend**

BITE-SIZED CIRCUS

Look out for Canberra's own Bite-sized Circus cruising above the crowds on stilts over the weekend, and don't miss The Littlest Show on Earth! This duet uses special illuminated circus props programmed to bring images and shapes to life in the lights. This Hula hoop and juggling show is one of a kind, and suitable for all ages. **Around the Grounds—All Weekend: Stilt Walking | Sat—Oval: 9:00PM: Circus Spectacular**



BLEEDING GUMS MURPHY

1/2 pastiche, 1/2 panache and 1/2 improper fractions, Bleeding Gums Murphy are a cosmic collision of wry and racy comedy, vocally rich folk song writing and ample interstitial banter. Touring their EP 'Aye Aye Captain', BGM are a musical coup de grace that'll tug your heartstrings and tickle your funny bone all at once. **Fri—Smokey: 6:15PM | Sat—Pete's: 11:00PM: Big Betty: A Non-Kosher Rock Opera | Sun—Smokey: 1:15PM**



BRAIDWOOD DANCE STUDIO

Run by the inexhaustible Miss Emma Gartside, Braidwoodians are spoilt for choice at the Braidwood Dance Studio with classes ranging from Ballet, Tap, Jazz and Hip hop for children of all ages, plus adult fitness classes to get everyone moving. **Fri—Kids: 8:00PM | Sat—Kids: 8:00PM | Sun—Dance: 9:30AM**

BRAIDWOOD YOUTH PERFORMING ARTS ASSOCIATION

Join Braidwood Youth Performing Arts Association as they showcase their member's endless talents. The youth of Braidwood will delight you with song, dance, acrobatics and many more amazing and creative acts. **Sat—Dance: 1:00PM**

BUNGENDORE YOUTH ORCHESTRA

The children of the Bungendore Youth Orchestra have been learning music for the last 4 years, guided and taught by Nicole Wieser and Rita Woolhouse. Come along to hear Celtic and American folk and bluegrass, plus classics and film music favourites. **Sun—Pete's: 10:00AM**

CALLE UN CUARTO ALL STAR BRASS & PERCUSSION BAND

Calle un Cuarto are a mix of musicians from varying backgrounds thrown in a Bamix blender! The resultant cocktail features prominent percussion rhythms from North & South America, balanced with brass instruments from North America & Europe topped with a garnish of Australian attitude—Delicious! **Sun—Hotel: 7:00PM**

CANBERRA SHANTY CLUB

Canberra Shanty Club are all about participatory singing sessions that are extremely fun and a great experience for both seasoned singers and people completely new to singing. Come and experience the feeling of adrenaline you get from chanting and singing at the top of your lungs together with a hundred other people! **Fri—Bar: 7:00PM | Sat—Hotel : 12:30PM | Sat—Hall: 8:30PM | Sun—Bar: 12:30PM**

CLARK & SALLYANNE

Clark and Sallyanne sing witty and odd originals as well as a few of their folkly favourites, which they've arranged for two-part harmony. Their songs tackle the usual topics: pandemics, global calamities and mental disorders, which they deliver with an upbeat charm. **Sat—Hall: 7:00PM**

CLYDE CIRCUS

Clyde Circus started in Batemans Bay High School in 2001. The troupe performs throughout the state in other school and professional productions including being booked into WIN Entertainment Centre yearly since 2005. **Sat—Dance: 10:30AM: Workshop | Sat—Oval: 2:00PM | Sat—Oval: 3:00PM: Workshop | Sun—Oval: 1:30PM | Sun—2:30PM: Workshop**

DAVID GARNHAM & THE REASONS TO LIVE

David Garnham & the Reasons to Live look like truckers but sing like angels.

**Sat—Main: 2:00PM
Sat—Smokey: 8:00PM
Sun—Hotel: 4:00PM**





EMILY-ROSE AND THE WILD THINGS

A wild mix of jazz, fusion, folk and funk, Emily-Rose and the Wild Things are led by songstress and keys player Emily-Rose Sarkova, delivering an earthy and profound fusion of acoustic and electric worlds. Complex grooves, catchy riffs and caramel textures will have you dancing

and blissing out all at once. **Sat—Main: 3:15PM | Sat—Pete's: 9:30PM | Sun—Hall: 10:15AM: Workshop | Sun—Hotel: 5:30PM**

EQUUS

Equus is a bold and imaginative music project that succeeds in the formation of an entirely new sound by gathering four culturally and musically diverse performers.

Featuring the world-renowned throat singer Bukhu Ganburged (voice, morin khuur), they create original contemporary folk and fusion pieces as well as unique interpretations of Mongolian traditional music. **Sat—Hall: 12:30PM: Workshop | Sat—Pete's: 6:30PM | Sun—Pete's: 1:15PM**



FELICIA

With a background in classical western styles and gymnastics, Felicia discovered the beautiful art of oriental and burlesque dance. She is a dynamic and entertaining performer with a broad belly dance and burlesque repertoire. **Fri—Dance: 6:30PM: Workshop | Around the Grounds: Evenings**

FIONA ROSS

Singer Fiona Ross is an esteemed tradition bearer in her native Scotland. Here in Australia, she flies the flag for the Scots song tradition. An expert on Scots song, Fiona's performance displays her command of the traditional singing style, and her extensive repertoire showcases the breadth of the tradition. **Fri—Hall: 8:30PM: Session | Sat—Church: 1:30PM | Sun—Pete's: 10:45AM | Sun—Kids: 1:30PM: Workshop**

FLOYD THURSBY

Contemporary folk singer Floyd Thursby sings about love and death, sacred moments and everyday life. Occasionally he'll say something funny. "Floyd Thursby has a fascinating voice. But of course, all that would be insignificant without great songs as vehicles for that voice. Thursby has armfuls of them." (Rhythms) **Sat—Church: 2:30PM | Sat—Smokey: 6:00PM**

GRAMOPHONE MAN

Gramophone Man is the world's only 'Steam Powered' Mobile Gramophone DJ. His Contraption is a unique thing of antique beauty containing two original 1930's wind up Gramophones that play only shellac 78rpm records from the 20's, 30's and 40's. Coupled with crazy dance moves and shonky mime, Gramophone Man will delight crowds of all ages. **Around the Grounds—All Weekend**



GREAT AUNT

Folk duo Great Aunt ramble along a musical line between the plaintive and the joyous. Their music is full of stomping feet and clapping hands, chants and harmonies, whispered words, and soulful lament. Listen, and you'll hear tales of joy and grief, whiskey and wine, gratitude and purpose-seeking. **Sat—Smokey: 1:00PM | Sat—Main: 4:30PM | Sun—Church: 2:00PM**

HARIKA

Harika (Effie Sharma) performs a mix of traditional and modern belly dance styles sometimes combined with other modern dance forms and music. The movements, techniques and steps are based on Middle Eastern and Mediterranean dances but celebrate the fusion of music, culture, and dance. **Sat—Dance: 2:30PM: Workshop | Sat—Dance: 4:15PM**

HOLLY ARROWSMITH

Born in the heart of the American desert in Santa Fe New Mexico and raised in the mountains of Southern New Zealand, Holly Arrowsmith is a strong forerunner in New Zealand's current folk revivalist movement. Holly is this year's winner of the Ros Hales Award for Young Women in Music, sponsored by the Braidwood Folk Club. **Fri—Main: 5:30PM | Sat—Main: 5:45PM | Sun—Church: 11:00AM**



JAZIDA'S FABULOUS FAN DANCERS

Jazida's Fabulous Fan Dancers are a Canberra based performance troupe that have been developing and performing together for over four years. They have a wide repertoire of choreographies written by Jazida and are inspired to use feather fans and fan veils in unique and creative ways. **Sun—Dance: 12:30PM**

JIM & INGRID REHLE-WILLIAMS

Jim and Ingrid have been sharing their knowledge of Bavarian couples' dances for over 20 years. Originating in the alpine regions of Austria, Germany, and Switzerland, these dances are made easy for everyone through their clear and fun instruction. **Fri—Dance: 5:30PM**

JOHNNY SPILLANE AND WAYNE MILLAR

Johnny Spillane is a professional Irish musician specialising in whistle and Bodhran and has played at most folk festivals throughout Australia during his 60 years playing music. Wayne Millar is a mature aged student of the fiddle who understands the trials and tribulations of starting out on a musical instrument later in life. Join them for a session or two of great Irish folk music. **Fri—Hall - 7:00PM | Sun—Bar: 11:00AM**

KELSEY BERRINGTON

With heartbreaking lyrics and warm folk melodies, Kelsey Berrington is a singer/songwriter that delivers songs straight from the heart. He ventured to London where he took up residency at several venues and developed his own sound, gaining influence from the folk artists and singer-songwriters in the area. **Sat—Church: 12:30PM | Sat—Smokey: 5:00PM | Sun—Smokey: 11:15AM**

LA MAUVAISE RÉPUTATION

French gypsy swing virtuosos La Mauvaise Réputation are Australia's most authentic interpreters of the wild rhythms and passion of 1930s Parisian hot jazz and the beautiful melodies of classic French chanson—sung en français, bien sûr. Featuring acclaimed manouche guitarist and Django Reinhardt enthusiast Sverre Molland.

Fri—Main: 9:15PM
Sat—Hall: 11:15AM: Workshop
Sat—Pete's: 8:00PM
Sun—Main: 10:00AM



LACHLAN HAWKINS

Lachlan Hawkins is an accomplished Brisbane jazz drummer who has recently discovered a new path exploring the unique steel sound sculpture known as the "Handpan". His mesmerising and hypnotic melodic rhythms soothe the soul as his lyrics press deeper into themes of belonging, self-acceptance and loss. **Fri—Smokey : 8:45PM | Sat—Smokey: 12:00PM**
Sat—Hall: 4:15PM: Workshop

LIZ FRENCHAM

2018 Troubadour Award Winner and perennial festival presence, Liz Frencham is stepping centre stage with a swag of new songs, along with favourites from her Jigzag and Frencham Smith days. Always luminous and generous, Liz will take you on a journey safely in the palm of her hand. **Sat—Main: 12:45PM | Sun— Church: 12:00PM**

MANDY CONNELL

"Mandy Connell is the latest in a long and distinguished line of talented female musicians to grace the musical scene in Australia."—Eric Bogle. A storyteller of quiet strength, Mandy is raw, passionate and honest, with timing and energetic dexterity born from blues and Celtic folk. **Sat—Pete's: 11:45AM | Sat—Smokey: 7:00PM | Sun—Church: 1:00PM**

MAYPOLE WITH MOLLY

Maypole with Molly and her lively accordion will have kids dancing and creating intricate ribbon patterns around the maypole or playing percussion. Emphasis is on fun audience participation where adults are invited to join in. Erika Cleaver (Molly), an experienced early childhood teacher, and her helpers enjoy sharing music and dance with kids. **Sat—Kids: 10:00AM | Sun—Kids: 10:30AM**

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This Majors Creek husband and wife duo play laid back, atmospheric songs, rich in melody and narrative, with influences of folk, country and blues. Visit them at home as they host Braidwood Folk Club Live at St Mary's on Saturday afternoon. **Sat—St Mary's: 12:00PM**

NARROWNECKS

With American old time string band roots, Narrownecks bring an authentic mountain sound to Australia. Whether stomping along to a traditional 19th century fiddle tune, or humming along to a three-part vocal harmony, Narrownecks are sure to keep you coming back for more. **Sat—Smokey: 2:00PM | Sat—Square Dance: 7:00PM**

PARKVILLE

Parkville are a chart-topping folk-pop trio from Victoria's Dandenong Ranges. Cutting their teeth busking on the streets of Melbourne, bandmates Liam, Michael and Dylan soon developed a winning formula: a driving Mumford & Sons-style backbone featuring rich three-part vocal harmonies and soaring violin riffs, taking influence from The Beach Boys and Punch Brothers. **Fri: Main: 8:00PM | Sat—Church: 4:30PM | Sun—Main: 1:45PM**



OFFBEAT DANCERS

OFFBEAT is the Canberra dance group for people with Parkinson's - an initiative of Belconnen Arts Centre. Weekly classes run at Belconnen and Tuggeranong Arts Centres where participants enjoy the fun and challenge of working their whole being in a fun filled session. **Sat—Dance: 11:30AM**

QUARTER STREET

Quarter Street take you back to the heart of classic salsa. Inspired by the raw sounds of New York in the 1970's, they revisit an era when the music of the streets resonated with the voice of the people.

Fri—Pete's: 9:45PM
Sat—Main: 11:30AM
Sat—Main: 11:30PM



RUIDO

Award-winning Ruido Flamenco revive traditional flamenco and drive it into Australian hearts. The colour and passion of Spain and Latin America is the lifeblood of their thriving creative flamenco. Ruido invite you into their beautiful, ancient, and magical world. **Sat—Dance: 5:00PM | Sat—Dance: 5:30PM: Workshop | Sun—Kids: 12:30PM**

SAPLINGS SESSIONS BUSH MUSIC CLUB

The Bush Music Club's Sapling program gives young musicians or would be musicians (aged 8-16) the experience and enjoyment of playing colonial Australian collected music in a relaxed atmosphere with expert bush musicians as tutors, using their own acoustic instruments or ours! **Sat—Kids: 2:00PM | Sun—Hall: 12:45PM**

SAPPHIRE TAI CHI

Rod Dunne of Sapphire Tai Chi has been practising Tai Chi for 20 years and teaching this ancient Chinese artform for 12 years in Cobargo and Narooma. Rod is affiliated with the Tai Chi academy in Canberra and mentored by the academy's directors, both highly regarded practitioners of Tai Chi and Qi Gong. **Sat—Dance: 8:00AM: Workshop**

SCOTT COOK AND THE SHE'LL BE RIGHTS

Canadian balladeer and veteran road warrior Scott Cook returns with a new intercontinental stringband, consisting of fellow prairie boy Bramwell Park on banjo, and Aussie comrades Jeri Foreman on fiddle and Liz Frencham on upright bass. Sturdy songs, equal parts introspection and insurrection. **Fri—Pete's: 8:30PM | Sat—Hall: 3:00PM: Workshop | Sat—Main: 8:30PM | Sun—Pete's: 2:30PM**



SET IN THEIR WAYS

A lively fun group of Irish Set dancers from Canberra dancing both traditional and contemporary dances from the Emerald Isle and some they have written themselves. The infectious rhythms of fine Irish jigs, reels, slides, polkas and hornpipes will have you tapping your toes and wanting to join in. **Sat—Dance: 12:00PM: Workshop | Sun—Dance: 1:30PM: Workshop**

SHACK SHAKERS

The Shack Shakers are a three-piece rockabilly band based in Batemans Bay featuring Jane Urbanik on drums and vocals, Greg Powell on guitar and vocals and Jon Wilson on stand-up bass. The Shack Shakers have created a unique sound with an eclectic mix of classic and modern rockabilly tunes as well as originals. **Fri—Dance: 7:30PM: Workshop | 8:30PM: Social Dance**

SHANE NICHOLSON

One of Australia's leading proponents of Alternative Country / Americana, multi-award winner Shane Nicholson has become a steady and constant figure in the Australian music industry. A compelling voice that lives and breathes in the songsmith's singular melodies, crooked humour, and short, pithy lines gently delivered; a performance not to be missed. **Sat—Pete's: 1:00PM | Sat—Main: 7:00PM**



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Appalachian Mountain Tap is known as Clogging—it's fun, fast, toe tapping and very rhythmical. Any age can participate and it's easy to learn. Flat taps shoes and a happy disposition is all that is needed. Steps are cued, music is traditional or anything we love. **Sat—Dance: 3:15PM: Workshop**

SSUKEO

The Seaside Ukelele Orchestra or 'Ssukeo' are based in the beautiful Eurobodalla region and promote community involvement, entertainment and social interaction through music, covering a wide variety of genres from traditional through to modern. **Sat—Bar: 11:00AM | Sat—Hall: 5:30PM: Workshop | Sun—Hall: 11:30AM: Session**

STONYBROKE

Since retiring, Allan Stone has pursued his passion for performance poetry, and appears at festivals and community events from Bega to Bulli. Enjoy his presentation of traditional, contemporary and original poems and yarns at the poet's breakfasts, which he is also facilitating. **Sat—Bar: 8:00AM | Sun—Bar: 8:00AM**

STURKELLA MUSIC STUDIO

Long term Braidwood resident Kelly Sturgiss has been teaching young people creative approaches to music for 15 years and will curate a set of some of the most promising young singers and musicians from the area. **Sat—St Mary's: 2:00PM**

THE BRAIDWOOD CANTORS

The Cantors have a long and local history; newly formed as choir for St Andrew's Anglican Parish, they sang at the first Majors Creek festival. They soon started performing beyond the pews, singing everything from Bach to Bebop and are currently directed by Mary Appleby. **Sat—Church: 10:30AM**



THE NEW GRACES

Guitar, fiddle, double bass. Interwoven harmonies of three distinctly unique voices. Melanie Horsnell, Kate Burke & Robyn Martin are seasoned identities in the Australian Music Scene, and all living in the legendary musical town of Candelo. Outspoken yet understated, down to earth and other-worldly, the New Graces pack a serious punch.

Fri—Main: 6:45PM | Sat—Hall: 1:45PM:
Workshop | Sat—Pete's: 5:00PM
Sun—Church: 3:00PM

THE PERFS

The music of Braidwood duo The Perfs has grown out the long-term friendship between Emmy Cooper and Dani Diablo. They combine acoustic guitar, electric bass and divine harmonies to fashion their own quirky folk/rock/gypsy/blues that will have you smiling and singing along.

Sat—St Mary's: 1:00PM

THE PITTS FAMILY CIRCUS

Be entranced by spectacular acrobatics! Sword swallowing children! Baby balancing! Human Pyramids and more... With humble beginnings 15 years ago as a duo act doing a small street theatre show The Pitts have now toured the world seven times and grown into a charming family circus.

Sat—Kids: 12:00PM | Sun—Kids: 8:30AM: Workshop

THE RHYMER FROM RYDE

The "Rhymer's" performances, renowned for their vibrancy, humour and theatrical flair, have taken him all over Australia in the last 15 years. Lauded for the quality of his original work the "Rhymer" is certainly a 'live-wire' Bush Poet! **Sat—Bar: 8:00AM | Sun—Bar: 8:00AM**

THE WATER RUNNERS

The Water Runners play a high energy blend of original contemporary bluegrass infused folk. They'll take you on a journey down the south coast, telling tales of bush rangers, indigenous leaders, heroines, ghosts, sailing adventures, family, nature and love. Be delighted, uplifted and entertained.

Fri—Pete's: 6:00PM | Sat—Main: 10:15AM | Sat—Kids: 4:00PM: Puppet Show | Sun—Main: 11:15AM

THIS WAY NORTH

Recently taking out Best Regional Act 2018 at The Music Victoria Awards, This Way North are on a steady incline. It's easy to forget they are just a two-piece band. Drummer/vocalist Cat Leahy and guitarist/vocalist Leisha Jungalwalla create an explosive energy and expansive sound that translates effortlessly from the studio to the stage.

Fri—Main: 10:30PM | Sat—Pete's: 10:00AM:
Discussion Forum | Sat—Main: 10:00PM |
Sun—Main: 3:00PM



TWO IF BY SEA

New Majors Creek residents Rachel Johnson and Trent Arkleysmith are great addition to the local musical landscape with their tasty mix of original and traditional music in the styles of, and influenced by, Celtic, Scandinavian, Eastern European folk, Bluegrass and new acoustic music. **Sat—St Mary's: 3:00PM**

WAKE UP DANCING

Is there any other way to wake up at the Creek not dancing????!! Get there early to get a spot, pyjamas are most welcome, come and dance like a dog with Rachel Murphy. **Sat—Dance: 10:00AM | Sun—Dance: 9:00AM**

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