

GOLDEN HORSESHOES

EASTER FESTIVAL

Beechworth

The Golden Horseshoes Festival is Beechworth's most enduring event. It commemorates the legend of Daniel Cameron who 163 years ago famously led a parade through the streets of Beechworth on a horse shod with shoes of real gold.

Cameron, a political aspirant to the Victorian Legislative Assembly, proved a hit with the locals who duly elected him to the state's first parliament.

Each Easter Saturday, the 1855 legend is re-enacted with a ceremonial shoeing of a horse with golden shoes, and a Grand Parade led by a rider in the guise of Daniel Cameron.

This not-to-be-missed event is annually witnessed by thousands of visitors celebrating the history, music and fun of the Golden Horseshoes Festival.



- 1 Main Music Stage - Various Bands & Entertainment
 - 2 Food Court - Ford Street
 - 3 Roving & Street Performers / Buskers - Ford Street
 - 4 Magic Shows, Community Singing Workshops, Ned Kelly Trial - Courthouse
 - 5 Rotary Market - Queen Victoria Park
 - 6 Art Exhibition - Memorial Hall
 - 7 Old Bottles Exhibition - Town Hall
 - 8 Old Crank Car Club & CFA - Camp Street
 - 9 In the Groove Community African Drumming - Beechworth Honey Courtyard
 - 10 Flying Fruit Fly Circus Workshop - Historic Precinct
 - 11 Beechworth Concert Band - Ford Street
 - 12 Horsehoeing - Old Star Hotel
- Red line indicates Road Closure

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EASTER LONG WEEKEND 19-21 APRIL 2019

GOLD SHOEING OF THE HORSE

Sat 20th April - 12pm
@ In Front Of The Old Star Hotel (Ford Street, Beechworth)

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THE RACV GOLDEN HORSESHOES PARADE

Sat 20th April - 1pm to 1.30pm @ Ford Street, Beechworth

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THE RITCHIES' BEECHWORTH IGA EASTER EGG HUNT

Sunday 21st April 10am @ Mayday Hills Oval, Beechworth

Beechworth Easter Eggs galore to be found and eaten! Children up to 12 years are invited to join in the annual Ritchies' Beechworth IGA Easter Egg hunt at Mayday Hills oval.

FULL PROGRAM INSIDE!

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The **Beechworth Golden Horseshoes Festival** is a community-based, not-for-profit organisation that has been involved in running the Beechworth Golden Horseshoes Festival for 58 years. To assist the Committee in 2020 or for sponsorship enquiries, please email goldenhorseshoesfestival@gmail.com.

THINGS TO KNOW...

Lost Something / Someone: lost persons will be accompanied to the First Aid tent. Lost property will be held at the Beechworth Visitor Information Centre.

St John Ambulance First Aid: entrance of Memorial Hall, Ford Street 10am-5pm Saturday.

Baby Change Rooms: behind Memorial Hall.

Toilets: behind Memorial Hall or cnr of Ford & Williams streets.

Road Closures: road closures will operate throughout the festival, please follow detour signage during these times.

FESTIVAL INFORMATION

Beechworth Visitor Information Centre
101 Ford Street // 1300 366 321
www.explorebeechworth.com.au

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GRAND PARADE | MARKETS | STREET FOOD | KIDS ACTIVITIES | LIVE MUSIC



OFFICIAL PROGRAM

GOOD FRIDAY 19TH APRIL 2019

GARDNER'S FUN PARK

10am - Late @ Police Paddock (High Street, Beechworth)

Family fun including Dodgem cars, Cha Cha, gold rush trains, mini motorbike rides and jumping castles.

FLORA OF AUSTRALIA EXHIBITION

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MEN'S & LADIES' STROKE EVENT

10.30am for a 11am to 12pm hit off @ Beechworth Golf Club (Baarmutha Park, Beechworth)

Open to all golfers, with or without a handicap. \$10 per person; all proceeds will go to the Good Friday Appeal. Afternoon Tea and raffles at the conclusion of play.

WALK OF WITNESS

11am @ Anglican Church (Corner of Church and Ford Streets, Beechworth)

Join in the reading of the Easter story. Starts at the Anglican Church @ Corner of Church and Ford Streets, Beechworth, and concludes at the Uniting Church @ Corner of Williams and Ford Streets, Beechworth.

RACV CINEMA – THE DISH

7:30pm to 9:30pm @ Bridge Road Brewers Car park (High Street, Beechworth)

RACV cinema are screening Australian classics all weekend starting with The Dish. Enjoy dinner, drinks and complimentary popcorn as you watch the first man walk on the moon. Rated M

EASTER SATURDAY 20TH APRIL 2019

BEECHWORTH ROTARY MARKET

9am - 4pm @ Queen Victoria Park, Beechworth

The Rotary Club Market is held in the shade of the old pine trees in Queen Victoria Park, and features around 120 great stalls offering a wide range of arts and crafts, food and drinks, jewellery, clothing and bric-a-brac.

QUERCUS FLEA MARKET

9am - 4pm @ Corner of Ford and Church Streets, Beechworth

Checkout the monster Quercus Flea Market and Art Market selling old and new art at Quercus. Grab a bargain and visit the beautiful newly restored Quercus Hall, the first Methodist Church on the goldfields.

BEECHWORTH HONEY CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES

From 9am / All Day @ Corner Ford and Camp Streets, Beechworth

Come to the Bee Garden by Beechworth honey for a range of Fun Activities for the whole family. Colouring in, Face Painting and Bubble blowing.

BOTTLE AND COLLECTABLES EXHIBITION

9am - 3:30pm @ Town Hall (Ford Street, Beechworth)

An annual display of antique bottles and collectables, sales tables and items valued. Free entry.

RACV HOUSE PARTY 10am - 4pm @ High Street, Beechworth

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BEECHWORTH HONEY COOKING DEMONSTRATION

10am - 10.30am @ Hive Kitchen (Cnr Ford and Camp Streets, Beechworth)

Honey Ricotta Pancakes cooking demo and samples.

FOOD COURT

10am - 4pm @ Ford Street, Beechworth

Satisfy your hunger, and every craving, from an amazing array of food stalls and eateries in the heart of town. While you grab a bite to eat, enjoy a great program of live entertainment on the stages and on the streets throughout the day.

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SHOW & SHINE

10am - 4pm @ Camp Street, Beechworth

Cars from vintage, veteran and classic eras will be lining the street. View a great selection of truly magnificent vehicles of yesteryear.

LIVE MUSIC

10.30am - 5pm @ Music Main Stage (Ford Street, Beechworth)

10.30am - 11am
Eliza & Zac Spalding

11.15am - 1.00pm
Sly Dog & the Howlers

2pm - 2.45pm
The Kat and Rat Trio

3pm - 3.45pm
Bonegilla Blues Band

4pm - 4.30pm
Amity Folk Duo

MAGIC KIDS SHOW

11am - 11.30am @ Court House (Ford Street, Beechworth)

Dane Certificate crates magic tricks and often performs them for audiences big and small. Dane specialises in small close up magic using cards, watches and borrowed objects fro spectators. For the young at heart...everything is an illusion!

ROVING PERFORMERS

11.00am - 3.00pm @ Food Court (Ford Street, Beechworth)

Enjoy the vast range of roving performers along Ford Street throughout the day. There will be juggling, balloon bending, community drumming and loads more!

You might even learn a new trick from the Flying Fruit fly Circus! (Located in the alley way between the Ned Kelly Vault and the Old Historic Chinese building)

FRANK PREM

11.30am - 12pm @ Court House (Ford Street, Beechworth)

Frank Prem is a local poet and author who will present two entertaining and enriching sets of spoken word poetry, on themes that reflect the vibrant heritage of Beechworth and surrounds. Gold coin donation.

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Kids Honey Popcorn cooking demo and samples.

NED KELLY TRIAL RE-ENACTMENT

1.45pm - 2.45 pm @ Court House (Ford Street, Beechworth)

Head to the historic Court House to be a part of the Ned Kelly Trial re-enactment which originally took place in 1880.

IN THE GROOVE COMMUNITY DRUMMING

2pm - 3.30pm @Bee Garden (Cnr Ford and Camp Streets, Beechworth)

MONTESSORI SCHOOL EASTER BILBY PANTOMIME

2.30pm & 3.30pm @ Old Milk Bar (Camp Street, Beechworth)

Interactive and educational play for primary-aged children. Children act out the classic story of the Easter Bilby taking over the job of delivering eggs from the Easter Bunny. \$5 per child / \$10 per family.

SING FOR FREEDOM

3pm - 4.30pm @ Court House (Ford Street, Beechworth)

A joyful, rousing and uplifting singing workshop with community singing leader Leanne Murphy, featuring easy-to-learn songs in 2-4 part harmony. No experience necessary, all welcome! Gold coin donation.

RACV CINEMA – ODDBALL

6.30pm - 8.00pm @ Bridge Road Brewers Car park (High Street, Beechworth)

RACV cinema are screening Australian classics all weekend, on Saturday night settle in with Oddball. Meet Oddball who learns to protect penguins as you enjoy a variety of food and drinks for purchase. Rated G.

RACV CINEMA – PRISCILLA QUEEN OF THE DESERT

8.15pm - 10.00pm @ Bridge Road Brewers Car park (High Street, Beechworth)

RACV cinema are screening Australian classics all weekend, on Saturday night sing along to Priscilla Queen of the Desert. There will be a variety of food and drinks available for purchase. Rated M.

EASTER SUNDAY 21ST APRIL 2019

EASTER DAWN SERVICE

6.30am @ The Gorge Rock (Gorge Road, Beechworth)

Sunrise service celebrating the resurrection of Christ. BYO rug/cushion and share in an early morning coffee & hot cross buns. For Easter church services, check local paper.

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EASTER MONDAY 22ND APRIL 2019

WOORAGEE EASTER MARKET

10am - 2pm @ Wooragee Primary School, Wooragee

Various market stalls, including plants, arts and craft, bric a brac and more. Also available is BBQ lunch and Devonshire tea

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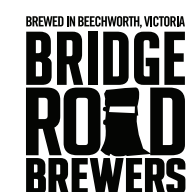
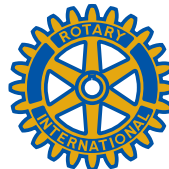
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