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### Not shown on map:

**Gapsted Wines** is located on the Great Alpine Road approximately 6km from Myrtleford heading towards Wangaratta.

### ACCOMMODATION BOOKINGS

Myrtleford: **(03) 5755 0514**  
 Bright: **1800 111 885** (calls only in Australia)  
[www.visitmyrtlefordvic.com.au](http://www.visitmyrtlefordvic.com.au)

[www.lafiera.com.au](http://www.lafiera.com.au)

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The La Fiera committee wishes to thank and recognise the following organisations for their generous support:

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#### SUPPORTING SPONSORS



#### SPECIAL PARTNERS

Circolo Calabrese, Circolo Trentini, Circolo Vicentini, Circolo Trevisani, Alpini Gruppo di Myrtleford, St. Mary's Catholic Church, Myrtleford Savoy Ladies, North East Multicultural Association, Kymagic, Ray White Real Estate, Myrtleford Theatre Troupe and High Country Harvest.

Full program and Online bookings - [www.lafiera.com.au](http://www.lafiera.com.au)

La Fiera Italian Festival

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**MICHELINI**  
— WINES —



**16-21 MAY**  
**2017**

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Join us in this special celebration of Italian culture. Passion, mixed with art, culture and heritage, makes for a heady mix of fun the Italian way!

## Tuesday 16th May

### CELEBRAZIONE MICHELINI

**6-10pm** Michelini Wines, 213 Great Alpine Rd.

La Fiera festival launch party at Michelini Wines. **\$35/person**. Ticket includes glass of sparkling on arrival and a delicious supper. Prepaid tickets from Michelini Wines Cellar Door (03) 5751 1990.

## Wednesday 17th May

### TORNEO ANNUALE MYRTLEFORD GOLF CLUB (ANNUAL TOURNAMENT)

Yackandandah Rd.

Wed 17	Mens & Mixed (2 person) Ambrose
Thu 18	Ladies Challenge Bowl Stableford
Fri 19	Mens 4BBB, Ladies 4BBB Stableford
Sat 20	Mens 18 Hole Stroke
Sun 21	Mens Stableford, Mixed Pinehurst and 9 Hole Veterans

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### TASTE OF ITALY

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Enjoy this three course culinary experience matched to Italian wine varietals. **\$49/person**. Bookings recommended (03) 5751 1383.

### FROM ITALY WITH LOVE!

**Lunch & Dinner every day** Club Savoy, 252 Great Alpine Rd.

Each evening during La Fiera, dishes from selected regions of Italy will feature on the menu. Tonight's featured dish is *Congiglio Brasato Alla Ligure*. (Ligurian style braised rabbit with white wine, pine nuts, tomato and olives.) \$22.50 Full menu available. Bookings strongly recommended to avoid disappointment: (03) 5751 1296.

## Thursday 18th May

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## Friday 19th May

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### ITALIAN INSPIRED COCKTAILS

**6pm till late** Café Fez, 145 Myrtle St.

Relax and enjoy a 'Sicilian Sour' - 'Aperol Spritz' - 'Citrus and Spiced Mulled Wine' or a Honeybird Express Martini in our cosy lounge or our alfresco bar. Dinner available. Bookings preferred: (03) 5751 1155.

An Italian inspired tajine for lunch will be on offer throughout the festival.

### HARVEST FEAST WITH STEFANO MANFREDI

**6:30pm** Gapsted Wines, 3897 Great Alpine Rd.

Noted Italian-born chef, author and leading exponent of modern Italian cuisine Stefano Manfredi, will prepare a meal showcasing our region's finest produce and the best of our Italian heritage. Brought to you by Gapsted Wines and Chestnuts Australia Inc. **\$130/person**. Bookings essential (03) 5751 1383.

## Friday 19th May

### TONI MARCHI - FAMILY GALA EVENING!

**6.30pm Club Savoy, 252 Great Alpine Rd.**

LaFiera Chefs Family Buffet. **Adults \$29.50 (members \$25), Teenagers 13-17 \$21, Children 6-12 \$13, Children under 5 years free.** Payment upon booking required (03) 5751 1296.

## Saturday 20th May

### MASS AND PROCESSION FOR ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

**9.00am Myrtleford Piazza, Clyde St.**

Following the Mass, a procession of veterans from the Italian Army's Alpini Brigade and community members will carry the new statue of St. Anthony acquired by St. Mary's Catholic Church along Clyde Street. Come along and dress up in traditional regional Italian costume!

### WILD MUSHROOM FORAGE

**10.00am** Enjoy a morning walk foraging for wild mushrooms with expert guides on the outskirts of Myrtleford. Learn the secret to finding these wonderful natural treasures and enjoy the option of tasting preserved mushrooms. Limited Numbers. **\$35.30/person** (no concessions). Tickets available online via our website from 9am Sat. 6th May 2017.

### PIZZA DOUGH THROWING DEMONSTRATION

**10.15am Myrtleford Piazza, Clyde St.**

By talented Bastoni Pizzeria chef Alessandro. Watch in awe as Alessandro will stretch, spin, toss and juggle pizza dough like never seen before - The kids can try too!

### FOOD & WINE FESTA

**10.30 am-4.30pm Clyde Street & Piazza.**

Sample our wonderful local wines from Alpine Valleys Vignerons members and great regional produce, including traditional dishes from around Italy. Wine tasting glasses will be available for sale **\$5/each**. Entertainment by Toni Marchi, James Liotta, Wangaratta West Primary School, School of Tarantella and Myrtleford Theatre Troupe free face painting and Alpine Children's Services activity tent for the kids plus these special events:

#### Town Piazza:

**9.00** Mass and Procession to St. Anthony of Padua

**10.15** Piazza Dough Throwing

**10.30** Food & Wine Stalls open

**10.30** Toni Marchi and Band

**11.15** Pizza Eating competition

**11.30** Choir Wangaratta West PS

**12.15** Toni Marchi and Band

**1.15** Tarantella Performance

**2.00** Grape Stomp

**2.15** James Liotta Comedian

**3.00** Michael Tenace, singing & dancing

**3.30** Barista Race

**3.45** Michael Tenace, singing & dancing

### STEFANO MANFREDI COOKING DEMONSTRATION

**11.30am-12.30pm St. Paul's Church Hall, Clyde St.**

Sydney based, Italian-born Stefano Manfredi will be demonstrating how to create some wonderful Italian dishes with fresh local produce. Presented by Chestnuts Australia Inc. Entry is **\$5/person**.

### NONNI IN CUCINA

**2.30pm-4pm St. Paul's Church Hall, Clyde St.**

Presented by Patrizia Simone from Simone's of Bright. Local Nonni' will demonstrate how to create those wonderful, simple Italian dishes handed down over generations, Entry is **\$10/person** and includes recipes.

### LAUGHTER THE ITALIAN WAY

**1pm Jubilee Park, Great Alpine Rd, (opposite Piazza)**

Join the Myrtleford Laughter Club for a healthy dose of Unconditional laughter about all things Italian. Laughter Yoga utilizes simple laughter exercises which quickly stimulates natural spontaneous fun and laughter. Works simultaneously on mind, body and spirit. **\$2 donation appreciated.**

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### OPEN HOUSE AT THE OLD SCHOOL MUSEUM

**2pm-5pm Old School Museum, 29 Elgin St.**

Visit the community museum and view presentations on migration, Italian contribution to agriculture and forestry, the Italian P.O.W. Camp (1942-46) and prominent families and their contribution to community life.

Entry: **\$5 Adults, \$3 Concession \$1 Children.**

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### ITALIAN MOVIE NIGHT

2 movies will be shown at Myrtleford's EMPAC in Prince St. See website for details and tickets - screenings at 5pm and 8pm. Entry: **\$20 - includes antipasto buffet at interval.** Italian Beer and local wine available. Sponsored by Lions Club of Myrtleford.

### FROM ITALY WITH LOVE! DINNER DANCE

With Joe Ellis & Comedian James Liotta.

**6.30pm** Club Savoy, 252 Great Alpine Rd.

LaFiera Buffet - **Adults \$29.50 (members \$25), Teenagers 13-17 \$21, Children (6-12) \$13, Children under 5 years free.** Bookings strongly recommended to avoid disappointment (Payment required upon booking): (03) 5751 1296.

## Sunday 21st May

### LA FIERA CUP SOCCER CHALLENGE MATCHES

**8.30am-5.30pm** Savoy Park, 252 Myrtle St.

Traditional rivals Myrtleford Savoy Soccer Club vs Wangaratta City play head-to-head for the LaFiera Cup. Always a good crowd of supporters from both towns - this game is not one to miss. Main Game commences at 3.00p.m. Bring a chair and blanket. Best canteen in the league with great Italian food available. **Free Entry.**

### BOCCE COMPETITION

**8.45am-4pm** Myrtleford Savoy Bocce Club, 252 Myrtle St.

Everyone is most welcome to play! Sign up at 8.45am and teams selected at random. Watch the teams play off against each other for a special trophy, then let the experts teach you how to play the game. **Entry is free.**

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### TASTES OF TRENTINO

**11.30am-2pm** Myrtleford Piazza, Clyde St.

Enjoy a taste of traditional food from the Trentino region in northern Italy. On offer will be Polenta, Spezzatino (delicious Italian Beef Stew), Salsice (Continental Sausage), Crauti (Sauerkraut).

**Cost: \$15.** Available for separate purchase are Castagne (Roasted Chestnuts) and Strauben (Dessert), plus Michelini Wines will offer Vin Brulé (Mulled Wine) and wines of the region; including Marzemino, Teroldego & Pinot Grigio.

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### COMMEDIA DELL' ARTE

**1pm** Myrtleford Piazza, Clyde St.

Members of the Myrtleford Theatre Troupe are sure to delight the crowd with their witty and masked members roaming the crowd and short skit performances.

### LIVING CHESS MATCH

**2pm** Myrtleford Piazza, Clyde St.

Back in 1454 in the Italian town of Marostica, two young noblemen played a game of chess for the hand in marriage of the eldest daughter of the Lord of the town. The game was played in public using living people as the chess pieces. Join as we re-invent this colourful re-enactment. **Gold coin donation appreciated.**

#### Town Piazza:

**11.30-2.00** Tastes of Trentino lunch and Michelini Wines

**11.30-1.00** Michael Tenace singing & dancing

**1.00** Commedia Dell' Arte performance

**2.00** Living Chess Match based on the Marostica tradition

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### CLUB SAVOY SMORGASBORD!

**6.30pm** Club Savoy, 252 Great Alpine Rd.

Enjoy an Italian inspired feast. **Adults \$28 (members \$23), Teenagers 13-17 \$19.50, Children 6-12 \$12.50, Children under 5 years free.** Bookings strongly recommended to avoid disappointment: (03) 5751 1296.