





Friday 29 November to **Sunday 1 December 2024**

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Welcome to Young, the cherry at the heart of the beautiful Hilltops Region, where we roll out the red carpet on the first weekend of December for our favourite event, the National Cherry Festival!

This year the National Cherry Festival is bigger and brighter, as we offer a program packed full of fun events. Who can eat a cherry pie in the shortest possible time? Who can spit a cherry seed the furthest distance? You can marvel at the fireworks and the street parade, dance or sing along with live music, browse the many unique market stalls, exhibitions and local performers... and, for the

thrill seeker, amuse yourself on the rides in the fabulous Carnival Alley.

Take a leisurely stroll around our amazing town to explore our local retailers and eateries and enjoy a variety of unique shopping and dining experiences – you'll be impressed by what we have to offer!

A heartfelt thank you to our wonderful visitors and our valued community. We can't wait to celebrate the 74th National Cherry Festival with you all – let the festivities begin!

National Cherry Festival Committee

NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL ENQUIRIES

HILLTOPS VISITOR INFORMATION CENTRE

- Anderson Park / Railway Station Lovell Street, Young NSW 2594
- 1800 628 233
- @ vic@hilltops.nsw.gov.au
- mationalcherryfestival.com.au
- NationalCherryFestival-Young
- @ gyoung.national.cherry.festival





With over 50 years in Young and surrounding communities, SWSbank is your local bank.

Initially opened as South West Slopes Local Government Employees Credit Union Ltd in June 1972, the name was changed to South West Slopes Credit Union Ltd shortly after. In 2024 the trading name was changed to SWSbank.

At that initial meeting in June 1972, there were 78 foundation members. We now have over 13,700 members.

Starting off with one branch in Young, over the years we have opened/acquired a further 3 branches in Cootamundra, Temora and West Wyalong and are continuing to grow.

Over this time we have had many staff come and go, leaving a legacy for the future.

With the core value of being here to support our community, SWSbank remains true to this, and will be here for many more years to come.

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While you are in town, why not go exploring?

Get into the festive spirit and enjoy all that Young has to offer during the National Cherry Festival! Stroll through our charming streets and discover local treasures, cosy coffee shops, bustling pubs, and clubs. Don't miss the chance to visit our cherry orchards, where you can pick the freshest cherries straight from the trees - it's an experience you won't forget!

Take a break and unwind at one of our local wineries, where you can sip on award-winning Hilltops Region wines. And if you'd rather stay close to the heart of the festival, drop into the Visitor Information Centre at Anderson Park. You'll find a fantastic selection of local produce, local wines, and unique souvenirs.









FRIDAY 29 NOVEMBER



5PM
ENTERTAINMENT
MAIN STAGE ANDERSON PARK
LOVELL ST YOUNG

EASY GOIN' 5:30pm - 6:30pm **THE KIRKS** 6:45pm - 7:45pm **BIRDEE** 8pm - 8:45pm

9PM NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Presented by Ray White Young & Harden



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Proud supporter of the National Cherry Festival

Woolworths Young, located on Boorowa Street.





SATURDAY 30 NOVEMBER



ENTERTAINMENT, ANDERSON PARK, LOVELL ST YOUNG

1:00pm	Massed Band Spectacular sponsored by Chapman's Embroidery			
12:15pm	Young Town Band			
11:45am	Young Public School Band			
11:30am	Leanne Simms Dance Academy			
11:00am	Hilltops Choir			
10:45am	Christine Wishart Dance Studio			
10:15am	Sing Australia			
9:30am	Trudi Summerfield			

2:00pm	Official Opening		
2:30pm	Kids Cherry Twirl Competition		
3:00pm	Wilders Bakery Cherry Pie Eating Competition		
4.00pm	Woolworths National Cherry Festival Street Parade Boorowa Street		
5:00pm	Jane Dee		
5:30pm	Blues Brothers Rebooted		
7:30pm	Jane Dee		





Wilders Cherry Pie Eating Competition 3pm

Junior competition \$50 prize money. Ladies and Men's competitions \$100 prize money.





1. Drive In Orchards

3494 Moppity Road Young NSW 2594 P: 0433 245 134

2. Willayoung Orchard

191 Willawong Street Young NSW 2594 P: 0427 102 169 P: 02 6384 3289

3. Tyrone Orchards

561 Wickham Lane Young NSW 2594 P: 0438 825 136

4. Stony Creek Orchards

633 Spring Creek Road Young NSW 2594 P: 0438 987 933

5. Ballinaclash Orchard & Cellar Door

4321-4335 Olympic Highway Young NSW 2594 P: 0418 271 770

6. Gleannmohr Farm

4249 Olympic Highway Young NSW 2594 P: 0481 355 543

7. Valley Fresh Cherries & Stone Fruit

4179 Olympic Highway Young NSW 2594 P: 0448 842 930

8. Batinich Cherrymore Orchard

4001 Olympic Highway Young NSW 2594 P: 0409 912 592

9. Lynton Orchards

56 Roberts Road Young NSW 2594 P: 0431 348 531

10. Top of the Hill Orchard

976 Spring Creek Road Young NSW 2594 P: 0428 534 007

11. Fairfield Orchard

3923 Olympic Highway Young NSW 2594 P: 02 6384 3403

12. Allambie Orchard & Café

3725 Olympic Highway Wombat NSW 2587 P: 0418 462 821

13. Main Range Orchard

3637 Olympic Highway Wombat NSW 2587 P: 0438 843 285

14. Hill-Lock Orchard

78 Race Creek Road Wombat NSW 2587 P: 0481 355 543

15. Wombat Heights

78 Race Creek Road Wombat NSW 2587 P: 0481 355 543

16. Hall Family Orchard

28 Ellerslee Road Wombat NSW 2587 P: 0499 314 974

17. Back Creek Orchard

727 Back Creek Road Young NSW 2594 P: 0438 166 215

18. Petal Falls Orchard

924 Kingsvale Road Kingsvale NSW 2587 P: 0459 440 070



PUBLIC TRANSPORT

WE HAVE MADE A NUMBER OF SPECIAL TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE NATIONAL CHERRY FESTIVAL





OH, AND PARKING WOES?

They're a thing of the past with our convenient continuous courtesy bus looping between the Caravan Park, Showground, Old Library in Lynch St, New Library & Carrington Park.





PROUDLY PRESENTED BY YOUNG COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

There will be a shuttle service between Boorowa and Young on Saturday 30 November.

For times and bookings contact Young Community Transport.

- 133 Main Street, Young NSW 2594
- @ 02 6382 1518
- @ enquiries@youngboorowa.cccsl.org.au
- youngcommunitytransport.org.au



SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER

ENTERTAINMENT, ANDERSON PARK, LOVELL ST

7am - 10am	Donges Supa IGA Breakfast Bacon & Egg Roll		
8am - 2pm	Hand Made and Home Grown Markets		
8.30am - 10.30am	Bush Poets		
9am - 2pm	Petting Zoo		
10.30am	Registrations For Cherry Pip Spit Competition		
10.30am	Reptile Display		
10.30am	Presentation for the Fellowship Of Australian Writers on the Railway Station platform		
10.45am	Tai Chi Demonstration		
11am	Valley Fresh Cherry Pip Spit Competition		
11.45am	Reptile Display		
12.15pm	Young Regional Conservatorium of Music		

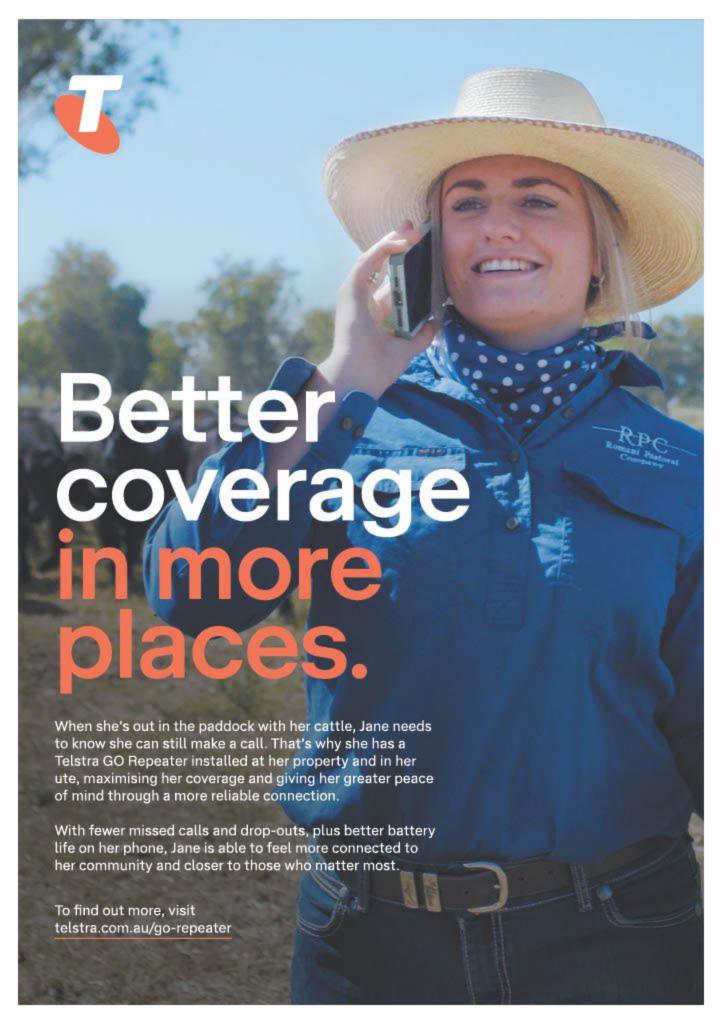






Valley Fresh Cherry Pip Spit Competition 11am

Junior competition \$50 prize money. Ladies and Men's competitions \$100 prize money.





ALL WEEKEND

Young Society Of Artists Inc 41st Annual Cherry Festival Competitive Art Exhibition

Official Opening Wednesday 27 November

Young Town Hall

7pm Supper & live music provided

Entry: \$10

Daily Exhibition 28-30 November

9am-4:30pm

Daily Exhibition Sunday 1 December

9am-2:30pm

Entry: Gold coin donation

Young Camera Club 26th Annual Cherry Festival Photographic Competition & Exhibition

Official Opening Sunday 24 November Young Services Club 2:30pm

Entry: \$5 includes refreshments

Daily Exhibition 25 November – 1 December

Hilltops Heritage Rally

Saturday 30 November 9am-2pm Carrington Park, 6 Ripon Street, Young 9am – 2pm Entry: Free

Lego Exhibition

30 November - 1 December Old Library, 39 Lynch St, Young 9am - 5pm

Carnival Alley

Amusements & Rides 29 November – 1 December Anderson Park, Lovell St, Young 9am – 10pm







CHERRY TWIRL COMPETITION





This year, we're adding an exciting new element to our beloved National Cherry Festival!

Over the past few years, the National Cherry Festival Committee has been thrilled to see so many bright and delightful cherry-themed outfits popping up throughout the festival.

So we thought, why not turn it into a fun competition? It's the perfect chance to show off your best cherry-inspired outfit for kids aged 0-10 years.

Entry is free on Saturday, 30 November at 2:30pm on the main stage, with fantastic prizes up for grabs for the best-dressed cherry-themed girl and boy in 2 categories, 0-4yrs and 5-10yrs age groups. The committee can't wait to see all the adorable, creative outfits this year!





WHAT'S ON DURING CHERRY SEASON

Young Society of Artists Inc. Cherry Harvest Exhibition Hilltops Porcelain Art Group Burrangong Gallery

2 November - 14 December

Official Opening 2 November, 11am Old Railway Building/Young Visitor Information Centre Anderson Park, Lovell St Young

Carnival Of Cups Harness Racing

Friday 8 November

Young Showground TAB & Refreshments. Free Entry

Harden Community Bank Annual Show

15 - 16 November

Harden-Murrumburrah Showground Woolrych Street, Harden hardenshowoffice@gmail.com FB: murrumburrahhardenshowsociety

Cherry Festival Veterans Golfers 'Week of Golf'

18 - 22 November

Details and entry form on Young Golf Club website www.younggolfclub.com.au Pro Shop (02) 6382 1543

Cherry Festival Bowls Carnival

Young Sporties Bowling Club

20 - 21 November Womens Triples

23 - 24 November Mixed Pairs

26 - 28 November Mens Triplets

Phone (02) 6382 1112

Hilltops Community Hub Twilight Markets

28 November 2024

2pm-8pm Gold Coin Entry Uniting Church Ground, 82 Lynch St (cnr Cloete & Lynch Sts), Young The Hub (02) 6382 6328

National Cherry Festival Young & Region Farmers Market

Saturday 30 November Sunday 1 December

Anderson Park Lovell Street Young Bev 0491 150 940

Uniting Church Market

14 December

Baked goods, plants, books, jewellery, craft items and more Uniting Church Ground, 82 Lynch St (cnr Cloete & Lynch), Young Uniting Church (02) 6382 1519

The Sir George Christmas Markets

The Sir George, Riverside Drive Jugiong Leonie 0411 155 024 FB: thesirgeorge

Allied Grain Systems Cherry Festival Cup

2 person Ambrose Young Golf Club (02) 6382 1543 younggolfclub@gmail.com Barry Hazelgrove (02) 6382 3704





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	Young Tyrepower	Young Veterinary Clinic	









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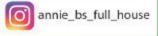
It's a treasure trove waiting for you!

Opening hours:

Monday to Friday: 9 am-5 pm Saturday: 9 am-1 pm



Annie B's Full House



HILLTOPS HIGHLIGHTS SAVE THE DATE 2025





Hilltops Off The Beaten Track

8-23 March 2025

Boorowa Irish Woolfest

5 October 2025



Harden Kite Festival

11 October 2025

National Cherry Festival Young

5 - 7 December 2025









