



WELCOME TO SOUTH AUSTRALIA

EVENTS CALENDAR 2023

As of 14th of November 2023



NOVEMBER

OFFICIAL

Tarnanthi

20 October 2023 – 21 January 2024

The Tarnanthi Festival showcases the latest contemporary works by hundreds of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists from across the continent.

Adelaide

National Pharmacies Christmas Pageant

04 November 2023

The Southern Hemisphere's largest public parade and a free community event featuring floats, colourful characters, bands, dancers and more.

Managed event, Adelaide

Feast Festival

01 – 19 November 2023

Feast brings together LGBTQIA+ artists and community members to express and celebrate all things Pride.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

Handpicked Festival

11 November 2023

Amazing wine, world class music, laidback vibes and a dash of surprise.

Sponsored event, Fleurieu Peninsula

Multicultural Festival

12 November 2023

A free, family-friendly, one-day event celebrating the many cultures and languages in South Australia, with music, dance, food, art and fun activities.

Adelaide

Marriage of Figaro

16 – 25 November 2023

A sumptuous interpretation of the classic opera tale is catapulted into modern times.

Adelaide

Shannons Adelaide Rally

17 – 19 November 2023

A 3-day Tarmac Rally with over 400 entrants across several touring and competitive categories.

Adelaide

NBL: Adelaide 36ERS VS South East Melbourne Phoenix

17 November 2023

Join the teams as they take the basketball court by storm, showcasing the finest skills and exciting moments that will leave you on the edge of your seat.

Adelaide

Froth and Fury

18 November 2023

A unique handcrafted Heavy, Alternative, Underground Music and Beer extravaganza, showcasing the best hard-edged, punk, rock and alternative live bands.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

VAILO Adelaide 500

23 – 26 November 2023

Australia's largest domestic motor sport event returns on the world-renowned 2-mile Adelaide Street Circuit – recognised for the excellent racing and the race atmosphere that takes over the city.

Adelaide

Loxton Light Up Day

25 November 2023

Immerse yourself in the Christmas spirit as they celebrate Light Up Day with free entertainment, twilight markets, music and lots of activities.

Riverland

DECEMBER

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Adelaide

Santa's Cave Waikerie

25 November – 24 December 2023

Visitors can view and interact with scenes around the cave and visit Santa.
Riverland

ASBK Grand Final @ The Bend

01 – 03 December 2023

Watch some of the best Superbikes in the world race at The Bend.
Murray River Lakes and Coorong

Mount Barker Carols And Fireworks

02 December 2023

An event to capture the Christmas spirit to Mount Barker and the Adelaide Hills.
Adelaide Hills

Carols by Candlelight

09 December 2023

An iconic South Australian event, Adelaide's community gathers in Elder Park to listen to Christmas Carols and celebrate Christmas with family and friends.
Adelaide

Men's Vodafone Test Series v West Indies

08 - 12 December 2023

Australia will take on the West Indies in a five-day test match.
Adelaide

Big Bash League BBL|13

09-31 December 2023

Adelaide Strikers to take on Brisbane Heat, Sydney Thunder and Melbourne Stars in BBL|13 at Adelaide Oval.
Adelaide

Vegan Picnic

10 December 2023

Adelaide's world-class vegan food scene plays host to a one-day food festival right in the heart of the city.
Adelaide

Bay Sheffield

27 – 28 December 2023

Witness fierce competition in tight foot races as athletes go head-to-head in the battle for a Bay Sheffield sash.
Sponsored event, Adelaide

New Years Eve

31 December 2023

Celebrate the New Year with firework displays to be seen throughout the region.
Adelaide



OFFICIAL

Heaps Good Festival

06 January 2024

Single day music festival to welcome in the New Year, held at Adelaide Showgrounds.
Adelaide

Wildlands

07 January 2024

See the best electronic and hip-hop acts with Rüfüs Du Sol headlining.
Adelaide

Adelaide International Tennis

08 – 13 January 2024

Blockbuster tennis is returning to Adelaide with back-to-back events at Memorial Drive Tennis Centre.
Sponsored event, Adelaide

ILCA World Championship Regatta 2024

01 January - 10 February 2024

The ILCA World Championship Sailing Regatta comprises 3 events run by Adelaide Sailing Club at West Beach. 800 boats, 1,500 competitors, coaches, supporters and Teams from all around the world will attend this sailing competition.
Sponsored events, Adelaide

Australian and Oceania and Youth Championship

01 – 10 January 2024

ILCA 7 World Championship - Olympic Qualifier

24 – 31 January 2024

ILCA World Masters Championship

02 – 10 February 2024

Santos Tour Down Under

12 – 21 January 2024

First stop for the world's best cycling teams and riders, and the opening event of the UCI WorldTour.
Managed event, Statewide

National Drag Championships – Nitro Funny Cars

13 – 14 January 2024

National Drag Racing Championship featuring the NITRO FUNNY CARS will be held at The Dragway at The Bend.
Sponsored event, Murray River, Lakes and Coorong

NRMA Insurance Adelaide Test Versus West Indies

17– 21 January 2024

Don't miss Australia take on the West Indies at the Adelaide Test.
Adelaide

SummerVines Festival

20 – 29 January 2024

Enjoy contemporary wines and vibrant foodie culture, as well as creative artisans and a laid-back coastal lifestyle.
Sponsored event, Fleurieu Peninsula

FEBRUARY/MARCH

OFFICIAL

Riverland Dash 4 Cash & Dinghy Derby

02 February 2024

The Dash 4 Cash is a free, family friendly viewing event held on the riverfront in Renmark, South Australia.

Sponsored event, Riverland

Taste the Limestone Coast Festival

09 February 2024

The annual Taste the Limestone Coast Festival

showcases food, music and activities from across the region

Sponsored event, Limestone Coast

Kangaroo Island Cup Carnival

15 - 17 February 2024

The Cygnet River Racecourse comes alive with great country racing. Expect lots of entertainment around the island.

Sponsored Event, Kangaroo Island

Adelaide Fringe

16 February – 17 March 2024

Southern hemisphere's largest and Australia's biggest open access arts festival!

Adelaide

Fringe in Coonawarra

16 February – 18 February 2024

Southern hemisphere's largest and

Australia's biggest open access arts festival brought to the region.

Limestone Coast

Laneway Festival

09 February 2024

One day music festival touring Australia and New Zealand.

Adelaide

Adelaide Festival

01 March – 17 March 2024

The Adelaide Festival is the iconic performing arts festival, internationally recognised as Australia's pre-eminent arts festival.

Adelaide

Adelaide Writers Week

02 - 08 March 2024

Australia's largest free literary festival.

Adelaide

Beachport Crayfish Festival

02 March 2024

A showcase of locally made food and wine incorporated within a program of Art, Music, Children's Activities and much more. Enjoy freshly cooked crayfish, as well as other delicacies from local producers.

Sponsored event, Limestone Coast

WOMAdelaide

08 – 11 March 2024

A captivating program of more than 100 performances across seven stages.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

Adelaide Cup

11 March 2024

A day of fashion, food, wine and racing held at Morphettville Racecourse.

Adelaide

A Taste of the Hills Festival

23 – 24 March 2024

Immerse yourself in a taste tour of the Adelaide Hills. All your favourite Adelaide Hills wineries, distilleries, breweries, and foodies in one place. Enjoy tastings, masterclasses, yoga, and art over two days at The Academy.

Sponsored Event, Adelaide Hills



BEYOND

OFFICIAL

AFL Gather Round

04 – 07 April 2024

All 18 AFL teams will descent on South Australia to play 9 matches in a spectacular 'Festival of Footy'.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

Australian Athletics Championships

11 – 19 April 2024

The Australian Athletics Championships is the largest annual athletics event in Australia and the Oceania region, with more than 3,500 athletes anticipated to attend.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

The Laura Fair

13 – 14 April 2024

The Laura Fair is a family friendly, fun-filled two-day event, with over 100 stallholders, live entertainment, face painting, petting zoo, ice cream eating competition, carnival rides and sideshow alley. The 2024 event is set to be bigger than ever!

Sponsored event, Flinders Ranges and Outback

Yorke Peninsula's Saltwater Classic

13 – 14 April 2024

Yorke Peninsula's Saltwater Classic is a flagship event for enthusiasts and admirers of wooden and classic craft that have been faithfully restored to keep afloat some of the great traditions of boat building.

Sponsored event, Yorke Peninsula

Adelaide Equestrian Festival

18 – 21 April 2024

A unique world-class horse competition staged in the heart of the city.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

LIV Golf

26- 28 April 2024

LIV Golf Adelaide will return next year from at Grange Golf Club and will include the return of the famous Watering Hole on the 12th.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

Santos Wheelchair Rugby National Championship

02 - 05 May 2024

Adelaide will host the National Championships for the next three years. The flagship event will see some of the nation's best wheelchair rugby athletes – and at least two invitational international teams – converge on Adelaide.

Sponsored event, Adelaide

Tasting Australia

03 – 12 May 2024

The country's longest-running eating and drinking festival. In addition to Town Square, the festival spans across 12 South Australian regions with over 150 events held across the state, supporting more than 250 local businesses.

Managed event, Adelaide

Generations in Jazz

03 - 05 May 2024

World-class jazz performances and competitions for excited students and audience members alike.

Sponsored event, Limestone Coast

Clare Valley Gourmet Week

17 - 26 May 2024

A week-long celebration of music, food, wine and more to showcase the beautiful Clare Valley region.

Sponsored event, Clare Valley