

# Events & festivals

Discover a year-round rhythm of festivals, experiences and cultural events throughout Perth & Surrounds. For more events and dates review the online calendar of events at [destinationperth.com.au](http://destinationperth.com.au)

2026 dates and seasons	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
<b>Aboriginal seasons</b>	Birak	Bunuru		Djeran		Makuru		Djilba		Kambarang		Birak
<b>International seasons</b>	Summer		Autumn			Winter			Spring			Summer

Nature & wildlife experiences	Region	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
<b>Whale watching</b>	Fremantle & Sunset Coast												
<b>Dolphin experiences</b>	Mandurah & Rockingham												
<b>Hot air ballooning</b>	Avon Valley												
<b>Wildflower season</b>	Perth Hills, Perth city, Peel, Avon Valley												
<b>Fruit picking</b>	Perth Hills, Swan Valley												
<b>Flowers &amp; blossoms</b>	Perth Hills, Northern Valleys												

Festivals and events	Region	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
<b>Food festivals</b>													
Entwined in the Swan Valley	Swan Valley												
Mandurah Crab Fest	Mandurah												
Plateful Perth	Perth city												
Taste of Chittering	Northern Valleys												
<b>Arts festivals</b>													
Fremantle International Street Arts Festival (Easter)	Fremantle												
Fringe World	Perth												
Open Studios	Perth Hills												
Perth Festival	Perth												
<b>Cultural &amp; community festivals</b>													
Christmas in Mandurah	Mandurah												
Chinese New Year	Perth city												
Farmers Markets	All regions												
Joondalup Festival	Sunset Coast												
Moodyne Festival	Avon Valley												
York Festival	Avon Valley												
<b>Sporting festivals and events</b>													
Avon Descent	Avon Valley												
Beverley Air Show WA	Avon Valley												
C-Wise Dwellingup 100	Inland Peel												
Perth Sail GP	Fremantle												
Rottneet Swim	Rottneet Island												
York Motorcycle Festival	Avon Valley												
WA Pro Surf Series	Mandurah												
Wallabies vs Italy	Perth city												
<b>Flower &amp; garden festivals</b>													
Araluen Tulip Festival	Perth Hills												
Everlasting Kings Park Festival	Perth city												
Subi Blooms	Perth city												
Lightscape	Perth city												

School holidays	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
<b>School holidays</b>												

2026 Public holidays					
<b>New Year's Day</b>	Thursday 1 January		<b>Anzac Day</b>	Saturday 25 April & Monday 27 April	
<b>Australia Day</b>	Monday 26 January		<b>Western Australia Day</b>	Monday 1 June	
<b>Labour Day</b>	Monday 2 March		<b>King's Birthday</b>	Monday 28 September	
<b>Good Friday</b>	Friday 3 April		<b>Christmas Day</b>	Friday 25 December	
<b>Easter Sunday</b>	Sunday 5 April		<b>Boxing Day</b>	Saturday 26 December & Monday 28 December	
<b>Easter Monday</b>	Monday 6 April				

\*Dates correct at time of printing  
 \*\*Check public holiday opening hours. Surcharges may apply