South Australia
EVENTS CALENDAR

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JANUARY 2014

World Tennis Challenge Adelaide
7-9 January, Adelaide ■
A mix of current champions and past heroes of the game will compete over three action-packed nights at Memorial Drive. The 2014 World Tennis Challenge will feature legends including Martina Navratilova, Tracy Austin, Mats Wilander, Pat Cash, Henri Leconte and Mansour Bahrami.
www.worldtennischallenge.com

Schützenfest
10-11 January, Adelaide
Experience German culture with more than 40 stalls serving up delicious traditional German food and beverages. The largest folk festival in the southern hemisphere will be celebrated through cultural heritage displays, dancing, children’s entertainment and more.
www.schutzenfest.com.au

Cape Jaffa Seafood & Wine Festival
12 January, Limestone Coast
Escape to Cape Jaffa to discover edible seafood delights and wonderful wine available in this small corner of the Limestone Coast. Indulge in a selection of crayfish, prawns, oysters and lobster pâté. This is a day for the whole family to enjoy with entertainment for all.
www.capejaffafest.com.au

Bike Art
13 January to 24 February, Adelaide
This month-long event explores and celebrates everything bike. Held around Australia’s premier cycling event, the Santos Tour Down Under, Bike Art Adelaide will consist of a variety of art events around the city of Adelaide.
www.facebook.com/BikeArtAdelaide

Sounds by the Sea
16 January, Eyre Peninsula
The Sounds by the Sea event is a celebration held at Port Lincoln. Come along for a day filled with excellent outdoor music, wine and food courtesy of the treasures from Port Lincoln. Bring your family for the ultimate festival experience.

Harvest Festival
18 January, Fleurieu Peninsula
The Harvest Festival will display the diversity of food, wine, music and the arts from around McLaren Vale. Celebrating with a theme of ‘Fleurieu Flavours’, the festival will showcase the region’s European heritage.
www.harvestfestivalmclarenvale.com.au

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2014 Subaru Australian MTB Season
Cross Country Eliminator
17-19 January, Adelaide
The national mountain biking season will kick off in Adelaide, with riders to
compete at popular Eagle Park. Head along to check out the action as top
athletes give it their all.
www.cycling.org.au

Sounds by the River
18 January, Murray River, Lakes and Coorong
Held on the banks of the Murray River, Sounds by the River presents a
stellar line-up of musicians in a picturesque outdoor setting at Mannum.
Bring along your deck chair and enjoy live music amongst towering gum
trees, limestone cliffs and the state’s most iconic waterway.
soundsbytheriver.com.au/info

Goolwa Regatta Week
18-26 January, Fleurieu Peninsula
Australia’s premier freshwater regatta features a 10-day festival of sailing
and social events. Beginning in 1966, the race has since been established
as an Australian yachting classic. Events will be held on and off the land for
everyone to enjoy a week in this beautiful part of South Australia.
www.goolwaregattaweek.com.au

Crush Wine & Food Festival
19 January, Adelaide Hills
Discover the best of Adelaide Hills with unique wines, fashion, music and
art at more than 30 cellar doors across the region.
www.crushfestival.com.au

Santos Tour Down Under
19-26 January, Adelaide and Regions
The Santos Tour Down Under is the first stop on the world cycling calendar
and kicks off the year in thrilling style. This festival of cycling brings top UCI
WorldTour teams together to race on the streets of South Australia. Don’t
miss the colour and excitement.
www.tourdownunder.com.au

Qantaslink Tunarama Festival
24-27 January, Eyre Peninsula
Port Lincoln’s annual Tunarama festival will be celebrated with local
seafood, fabulous hospitality and other great produce from the region.
The festival will consist of events and activities for all ages, including the
famous Tuna Toss and a fireworks display.
www.tunarama.net

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Kangaroo Island Gourmet Gallop
25 January, Kangaroo Island
Enjoy a day of great racing combined with a celebration of local produce including seafood, lamb, olive oil, honey and stunning local wines.
www.kiracingclub.com.au

Australia v England at the Adelaide Oval
26 January, Adelaide
Seize your chance to be part of the action at this one day international match. Competition is sure to be fierce and players will be in action at the newly redeveloped Adelaide Oval.
www.adelaideoval.com.au

Australia Day Parade
26 January, Adelaide
South Australia’s major Australia Day celebration is held in the heart of Adelaide. Attracting more than 30,000 people, this free public community event involves marching bands, cultural groups, floats plus more weaving through the city to a concert at Elder Park.
www.australiaday.org.au

Freshwater Classic Yacht Race
26 January, Fleurieu Peninsula
One of Australia’s most popular yacht races sees a large fleet of yachts racing their way across Lake Alexandrina, down the Murray River to the finish line. Official presentations are held at the Goolwa Regatta Yacht Club where everyone joins in the celebrations of the day.
www.goolwaregattaweek.com.au

Subaru Track Nationals
29 January – 1 February, Adelaide
The 2014 Subaru Track Nationals will take place at the Adelaide Super-Drome and will see Australia’s best elite and under 19 track cyclists battle it out in a number of sprint and endurance events. Don’t miss outstanding performances from the top riders in the nation.
www.cycling.org.au

FEBRUARY 2014

Brighton Jetty Classic
2 February, Adelaide
The Brighton Jetty Classic is the largest ocean swimming event in South Australia. The swim is celebrated by a day filled with events and activities for the whole family. Come along to enjoy the carnival atmosphere and the views of Brighton Beach.
www.brightonjettyclassic.com
**Taste the Limestone Coast**  
7-9 February, Limestone Coast  
This annual festival held in Naracoorte on the Limestone Coast offers visitors the opportunity to taste the exquisite produce from more than 25 award-winning wineries and gourmet food producers. The event will be an explosion of tastes, music and activities for all ages to enjoy.  
www.thetastefestival.com.au

**Italian Carnevale**  
8-9 February, Adelaide  
The carnevale allows for South Australian's Italian community to share its vibrant culture and traditions with the public. In the company of friends and family enjoy a carnevale like no other. Wine, parades, opera, folk dancers and much more will be on show.  
www.carnevale-adelaide.com

**Adelaide Fringe**  
14 February-16 March, Adelaide  
Adelaide Fringe is the largest arts event in the southern hemisphere and takes over the city with more than 900 events staged in pop-up venues in parks, warehouses and laneways through to theatres, art galleries and cafes. Experiences like no other are provided through cabaret, comedy, circus, dance, film, theatre, music, puppetry and design to name a few.  
www.adelaidefringe.com.au

**Coopers Kangaroo Island Cup Carnival**  
14-16 February, Kangaroo Island  
The Coopers Kangaroo Island Cup Carnival is a three-day celebration of racing alongside food, wine and entertainment. This is Kangaroo Island’s premier horse racing event and provides guest with a delightful atmosphere only available on the country island.  
www.kiracingclub.com.au

**Cellar Door Wine Festival**  
14-16 February, Adelaide  
The Cellar Door Wine Festival is the ideal weekend for all wine and food lovers. More than 150 South Australian wineries will be represented at the Adelaide Convention Centre, with patrons offered wine tastings and the best food the state has to offer. Come along and meet the makers while enjoying their creations.  
www.cellardoorwinefestivaladelaide.com.au

**Frances Folk Gathering**  
21-23 February, Limestone Coast  
Situated 50km south of Bordertown is the small yet delightful town of Frances. Frances opens its doors to a large variety of dancers, musicians, buskers and artists to create a weekend full of fun and laughter.  
www.francesfolkgathering.com.au

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Clipsal 500 Adelaide
27 February – 2 March, Adelaide
Get down to the Clipsal 500 Adelaide to watch Ford and Holden battle it out at the famous round of the V8 Supercar Championship. Australia’s largest domestic motor sport event kicks off in February with four days filled with entertainment provided through concerts, races, stunts and much more.
www.clipsal500.com.au

Adelaide Festival
28 February – 16 March, Adelaide
One of the world’s greatest art events, the Adelaide Festival provides its audience with an extraordinary mix of international theatre productions, eclectic world-class musicians, outstanding dance pieces and breathtaking art displays.
www.adelaidefestival.com.au

MARCH 2014

Bompas Beachport Triathlon
1 March, Limestone Coast
The Beachport Hotel Triathlon is an event not to be missed. This action-packed triathlon starts and finishes on the Beachport foreshore where spectators can enjoy both the race and the views. The triathlon provides courses to suit all ages and fitness levels.
www.wattlerange.sa.gov.au

Fork and Cork
1-2 March, Limestone Coast
March 2014 the Garden Square in Mount Gambier will come alive with local wine and produce as locals deliver a festival fuelled with flavours where guests can be engaged in hands-on workshops with local chefs. Come along to celebrate the diversity of the regions delicious delights.
www.forkandcork.com.au

Port Lincoln Cup Carnival
5-7 March, Eyre Peninsula
The Port Lincoln Cup Carnival is an exciting week centred around two days filled with enthralling and exhilarating thoroughbred racing. Throughout the week enjoy a diverse collection of entertainment and functions.
www.plrc.com

Australian Racquetball Championships
7-9 March, Barossa
For the first time South Australia will be hosting the Australian Racquetball Championships. In 2014 the championships will be held in the picturesque Barossa, so bring the family to see Australia’s best battle it out for the championship title.
www.squashsa.asn.au
WOMADelaide
7-10 March, Adelaide
WOMADelaide is hosted in Adelaide’s beautiful Botanic Park where people come together to celebrate world music, arts and dance. Held over four magical days and nights, the park will come alive with some of the world’s most extraordinary musicians, artists and dancers.
www.womadelaide.com.au

ASICS Victor Harbor Triathlon
8-9 March, Fleurieu Peninsula
The ASICS Victor Harbor Triathlon includes mini, short and Olympic distance triathlons, plus a 5km fun run or walk. Race recovery food and drinks are supplied at the finish line, while a café is situated nearby for spectators.
www.vht.org.au

Tattsbet Adelaide Cup
10 March, Adelaide
Come along to enjoy the premier day on Adelaide’s racing calendar with an event that is more than just a horse race. The Tattsbet Adelaide Cup features a carnival atmosphere and something for everyone to enjoy.
www.sajc.com.au

Geltwood Festival
28 March to 6 April, Limestone Coast
The annual Geltwood Festival is hosted in the small country town of Millicent. The festival provides the audience with a week filled with excitement and entertainment and features markets, local chef cook-offs, timber exhibitions and quilting challenges.
www.wattlerange.sa.gov.au

APRIL 2014

Yorke Peninsula Saltwater Classic
4-6 April, Yorke Peninsula
Since its beginning in 2003, Yorke Peninsula’s Saltwater Classic has grown to become a flagship event on the national calendar for enthusiasts of vessels that preserve some of the great traditions of boat building. The award-winning Stansbury Seaside Market complements the event.
www.ypsaltwaterclassic.org.au

Adelaide Food and Wine Festival
4-13 April, Adelaide and surrounds
The Adelaide Food and Wine Festival is a dynamic celebration of South Australia’s food and wine culture. From beachside settings to city laneways, regional destinations and the Adelaide Central Markets, the festival will see the celebration of South Australian’s best food and wine.
www.adelaidefoodandwinefestival.org

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2014 Nippy’s Silver Sands Multisport Festival
5-6 April, Fleurieu Peninsula
The inaugural Nippy’s Silver Sands Multisport Festival will feature open water swimming, beach and natural scrub running and cycling. Action will take place at Silver Sands on the Fleurieu Peninsula – one of the most picturesque esplanades in the country – with the festival also open to children.
www.silversandstriathlon.com.au

Fleurieu Peninsula Golf Championship
7-11 April, Fleurieu Peninsula
This golf tournament features four great golf courses to play over five days: Links Lady Bay, McCracken, Fleurieu Golf Club and Victor Harbor. There’s a range of accommodation options, sights and restaurants for visitors to experience.
www.fleurieupeninsulagolfchampionship.com.au

Coonawarra After Dark Weekend
11-12 April, Limestone Coast
Experience all the thrills, excitement and the lights of vintage as Coonawarra wineries open their doors to visitors at the peak of the grape harvest. In the company of friends and family come along to tour a working winery, meet the winemakers, watch harvesting in action and enjoy local produce.
www.coonawarra.org

Rock ‘n’ Roll Rendezvous
13 April, Adelaide Hills
The Rock ‘n’ Roll Rendezvous is the largest single day rock ‘n’ roll motoring event in Australia. The rendezvous gives visitors the chance to take a trip back to the 50s, 60s, 70s and 80s with classic cars and classic looks. There is entertainment for all ages plus a fashion competition.

Coober Pedy Opal Festival
19 April, Flinders & Outback
This is a festival to celebrate the end of summer and the beginning of a prosperous opal mining season. The Opal capital of the world welcomes visitors to celebrate with art, craft, rides, entertainment and fireworks.
www.cooberpedy.sa.gov.au

Oakbank Racing Easter Carnival
19 and 21 April, Adelaide Hills
The Oakbank Racing Carnival is like no other and has become the biggest picnic race meeting in the world. The event offers an extensive list of facilities to ensure the carnival is enjoyable for everyone. Set in the picturesque Adelaide Hills, this is an event for locals and visitors alike.
www.oakbankracingclub.com.au

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Kangaroo Island FEASTival
24-28 April, Kangaroo Island
Kangaroo Island invites guests to become a part of its extraordinary FEASTival. Visitors can explore the island’s natural wilderness, gastronomy, wine, stories and intimate lifestyle through an exciting collection of wine and dining events.
www.tourkangarooisland.com.au

Swan Reach Country Music Festival
25-27 April, Murray lakes and Coorong
The Swan Reach Country Music Festival returns with fun for the entire family. Come for the day or stay for three with entertainment including a ute muster, talent quest and more. Camping, caravan and swag sites are available to give you a taste of authenticity.
www.swanreachcountry.com.au

Stirling Laneways – Autumn
27 April 2014, Adelaide Hills
Enjoy fashion, food and wine, and street performances in a village style market. The event is held in the laneways and open spaces off of Stirling’s picturesque main street, just twenty minutes’ drive from the Adelaide CBD.
www.stirlingautumngardenfestival.com.au

Tasting Australia
27 April – 4 May, Adelaide and Regions ★
Australia’s premier culinary festival returns to deliver the best in Australian produce, food products, wines and beers. The festival will be held over eight days with a range of exciting activities in the city and regions with a focus on youth activities, regional experiences and the arts.
www.tastingaustralia.com.au

MAY 2014

2014 Australian National Masters Rowing Championships
1-4 May, Adelaide ■
Australia’s best masters rowers will compete on the AM Ramsay Regatta Course at West Lakes. There are plenty of great vantage points for supporters to enjoy the racing.
www.rowingaustralia.com.au

Clare Valley Gourmet Weekend
16-18 May, Clare Valley ☀
The Clare Valley Gourmet Weekend was the first food and wine event of its kind in Australia and celebrates the end of vintage each year with the region’s award-winning wine and food. The experience is further enhanced with live music and the backdrop of the stunning Clare Valley. In 2014 the Clare Valley Gourmet Weekend turns 30.
www.clarevalleywinemakers.com.au

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Penola Coonawarra Arts Festival
22-25 May, Limestone Coast
The Penola Coonawarra Arts Festival is one of regional Australia’s leading arts festivals. It focuses on the literary and arts heritage of Penola and the fine wines of Coonawarra, along with the region’s premium produce. Its program is filled with exhibitions, performances, workshops and events.
www.artsfestival.com.au

Velo-city Global Adelaide 2014
27-30 May, Adelaide
Velo-city is the world’s top international cycling planning conference, and in 2014 it’s being held in Australia for the first time. This four-day conference offers delegates from around the world a chance to share ideas for creating and sustaining cycling-friendly cities.
www.velo-city2014.com

South Australian Country Music Festival & Awards
30 May – 9 June, Riverland
Barmera comes alive with country music over 10 days. Enjoy new talent, old favourites, workshops, tributes, awards, dinners and breakfasts. Relax and enjoy the backdrop of beautiful Lake Bonney while listening to stunning country music.
www.riverlandcountrymusic.com

JUNE 2014

Cabaret Fringe Festival
1-29 June, Adelaide
The Cabaret Fringe Festival is an open-access arts festival held annually in June and celebrates the art form of cabaret. Performers come from all corners of the world to join the cabaret celebrations in clubs, bars and venues of Adelaide to give the audience an experience like no other.
www.cabaretfringefestival.com

Adelaide Cabaret Festival
6-21 June, Adelaide
The Adelaide Cabaret Festival has earned a reputation for showcasing the best local, national and international artists in the cabaret genre. The 2013 program featured 411 artists in 161 performances over 18 days and nights, and 2014 is shaping up to be even bigger and better.
www.adelaidecabaretfestival.com.au

Melrose Fat Tyre Festival
6-9 June, Flinders & Outback
The Melrose Fat Tyre Festival is a celebration that takes place over the long weekend with a single track mountain bike ride in the southern Flinders Ranges. Bike riders come from across Australia to experience the relaxed and non-competitive nature of the event.
www.otesports.com.au

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Bank SA Sea and Vines
7-9 June, Fleurieu Peninsula
Situated in the picturesque McLaren Vale wine region is the Sea and Vines Food & Wine Festival, one of Australia's longest running and most popular annual food and wine festivals. It's the perfect way to explore the region and discover new wineries in the company of friends and family.
www.mclarenvale.info

SA Truck & Ute Show
8 June, Riverland
An array of new and vintage trucks and utes will be showcased at this event, which takes place in Mannum. Enjoy food, craft and a mini market, along with an area for children's entertainment.
www.murrayriver.com.au

JULY 2014

Coonawarra Cellar Dwellers
1-31 July, Limestone Coast
Coonawarra vineyards open cellar doors and bring out some of their treasures, giving visitors a rare chance to taste and buy aged wine. Coonawarra Cellar Dwellers is a wonderful way to spend some time away from the city and escape to the relaxing surrounds of the Limestone Coast.
www.coonawarra.org

Adelaide International Guitar Festival
17-20 July 2014, Adelaide
The Adelaide International Guitar Festival is a unique salute to the world's most popular instrument. It’s held biennially in August and combines pioneering musicians with some of the most influential performers of their generation. Be part of concerts, master classes, hands-on workshops, late-night club sessions and the popular Meet the Maker series.

Winter Reds Cellar Door Weekend
26-27 July, Adelaide Hills
The Winter Reds Cellar Door Weekend has something for everyone, making it the perfect weekend for wine connoisseurs to enjoy hearty food, a warm atmosphere and the stunning reds produced in the region. Some of South Australia’s best photography talent is also on show.
www.adelaidehillswine.com.au

Willunga Almond Blossom Festival
26-27 July, Fleurieu Peninsula
The Willunga Almond Blossom Festival is Willunga’s major annual fundraiser for its recreation park facilities. Bring the family and join in the weekend of celebrations including food, wine, arts, crafts, and fireworks.
www.almondblossomfestival.com.au

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AUGUST 2014

Scouts Rally SA, Round 4 ECB Australian Rally Championships
1-3 August, various regions
Take in all the excitement of the East Coast Bullbars Australian Rally Championship, with drivers racing through picturesque sections of the Barossa, Adelaide Hills and Murraylands regions. The rally will also include special stages at Gawler Showgrounds on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.
www.scoutsrallysa.com.au

SALA Festival
1-24 August, state-wide ■
The South Australian Living Artists Festival is the largest visual arts festival in Australia. Its extensive state-wide program of visual arts involves more than 3000 artists and 500 venues that celebrate the diverse talents of South Australian artists. Don’t miss your chance to view SA’s brilliant work.
www.salainc.com.au

Langhorne Creek Cellar Treasures Weekend
9-10 August, Fleurieu Peninsula
This weekend provides the rare opportunity to discover back vintages and museum wines of Langhorne Creek wine producers at charming cellar doors around the region. This intimate country town filled with passionate winemaking families is sure to impress.
www.langhornecreek.com

Barossa… Be Consumed Gourmet Weekend
15-17 August, Barossa
The Barossa is one of the world’s great gastronomic playgrounds, renowned for its wine, fresh seasonal produce, beautiful landscapes and easy-going lifestyle. Gourmet Weekend is a three day celebration of the region food and wine culture with long lunches and dinners, wine masterclasses, winery days, cooking classes and much more, all wrapped in friendly Barossa hospitality. There truly is something for everyone.
www.barossagourmet.com

Strathalbyn Collectors, Hobbies and Antiques Fair
16-17 August, Fleurieu Peninsula
This annual event is among Australia’s best antique and collectors fairs. It involves sales, displays and collections across a number of venues with the inclusion of antique appraisals, live entertainment and shuttle buses to all venues.
www.slta.asn.au

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Big Burke and Wills Trek
20-30 August, Flinders Ranges and Outback
This inaugural trekking event takes place over 12 days and covers 330kms from south western Queensland and north eastern South Australia. The Big Burke and Wills Trek is a historic expedition, a feat of endurance and an unforgettable journey across some of Australia’s most dramatic and historic outback locations.
www.bigburkeandwillstrek.com

Barossa Chateau Classics
August, Barossa
Be consumed by the classical music of genius composers and outstanding, talented performers at a unique Australian venue. The classic series offers a customary Barossa experience combining stunning food, luscious wines and captivating music.
www.barossachateau.com/classics/

SEPTMBER 2014

6/18 Hours of Melrose
5-6 September, Flinders Ranges and Outback
This bike racing event runs for 18 hours, starting at midnight on Friday and finishing at 6pm on Saturday. The race runs throughout the night as teams compete along 10km loops through the town of Melrose. The six hour category returns for the less experienced to get involved and enjoy the race.
www.melrosemountainbike.com

Royal Adelaide Show
5-14 September, Adelaide
The Royal Adelaide Show is an action-packed event for the whole family to enjoy. It boasts carnival rides, attractions, handicraft, produce, cookery, livestock, animal shows, show bags and more. The show’s celebrations go off with a bang thanks to a nightly fireworks display.
www.theshow.com.au

OzAsia Festival
5-21 September, Adelaide
OzAsia is a two-week festival that presents a range of performances, events and exhibitions to celebrate the artistic and cultural ties between Australia and Asia. This is an event not to be missed. Come along and experience the two continents’ diverse relationship.
www.ozasiafestival.com.au

A Brush with Art
6 September – 6 October, Flinders Ranges and Outback
The Flinders Ranges comes alive with a kaleidoscope of colour as it hosts this unique art exhibition. Community members and visitors alike are invited to enjoy the works and the stunning scenery that has inspired them.
www.abrushwithart.com.au

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Willunga 175 – Hit the Hill
7 September, Fleurieu Peninsula Ⓥ
This event features the impressive Willunga Hill. The climb will give bike riders of all abilities and ages the chance to test themselves against the hill, while the billy cart races should bring back memories and provide a lot of fun for everyone.
www.willunga.com/175

Barossa Duathlon
14 September, Barossa Ⓥ
This event – consisting of a 10km run, 40km ride and 5km run – takes place in the heart of the Barossa and incorporates the 2014 South Australian Duathlon Championship. Competitors will tackle the gruelling Menglers Hill, while their friends and relatives can enjoy all the action along the looped course.

Victor Harbor Rock ‘n’ Roll Festival
20-21 September, Fleurieu Peninsula
Pull out the blue suede shoes and dust off your dancing jacket. Victor Harbor is set to rock to the sounds of the annual Rock ‘n’ Roll Festival. The two stages, two large dance floors and vehicle display set the scene for plenty of fun.
www.rocknrollfestival.com.au

Sunday Mail City – Bay Fun Run
21 September, Adelaide
The City to Bay Fun Run is a popular annual fun run that sees participants covering the distance from Adelaide to the beachside suburb of Glenelg. The run has different distance levels to encourage everyone to get involved.
www.city-bay.org.au

AFL Masters National Carnival
27 September – 4 October, Adelaide ■
Forty teams are set to take part in this carnival, which is open to AFL players aged over 35. Participants will compete over three days and have five rest days to explore Adelaide and South Australia’s regions.
www.aflmasters.com.au

Stirling Laneways – Spring
28 September, Adelaide Hills
Enjoy fashion, food and wine, and street performances in a village style market. The event is held in the laneways and open spaces off of Stirling’s picturesque main street, just twenty minutes’ drive from the Adelaide CBD.
www.stirlingautumngardenfestival.com.au

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Bay to Birdwood
28 September, Adelaide and Adelaide Hills
On the last Sunday in September car enthusiasts join together and travel from the beach to the National Motor Museum in Birdwood. In 2014 all vehicles manufactured until December 1955 are eligible to enter. Share the fun and relive memories of yesteryear at this popular family event.
www.baytobirdwood.com.au

OCTOBER 2014

The Suit
1-12 October, Adelaide
This production is based on the original novel The Suit, which was written by Can Themba and banned in his native South Africa during the apartheid era. It premiered in Paris and has since enthralled audiences and played to sell-out houses around the world. The Suit will be the first English-language production by Peter Brook to visit Adelaide since the legendary The Mahabharata came to the Adelaide Festival 25 years ago.
www.adelaidefestivalcentre.com.au

Kangaroo Island Art Feast
2-6 October, Kangaroo Island
The Kangaroo Island Art Feast is an annual celebration of the island’s art, food and wine. The events are held at multiple venues across the island, providing a true experience of Kangaroo Island’s tourism offerings.
www.kangarooislandartfeast.org.au

Ceduna Oysterfest
3-5 October, Eyre Peninsula
The Ceduna Oysterfest is Australia’s largest oyster festival. Ceduna comes alive with magicians, comedians, celebrity chefs and local acts, live music, competitions and more on offer.
www.ceduna.net

Semaphore Music Festival
3-6 October, Adelaide
The Semaphore Music Festival presents South Australian contemporary music artists in an ideal historic seaside village setting. In 2013 the festival showcased music from more than 60 acts across genres including alternative country, roots and blues and nu-folk.
www.semaphoremusicfestival.com

Goolwa Alive
5 October, Fleurieu Peninsula
Each year this beautiful seaside town showcases local produce and businesses through Goolwa Alive. The main street in historic Goolwa will be closed for a street festival that promises a fun day out for the whole family. Enjoy live music, merry-go-rounds, face painting, farm animals and a jumping castle, plus food and wine.
www.goolwaalive.com.au

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Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations
17-19 October, Limestone Coast ⬠
This event is held in the heartland of great Australian wine. The annual Coonawarra Cabernet Celebrations showcase and celebrate cabernet sauvignon, Coonawarra’s flagship wine.
www.coonawarra.org

Monaro Nationals
17-20 October, Barossa
The Monaro Nationals will celebrate the 40th anniversary of Holden HJ Monaro coupes and sedans. Monaro owners and their families are invited to attend, along with everyone interested in these iconic Australian cars.
www.monaronationals.net

Renmark Rose Festival
17-26 October, Riverland ⬠
If you are a rose or garden lover you will thoroughly enjoy the Rose Festival in Renmark. Treat yourself to this delightful display of nature through the festival’s program including activities, shows and demonstrations that will enthuse and enchant all who attend.
www.renmarkroses.com

Adelaide Fashion Festival
17-26 October, Adelaide ⬠
With multiple events hosted around the city of Adelaide, this is South Australia’s largest festival supporting the local fashion industry and local fashion businesses. Bringing style and fashion to spring, the Adelaide Fashion Festival is Adelaide’s premier fashion showcase event.
www.adelaidefashionfestival.com.au

2014 Australian Duathlon Championships
19 October, Adelaide and Adelaide Hills ⬠
This is shaping up to be the biggest duathlon event ever held in South Australia. Participants will run and cycle on closed-off roads in the heart of the Adelaide CBD, as well as the Adelaide Hills, and races will be staged for both junior and senior competitors.
www.triathlon.org.au

CheeseFest
25-26 October, Adelaide
CheeseFest is a celebration of the Australian specialty cheese industry. Cheese lovers will enjoy every element of the festival – sampling, cooking, cheese making demonstrations and master classes – while overlooking the picturesque Rymill Park in Adelaide.
www.cheesefest.com.au

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Jamestown Mural Festival
October, Flinders Ranges
The Jamestown Mural Festival provides artists with opportunities for personal growth by giving them a platform to showcase talent while promoting mural art as a valued art form. Artists come from all corners of Australia to participate in this fun way to share different outlooks on the same theme.
www.jamestownmuralfest.com.au

Riverland Wine and Food Festival
October, Riverland
Celebrate the Riverland's rich wine and food culture on the banks of the majestic Murray River. The Riverland Wine and Food Festival is a fantastic way to sample fabulous wine and beer of the Riverland, taste regional produce and enjoy live entertainment.
www.riverlandwineandfood.com

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Flinders Ranges Outback Epic
1 November, Flinders Ranges and Outback
This mountain bike race takes place over an ancient, rugged landscape. Participants from across Australia and around the world will race against the clock in this ultimate two-wheeled challenge.
www.eventstrategies.com.au

2014 Australian Short Course Swimming Championships
5-9 November, Adelaide
Be there as Australia's best swimmers vie for selection to the team competing at the 12th FINA World Short Course Swimming Championships in Doha. Up to 600 athletes from 150 Australian clubs will be in action at the state-of-the-art South Australian Aquatic and Leisure Centre.
www.swimming.org.au

Credit Union Christmas Pageant
8 November, Adelaide
The Credit Union Christmas Pageant is a spectacular family event held to celebrate the approaching Christmas. A magical array of Christmas floats travel through the streets of Adelaide bringing a smile to all who join in the fun.
www.cupageant.com.au

Langhorne Creek Out of the Barrel
8-9 November, Fleurieu Peninsula
Out of the Barrel is an event created for you to take a sneak peak of barrel samples from the 2013 vintage and various pre-release wines at participating cellar doors throughout Langhorne Creek. With special twilight tastings, come and enjoy the springtime atmosphere.
www.langhorneckreek.com

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Murray Man
9 November, Riverland

The Barmera Murray Man is South Australia’s only long course triathlon, SA state long course championships and official ITU world championships qualifier event. This triathlon takes place in and around the magnificent Lake Bonney.
www.murrayman.com.au

Australian International 3 Day Event
13-16 November, Adelaide

The Australian International 3 Day event is Australia’s premier equestrian competition and Adelaide is delighted to host the three days of dressage, show jumping and cross country in its city parklands. This event is unique to the world as it is the only one staged in the heart of a busy city.
www.australian3de.com.au

Blues in the Barossa
14-16 November, Barossa

Blues in the Barossa is a three-day fun-filled festival that brings together Australia’s finest blues musicians. Located in Australia’s premier wine region, there will be food, wine and beer in abundance.
www.bluesinthebarossa.com

Riverstock
14-16 November, Riverland

Riverstock is three days of non-stop music by the Weekend Warriors situated on the lawns and shaded banks of the beautiful River Murray at Moorook. With fantastic food and easy parking, this event is one to be spent in the company of family and friends.
www.sawarriors.org.au

Feast Festival
15-30 November, Adelaide

Feast Festival is Australia’s leading queer arts and culture celebration. Its program features theatre, cabaret, film, forums, literature, visual arts, radio, sporting and community events. Diversity is celebrated with international performers and visitors from all over the world.
www.feast.org.au

Legend of the Lower Lakes Stockman’s Challenge
19-21 November, Fleurieu Peninsula

The Legend of the Lower Lakes Stockman’s Challenge commences with a compulsory testing for all competitors followed by six preliminary events. The top riders from each section will compete for the event title. All proceeds are generously donated to the Royal Flying Doctor Service.
www.lakeschallenge.com.au

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Gorgeous Festival
28-29 November, Fleurieu Peninsula

Gorgeous Festival is an annual boutique music, food and wine festival which celebrates the diverse flavours and creative flair of South Australia’s Fleurieu Peninsula. Held in picturesque McLaren Vale, the festival will encompass the region’s abundance of creativity and delight all who attend. www.gorgeousfestival.com.au

Clare Film Festival
November, Clare Valley

The Clare Film Festival showcases Australian and international independent films to inspire a new generation of filmmakers. Hosted in the vibrant and diverse area of the Clare Valley, the festival allows this region to display its stunning landscapes. www.clarevalleyfilmfestival.com

DECEMBER 2014

Lights of Lobethal
December, Adelaide Hills

In the spirit of Christmas, the town of Lobethal has lit up the night sky for 60 years with its lights display. The Lights of Lobethal is the largest community Christmas display in the southern hemisphere. This is an event to enjoy with family and friends to create a memorable Christmas. www.lightsoflobethal.com.au

Australian All Schools Championships
5-7 December, Adelaide

The national All Schools Track and Field Championship is open to secondary school-aged track and field athletes and features individual and teams components. All state and territories around Australia will also be competing, with the overall winner to claim the All Schools Cup.

Carols by Candlelight
December, Adelaide

Carols by Candlelight is a Christmas community event designed to entertain the whole family. It’s headlined by outstanding Australian acts and includes a special appearance by Father Christmas and a spectacular fireworks finale. www.adelaidecarols.com.au

Bay Sheffield
27-28 December, Adelaide

The Bay Sheffield is a unique two-day athletic carnival held at Colley Reserve in the popular seaside suburb of Glenelg. Since its beginning the footrace has grown with many well-known athletes involved each year. www.saal.org.au

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2015 AND BEYOND

World Tennis Challenge
13-15 January 2015, Adelaide
A mix of current champions and past heroes of the game will compete over three action-packed nights at Memorial Drive. Previous events have featured tennis legends such as Martina Navratilova, John McEnroe, Martina Hingis, Yannick Noah, Mats Wilander, Pat Cash, and Henri Leconte. www.worldtennischallenge.com

Sounds by the River
17 January 2015, Murray River, Lakes & Coorong ★
Settle in on the banks of the mighty Murray at Mannum and enjoy music from some of Australia’s most celebrated artists. Relax with a meal as you sit beneath towering gums and watch the evening unfold.

Santos Tour Down Under
17-25 January 2015, Adelaide and regions ★
Feel the rush as the world’s best cyclists do battle on the streets of South Australia. UCI WorldTour points are on the line and there’s always a great atmosphere as this festival of cycling unfolds across the state. The Santos Tour Down Under is the largest cycling event in the southern hemisphere and continues to welcome stars of the sport. www.tourdownunder.com.au

Tunarama Festival
23-26 January 2015, Eyre Peninsula ♦
Port Lincoln on the Eyre Peninsula hosts this much-loved family event, which celebrates the local tuna fishing industry. Enjoy a street procession, fireworks, delicious meals and the famous tuna toss. www.woodenboatfestival.com.au

2015 ICC Cricket World Cup
15 February – 20 March 2015, Adelaide
Adelaide will host four matches of world-class cricket when the 2015 ICC Cricket World Cup comes to town. Tournament highlights include a showdown between fierce rivals India and Pakistan on Sunday 15 February and a Quarter Final on Friday 20 March where fans are likely to see Australia in action. www.icc-cricket.com/cricket-world-cup

1. India v Pakistan
Sunday 15 February, 2015, Adelaide (day/night)
Be there as Adelaide hosts its first game of the Cricket World Cup 2015. There’s sure to be an electric atmosphere as fierce rivals India and Pakistan clash at the Adelaide Oval, with packed stands predicted and up to a billion people around the world expected to watch on television.

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2. England v Bangladesh  
Monday 9 March, 2015, Adelaide (day/night)  
England and Bangladesh will go head to head in the second Cricket World Cup 2015 game hosted in Adelaide. Enjoy action in the Fanzone before heading into Adelaide Oval to cheer on the teams.

3. Pakistan v Ireland  
Sunday 15 March, 2015, Adelaide (day/night)  
The third of Adelaide’s Cricket World Cup games will see Pakistan go up against Ireland. Be there as the two nations clash in front of their passionate fans.

4. Quarter final  
Friday 20 March, 2015, Adelaide (day/night)  
– teams to be determined  
On-field action will get even more exciting as the Cricket World Cup enters its next phase. Australia will play in this match if it qualifies for a quarter final.

South Australian Wooden Boat Festival  
21-22 February 2015, Fleurieu Peninsula ☀  
The festival held within the Goolwa Wharf Precinct provides a weekend filled with on water and on land action, loads of entertainment and the opportunity to get up close and personal with wooden river vessels, from elegant yachts to sleek classic speedboats.

Adelaide Festival  
27 February – 15 March 2015, Adelaide  
The Adelaide Festival is a multi-arts event with extraordinary richness, diversity and a strong tradition of innovation. With a program including opera, theatre, dance, music, cabaret, visual art, Adelaide Writers’ Week plus much more this is an event not to be missed.  
www.adelaidefestival.com.au

Barossa Airshow  
April 2015, Barossa  
The Barossa Airshow first took to the skies in 1998 and has grown to become a nationally recognised event. This family fun day is packed with aircraft displays, helicopter rides, an assortment of sideshows, food and of course wine.  
www.barossaairshow.com.au

Fleurieu Peninsula Golf Championships  
7-11 April 2015, Fleurieu Peninsula ☀  
Join the tournament for the chance to play at four beautiful Fleurieu Peninsula golf courses: Victor Harbor, Fleurieu, McCracken and Links Lady Bay. Pros and celebrities will share the four days of fun.
Barossa Vintage Festival  
15-19 April 2015, Barossa 🌺
Come along to Australia’s largest and longest wine festival. The Barossa Vintage Festival blends together the Barossa’s wine, food, people and their stories to create a memorable experience with a program consisting of music, literature, art and of course food and wine.
www.barossavintagefestival.com.au

Kernewek Lowender  
18-24 May 2015, Yorke Peninsula 🌺
The Kernewek Lowender is the largest Cornish Festival in the world and honours the Cornish heritage of the northern Yorke Peninsula. Join more than 30,000 people at the cultural festival known for its free events, street processions, church services and art displays.
www.kernewek.org

Come Out Festival  
22-30 May 2015, Adelaide
Come Out Festival is South Australia’s premier arts event engaging children in high quality, professional arts experiences. The festival emerged from the Adelaide Festival of Arts and is now the largest event of its kind in the world. This is a family event that will prove to be enjoyable for all.
www.comeoutfestival.com.au

Australian Masters Games  
3-10 October 2015, Adelaide ■
More than 10,000 participants from around the nation will gather in Adelaide for this event, which features competition across 50 sports. It will be the sixth time the city has hosted the Australian Masters Games.
www.australianmastersgames.com

Flinders Ranges Outback Epic  
24 October 2015, Flinders Ranges and Outback
Race the clock across an ancient landscape. The Flinders Ranges Outback Epic is the ultimate mountain challenge, with entries in a range of categories.
www.eventstrategies.com.au

Adelaide Film Festival  
October 2015, Adelaide
The Adelaide Film Festival highlights the best of locally-produced films. With a program consisting of an eclectic mix of cinema, television and the mobbing image this is a festival you will want to be a part of.
www.adelaidefilmfestival.org

Festival of Ideas  
October 2015, Adelaide
The Adelaide Film Festival and the Festival of Idea will complement each other and combined they will create a celebration of film, talks, forums and creative ideas across the city. With a program still to be announced this is an event to keep an eye on.
adelaidefestivalofideas.com.au

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2015 ITU Duathlon World Championships
October 2015, Adelaide
The International Triathlon Union Duathlon World Championships will bring over 1500 endurance athletes from around the world to gather in Adelaide to swim, ride and run their way to the top of the World Championships.
www.triathlon.org.au

Fleurieu Art Prize
October-November 2015, Fleurieu Peninsula
The Fleurieu Art Prize is the world’s richest landscape painting prize and features a truly unique and memorable blend of art, culture, food, wine and landscapes.
www.artprize.com.au

Pacific School Games
21-29 November 2015, Adelaide
More than 4500 primary and secondary school students are set to gather in Adelaide for the Pacific School Games, which will feature sports including swimming, diving, softball, baseball, soccer, touch football, table tennis and basketball. Students will compete in world-class venues including the South Australian Aquatic and Leisure Centre at Marion.
www.pacificschoolgames.edu.au

2016 Club Crew World Championships
2016, Adelaide
Up to 5000 dragon boat paddlers and supporters are expected to attend this event, which will be held at West Lakes. Dragon boats originated in ancient China and today race over distances between 200 and 5000 metres.
www.dragonboatsa.com

Australian Deaf Games 2016
January 2016, Adelaide
The Australian Deaf Games are the pinnacle of deaf sporting events in Australia. Competitors come from all over Australia and New Zealand to take part in 18 sports. While the event centres on sports, the Games provide a major social and cultural festival for the whole deaf community.
www.austdeafgames.org.au

Australian University Games
September/October 2018, Adelaide
The Australian University Games returns to see more than 6500 students across Australian universities compete in over 30 sports in a bid to be crowned Australian university champions. Events will take place across Adelaide in the world-class sporting facilities the city has to offer.
www.unisport.com.au

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