

What's On in the Towong Shire

November 2023

4WD tracks reopening from 2 November 2023 | Country Huts | Fishing

Three Bridges at Tooma Boutique Market **Saturday 4 November 2023** **10am**
Tooma Park, opposite the Tooma Inn

Indulge yourself when you experience the attractions and atmosphere of the [Three Bridges Boutique Markets](#) set along the grassy banks of the Mannus Creek of Tooma in rural NSW. This boutique market features quality food and local beverages of the region, with a beautiful range of high-quality local products including local wines, fashion, home wares, jewellery, fresh flowers from over 40 stalls. With live music and free kids' entertainment, this [annual market](#) is a calendar highlight.

Victorian Long Weekend | Wildflowers | Scenic Lookouts | Walks | Waterfalls

Upper Murray Farmers Market **Saturday 11 November 2023** **9am – 12pm**
Attree Centre, Corryong

The refreshing spring weather is reason enough to indulge in the Upper Murray but its even better when the morning involves the [Upper Murray Farmers Market](#). Showcasing local and fresh seasonal produce, a wide array of local preserves, cakes, plants, arts, crafts, and much more. Bring the kids, the dog and your visitors for a heartwarming and friendly November market, connecting directly with farmers, growers, makers, and producers of the Upper Murray region.

Remembrance Day | Saturday 11 November 2023

Mitta Valley Gravel Unravel **Saturday 11 & Sunday 12 November 2023**
Mitta Mitta Brewing Co.

Let the woven threads that are the scenic gravel roads in the Mitta Mitta Valley be a joyful discovery to you and your friends over this two-day gravel riding weekend. The [Mitta Valley Gravel Unravel](#) features two routes to choose from on the Saturday, and a premium gravel loop on Sunday this is the perfect getaway for the entire crew. For 2023, the added edition of deluxe glamping packages will help you take the stress out of the weekend. With event timing you can choose to ride with or race against your mates. Rides over both days!

Dances of Disney **Sunday 12 November 2023** **4pm**
Corryong Memorial Hall

Through movement and music, Upper Murray Dance Inc. proudly presents Dances of Disney 2023. Showcasing local talent through solo and group performances across a range of dance styles, this event is sure to please and inspire those of any age with a love of Disney.



Playles Hill Official Opening
Playles Hill, Corryong

Sunday 12 November 2023

11am – 2pm

Playles Hill like you've never seen it before! Join us for the official opening of Playles Hill. With market stalls, face painting and kids activities, catering, quality coffee and beverages by Cozza Coffee Van, music and more! Meet the Artist, Kat Brown, who's adaptation of "A View Through the Valley" is situated in the rotunda, bring your bike (or bikes available) to make the most of onsite coaching support, with transport for the bottom to top of the mountain bike trail. In the wake of the 2019/20 bushfires, the Playles Hill Working Group, with support from Council and local community groups, have put a lot of work into creating a beautiful botanical park. Their collective efforts have resulted in a great place for locals and visitors to connect, which offers a range of amenities, including a walking track, mountain bike trail, informative signage, and visitor facilities such as a viewing platform, shade structure and much more.

Dartmouth Women's Fishing Classic 2023 Friday 17 & Saturday 18 November

Dartmouth Dam, Mitta Valley

One of the leading national events for women's fishing in Australia and reputedly the biggest, the Dartmouth Women's Fishing Classic has numerous registration options and a great cash prize up for grabs! Catch and photograph sections open for individual, pair, team and club registration. Why not bring the kids? After a successful, there will be great junior prizes for the girls and boys. Friday night dress up night and Saturday night presentation with band will rounds out a full 2023 event!

Strzelecki Memorial Unveiling
Corryong Memorial Hall

Sun 18 November – Tue 20 November 2023

On the 150th anniversary of his death, the Strzelecki Memorial Unveiling will occur at Towong Hill Rd from 10am Saturday 18 November, in memory of Polish explorer Sir Paul Edmund de Strzelecki. Followed by reception and concert at the Corryong Memorial Hall from 11am, you will be able to experience a special exhibition of the best photographs from the Fine Art Strzelecki 2023 competition. Strzelecki and his team hold on a special place in the history of the Upper Murray, having passed through this district in March 1840 enroute to what would soon after become known as Gippsland. While here, he detoured to climb and name Mt Kosciuszko. Polish-Aboriginal Fraternity Flights over Mt Townsend and Mt Kosciuszko will lift off from 10am Friday 19 November, followed by an Artistic Program including Kosciuszko Heritage Production films screening till late. Please rsvp to ernestyna@kosciuszkoheritage.com by 15 November to secure your place.

Walwa Community Markets
Walwa Hotel Beer Garden

Saturday 18 November 2023

9am – 12pm

In the shady beer garden of the Walwa Hotel, you can find your quintessential country community market. Combining charming country hospitality with the discovery of fresh herbs, plants, flowers, knick-knacks, preserves, creations for the garden and home, the Walwa Community Market is treasure to uncover. Savour a hot cuppa from the general store as you browse the market stalls, and don't forget to stay for a delicious lunch at the hotel.



**Long Lunch at Towong Racecourse
Towong Racecourse**

Saturday 18 November 2023

11am-2:30pm

The Long Lunch at Towong Racecourse celebrates the pristine Upper Murray environment and its vibrant communities. Head along and experience the Upper Murray for yourself; explore a piece of Victoria's High-Country renown for yielding premium produce, staggering natural beauty, and its slow lifestyle. Set amongst the splendour of the historic Towong racecourse, and catered for by the acclaimed Pickled Parrot Providore, our three-course feast is set to excite your taste buds. To complement the culinary experience, choose from a selection of regional craft beers, spirits, and wines. Savour each bite and sip whilst enjoying live music and genuine hospitality. You may even like to try your luck in the Dash in Silks hobby horse steeplechase! [Tickets on sale now!](#)

Ladbroken Distilling Co. presents Vintage Mixers: Shrub Making

Black Sheep Café, Corryong

Saturday 18 November 2023

4pm – 5pm

Discover the intriguing world of shrubs, a blend of culinary history and traditional craftsmanship that has experienced a revival in recent years. Shrubs are vintage mixers that combine various plants, sugar, and apple cider vinegar to create a unique flavour profile. They offer a refreshing departure from the typical use of lemons and limes for acidity and are a far cry from overly sweet juices. During this workshop, you will have the opportunity to craft your own bespoke shrub mixture, gain the skills to experiment further and leave with your own personalised shrub mix. Coupled with your [Long Lunch at Towong Racecourse](#) experience, there is no time like the present to book your spot!

Pinot & Picasso

Saturday 18 November 2023

11am – 1pm

Upper Murray Events Centre, Corryong

At [Pinot & Picasso](#), the emphasis is on entertainment and involvement rather than expertise. Allowing plenty of space for your inner Picasso to unleash creativity onto canvas, by the end of each session, even those who may not consider themselves artistic, will leave with their own unique masterpiece. Savour the experience with a glass of fine wine from Websters Estate as you paint. A wonderful opportunity for a prelude to the [Long Lunch at Towong Racecourse](#).

Websters Estate presents Lab Rats Prosecco cocktail making class

Davis Cottage, Corryong

Sunday 19 November 2023

2pm – 3:30pm

Savour some exceptional Prosecco cocktails straight from the creativity of the winemakers at Webster's Estate. In the beautiful setting of Davis Cottage, Webster's viticulturalist will guide you through crafting two delightful cocktails. Greeted with a welcoming drink and treat you to delectable nibbles infused with their Prosecco, embark on an exclusive Prosecco cocktail journey filled with mouthwatering experiments. Secure your spot now for an unforgettable tasting adventure and an hour of fantastic fun. A perfect weekend pairing with the [Long Lunch at Towong Racecourse](#).



Summer is just around the corner!

- 1 December 'Go for Goal' Paragliding event
- 2 December 'Queen Forever' Freddie Mercury Tribute feat. Greg Gould – TICKETS ON SALE NOW!
- 2 December Peninsula Seasonal Markets Special Christmas Market, Talgarno
- 3 December Carols by Candlelight, Bellbridge
- 9 December Upper Murray Farmers Market
- 9 December North East Battle of the Bands, Tallangatta
- 15 December Carols by Candlelight, Tallangatta
- 16 December Walwa Community Market
- 22 December Carols by Candlelight, Corryong
- 29 December Nariel Creek Folk Festival kicks off!

Something new for 2024!

In addition to this regular highlight of wonderful events across the Towong Shire – Upper Murray, Mitta Mitta and Lake Hume - a full 2024 calendar of events is being brought to you in a single downloadable and shareable location. Keep your eyes on this space!

Share your event far and wide - Want your event on the Towong Tourism 'What's On'?

If you have an event coming up in the Upper Murray, the Corryong Visitors Information Centre would love to know so that they can assist in promoting it to visitors and locals alike. Drop in a flyer or contact Corryong Visitor Information Centre. 50 Hanson Street, Corryong Monday to Saturday, 9am to 5pm, Sunday 11am to 3pm 02 6076 2277 vic@towong.vic.gov.au
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