FESTIVAL

A Toast to Melba

15 Feb – 29 Jun 2025 Yarra Ranges Regional Museum Free entry

Uncover the untold stories of a global icon, Dame Nellie Melba. A Toast to Melba shares rarely seen objects, photographs, and personal treasures from Coombe Yarra Valley, Arts Centre Melbourne and Yarra Ranges Regional Museum—brought together for the first time in this dynamic new exhibition.

A Yarra Ranges Regional Museum exhibition presented in partnership with Coombe Yarra Valley and Arts Centre Melbourne.



Mar 22–23 & 29–30 Studios across the Dandenong Ranges



Melba's Vintage Playroom

15 Feb – 29 Jun 2025 Chambers Gallery Yarra Ranges Regional Museum

Free entry

Venture back in time to a playdate over 100 years ago. Melba's Vintage Playroom invites children and audiences to step into a whimsical and magical children's nursery celebrating Dame Nellie Melba's love of games and nonsense and her favourite saying: "Let's have fun!".

We respectfully acknowledge the Wurundjeri People as Custodians of this land and its waterways. We honour Elders past and present whose knowledge ensures the continued protection of Country and culture.

EXHIBITION

The area we know today as Yarra Ranges has a deep and rich Aboriginal heritage extending beyond 40,000 years ago. This continuous culture is reflected in our community, organisations, festivals, celebrations and art.

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Bookings

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Just a taste of the cultural program!

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Same but Different: A Trilogy

Fri 11 Apr, 7.30pm Sat 12 Apr, 2pm / 7.30pm The Memo Healesville \$20-\$32



THEATRE



An emotional journey of love, loss and identity.

Is your life your own?

Is it yours to sculpt as you choose or is it predestined by those who came before?

Written in free verse, Same But Different will transport you into a world of contemplation. This immersive trilogy will leave you reflecting on love, loss and courage.

Written and Produced by Beata Frey Taylor.

Burrinja presents: **Garry Starr:**



A literary adventure through the world's most iconic novels.

Literature! Literature! It might not rhyme with anything but it's still very important. Garry Starr is back and he's hell-bent on saving books from extinction by performing every Penguin Classic novel ever written. In an hour. Mostly naked (but with flippers).

Non-binary, Asexual, Biracial AND Neurodivergent? **Utter Mess!**

In a one hour, one enby show, Artemis unpacks their identity and a number of conceptual (and literal) boxes with the help of nine original songs.

A show about labels and the difference between the words that confine us and the words that set us free.

Seeing You: The Gaze of an Alive World **Maya Ward**

6 Feb - 27 Apr 2025 The Studio Arts Centre Warburton Free entry

Multi-disciplinary exhibition exploring themes of perception, awareness and the reciprocal gaze between humans and non-human life.



UPCOMING Music & Comedy

SCAN TO **BOOK**



Dave O'Neil and Friends – A Comedy Fundraiser	Thur 6 Mar, 7.30pm	The Memo Healesville
Nurse Georgie Carroll – Infectious	Fri 14 Mar, 7.30pm Sat 15 Mar, 7.30pm	Arts Centre Warburton The Memo Healesville
The Eagles Story – Australia's Premier Eagles Experience	Sat 22 Mar, 8pm	The Memo Healesville
Sarah Blasko - I Just Need to Conquer This Mountain	Fri 28 Mar, 7:30pm	The Memo Healesville
Ash Grunwald	Sat 12 Apr, 6.30pm	Arts Centre Warburton
Jimeoin – Pandemonium	Sun 13 Apr, 5pm	The Memo Healesville
Daniel Champagne	Sun 25 May, 2pm	Arts Centre Warburton

Melbourne **International Comedy Festival Roadshow**

Sat 26 Apr, 7.30pm Burrinja Cultural Centre

Sat 10 May, 7.30pm Arts Centre Warburton

\$19-\$42

'We were laughing from the moment the lights went down. to well into the drive home.

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