

Galleries & Museums

AWA ART HUB ENAMEL-GLASS GALLERY & SCULPTURE COURTYARD
Heina Petzold & Eva Busch
1 Gloucester Street
Open Sundays 10am to 5pm and by appointment. Ph: 022 628 2103

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

Creations Gallery
25A Drews Avenue, Whanganui
Open Wed-Sun 10am-4pm
Six different artists in a creative environment
Phone: 06 348-4229

Edith Gallery
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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.fineartswanganui.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
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MacARTney Gallery
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MAGPIE
37 Motoa Quay (beside the i-site)
0276867694
rachaelgarland@outlook.com
www.rachaelgarland.com

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

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 – Thurs 10am – 2pm
Friday 12 – 4pm.
Ph 027 371 8595
www.spacestudiogallery.co.nz

TREE object/space/desire
37 Taupo Quay, Whanganui
Open: Thu/Fri/Sat 10am to 2pm
06 348 7650 – Emma & David
027 4 359 569 – Angela sms
www.Tree.objectspacedesire@gmail.com

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
Watt Street, Wanganui.
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.

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Sat 4 & Sun 5 Feb, 9-5

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Arts Database 2017

Are you involved in the arts? Are you a groupie, an artist or a sponsor?

We would like to create a database of Whanganui arts and we need you!

For more info please email: debbie.kapohi@whanganui.govt.nz





FUNDRAISER – AGE CONCERN WANGANUI

THURSDAY 23RD MARCH 2017 @ 6.30pm

Memorial Hall, Whanganui War Memorial Centre

‘Wot to Wear & Not to Wear’

A funny, raw look at the lighter side of fashion and personal development. Presented by Suzie Johnson, ‘Wot to Wear’ is a politically incorrect comedy/ motivational performance aimed at lifting the self esteem of NZ women of ALL ages.

TICKETS - \$30 INCLUDES REFRESHMENTS

Tickets available at:

Victoria's Treasures Elizabeth Palmer Beauty Salon Posh Comfort Age Concern Wanganui.



TUE 21 FEB, 9AM-3PM

PUKENAMU QUEEN'S PARK, BEHIND THE SARJEANT GALLERY.

THE PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO SEE THE CARS ON DISPLAY AT THE CONCOURS D'ETAT AT FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT MICHAEL ANDERSON ON 021 620 065



Community Education Wanganui

Bing Harris & Co Ltd Building, 14 Taupo Quay, opposite Left Bank Art Supplies

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Term 1 starts now!

Painting: Watercolours, Acrylic/Printmaking/ Woodwork/Upholstery/Photography/Computer Skills/Ukulele/Group Music/Group Singing/ Bagpipes/Languages: French, Spanish, Chinese/ Bush Knowledge/Massage/Business Skills/ Writing/Study Skills/ Cooking: Moroccan, Budget.

For further details please contact Community Education 345 4717, or see their website www.communityeducation.nz

Follow us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/WCE.2015



MOTOR VESSEL WAIRUA

Heritage River Cruises and Personalised Charters

Heritage River Cruise operates Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

Bring a picnic lunch or enjoy a meal at Cafe' 4Forty4 at Upokongaro.

Bookings on 0800 WAIRUA or visit the Whanganui i-Site

FUTURE EVENTS

For a full list of future annual events go to: www.awaeventguide.co.nz.
See I-Site Wanganui for details on all events.
ARTISTS OPEN STUDIOS
25-26 March; 1 – 2 April 2017
www.openstudios.co.nz

New Zealand School Triathlon Championships
29-31 March 2017
www.schooltrichamps.co.nz

M2C Mountains to Sea Race
April 2017
Ohakune-Whanganui
www.m2c.kiwi.nz

FibreArts NZ
April 2017
www.fibreartsnz.com/whanganui

Festival of Cultures
October 2017
www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz

McDonald's Mud Muster
October 2017
www.mudmuster.co.nz

Diwali Cultural Night
November

UCOL End of Year Exhibitions
November
www.ucol.ac.nz

Mainstreet Christmas Parade
www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz

Billy Webb Challenge
December 2017
www.billywebbchallenge.co.nz

Christmas Late Night Shopping
www.mainstreetwanganui.co.nz

Cemetery Circuit
26 December Annually

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"Private Investigations" 2016 liquid rust, gold leaf and patinated copper leaf 795mm x 795mm \$4,200

AWA

www.awaeventguide.co.nz

Advertising and listings:

Deadline circa 20th of the month for publication on the 1st of the month.

\$10 per event listing and advertng rates start at \$60 plus gst for a quarter page.

WE PRINT, TWEET AND FACEBOOK YOUR EVENTS

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EVENT GUIDE

WHANGANUI



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ART GALLERY EXHIBITIONS

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

TANIA WARBRICK: ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Wed-Sunday 10am- 4.00pm
Creations Gallery n’ Gifts:
Tania is a very talented local Whanganui photographer working in colour and black & white images.

LOUD BY ITS ABSENCE

Wed 1 – Tue 28 Feb
Yellow House Café, crnr of Pitt & Dublin Streets
When something is missing it says more than when it’s present or in its place. Digital paintings by Pauline Neilson.

MASTERS GAMES

Wed 1 - Mon 13 Feb
Whanganui Arts @ The Centre
Memorabilia from previous Masters Games

JACKSON MCLAREN

Sat 4 Feb, 5.30pm opening
To Fri 17 Feb
Space Studio & Gallery
Colour & Chaos. A vibrant and colourful exhibition of small works on canvas by Melbourne based artist Jackson McLaren.

SUMMERTIME

Tue 7 Feb and through Feb
(See [Gallery listing for opening details](#))
Cooks Gallery Members’ Exhibition

ECLECTIC EXPRESSIONS

Thu 16 Feb - Sat 18 Mar
Whanganui Arts @ The Centre
Watercolour paintings by Celia Guy

6 WORD MEMOIR- AN ARTISTS RESPONSE

Sat 18 Feb, 5.30pm Opening
To Fri 3 Mar
Space Studio & Gallery
Join us as we celebrate the beginning of La Fiesta’s eighth festival with this very special exhibition featuring 15 local artists.

THE NITA GINI COLLECTION

Fri 24 Feb, 5.30pm opening
[Rayner Brothers Gallery](#)
Thanks to the generosity of Lauren Joan Lysaght, here’s a rare opportunity to see the nationally acclaimed art collection of Nita Gini.
www.raynerbrothers.com

NIGHT MARKET

Sat 25 Feb, 5.30pm-8.30pm
[Space Studio & Gallery](#)
Join us for an evening filled to the brim with Art and Designer Craft stalls upstairs in our studios & a great opportunity to view the La Fiesta “6 Word Memoir-An Artists Response” show.

SARJEANT GALLERY TE WHARE O REHUA WHANGANUI

MARKING TIME: PORTRAITS OF THE INKED

ENDS 5 Feb 2017
Photographs by Richard Wotton

IT SHOWS REALLY, A RATHER BEAUTIFUL SPIRIT

Sat 11 Feb To 7 May
Current artist-in-residence at Tylee Cottage, sound artist and composer, Susan Frykberg responds to the life and works of artist Edith Collier. The exhibition features artworks by Collier in the context of an immersive sound and film scape created by Frykberg in collaboration with video artist, Brit Bunkley.

VIGNETTES

ENDS Sun 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.

FUNCTION & FANCY

To 16 April
31 and 38 Taupo Quay
Decorative arts from the Sarjeant Gallery collection and beyond
Items from two local historic homesteads alongside the Gallery’s collection of decorative arts including ceramics, silverware, glassware and furniture.

WHMILBANK GALLERY

IMPROBABLE LANDSCAPES REVISITED

Sat 4 Feb to Wed 8 Mar
Front Gallery
Simon Ogden

1976-9 BERRY STREET CANVASES

To 26 Feb 2017
[Trusttium Showroom \(Back Gallery\)](#)

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

Wednesday to Monday, 11.00am
Friday 5.30-6.30pm with entertainment
1 Taupo Quay
Cruise the Whanganui on New Zealand’s only historic paddle steamer Private charters available
Licensed café on board. For bookings: 1a Taupo Quay / 06 347 1863 www.waimarie.co.nz

WHANGANUI CREATIVE SPACE

Wednesdays 9.15am to 12.15pm
Whanganui Arts @ The Centre, Back Gallery
Wed 11 Jan re-start
Free art space with support of art tutor & volunteers. Contact: 022 423 7618 or whanganuics@gmail.com

WHANGANUI GREYHOUND RACING

Wednesdays from noon
Friday nights from 4.30pm
[Hatrick Raceway](#)
Free entry, bar, TAB and restaurant on site. www.wanganuigreyhounds.co.nz

CEROC DANCING

Fridays 7pm Class; 8pm Freestyle
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

WHANGANUI JAZZ CLUB

First Sunday of every month
[RSA, 170 St Hill St.](#)
Doors open: 5:30pm (Bar Restaurant) Music: 6:30pm-8:30pm
March 5: Andrew London Trio It is great to have Andrew back, with his popular songs, stories and melodic improvisations.

CASTLECLIFF BEACH MARKET

Sundays, 12pm - 4pm

WANGANUI CITY GUIDED WALKING TOURS

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

COMMUNITY EDUCATION SERVICES

T1 Courses start (varying dates)
[14 Taupo Quay](#)
See our ad for more info
www.communityeducation.nz
Facebook: WCE.2015

BIKE WISE MONTH

Wed 1 - Tue 28 Feb
Bike rides, free pancake breakfast, male and female bike movies and other bicycle related events, organised by cycle groups, NZMG, get active organisations and a bike movie enthusiast. Watch for details on <https://www.facebook.com/WhanganuiBUG/> and <http://letsgowhanganui.org.nz/>

NZ MASTERS GAMES WHANGANUI

Fri 3 Feb Opening Ceremony, Cooks Gardens
To Sun 12 Feb
Games Village located at War Memorial Centre
www.nzmg.com or 0800 35 40 45 for more info

WHANGANUI MUSICIANS CLUB

Fri 3 Feb, 7pm Doors Open
Masters of Music with special guests
The Slacks, plus our usual random local maestros. \$1000 original song contest on
Friday 17th Feb for all members - join up and play and you could WIN! \$10/\$5 Mem

ORGAN POT-POURRI

Sat 4 Feb, 3pm
[Christ Church, 243 Wicksteed St](#)
Jennifer Chou – International Concert Organist, resident in Melbourne Music by Bach, Brahms, Franck, Durufle and others Tickets from Parish Office or on the door. \$25/\$20

WHEELS IN WANGANUI

Sat 4 & Sun 5 Feb, 9am-5pm
[Wanganui Racecourse](#)
Car & truck rides, motorbikes, bouncy castle, Hot Rods, food stalls, raffles, competitions, truck show and shine and the River City Rollers PROCEEDS TO ST JOHNS AMBULANCE Ph: Angela 027 482 4158 or Andre 027 266 2922 (See ad for more info)

WANGANUI AMATEUR DANCESPORT CLUB

Sun 5 Feb, 7.15pm
First Sunday of every month
[St Andrews Hall, Bell Street](#)
\$3.00/\$5.00/Supper provided
Contact: Mollie 347 2705 or Graeme 027 434 1823

ART FIX

Thur 9 February at 2.00pm
[Sarjeant On The Quay](#)
Join Greg Donson Curator and Public Programmes Manager for a friendly chat about art works featured in the exhibition Vignettes: 30 Years at Tylee Cottage. Greg will discuss some of the more unusual materials that have been used by artists to create works during their residency.

RIVERCITY STREET FEST

Thu 9 Feb, 5-9pm
[Majestic Square](#)
(See our Ad for more info)

VOICE OF THE CELLO

Thur 9 Feb, 7pm
[Prince Edward Auditorium, Wanganui Collegiate School](#)
Elena Morgan, cello, Liam Wooding, piano - recital in support of Chamber Music Wanganui 2017 series. Entry at the door - Adults \$20, students \$5 (no eftpos)

SUSAN FRYKBERG: IT SHOWS REALLY, A RATHER BEAUTIFUL SPIRIT

Sat 11 Feb, 2.00 and 3.00pm
[Sarjeant on the Quay](#)
A performance piece in response to the life and art of Edith Collier. Frykberg will be accompanied by musician Ingrid Culliford, actor Kerry Girdwood and others for an immersive and multi-sensory experience. This event is free, each session limited to 30 people so booking essential 06 349 0506.

THE COMPANY - IN CONCERT

Tues 14 Feb, 7.30pm
[Sarjeant on the Quay](#)
High-energy original and traditional acoustic bluegrass music. Nashville based, NZ born George Jackson on fiddle and banjo, Brisbane’s guitar guru Jamie Clark, tenor vocals and mandolin of Townsville native Michael Patrick and Norwegian born double bassist Markus Karlsen. Tickets \$15 pre-sale & \$20 door sales. Purchase from the Gallery/
Ph: 349 0506 <http://www.thecompanybluegrass.com/wordpress/epk/>

RACING DOUBLEHEADER

Fri 17 Feb
12.40 pm - Thoroughbreds at [Wanganui Racecourse](#)
5.06 pm – Greyhounds at [Hatrick Raceway](#)
FREE entry to both events – get stamped at both for great prizes!
www.wjc.co.nz / www.wanganuigreyhounds.co.nz

LA FIESTA!

Sat 18 Feb - Fri 10 Mar
La Fiesta is NZ’s coolest festival celebrating women and community and it’s jampacked with events. Check out the programme details: <https://www.facebook.com/LaFiestaNZ/>

MG 21ST PRE-56 RALLY

Tue 21 Feb, 9am-3pm
[Pukenamu Queen’s Park, behind the Sarjeant Gallery.](#)
The public are welcome to see the cars on display at the Concours D’Etat For more information contact Michael Anderson on 021 620 065

OUR LITTLE SISTER

Mon 27 Feb, 7pm
[Davis Theatre, Whanganui Regional Museum](#)
Whanganui Film Society Pre-Season Fundraiser (Public Screening)
Kore-eda Hirokazu, Japan 2015, 128mins, Subtitles, PG
Charming drama about three 20-something sisters who meet their teenage half-sister for the first time at their father’s funeral. Admission by donation (suggested \$10). whanganuifilmsociety.org.nz

WHANGANUI FILM SOCIETY 2017

Mondays 7pm, March - November
[Davis Theatre, Whanganui Regional Museum](#)
The Whanganui Film Society returns with a full season of films from around the globe to enlighten, inspire and entertain - from classic cinema to recent festival favourites. Full programme online now and brochures out soon!
whanganuifilmsociety.org.nz

EVENING ENTERPRISE

Thursdays 2, 16, 30 March, 7pm
[Confluence Co-working Space, Level 3, 15 Watt St](#)
Three docos explore the nature of new enterprise ranging from female entrepreneurship, cooperatives, and social enterprise. Discussion with guest speakers to follow. See the website for deets!
eveningenterprise.nz

‘WOT TO WEAR & NOT TO WEAR’ FUNDRAISER – AGE CONCERN WANGANUI

Thurs 23 Mar, 6.30pm
[Memorial Hall, Whanganui War Memorial Centre](#)
TICKETS - \$30 AND INCLUDE REFRESHMENTS See our ad for more info and ticket outlets

ART WORKSHOPS

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