

PORT FAIRY WRITERS FESTIVAL QUICK OVERVIEW

12 - 14 SEPTEMBER 2025

PLEASE SEE OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS Individual ticketing and packages available:

FRIDAY

Port Fairy Library

3PM LIMELIGHT ON LOCALS

Reardon Theatre

6PM MEET & GREET / ART LAUNCH

A chance for ticket holders to meet our invited guests – includes launch of Katherine Hattam's art exhibition.

7.30PM BITTEN! Three Snake Stories

By Carrie Tiffany

Followed by a Q&A with Robert Gott

SATURDAY

Port Fairy Library

10AM Children's Indoor Street Party!

Lorena Carrington, RWR McDonald, Olivia Coates, Kate Mildenhall, Julie Murphy, and Georgia Lillie.

Reardon Theatre Program

10AM Heide - Harvesting Art, Legacy & Flavour

Alice Crowe, Maximilian &

Christabel Blackman - Anne Connor

11.30AM Bringing up the Bodies

Emily Maguire, Gail Holmes, Chloe Adams – Hilary Harper

1.00 PM The Biography as Inquiry

Judith Brett, Katia Ariel & Belinda Probert –

Lloyd Jones

2.30 PM Football, Family & Bearing Witness

Helen Garner and Jock Serong

4.00 PM Hard Truths: The Grit of Crime Writing

Mark Smith, Fiona Hardy, Zane Lovitt, Luke Johnson – RWR McDonald

Luke Joillison - NVN

5.30 PM Wine & Wisdom

Barry Jones and Judith Brett

Blarney Books & Art

5.30 PM Mystery & Untold Stories

Kelly Gardiner, Sharmini Kumar, Belinda Lyons-Lee, Lyn Yeowart –

Kate Mildenhall

SATURDAY'S FESTIVAL DINNER

7PM OAK & ANCHOR HOTEL

Delicious two-course dinner with most of our guest authors! Featuring Gregory Day and Jock Serong between courses - and a surprise after-dinner musical performance!

SUNDAY

Blarney Books & Art

10AM Voices for the Next Gen

Fiona Hardy, Mark Smith, Tony Thompson – Matt Neal

Reardon Theatre

10AM When Nature Bites

Jane Rawson & Belinda Probert

- Jayne Tuttle

11.30AM Longing & Loss

Jayne Tuttle, Rachel Morton, Katia Ariel – Chloe Adams

1.00 PM The Irish Influence

Gregory Day, Brendan Ryan,

Nathanael O'Reilly - Anne Gleeson

Closing Event - Reardon Theatre

3.30PM Iconic

Helen Garner & Katherine Hattam

Full program information and tickets available via the website.

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