

Galleries & Museums

Cook's Gallery:
Home of Wanganui Arts Society
Saturdays 10 am to 4 pm.
Trafalgar Place, off Ridgway St
Phone 06 345 7757
www.wanganuiartsociety.co.nz

CRAFT CREATIONS
122 Victoria Avenue
(previous Dick Smith premises)
Mon - Fri 9am - 5pm; Sat 10am - 2pm
We will open on Sunday's
nearer to Xmas. There is a great
assortment of lovely homemade
craft by local individuals.

Creations Gallery
25A Drews Avenue, Whanganui
Open Wed-Sun 10am-3pm
Six different artists in a creative
environment. Phone: 06 348-4229

Edith Gallery
Open weekdays if exhibition in situ.
Edith Gallery, Whanganui UCOL,
Taupo Quay entrance. Glenys
Main g.main@ucol.ac.nz for
further particulars

Fine Arts Whanganui Gallery
17 Taupo Quay
Sat 9.00 – 3.00 Tues – Fri
and Sun 10.00 - 3.00
Closed Monday except public
holidays www.fineartswhanganui.com
Contact: 06 3482080 /
027 517 7340

Flying Dog Studio Gallery
21 Drews Ave, upstairs.
Thurs - Sat 10am - 2pm (hours may
vary). Or by appointment
PH 027 2557228
www.emmacunningham.co.nz

**Ivan Vostinar Gallery
and Studio**
7 Rangiora St, Castlecliff
Tuesday – Saturday, 10am – 2pm
Other times by appointment
Ph: 06 927 6828 / 021 256 9236
www.vostinar.com

Leftbank Art Supplies
19 Taupō Quay
Mon – Fri 10am – 4pm
Sat 10am to 1pm
Ph 06 345 0949
leftbankartsupplies@gmail.com

LOUISE HERDMAN MOSAIC
50 Guyton Street
Open Wed-Fri 12-4pm, Sat 10-4pm
And by appointment
Mosaic workshops available
Now selling mosaic tiles and bases.
027 375 4715 /
www.mosaicpictures.co.nz

MacARTney Gallery
57 Victoria Avenue, Whanganui
Weds - Sat 11 am -2pm
PH 0276844215
www.facebook.com/marionmacArt

MinZ Shop/Gallery
Mon-Fri, 9am – 5pm
139 Victoria Avenue
Contacts: green.gables206@xtra.co.nz
sandra.helen@xtra.co.nz

MONTASIR WALI GALLERY & STUDIO
43 Budge Street, Fordell
Tues to Sat 9am to 2 pm
Or by appointment 0212143279
Email: montasir.wali@gmail.com

NEW ZEALAND GLASSWORKS 2016
10am to 4:30pm
2 Rutland Street, Whanganui, 4500
New Zealand Glassworks - Te Whare
Tūhua o Te Ao (NZG) is the new
national centre for glass art located in
Whanganui. www.nzglassworks.com

**Quartz Museum Of Studio
Ceramics** - Rick Rudd Foundation
8 Bates Street, Whanganui
Tues-Sun 10.30am-4pm
By appointment 06 348 5555
Free Admission
www.quartzmuseum.org.nz

Rayner Brothers Gallery
52 Guyton Street, Whanganui.
Wed – Fri 12pm – 4pm,
Sat 10am – 1pm.
www.raynerbrothers.com

Renata's Art & Framing
17 Taupō Quay.
Mon 12.00pm – 4.00pm,
Tue – Fri 10am – 5.00pm,
Sat 9.30am – 1pm
Ph: 06 348 4463
www.artandframing.co.nz

Sarjeant Gallery
**Te Whare o Rehua Whanganui
Sarjeant on the Quay**
38 Taupo Quay
Mon - Sun, 10.30am - 4.30pm
Also upstairs in the i-site,
Wanganui Visitor's Centre,
31 Taupo Quay
Weekdays 8.30am - 5pm,
Sat/Sun 9am-3pm
www.sarjeant.org.nz

Space Gallery & Studios
64 Taupō Quay
Tues-Thursday 9am-1pm, Friday
12-4pm, Saturday (For extended
shows) 9am-1pm.
Ph 027 371 8595
www.spacestudiogallery.co.nz

The Felted Room
Mixed media artist
2 Kells Ave, Aramoho
Open by appointment only.
Ph 0276343643
www.facebook.com/Thefeltedroom

Two Sisters Make
55 Ridgway Street
Saturdays 10 - 2pm
ph 0276533857
twosistersmake.com

Whanganui Arts – At The Centre
19 Taupō Quay, Whanganui.
Phone Lidy for bookings:
027 215 1404
EFTPOS and credit card facilities
www.whanganuiarts.com

Wanganui Arts Society
Trafalgar Place, Wanganui
Opening: Monday & Tuesday 10am
- Noon; Saturdays 10am-3pm.

Whanganui Regional Museum
62 Ridgway Street
Hours: Mon - Sat 10am – 4.30pm.
NOW FREE TO ALL VISITORS
www.wrm.org.nz

WHMilbank Gallery
1b Bell Street
Open Tues – Sun 11 am–5pm.
A call first would ensure we are
open, or to make an alternative
time to view.
Ph: 027 628 6877
bill.milbank@gmail.com

Out of Town Galleries

**Jimi & Lisa Walsh
Glass & Art Studio**
Main street, Waverley
Open most days
027 684 3641

**Yellow Church Gallery
SH1, Mangaweka.**
Resident Artist Richard Aslett.
Weekends & most other days
10am–5pm
06 382 5774 / 027 526 6612
www.freewebs.com/mangawekagallery



Cover image
“A Partridge In a Pear Tree”
- An exhibition of student work
from primary and intermediate
schools at the Edith Gallery.

Wanganui Repertory Theatre
By arrangement with 
PRESENTS
Red Riding Hood *A Pantomime*
BY Roger Hall
LYRICS BY Paul Jenden
MUSIC BY Michael Nicholas Williams
Playing at Repertory Theatre,
4 Ridgway Street
December 9th - 18th 2016
Tickets \$20
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Door sales available
Book now at
Royal Wanganui Opera House
DIRECTED BY COLIN HEDVAN. MUSICAL DIRECTION: TED CHARLTON. CHOREOGRAPHY: BRIDGET HUSON. POSTER DESIGN BY NAHIA O'CONNELL

WHANGANUI

Anniversary
WEEKEND
21st - 23rd JANUARY 2017

www.vintageweekend.co.nz
Whanganui's premiere celebration of all
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**MOONLIGHT
MOVIE NIGHT**
SUNDAY 22 JANUARY, 2017
COOKS GARDENS EVENTS CENTRE
GATES OPEN 6PM
ENTERTAINMENT FROM 6.30PM
MOVIE STARTS 9PM
ADULTS \$10
STUDENTS/PENSIONERS \$5
CHILDREN 12 & UNDER FREE*
*Must be accompanied by an adult

Forrest Gump
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ART GALLERY EXHIBITIONS

For details on opening hours and locations, please see our [Gallery listings](#).

A PARTRIDGE IN A PEAR TREE

Mon 28 Nov – Sun 11 Dec
Edith Gallery, Taupo Quay (UCOL)
An exhibition of student artwork based on the theme of birds, flowers and Christmas.

CREATIVE SPACES CAPSULE

Wed 30 Nov to Sun 4 Dec
Whanganui Arts @ The Centre
Guest exhibitor Roger Rawiri Whiteside

ONE HIT WONDERS

Sat 3 Dec, 5.30pm Opening
To Fri 16 Dec
Space Studio & Gallery
35 artists...one work each

PLATE OH!

Fri 9 Dec, 5.30pm Opening
[Rayner Brothers Gallery](#)
Our annual end of year group exhibition features over 60 plate-themed works by local and national artists.

CHRISTMAS NIGHT MARKET

Sat 10 Dec, 5.30pm to 8.30pm
[Upstairs Studios & Side Carpark-Space Studio & Gallery](#)
Join us for another full and exciting night market at Space. Support local artists by sourcing your Christmas presents here.

THRU MY MINDS EYE

Sat 10 Dec to Sat 24 Dec
Whanganui Arts @ The Centre
Collection of wall art by Christine Haber

JOANNA GINN

Tue 13 Dec to Tue 20 Dec
Whanganui Arts @ The Centre

REUNION EXHIBITION

Sat 17 Dec, 5.30pm Opening
To Fri 23 Dec
[Space Studio & Gallery](#)
Four years on; the Quay School of the Arts graduating class of 2012.

ANNUAL R P BEVAN SCHOLARSHIP EXHIBITION

Sun 18 Dec, 1pm to 3pm Opening
To Sun 29 Jan
[Cooks Gallery](#)
Wanganui Arts Society - featuring Hayley McConachie, with guest artists from St Dominic's School after-school art class.

WHMILBANK GALLERY

1976-9 BERRY STREET CANVASES

Tue 1 Nov 2016 to 26 Feb 2017
[Trusstum Showroom \(Back Gallery\)](#)

TIA RANGINUI PHOTOGRAPHS

Sat 3 to Fri 23 Dec
[Front Gallery](#)

LOOM FABRIC DESIGN RUG SALE

Lge were \$5,500 now \$1,500
Medium \$4,400 now \$1,200
Small \$3,300 now \$900 only 14 in total left.
Designs by G Chilcott; T Lane

CONTINUING EXHIBITIONS

REFLECTIONS

To Sat 10 Dec
[Whanganui Arts @ The Centre](#)
Paintings by Christina McGillan, glass and prints by Triona Cooney

FRANCES STACHL: FICTION IN THE SPACE BETWEEN

To 15 Jan 2017
[Quay Gallery, 31 Taupo Quay](#)
Contemporary jeweller Frances Stachl responds to objects – precious, found and remembered. Supported by Creative NZ.

SARJEANT GALLERY TE WHARE O REHUA WHANGANUI

MARKING TIME: PORTRAITS OF THE INKED

To 5 Feb 2017
[Photographs by Richard Wotton](#)

VIGNETTES

To 12 Feb 2017
30 Years at Tylee Cottage, 1986 – 2016
Selected works celebrating the 30th anniversary of the Sarjeant Gallery's artist-in-residence programme.

EVENTS

MOTOR VESSEL WAIRUA

Tue-Fri depart 11am and 1.30pm
[Heritage River Cruises](#) and Personalised Charters
Return Prices: Adults \$38; Children \$12; Under-5 free
One-way travel must be booked before 10am on the day of travel
Bookings: 0800 Wairua or Whanganui i-Site.

PADDLE STEAMER WAIMARIE

Every weekend in December
[Departs 11 am](#)
[1 Taupo Quay](#)
Experience river travel as it used to be over 100 years ago on the iconic coal-fired paddle steamer Waimarie.
www.waimarie.co.nz

WHANGANUI CREATIVE SPACE

Wednesdays 9.15am to 12.15pm
[Whanganui Arts @ The Centre](#), [Back Gallery](#)
Last session 21 Dec 2016 – back 11 Jan 2017
Free art space with support of art tutor & volunteers. Contact: 022 423 7618 or whanganuics@gmail.com

CEROC DANCING

Fridays 7pm Class; 8pm Freestyle
82-92 Peat Street, (Cnr Peat St and Pitt St)
Come learn to dance CEROC the easy fun way. Doors open 6.30pm.
\$10/\$8/ConcessionsContact: Liz Frith: 02102054038/3457401/lizfrith01@gmail.com

WARD OBSERVATORY

Fridays 7.30pm or Sunset (whichever is first!)
[Cooks Gardens](#), access from St Hill Street.
Entry is by donation (suggested charge of \$2) Phone: 027 245 8066 with queries or alternative viewing times.

WHANGANUI RIVER MARKET

Saturdays 9am-1pm
Whanganui's Market By The River

CASTLECLIFF BEACH MARKET

Sundays, 12pm - 4pm
Grass domain near the Duncan Pavillion in Rangiora Street, [Castlecliff](#).
Enjoy the beachside ambience of this local market including food and unique merchandise. Plenty of room for children to play and ample parking.

WHANGANUI AIRPORT CONTROL TOWER

Sundays 2-4:30pm
[Whanganui Airport](#)
Aviation and WWI displays; viewing of aircraft from cab. Free Admission

WANGANUI CITY GUIDED WALKING TOURS

Depart from i-Site
Contact: 349 3258 Cost \$5 per person

THURSDAY NIGHT STREET FEAST

Thur 1 Dec, 5pm to 9pm
[Majestic Square](#)
The River City Grand Fiesta

AN EVENING WITH GRAEME STEVENSON

Fri 2 Dec, 6pm
[Fine Arts Whanganui Gallery](#)
Creator and CEO of the TV series 'Colour In Your Life', Graeme is in Whanganui filming with some of our city's talented artists. Free entry.
Ph: Jane 0275177340

WHANGANUI MUSICIANS CLUB

Fri 2 Dec, 7pm Doors Open
[Savage Club Hall, 65 Drews Avenue](#)
Featuring Bernie Griffen and the Thin Men Sola Rosa, plus usual sign-on locals. \$10/\$5 Mem.

VIGNETTES EXHIBITION FLOOR TALK

Sat 3 Dec, 11am
[Sarjeant On The Quay](#)
Greg Donson, Curator & Public Programmes Manager, accompanied by some of the artists included, will discuss their time in Whanganui and the work they produced as a result of their residency.

A SOUND ART WORK

Sat 3 Dec, 12.15pm
[Sarjeant On The Quay](#)
Join current Tylee artist Susan Frykberg for an exciting chance to be a part of her sound art performance for her Tylee residency project.

MAINSTREET CHRISTMAS PARADE!

Sat 3 Dec, 2pm
[Whanganui CBD](#)
Followed by free family concert in [Majestic Square](#)

COLOURS OF MUSIC

Sun 4 Dec, 2.00pm
[Central Baptist Church, 285 Wicksteed Street](#)
Whanganui Male Choir presents its 262nd Concert Guest artists: Annabella and Julianna Stephens, Te Awa Kids' Choir

RENAISSANCE TO RIHANNA

Sun 4 Dec, 4.30pm
Deborah Wai Kapohe presents hit songs for guitar and voice from the 15th century until the present day. This performance will be accompanied by a visual presentation and special guest dancer Trinity Taylor Moore. Gallery Members & Stars \$15, non-members \$20. Tickets from Sarjeant on the Quay, on shop.sarjeant.org.nz or by phoning 349 0506. This is part of "Musicians for the Sarjeant", a fundraising group for the Gallery's redevelopment project.

WANGANUI AMATEUR DANCESPORT CLUB

Sun 4 Dec, 7.15pm
[St Andrews Hall, Bell Street](#)
First Sunday of the month (except January)!
\$3.00/\$5.00/Supper provided. Contact: Mollie 347 2705 or Graeme 027 434 1823

KEY FOR TWO

Thur 8 & Fri 9 Dec, 7.30pm
Sun 11 Dec, 2pm
Wed 14 - Sat 17 Dec, 7.30pm
[AMDram Theatre, Guyton Street](#)
Comedy. Bookings RWOH. See Ad for more details. Food Platters for two for \$20.00 Tickets: \$25/\$20

RED RIDING HOOD PANTOMINE

Fri 9 Dec, 6.30pm
Sat 10 & Sun 11 Dec, 2pm
Wed 14-Fri 16, 6.30pm
Sat 17 & Sun 18 Dec, 2pm
[Whanganui Repertory Theatre](#)
Comedy. Bookings RWOH. See Ad for more details. Tickets: Adults \$20, SnrCits/Adult students \$18, Family (2A/2Ch) \$50, buy 10 get 11th free. \$1 off for members
Avlbl on the door but NO eftpos

SUMMER CONCERT

Sat 10 Dec, 2pm
[Trinity Methodist, 183 Wicksteed St](#)
[Wanganui Community Choir](#)
Tickets on the door: \$15/\$10

BILLY WEBB CHALLENGE

Sun 11 Dec, 10am
[Whanganui River](#)

CHRISTMAS LATE NIGHT SHOPPING

Thur 15 Dec, 5pm to 9pm
[Whanganui CBD](#)

WHANGANUI MUSICIANS CLUB

Fri 16 Dec, 7pm Doors Open
Members only Xmas Do Featuring No Bones About It and members Jam. \$10/\$5 Mem.

MUSEUM CHRISTMAS GROTTO

Tue 20 – Sat 24 Dec, 1pm to 2pm daily
[62 Ridgway St](#)
Father Christmas has driven his sleigh all the way to the Museum on Ridgway to hear Christmas wishes! Free. No bookings required.

WHANGANUI OPERA WEEK

Mon 9 – Sun 22 Jan 2017
Each January, we are proud to present the New Zealand Opera School at various public events in Wanganui. For information and bookings: www.wanganuioperaweek.co.nz

VINTAGE WEEKEND 2017!

Sat 21 – Mon 23 Jan, 2017
Whanganui's premiere celebration of all things Vintage! See Ad for more details or go to: www.vintageweekend.co.nz

MOONLIGHT MOVIE NIGHT

Sun 22 Jan, 2017 from 6pm
[Cooks Gardens, Whanganui](#)
Adults \$10; Students/Pensioners \$5
Children Under 12 free accompanied by adult See our Ad for more details
Tickets available from Royal Wanganui Opera House

SUNDAY GRAND JAM

Not in December – next one 29 Jan 2017! www.facebook.com/SundayGrandJam

ART FIX

Thur 9 Feb, 2017

ART WORKSHOPS

CRAIG WINTON JEWELLERY

Open by appointment. Private lessons and jewellery workshops available. Ph: 021 145 1440
www.craigwintonjewellery.com

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ACTING WORKSHOPS WITH REBECKAH DACK

Dec & Jan (dates TBC)
Auditioning/Vocal prep and technique/ Text Analysis and character development/ Working with Shakespeare/Clowning www.shakespeareintheparkwhanganui.com
Contact: Karen 021 132 3939



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www.awaeventguide.co.nz

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WHANGANUI DISTRICT COUNCIL
Te Kaunihera a Rohe o Whanganui

Shout out from Whanganui District Council Arts Facilitator – Debbie Kapohe

This is a shout out to let you know I am still employed in the role of the Whanganui District Council's Arts Facilitator. I am working, around five hours a week, to keep the basics ticking along while the policy team looks at the Arts Policy Review.

Please contact me if you need anything arts related from Council on 027 289 6479 or email me on debbie.kapohe@whanganui.govt.nz



Christmas Late Night Shopping

Thurs 15 Dec 5pm-9pm

www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz
www.facebook.com/mainstreetwanganui

09TH JANUARY 2017 - 22ND JANUARY 2017

WANGANUI OPERA WEEK

Each January, Wanganui Opera Week is proud to present the Students of the New Zealand Opera School at various public events in Wanganui. Every year brings something different. Wanganui is the only city in New Zealand to host the internationally acclaimed New Zealand Opera School. Join us to enjoy wonderful singing.

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