

Wattle Day Celebration

A day to celebrate all things Australian

Presented by

The Victorian Folk Music Club Inc

and

The Traditional Social Dance

Association of Victoria Inc

A not for profit event

Saturday September 2nd 2023

Senior Citizen's Hall, Laurence Grv.
Ringwood East

*A range of singing, dancing, verse and
musical workshops, followed by a
Family Dance in the evening*



What's On:

Poets Breakfast 9.30 - 10.45pm

Bette Martin will convene a showcase of local poets. Call Bette 0438.049.557 to book a spot. Free pancakes and coffee to enjoy as you listen to the session.

Sea Shanty Singing 11.00 - 12.30pm

Tony O'Neill and friends from The Enterprize Band will lead a singalong of traditional Maritime work songs

Australian Dance Music 11.00 - 12.30pm

Trish Williams and John Tomlin from Tasmania, with Denise Hibbs and Richard Ayling will run a participatory playing session. Bring your instruments or come and watch if preferred. Will also be available via Zoom

Lunch Break 12.30 - 1.15pm

BYO lunch and instrument for a playing jam

Premiere Vocal Workshop 1.15 - 2.45pm

Cora Browne is a highly experienced leader in community singing. So bring yourself, a water bottle, curiosity and join in the fun. All welcome, no prior experience necessary.

Australian Songs Singalong

3.00 - 4.00pm

Ray and Joan Mundy and friends will lead a singalong of traditional and contemporary songs.

Slow Tunes Session 3.00 - 4.00pm

Kate Cotrill and Don Fraser will introduce some great tune playing at a moderate tempo. All instruments are welcome.

Jolly Swagman Dance Collection

This is a fun selection of new and novel bush dances for all ages convened by Norm Ellis from TSDAV. Norm is a leading folk dance caller. 4.15 - 5.45pm

Blackboard Session 4.15 - 5.45pm

A walk-up open mic session of your choices. Just put your name on the board and you're in. 10 minutes per act.

Family Bush Dance 7.30 - 10.30pm

The Blackberry Jam Bush Band will provide the music for the regular Family Bush Dance. All are welcome. Extra admission applies \$12, \$10 members, kids free

Ringwood East Senior Citizen's Hall

\$10 for as many workshops as you like

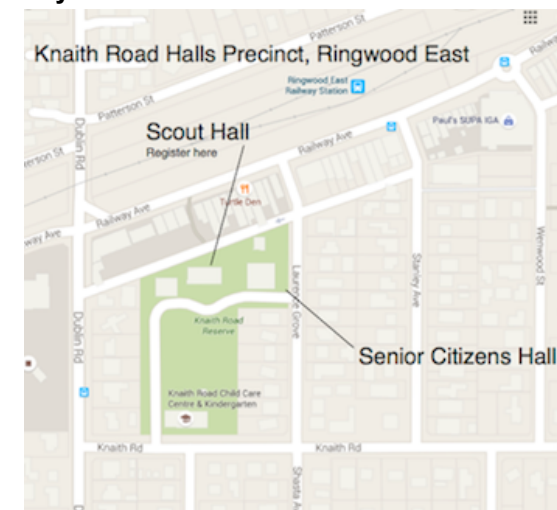
Extra admission for the evening dance

Children welcome. Enquiries - Jane 9762.1389

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https://events.humanitix.com/vfmc-wattle-day-2023

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Time	Stream 1 Live in hall	Stream 2 Live in hall and on Zoom
9.30-10.45	Poets Breakfast (free pancakes) Bette	—
11.00-12.30	Sea Shanty Singalong Tony & The Enterprize Band	Australian Dance Music Trish & John, Denise & Richard
12.30-1.15	Lunch Break	
1.15-2.45	Premier Vocal workshop Cora	—
3.00-4.00	Australian Songs Singalong Ray, Joan & friends	Slow Tune Playing Session Kate & Don
4.15-5.45	Jolly Swagman Dance Workshop Norm	Blackboard Session
7.30 - 10.30	Monthly Family Bush Dance live with Blackberry Jam Band	

Enjoy the day!!