



# THE York FESTIVAL

# 2018

8TH SEPTEMBER - 7TH OCTOBER

## Welcome

The McGowan Government is a proud sponsor of The York Festival through its Regional Events Scheme.

The scheme was devised as a way for the Government to support smaller and emerging events in regional Western Australia to boost tourism, increase community vibrancy and participation, and develop regional areas.

The Regional Events Scheme plays an important role in positioning Western Australia as an exciting destination to visit and a great place to live by showcasing and promoting a region's unique and diverse attractions.

Sixty-nine diverse regional events across Western Australia have been funded through the 2018-19 Regional Events Scheme. This year's round includes the Regional Aboriginal Events Scheme with a funding pool of \$150,000 exclusively allocated to events delivering Aboriginal activities and experiences.

Tourism is a key pillar of the McGowan Government's plan to diversify the economy, create jobs and develop business opportunities, especially in regional Western Australia.

To achieve this we have a two-year action plan in place to help us attract more visitors to Western Australia, encourage them to stay longer, disperse further and do more while they are here.

We hope everyone enjoys the event and takes the time to explore the Wheatbelt region.

HON PAUL PAPALIA CSC MLC  
Minister For Tourism

HON ALANNAH MACTIERNAN MLC  
Minister For Regional Development

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## Venues

- 1 YORK MILL  
Henrietta St
- 2 YORK TOWN HALL  
Joaquina St
- 3 PEACE PARK  
Joaquina St
- 4 OLD ROYAL HOTEL SITE  
Cnr South St & Avon Tce
- 5 LJ HOOKER  
Davies Bldg Cnr South St & Avon Tce
- 6 110 AVON TCE
- 7 YORK COURTHOUSE  
124 Avon Tce
- 8 YORK POST OFFICE  
134 Avon Tce
- 9 NEVILLE/HARVEY ST
- 10 GALLERY 152  
152 Avon Tce
- 11 CWA  
154 Avon Tce
- 12 PIONEER AVON PARK  
Lowe St
- 13 LOWE ST CAR PARK  
Lowe St
- 14 YORK CROQUET CLUB  
Cnr Glebe St & Janet Millet Ln
- 15 ST PETERS CHURCH GILGERING  
6091 Gt Southern Hwy
- 16 BOTANICALIA  
152 Avon Terrace



## 22-24 September

A long weekend of Fibre Weaving workshops and masterclasses

### FRIDAY 21 SEPTEMBER

1-3pm	Tour of completed and under construction Wara Art sculptures	Starts Peace Park	Free
6-7pm	Artist talk and slide show with Akira Moriya and Yuko Takahashi	CWA building	Free

### SATURDAY 22 SEPTEMBER

10-4pm	Open Weave basket. Masterclass with Sian Boucher	CWA	\$160pp (online)
10-4pm	Animals. Masterclass with Sharyn Egan	Rear Gallery 152	\$160pp (online)
1pm	Cobble stitched animals with Annette Nykiel	Peace Park	\$55pp
1pm	Pixels + Fibre Nature Loom.	Peace Park	Free (suitable for 8yrs+)
5.30-7pm	Talk with Nalda Searles, Sharyn Egan, Fiona Gavino, Annette Nykiel & Myrto Angelouli	CWA	Free

### SUNDAY 23 SEPTEMBER

10am-4pm	Cobble Stitched & Bound. Masterclass with Sharyn Egan	Rear Gallery152	\$160pp (online)
10am-4pm	Coiled Baskets. Masterclass with Nalda Searles	CWA	\$160pp (online)
10.30am	Pixels + Fibre Nature Loom	Peace Park	Free (suitable for 8yrs+)
10.30am	A Nest with Eggs. Workshop with Annette Nykiel	Peace Park	Free (suitable for 8yrs+)
1pm	Coiled Baskets. Workshop with Annette Nykiel	Peace Park	\$55pp Adult beginners

### MONDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

9.30-12pm	The Magic of Bush Medicine: Talk by Vivienne 'Binyarn' Hansen	Town Hall	\$55pp**
10.30am	Pixels + Fibre Nature Loom	Peace Park	Free (suitable for 8yrs+)
10am-4pm	Flatstrap Baskets. Masterclass with Fiona Gavino	CWA	\$160pp (online)
1-4pm	The Magic of Bush Medicine: Handson Workshop with Vivienne 'Binyarn' Hansen	Town Hall	\$77pp**

\*\* Book into both sessions to receive your free copy of Vivienne's Book Noongar Bush Medicine: Medicinal Plants of the South-west of Western Australia



**3 WARA ART STRAW SCULPTURES**

**4 Venue** Old Royal Hotel site/Peace Park/  
Harvey & Neville Sts

**9 Dates** 26 August – 7 October

**Host** TYF

**Time** All Day

**Cost** Free

**4 HAY BALE CHALLENGE**

**Venue** Old Royal Hotel site

**Dates** 8 September – 7 October

**Time** All Day

Winner announced 30th September 12:30pm

**1 MAKERS MARKET**

**Venue** York Mill

**Dates** 8 & 9 September

**Time** 10AM – 4PM

**Host** Upbeat Events

**Cost** Gold coin entry

**1 TWILIGHT MARKET INCLUDES BAR & LIVE MUSIC**

**Venue** York Mill

**Dates** 8 September

**Time** 4.30 – 9PM

**Host** Upbeat Events

**Cost** Gold coin entry

**6 CLAY BOODJAR (EXHIBITION) OFFICIAL OPENING 8 SEPTEMBER AT 2PM**

**Venue** 110 Avon Terrace

**Dates** 8 September – 7 October  
Friday, Saturday and Sunday only

**Time** 10 – 4PM

**Host** Community Arts Network

**Cost** Free

**5 YORK CONVERSATIONS REWIND (EXHIBITION)**

**Venue** Corner Avon Tce/South St

**Dates** 8 September – 7 October

**Time** All day

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**10 ARTITJA SPRING SALON**

**Venue** Gallery 152

**Dates** 8 September – 23 September

**Time** 10AM - 3PM

**Host** Artitja Fine Art

**Cost** Free

**2 SPOOKY TALES NIGHT TOUR**

**Venue** York Town Hall

**Dates** 8 September & 6 October

**Time** 5:30pm

**Host** TYF

**Cost** \$5 per person (under 5yrs free)

**16 GREAT CONVICT HUNT**

**Venue** Botanicalia

**Dates** 9 September – 7 October

**Time** 11am (then at any time for the duration of the festival)

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**2 YORK SOCIETY 50TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Date** 15 September

**Time** 12pm

**Host** York Society

**2 YORK IN THE 1850S WALK WITH ROB GARTON SMITH**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Dates** 15 September 3pm  
7 October 11am

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**2 CLOCK TOUR WITH IAN PHILLIPS**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Dates** 9 & 16 September

**Time** 2pm

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**13 MURAL PAINTING**

**Venue** Lowe St carpark

**Dates** 14 – 16 September

**Time** All day

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**13 POPUP SKATE PARK**

**Venue** Lowe St carpark

**Dates** 15 & 16 September

**Time** All day

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**13 HUMAN FOOSBALL**

**Venue** Lowe St carpark

**Dates** 15 & 16 September

**Time** All day

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**12 NATURE LOOM**

**Venue** Peace Park

**Dates** 15 & 16 September

**Time** All day

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**3 RUNNING OF THE LAMBS (KIDS) EWE BEAUTIES (MUMS) RAM'S RAMPAGE (DADS)**

**Venue** Peace Park

**Dates** 16 September

**Time** 10am

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**7 WEAVING WORKSHOPS (SEE ABOVE) SHIBORI DYEING WORKSHOP WITH DIMITY GREGSON**

**Venue** Peace Park

**Dates** 22 September

**Time** 10am-2pm

**Cost** \$120pp

**2 MOOMINPAPPA AT SEA PRESENTED BY SPARE PARTS PUPPET THEATRE**

**Venue** Town Hall (upstairs)

**Dates** 22 & 23 September

**Time** 11am & 2pm daily

**Host** TYF

**Cost** \$18pp / \$16pp  
YAEI members/concession card)

**1 MEDIEVAL BANQUET**

**Venue** York Mill

**Dates** 22nd September

**Time** 6pm

**Host** York Mill

**Cost** \$65pp/Group bookings \$60pp

**12 MEDIEVAL FAYRE**

**Venue** Avon Park

**Dates** 23 September

**Time** All day

**Host** York Friendship Club

**Cost** \$5 (kids free)

**10 GALLERY NIGHTS STORIES THROUGH SONG**

**Venue** Gallery 152

**Dates** 23 September

**Time** 7-10pm (doors open at 6pm)

**Host** Gallery152

**Cost** \$12 (tix online)

**2 ARCHITECTURE TOUR WITH ROB GARTON SMITH**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Dates** 23 September & 6th October

**Time** 11am

**Host** Town Hall

**Cost** Free

**14 CROQUET + COSPLAY**

**Venue** York Croquet Club

**Dates** 28 September

**Time** 6pm

**Host** York Croquet Club

**Cost** \$12 members (YCC Members only)  
\$25 non-members

**2 SILENT DISCO (BAR OPERATING FOR LATE SESSION)**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Dates** 29 September

**Time** 4pm / 6pm / 8.30pm

**Host** TYF

**Cost** \$5 early sessions / \$25 late session

**12 KITEMAKING & FLOWER MAKING WORKSHOPS**

**Venue** Avon Park/Lowe St

**Dates** 29 & 30 September

**Time** 10-4pm

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**12 KITE FLYOFF**

**Venue** Avon Park/Lowe St

**Dates** 30 September

**Time** 2pm

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**15 GILGERING CHURCH OPEN DAY**

**Venue** Gilgering Church Open Day

**Dates** 30 September

**Time** 10am

**Host** Friends of Gilgering Church

**Cost** Free

**15 STRINGS IN SPRING WITH CHROMOS QUARTET**

**Venue** Gilgering Church

**Dates** 30 September

**Time** 2pm

**Host** Friends of Gilgering Church

**Cost** \$26.02 (tix online)

**11 IMPROVISATION MUSIC WORKSHOP**

**Venue** CWA

**Dates** 30 September

**Time** 11.30am

**Host** Outcome Unknown

**Cost** Gold Coin Donation

**11 OUTCOME UNKNOWN PERFORMANCE**

**Venue** CWA

**Dates** 30 September

**Time** 4.30pm

**Host** Outcome Unknown

**Cost** \$10pp

**7 STATELY SOUNDS: A MUSICAL TOUR OF THE BAROQUE COURTS. PERFORMANCE BY THE NEW HOLLAND CONSORT.**

**Venue** Courthouse

**Dates** 30 September

**Time** 6pm

**Host** New Holland Consort

**Cost** \$35pp / \$20 concession  
(online or at door)

**2 JARRAH CELTS CEILIDH**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Dates** 6 October

**Time** 6.30pm (doors open from 5.30pm)

**Host** TYF

**Cost** \$25pp (members \$22).  
YAEI members/concession card.

**3 VOCAL HARMONY WORKSHOP WITH IAN SIMPSON**

**Venue** Peace Park

**Dates** 7 October

**Time** 11am

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free

**2 CLOSING EVENT: COMMUNITY CONCERT FEATURING CITY SLICKERS SUPPORTED BY VINTAGE VARIETY BAND & THE UKES OF YORK**

**Venue** Town Hall

**Dates** 6 October

**Time** 1.30pm

**Host** TYF

**Cost** Free