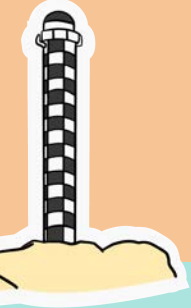


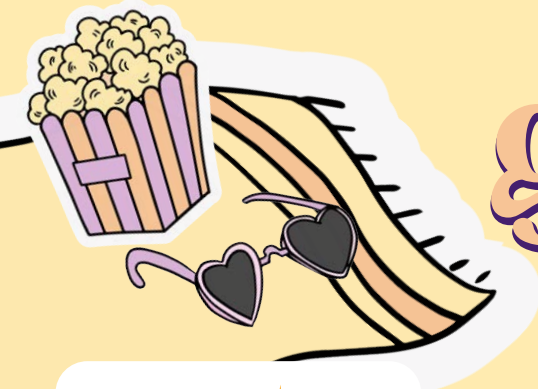
Dive into the brighter days of Bunbury



City of Bunbury presents...

Summer lovin'

1 Dec 2024 to 31 Jan 2025



Your
guide

to events happening in
Bunbury this summer.



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Message from the Mayor

Jaysen de San Miguel

Welcome to the second year of **Summer Lovin' in the heart of beautiful Bunbury!**

Whether you're a local or visiting for the first time, this is your chance to soak up everything our vibrant city has to offer. With a calendar bursting at the seams and headlined by our renowned **Christmas in the City** and **SkyFest** events, we've got something for everyone – beach days, street art, live music, sunset markets, and more.

From relaxing at Koombana Bay to adventuring on our nature trails or exploring our cafes and retail outlets, Bunbury is the ultimate summer playground.

So, get involved, bring your mates, and dive into the brighter days of Bunbury with some Summer Lovin'.

Mayor Jaysen de San Miguel



Acknowledgment of Country

The City of Bunbury acknowledge the traditional owners of the land, the Noongar Wardandi people and their continuing connection to the land, waters and community.

We pay our respects to all members of the Aboriginal communities and their culture; and to Elders past, present and emerging.

Birak Season (December - January)

Birak is represented by the colour red as it symbolises heat, sun and fire. During Birak season the rain eases and the warm weather really starts to take hold.

The afternoons are cooled by the sea breezes from the south west.

Traditionally this was the fire season. An almost clockwork style of easterly winds in the morning and sea breezes in the afternoon meant that this was burning time of the year for Noongar people and they would burn the country in mosaic patterns.



Festive season events



Ben Colman



Christmas Lights Competition

Presented by:

Ben Colman Elders Real Estate

Have the best Christmas lights display in Bunbury?
Register your home in the inaugural Christmas Lights
Competition for your chance to **win \$1000!**

Registrations close 25 November 2024.

Judging will take place from 2 December to
4 December. The competition winner will be
announced at Christmas in the City on 8 December.

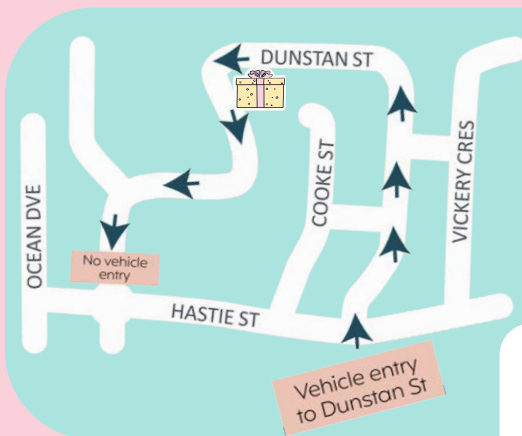


Bunbury Centre Point's Light Up The Night

**Thursday 12 December | 4pm to 8pm | FREE
BUNBURY CENTRE POINT**

Get into the Christmas spirit at Bunbury Centre
Point's Light Up the Night event. Enjoy live
performances by Top Jazz Ballet and the South
West Opera Company to welcome the festive
season. There's plenty of interactive fun for the
kids, from face painting, reindeer-food workshops
and a cookie-decorating session.

Dunstan Street Christmas Lights Display



Christmas Carols

22 December, 7pm | FREE

 **48 DUNSTAN STREET, BUNBURY**

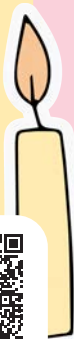
Christmas Lights Display

22-24 December, 7.30pm onwards | FREE

Be dazzled by the famous Bunbury Christmas
lights display of Dunstan Street.
Please use caution and be aware of road closures,
one-way traffic, and pedestrians.

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bunbury.wa.gov.au/play/summer-lovin to
stay informed of any event changes.



Christmas in the City!

Sunday 8 December | 4pm to 8.30pm



Festive Activities at Bicentennial Square

4pm to 8.30pm | Prices vary

Food trucks, market stalls, carnival rides and more!

Stage Performances

4pm to 8.30pm | FREE

GRAHAM BRICKNELL MUSIC SHELL

4pm to 4.25pm: Storytime with Santa

4.30pm to 5pm: Christmas Play | Eco Faeries

5.55pm to 6.25pm: Christmas Play | Eco Faeries



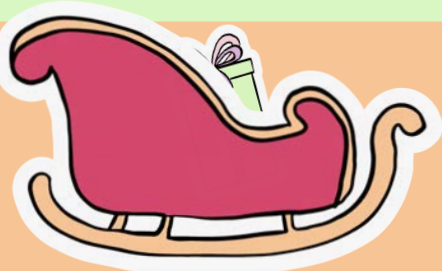
LiSTNR Christmas Street Parade

5pm to 6pm | FREE

BUNBURY CBD (MAP ON OPPOSITE PAGE)

Parking in the City

Scan the QR code on the opposite page for information on how to get to each event.



Carols Concert

6.30pm to 8.30pm | FREE

GRAHAM BRICKNELL MUSIC SHELL

Hark the Herald Angels Sing
The First Noel

Performed by Ben Talbot

Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer
Joy to the World

Performed by Leonie, Sara, Keelee

Angels We Have Heard on High
O Come All Ye Faithful

Performed by JD & Zalia Holt

Silent Night

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

Performed by Men of Song

Jingle Bell Rock
Heaven Everywhere

Performed by Amberley Milne

Go Tell It

Performed by Amberley Milne,
CL, Helen, Anita

Little Drummer Boy

Performed by Cael McLeash

Born is the King

Performed by Helen Porcep

Santa Clause is Coming to Town
Deck the Halls

Away in a Manger

Performed by Courtney Downes

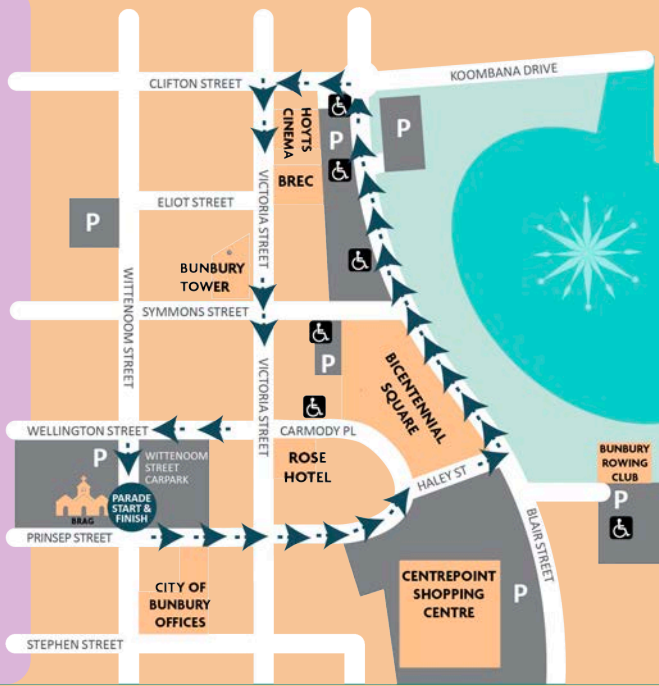
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5pm to 6pm | FREE
BUNBURY CBD

Enjoy a range of Christmas floats and themed vehicles as they parade the streets of the Bunbury CBD!

Road Closures

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Bunbury events

What's on around town!



Sunset Markets at Koombana

7 December, 4 January, 1 February
4.30pm to 7.30pm
KOOMBANA BAY



Qigong Silveryogies

Tuesday 31 December
8am to 9am
JETTY BATHS



Summertime Blues

Saturday 18 January
12pm to late | From \$65
FROTH CRAFT BUNBREWERY



Beach Yoga with Shala

6, 10, 13, 20 December
17, 24, 31 January
6am to 7am | \$15 to \$20
JETTY BATHS



Bunbury Street Arts Fun Day

Saturday 4 January
8am to 1pm
QUEENS GARDENS



Line Dance & Cuppa

8 + 15 January
9am | \$12 (includes a hot beverage)
BUNBURY MUSEUM +
HERITAGE CENTRE



Summer Vibes

Every Friday, Saturday + Sunday
From 2pm
62THIRTY CAFE AND BAR



Fun Friday Football Pop-Ups

6 + 13 December, 10 January
4pm to 6pm
KOOLAMBIDI WOOLA
+ BACK BEACH



BeachFlix

19 December + 23 January
From sunset
Hosted by 62Thirty Café and Bar
KOOMBANA BAY



FREE

Alcohol Think Again Beach Tour 24/25- Round 5
18 + 19 January | 6.45am to 4pm
KOOMBANA BAY



FREE

Carbies 'N' Coffee
22 December + 26 January
9am to 11am
WITTENOOM ST CARPARK



Spoken Streets Running Tour and Coffee Treat
14 + 21 December, 11 + 25 January
8am to 10am | \$30pp
BLAIR ST FORESHORE CARPARK



FREE

Christmas Carnival Rides
7 + 8 December
4pm to late
PAT USHER FORESHORE



FREE

Produce in the Park
14 + 28 December, 11 + 25 January
8am to 12pm
QUEENS GARDENS



FREE

Chinese Lantern Riddle Trail
4 to 18 January
Store Opening Hours
SOUL MADE BOUTIQUE



Salsa Dance & Sip
9 + 15 January
5pm | \$20 (includes beverage)
FROTH CRAFT BUNBREWERY



FREE

Bunbury Chinese Lantern Festival
17 + 18 January
6pm
FRIENDSHIP GARDENS



FREE

2025 SLSWA Country Championships
25 + 26 January
8am to 5pm
BACK BEACH



FREE

Bunbury Markets
7 + 21 December, 4 + 18 January
8am to 1pm
QUEENS GARDENS



KID FRIENDLY FREE WELLNESS
 ALCOHOL AVAILABLE (18+) SPORT

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FREE



Etched in Fire
Chester Nealie
16 November 2024
to 2 February 2025



BUNBURY REGIONAL ART GALLERY
WILGER MIA

Tributaries
Tineke Van der Eecken
16 November 2024
to 16 February 2025

The Deep Green Sea
Kelsey Ashe
23 November 2024
to 16 February 2025

Please check opening hours

FREE



Teddy Bears Roadshow
Thursday 19 December 2024
10am
BUNBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY
2 Parkfield Street, Bunbury

bunbury.wa.gov.au/brag

@bragwa

64 Wittenoom Street

bunbury.wa.gov.au/libraries

2024 WA Women's Hall of Fame Exhibition
29 November 2024 to 26 January 2025
Please check opening hours

Celebrating the social, economic, historical, scientific, cultural, and political achievements of remarkable Western Australian women.

BUNBURY MUSEUM HERITAGE CENTRE



FREE



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1 Arthur Street

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JANUARY 24 TO FEBRUARY 1
bunburyfringe.com

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8-26 JANUARY 2025
BREC INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL



For more information, call 1300 661 272 or visit bunburyentertainment.com

SkyFest!

Koombana Foreshore, Koolambidi Woola,
Koombana North | Sunday 26 January



Before: morning events

Mayoral Breakfast

Hosted by: The Apex Club
of Bunbury Koombana
6.30am | FREE

GRAHAM BRICKNELL
MUSIC SHELL

The Apprentice + Traineeship Company Fun Run

7.30am | FREE

KOOLAMBIDI WOOLA

Mayor's Citizenship Ceremony + Awards

8am | FREE

GRAHAM BRICKNELL
MUSIC SHELL

SkyFest: afternoon/evening

South West Strength's Strongest Men and Women Competition

12pm to 6pm

KOOLAMBIDI WOOLA

Cloutz Summer Carnival Rides

2pm to 9pm

KOOMBANA FORESHORE
+ PAT USHER FORESHORE

Dome Mascot Meet and Greet

2.30pm to 5.30pm

KOOMBANA NORTH

Bunbury Volleyball Association

3pm to 6.30pm

KOOMBANA BAY

Beachside Entertainment

4pm to 8.30pm

KOOMBANA BAY

SW Pop-Up Shop and Market Stalls

4pm to 7pm

KOOMBANA NORTH

Kite Kinetic Kite Making + Ground and Sky Displays

4pm to 8.30pm

KOOMBANA BAY

Spare Parts Puppet Theatre's String Symphony

4pm to 8.30pm

KOOMBANA BAY

Shipwreck Talks with Barbara Rae

4.30pm to 5.30pm

6.30pm to 7.30pm

KOOMBANA NORTH

Tronox Interactive Stall

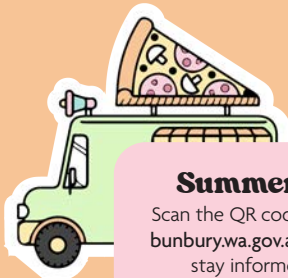
4pm to 9pm

KOOMBANA BAY

Dinner at Dusk Food Trucks

4pm to 9pm

KOOMBANA FORESHORE



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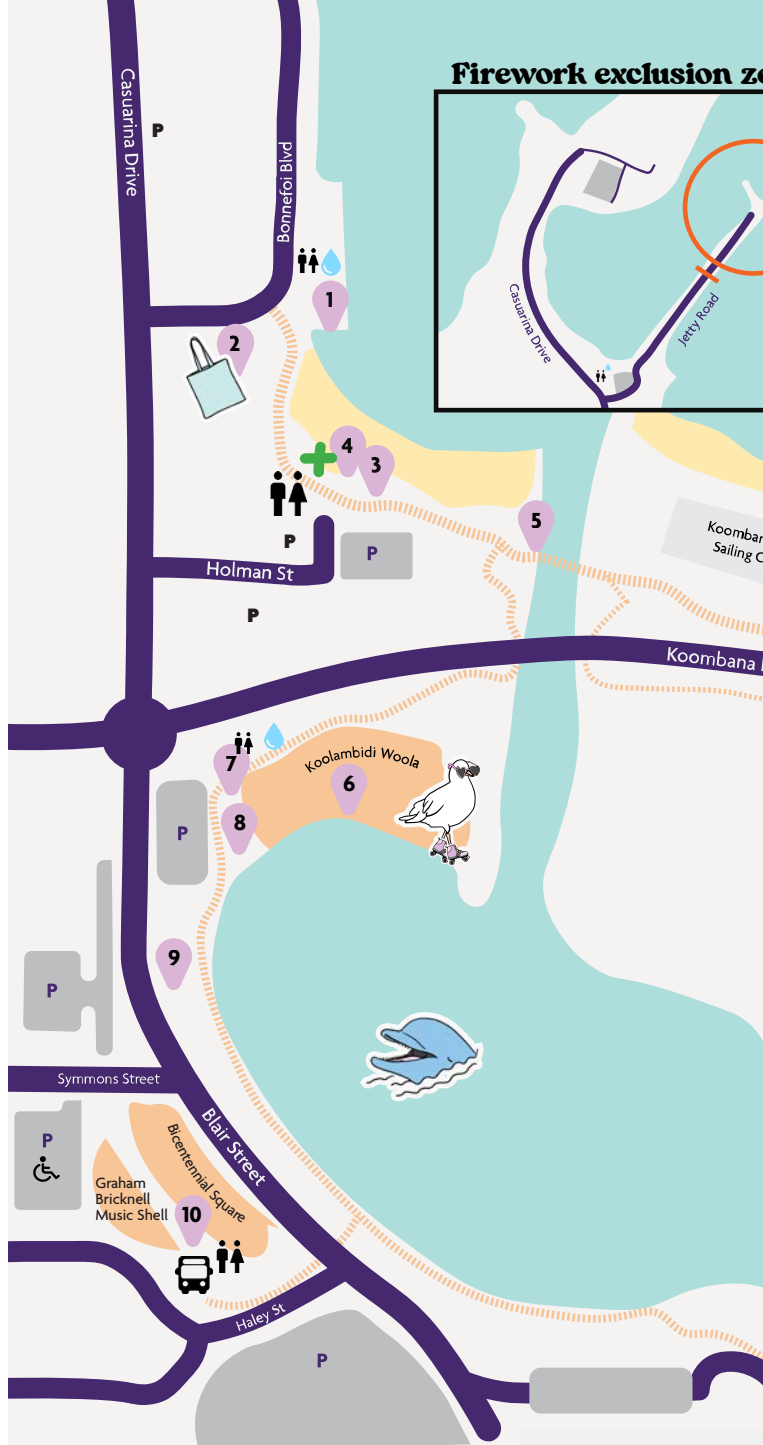
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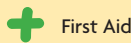
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Public toilets



Water



First Aid



Information Desk
 Indigenous Activity
 Face Painting



Accessible toilets
 and parking

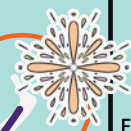


Bus station



Parking

zone

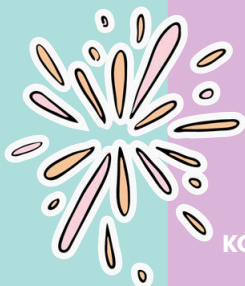


Full Exclusion Zone

26 January | 6pm to 9.30pm

Jetty Road Closure

10am 25 January until 12pm 27 January



SkyFest!

Sunday 26 January 2025

KOOMBANA BAY FORESHORE,
KOOLAMBIDI WOOLA, KOOMBANA NORTH,
PAT USHER FORESHORE



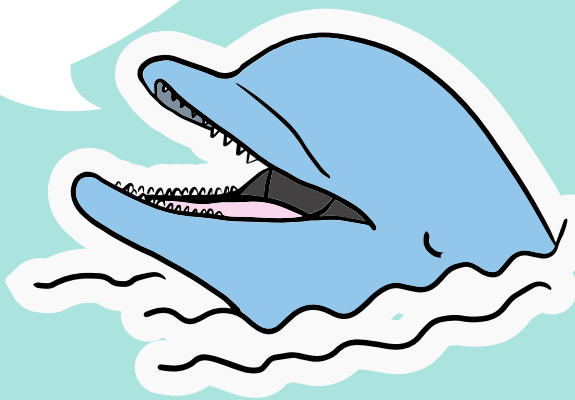
Map key:

- 1. Milky Lane | Activities
- 2. Markets | Market Square
- 3. Mascot Meet and Greet | Dome Café
- 4. Tronox | Interactive Stall
- 5. Shipwreck Talks | Koombana Footbridge
- 6. SW Strongest Man + Woman | Koolambidi Woola
- 7. The Apprentice + Traineeship Company Fun Run | 7.30am
- 8. South West Sports Centre | Interactive Stall
- 9. Summer Carnival Rides | 12pm to 10pm
- 10. Mayoral Breakfast | 6.30am
- 11. Carey Park Scouts Marquee | Waste Management
- 12. Kite Kinetics | Display and Workshop
- 13. Shuttle Bus Service | Accessible Drop Off
- 14. Volleyball Competition | Have a Go
- 15. Hit 95.7FM Live Broadcast
Grassed Area by Dome Café
- 16. City of Bunbury | Waste Sorting
- 17. Performances | Solo Artists
- 18. Food Trucks | Dinner at Dusk

We're lovin' your feedback!



Tell us what you think of the **Summer Lovin'** events happening in Bunbury this summer!



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