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Every Thursday - Monday Eastern Air Services Seaplane Adventure and Whale Spotting Flights

9.00am to 4.00pm - Depending on weather conditions www.easternairservices.com.au Ph: 1300 359 327

Every Day - Affinity Helicopters -Helicopter Scenic Flights

9.00am to 5.00pm - Bookings via www.affinityhelicopters.com.au Ph: 0423 548 938

Every Day - Port Macquarie Koala Hospital

Lord Street, Port Macquarie www.koalahospital.org.au Ph: 02 6584 1522

Every Day - Ricardoes Tomatoes & Strawberries

Open Seven Days - Café, Pick your own strawberries 221 Blackmans Point Road, Blackmans Point, Port Macquarie instagram@ricardoestomatoes Ph: 02 6585 0663

Every Day - Hello Koalas Sculpture Trail

Follow trail map (available from Glasshouse Visitor Information Centre or online) to find Koala sculptures dotted around the region. www.hellokoalas.com Ph: 0416 641 482

Every Day - Beach to Bush Trike Tours

9.00am to 5.00pm Port Macquarie www.beachtobushtriketours.com.au Ph: 0413 937 303

Every Day - Billabong Zoo - Port Macquarie

9.00am to 5.00pm - Personal Animal Encounters Book online Ph: 02 6585 1060 www.billabongzoo.com.au/book-now

Every Day - Billabong Zoo - Function Centre -Port Macquarie

Book a private or corporate function in a unique setting, for breakfast, lunch or dinner. Fully licensed bar. Enquire today. www.billabongzoo.com.au Ph: 02 6585 1060

Every Day - Bago Maze & Wine

9.00am to 5.00pm - Milligans Road, Herons Creek Bookings online are requested www.bago.com.au Ph: 02 6585 7099

Every Day - Escape the Expected - Self-Guided Walks

Port Macquarie (See website for days, as times of walks vary) www.escapetheexpected.com.au Ph: 0457 178 796

Every Day - Facade Escape Room

Open Wed-Sunday, School Holidays, Open Seven Days Bookings Recommended, Book online at façade-escape.com.au Peachtree Arcade Shop 13 78 Horton Street Port Macquarie Ph: 02 5590 0023

Every Day - Hydro Golf & 27 Hole Putt Putt

10.00am to 4.00pm - 7 days a week 10-20 Boundary Street, Port Macquarie - bookings only required for groups 10+ (no bookings required otherwise) www.hydrogolf.com.au Ph: 02 6583 3200

Every Day - Wave Bowl + The Terrace (on the deck)

159 Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie Summer Hrs: Mon-Sat 9.00am until late | Sun 10.00am to 6.00pm Ph: 02 6583 2238 Check website for bookings - www.wavebowl.com.au

Every Day - Port Macquarie Driving Range & Mini Golf

3 Lindfield Park Rd, Port Macquarie 9.00am to 5.30pm Every Day - No booking required www.portmacquariegolfrange.com.au Ph: 02 6581 0925

Every Day - Cassegrain Wine Cellar Door Open for Tastings

10 Winery Drive, Port Macquarie www.cassegrainwines.com.au Ph: 02 6582 8300

Every Day - Kendall Craft Co-op - Gift Shop

10am until 3pm daily – Railway Station Email: Craftatkendall@gmail.com Ph: (02) 6559 4644

Every Monday - Saturday Port Macquarie Museum

10.00am to 3.30pm - Clarence Street, Port Macquarie www.portmuseum.org.au Ph: 02 6583 1108

Every Monday & Thursday - Indoor Bowls

1.00pm - Seniors Facility - 43 Munster Street, Port Macquarie Bookings essential for non-members Ph: 02 6583 7149

Every Tuesday - Real Food Markets

From 12.00pm Port Central/Glasshouse Forecourt Email: portcustomerservice@gowings.com Ph: 02 5525 1003 www.portcentralshopping.com.au/real-food-markets

Every Tuesday - Sunday - Long Point Vineyard Cellar Door Open for Tastings

10-00am- 5.00pm 6 Cooinda Place, Lake Cathie www.longpointvineyard.com.au Ph: 02 6585 4598

Every Wednesday Rapidfire Speedball Indoor Bazooka

5.30pm till 8.00pm 10 Chestnut Road, Port Macquarie Ph: 02 5526 0485 www.planetxportmacquarie.com.au

Every 4th Saturday of the Month (except Nov - Dec) Port Writers Gathering

1-4 pm at the Rotary Club Community Centre, 198 Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie Email :portwritersinc@gmail.com www.portwriters.com.au

Every Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday (ex. Public Holidays)

9.30am - 'Uncovering Our Past' Walking Tour - Historic Cemetery Bookings essential: Ph: 0447 429 016 www.pmheritage.com.au/walking-tours

Every Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday (ex. Public Holidays)

2.00pm - 'Grave Tales' Walking Tour - Historic Cemetery Bookings essential: Ph: 0447 429 016 www.pmheritage.com.au/walking-tours

Every Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday - Planet X, Port Macquarie, Recreational Skating & more!

8.30am to 8.00 pm *Note times may vary 10 Chestnut Road, Port Macquarie Ph: 02 5526 0485 www.planetxportmacquarie.com.au

Every Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday - Douglas Vale Historic Homestead & Vineyard

10.00am to 3.00pm - Homestead Tours, Wine Tastings & Cheese Platters. 235 Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie www.douglasvale.com.au Ph: 02 6584 3792

Every Thursday to Sunday - Hastings Fine Art Gallery

10.00am till 2.00pm - 2 William St, Port Macquarie www.hastingsvalleyart.net.au Facebook: Hastings Fine Art Gallery

Every Thursday to Sunday Pinot & Picasso - Paint, Sip, Laugh!

Check website for dates & times. Bookings Essential www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie

Every Thursday to Monday - Level Up 18+

From 5.00pm to 9.00pm - Delicious New Food Menu 128 William St, Port Macquarie Email: info@leveluppmq.com.au www.leveluppmq.com.au

Every Friday - Crafting Connections Sunset Framing & Gallery

10.00am - 12.00pm No bookings required 2/25 Central Rd Port Macquarie www.sunsetgallery.com.au Ph: 02 6583 4100

Every Friday - Black Duck Brewery - Pizza & Live Music Night

5.00pm to 8.00pm - Every Friday Ph: 0477 447 467 www.facebook.com/theblackduckbrewery

Every Friday and Saturday - Level Up 18+

9.00pm - DJ until late 128 William Street, Port Macquarie Email: info@leveluppmq.com.au www.leveluppmq.com.au

Every Saturday - Tandem Skydiving

from 8.00am at Skydive Port Macquarie, 12 Abbott Close Port Macquarie Bookings essential: www.skydiveportmacquarie.com.au Ph: 0455 283 835

Every Saturday - Mid North Coast Fire Museum

10.00am 12 Stevens Street, Port Macquarie www.facebook.com/MNCMuseum

Every Saturday - All Age Disco Fever

6.30-9.30pm Planet X Chestnut Road Port Macquarie www.planetxportmacquarie.com.au Ph: 02 5526 0485

Every Saturday - Rotary Pre-Loved Book Sale (except P/Hols)

9.00am - 1.00pm - Rotary Hall, 198 Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie

Every Saturday -- Marina Yoga

7.15am - 8.00am River End Port Macquarie Marina behind Dragon Boat Storage, Park Street, Port Macquarie facebook.com/marinayogapmq

Every Day Senior Citizens Activities Happening

Check Out Seniors Citizens Programme 43 Munster Street, Port Macquarie Ph: 6583 7149

Every 2nd Saturday - Wauchope - Bonsai Workshop Group

10.00am till 12.00pm - Rotary Hall, Oxley Lane, Wauchope Email: wauchope.bonsai@gmail.com



MEET NAOMI HUNTER FROM HEM PROPERTY

Naomi has been a part of our local community for quite a while and on the board of GPMTA. Naomi has lived in Port Macquarie for 37 years and a Board Member for 4 years.

Moving to Port Macquarie 37 years ago Naomi can never see herself leaving. She is one of the Directors at HEM Property and is so proud of their business which they opened 5 years ago. They now employ 15 staff and specialise in residential sales and property management.

Naomi has been on the Tourism Board for 4 years and became involved as she believes it doesn't matter what business you have in our amazing region, we all benefit from Tourism and without this, the town would be completely different.

Naomi loves the diversity which our region offers- there is something for everyone! You can swim, surf, walk, hike, indulge in several wineries, cruise up the river, have cultural experiences and visit the zoo...plus there's plenty more! HEM is very involved in our community. Naomi is the major sponsor of the Port Macquarie Golf Club plus supports Saints Soccer and Port City Breakers Juniors RLFC.

The events that HEM are super proud to be the major sponsors of are, the Mother's Day Classic plus the Ride the Wave Surf and Skate Festival. They also engage the youth by running their annual, design our SOLD Sticker competition which brings out the budding artists and sees their schools receiving a donation for their Arts Department.

Naomi loves to do the Coastal Walk most Sundays plus she does boot camp through the week at Town Beach. She has recently started running which is another great way to truly appreciate how lucky we are to live in paradise!



WEEKLY EVENTS



Arthouse Industries - Various Creative Classes

Check website to find class dates & times www.arthouseindustries.com.au Ph: 0403 515 622

The Seed Creative Workshops - Fantastic Range of Various Creative Classes

Resin, pottery, painting and jewellery workshops - Check the website for class dates & times www.theseedcreativeworkshops.com Ph: 0447 114 796

Grow Farm Tours - Toms Creek – Sustainable Gardening & Living

Bookings: email - growsustainableliving@gmail.com www.growsustainableliving.com

Port AdVenture Cruises Rhythm Boat

Town Wharf (end of Clarence Street, Port Macquarie) Check the website for dates & times Ph: 0434 393 199 Bookings essential: www.cruiseportmacquarie.com.au

Port Jet Cruises

Whale Watching Cruise - Daily Sunset River Cruise & Dolphin Spotting - Daily Lunch River Cruise & Dolphin Spotting - Tues/Thurs/Sat Eco River Cruise & Dolphin Spotting - Wed/Fri Ocean Blast Fun Ride – Wed/Sat/Sun On Jetty - 1 Short Street, Port Macquarie Check the website for dates & times Ph: 0419 620 765 Bookings essential: www.portjet.com.au

Port Sailing - Sailing Cruises on 'Seawindow'

Port Macquarie Marina - 18 Park Street, Port Macquarie Bookings essential: www.portsailing.com.au Ph: 0428 800 607

Join us on board "Seawindow" for a lunch overlooking Town Green and a sail up the river with great views. Email or phone us for more information.

Maxx Family Fun Centre - Slot Car racing, Golf, Racing Car & Clay Pigeon Simulators, Virtual Reality Room and MORE!

2/61 Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie www.maxxfamilyfuncentre.com.au OR www.facebook.com/ MAXXRaceCentre Ph: 6584 3145

Port Macquarie 'Street Libraries'

Holy Goat Coffee - 5/8 Merrigal Road, Port Macquarie The Shack - 1 Munster Street, Port Macquarie Miss Nellies Café - 33 River Street, Kendall Shelbourne Place - Port Macquarie Joeys House Early Education Centre - 4 Walters Street, Port Macquarie

Please note that all advertised dates are subject to change - check relevant websites

Beach House - 2 Horton Street. **Port Macquarie**

Ph: 02 65846011 www.beachhouse.net.au

Beechwood Hotel - 735 Beechwood Road, Beechwood

Ph: 02 6585 6170 www.beechwoodhotel.com.au

Black Duck Brewery - 6B Acacia Rd, Port Macquarie

Ph: 0477 447 467 www.blackduckbrewery.com.au

Bonny Hills Beach Hotel 2445/1045 Ocean Dr, **Bonny Hills**

www.bonnyhillsbeachhotel.com Ph: 02 6585 4999

Club Lake Cathie - 45 Evans Street, Lake Cathie

Every Friday Night Music from 6.00pm Ph: 02 6585 5701 www.lakecathiebowlingclub.com.au

Club North Haven – 1 Woodford Road, North Haven

Friday night Live music Ph: 02 6559 9150 www.clubnorthhaven.com.au

Fernhill Tavern - 4 Jindalee Rd, Port Macquarie

Ph: 02 6581 0377 www.fernhilltavern.com.au

Finnians Irish Pub - 97 Gordon Street Port Macquarie Ph: (02) 6582 3939 www.tackingpointtavern.com.au

Ph: 02 6583 4646 www.finnians.com.au

Hibbard Sports Club - 20 Boundary Street, **Port Macquarie**

Ph: 02 6583 4646 www.hibbardsportsclub.com.au

Lake Cathie Tavern - 1609 Ocean Drive Lake Cathie

Ph: 02 6584 8024 www.lakecathietavern.com.au

Laurieton United Services Club - 2 Seymour Street, Laurieton

Ph: 02 6559 9110 'Weekly Raffles' www.laurietonclub.com.au

Level Up - 128 William St, Port Macquarie

5.00pm - 9.00pm Thursday - Monday Food and Beverage 9.00pm - until late Friday and Saturday featuring DJ Music

Long Flat Pub and Bistro 5014 Oxley Hwy, Long Flat

Ph: (02) 6587 4495 Check venue's Facebook for event details

Moorebeer Brewing Co - 18/ 35 Merrigal Rd, **Port Macquarie**

PUBS, CLUBS & BREWERIES

Port City Bowling Club - Owen Street, **Port Macquarie**

Weekend Vibes - Live music Every Friday & Saturday night Ph: 02 6583 1133 www.portcity.com.au

Panthers Port Macquarie - 1 Bay Street, **Port Macquarie**

Live Music in The Tapp Bar - Fri /Sat from 5.30pm & Sun from 1.00pm Ph: 6580 2300 www.portmacquarie.panthers.com.au

Port Macquarie Golf Club - Ocean Drive, **Port Macquarie**

Ph: 02 6582 0409 www.portmacquariegolf.com.au

Royal Hotel Kew - 2 Ocean Drive, Kew

Ph: 02 65594099 www.royalhotelkew.com.au

Settlers Inn - Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie

Ph: 02 6583 3100 www.settlersinn.com.au

Tacking Point Tavern, 102A Ocean Drive, **Port Macquarie**

Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope

Live Music every Sunday 1.30pm 4, 11, 18 & 25 September Happy Dave, Nikki Rudge, Pure Acoustic & Young Floyd Ph: 02 6585 3020 www.wauchopecountrvclub.com.au

Wauchope RSL Club - Young Street, Wauchope

Check website for Bingo, Membership Draws & Raffles Ph: 02 6585 2244 www.wauchopersl.com.au

Wicked Elf Beer - 1/58 Uralla Road, Port Macquarie

Ph: 02 6581 3949 Thurs 12-5pm, Fri/Sat 12-8pm www.wickedelf.com.au

WEEKLY TRIVIA

- Every Monday Lake Cathie Tavern 7:00pm
- Every Tuesday The Westport Club 6:30pm
- Every Tuesday Tacking Point Tavern 7.00pm
- · Every Wednesday Settlers Inn 7.00pm
- Every Wednesday Port City Bowling Club 7.00pm
- Every Thursday Port Macquarie Panthers 7.00pm

Check venues website and Facebook pages for additional information.

Ph: 0466 628 640 - Live Music Fri/Sat www.moorebeer.com.au

WORKS IN MOTION TO 'SWITCH ON SEYMOUR'

Media release



Port Macquarie Hastings Council has commenced works on an innovative program to revitalise the Laurieton Town Centre and 'Switch on Seymour'.

The Switch on Seymour project looks to create exciting places for locals to visit, stay, connect, and explore within the Laurieton town centre and create a stronger draw for visitors while boosting the town's economic and cultural profile.

The Seymour St corridor, between Bold and Lake Streets, will be temporarily staged to host a six-month activation program, with provisional improvements in motion to enhance the local atmosphere and opportunities for social connection.

Works have begun, with the first vibrant addition to the town now on show. Two local, Indigenous artists were commissioned to install the first of many public art installations, intended to tell the town's unique story.

The mural takes inspiration from Camden Haven's natural environment, with North Brother Mountain and the Camden Haven River incorporated in its design.

Temporary road closures of Seymour St will occur throughout September to allow works to continue and prepare the street for the activation period. Among the works, residents can expect to see 'parklets' installed to expand outdoor dining and meeting spaces, and beautification works including the addition of new planting beds, public art installations and upgraded amenities.

Port Macquarie Hastings Council, Mayor Peta Pinson says that she is excited to see Laurieton's unique character broadcasted and celebrated. "When developing the Laurieton Town Centre masterplan, locals shared that Seymour St was their preferred location for a temporary streetscape upgrade and event space," said Mayor Pinson.

"I'm thrilled to see this project come to life and to have secured State Government funding to create a space made for people, that drives community connection and pride in our place."

Port Macquarie Hastings Council was successful in their bid for \$500,000 in funding to bring the project to fruition, provided by the NSW Department of Planning and Environment Streets through their award-winning Shared Spaces program.

A call for expressions of interest has recently closed to engage local groups, organisations and residents to host activities that add colour and movement to the precinct during the six-month activation program. A myriad of local artists, businesses, community groups and performers have put their hands up to be involved in the activation program, which will be finalised and available in the coming weeks.

Works under the Switch on Seymour project are expected to be completed by late September, in time for the activation program to commence from Friday 7 October, 2022.

For more information about the project, visit https://www.pmhc.nsw.gov.au/Switch-on-Seymour.

The Switch on Seymour project is Proudly funded by the NSW Government through the Streets as Shared Spaces program.

To contact the PMHC Communications team: Call: 0412 769 454 Email: communications@pmhc.nsw.gov.au

SPECIAL EVENTS

26 September – 7 October - Hastings Photography Group Exhibition.

9:30am –6pm weekdays Saturday 9:00am - 2:00pm - Port Macquarie Library For further information Ph 6581 8755

26 September – 7 October - School Holiday Activities – Check out the library website for loads of fun school holiday activities.

2:00pm – 4 October - Port Macquarie Library Ph: 02 6581 8755 Please register at: mnclibrary.org.au/?s=school+holidays&id=831

1 October – Family Friendly Paint Party – Cotton Candy Skies

11.00am – 1.00pm – 6/23-41 Short Street, Port Macquarie www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie/session/49-family-friendly-cotton-candy-skies/ Bookings Essential

1 October – Traditional Aboriginal Weaving with a Fun Twist

12.30pm – 3.30pm @ Sea Scouts Hall, 9 Buller St PMQ Ph/Txt 0434 464 646 or msg Cooeee Sistas Art Facebook page

1 October – Manhattan Short Film Festival

7.30pm – 9.30pm Glasshouse Theatre, Clarence Street, Port Macquarie www.glasshouse.org.au Ph: 02 6581 8888

1 October – Pottery Bowl Workshop

6.00pm - 8.00pm Seed Creative – Unit 3, 6 Belah Road, Port Macquarie

www.theseedcreativeworkshops.com Ph: 02 6581 1532

1 October – Camden Haven Country Music Fundraiser

4.00pm Laurieton United Services Club, 2 Seymour Street, Laurieton

www.laurietonclub.com.au Ph: 02 6559 9110

2 October – Gary King

1.30pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

2 October – Beach to Brother Trail Running Festival

6.00am – 2.30pm Town Beach, Stewart Street, Port Macquarie www.beachtobrother.com.au Ph: 0413 760 899

2 October – Family Friendly Paint Party – The Magic Castle

11.00am – 1.00pm – 6/23-41 Short Street, Port Macquarie www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie/session/the-magic-castle Bookings Essential

2 October – Besty & Nikki Rudge

1.00pm Long Flat Pub and Bistro 5014 Oxley Hwy, Long Flat Ph: (02) 6587 4495

2 & 16 October – Sunday Strum Days - Douglas Vale Historic Homestead & Vineyard (First & Third Sunday each month)

1.00pm to 3.00pm – 235 Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie Facilitated by Port Macquarie guitar teacher and performer Damon Winter - Limited free participant places. Email Damon to register your interest: DamonWinter@email.com www.douglasvale.com.au Ph: 6584 3792

4 October – Kids Paint Party – Alex the Lion from Madagascar

10.00am – 12.00pm – 6/23-41 Short Street, Port Macquarie www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie/session/alex-the-lion Bookings Essential

5 October – Kids Bingo

4.30pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

6 October – Kids & Teens – Decked Out! Design your own skate deck with paint pens!

10.00am – 12.00pm – 6/23-41 Short Street, Port Macquarie www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie/session/ decked-out-x-pinot-picasso Bookings Essential

6 October – Junior Zookeeper for the Day

9.00am – 3.00pm Billabong Zoo - 1 Billabong Drive, Port Macquarie www.billabongzoo.com.au Ph: 02 6585 1060

7 October – 'Dinner In The Vines' with Live Music

7.00pm – 10.00pm Little Fish Café, 147 The Ruins Way, Port Macquarie www.littlefishcafe.com.au Ph: 02 6581 1332

7 October – Sydney Comedy Festival Showcase

8.00pm – 9.45pm Glasshouse Theatre, Clarence Street, Port Macquarie www.glasshouse.org.au Ph: 02 6581 8888

7 October – Carlton Dry Port Macquarie Cup Race Day

11.30am Port Macquarie Race Club, Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie www.portmacquarieraceclub.com.au Ph: 02 6581 1964

7 October - Salsa Night

6-5.45pm Lessons -The Basement 7-10pm Social Tapp Bar Port Macquarie Panthers Bay Street, Port Macquarie www.portmacquariepanthers.panthers.com.au Ph: 02 6580 2300

7 October – Pixar Themed Trivia

The Westport Club, 25 Buller Street, Port Macquarie Bookings recommended www.thewestportclub.com.au Ph: 02 6588 7201

7 October – Happy Dave

7.00pm-10.00pm Hibbard Sports Club 20 Boundary Street, Port Macquarie www.hibbardsportsclub.com.au Ph: 02 6584 9276

8 October – Mosaic Workshop

2.00pm Seed Creative – Unit 3, 6 Belah Road, Port Macquarie www.theseedcreativeworkshops.com Ph: 02 6581 1532

8 October – Steeline Race Day

11.30am Port Macquarie Race Club, Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie www.portmacquarieraceclub.com.au Ph: 02 6581 1964

8 October – Random Weave Bowl/Platter/Sculpture Workshop

12.30pm – 3.30pm @ Sea Scouts Hall, 9 Buller St PMQ Ph/Txt 0434 464 646 or msg Cooeee Sistas Art Facebook page

8 October – Nathan 'Whippy' Griggs

8.00pm - Beechwood Hotel - 735 Beechwood Road, Beechwood www.beechwoodhotel.com.au Ph: 02 6585 6170

8 - 16 October – Oktoberfest at Tacking Point Tavern

Tacking Point Tavern, Cnr Ocean & Emerald Drives, Port Macquarie www.takingpointtavern.com.au Ph: 02 6582 3939

8 & 9 October- Gardenista

9.30am – 4.00pm Comboyne Memorial Hall plus various private gardens, 7-9 Comboyne Street, Comboyne www.creativecomboyne.com.au/ Ph: 0428 400 686

9 October –Ken Macarthur & Lili Munday" on the Pergola

11.30am-- 2.30pm Bago Vineyards, Wauchope Ph: 02 6585 7099 www.bagovineyards.com.au Charges apply for Maze Entry

9 October – Pure Acoustic

1.30pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

11 October – 4 Week Advanced Resin Course

10.00am Seed Creative – Unit 3, 6 Belah Road, Port Macquarie www.theseedcreativeworkshops.com Ph: 02 6581 153

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10.00am Seed Creative – Unit 3, 6 Belah Road, Port Macquarie www.theseedcreativeworkshops.com Ph: 02 6581 153

11 October-Join Rachel Blacker in conversation with Leanne as they discuss Rachel's book 'Finding the One'

6:00pm – Port Macquarie Library Meeting Room -Please register at: mnclibrary.org.au/event/rachel-blackerauthor-visit-stories-behind-the-storyteller Ph:: 02 6581 8755

11 October-Join the Kanopy Film Club for a viewing of 'The Healer' Comedy/Drama

10:00am – Morning tea provided -Port Macquarie Library Meeting Room Ph: 02 6581 8755 Register at: mnclibrary.org.au/event/the-healer-kanopy-film-club

11 & 25 October Mothers Group - connecting Mums

10am-11am Billabong Zoo 81 Billabong Drive Port Macquarie www.billabongzoo.com.au Ph: 02 6585 1060

12 & 26 October - Mobile Library Van @ Sovereign Hills (15 Chancellors Drive, Thrumster)

10:00am - 12noon - mnclibrary.org.au/van Ph: 02 6581 8755

13 & 27 October - Mobile Library Van @ Lake Cathie (Lake Cathie Community Centre Lot 3 Mulloway Drive)

10:00am - 12noon - mnclibrary.org.au/van Ph: 02 6581 8755

14 October – Dreams – Fleetwood Mac & Stevie Nicks Tribute

8.30pm Laurieton United Services Club, 2 Seymour Street, Laurieton Ph: 02 6559 91 https://lusc.sales.ticketsearch.com/sales/salesevent/75494

15 &16 October – Fox Superflow

9.00am - 3.30pm Jolly Nose MTB Park at Queens Lake State Forest, Spring Creek Road, Bonny Hills https://rockytrailentertainment.com/fox-superflow-sealed-bystans/nswact/jollynose / Ph: 0403 090 952

15 October -Join Alan Leek in conversation with Leanne as they discuss Alan's book 'Rat in the Ranks'

2:30pm – Port Macquarie Library Meeting Room -Ph: 02 6581 8755

Please register at: mnclibrary.org.au/event/https-mnclibraryorg-au-event-alan-leek-author-visit-stories-behind-thestorytellers/

15 & 16 October – Volleyball NSW Masters

Port Macquarie Indoor Sports Stadium, 1 Hibbard Drive, Port Macquarie https://www.volleyballnsw.com.au/competitions/masters/ Ph: 0421 321 782

15 & 16 October – Camden Haven Show

Kendall Showground, Kendall Email: kendallshowground@bigpond.com Ph: 02 6559 4463

16 October – Young Floyd

1.30pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

16 October – Paint, Sip, Brunch! Pink ribbon fundraiser for breast cancer

9.30am – 1.00pm – 6/23-41 Short Street, Port Macquarie www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie/session/pink-ribbon-brunch Bookings Essential

16 October – Painting in the Paddocks @ Great Lake Paddocks

2.00pm – 5.00pm - 115 Herivals Road, Wootton www.pinotandpicasso.com.au/portmacquarie/session/ painting-in-the-paddock-great-lakes-paddocks-2 Bookings Essential

17 October –Join Katie McMahon in conversation with Leanne as they discuss Katie's book 'The Accident'

10:30am – Port Macquarie Library Meeting Room – Ph 6581 8755 Please register at: mnclibrary.org.au/event/katie-mcmahon-

author-visit-stories-behind-the-storyteller/

19 October - Mid North Coast Rugby Lunch - In Conversation with Owen Finegan

9.00am – 3.00pm - Settlers Inn - Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie Ph: 02 6583 3100 Proudly supporting The Kid's Cancer Project and Blue Bottle Purchase tickets at www.settlersinn.com.au or from the bar

22 October - Damon Winter Music at Cellar Door

11.00am - 2.00pm -Douglas Vale Historic Homestead & Vineyard, 35 Oxley Highway Port Macquarie events@douglasvale.com.au Ph: 02 6584 3792

22 October – Fabulously Fun for Everyone Acrylic Pouring Workshop

12.30pm – 3.315pm @ Sea Scouts Hall, 9 Buller St PMQ Ph/Txt 0434 464 646 or msg Cooeee Sistas Art Facebook page

22 October – Leigh l'Anson

4.00pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope Live for our Tapas Wine and Dine event www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

22 October – 4 Week Pottery Course

1.00pm Seed Creative – Unit 3, 6 Belah Road, Port Macquarie www.theseedcreativeworkshops.com Ph: 02 6581 1532

22 October – Abba Re-Bjorn-The Abba Show

6.00pm Port City Bowling Club Owen Street Port Macquarie www.portcity.com.au/whats-on/events- Ph:02 6583 1133

22 & 23 October – Comboyne Show

Showground Road, Comboyne Email: rebecca61.rt@gmail.com Ph: 0411 233 408

23 October – October Race Day

11.30am Port Macquarie Race Club, Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie www.portmacquarieraceclub.com.au Ph: 02 6581 1964

23 October – Brock

1.30pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

23 October – Poetry in The Vines - Douglas Vale Historic Homestead & Vineyard (Fourth Sunday of each month)

12.00pm to 2.00pm –235 Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie If you would like to participate contact: John Walker - 0417 489 281 or john.walker@ozemail.com.au

23 October – Beechwood Billycart Classic

11.00am – 12.30pm Beechwood Email: james.wallis@tsn.cc Ph: 0428 851 334

SPECIAL EVENTS

26 October - Mid North Social Comedy Club presents - Brew Haha Comedy Dinner Show

6.30pm – 9.00pm – Brew Haven, 1/3 The Parade, North Haven Ph:02 6559 8840 Available online or over the bar www.midnorthsocial/ comedyclub

27 October - Mid North Social Comedy Club presents Wicked Laughs Comedy Dinner Show

6.30pm – 8.30pm - Wicked Elf Beer, 58 Uralla Road, Port Macquarie Ph: 02 6581 3949 www.midnorthsocial.com/comedyclub Available online or over the bar www.midnorthsocial/ comedyclub

28 October – Halloween Themed Trivia

The Westport Club, 25 Buller Street, Port Macquarie Bookings recommended www.thewestportclub.com.au/ Ph: 02 6588 7201

28 October - AltImate Grunge

6.00pm - Hibbard Sports Club 20 Boundary Street, Port Macquarie www.hibbardsportsclub.com.au/ Ph: 02 65849276

Port Macquarie Hastings Star Vibes Award

27 October Entries Close:

Live Heats Thursdays in November, Grand Final Thursday 24th November Enter online at www.midnorthsocial.com/ starvibes Ph: 0403 697 379

28 October - Jen Hetherington in conversation with Leanne to discuss Jen's book 'Between Coastal Rocks and Softer Places'

10:30am – Port Macquarie Library Meeting Room Please register at mnclibrary.org.au/event/jenniferhetherington/ Ph: 02 6581 8755

28 October – Seniors Big Day Out Cruise

12.00pm – 3.00pm – Port AdVenture Cruises Rhythm Boat Buffet Lunch – Trivia, Bingo. Games Town Wharf (end of Clarence Street, Port Macquarie) Ph: 0434 393 199 Bookings essential: www.cruiseportmacquarie.com.au

28 October – Party Megamix

7.30pm – Buffet Dinner – In House Retro DJ Clarence Street, Port Macquarie) Ph: 0434 393 199 Bookings essential: www.cruiseportmacquarie.com.au

29 October – Halloween Cruise

8.00am – 1.00pm – House/techno music – Blackboard menu Clarence Street, Port Macquarie) Ph: 0434 393 199 Bookings essential: www.cruiseportmacquarie.com.au

29 October – Superb Watercolours, Charcoals, Inks & Soft Pastels Workshop

12.30pm – 3.315pm @ Sea Scouts Hall, 9 Buller St PMQ Ph/Txt 0434 464 646 or msg Cooeee Sistas Art Facebook page

29-30 October - Halloween Dusk 2 Dawn

6.00pm – 11.59pm Cairncross State Forest, Lot 196 Pembroke Road, Telegraph Point www.halloweendusk2dawn.com.au Ph: 0434 048 688

29 & 30 October – Festival – Celebrating Community in Port Macquarie at Douglas Vale Historic Homestead & Vineyard

10am – 3pm - 235 Oxley Highway, Port Macquarie. Look out for the full program released in October. Supported by NSW Resilience, & Hasting Co-Op. Ph: 02 6584 3792

29 October – Lisa Hunt

8.30pm The Basement, Port Macquarie Panthers 1 Bay Street Port Macquarie Ph: 02 6580 2300 portmacquarie.panthers.com.au/event/lisa-hunt-forever-soulband

30 October – Tommy Memphis

2.00pm Laurieton United Services Club, 2 Seymour Street, Laurieton – Free event www.laurietonclub.com.au Ph: 02 6559 9110

30 October – Pure Acoustic

1.30pm Wauchope Country Club - 24 King Street, Wauchope www.wauchopecountryclub.com.au Ph: 02 6585 3020

31 October -Please join in the chat with Leanne for October's Book of the Month "Happy Hour' by Jacquie Byron

6:00pm – Port Macquarie Library Meeting Room-Ph: 02 6581 8755 mnclibrary.org.au/event/book-of-the-month-chat-octoberhappy-hour/

31 October – 1 November – Backbone: By Gravity and other Myths

8.00pm – 9.20pm Glasshouse Theatre, Clarence Street, Port Macquarie www.glasshouse.org.au Ph: 02 6581 8888

1 November - Melbourne Cup at The Beach House

12.00pm The Beach House 1 Horton Street Port Macquarie https://tickets.myguestlist.com/v2631a7f477715b/ melbourne-cup- at-the-beachy/evs631a7f477b701 Ph: 02 6584 6011





Normal Shows

Starts 6 October – Amsterdam, Don't Worry Darling

Starts 13 October – Halloween Ends, Disney Villains: 101 Dalmatians (weekend only)

Starts 20 October – Barbarian, Everything in Between, Disney Villains: Hercules (weekend only)

Starts 27 October – Mrs Harris Goes To Paris, The Woman King, Bros, Disney Villains: The Princess & the Frog (weekends only)

Events

Sat & Sun October 8 & 9 at 2pm: Andre Rieu – Happy Days Are Here Again

Fri to Sun October 21 to 23: Travelling Film Festival – 7 specially selected films form the Sydney Film Festival over 3 days

Sat October 29: Halloween special screening of The Rocky Horror Picture Show

Session times at www.majesticcinemas.com.au

MONTHLY MARKETS

EVERY TUESDAY

Real Food Local Produce Markets 12pm to 6pm, Port Central Hay Street Forecourt, Port Macquarie

EVERY THURSDAY Kendall Bazaar and The Meeting Place 9am to 12pm, Kendall Community Centre 19 Comboyne Street, Kendall

EVERY SUNDAY

Port Macquarie Art Society Market Bazaar 8am to 1pm, Hamilton House 198 Hastings River Drive, Port Macquarie

FIRST SATURDAY

Uniting Church Markets 8am to 11am, Uniting Church Cnr. Oxley Highway & Sherwood Rd, Port Macquarie

FIRST SATURDAY Town Square Market 10am - 2pm, Horton Street, Port Macquarie

FIRST SUNDAY Grown and Gathered Community Markets 9am to 12pm, 1493 Pappinbarra Road, Pappinbarra

FIRST SUNDAY Kendall Community Markets 9am to 12pm, Kendall Showground. Kendall

SECOND SATURDAY

Johns River Markets 8am to 12.30pm, Johns River Community Hall & Recreation Reserve Johns River Road, Johns River

SECOND SATURDAY

The Foreshore Markets 9am to 2pm, Westport Park Cnr Buller & Park Streets, Port Macquarie

THIRD SUNDAY Laurieton Riverwalk Markets 8am to 1pm, Cnr. Tunis & Short Street, Laurieton

FOURTH SATURDAY

Wauchope Farmers' Markets 8am to 12pm, Wauchope Showground High Street, Wauchope

FOURTH SUNDAY Maritime Museum 9.00am - 2.00pm, William Street, Port Macquarie

PLEASE NOTE THAT THESE ADVERTISED DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO COVID AND WEATHER CONDITIONS





www.portbus.com.au/tours-and-event-transport Ph: 02 6583 3330

- **3 October** Harrington Markets + Lunch, 8.30am Includes: Return transport, H2O, Morning Tea + Lunch
- 8 October GARDENISTA, 8.00am Includes: Return transport, H2O to Comboyne Gardens
- 9 October Mystery Day Tour, 8.00am Includes: Return transport, MT, Entry/visit & Lunch
- 10 October Golden West Getaway, 5 Days / 4 Nights What a great time to visit the West in SPRING!
- 13 October Brisbane Craft & Quilt Fair, 3 Days / 2 Nights Botanical Gardens, Craft & Quilt Fair, South Bank & Cruise
- 13 October Trundle ABBA Festival, 5 Days / 4 Nights Calling all Dancing Queens, it's ABBA time!
- 13 October Wonders of Wollongong, 5 Days / 4 Nights Join us on a pre sill season getaway!
- 15 October Grapevine @ Hope Estate, 7:30am Return transport The Kooks, Peking Duck, The Veronicas +++
- 15 October Jersey Boys, Civic Theatre, Newcastle, 9:30am Includes: Return transport, lunch show ticket + fees
- 15 October Karuah Oyster & Timber Festival, 10:30am Love oysters, wood chopping, cars, live music??
- 15 October The Big Pink Charity Race Day, 10:30am Transport only option or Packages available
- **19 October** Van Gogh Alive, 7:30am Includes: return transport, MT, entry & lunch
- 22 October The Premium Trail, 11:00am Bagels, Beer, Wine, Art, Distillery & lunch
- 22 October Girls On Tap, 2 Days / 1 Night Includes: transport, dinner, show, accom + shopping!
- 23 October Hannam Vale Open Gardens Day, 9:00am See cottage gardens, woodland gardens +++
- 29 October Andrea Bocelli, 2:30pm Return transport or Transport & GA
- 29 October Ducks in the Field, 7:30am 4-course High Tea
- 31 October La Traviata, 2 Days / 1 Night Includes: transport, show, accom, breakfast & tour