



SCULPTURE FOREST LAUNCH

AND

Free Family Day

Thursday 18 April 2024

Everyone is invited to the launch of the Sculpture Forest next to the Sugar Pine seedlings in Bago State Forest, Laurel Hill on **Thursday 18 April** at 11am followed by a Big Family Picnic at Pilot Hill Arboretum, Bago State Forest from 12.30pm – 4pm.

This is a family day with lots of free activities for your children at Pilot Hill Arboretum among the new sculptures, including music, group drumming sessions, sculpture making workshops and a sculpture treasure hunt along the Alpine Ash Walk. Bring a picnic or order a picnic in advance from Cafe Nest. A coffee truck and Do it for Batlow sausage sizzle is available for cash sales only due to poor WIFI in the area.

The Sculpture Forest is comprised of 13 new sculptures by Australian, Chinese, Czech, English and Icelandic artists at Laurel Hill, Pilot Hill Arboretum and the Alpine Ash Walk made possible by the NSW Regional Tourism Activation Fund.

This is the start of a Four Day Sculpture, Food & Wine Long Weekend with other free and ticketed events listed on the following page which you are welcome to join.

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FOUR DAY ART, FOOD & WINE LONG WEEKEND

Thursday 18 - Sunday 21 April 2024

Thursday 18 April

Sculpture Forest Launch (Free)

11am Sugar Pines, Bago State Forest, Laurel Hill

Big Family Picnic (Free activities)

12.30pm at Pilot Hill Arboretum, Bago State Forest.
Bring a picnic or enjoy a 'Do it for Batlow' sausage sizzle and coffee truck (cash only) with free music and children's activities.

Friday 19 April

Meet the Artists Lunch, Courabyra Wines (Ticketed)

including Václav Fiala Book Launch
12pm at Courabyra Wines, Tumbarumba

Saturday 20 April

Tours of the Sculpture Collection (Free)

10am Adelong Community Services Club
11.45am Batlow at Reedy Creek
1.15pm Laurel Hill followed by Pilot Hill
2pm Unveiling of Václav Fiala sculpture at Pilot Hill Arboretum
4pm Tumbarumba creekscape

Fireside Dinner at Café Nest (Ticketed)

5pm at Café Nest, 56 Winton Street, Tumbarumba

Sunday 21 April

Live Outdoor Broadcast on ABC Radio (Free)

10am to midday live from Reedy Creek, Batlow and across NSW hosted by Simon Marnie in conversation with locals. Including a 'Do it for Batlow' BBQ with the first 50 bacon and egg sandwiches free.

Wine Tasting and Sculpture Viewing

2pm Wine Tasting and Sculpture Viewing with David Handley at Johansen Wines, 90 Black Range Road, Tumbarumba
3.30pm Wine Tasting and Sculpture Viewing with David Handley at Obsession Wines, 110 Allawah Road, Maragle

SNOWY VALLEYS SCULPTURE TRAIL MAP



To book ticketed events and for the full free program please visit

sculpturebythesea.com/snowyvalleys/whats-on or email angela.lyons@sculpturebythesea.com

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