# What's On in the Upper Lachlan



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#### Saddle Up for a Mate Fundraiser for Men's Mental Health

WHEN: Friday 28 February to Saturday 1 March 2025

- WHERE: Crookwell Showground
- **TIME:** 3.00pm
- **COST:** Fundraiser
- **ABOUT:** Organised by publican Charlie Fenton the event is to raise awareness for men's mental health. The event will feature entertainment by Chalkie White, Big Willy & Ross Webb, with guest speakers addressing the very important topic of men's mental health. The community are invited to get behind this great initiative with free entry, food and drink will also be available.

MORE INFO: <u>https://events.humanitix.com/saddle-up-for-a-mate</u> or contact Charlie on 0418 160 161.

#### International Women's Day – Laggan

WHEN: Sunday 2 March 2025

WHERE: Laggan Pub – 3 Peelwood Road, Laggan

TIME: From 11:00am

- **COST:** \$50.00 Purchase from www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1347357
- ABOUT: Catering supplied, Guest Speakers Patricia Falcetta OAM, Sam Longmore. Fashion Parade with Your Home Matters, Women's Circles – hand knitting, bracelet making, flower arranging and more.

MORE INFO: Email: info@australianagriculturalcentre.com

#### **Creative Gunning – Stash and Treasure Sale**

WHEN: Sunday 2 March 2025

**WHERE:** Gunning Shire Hall – Copeland Street, Gunning.

- **TIME:** 9:00am to 2:00pm
- **COST:** Gold Coin Donation
- ABOUT: Art & Craft Materials, Sewing & Spinning Supplies, Fabric, Books & Patterns, Buttons & Notions and much more.

MORE INFO: www.facebook.com/creativegunning Email: creativegunning@gmail.com

#### Crown Theatre Café Exhibitions

WHEN: Sunday 2 March, Sunday 23 March, Sunday 30 March 2025

WHERE: Crown Theatre Café – 123 Goulburn Street, Crookwell

**TIME:** 6.00pm – 9.00pm

**COST:** \$45.00 (Discount if purchase all 3 shows) Purchase from www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1347357

ABOUT: Meet local artists and enjoy their exhibits served alongside wine and charcuterie boards. Sunday 2, local artist photographer, book illustrator and painter - Amy Curran, Sunday 23 local romance author - Aurora Kelly, Sunday 30, local visual & graphic art designer – Adrian Olde.

	Interpretations Exhibition
WHEN:	Friday 7 March 2025
WHERE:	Crookwell District Art Gallery – Denison Street
TIME:	Opening Night Friday 7 March 5:30pm Saturday 8, Sunday 9, Friday 14, Saturday 15, Sunday 16 March from 10:30am to 3:00pm
COST:	Opening night \$10 PP all other days are Gold Coin Donation
ABOUT:	17 Artists' Responses to an artwork from the collection including visual and performance works
MORE INFO	secretary@crookwellartgallery.com Ph: 4832 0932
	Dalton Exhibition of Wall Hangings
WHEN:	8 & 9 March 2025
WHERE:	Dalton Hall, 64 Chapel Street, Dalton
TIME:	10:00am to 3:00pm
ABOUT:	An exhibition of wall hangings.
MORE INFO	Julz 0421 900 015 Email: ionajulz@gmail.com

#### **Taralga Show** WHEN: Saturday 8 & Sunday 9 March 2025 WHERE: Taralga Showground – Walsh Street, Taralga TIME: Saturday 7:00am to Midnight & Sunday 7:00am to 5:00pm – Check Times COST: Adults \$15.00, Pensioners \$5.00, Under 18yrs Free – Tickets will be available from the gate on Show day, EFTPOS will be available at the gates and the show office. ABOUT: Experience the charm and hospitality of our vibrant community at the Taralga Country Show. Set amongst scenic countryside, this family friendly event celebrates all things country, from stunning array of local farm animals to the incredible exhibits showcasing the best of our communities agriculture, craft and culinary talents. MORE INFO: www.taralgashow.wordpress.com Show Office: 0490 346 195 Cricket Match Crookwell Bash – A day @ The Grange WHEN: Saturday 8 March 2025 WHERE: The Grange Cricket Ground, Lin Cooper, Crookwell 12:30pm TIME: ABOUT: Crookwell Pirates 1<sup>st</sup> XI V's Crookwell Pirates 2<sup>nd</sup> XI. DJ Will.I.Am Croker, \$200 Crowd Catch, BYO drinks, post-game drinks at the Crookwell Golf Club. **MORE INFO:** Proudly sponsored by Ben Evans Plumbing Services.

	Binda Picnic Races
WHEN:	Saturday 15 March 2025
WHERE:	Junction Point Road – Funny Hill.
TIME:	Gates Open 10.00am
COST:	Tickets purchased through 123tix.com.au Adult/child \$30.00, Under 16 free Tent site \$120.00
ABOUT:	Join us for a day at the Binda Races, held at the oldest country race track in Australia, dating back to 1848. Enjoy thrilling races, local bookies, Fashion on the Field, and a delicious BBQ. Bring your own picnic or order a grazing box from the Crookwell Public School on 0457 743 147, and relax with friends and family. BYO alcohol (no glass allowed).
MORE INFO	: Leanne Hearn 0427 345 243 Email: <u>bindapicnics@yahoo.com.au</u>
	Crookwell Heritage Railway
WHEN:	Saturday 15 March 2025
WHERE:	Crookwell Railway Station, Colyer Street Crookwell.
TIME:	10:00am to 3:00pm
COST:	Gold Coin Donation
ABOUT:	A volunteer run museum show-casing the Crookwell branch-line rail heritage with a variety of vintage railway vehicles and ride the rail trikes on display.
MORE INFO	0413 119 694 or crookwellheritagerailway@gmail.com

#### Roslyn Roving Art Exhibition

WHEN: Saturday 22 & Sunday 23 March 2025

WHERE: Roslyn Hall, Middle Arm Road, Roslyn

- TIME: 10:00am to 4:00pm Saturday & Sunday Official Opening Sunday 6.00pm – 8.00pm
- **COST:** Gold Coin Donation

ABOUT: An exhibition of Upper Lachlan Shire Council & Crookwell & District Art Gallery art on Saturday 22 and Sunday 23. WORKSHOPS: Gelli Plate Printing with Vivienne and Mandy and Wire Bird Feeder with Leanne Saturday 22 at 10:00am and 2:00pm - \$5.00pp.

MORE INFO: Bookings essential for workshops at Crookwell Visitor Information Centre 4832 1988

#### **Creative Gunning Expo**

- WHEN: Sunday 23 March 2025
- WHERE: Gunning Showground and Shire Hall, Gunning.
- **TIME:** 3:00pm to 6:00pm

COST: Free

**ABOUT:** An expo all about Gunning and District, to help reconnect and promote the Community. Local businesses and interest groups promoting their services, all welcome.

MORE INFO: Website: <u>www.facebook.com.creative gunning</u> Email: <u>creativegunning@gmail.com.au</u>

### **Upper Lachlan Libraries**

#### Seniors Festival – Using Ancestry.com

During March we celebrate the wonderful Seniors in our community! This year we'll be running sessions on how to use the Library's Ancestry.com subscription to research your family history and create your family tree.

WHERE: Gunning Library
WHEN: Thursday 6 March, 1:30 to 2:30pm
WHO: Adults Cost: Free
MORE INFO: Bookings essential. Call 4845 1231 or book online https://tinyurl.com/ULSLGngAncest

WHERE: Crookwell Library WHEN: Tuesday 11 March, 11:30am to 12:30pm WHO: Adults Cost: Free MORE INFO: Bookings essential. Call 4832 1048 or book online https://tinyurl.com/ULSLCwlAncest

#### Penelope Janu Author Talk

Join us at Gunning Library to meet rural romance author Penelope Janu. Penelope's latest novel The Summerfield Saddler is a warm-hearted, charming romance about trying not to fall in love - and failing. Set in a small rural town fighting to rehabilitate land destroyed by an open cut mine, this book celebrates Australian communities and the clever, adventurous women who live there.

WHERE: Gunning Library
WHEN: Friday 14 March, 12:00 to 1:00pm
WHO: Adults Cost: Free
MORE INFO: Bookings essential. Call 4845 1231 or book online https://tinyurl.com/ULSLGngJanu

### **Upper Lachlan Libraries**

#### Cyanotype Printing

Cyanotype is print making using the power of the sun! Join us to explore this unique art form and use botanicals, feathers and other found materials to create amazing one-off prints.

WHERE: Crookwell Library
WHEN: Monday 17 March, 11:30 to 1:00pm
WHO: Adults Cost: Free
MORE INFO: Bookings essential. Call 4832 1048 or book online https://tinyurl.com/ULSLCwlCyano

#### **Digital Mentoring**

Book in for a 30 minute one-on-one chat with a technology expert from NBN Co! Get all your technology-related questions answered, and bring along your own device or use a Library computer to learn new skills like using the Internet, setting up email, installing apps, and more!

WHERE: Crookwell Library
WHEN: Tuesday 18 March, 11:00am to 1:30pm
WHO: All ages Cost: Free
MORE INFO: Bookings essential. Call the Library on (02) 4832 1048 or book online

WHERE: Gunning Library
WHEN: Tuesday 18 March, 2:30pm to 3:30pm
WHO: All ages Cost: Free
MORE INFO: Bookings essential. Call the Library on (02) 4832 1048 or book online

### **Upper Lachlan Libraries**

#### Read and Rhyme

Each week babies and toddlers can enjoy nursery rhymes, songs, finger plays, dancing and stories at our early childhood literacy program 'Read & Rhyme'

WHERE:	Crookwell Library
WHEN:	Thursdays in school terms, 10:30am to 11:30am
WHO:	Babies and Toddlers COST: Free
MORE INFO:	No bookings required. Call 4832 1048 for more information

WHERE:	Gunning Library
WHEN:	Fridays in school terms, 10:00am to 11:00am
WHO:	Babies and Toddlers COST: Free
MORE INFO:	No bookings required. Call 4845 1231 for more information

#### Sensory Story Time

Join us for a special story time that's a treat for all the senses! As well as picture books to look at and listen to, we will have interesting textures to feel, tastes and smells, and dancing to get your body moving.

WHERE: Crookwell Library
WHEN: Last Thursday of the month, 10:30am to 11:30am
WHO: Pre Schoolers COST: Free
MORE INFO: No bookings required. Call 4832 1048 for more information

WHERE:Gunning LibraryWHEN:Last Friday of the month 2025 10:00 to 11:00amWHO:Pre SchoolersCOST: FreeMORE INFO:No bookings required. Call 4845 1231 for more information

### **Upper Lachlan Libraries**

#### Lego Club

Use Lego to unleash your creative side! Lego Club at your Library involves a mix of guided themes and free play sessions to encourage design, sharing and collaboration

WHERE:	Gunning Library
WHEN:	Wednesdays in school terms from 3:30pm to 4:30pm
WHO:	School Age COST: Free
MORE INFO:	No bookings required. Ph.: 4845 1231 for more info

WHERE:Crookwell LibraryWHEN:Thursdays in school terms starting from 3:30pm to 4:30pmWHO:School AgeCOST: FreeMORE INFO:No bookings required.Ph.: 4832 1048 for more info

#### 12-15 years People Dungeons and Dragons

Younger teens can join us for weekly sessions playing Dungeons & Dragons and painting miniatures for this popular tabletop game! We will explore an ongoing campaign, then paint miniatures to represent characters and creatures from the game in alternate weeks

WHERE:Crookwell LibraryWHEN:Mondays 3:30pm to 5:00pmWHO:Young people aged 12 to 15 yearsCOST: FreeMORE INFO:No bookings required. Call 4832 1048 for more information

### **Upper Lachlan Libraries**

#### 16 years and up Dungeons and Dragons

Older teens can join us for weekly sessions playing Dungeons & Dragons! This ongoing campaign will begin in the Yawning Portal, the most famous tavern in Waterdeep, and take you adventuring deep into the labyrinthine dungeons of Undermountain and the lair of the wizard Halaster Blackcloak.

WHERE: Crookwell Library
WHEN: Thursdays starting 2025 5:00pm to 7:00pm
WHO: Young people aged 16 yrs. and up COST: Free
MORE INFO: No bookings required. Call 4832 1048 for more information

#### Scrabble

Join us at Crookwell Library for a fun, social afternoon of Scrabble

WHERE:Crookwell LibraryWHEN:First Tuesday of the month from 1:00pm to 3:00pmWHO:AdultsCOST: FreeMORE INFO:No bookings required.Ph.: 4832 1048 for more info

### **Upper Lachlan Libraries**

#### Crafternoon

Week 1 – Origami and Paper Craft Week 2 – Crochet Week 3 – Knitting Week 4 – Water Colour Painting

WHERE:Gunning LibraryWHEN:Fridays from 1:30pm to 2:30pmWHO:AdultsCOST: FreeMORE INFO:No bookings required. Call 4845 1231 for more information

#### Wordsmiths, Scribblers and Scribes

March 22nd – Plotter / Panster Casual Chain ISBNs What are they? How do I choose what I need?

Are you are writing or would like to get started? Come along to this month's meeting of Crookwell's Writers' Support Group. 2025 we will be creating a short story to self-publish. This will allow us to experience the process regardless of how you choose to publish other works. March's session will focus on plotter vs panster, the casual chain, and ISBNs.

WHERE:	Crookwell Library	
WHEN:	Fourth Saturday of the month,	from 10:00am to 12:00am
WHO:	Adults COST:	Free
MORE INFO:	No bookings required.	P: Dianne Lenger 0416 699 703
	diane.lenger@gmail.com	-



### Upper Lachlan Libraries

Crookwell Library Hours		Gunning Library Hours	
Sunday	Closed	Sunday	Closed
Monday	10.30am to 5.00pm	Monday	Closed
Tuesday	10.30am to 5.00pm	Tuesday	2.00pm to 5.00pm
Wednesday 1.30pm to 5.00pm Wednesday 2.00pm to 5.00pm		y 2.00pm to 5.00pm	
Thursday	10.30am to 5.00pm	Thursday	1.00pm to 5.00pm
Friday	10.30am to 5.00pm	Friday	10.00am to 5.00pm
Saturday	10.00am to 12.00pm	Saturday	10.00am to 12.00pm

Crookwell and Gunning Libraries are closed on the following public holidays:

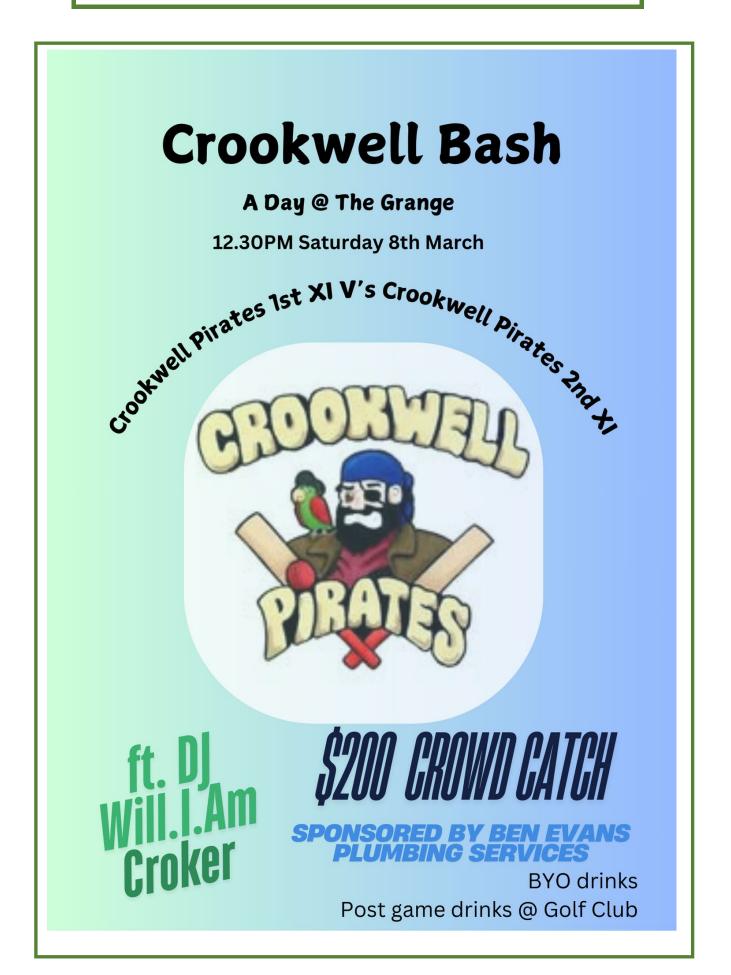
25 April 2024ANZAC Day10 June 2024King's Birthday7 October 2024Labour Day

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### Markets

WHEN:	CROOKWELL Saturday 1 March 2025	
WHERE:	Crookwell Heritage Railway Station – Colyer Street, Crookwell.	
TIME:	9.00am to 1.00pm	
ADMISSION	N: Free	
MORE INFO	<b>D:</b> Experience a hidden treasure in Crookwell at our country markets. Coffee, over 30 amazing stalls, with clothes, bags, shoes, baby items, jewellery, lollies.	
	TARALGA	
WHEN:	Saturday 1 March 2025	
WHERE:	Taralga Sports Club – 40 Cooper Street, Taralga.	
TIME:	9.00am to 2.00pm	
ADMISSION	N: Free	
MORE INFO	<b>D:</b> The Taralga Country Market is a charming monthly event with local vendors offering a variety of handmade goods, fresh produce, artisanal products, and much more. It's a great opportunity to experience the warmth of the community, support local artisans, and enjoy the relaxed, country atmosphere.	
	LAGGAN	
WHEN:	Saturday 15 March 2025	
WHERE:	Laggan Memorial Hall, Peelwood Road, Laggan	
TIME:	9.00am to 1.00pm	
ADMISSION	ADMISSION: Free	
<b>MORE INFO:</b> Every third Saturday of the month at the Laggan Memorial Hall. Boasting an astonishing array of goods from home-made cakes to plants and an impressive range of gift items		

### Crookwell Visitor Information Centre



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#### **Current Opening Hours**

Monday to Friday – 9.00am to 4.00pm

Saturday – 10.00am to 2.00pm

Sunday - Closed

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