



# Blue Mountains Events *Spring*

**DATES**

**SPRING EVENT INFORMATION – Updated 4/9/2020**

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## SEPTEMBER 2020

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### Sat 1 Aug – Sun 20 Sept 2020

**MAPBM: BLUE** – Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, 30 Parke Street, Katoomba. Blue is the most popular colour in contemporary Western societies, a colour with profound social and historical associations and symbolism that resonates throughout art, language, history, religion, gender, science, psychology and more. The exhibition BLUE presents the works of MAPBM artists exploring the notions of blue through a variety of media – painting, video, photograph, sculpture, installation art and performance art. Times: 10am - 5pm Mon to Fri, 10am - 4pm Sat/Sun. Gallery Entry: \$5 Adults, \$3 Concession, FREE for children under 16. P: 4780 5410 [www.bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au](http://www.bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au)

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### Sat 29 Aug – Sun 27 Sept 2020

**Black & Blue 2** – Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, 30 Parke Street, Katoomba. Six years after its first edition in 2014, Black and Blue returns to continue the creative exploration of dark and mysterious stories from the Blue Mountains. Artist and curator Faye Wilson has paired visual artists, writers and historians to respond to tales – tall and true – collected from the region's folklore and history. Times: 10am - 5pm Mon to Fri, 10am - 4pm Sat/Sun. Gallery Entry: \$5 Adults, \$3 Concession, FREE for children under 16. P: 4780 5410 [www.bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au](http://www.bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au)

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### Thursdays 3 – 24 Sept 2020

**Possibilities of Colour with Ashlee Bucholtz** – Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, 30 Parke Street, Katoomba. Explore colour, composition, emotion and memory through acrylic painting with Ashlee Bucholtz, Alumna of the National Art School. Through a range of practical exercises, students will explore the impact of colour to achieve tone, light and transparency across a range of subject matter. Time: 10am – 1pm. Entry: \$190 per person, \$170 for Insight Members. All materials are included. Bookings essential at Reception or on 4780 5410. [http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/public\\_programs/possibilities-of-colour/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/public_programs/possibilities-of-colour/)

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**Thurs 3 Sept – Sun  
27 Sept 2020**

**Louise Fox & Cathie Cox: Leaf Life** – Braemar Gallery, 104 Macquarie Road, Springwood. Focussing on the simple but diverse element of leaves, Louise Fox and Cathie Cox restate the importance of spending time mindfully in the natural environment. By reflecting on the solace of the natural world, Louise and Cathie have created narratives of living organisms and their life cycles and habitats. This is achieved through the art forms of drawing, collage, printmaking and small sculptures using found objects. Time: Braemar Gallery is open Thursday to Sunday, 10am – 4pm. FREE Entry. [bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/)

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**Five Blue Mountains Artists: SPECTRA5** – Braemar Gallery, 104 Macquarie Road, Springwood. SPECTRA5 shows the varied interests and experiences of each member of the group of Blue Mountains artists, and the methods by which they interpret their subjects with the media and brushstrokes they use. Our group gains inspiration not only from the wide spectrum of our unique mountain surroundings, but also from our native countries such as the USA, the UK, Greece and Germany. Time: Braemar Gallery is open Thursday to Sunday, 10am – 4pm. FREE Entry. [bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/)

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**Tobin O’Bree: From Dusk ‘til Dawn** – Braemar Gallery, 104 Macquarie Road, Springwood. From Dusk ‘til Dawn explores landscapes at different times of the day through a series of watercolour and acrylic pieces inspired by the travels of artist Tobin O’Bree, and the three generations that went before him. Whether carpets of wild flowers, pebble riverbeds, verdant mountains, foaming lace waves, soaring cloud banks or bejewelled night skies; all elements evoke a sense of self, placing the viewer in the realm of natural beauty where sea, sand, earth and sky meet. Time: Braemar Gallery is open Thursday to Sunday, 10am – 4pm. FREE Entry. [bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/)

**Thurs 3 Sept –  
Tues 29 Sept 2020**

**Jillian Culey: Woven Mountains Exhibition** – Heritage Centre, End of Govetts Leap Road, Blackheath. From the found to the new, from the recycled to the burnt, from natural to manufactured, it can all be found in the Woven Mountain Exhibition. Inspiration has come from many places for this group of weavers based loosely in the Blue Mountains and Hawkesbury areas. The Mountains Basketry group meet monthly to share skills, fibres and techniques and in the process have built a community of contemporary basket makers and friends. This exhibition explores their connection to the mountains - the colours, shapes, textures and materials. Time: 9am – 4.30pm daily. FREE entry. P: 4787 8877

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**Fri 4 Sept 2020**

**Blue Mountains Writers' Festival 2020** – Special radio broadcast and Facebook Livestream. While the Blue Mountains Writer's Festival is unable to return in the same format in 2020 due to the restrictions of the pandemic, the festival will be returning via your airwaves with Cassie McCullagh on Focus to capture a slice of the creative spirit of the Blue Mountains. Cassie will lead a fireside chat at Katoomba's iconic Carrington Hotel with authors Tegan Bennett Daylight, Andrew Kwong and Charmaine Ledden-Lewis. The authors will share their individual approaches to writing their raw and personal stories, as well as providing insights into some of the challenges that currently affect our region. Time: 10am.  
<https://www.abc.net.au/radio/sydney/blue-mountains-festival/12589566>

**Sat 12 Sept 2020**

**Black & Blue Kids Paste Up Workshop** – Blue Mountains Cultural Centre, 30 Parke Street, Katoomba. Join local street artist Man.De and Black & Blue 2 curator and illustrator Faye Wilson in this fun, hands on workshop to create your own paste up illustration for the new Froma Lane Street Art gallery. Ages 7 – 12 years. Time: 10.30am – 12.30pm. Entry: \$30 (\$25 InSight Members). Bookings Essential. Social distancing and hygiene measures will be implemented. [http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/public\\_programs/black-blue-kids-paste-workshop/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/public_programs/black-blue-kids-paste-workshop/)

**Sat 19 – Sun 20  
Sept 2020**

**Material Happiness: Small Sculpture** – Blackheath Art Society Studio, 139a Station Street, Blackheath. This workshop will be a playdate with a range of sculptural materials from around the house, your craft stash/shed or recycling bin. We will investigate properties and possibilities of different materials, collaboratively work up some ideas, learn how to make basic armatures (support structures) and find ways to take initial ideas through to a finished work. Join respected tutor Margarita Sampson for a gentle weekend of non-competitive exploration, connection, mindful working, skill-sharing, and remembering how to bring playfulness into our activities, ending with some finished work and new perspectives. Time: 10am-4pm. Entry: \$140 Members fee, \$180 Non-members fee. Plus \$10 material fee payable on Day 1. Bookings close Fri 4 Sept at 5pm. Contact: [konstanza@gmail.com](mailto:konstanza@gmail.com) or see website: [www.blackheathart.com/workshops](http://www.blackheathart.com/workshops)

**Sat 26 Sept 2020**

**Maximum Adventure Race – Blue Mountains** – Based from Euroka Clearing near Glenbrook. Short, fast and fun, and suitable for anyone and everyone with a real sense of adventure, the Maximum Adventure Race Series is designed to offer the perfect introduction to the exhilarating sport of adventure racing. Designed for teams of two, the races are fun, fast and furious with teams having to change between three core disciplines several times during the event... mountain biking, trail running and kayaking. These non-stop events will take between two to six hours to complete so there is never any time to get bored or tired – you will constantly be challenged throughout the race, physically and mentally! Time: 9am – 3pm. See the website for more event details, course categories and registration.  
<https://maxadventurerace.com.au/event-info/locations/>

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Sept 2020**

**Points of View: Blackheath Art Society Photographers' Exhibition** – Blackheath Art Society Studio, 139a Station Street, Blackheath. Blackheath Art Society welcomes you to our premier photographic exhibition, showcasing the artistic inspiration of 11 acclaimed local photographers offering a unique point of view of the changing world around us. The collective aim, of the group is to explore the notions of art and photography and push the boundaries of creative photography into exciting new areas. Time 10am-5pm. Free entry. Contact Ian Batty on 0422 692 233 for more information. [www.blackheathart.com](http://www.blackheathart.com)

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**OCTOBER 2020**

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**Thurs 1 Oct – Sun 25 Oct 2020** **Tim and Bron Newman: Double Vision** – Braemar Gallery, 104 Macquarie Road, Springwood. This exhibition consists of two artists, Tim and Bron Newman, responding to the same subject and placing the artworks next to each other. This demonstrates the different interpretations that the artists draw from observing the same scene. The subject matter centres on reflections of the Blue Mountains environment in which the artists live. The common subject matter juxtaposed with the individual responses raises larger questions in the mind of the viewer. Time: Braemar Gallery is open Thursday to Sunday, 10am – 4pm. FREE Entry. [bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/)

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**Thurs 1 Oct – Sun 25 Oct 2020** **Martin Roberts: Landscapes from the Anthropocene** – Braemar Gallery, 104 Macquarie Road, Springwood. Landscapes from the Anthropocene is an exhibition by Martin Roberts that considers the proposed geological age during which human activity has become the dominant influence on the environment, ecosystems and the climate. The collection is textile based, with a variety of fabrics collaged together, painted, stitched and incorporate a variety of mixed media and found objects to create layers of images and textures that contemplate our changing world. Time: Braemar Gallery is open Thursday to Sunday, 10am – 4pm. FREE Entry. [bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/](http://bluemountainsculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/)

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**Sat 3 – Mon 5  
Oct 2020**

**Blackheath Art Prize Exhibition** – Blackheath Art Society Studio, 139a Station Street, Blackheath. The Blackheath Art Prize is the annual flagship exhibition of the Blackheath Art Society, featuring high quality, original work from local artists. This year due to the challenges to society activity during the pandemic entry is for members only, details and entry forms available on the website. A 1st prize of \$1000 and a 2nd prize of \$500 will be awarded at the opening event. Throughout the exhibition visitors can vote for their favourite artwork in the People's Choice and enter the raffle for a gourmet hamper, donated by local retailers. Time: 10am – 5pm (except Mon: 10am – 4pm), opening event 2.30pm, Sat 5 October. Entry: \$2.  
[www.blackheathart.com](http://www.blackheathart.com)

**Sat 3 – Sat 31 Oct  
2020**

**Wilderness, Fire, Waterfalls, a Photographic Journey by Peter Hickey** – Heritage Centre, End of Govetts Leap Road, Blackheath. The exhibition reflects my photographic journey over 20 years of living in the Blue Mountains. I have seen and felt the heartbreaking losses of homes, fauna and flora due to monster fires. I pay tribute to the many brave people, some of whom never made it home. Since the fires left a massive burnt, leafless, lifeless landscape, I have been getting out to new spots as regrowth pops up amid fallen ones. Waterfalls come and go with each new downpour and sunrises still magically enhance the valleys and forests of our home, here in the Blue Mountains. Time: 9am – 4.30pm daily. FREE Entry. P: 4787 8877

**Fri 9 Oct 2020**

**Chris Sebastian** – Blue Mountains Theatre, 106 Macquarie Road, Springwood. As winner on The Voice Season 9 in 2020, mentored by Kelly Rowland, Chris Sebastian captured the attention and the hearts of Australians nationwide, both for his incredible talent, and his gracious, likeable nature. An electric performance, striking vocal technique, and a passion for his audience: this is what you can expect from an experience with Chris Sebastian. Time: 8pm. Entry: \$45. Tickets can be purchased at the Box Office, on 4723 5050 or online at  
<http://bluemountainstheatrehub.com.au/box-office/>

**Sat 10 Oct 2020**

**Claude Hay and the Kung Fu Mustard in Concert** – The Baroque Room, Katoomba. Blue Mountains songwriter Claude Hay will be launching his debut album for his new act 'Claude Hay and The Kung Fu Mustard'. The new band takes its cues from old school funk, one of Claude's first musical loves. Claude Hay has been one of the leading lights of the Aussie festival scene for almost a decade, chocking up uncountable kms in pursuit of a heaving marquee to pump out the funk/blues rock riffage. His solo show has taken him around the world, and his famous weird and wonderful homemade guitars have cranked out 4 studio albums and 1 live album over the past 10 years. His 5th studio album sees him funkify things to a new level with his new guitar Mustard whilst sharing a stage with a live drummer. Time and Entry TBC.  
[www.fusionboutique.com.au](http://www.fusionboutique.com.au)

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## Wednesdays

**14, 21 & 28 Oct  
and 4 & 11 Nov  
2020**

**Figure sculpting in clay** – Blackheath Art Society Studio, 139a Station Street, Blackheath. Starting with an exploration of the human structure and proportions, this course will take you through the process of developing sculptures based on the human body. Clara will guide you through the process of developing the form towards abstraction, playing with the basic ‘building blocks’ to create pieces that have their own tension, drama and interest. You will learn to understand the relationships between shape, balance and proportion, enabling you to extrapolate from figurative representations of the body to create pieces that are sculptural and imaginative. Time: 2.30pm – 5.30pm over 5 Wednesdays. Entry: \$310 Non-members, \$260 Members. The fee includes costs for materials, covering clay, firing and life model fees. Workshop Registration closes Fri 25 Sept, 5pm. Contact [konstanza@gmail.com](mailto:konstanza@gmail.com) or see website: [www.blackheathart.com/workshops](http://www.blackheathart.com/workshops)

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**Fri 17 Oct 2020**

**Emma Pask** – Blue Mountains Theatre, 106 Macquarie Road, Springwood. Back by popular demand, award winning vocalist Emma Pask returns to Blue Mountains Theatre for a captivating and intimate evening of jazz. Emma will delight the Blue Mountains Theatre audience as she interweaves storytelling through timeless swinging jazz standards, upbeat Latin rhythms, tender ballads and of course, some raucous tunes. Time: 8pm. Entry: \$42. Tickets are on sale from midday 8 Sept and can be purchased at the Box Office, on 4723 5050 or online at <http://bluemountainstheatrehub.com.au/box-office/>

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**Sat 17, Sat 24 &  
Sun 25 Oct 2020**

**Drawing Animals** – Warrigal Homestead, 1197 Ganbenang Rd, Little Hartley and Blackheath Art Society Studio, 139a Station Street, Blackheath. Animals are a source of inspiration and delight but can be challenging subjects to translate into drawings. Pam will assist you with exploring techniques that will help you capture the immediacy and action of the subject. During the first session we will work en plein air with live animal subjects in a shearing shed: sheep, angora goats and an alpaca. In the Blackheath Art Society studio you will have the opportunity to build on the techniques from this initial session. A variety of dry and wet media will be used including pencil, charcoal, soft pastels, ink, paint and collage. Time: Sat 17 Oct 1pm – 4pm, Sat 24 Oct 10am – 4pm, Sun 25 Oct 10am – 4pm. Entry: Non-members \$275, Members \$225. Access to animals included in cost. Workshop Registration closes Fri 2 Oct, 5pm. Contact [konstanza@gmail.com](mailto:konstanza@gmail.com) or see website: [www.blackheathart.com/workshops](http://www.blackheathart.com/workshops)

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**Sun 1 – Mon 30 Nov 2020** **Chris Ireland: Dryads-seeking the spirit of Australian forests** – Heritage Centre, End of Govetts Leap Road, Blackheath. Dryads seeks to explore the spirit of diverse Australian forests from tropical rainforest to mangroves-the works, rather than being representational, attempt to capture the genius loci or spirit, of the forests. The photographs will be presented face mounted onto perspex, a technique which enhances the three dimensionality of the pieces. Time: 9am – 4.30pm daily. FREE Entry. P: 4787 8877

**Sat 7 Nov 2020** **Blackheath Rhododendron Festival** – The Rhodo Festival will go ahead with an alternative celebration for 2020 (COVID-19 restrictions permitting), but still packed with entertainment, music, and fun galore. Times TBC. FREE Entry. [www.rhodofestival.com](http://www.rhodofestival.com)

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**Sat 14 Nov 2020** **Ian Cooper & Jazz Band** – Blue Mountains Theatre, 106 Macquarie Road, Springwood. Ian Cooper returns to the Blue Mountains Concert Society together with his jazz band for an evening of delightful and entertaining jazz. Time: 7.30pm. Entry: \$65 Adult, \$60 Concession, \$25 Student. Tickets can be purchased at the Box Office, on 4723 5050 or online at <http://bluemountainstheatreandhub.com.au/box-office/>

**Sun 15 Nov 2020** **Gershwin & Friends with the NSW Police Band** – Blue Mountains Theatre, 106 Macquarie Road, Springwood. Featuring the music of George Gershwin, Cole Porter and Leonard Bernstein. The NSW Police Band and their acclaimed vocalist Belinda Parsons take you on a journey through the sublime music of three of American's greatest composers of the 20th Century. Time: 3pm. Entry: \$25. Tickets can be purchased at the Box Office, on 4723 5050 or online at <http://bluemountainstheatreandhub.com.au/box-office/>

**Sun 22 Nov 2020** **Varuna's 30<sup>th</sup> Birthday Open Day** - Varuna, the National Writers' House, 141 Cascade Street, Katoomba. The first writers in residence arrived at Varuna in late 1990, and this year we will be celebrating our 30th Birthday! Come along to the Open Day at Varuna, celebrate the opening of our new writers' studio, explore the gardens and meet local authors. Time: TBC. FREE Entry. [www.varuna.com.au](http://www.varuna.com.au) E: [varuna@varuna.com.au](mailto:varuna@varuna.com.au) Ph: 4782 5674.

**Fri 27 Nov 2020** **Sydney Comedy Festival Showcase** – Blue Mountains Theatre, 106 Macquarie Road, Springwood. The Sydney Comedy Festival Showcase Tour will be tearing up the freeways of Australia for the eighth year in a row to bring the crème de la crème of the 2020 Festival to the Blue Mountains! Expertly curated and lovingly presented, the Showcase will feature some of the Festival's hottest acts live on stage for an incredible two hours of hard-hitting laughter. Time: 8pm. Entry: Adult \$35. Tickets can be purchased at the Box Office, on 4723 5050 or online at <http://bluemountainstheatreandhub.com.au/box-office/>

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## Regular Happenings and Open Days

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Every Weekend.

For the market enthusiast, every weekend in the Blue Mountains offers a different market to explore. Everything from organic foods, local art and craft to collectibles and clothes, there is a treasure to find for every avid market explorer. Ask for the Markets List at the Blue Mountains Visitor Information Centres.

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Currently closed due to COVID-19. Please check the website for updates as restrictions ease.

**Wascoe Siding** – Grahame Street, Blaxland.  
[www.infoblue-mountains.net.au/rail/wascoe/](http://www.infoblue-mountains.net.au/rail/wascoe/)  
[www.facebook.com/WascoeSidingRailway/](https://www.facebook.com/WascoeSidingRailway/)

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**Valley Heights Locomotive Depot Heritage Museum Open Days** - Valley Heights Locomotive Depot Heritage Museum, Tusculum Rd, Valley Heights.  
[www.infoblue-mountains.net.au/locodepot/index.shtml](http://www.infoblue-mountains.net.au/locodepot/index.shtml)

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Reopening from 6 August 2020.

Open Thursday to Sunday.

**Braemar House & Gallery** – Braemar House, 104 Macquarie Road, Springwood. Showcasing changing exhibitions of various mediums from both emerging and established artists work in one of Springwood’s most historic buildings. Time: 10am – 4pm. FREE Admission.  
<http://bluemountainculturalcentre.com.au/braemar-gallery/>

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**Historic Tarella Cottage** Museum – 99-101 Blaxland Road, Wentworth Falls. Built in the 1890s, this cottage museum is a hidden treasure filled with a wonderful collection of memorabilia of the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Currently closed due to COVID-19. Please check the website for updates as restrictions ease. P: 4757 3824 [www.bluemountainhistory.com](http://www.bluemountainhistory.com)

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**Blue Mountains Radio Players** – Palais Royale, 230 Katoomba Street, Katoomba. Performances are before a live audience, using mainly scripts transcribed from original performances of the 1930s, 1940s and 1950s. The repertoire includes plays from long-running drama series such as ‘Suspense’, ‘Escape’ and ‘Quiet, Please!’; episodes from the comedy series Easy Aces and Life of Riley; and crimes solved by Sherlock Holmes and more. Currently on hold due to COVID-19. Please check the websites for updates as restrictions ease. P: 4784 6300  
<https://sites.google.com/site/bmradioplayers/performances>

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# Blue Mountains Events *Spring*

Open daily (Closed Christmas Day).

**Blue Mountains Heritage Centre**, Blackheath – End of Govetts Leap Road, Blackheath. New exhibition every month. FREE Entry. Time: 9am – 4.30pm. P: 4787 8877 [www.nationalparks.nsw.gov.au/things-to-do/Visitor-centres/Blue-Mountains-Heritage-Centre](http://www.nationalparks.nsw.gov.au/things-to-do/Visitor-centres/Blue-Mountains-Heritage-Centre)

**Presentations delivered online for 2020**

**Blackheath History Forum** –The Blackheath History Forum’s 2020 season was cancelled because of the various pressures associated with the current Covid19 environment, but we have now decided to deliver presentations online. All sessions will be streamed on our YouTube channel at 4 o'clock on the indicated date. The program can be found on our website. <https://blackheathhistoryforum.org.au/> <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4Ol4MYrWDxlBygnV-zdmAg/>

Open by appointment only (due to COVID-19).

Closed Christmas Day and Good Friday.

**Mount Victoria Museum** – Located at the back of Mount Victoria Railway Station. Opening in 1868, this Heritage Listed sandstone station is now a museum full to the brim with memorabilia of early history and old ways of living, farming and working in the upper mountains. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the museum will be open by appointment only for groups of 4-10 visitors at any time. Entry: \$5 Adult, \$1 Child. Donations welcome. <http://mountvictoriamuseum.info/>

**Blue Mountains City of the Arts Events – Various Locations and Times.** *Inspired by the natural beauty of this World Heritage Listed area, the Blue Mountains has a vibrant community of artists, writers, composers, poets, sculptors, performers, artisans and creatives who live, work, entertain and educate visitors to the Region. Everything from workshops to exhibitions, poetry readings to concerts, radio plays to films, there is something for everyone who wants to experience why the Blue Mountains was the NSW Inaugural City of the Arts. For more information on a full range of our City of the Arts cultural events “Like” the facebook page – [www.facebook.com/cityofthearts](http://www.facebook.com/cityofthearts)*

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