

community CONNECT

Benalla Art Gallery

Exhibition: Squatters and Savages – Peter Waples-Crowe and Megan Evans
Until 5 August 2018

Exhibition: Ornament and Subject
Until 30 September 2018

Exhibition: Sea HER Land
Until 26 August 2018

EVENTS

Ensemble Liaison - Sunday 19 August

Little Artists - Wednesday 1 August

Bookings on 03 5760 2619

www.benallaartgallery.com.au

Sir Edward 'Weary' Dunlop Learning Centre

Sit & Knit - Every Wednesday 2pm

Story Time - Every Wednesday 10.30am

Be Connected Tech Sessions - Every Tuesday and Thursday 10am (bookings essential)

New Parent Group

Thursday 9 August 2pm

Book Group

Monday 13 August 1.30pm

Book Space

Tuesday 14 August 10am

Book Chat

Thursday 16 August 11am

Home Library Service - 27 & 28 August

Teen Writers' Workshop

Wednesday 29 August 4pm

Writers' Corner

Wednesday 29 August 5pm

For more details call the Benalla Library on 03 5762 2069

BPACC / Benalla Cinema

Melbourne City Ballet presents

Madam Butterfly - Friday 31 August 7.30pm

Check website for cinema screenings
03 5762 5515

www.bpacc.com.au

Council Meetings

Council meetings are open to the public. Meetings are held in the Civic Centre, 13 Mair Street, Benalla from 6pm.

Agendas are available at the Customer Service Centre or
www.benalla.vic.gov.au

Council Meeting

Wednesday 1 August 2018

Planning and Development Committee

Wednesday 22 August 2018

Finance and Operations Committee

Wednesday 29 August 2018

Council Meeting

Wednesday 5 September 2018

Meet our Councillors by visiting
www.benalla.vic.gov.au

Facebook.com/BenallaRuralCity
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North East Small Business Festival 2018



Are you interested in starting a new business or growing an existing business? Six events for small businesses will be held in Benalla as part of the North East Small Business Festival 2018 from 1-31 August.

The Festival provides a program of free and low-cost events designed to increase

the skills and knowledge of prospective and current business owners.

The Victorian Government has provided \$15,000 towards this year's Festival, which also includes events in Alpine Shire, Indigo Shire, Mansfield Shire, Towong Shire, the Rural City of Wangaratta and the City of Wodonga.

Benalla events include:

Tap into Cultural Tourism
10am-12pm, Wednesday 1 August & Thursday 9 August (free event)

Benalla Community Energy Forum
7.30pm-9.30pm, Friday 3 August (free event)

Record Keeping for Small Business
1pm-4pm, Tuesday 7 August (free event)

My big idea – Turning Passion into Potential
10am-2pm, Thursday 16 August (free event)

Small Business Bus Benalla
10am-4pm, Wednesday 29 August (free event)

The Future of Retail - In Conversation with Birdsnest Founder Jane Cay
6pm-8pm, Wednesday 29 August (Tickets \$10)

Visit festival.business.vic.gov.au/north-east-victoria to view all events across our region.

Bookings are essential for all events. Visit [facebook.com/SupportBenallaBusiness/events](https://www.facebook.com/SupportBenallaBusiness/events) to book or contact the Customer Service Centre on 03 5760 2600.

Be trained in Youth Mental Health First Aid

Mental illness often starts in adolescence or early adulthood. Could you detect mental health problems early enough to ensure proper treatment and support? Free for parents of a young person in Benalla Rural City, this is an accredited Youth Mental Health First Aid training course.

Participants will learn about adolescent development, how and where to get help and what sort of help is effective.

Don't miss this opportunity to learn skills and gain confidence to assist young people experiencing mental health problems.

The first session is Monday 6 August from 5.30pm-9.30pm. Training sessions are held each Monday night in August.

Book now by contacting us on 03 5760 2600.



Writing workshops with Thalia Kalkipsakis



The Sir Edward 'Weary' Dunlop Learning Centre (Benalla Library) is hosting Thalia Kalkipsakis, author of several books for children and young adults.

Thalia is running a workshop for teen writers who would like to learn more about crafting stories. She will then run a workshop for adults as a guest at the Benalla Library's Writers' Corner.

Contact the Library on 03 5762 2069 for more information.