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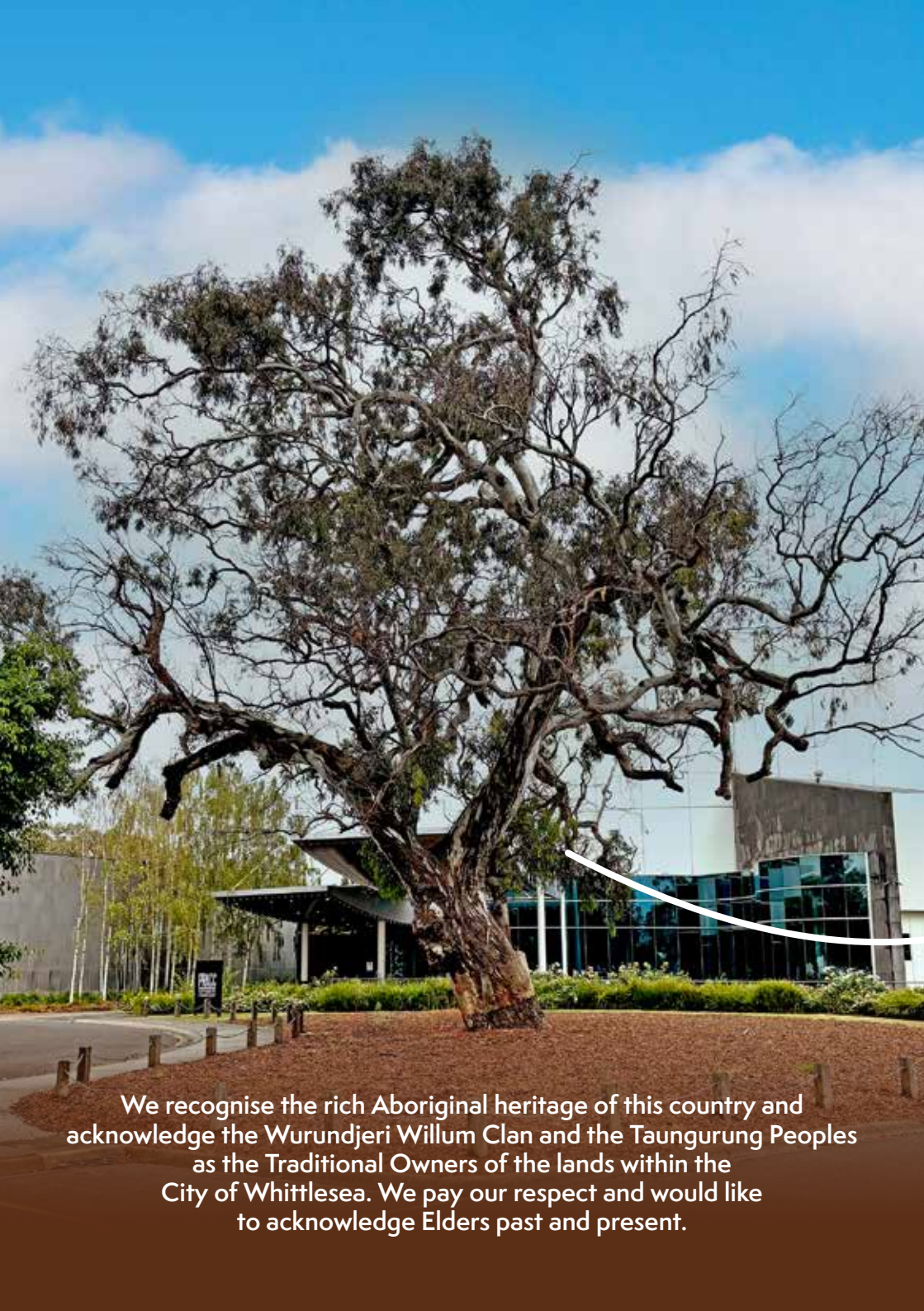
PLENTY RANGES ARTS
& CONVENTION CENTRE



City of
Whittlesea



PERFORMANCE PROGRAM 2026



We recognise the rich Aboriginal heritage of this country and acknowledge the Wurundjeri Willum Clan and the Taungurung Peoples as the Traditional Owners of the lands within the City of Whittlesea. We pay our respect and would like to acknowledge Elders past and present.

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INTRODUCTION

We're thrilled to announce the Plenty Ranges Arts and Convention Centre's 2026 Performance Program in celebration of PRACC's 30th birthday!

After the success of the inaugural program in 2025, we're bringing you a bigger and bolder program. We've carefully curated a mix of shows spanning genres and performance styles that will delight and enchant audiences. An eclectic mix of music, comedy, children's theatre, visual art, workshops and dance, there is something for everyone to enjoy.

Our morning melodies shows will see some exquisite entertainers including Rhonda Burchmore, Bobby Fox and crowd favourite Silvie Paladino. We'll roll in the aisles with laughter with household names and up and coming comedians. We'll follow the adventurous echidnas, wallabies and beasts in children's theatre.

Supporting local talent and artists is at the heart of the program, providing an opportunity for residents to express themselves and their incredible talents with *Crescendo Screen Classics* and *The Next Verse*. We're pleased to introduce a creative program of workshops for the community to learn new skills and indulge in their creative side.

In 2026, we're here to celebrate 30 years of performances, events and nurturing community spirit at PRACC. For 30 years PRACC has helped shape the community, brought people together to create memories and nurtured creativity. We'll look ahead towards a bright future of new talent and ideas, so mark your calendars and get ready for a joyful and fun year ahead.

VENUE DETAILS AND BOOKING INFORMATION

PRACC is the City of Whittlesea's flagship creative venue. Whether it's a performing arts production, community event, or training, PRACC's facilities cater to both intimate gatherings and large-scale productions, ensuring a seamless and impactful experience.

The venue offers two impressive theatres, seating 497 and 175, along with flexible conference and meeting rooms. PRACC provides a tailored experience for each event, for more information please email us at info@pracc.com.au

Accessibility

PRACC is committed to making sure everyone can enjoy our events.

Wheelchair access

To book accessible seats, or spaces for wheelchair users contact the box office directly on ☎ (03) 9217 2317. There are accessible toilets, ramps and lifts throughout our venue.

Assisted hearing

Hearing loop devices are available in the Yan Yean Theatre. Ask the box office for details.

Vision impairment

Signage is in Braille, and guide and assistance dogs are welcome.

Stay connected

Follow us on Facebook and Instagram:

[f](#) [@plentyrangesarts](#)

Sign up for our mailing list on the website for event updates.

TICKET INFORMATION

Tickets

Tickets can be purchased online, over the phone, or in person during box office hours. All prices include GST, and each ticket incurs a \$2 booking fee unless stated otherwise.

Group bookings of ten or more may receive reduced rates. Morning Melodies patrons can save by purchasing three performances together at a discounted rate. Family tickets provide value for two adults and two children, or one adult and three children. Concession prices apply to eligible cardholders, including students, pensioners, and seniors. PRACC honours the Companion Card program, providing a complimentary ticket for an accompanying carer when a valid card is presented at the time of booking.

Accessible seating and wheelchair spaces can be booked through the Box Office. Please advise any access requirements at the time of booking so we can prepare your visit.

Full ticketing terms and conditions are available on our website.


Contact Us

For assistance with booking tickets, or general enquiries, please get in contact with us. More details on our ticketing terms and conditions can be found via our website.

35 Ferres Boulevard,
South Morang

Box Office Hours:
9am to 3pm,
Monday to Friday

☎ (03) 9217 2317
✉ boxoffice@pracc.com.au
✉ info@pracc.com.au
🌐 pracc.com.au

 **BUY 3 MORNING
MELODIES. PAY LESS.**
Available in one transaction.



MELBOURNE COMEDY SHOWCASE

The Melbourne Comedy Showcase is a diverse mix of headliners and rising stars showcasing a range of comedic styles and a broad range of themes ensuring there is something for everyone!

A perfect night of side-splitting comedy for families with teenagers, retirees, boomers, gen x-ers or a night out with the girls.

Come early for a drink with mates, relax and escape for a night full of razor-sharp wit, laughs and a unique reflection of the world around us.

A lineup featuring some of the best Melbourne has to offer including: Dave O'Neil (*Spicks & Specks*, *Have You Been Paying Attention*), plus seasoned veteran Brad Oakes and up-and-coming stars, Sonia Di Iorio and Billy Stiles.

**SATURDAY 28 FEBRUARY,
7PM**

Yan Yean Theatre

🕒 120mins
💰 \$42 full
\$39 concession
\$37 each for
group of 10
🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for people
aged 16 years or older.

Please note: Performances
often contain coarse language,
adult themes, sexual references
and material that may offend.


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BOBBY FOX

Mr ENTERTAINMENT, Morning Melodies

Bobby Fox IS Mr. ENTERTAINMENT, a wildly talented and classy showman who will perform a selection of his best and favourite moments from his professional career from the past 2 decades.

Inspired by the incredible Sammy Davis Jr., Bobby will be singing and dancing alongside the talented Jack Earle on piano.

Bobby is a charming and charismatic performer whose accolades include nominations for both a Green Room Award and a Helpmann Award.

Join us for our first Morning Melodies of the year, come early for a cup of tea and a piece of cake, before witnessing a joyful, sophisticated and class act that is Mr Bobby Fox.

WEDNESDAY 4 MARCH,
11AM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 70mins
- 💰 \$24 full
\$22 concession
\$20 each for
group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
all ages, enjoyed by
older audiences.



WENDY STAPLETON

Dusty, Morning Melodies

The Dusty Springfield Show is Wendy's tribute to the songs and career of Dusty Springfield, Britain's greatest female pop singer.

With her unique, heartbreaking voice, and unwavering belief in songwriters such as Carol King, Gerry Goffin, Randy Newman, John Kander, Burt Bacharach and Hal David - Dusty forged a path to greatness over her remarkable 35 year career.

Wendy Stapleton is an acclaimed singer and performer and has shared the stage with other legends including John Farnham, Glenn Shorrock, Jon English and Joe Camilleri.

This outstanding show takes you on a colourful journey through all the hits of the 60's, 70's, 80's and 90's that made Dusty a household name.

WEDNESDAY 1 APRIL,
11AM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 70mins
- 💰 \$24 full
\$22 concession
\$20 each for
group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
all ages, enjoyed by
older audiences.

Presented by
Mark Gogoll Artists





TRASH WITH A PORPOISE

School Holiday Event

Join us as we navigate the depths of our waterways - battling whirlpools, cracking jokes with a walrus and learning how we can reduce our impact through everyday actions!

This fun, new sketch comedy show for children and families is a thrilling journey full of puppetry, clowning, song and of course, plenty of Trash!

With a whole host of new, original trash puppet characters, including Crabs, Sea Slugs, Penguins, a Sea Horse & a Puffer Fish, who join our Porpoise and starring character "Merf", children will be mesmerized by the diversity of sea creatures and the stories, song and jokes they share.

"The use of recycled trash to create creatures is really clever and the kids respond to the cheery performance style and goofy jokes."

– Kate Herbert, Herald Sun

**TUESDAY 7 APRIL,
11AM**

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 60mins
- 💰 \$20 full
\$16 child
\$54 family of four,
\$15 each for
a group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
ages 5 years +

Please note: Loud sounds,
flashing lights and
interactive elements.

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SPLASH TEST DUMMIES

School Holiday Event

Rub-a-dub-dub, The Dummies are here with some splish splashing circus set to drown you in tears of laughter.

The Splash Test Dummies are off on an exciting adventure of oceanic proportions! With a brilliant array of catch-your-breath stunt work, dazzling acrobatics, dexterous juggling and side-splitting, slapstick comedy, the Dummies are ready to roll out their beach towels and spring into an exciting hour of circus-filled hilarity for the whole family.

They have shared this epic adventure with audiences from the UK, Europe, New Zealand and Australia. They have wowed the critics and won coveted awards at the world's largest arts festivals, Adelaide Fringe and Edinburgh Fringe.

Grab your flippers and snorkel and join The Dummies diving from bathtubs to beaches on this wild aquatic ride!

"hour of pure thrilling entertainment"
– Sunday Mail Edinburgh

**TUESDAY 14 APRIL,
11AM**

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 60mins
- 💰 \$20 full
\$16 child
\$54 family of four,
\$15 each for
a group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
ages 5 years +

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DUMMIES
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Artist credit: *Contemplation*, Ildiko Kormanyos, Annual Art Award 2025

Belong

ANNUAL ART EXHIBITION

The City of Whittlesea's Annual Art Exhibition to share their creativity, imagination and ideas with the community.

This year's exhibition invites artists to explore the theme *BELONG*. To belong is a fundamental human need — it draws us toward family, friends, and how we relate to the world around us.

Belonging connects us to place, bringing people together through shared interests, values, and experiences. It helps us bridge differences, reminding us that each of us is part of something greater than ourselves. Get creative and show us what it means to *Belong*.



Scan the QR code to apply or visit
whittlesea.vic.gov.au/artexhibition



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Key Dates:

Artist Expression
of Interest:

1 December – 16 March

Exhibition opens:

2 May – 27 May

Launch event:

6 May 2026 6pm – 8pm

SILVIE PALADINO

Morning Melodies

Back by popular demand...the incomparable, inimitable and incredible Silvie Paladino, as she performs her favourite songs.

Once again, Silvie will perform some of her favourite songs that are close to her heart, deeply moving and personal.

Silvie is a darling of the Australian Musical Theatre scene. Over the years she has starred in musicals such as *Mamma Mia*, *Cats*, *Les Misérables* and most recently in *Sunset Boulevard* on stages across Australia and on London's West End and as a regular on *Carols by Candlelight*.

In 2025, Silvie helped launch our inaugural PRACC performance program, and we're so pleased for another chance to relish in her artistry and supreme vocal talents.

WEDNESDAY 6 MAY,
11AM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 70mins
- 💰 \$24 full
\$22 concession
\$20 each for a group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
all ages, enjoyed by
older audiences.





MELBOURNE INTERNATIONAL COMEDY FESTIVAL ROADSHOW

Australia's biggest comedy festival is hitting the road and bringing the laughs to you!

Join the Melbourne International Comedy Festival Roadshow as it journeys around Australia, delivering hot and tasty comic treats to audiences near and far. With a curated line-up of comedy legends and fresh faces from Australia and beyond, the Roadshow has all your comedy bases covered (no joke) – all in one side-splitting show!

For almost three decades the Melbourne International Comedy Festival has been touring far and wide, bringing giggles, guffaws and good times to Australia – and now it's your turn!

The full line-up will be announced early in 2026, but tickets will sell out quickly, so get in now while you can! Experience the fun of Australia's largest comedy festival in your own backyard. Grab your mates and get on board the Roadshow.

THURSDAY 7 MAY,
7.30PM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 150mins
- 💰 \$42 full
\$39 concession
\$37 each for a group of 10
- 📧 pracc.com.au

Recommended for people aged 15 years or older.

Please note: Performances often contain coarse language, adult themes, sexual references and material that may offend.

THE NEXT VERSE

A community showcase event

The Next Verse is an exciting new program for people to explore their song writing skills and channel their inner singer-songwriter.

In a series of inspiring songwriting workshops, held throughout April and May, participants will develop a new piece of music. Explore ideas and approaches on how to turn a story into a song! Learn about melody, form, lyrics, instrumentation, vocal arrangements and more. It's a fantastic opportunity to learn, create, and connect with other songwriters.

The Next Verse program will culminate in an electrifying night of music from some of our incredible local talent. Discover fresh songs, powerful voices, and stories straight from the heart of our creative community.

Create The Next Verse – participate in the song writing workshops email 📧 info@pracc.com.au

SATURDAY 20 JUNE,
7PM

Woodstock Theatre

- 🕒 120mins
- 💰 \$10 each
- 📧 pracc.com.au

Recommended for people aged 15 years or older.

Please note: There may be mature content.





SCHOOL HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS AT PRACC

Looking for fun and creative ways to entertain the kids, or grandkids during the school holidays? At PRACC, we have lots of fun activities that will inspire and unlock their creativity. Check out our website closer to the school holidays to see what fun things we have on offer! Enjoy some of our school holiday highlights below.

TRASH WITH A PORPOISE WORKSHOP TUESDAY 7 APRIL, 1PM

Eucalypt Room

🕒 90mins 💰 \$20 each

Trash Puppets want to change the world... one puppet at a time!

These popular puppet making workshops empower children to get creative using clean recycled, and reused materials. Facilitated by experienced puppeteers with a wealth of experience, the workshops provide a fun, artistic experience that will change the way children think and look at everyday household rubbish. They can then use their new skills and knowledge to create more puppets at home!

THE AUSTRALIAN BALLET WORKSHOPS WEDNESDAY 1 JULY

Yan Yean Theatre 🕒 \$20 each

Workshops by The Australian Ballet Education and Outreach team give children the unique opportunity to explore performances and choreography in a dance movement workshop.

The workshops are designed to be accessible to all children regardless of learning styles or physical abilities.

Wonderland Dancing Story 10.30am – 11.15am (Ages 3-5)

Explore the story of Wonderland, an adaptation of Lewis Carroll's Alice's Adventures in Wonderland. Join us for an adventure into Wonderland through dance, music, costumes, characters, and a tea party... or two!

Primary Workshop 11.30am – 12.15pm (Ages 6-11)

The session will involve warmups, creative games, dance exercises and learning the tools to make a dance. The session will also explore choreographic techniques to help make their own creations.

Secondary Workshop 1pm – 2pm (Ages 12+)

The session for teenagers will unlock their creativity and will involve warmups, creative games, dance exercises and learning the tools to make a dance. The session will also explore choreographic techniques to help participants in their own creations.

No previous dance experience is required-just bring a spring in your step!

CIRCUS NEXUS WORKSHOP THURSDAY 24 SEPTEMBER, VARIOUS TIMES

Yan Yean Theatre 🕒 45mins 💰 \$20 each

Run away with the circus these school holidays!

Join the coaches from Circus Nexus for some fun circus activities and games including juggling, acrobalance, flower sticks, and more. This workshop helps build strength, coordination, confidence, social skills in a playful and supportive environment. Gain circus skills experience and have fun as each session is tailored to the age group and is open to all levels.

THE AUSTRALIAN BALLET

Seniors workshop

Channel the grace and beauty of ballet in a dance class for seniors based on movements and music of The Australian Ballet Education and Outreach productions.

The program's inclusive design ensures there are options for everyone aged 60+, regardless of ability or experience. Exercises follow the barre and centre format of a traditional ballet class and include references to the music and productions of The Australian Ballet.

The class will be taught with different movement options available, and is a great way to meet new people, so it's the perfect opportunity to give ballet a go!

WEDNESDAY 1 JULY,
2.30PM

Yan Yean Theatre

🕒 60mins

💰 \$20 each

📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
ages 60+



Positive Ageing services

Stay connected and thrive with Positive Ageing programs

The City of Whittlesea offers a vibrant range of social connection and positive ageing programs designed to keep you energised and engaged. Tailored for residents aged 50 and over, these activities promote physical health, mental wellbeing, and meaningful social interaction.

At the heart of these offerings is the Let Everyone Actively Participate (LEAP) program—Council's initiative providing affordable and enjoyable activities for older adults. Whether you're interested in music and dance, sports, recreation, exercise classes, or health and wellbeing, LEAP has something for everyone.

For those who love music and a good time, don't miss the Positive Ageing Morning Melodies events under their LEAP program. Held on the last Tuesday of each month and rotating between Wollert, Mernda and Thomastown, from 10am-12pm these lively mornings are filled with music, singalongs, dancing, and laughter. It's a fun and relaxed way to catch up with friends, connect with others, and enjoy performances from a variety of local artists throughout the year.

All programs are delivered by professional staff and volunteers in a welcoming and supportive environment. Whether you're joining through LEAP membership or a My Aged Care referral, there's something for everyone.



whittlesea.vic.gov.au/Services/Support-for-people/Seniors

For bookings and more information ☎ 03 9217 2170, Option 4



SPIKE THE ECHIDNA

School Holiday Event

Spike is an entertaining, fun and enchanting performance for children by acclaimed performance company, Little Wing Puppets!

Spike is the story of an echidna who is stolen from his nest by a greedy rat. He hatches from his egg far away from home. A young girl finds him. She is playing alone in the bush because she is being bullied by other children. He has no spikes yet and she doesn't know what kind of creature he is. She tries to work out where he comes from, but accidentally puts him in dangerous situations – in the nest of a crocodile, an emu and a turtle. He feels frightened, rejected, alone. As the story unfolds, she helps him to discover where he belongs, and he helps her to find her own "spikes" and stand up to the bullies.

Told with shadow puppetry and theatre, *Spike* is an interactive experience for the audience, with lively original music by Mal Webb.

**TUESDAY 30 JUNE,
11AM**

Woodstock Theatre

- 🕒 45mins
- 💰 \$20 full
\$16 child
\$54 family of four,
\$15 each for
a group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
ages 5 years +

Please note: Loud sounds,
flashing lights and
interactive elements.



THE FARMY FARM

School Holiday Event

The Farmy Farm has more going on than a chook in a worm farm!

Set in their favourite part of Australia, Legend Farms, join Kenny & Jenny for a day in the life of getting their jobs done with a tractor-load of circus and farming tomfoolery. It's "The Castle" meets "Babe" with jaw-dropping acrobatics on tall towers of hay, giant juggling carrots, fair dinkum high flying farmers and loads of laughs for everyone!

It's all in a day's work for our dead set legends and all round larrikins Kenny & Jenny - they've been doing this for years, still, you never know if they might need you to lend a hand!

Created by the team that brought you *Children Are Stinky* in collaboration with Stunned Mullet Circus. Showcase Victoria proudly supports *The Farmy Farm*. This project has been assisted by the Australian Government through Creative Australia, its arts funding and advisory body.

**TUESDAY 7 JULY,
11AM**

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 50mins
- 💰 \$20 full
\$16 child
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GINA HOGAN

Gems of Jazz, Morning Melodies

Australian songbird Gina Hogan has been taking Australia by storm for nearly a decade with her charisma, beauty, and talent.

Gina will delight audiences with *Gems of Jazz*, - an exciting showcase of timeless classics by Gershwin, Arlen, Berlin and Porter, with songs made famous by Ella Fitzgerald, Frank Sinatra, Peggy Lee, Dinah Washington, Nat King Cole and many more.

Gina is an acclaimed and multi-talented performer whose performed across the country with shows such as *The Women of the 60's*, *The Belles of Broadway*, *Night and Day* and *A Country Girl at Heart*.

Gina's compelling stage presence and beautiful 'voice of many colours' will leave you reminiscing and wanting more from this much-loved performer.

WEDNESDAY 8 JULY,
11AM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 70mins
- 💰 \$24 full
\$22 concession
\$20 each for a group of 10
- 🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
all ages, enjoyed by
older audiences.

Presented by
Curly Girl Productions

WURUNDJERI WEEK WAA PROJECTION

To honor Wurundjeri Week, the City of Whittlesea is proud to showcase a stunning projection of Waa (crow) by local Wurundjeri artist Alex Kerr.

From 3 – 9 August, this powerful image will light up the tower of PRACC each evening from 6pm.

Alex Kerr is a proud Wurundjeri man born and raised in Melbourne. He grew up immersed in his ancestors' stories, traditions, and customs, developing a profound appreciation for culture that continues to inspire his artistic journey today. His family's legacy has shaped his understanding of identity and place, influencing his approach to cultural design and storytelling through art.

Waa, the protector, will appear as a large figure, mid-flight, protecting the traditional lands and the people that gather on it. We invite everyone to experience this beautiful celebration of First Peoples culture, history, and tradition as you pass by PRACC on Ferres Boulevard.

MONDAY 3 –
SUNDAY 9 AUGUST,
6PM – 10PM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 💰 Free
- 🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
all ages.





CRESCENDO SCREEN CLASSICS

A community showcase event

Experience the extraordinary talent of the finest classical musicians from our region, bringing to life the music behind some of your favourite screen moments.

This exciting concert presents timeless classics with warmth, precision, and energy. Each piece is performed in its full beauty, allowing you to hear the music as it was written and feel its emotional power up close. Whether you're a devoted classical fan or simply love the melodies from film and television, this evening promises a captivating celebration of live classical music, blending artistry, skill, and the thrill of performance.

Enjoy a night of elegance, passion, and musical storytelling - the perfect outing for lovers of classical music and the magic of the screen.

**SATURDAY
22 AUGUST, 7PM**
Yan Yean Theatre

🕒 90mins
💰 \$15 full
\$10 concession
🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
all ages.



MELISSA LANGTON & MARK JONES

Top of the World, Morning Melodies

A celebration of the smooth, smooth sounds of the 70s!

What better way to celebrate the sweeter side of 70's pop than by spending a fun filled hour with Melissa Langton and Mark Jones - the Captain and Tennille of Australian Cabaret!

What a decade it was! The Carpenters had only just begun, ABBA were sending out an SOS, Helen Reddy was woman and we heard her roar! Featuring an avalanche of easy listening hits from The Carpenters, Olivia Newton-John, ABBA, Peter Allen, Carole King, Billy Joel, Barbra Streisand & Kermit The Frog!

Be charmed by this jolly duo as they play toe tapping classics that you'll be singing to yourself for days to come.

Warning: Show may contain traces of Mull of Kintyre!

**MONDAY 24 AUGUST,
11AM**

Yan Yean Theatre

🕒 70mins
💰 \$24 full
\$22 concession
\$20 each for a
group of 10
🌐 pracc.com.au

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BEAUTY AND THE BEAST

By Victorian State Ballet

A must see stunning full length classical ballet production of the traditional fairy-tale story!

One of the world's most loved fairy tale classics is retold through a superb production featuring classical ballet skill and choreography which honours the spirit of this magical story - an inspiring, entertaining and memorable experience for the whole family!

The Victorian State Ballets *Beauty & the Beast* features a top cast of leading classical ballet artists from across Australia and abroad. The choreography is rich with vibrant colour, virtue, sensibility, grace, intrigue and showcases the outstanding skill of the dancers.

Don't miss out on seeing all your favourite characters plus exhilarating solos and pas de deux from the stunning leading couple, the very moving transformation, grand waltz and ultimate happily ever after final scene!

**SATURDAY
19 SEPTEMBER, 7.30PM**

**SUNDAY
20 SEPTEMBER, 2PM**

Yan Yean Theatre

🕒 2.20hrs plus interval

💰 \$49 full
\$44 concession
\$35 child
\$160 family of 4

🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for all ages.

THE WOBBLY WALLABY

School Holiday Event

The Wobbly Wallaby just can't hop in a straight line, no matter how hard she tries! She is easily distracted and is often running late. She just does not seem to do things the way the other wallabies do.

The Wobbly Wallaby & the Absolute Bandicoot is a new, heartwarming children's production for 3-8 year olds and their families, based on the book by local author Prema Nishan.

Join Jem, Damo, Wobbly Wallaby, a Groovy Wombat, and the Absolute Bandicoot on this enchanting musical adventure - a tale of friendship and empathy, in a sensitively crafted celebration of neurodiversity. This joyful production has gained recognition for its "beautiful" and "thought-provoking" artistry, featuring skilled puppetry, catchy songs, lively dances, and plenty of interactive fun. This is a show guaranteed to capture the hearts of the entire family.

**TUESDAY
29 SEPTEMBER, 11AM**

Woodstock Theatre

🕒 50mins

💰 \$20 full
\$16 child
\$54 family of four,
\$15 each for a group of 10

🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for ages 5 years +

Please note: Loud sounds, flashing lights and interactive elements.

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RHONDA BURCHMORE

I Love Being Here With You, Seniors Festival Launch Event

Rhonda Burchmore will perform her show *I Love Being Here With You*, a tribute to the precious musical moments of her sparkling career.

Rhonda will sparkle on stage with renditions of some of her favourite songs including *When You Wish Upon A Star*, *Diamonds Are A Girls Best Friend* and *All That Jazz*.

Highlights of Rhonda's illustrious career include performing on London's West End in *Sugar Babies* featuring Mickey Rooney and Ann Miller, *Stop The World I Want To Get Off* with Anthony Newley, *Hot Shoe Shuffle* starring opposite David Atkins and opening Crown Casino with her cabaret spectacular *Red, Hot & Rhonda*.

Join us for this special show, to help launch the Seniors Festival 2026 and bare witness to the extraordinary talent that is Rhonda Burchmore!

"Sassy, full of brass and oozing class, Rhonda Burchmore is a showbiz force." – Glam Adelaide

WEDNESDAY
7 OCTOBER, 11AM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 70mins
- 💰 \$10 each
- 🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for
ages 50+

Victorian
Seniors
Festival



WOMEN OF WIT

A big night of laughs is coming with the Women of Wit!

Since 2018, Women of Wit has showcased the best in new, emerging and established women in stand-up comedy. Now it is time to bring the laughs to PRACC!

Past acts have included Claire Hooper, Alex Ward, Geraldine Hickey, Prue Blake, He Huang, Emma Holland, Dannielle Walker, and Kirsty Webeck.

We'll be announcing the 2026 line-up closer to the date, with special guests, new faces and a lot of laughs. Relax with friends, enjoy a casual night out and enjoy an evening of side splitting comedy.

SATURDAY
31 OCTOBER, 7.30PM

Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 90mins
- 💰 \$35 full
\$32 concession
\$30 each for a
group of 10
- 🌐 pracc.com.au

Recommended for people
aged 15 years or older.

Please note: Performances often contain coarse language, adult themes, sexual references and material that may offend.

Presented by Comedy Victoria





LUCY DURACK CHRISTMAS SHOW

Morning Melodies

Australian star of stage and screen, Lucy Durack will ring in the holiday season with heart-warming numbers in this feel-good musical event.

Experience the joy of the festive season with a morning of much-loved Christmas classics and a sprinkling of theatre favourites that everyone can sing along to including *Silent Night*, *All I Want for Christmas*, and *O Holy Night*.

Lucy Durack rose to critical acclaim in the Australian productions of *Wicked* as Glinda, and in *Legally Blonde: The Musical* as Elle Woods. Lucy has also appeared in *Neighbours*, *The Masked Singer Australia*, and as a judge on *Australia's Got Talent*.

Morning Melodies invites people of all ages to share the spirit of the season and enjoy live music in a relaxed atmosphere, with a program of nostalgia, festive favourites, and beloved theatre tunes.

WEDNESDAY
16 DECEMBER, 11AM
Yan Yean Theatre

- 🕒 70mins
- 💰 \$24 full
\$22 concession
\$20 each for a group of 10
- 📍 pracc.com.au

Recommended for all ages, enjoyed by older audiences.



EMPOWERING
YOUNG PEOPLE

Youth Services

City of Whittlesea Youth Services provides programs, support, and opportunities for young people aged 8–25 who live, work, study, or spend time in our community.

Our Youth Workers deliver a wide range of activities in schools, libraries, community centres, and youth spaces, as well as free and low-cost events during every school holiday period. In 2025, we've expanded to include children in the Middle Years (8–12), alongside ongoing programs for young people up to 25.

We value and empower young people by supporting wellbeing, leadership, and connection. A key part of this is our Youth Council, a formal advisory group of young people aged 12–22 who represent the voice of young people across our municipality.

Whether it's developing skills, meeting new people, or having a say on local issues, City of Whittlesea Youth Services is here for young people and families.



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