

MEDIA RELEASE



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Conargo Billabong Markets - Mothers Day

A fantastic upcoming event not to be missed is the Conargo Billabong Markets, held on Mothers Day, Sunday 8th May from 10am to 4pm at the Conargo Recreation Ground.

Every year on Mothers' Day crowds flock to the village of Conargo for these famous markets, which shows the talent and skill of the region's cottage industries. The markets feature:

- Over 100 specialty stalls
- Gourmet food marquee
- Wine tasting
- Children's' entertainment
- Gardner's Amusements
- Jumping castle
- Rock'n'roll demonstrations
- Hilarious roaming entertainment
- Lucky gate prize
- Fusion
- Live Music with The Berrigan Bush Drovers
- \$5 entry fee

A huge number of stalls offer quality home-made and hand-made goods for sale, including a wide variety of truly tempting snacks and more substantial food and refreshments.

Conargo Shire is a great place to visit, so why not plan a trip there this Mothers Day. The Shire is the centre of a major sheep stud breeding area and a number of other farming practices including wheat, rice, canola, cereals.

Between the village of Conargo and Deniliquin is Clancy's of Conargo Winery, visitors can enjoy cellar door tasting's, picnic facilities, winery tours and can browse the interesting collections of Australian bottles and glassware and an international license plate display.

To find out more about these markets, contact Margaret Clancy (03) 5884 6684, Lyn Hardcastle (03) 5884 6650, or Margaret Bull (03) 5884 6693. Check out Conargo Shire's website www.conargo.nsw.gov.au and make the most of your time in the Conargo Shire.

May Events throughout the Riverina

Event name	Town	Date	Contact details
Town Plate Day	Wagga Wagga	Thursday May 5	02 6921 2151 or www.mtcwagga.com.au
Wagga Wagga Gold Cup	Wagga Wagga	Friday May 6	02 6921 2151 or www.mtcwagga.com.au
Wagga Pacers Cup Carnival of Cups Meeting	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 7	02 6925 1600
Conargo Billabong Market - Mothers Day	Conargo Recreation Ground	Sunday May 8	Margaret Clancy (03) 5884 6684
June High School 50 th Anniversary Reunion	June	Saturday May 7	Janelle Martin on (02) 6924 1562 or 0407 204 875
Music at Midday	Wagga Wagga	Wednesday May 4	6926 9688
Australian International Animation Festival 2011	Wagga Waaga	Friday May 13 – Sunday May 15	02 6921 6863 or www.aiaf.com.au
Wagga Wagga Country Music Club Inc. May Weekend of Country Music	Wagga Wagga	Friday May 13 – Sunday May 15	02 6921 4862
Barry Carne - Interstate Ski Challenge 2011	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 14 & Sunday May 15, 8.30am-5pm	02 6921 3053 or 0412 695 967
Riverina Field Days	Griffith	Friday, May 13, 2011 - Saturday, May 14	Fiona Beverley 6964 8811 or 0428 630 057
Griffith Antiques & Collectables Fair	Griffith	Saturday May 14 - Sunday May 15	0428 446 534
Something to Sing About 2011	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 14 - Sunday May 15	6926 9689
Stamp and Coin Fair	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 14 - Sunday May 15	02 6922 3393
National Skeet Championships	Wagga Wagga	Sunday May 15 – Saturday May 21	02 6938 2121
Dance Festival	Wagga Wagga	Wednesday May 18 – Saturday May 21	www.waggaeisteddfod.org.au 02 6922 3927 or 0413 955 047

Riverina Conservatorium of Music 2011 Season of Concerts – Riverina Chamber Orchestra	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 21	6925 3522	 riverina <i>regional tourism</i>
Wagga Wagga Poultry Club Autumn Show	Wagga Wagga	Sunday May 22	0408 839 443	
GOLD COUNTRY MUSTER	West Wyalong	Saturday May 21	6972 3206	PO Box 79 West Wyalong NSW 2671 M: 0427 630 349 P: 02 6347 6262 F: 02 6347 6266
Deni Craft & Community Markets	Waring Gardens, Deniliquin	Sunday May 22	0427 632 762	naturally@riverinatourism.com.au www.visitriverina.com.au
Temora Aviation Museum Aircraft Showcase Days	Temora	First and third Saturday of each month	02 6977 1088	
Australian Freeflight Championships & Southern Cross Cup	Narrandera	Monday May 30 – Sunday June 5	0419 385 274	
21st Birthday Celebrations - Hillston Community Centre	Hillston	Saturday May 28	0488 181 373	
Melbourne Comedy Roadshow	Griffith	Wednesday May 25	02 69628444 or go to website: www.griffithregionaltheatre.com.au	
Tae Kwon Do Open Championships	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 28	0427 251 418	
Rotary Club of Wagga Wagga Book Fair	Wagga Wagga	Saturday May 28 & Sunday May 29	02 6926 1027	

For further details on any of these festivals and events across the Riverina or for details on attractions and leisure activities throughout the Riverina Region visit the Riverina Regional Tourism website at www.visitriverina.com.au

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