







WELCOME TO THE 2023 RIVERLAND ROSE AND GARDEN FESTIVAL PROGRAM.

The new-look program still brings you all the festival information needed to plan visits to our wonderful open gardens, events and attractions for this year's festival.

We believe the event, in its 29th year, is an annual chance for the Riverland to come together, celebrate our beautiful region and showcase the area to the rest of South Australia and beyond.

We have a number of our regular, popular components going ahead this year including the open gardens, Waikerie and Districts Community Flower Show, Festival Fair, Gala Dinner and Renmark Institute display.

We thank all of our gardeners for their time and effort, and encourage locals and visitors to make their way to gardens listed in the program.

We promise you won't be disappointed, with gardeners from across the Riverland generously offering to showcase their wonderful gardens. They have spent hundreds of thousands of dollars across the Riverland to maintain their gardens ready for presentation, and we cannot thank them enough for their efforts.

The passion and love for all things gardening will be obvious when you take the opportunity to meander through these gorgeous properties.

For a second consecutive year, the gala dinner will be held outside of the Renmark district following the history-making change last year.

We are pleased to welcome the Loxton Precinct as our host for the popular dinner event and look forward to celebrating this year's successes in style.

Committee president Michelle Dominic will officially open the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival at the annual Festival Fair on Saturday 21 October.

This year we have welcomed new committee members and friends of the festival, and each and every single one of them has been instrumental in organising this year's event.

We would like to thank all of our wonderful sponsors, committee members, committee guests, and everyone who has made putting this event possible each and every year.

We are already planning a very special festival for next year, to help celebrate our 30th anniversary of this wonderful event.

> - Riverland Rose and Garden Festival Committee



Hon Zoe Bettison MP MINISTER FOR TOURISM

Welcome to South Australia's Riverland, and to the 2023 Riverland Rose and Garden Festival.

The Riverland is a very special part of our state. It is the largest grape growing area in Australia, and it is built around Australia's longest river, the mighty Murray. The regional community and its many vibrant businesses were hit hard by the once-in-a-century floods over the summer, a time usually peak for tourism.

It means this year's Riverland Rose and Garden Festival is more important than ever – and with 24 open gardens, it promises to be bigger and better than ever. Regional events are hugely valuable for our local economies, enticing visitors and boosting businesses – and this one does just that.

The State Government is pleased to support the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival, through the South Australian Tourism Commission's Regional Event Fund. I wish you a wonderful time experiencing all this festival has to offer, and I encourage you to explore the Riverland while you're here.



THE COMMITTEE

President: Michelle Dominic Secretary: Rebecca Kennedy Treasurer: Frankie Dunhill Open Garden Co-ordinator: Michelle Dominic Festival Fair Co-ordinator: John Chappel

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

John Chappel Richard Fewster Murray Harvey Graham Matthews Glenys Matthews Jo Pannach Glenda Cass

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SATURDAY 21 OCTOBER

Festival Fair

THE 2023 RIVERLAND ROSE AND GARDEN FESTIVAL FAIR IS WELL ON TRACK FOR ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

The popular fair and market will kick off the festival on Saturday 21 October, from 9am to 2.30pm, at the Jarrett Memorial Gardens in Renmark.

The 2023 Riverland Rose and Garden Festival will be officially opened by Michelle Dominic at 11am, during the event.

The market will again provide a great variety of stalls from delectable cakes, biscuits and condiments to fresh produce and a showcase of locally crafted jewellery, candles, toys and much more.

Wander the stalls, take in great views and treat yourself to the great food and coffee available.

The popular Riverland Kennel Club dog obedience display will return for a fourth year, with the event, run by Sue Laidler, expected to be a hit once again.

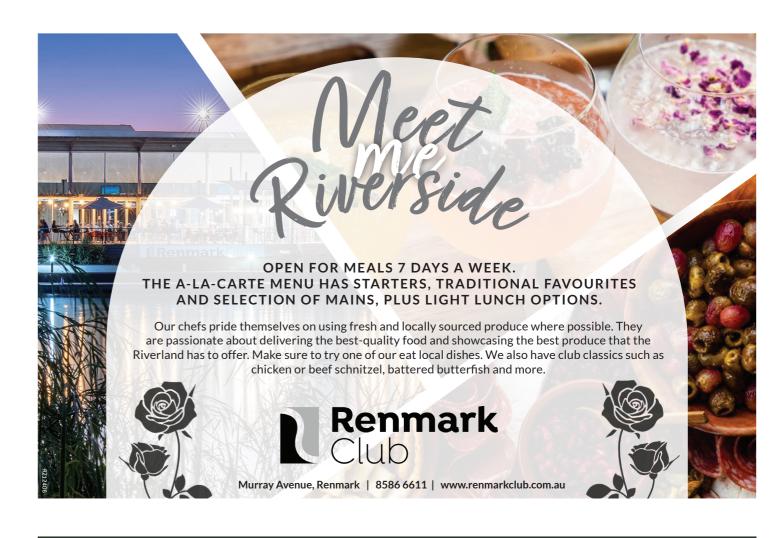
Emergency services including the Country Fire Service, State Emergency Service and Royal Flying Doctor Service will also be

Saturday 21 October 9am to 2.30pm **Jarrett Memorial Gardens**

Entry will cost \$2 at the gate, with all proceeds going towards keeping the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival in tip-top shape into the future.

Visitors with dogs will be allowed entrance with their dog kept on a leash.





A sincere thanks

to our local councils who help make this festival happen



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FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER

A night under the stars at Calperum Station

A SURPRISE GUEST,
A THREE-COURSE MEAL
AND A BUSH BREAKFAST
ARE ALL ON THE MENU FOR
THIS YEAR'S CALPERUM
STATION BUSH BALL.

Get ready for a night of enchantment and celebration as the Bush Ball kicks off 10 days of festivities in the spectacular Riverland region.

Set within the backdrop of Calperum Station, just outside of Renmark, this unique event promises an unforgettable experience filled with scrumptious food, captivating entertainment, and the spirit of the Australian bush.

Indulge in an award-winning Riverland-themed menu, designed by Salt and Pepper Catering, which will showcase the region's finest culinary creations and selections of fine wine.

The festivities kick off at 6.30pm for pre-event drinks, setting the tone for an

extraordinary night ahead

After a successful event last year, Calperum Station associate director Julie Robertson said the team are "excited to be part of the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival again".

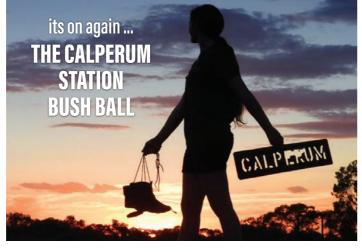
"We have a small committee organising the Bush Ball, and they are looking to get a special guest entertainer, so it's going to be great," she said.

"Also, as part of the festival we are going to be having some tours, taking people out onto the floodplains and having a look at the work that the ecologists and the rangers are doing, so there is lots planned."

With a surprise special guest entertaining, attendees are set for a spectacular evening under the stars at Calperum Station.

Camping and accommodation are available for those wanting to truly encapsulate the Bush Ball experience, which includes an optional 'morning after' Bush Breakfast on Saturday morning.

Transport to and from the station will also be available.





Friday 20 October 6.30pm Calperum Station

Tickets are available for \$150 per person. Early bird bookings priced at \$135, available until Wednesday 20 September.

For more information and booking details call 8595 7359 or email admin@alt.org.au







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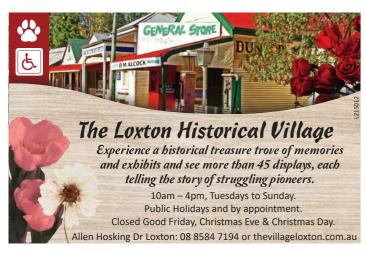
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Sunday, October 22

- 10:30am · 12:30pm
- 2:00pm

Souvenirs can be purchased onboard.





FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER - SUNDAY 22 OCTOBER

Renmark Institute's floral display

A CROWD FAVOURITE OF THE RIVERLAND ROSE AND GARDEN FESTIVAL, THE RENMARK INSTITUTE'S FLORAL DISPLAY IS BACK FOR ANOTHER SPECTACULAR YEAR.

The display will take place on the first weekend of the festival from Friday 20 October, to Sunday 22 October.

This year's theme, 'Riverlanders Are Rocking' is an ode to the 2022/23 River Murray flood, with the aim of portraying how resilient Riverland residents remained throughout the natural disaster, through the use of flowers.

A group of hard-working

volunteers come together each year to make the magic happen, spending endless hours on Wednesday and Thursday collecting flowers from gardens around the Riverland to contribute to the vibrant display that has been a mainstay of the festival for years.

Attendees will be able to walk through the floral display, taking their time to admire each unique component.

"We went through a few ideas before settling with the theme," one of the display organisers, Jill Knight said.

"What we are trying to do is show how Riverland people have shown their resilience by getting on with their normal

Friday 20 & Saturday 21 October | 9am to 4pm Sunday 22 October | 10am to 2pm 54 Ral Ral Avenue, Renmark

Entry is \$5.

FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER - SATURDAY 21 OCTOBER

Waikerie's 'fashionable' flower show

THE 41ST WAIKERIE AND DISTRICTS COMMUNITY FLOWER SHOW IN OCTOBER WILL CENTRE AROUND THE THEME OF 'FASHIONABLE FLOWERS'.

Show committee member Carole Walker is organising a floral art display, incorporating a dinner party setting and wearable fashion.

Ms Walker said participants are encouraged to do their own interpretations of the theme.

"It could be related to actual fashion such as a bonnet, or feature the latest floral trends,"

"People are very creative with what they

"A lot of people use gerberas, carnations are coming back into vogue, and roses are always in."

"Gypsophila (also known as baby's breath) is coming back into vogue and is also being used in people's flower arrangements.

"It really is what is in your garden and what you can grow in Waikerie."

The show's categories include cut flowers, roses, Australian native plants, pot plants (including orchids), children's exhibits, floral photography and floral art with open, intermediate, and novice sections.

The Waikerie and Districts Community Flower Show committee has been encouraging children to enter by offering free potting packs to them at the Waikerie Rotary Rock 'n' Roll Festival market in May.

"It is a great opportunity for grandmas to work with their grandchildren to create an entry for the flower show," Ms Walker said.



There are several different categories for

The show committee's president and secretary Glennis Crawford said Waikerie's Rain Moth Gallery has donated \$300 in prize money for the Floral Photography section.

On offer will be \$50 for the primary school category, \$100 for the secondary school category, and \$150 for the open section.

Mrs Crawford said the committee was grateful to the Loxton Waikerie council for allowing them to use the Waikerie Memorial Institute at no cost and for funding the printing of the flower show program.

She also thanked the community organisations and local businesses for their "generous support" of the show.

The former president of the Royal Agricultural & Horticultural Society of SA and Riverland Rose and Garden Festival committee member and former president Richard Fewster will officially open the show

Well-known floral art judge Alethia Quick, OAM, from Adelaide and highly regarded cut flower and rose judge James Argent from

Angaston will choose the winning exhibitors for the floral art sections and rose and cut flower sections respectively.

Entries need to be delivered to the Waikerie Memorial Institute on Thursday 19 October between 2pm and 7pm.

The show is open to the public on Friday 20 October from 10am to 5pm and will feature a free floral art demonstration at 2pm.

It will also be open on Saturday 21 October from 10am to 2pm with free children's floral art workshops from 10am, however bookings are required.

Waikerie High School's year 11 students will be serving high teas in the morning and afternoon.

Friday 20 October | 10am to 5pm Saturday 21 October | 10am to 2pm Waikerie Memorial Institute

Entry is \$5 for adults and \$4 for pensioners and free for children.

For bookings or more information contact Glennis Crawford (0428 911 521).





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SATURDAY 21 OCTOBER

Rustons Fest

GATHER TOGETHER IN THE UNIQUE ENVIRONMENT AT RUSTONS DISTILLERY FOR A FUN AFTERNOON IN THE SUN, SURROUNDED BY LUSH GARDENS.

Following the first Rustons Fest in March this year, which exceeded expectations of organisers, a second Fest will be held this October as an opening weekend event for the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival.

Local food vendors will be set up, plus Rustons' handcrafted spirits will be available to try, with Riverland produce and businesses showcased for the day

A line-up of live music will play throughout the day and into the night, with the event running from 3pm until 9pm.

With a mix of genres and styles there is sure to be something to get everyone up and dancing.

Come along, enjoy the gorgeous gardens and atmosphere at Rustons and set up for a day in the sun and a night under the stars.

Mark the date on your calendar and get someone to look after the kids, because the event is adults only. You will be required to show ID upon entry. Saturday 21 October 3pm - 9pm Rustons Distillery

To book tickets head to Eventbrite (tinyurl.com/ rustonsfest)



FRIDAY 27 OCTOBER

Gala Dinner at The Precinct

FOOD, WINE AND
ENTERTAINMENT ARE ALL
ON THE CARDS FOR THIS
YEAR'S RIVERLAND ROSE
AND GARDEN FESTIVAL GALA
DINNER.

Hosted by The Precinct in Loxton, on Friday 27 October, guests can expect a three-course, alternative-drop meal, catered by the venue's own chef, with options sure to please everyone.

Guests are encouraged to get their favourite floral attire at the ready to enjoy a great night of food, wine and live entertainment by a local musician.

The Precinct venue manager, Rachel Wagner, said she and the team were feeling "really excited" ahead of the popular festival event this October.

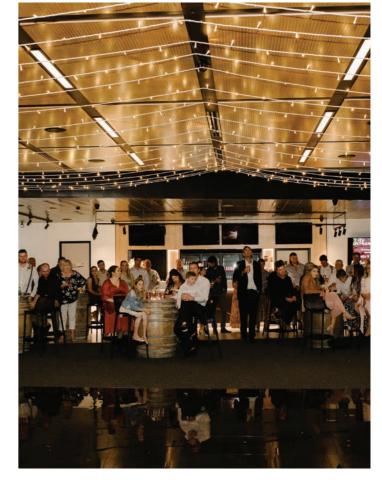
"It'll be really good to showcase our venue to people who wouldn't normally patronise us," she said.

"Being a sporting venue, there are lots of people who still haven't been here. It's nice to have an opportunity for them to come and see the venue."

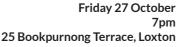
The Precinct comfortably seats 150 people, with up to 200 able to be catered to, and is set to be a "lovely space" to host the gala dinner.

Berri-based Dominic Wines will also supply local wines for the night, giving guests a chance to taste quality, Riverland wines.

This is the second time in the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival's 29-year history the Gala Dinner has been held outside of the Renmark district.







Tickets are \$100 per person, which includes the three-course meal and a drink on arrival.

An event will be created via Eventbrite closer to the Gala Dinner, so keep an eye out on Facebook to book and for more details.







Olivewood Historic Homestead & Museum

NATIONAL TRUST OF SA

Garden surrounds the 1889 original homestead of Charles and Ella Chaffey. Majestic Washingonia palm drive, heritage-listed olive plantation and sweeping lawns, plus garden beds with newly planted David Austin and old fashioned roses.

Cnr Twentyfirst Street and Sturt Highway, Renmark (08) 8586 6175



Adult: \$7 Concession: \$5 Student: \$3 Family: \$15







\$2 entry



A Blockies Garden **ELSA LOULAS**

Established over the last 30 years, the garden is home to a variety of fruit trees, a driveway with standard white icebergs and pink carpet roses, an island garden with conifers, palm trees and agapanthus lined with English box. A magnolia tree surrounded by agapanthus with crepe myrtle, plus climbing roses and irises can also be found. Free tea, coffee and Greek sweets available for morning and afternoon tea.

702 Chowilla Street, Renmark 0427 951 478



Cinnamon Grove

JENNY RICHARDS

Jenny has established this cottage-style garden around her gift shop/café over the past seven years. There are many private seating areas tucked away outside for you to enjoy, plus indoor seating. The garden includes a 20ft bridge, ponds, birds, cubbyhouse, trees, climbers, lavenders, shrubs, roses, succulents, perennials and annuals. Be inspired by the array of handmade rustic garden creations throughout. Morning/afternoon teas and lunches available.

77 Ral Ral Avenue, Renmark 0411 138 997



\$2 entry Charity: RSPCA

Buses welcome, by appointment







Riverside Estate RIVERSIDE ESTATE LIFESTYLE VILLAGE

Riverside Estate has approximately 1100 roses amongst various lawns and gardens. Some residents will open their homes for viewing, giving visitors an opportunity to see the different styles of quality homes. Potters Inn Garden Club plants for sale in the propagation area of the community garden. Stop by the recreation centre for a complimentary tea and coffee and view the display of resident artwork.

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Free entry









Courtyard Gardens

ARAKOOLA COURT RESIDENTS

Three very different courtyard gardens allow individual styles to emerge providing an opportunity to enjoy gardening without a heavy work load. Gayleen's is a pot of colour with nothing planted directly in the ground, Jenny's is slightly tropical and formal, and Sue's is more casual with emphasis on easy care. If you have a love of gardening it will stay with you forever no matter what size or style.

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Ruston's Rose Garden

RUSTONS DISTILLERY

Ruston's Rose Garden is a long-established rose garden. Established by the world-renown rosarian, David Ruston OAM, the gardeners have managed to preserve much of David's original plantings with other areas being redeveloped. There are 30 beds of released varieties on display, as well as plantings of heritage roses.

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Rustic Peace

LINDA WEBB

Wander down my long tree-lined drive and see the gerberas flowering in the boots amongst the silent frogs. Through to the backyard, overhung by tall spreading trees, sprouting hanging baskets of burrito and donkey tails, hoyas and strings of beads, dolphins and peanuts, and many more cascading from their homes, along with elk horns, air plants and bromeliads.

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\$2 entry

Wheelchair friendly: partial access





Baz & Shaz Collective Garden

BARRY SULLIVAN AND SHARRYN WEBB

Our garden is designed around 1900's farming, with a large arrangement of horse-drawn equipment on display. There are also many concrete statues scattered throughout the garden, which includes 70-plus garden

On display will be a collection of Holden Kingswood cars, and an arrangement of rustic items will be for sale.

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Water hazard: fish pond





Taylor Garden

BRAD AND LORNA TAYLOR

This large and well-established garden, on one and a half acres, features mainly roses and has various fill-in plants. A lily pond out the back is also a feature. Large amounts of potted roses together with other plants for sale.

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Buses welcome, by appointment









Wiela Gardens

IACQUI AND STEVE LANG

The gardens at Wiela were first established in the 1920s. Set amongst mature gum and box trees, plus old horse and sheep yards.

The garden features fruit trees, vegetable garden and old fire pit. David Austin, Hybrid T and floribunda roses are accompanied with hardy plantings. Keep a look out for Albert - our resident peacock.

11 Lock 6 Road, Murtho



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Rogers Garden

CRAIG ROGERS

In front of the house are ornamental pear and plum trees, and grasses. The driveway island has palms, golden elms, roses, lawn and shrubs.

Along the north side are grevilleas, bottle brushes, and banksias. The western end has a large lawn area, featuring shady Chinese elm, oak and plane trees. A fruit and nut orchard are found behind the house.

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Nookamka Gardens **GRAHAM AND GLENYS MATTHEWS**

Since 2018, Graham and Glenys have continued to progressively develop Nookamka Gardens in Barmera. Visitors will be captivated as they wander through a hectare of cottage, native and rose gardens, each with its own unique style. Pathways meander through the gardens with salvia, bearded iris, wisteria, frangipani, and water features. Plants are available for purchase from Grandma's Plant Table. Tea and coffee available.

131 Nookamka Terrace, Barmera

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Andary Garden

TREVOR ANDARY

Trevor has a passion for recycling materials. This is showcased in all parts of the garden, accompanied by hardy plantings of roses, salvia, grasses, and so much more. Not to forget the variety of cacti that has been there for 40 plus years.

This is the first open for this garden. So much to see and enjoy!

118 Battams Road, Glossop 0488 321 485



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Buses welcome, by appointment





Drabsch Garden

SUE AND DENIS DRABSCH

Come for a wander around our quirky, rustic garden featuring rustic pieces, mosaics and old farm equipment. My love of repurposing everyday objects into garden art can be seen throughout our garden, which has a mixture of shrubs, daisies, clivias, princess lilies, salvias, geraniums and a large range of succulents. Morning and afternoon tea available, plus repurposed goods and garden art for sale.

2365 Kingston Road, Loxton 0430 841 265



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Arnold Garden

BERNICE AND BARRY ARNOLD

This thriving 8-year-old flourishing town garden takes advantage of all the seasons with a wonderful river view. Their north facing red gum-constructed raised veggie beds have produce all year round.

Large wonderful established gardens with many selfseeding plants and annuals. See their many undercover majestic pot plants for inspiration. Plants available for

1 Crocker Crescent, Loxton 0427 839 411

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The Pines Historic House **And Garden**

THE PINES

The 2010 ABC Regional Museum Award winning property, Loxton's Historic House and Garden was begueathed to the people of Loxton by Ella Kingdon in 2002 "for display and entertainment purposes". Passionate volunteers have maintained the property to its pristine condition for the public to wander through, and is available for events including weddings, family celebrations, and informal dining.

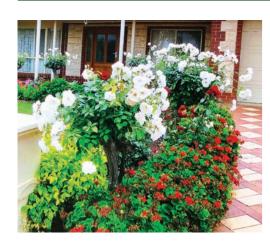
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\$2 entry Guided tours at 2pm: \$10 per person

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Falting Garden

JUDY AND TREVOR FALTING

Our semi-formal front garden features a bright geranium welcome hedge, which is a colourful attraction most of the year. We have borders of established and thriving standard iceberg roses and gerberas. Find out how this garden flourishes with the sun, winter, soil and the

On display at the front will be Trevor's giant metal art yabby!

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Schulz Garden

NOLA SCHULZ

This three-year-old formal courtyard garden has inspiring ideas with colours and structures giving personality, diversity and productivity. Large planter boxes rotate annuals, veggies and plants. Last year's vertical garden wall idea suits perfectly for all season's plantings. Vintage windows, doors and art add charm to this easy-care private garden, landscaped behind two roller doors. Plant stall available.

7 Henry Street, Loxton 0407 845 790

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Medea House

JACQUI AND KELVIN WESTBROOK

Large wonderful established gardens. Tall trees and shrubs lead to old implements, heritage wall, towering pines and fountain. Low stone walls compliment hedges and garden beds. Statues, urns and large archways always add their magic. The original stone cellar is a feature to behold. Home built in 1900, overlooks the River Murray. Riverside features, terraced gardens and windmill, plus amazing views! Come. Discover. Enjoy.

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Gladigau Garden RAELENE AND MERV GLADIGAU

Our easy-care back courtyard garden is what we grow and cherish. We have many shade lovers in our outdoor home garden room. The best location has been found for sun loving succulents, with orchids, bromeliads and clivias thriving in their special place. As previous farm owners, many plants have adjusted to take advantage of all the seasons.

1 Dowd Place, Loxton Retirement Village 0448 874 312

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Gold coin donation Charity: RFDS







Loxton Historical Village

LOXTON HISTORICAL VILLAGE

Doecke's Cottage Garden has been rejuvenated with new soil and also roses and annuals after losing 90 per cent of plantings due to salty seepage from the flood.

The Rock Garden is a beautiful garden with numerous large rocks providing tiers and casual seating. This is an eclectic garden created using a diverse range of plants with 12 well-established eucalypts providing dappled

Allen Hosking Drive (formerly Scenic Drive), Loxton (08) 8584 7194

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See website for pricing: thevillageloxton.com.au





Patio Garden Oasis

MARY AND DAVID CHILD

We have a wonderful diverse patio garden with many ideas for new and budding gardeners. The side entrance leads to a bright and thriving oasis, with an extensive bromeliad collection grouped in harmony with a huge crow's nest fern.

See many diverse plants, some with distinctive names to describe their amazing flowers. Thriving veggie raised garden beds, and much more.

20 Winn Circuit, Loxton Retirement Village 0407 798 653

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Yhlpa Frahn's Farm

GARY AND YVETTE FRAHN

Frahn's Farm is a native environmental, wetland paradise. A diverse and extensive planting of native vegetation encourages a diverse range of wildlife, including kangaroo and echidna.

The farm is also home to international equine artist Yvette Frahn and her 'Tractor shed studio'. This farm offers walking trails and a collection of farm machinery.

956 Aunger Road, Bugle Hut 0427 956 009

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Some areas accessible by vehicle







Graceland

GRACE AND LAWRIE KALISCH

Features a formal front garden with a row of standard Seduction roses behind a picket fence. Blends of favourite roses and irises planted throughout the garden, with a mix of other flowers and plants creating a cottage look. Walk through the pergola to the back garden with raised garden beds, espaliered fruit trees and herb garden.

Plants, jams, sauces, etc. for sale

15 Miller Street, Waikerie 0438 854 270

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EVENTS



Floral Display RENMARK INSTITUTE

Open to the public on the first weekend of the festival, the Renmark Institute's floral display is a popular choice for visitors and locals attending the festival. This year, display organisers will showcase an ode to the resilience of residents in the river flooding event with the theme Riverlanders are Rocking.

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\$5 per person

Fri 20 & Sat 21: 9am-4pm Sunday 22: 10am-2pm



Waikerie And Districts Community Flower Show

WAIKERIE AND DISTRICTS COMMUNITY

Show is open to the public on 20 and 21 October. Highlights include a floral art display, a floral photography competition with \$300 in prize money, and a free children's floral art workshop.



Children: Free Adults: \$5 Pensioners: \$4

Friday 20: 10am-5pm Saturday 21: 10am-2pm

Waikerie Memorial Institute 2 McCoy Street, Waikerie



Art Exhibition - Wendy NealANGOVE FAMILY WINEMAKERS

Renmark Institute, 54 Ral Ral Avenue

Angove Family Winemakers welcomes local Riverland Artist Wendy Neal. Wendy works in water colour and oils on a range of mediums including porcelain, canvas, card and items from nature. Wendy was commissioned to create a mural depicting the development of horticulture in our region, which is on display at Olivewood. This exhibition showcases Wendy's passion for the local environment – rivers, wild life and our majestic River Red Gums.

Angove Family Winemakers Cellar Door, 271 Bookmark Avenue, Renmark (enter via 25th Street)

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Free entry

Mon to Fri: 10am-5pm Sat & Sun: 11am-4pm



Calperum Bush Ball

AUSTRALIAN LANDSCAPE TRUST

Three-course meal by Salt and Pepper Catering. Camping and accommodation available (including an optional 'morning after' Bush Breakfast on Saturday morning). A surprise special guest will be entertaining until late. Transport to and from the station available.

For more information and booking details call (8595 7359) or email the station (admin@alt.org.au).

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\$150 per person

Early bird special: \$135 per person until 20 September



Rocktails

TOP BLOCK WINES

Rose, citrus and wine cocktails available. Complimentary tastings of all wines. Select from food platter items or bring your own platter. Open every day of the festival and no ticket required.

For more information contact Bruce (0408 245 749) or visit the website: www.topblockwines.com.au

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Cocktails to be purchased.



Festival Fair Renmark Paringa Council

The official event to open the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival, the Festival Fair will see dozens of local stallholders and organisations set up for the day in Renmark. Enjoy views of the river, watch on as good dogs show their skills in an obedience display, and visit the region's producers and business owners to see what they have on offer.

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Top Block Wines, 95 Whitelaw Road, Monash Bruce: 0408 245 749



Renmark Uniting Church is holding a Devonshire morning tea. A trading table will be set up, plus cakes, produce, and handicrafts will all be for sale.

Phone 8586 4008 with inquiries.

76 Renmark Ave, Renmark

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\$6 per person

Booking essential for buses and groups





Designing A Modern Cottage Garden

Jarrett Memorial Gardens, Renmark

THE PATCH NURSERY

Come in for a chat about doing a basic check on the soil, light and frost conditions in your perfect cottage garden spot. Followed by a look at garden design with a focus on year-round colour, and growing cut flower varieties to bring some life inside. From in-style natives to cottage classics, we will help give you some great options for Riverland conditions.

245 Industry Road, Renmark 0422 463 432

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Wheelchair friendly: gravel paths







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Making Our Mark

U3A ART GROUP

Hosted by the U3A (University of the Third Age) Art Group, a diverse range of artwork of approximately 30 U3A members who attend the art group will be on

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PS Industry Cruises

PS INDUSTRY

Step back in time with a cruise aboard PS Industry - an authentic steam powered work boat commissioned in 1911. Running at various times throughout the festival.

For further information please contact the Renmark Paringa Visitor Centre on 1300 661 704. 22 10.30PM, 12.30PM & 2PM

> See website for pricing: psindustry.org.au

U3A, Strawbridge Street, Berri





Dividing & Repotting Orchids THE RIVERLAND ORCHID SOCIETY

The Riverland Orchid Society will host two days of dividing and repotting orchids at Nookamka Gardens in

Nookamka Gardens, 131 Nookamka Tce, Barmera

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Berri River Cruise

BERRI RIVERSIDE HOLIDAY PARK

84 Murray Ave, Renmark

1300 661 704

Cruise the River Murray aboard Fay while taking in the serene surroundings and enjoying a three-course meal. Travel downstream past the Booky Cliffs to Lock 4 before leisurely heading back to Berri, enjoying the Katarapko National Park scenery. Adults will receive a complimentary glass of bubbles.

For inquiries and bookings, call the Berri Riverside Holiday Park on 8582 3723 or visit: www.berriholidaypark.com.au

Riverview Drive, Berri 8582 3723



Adults: \$85.50 **Children: \$42.75**

Boarding at 11.15am for 11.30am departure



Twilight Cocktails In The Garden

BIRDYS BAR

0419 807 837

Birdys Bar, a mobile cocktail bar, hosting cocktails along with entertainment in a magical setting as the sun sets in the Waikerie War Memorial Gardens.

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Flower Power

LYN ANSTEY

0412 283 233

Join Riverland artist Lyn Anstey in a fun-filled Paint 'n' Sip afternoon. Cost is \$55 per person, which includes all art materials to use and canvas to take home. Bookings essential by calling 0412 283 233.

Woolshed Brewery, 65 Wilkinson Road, Murtho

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Bookings essential. Buses need to prebook, only 15 spaces in workshop.





War Memorial Gardens, 25 Jemison St, Waikerie 0422 282 477



Vertical Hanging Succulent Box Workshop

JOY SMITH

Join this workshop with Joy Smith to assemble and plant a vertical hanging succulent box. Cost includes materials, succulent cuttings and workshop demonstration on how to make your own succulent box. Morning tea supplied. Spaces limited, six people total. People aged 18 or over. Call 0418 832 318 or (08) 8595 3252 to book your space.

Garden of Joy Smith, Renmark North 0418 832 318 | (08) 8595 3252

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\$60 per person

Cost includes materials Booking essential



Fun. Food And Fashion BASSHAM WINES

Come, relax and enjoy this beautiful garden and surrounds. Fashion parade by Country Proud Clothing. Entry cost includes Devonshire afternoon tea. Wine by the glass available to purchase while you peruse a variety of goodies on the trading table. All proceeds to the Women's and Children's Hospital.

27 Bassham Road, Barmera 0417 883 706

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\$15 per person Charity: Women's and Children's Hospital





Succulent Christmas Tree Workshop

JOY SMITH

Join this workshop with Joy Smith to assemble and plant a succulent Christmas tree. Cost includes materials, succulent cuttings and workshop demonstration on how to make your own succulent Christmas tree. Afternoon tea supplied. Spaces limited, six people total, People aged 18 or over. Call 0418 832 318 or (08) 8595 3252 to book your space.

Garden of Joy Smith, Renmark North 0418 832 318 | (08) 8595 3252

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\$70 per person

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Village Special Day

LOXTON HISTORICAL VILLAGE

Very special festival entry price for all visitors. Devonshire tea available all day, served with locally made jam and cream for \$6. Native bouguet demonstrations by floral artist Jetty Baks at 11am, 12.30pm and 2pm.

Potted colour and succulents, flora and fauna themed cards by local artists, jewellery and glass art, and vintage bric-a-brac all for sale.

Allen Hosking Drive (formerly Scenic Drive), Loxton (08) 8584 7194



\$6 per person







Dreams

in Berri!

COUNTRY ARTS SA

Fleetwood Mac tribute show with all the outfits, moves, stories, big guitar leads and harmonies that undergird all the iconic Fleetwood Mac and Stevie Nicks songs. Don't miss this show if you are a Mac fan. Run time is 170 minutes. Tickets \$60 via the Country Arts SA website (www.countryarts.org.au/venues/ chaffey-theatre/#events-shows).

Chaffey Theatre, Seventeenth St, Renmark

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\$60 per person

Group bookings available



Riverland Woodworkers Open Day

RIVERLAND WOODWORKERS

Held at the craft centre, rear of the old Renmark high school. The group - formed in 2004 - will have a comprehensive display of woodworking tools and machines for members to work with. Members can learn woodturning, scroll sawing, furniture making and repairs. Wooden toys, bowls, etc for sale at various prices. Phone Trudi (0417 822 067) with enquiries.

Lot 298a Ral Ral Ave, Renmark Trudi: 0417 822 067



Free entry







BERRI BARMERA COUNCIL Join us for our free family-friendly twilight street market

A place for people to meet, enjoy tasty food and drinks, listen to live local music, browse an assortment of stalls or learn about sustainability and recycling activities. Explore our Suitcase Rummage or swap your opera yabby nets for a pyramid net courtesy of RecFish SA.

Vaughan Terrace, Berri www.berribarmera.sa.gov.au/fiesta



Free entry

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Calperum Wetlands Walk

AUSTRALIAN LANDSCAPE TRUST

Explore Calperum on our guided walk along the creeks and wetlands of Calperum. The approximately 5km walk passes by ecological and cultural sites. Meet the many native birds and animals as you quietly explore this special place. Enjoy morning tea with the famous Calperum Saltbush damper and local condiments on the water's edge. To book a tour call (8595 7359) or email (admin@alt.org.au).

Wentworth Road, Calperum Station, SA 8595 7359

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\$45 per person, limited places

Booking essential



Calperum Floodplain Tour AUSTRALIAN LANDSCAPE TRUST

Tour the floodplain with the Calperum team. Learn about the ecological and cultural aspects of the area and experience the many birds and wildlife that call Calperum home. Enjoy morning tea with the famous Calperum Saltbush damper and local condiments on the water's edge. To book a tour call (8595 7359) or email (admin@alt.org.au).

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\$65 per person \$45 self-drive tag-a-long



Rose Festival Bingo

RENMARK BOWLING CLUB

Bingo night at Renmark Bowling Club. Eyes down at 7.30pm. Supper will be provided, get in early to secure

For enquiries phone 0419 862 124 or email (renmarkbowling@bigpond.com).

Renmark Bowling Club, Cowra St, Renmark 0419 862 124

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Cupcake Workshop

ZYNSKI BAKES

Have fun in this flower-themed cupcake workshop and learn how to make gorgeous cupcake bouquets with award-winning dessert bakery Zynski Bakes.

To book go to (zynskibakes.com.au).

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\$120 per person

Includes ingredients Cupcakes to keep



Loxton Garden Club High Tea LOXTON GARDEN CLUB

Wander through the half-acre garden of roses, annuals, perennials, shrubs and 75-year-old ornamental trees nestled in amongst the vineyards. Be entertained by concert pianist Dorothea Schrapel, enjoy a delicious variety of food, including gluten free, and endless cups of tea and coffee. Prizes for best and most-loved garden hat, plus cut flower judging. Enquiries to Jacque Schulz (0402 158 759) or Deanna Chapman (0438 845 966).

Salmon Gum Estates, 196 French Road, Loxton North Jacque: 0402 158 759 | Deanna: 0438 845 966



\$20 per person Charity: RFDS

Bookings essential



RAMCO PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Together We Learn'

Gala Dinner

THE PRECINCT

Hosted by The Precinct in Loxton, the Gala Dinner will provide guests with a three-course, alternative drop meal. The venue's own chef will cater the event, and local wines will be on offer. Your ticket to the event includes a drink on arrival, and entertainment from a local musician throughout the night.

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\$100 per person



P.O.T. Luck: **Stories From The Garden** RIVERLAND YOUTH THEATRE

A night of raw, colourful stories for the perfectly imperfect. This time, the stories come straight from the garden, from our farms and our forests. You'll get some special commissioned stories from local green thumbs, gardeners, vintners and ecologists and then the night becomes open mic as we invite you and your stories to

Renmark Institute, 54 Ral Ral Avenue, Renmark 8586 3437



Gold coin donation

Buses welcome, by appointment.









Enjoy fun floral workshops for adults and kids at the Ramco PS Parents & Friends fundraising fete.

For more information on floral workshops and workshop fees contact Louise (0428 825 967) or check (renmarkroses.com.au).

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Gold coin donation

Buses welcome, by appointment.



Car Boot Plant Sale

BERRI LIONS CLUB

Buy and sell indoor and outdoor pot plants, garden and native plants, old and new artefacts, garden art, gardening tools and equipment, and bits for your garden. Special attractions include Berri Barmera Landcare native plants and presentations, Riverland Orchid Society dividing and repotting, plus Little Miss Daisy coffee and Lions barbecue available. For information contact Theresa Andrew (0417 454 963) or Rob Cook (0458 115 203).

Berri Senior Citizens Club, 9/12 Crawford Tce, Berri Theresa: 0417 454 963 | Rob: 0458 115 203



Free entry









Pre-Loved & Vintage Clothing Market

Ramco Primary School, Ramco Road

Louise: 0428 825 967

COOSH & CO

Coosh & Co's pop-up Pre-Loved & Vintage Clothing Market is on again! This event is for those seeking a bargain, love upcycling fashion and re-wearing outfits. Vintage and pre-loved clothing promotes sustainable and ethical fashion through upcycling. BYO bag for shopping and cash (most stalls will only be taking cash).

Shop 14, Chaffey Colonnades, Renmark Avenue cooshandco.com | 0413 156 830





How To Be A Happy Gardener DOCTOR CORINA SIMS | OT JULIE FACEY

Come and see Doctor Corina Sims and occupational therapist Julie Facey present tips and tricks, and the how and why, of starting and continuing to engage in the amazing activity of gardening. Hosted in a beautiful private garden setting.

295 Kulkyne Street, Renmark 0407 266 227

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ATTRACTIONS



Botanic Blush, Paint & Sip JACQUI MASON

Join Jacqui Mason for an enchanting artistic experience in the beautiful surroundings of Banrock Station. Don't miss this opportunity to express yourself through art, while enjoying a unique blend of nature, creativity, and culinary delights.

Cost: \$90 per person, includes all workshop materials, glass of bubbles and platter.

Banrock Station Wine & Wetlands Centre, Holmes Rd, Kingston-On-Murray www.banrockstation.com.au | (08) 8583 0299



\$90 per person

Buses welcome, by appointment





Loxton Tree Sculptures

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF LOXTON WAIKERIE

Riverland artist Tim Baulderstone shaped the trunks of aleppo pines in 2014, sculpting the public art with a chainsaw and angle grinder. Year 9 art students from Loxton High School helped design the creations using clay. This area is now home to 16 incredible carvings including a frill-necked lizard, sulphur-crested cockatoo and a goanna, set among a natural environment for all to enjoy.

Bookpurnong Terrace, Loxton



Free entry



Colour Bursts BONNEY THEATRE DIGITAL MURAL

A revolving nightly light show will be displayed on Barmera's Bonney Theatre wall, showcasing images of past and present Festival gardens and events. The digital mural will show from 7pm to 9pm every night of the festival and is presented by Berri Barmera Council.

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Free entry

Pascoe Terrace, Barmera



Renmark Rose Walk & Drive

RENMARK PUBLIC ROSE GARDENS

Renmark Paringa Council's Renmark Rose Drive and Walk has been prepared to help find, identify and take pleasure in the beautiful roses that are on show in their public rose beds. Council maintains more than 4500 rose bushes throughout Renmark and Paringa. To obtain a copy of the drive and walking guide, see the Renmark Visitor Information Centre.

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Lion Allan Thurmer Recreational Trail & Martin Bend Wetland

BERRI BARMERA COUNCIL

Renmark, SA

A short distance from the centre of Berri, this 2.8km loop of the local wetlands begins at the Berri marina and extends to Martin Bend. The trail includes five lagoons and a permanent connection to the river. An amble along this mainly flat loop takes about one hour, and is a great way to appreciate the local ecosystem and diversity of flora and fauna populations.

Riverview Drive, Berri berribarmera.sa.gov.au/trails

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Free entry

Murray Pioneer PROUDLY SUPPORTING THE RIVERLAND ROSE AND GARDEN FESTIVAL

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(08) 8586 8000

www.murraypioneer.com.au
78-80 Ral Ral Avenue. Renmark 5341







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YOUR LEADERS IN LOCAL





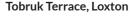
Loxton Pioneer Memorial Garden

DISTRICT COUNCIL OF LOXTON WAIKERIE

View more than 200 beautiful roses located in the Loxton Pioneer Memorial Gardens with the sundial and surrounds paying tribute to the early pioneers of the region.

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Free entry





Art Trail RAIN MOTH GALLERY

The Waikerie Rain Moth Gallery will host an exhibition by popular artist Alan Ramachandra, in his second visit to the gallery in recent years. Also enjoy the gift shop's range of locally produced arts, craft, jewellery, metalwork, ceramics, textiles, glassware and books. Also a Visitor Information Centre, get some local knowledge and learn about other public artwork to see in town.

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Free entry

Mon to Tues: 10.30am-4pm Wed to Fri: 10.30am-2.30pm Sat: 10am-1pm

4 Peake Terrace, Waikerie





RIVERLAND ROSE AND GARDEN FESTIVAL 20-29 OCTOBER 2023 SEMINAR SERIES

Proud supporter of the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival

the home of Kev's Quirky Creations!

Kev has 48 years experience. Open 10am till 4pm everyday.

17 Renmark Ave, Renmark | 0428 951 399







The Riverland Rose and Garden Festival - Seminar Series

TWO DAYS OF SEMINARS WILL RETURN TO RIVERSIDE ESTATE. RENMARK FOR THIS YEAR'S FESTIVAL.

Subjects on offer this year are bees, native plants and

horticulture, presented by three renowned speakers in their respective fields.

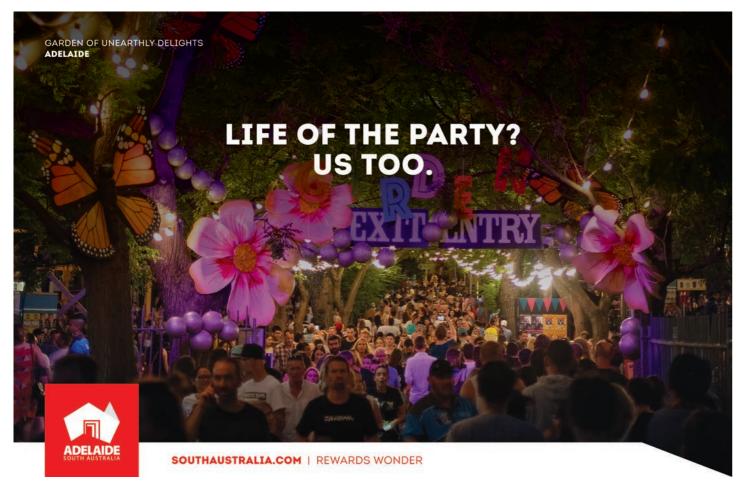
To be held in the community centre at Riverside Estate, a display of over 1000 rose bushes will provide a spectacular display for all seminar attendees.

Wednesday 25 October | 10am & 1pm Thursday 26 October | 10am Riverside Estate, Murray Dyer Avenue, Renmark

Cost per person is \$15, including lunch.

Numbers will be limited, so get in quick to secure your spot in the audience.

To book, phone Riverside Estate (1800 031 588) or email (lifestyle@riversideestaterenmark.com.au) by 18 October.



The Speakers







KERRY CHAMBERS, OF HALF BARREL HONEY

Affectionately known as the Riverland Bee Lady, Kerry returns secret life of bees: learn about to the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival seminars for a third consecutive year. Kerry provides a captivating story on just about everything you need to know about bees: from their role in food production to keeping your own hive. She is passionate about bees, their role in society and the food chain and is an expert on how to integrate bees into everyday life. Come along

and learn about the incredible the natural behaviour of bees within their colony, the types of bees in a colony, what they collect from our environment and how they swarm to create new colonies. Get an insight into how beekeepers use this natural behaviour to produce honey, wax, surplus queens and, of course, thriving bee colonies. As she says, one third of the food we eat relies on bee

pollination for success including canola, citrus, apples, avocadoes, apricots, cherries, stone fruits and almonds to name a few. She is also passionate about the Host a Hive program, which provides an opportunity for individuals to reap all the benefits of having a beehive in their own backyard but without the stress. As she will explain, your garden and fruit trees will get a boost from the bee pollination and as a reward get the sweetest gift of all - honey.

DAY ONE 1PM



WEDNESDAY 25 OCTOBER



TIM FIELD, OF RIVERLAND NATIVE PLANTS

A specialist in the field of native plants, Tim will share his extensive knowledge about how natives can produce flowers for the garden all year round. Owner of Riverland Native Plants in Loxton North, Tim and his family have spent the last two decades focusing on growing plants with community and governmental

nurseries, and assisted with annual tree planting projects to rehabilitate the landscape with native plants for fauna habitat. Tim's background is in the public sector as an ecologist and he knows native species like the back of his hand. Working in the Riverland landscape has fuelled Tim's love for native plants,

with a greater understanding of the landscape and how certain natives work with others. including what suits local soils.



DAY TWO 10AM THURSDAY 26 OCTOBER



IAN TOLLEY, WORLD-RENOWNED HORTICULTURALIST

If you want to be stimulated by your plant passions, come to lan's seminar session to learn about developing good soil composition and activity. Ian has been hosting masterclasses through southern Australia for more than 30 years. They continue to be very popular and he has altered the format to include some more local

relevancies such as his personal experiences with both 1956 and 2023 River Murray floods. There are many interesting offsets involving trees and shrubs under flood pressures and what to consider in the way of plant recovery. A major part of such a desire is to understand what happened to soils submerged and

understand the basic physiology of how biota in those soils work in conjunction with submerged plant and shrub roots. He has detailed, what participants might want to talk about in the plant world including watering, or too much, fertilizing and what happens in the soils. That list is endless.





The Riverland's Garden Clubs

THE RIVERLAND IS HOME TO SEVERAL GARDEN CLUBS, WITH RICH HISTORIES AND MEMBERS WITH PLENTIFUL KNOWLEDGE ON GARDENING AND FLOWERS.

The Loxton, Waikerie and Districts, Berri Barmera and Renmark garden clubs are all members of The Garden Clubs of Australia, a non-profit organisation formed by Margaret Davis OBE in 1950.

The organisation provides a range of services to its members and affiliated clubs. The primary and major object of The Garden Clubs of Australia is to extend the culture of gardening into the wider community for the benefit of all citizens.



WAIKERIE & DISTRICTS GARDEN CLUB

Established in 2001 by a dedicated group of local residents, continuing with an ardent group of leaders over the years, who promote the motto 'friendship through gardens'. We welcome anyone with a love of plants and flowers and an interest in gardening. The knowledge and passion shared by members is amazing, with additional knowledge from guest speakers and workshops, plus garden visits and annual bus trips. We hold a regular competition for Flower of the Month and have dedicated members who choose a Garden of the Month from within the districts. The club meets at the Ramco Institute every second Tuesday at 7pm in winter and 7.30pm in summer, unless activities dictate alternate day and time. Everyone is welcome to attend and join in for a light supper.



LOXTON GARDEN CLUB

The Loxton Garden Club began on 5 May 1959 and was active until membership dwindled, and the club went into recess in 2013. In 2018 the garden club resumed and is once again very successful, having a strong membership and holding their annual high tea event with funds raised going to the Royal Flying Doctor Service (RFDS). Meetings held on the fourth Sunday of the month, at the Loxton Club's Woolshed Room from 2pm, when not out and about visiting gardens. For further information contact Jacque Schulz (0402 158 759) or lan Cass (0428 876 220), or send an email to: loxtongardenclub@gmail.com



BERRI BARMERA GARDEN CLUB

The Berri Barmera Garden Club meets every third Sunday afternoon from 1.30pm at the Riverland Central Church, Mortimer Road, Berri. Regular guest speakers come along and in the warmer months we often go out on excursions around the Riverland.

The meetings usually go for an hour and a half and conclude with afternoon tea. We are always looking for new members, so if you are interested please call secretary John Fewster (0409 885 811) for more information.



RIVERLAND ORCHID SOCIETY INC

Established in Loxton in 1977, the society allows members to display orchids, share ideas, provide demonstrations, and listen to guest speakers at meetings. During the year, the club hosts shows, visits other clubs and views collections.

Meetings are held every second Sunday, at the Uniting Church, Belmont Hall, Denny Street in Berri from 1.30pm. New members and visitors are always welcomed. Contact Trevor (0419 184 659) for more information



CHAFFEY ROSE CLUB

The Chaffey Rose Club was started in 1996 and is affiliated with the Rose Society of South Australia. The club does not meet on a regular basis but through the year we have day trip visits to local gardens, lunches etc.

The club is about promoting the rose. Neutrog products are available to members at heavily discounted prices. Contact Elly (0427 955 206) or Jill (0415 387 943) for more information.





RENMARK GARDEN CLUB

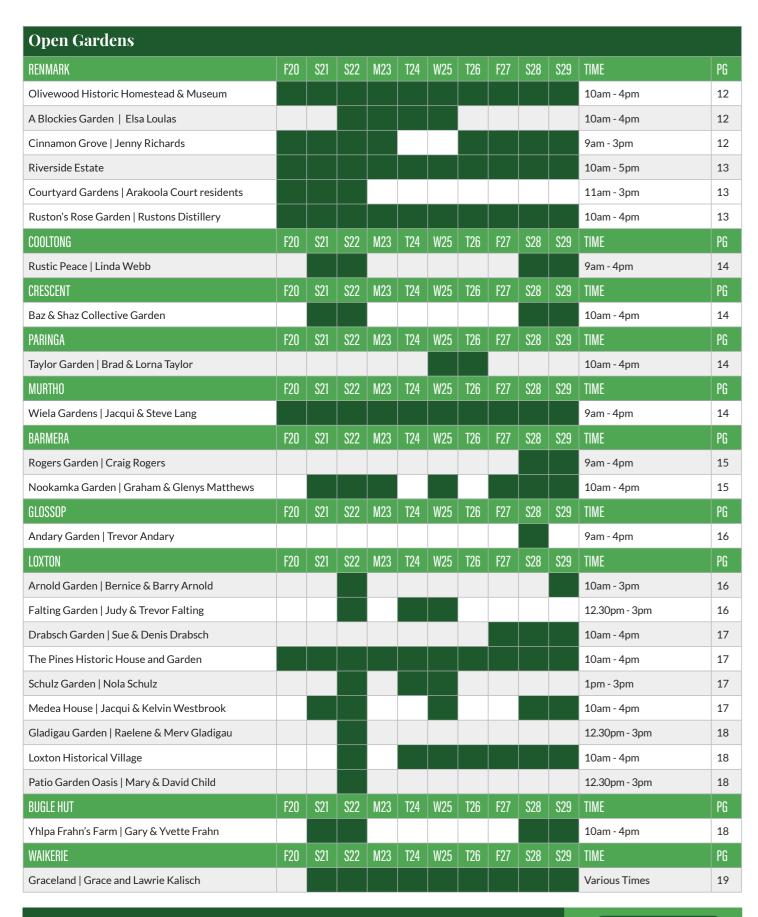
The Renmark Garden Club Inc meets on the third Tuesday of the month, at 7.30pm, in the Senior Citizens clubrooms at 75 Ral Ral Avenue, Renmark. The evening consists of much fun and laughter, friendship, a raffle, a trading table, a guest speaker and a tasty supper. For further information contact Marilyn (0411 040 110). New members are always welcome.







RIVERLAND ROSE AND GARDEN FESTIVAL 20-29 OCTOBER 2023



Stay up-to-date with Open Gardens and Events

Follow the Riverland Rose & Garden Festival on www.renmarkroses.com or facebook.com/renmarkrosefestival to recieve updates on all Open Gardens and Events.





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| Floral Display Renmark Institute | | | | | | | | | | | Various Times | 22 |
| Art Exhibition - Wendy Neal | | | | | | | | | | | Various Times | 22 |
| Rocktails Top Block Wines | | | | | | | | | | | 12.30pm-5.30pm | 22 |
| Devonshsire Morning Tea | | | | | | | | | | | From 10am | 2: |
| Waikerie & Districts Community Flower Show | | | | | | | | | | | From 10am | 2 |
| Calperum Bush Ball | | | | | | | | | | | From 6.30pm | 2 |
| Festival Fair | | | | | | | | | | | 9am - 2.30pm | 2 |
| Designing A Modern Cottage Garden | | | | | | | | | | | 10am | 2 |
| Making Our Mark | | | | | | | | | | | 10am - 3pm | 2 |
| Dividing & Repotting Orchids | | | | | | | | | | | 11am & 1pm | 2 |
| Twilight Cocktails In The Garden | | | | | | | | | | | 5pm | 2 |
| Vertical Hanging Succulent Box Workshop | | | | | | | | | | | 9.45am - 1pm | 2 |
| PS Industry Cruises | | | | | | | | | | | 10.30am, 12.30pm & 2pm | 2 |
| Berri River Cruise | | | | | | | | | | | 11.15am | 2 |
| Flower Power | | | | | | | | | | | 12.30pm - 3pm | 2 |
| Fun, Food and Fashion | | | | | | | | | | | 1pm - 4pm | 2 |
| Succulent Christmas Tree Workshop | | | | | | | | | | | 1.45pm - 5pm | 2 |
| Dreams | | | | | | | | | | | 3pm | 2 |
| Twilight Fiesta | | | | | | | | | | | 4pm - 9pm | 2 |
| Calperum Floodplain Tour | | | | | | | | | | | 9am - 12noon | 2 |
| Loxton Historical Village Special Day | | | | | | | | | | | 10am - 4pm | 2 |
| Riverland Woodworkers Open Day | | | | | | | | | | | 9am - 4pm | 2 |
| Seminar Series Kerry Chambers | | | | | | | | | | | 10am | 3 |
| Seminar Series Tim Field | | | | | | | | | | | 1pm | 3 |
| Calperum Wetlands Walk | | | | | | | | | | | 9am - 12noon | 2 |
| Seminar Series Ian Tolley | | | | | | | | | | | 10am | 3 |
| Rose Festival Bingo | | | | | | | | | | | 7.30pm | 2 |
| Cupcake Workshop Zynski Bakes | | | | | | | | | | | 1.30pm - 3.30pm | 2 |
| Gala Dinner | | | | | | | | | | | 7pm | 2 |
| Ramco Primary School Fete | | | | | | | | | | | 9am - 2pm | 2 |
| Pre-Loved & Vintage Clothing Market | | | | | | | | | | | 9.30am - 1pm | 2 |
| Loxton Garden Club High Tea | | | | | | | | | | | 2pm - 5pm | 2 |
| P.O.T. Luck: Stories From The Garden | | | | | | | | | | | 7pm | 2 |
| Car Boot Plant Sale | | | | | | | | | | | 10am - 2pm | 2 |
| How To Be A Happy Gardener | | | | | | | | | | | 12noon - 1pm | 2 |
| Botanic Blush, Paint & Sip | | | | | | | | | | | 1pm - 3pm | 3 |
| Colour Bursts | | | | | | | | | | | 7pm - 9pm | 3 |



From humble beginnings to almost three decades on

The Riverland Rose and Garden Festival was the brainchild of Eithne Sidhu who collaborated with David Ruston to run the very first Renmark Rose Festival in 1994 - then known as Rose Week.

Eithne saw it as an event to bring people into the town and promote Renmark as the rose capital of Australia. Her vision has certainly been realised.

Since its humble beginnings, the festival has evolved into a major regional event and today runs for 10 days, spans towns across the Riverland and provides a range of events and attractions.

In 2022, the festival was rebranded as the Riverland Rose and Garden Festival as one of the region's largest and most supported festivals.

This involved a broadening to

include all gardens across the whole Riverland and our unique indigenous culture, flora and

The fact it has been going for 29 years and is still strong says it must be working. The committee is already working on next year's 30-year milestone event, with plenty to look forward to.

The festival is not just about roses, as lovely as they are, but all gardens, food and wine, visual arts, music and crafts, river recreation and a host of other events that make this festival an iconic event.

With garden and nature tourism recognised as the top two fastest growing tourism markets in the world, the 10-day festival is now a major state event that attracts visitors from all over Australia and is stretching out to a worldwide audience.

Last year, the committee welcomed president of the World Federation of Rose Societies Henrianne de Briey as a special guest to officially open the festival.

The Riverland's townships' rose gardens provide a spectacular backdrop throughout the festival and are immaculately presented each year.

The Riverland Rose and Garden Festival celebrates the region and its communities. It's an opportunity to showcase the region's produce, enjoy our spectacular weather and experience the beauty of the magnificent River Murray.

Be welcomed by the diverse, multicultural community and experience our friendly and accommodating hospitality.

Riverland Rose and **Garden Festival** acknowledges the traditional custodiens of the River Murray and Malle, and pays respect to Elders past, present and emerging.







Rose and Garden Festival

Enjoy wandering through our extensive gardens and see if you can count all 1000 of our beautiful roses!

Join us in the Recreation Centre for morning tea Friday, Saturday or Sunday. Our friendly residents would love to chat about their experience living at Riverside. Whilst there, you can also view the display of artwork by resident Yvonne Lempens.

Many of our homes will be open for inspection as we'd love to share with you the quality homes and lifestyle Riverside has to offer.

MORNING TEA AVAILABLE Friday 20th - Sunday 22nd 10am - 11am in the Recreation Centre

We'd also like to invite you to attend our exciting seminars mentioned below.

To book your tickets phone 1800 031 588 or email lifestyle@riversideestaterenmark.com.au

Seminar Information

WEDNESDAY. OCTOBER 25

Riverland Bee Lady, Kerry Chambers **Riverland Native Plant Specialist**

- Tim Field

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

10.00am World Renown Horticulturalist, **Ian Tolley**

\$15.00 per day including lunch.

Cash sales and EFTPOS available for payment on the day, make sure you call or email to secure your tickets by 18/10/23

Follow us on Facebook to keep up to date with all the events & activities happening around Riverside.

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NEXT YEAR'S DATES: 19 - 28 OCTOBER 2024



