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12.00 PMTEXAS LONGHORN CATTLE DISPLAY  
Rec Reserve - All Weekend

10am - 3pm

MFSR CHALLENGE REGISTRATION

Challenge Office

1.30pm - 4.15pm  
MFSR TRAINERS CHALLENGE  
3 young guns choose their horse  
and demonstrate their horse  
starting skills over 3 days.  
4.15pm Meet & Greet TrainersOPEN FROM 1pm  
RECREATION RESERVE  
Trade stalls, food stalls & bar5pm - 6.30pm POETS COMEDY  
Bush Poetry featuring Geoffrey  
Graham, Dingos Breakfast & the  
Wimmera Girls in Lies, Laughter  
& Lunacy1pm - 9pm FOOD & BAR OPEN  
Rec. reserve food court & bar7.30pm - 9pm OPEN AIR MOVIE  
'The Man From Snowy River'Grab your dinner & drinks - BYO  
blanket and enjoy the classic  
movie under the starsR. M. WILLI  
RM Williams Heritage Award for  
the most authentic gearFROM 6.30pm  
RIDERS BRIEF  
Challenge Office\* SPECIAL \*  
Access to MFSR Museum over  
Festival Weekend  
Adults \$4 / Kids Free11am MFSR MUSEUM  
JACK RILEY MEMORIAL SERVICE  
Free entry - 103 Hanson St12.30pm - 3pm BUSH POETRY  
Concert including Junior  
Performers  
BYO chair6.30pm - 10.30pm  
BUSH POETRY - POETS MEET  
& GREET 'N' EAT  
8.30pm OPEN MIC  
@ the Corryong Hotel (Bottom  
Pub) Towong RdART SHOW CLOSED FOR JUDGING  
UNTIL 5pm5PM ART & PHOTOGRAPHY OFFICIAL EXHIBITION OPENING  
FOOD & WINE TASTING ADVENTURE  
Evening BBQ, Regional Food & Wine Tasting  
MUSIC WITH TRACEE JAMES FROM 5.30pm  
MFSR Legend award & Art Show winners announced7.00 AM  
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MFSR CHALLENGE

~ FROM 7AM ALL DAY -  
Banjo's Bareback Obstacle  
Jimmy Scammell Horseshoeing  
Harrison's Packhorse  
Snowy River Stockhandling10.15am - 12.15pm  
MFSR TRAINERS CHALLENGE  
2nd day for our 3 trainers working  
with their chosen horse.1.30pm - 2pm TIMBERHILLS BULLOCK  
TEAM  
Also at Street Parade 3pm, and  
3.40pm at Kids Party4pm - 4.30pm LUKE THOMAS  
OUTBACK SHOW4.30pm - 9pm  
WORKING CATTLED OG  
CHAMPIONSHIP

4pm - 5pm BRAD BUTCHER

5pm - 6pm MELODY MOKO

12noon - 1pm PARELLI HORSEMANSHIP  
Kaye Thomas1pm - 2pm CSU EQUINE SCIENCE TEAM  
Health Behaviour & Welfare2pm - 3pm DAN MALONEY  
4 to Floor Horsemanship3pm - 4pm DR MARK BARNETT CSU  
Nutrition4pm - 5pm MELANIE QUICK  
Pain Behavior Horse Health8am - 10.30am  
POETS BREAKFAST  
Food available / BYO chair\* BUSH POETS LISTS \*  
Up-to-date lists will be posted at RSL  
Hall and Youth Club Hall to help you  
follow your favourites1.15pm - 2.45pm  
SPIRITS OF KOKODA & ANZAC  
REMEMBRANCE CONCERT  
(RSL Hall, Donaldson Street)5pm SONGS & POEMS FROM PERTH  
TO BROOME  
Dingos Breakfast  
6pm MFSR RECITAL COMPETITION  
Sec #3 - 3 finalists - Banjos  
Block  
7pm ORIGINAL SERIOUS POETRY  
COMPETITION  
Sec #5 - Lions Youth Club Hall  
CAMPFIRE SINGABOUT OUTSIDE  
cuppas and cake till late8am - 9am BUSKERS REGISTRATION  
Outside Post Office10am - 4pm  
BUSH MARKET  
Busking all dayPONY RIDES  
All day3pm MAN FROM SNOWY RIVER BUSH  
FESTIVAL  
STREET PARADE  
3.30pm - 5pm KIDS PARTY  
Emilique East Whipcrack, ZUU  
Fitness & Konga Dance for kids,  
Bullock Team, refreshments  
available5pm HANSON STREET RE-OPEN TO  
TRAFFIC9am - 5pm  
ART & PHOTOGRAPHY  
EXHIBITION & SALE  
& FOTO SUPPLIES/  
CANON PHOTOWALKS  
see page 26 for timesTHE MAN FROM SNOWY RIVER  
RE-ENACTMENT AT THOWGLA

GATES OPEN TO PUBLIC AT 8.30am

\* FREE SHUTTLE BUS PICK UPS - SEE PAGE 12 FOR TIMES \*  
10.30am Entertainment commences: Pete Denahy, Geoffrey Graham,  
Trevor Best, Boggy Creek's Tim O'Brien, Timberhills Bullock Team & Dray  
Working Demonstration10.30am - 11.30am The Charge of Beersheba. A tribute to the brave  
men of the Australian Light Horse and their amazing horses

11.30am Rileys Riders Arrive

12 noon The Man from Snowy River Re-enactment  
proudly sponsored by Tom Groggin Station and Regional Connect  
(Back Thowgla Rd closed 12.30pm - 1.30pm. All traffic to use Thowgla Rd)7.00 AM  
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MFSR LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

6.30pm - 6.45pm OFFICIAL OPENING  
7pm - 8.30pm // THE BUSHWACKERS  
8.45pm - 10.15pm // DANNY PHEGAN & LONGREACH BAND  
\* 10.30pm - 12midnight // THE WOLFE BROTHERS \*

RECREATION RESERVE

RODEO ARENA

ENTERTAINMENT MARQUEE

EQUINE EDUCATIONAL ARENA

YOUTH CLUB HALL & BANJO'S BLOCK

HANSON ST & JARDINE ST

ATTREE PARK CENTRE HANSON ST

MEMORIAL HALL, HANSON ST

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Harrison's Packhorse  
Snowy River Stockhandling  
Clancy's Whipcrack

2.30pm - 4pm  
**MOUNTAIN HORSEMAN'S CROSS COUNTRY**

**- ON OVAL -**

**UTE MUSTER**  
11am Meet N Greet  
PAT CALLINAN - celebrity Judge

11am - 1pm  
**STRONG MAN & WOMAN COMP**

1.30pm  
**BUSHMANS WHIPCRACK**  
with Emiliqua East

**HISTORIC MACHINERY & TRACTOR PULL ALL DAY**

9.30am - 11.30am  
**MFSR TRAINERS CHALLENGE**  
Final Day, 3rd Training session  
12noon Exhibition Finals  
12.30pm  
**WINNER ANNOUNCED**

1pm - 1.30pm **BRUMBY DEMO**

1.30pm - 2pm **TIMBERHILLS BULLOCKS**

2.30pm - 5pm  
**STATION TEAM MUSTER**

5.30pm - 6pm **LUKE THOMAS OUTBACK SHOW**

6pm - 8.30pm  
**MFSR RODEO**  
sponsored by:  
  
MFSR Challenge Finalists will be announced

**TRADE & FOOD STALLS & BAR**  
Open All Day

9am - 10am **DINGOS BREAKFAST**  
10am - 11am **GEOFFREY GRAHAM**  
Henry's Alive - celebrating  
Lawson's 150th birthday

11am - 12noon  
**TREVOR BEST & FRIENDS**  
12noon - 2pm  
**SONGS & THEIR STORIES**  
Songwriters in the round -  
HOSTED BY FANNY LUMSDEN

2pm - 3pm **DANNY PHEGAN**  
3pm - 4pm **BRAD BUTCHER**  
4pm - 5pm **MELODY MOKO**

5.30pm - 7pm  
**AUSSIE BUSH IDOL FINALS**  
Andrew Embling Compere

**MFSR LIVE ENTERTAINMENT**

7.15pm - 8.15pm // PETE DENAHY  
8.30pm - 10.15pm // CAITLYN SHADBOLT  
★ 10.30pm - 12midnight // **DEEP CREEK ROAD** ★

9am - 10am  
**4 TO FLOOR HORSEMANSHIP**  
10am - 11am  
**EQUINE DENTIST VET: DR PAUL OWENS**  
11am - 12noon  
**TIM O'BRIEN BOGGY CREEK HORSEMANSHIP**  
12noon - 1pm **HORSE PAIN & BEHAVIOR: MELANIE QUICK**  
1pm - 2pm **LUKE THOMAS: CLICKER TRAINING**  
2pm - 3pm  
**KAYE THOMAS: PARELLI**  
3pm - 4pm  
**EQUINE DENTIST VET: DR PAUL OWENS**  
4pm - 5pm **DR MARK BARNETT CSU: NUTRITION**

8am - 10am **POETS BREAKFAST**  
Banjo's Block  
Food available / BYO chair

10am **CLASSICAL POETRY COMP**  
Section #4: inside Hall  
Classical Poems (Written before 1951) Women & Men until completed

2pm **MODERN POETRY COMP**  
Section #7 (Lions Club Hall)

\* **BUSH POETS LISTS** \*  
Up-to-date lists will be posted at RSL Hall and Youth Club Hall to help you follow your favourites

7pm **ORIGINAL HUMOROUS**  
Women and Men

9pm **VARIETY CONCERT**  
Featuring judges and guests

8am - 9am **BUSKERS REGISTRATION**  
Outside Post Office  
9am - 1pm **BUSKERS JUDGING**

10am - 3pm  
**BUSH MARKETS**

10am - 12 noon **OL FOZ DOG JUMP**  
MC Pete Denahy

\* **SPECIAL** \*  
Access to MFSR Museum over Festival Weekend  
Adults \$4 / Kids Free

9.30am - 11am **AUSSIE BUSH IDOL**  
Registrations at the Sound Shell  
11.15am - 3pm  
**AUSSIE BUSH IDOL TALENT QUEST**  
Special guest Pete Denahy  
Top 6 will perform on Main Stage, Rec Res at 5.30pm to decide **OVERALL WINNERS**

9am - 5pm  
**ART & PHOTOGRAPHY EXHIBITION AND SALE & FOTO SUPPLIES/ CANON PHOTOWALKS**  
see page 26 for times

2.30pm - 3.30pm  
**LINE DANCING WORKSHOP**  
RSL Hall, Donaldson St, Entry \$5

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**AUSTRALIAN STOCK HORSE SOCIETY FEATURE CAMPDRAFT**  
Campdraft arena

9am **TIMBERHILLS BULLOCK TEAM & DRAY**  
Roaming Rec Reserve

9.30am - 10.30am **RILEY'S RIDE**  
2018 REGISTRATION  
near MFSR Merchandise marquee

**BEECHWORTH PONY RIDES**  
From 10am on oval

7am - 10.30am **MFSR STRIPLINGS CHALLENGE**  
10-14 year olds

10.30am **LUKE THOMAS OUTBACK SHOW**

11am - 11.45am **MFSR CHALLENGE**  
**INDIVIDUAL PRESENTATIONS**  
MFSR raffle drawn  
12 noon - 12.30pm  
**JACK RILEY JUNIOR FINAL**  
12.30pm - 1pm **LADIES SILVER BRUMBY CATCH**

1pm **MAN FROM SNOWY RIVER CHALLENGE FINALS**  
Paterson's Brumby Catch & Kosciuszko Stocksaddle Buckjump

3.30pm **MFSR CHALLENGE WINNERS PRESENTATION**

9am - 10am **PETE DENAHY**  
10am - 11am **GEOFFREY GRAHAM 'Banjos Alive'**  
11am - 12noon **BRAD BUTCHER**

9am - 1pm **HISTORIC MACHINERY DISPLAY & TRACTOR PULL**

3pm **BRUMBY DEMO**

8am - 9am  
**CSU EQUINE SCIENCE TEAM: HORSE HEALTH BEHAVIOR & WELFARE**  
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8am - 10am  
**POETS BREAKFAST**  
Food available / BYO Chair

FROM 10am  
**NOVICE & INTERMEDIATE**  
Sec #9 & 10 (Lions Youth Club Hall)  
**YARN SPINNING & 1 MINUTE POEMS**  
Sec #8

2pm **JUNIORS THEN AWARD CEREMONY**  
(Lions Youth Club Hall)

6pm **FAREWELL CONCERT**  
At Colac Colac Caravan Park - BYO Food & Drinks

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From 10am on Rec Res oval

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