



South Melbourne Porsche and Coffee Festival Clarendon and Coventry Streets Business Association

A free South Melbourne community event kicking off Grand Prix week in the Emerald Hill precinct with over 300 Porsche vehicles on show, local music, food and trader activations. Celebrating local history and supporting small business.

\$ 25,000

Y(Our) Fest South Melbourne 2026 Artists for Kids Culture

A vibrant one-day free family arts and music festival in South Melbourne, exploring and celebrating creativity, inclusion, and community. Y(Our)Fest is designed by kids from Port Phillip through a series of workshop events and performances and offers a platform for emerging and community participation.

\$ 10,000

FutureStage Theatre Works

A week-long independent theatre festival held alongside IFTR 2026 theatre conference, featuring performances, forums, and provocations across St Kilda venues. It will bring together artists, thinkers, and communities to explore inclusion, sustainability, and the future of theatre.

\$ 20,000

Melbourne Art Print Fair, edition.2 Linden New Art

Melbourne Art Print Fair, edition.2 is the second annual fine art print fair to be held at Linden New Art. The fair brings together nine+ national print agencies to showcase the medium with the aim of supporting contemporary artists, educating the public, attracting new audiences and encouraging new collectors.

\$ 15,000

St Kilda Blues Festival 2026 St Kilda Blues Festival Inc

The St Kilda Blues Festival is a free, community-led celebration of blues and roots music held across Acland Street, Blessington Street, The Esplanade, and Fitzroy Street. With over 70 performances in iconic venues and outdoor spaces, it showcases local talent and unites the community through vibrant, high-quality live music.

\$ 25,000

St Patricks Festival St Kilda St Kilda St Patrick's Festival Inc

St Patrick's Festival free family day aims to celebrate Irish culture in Australia with families from all over Melbourne and the local community of St Kilda. The event will contain live music and family entertainment.

\$ 5,000

**Summer in the Glade** Gasworks Arts Inc

Summer in the Glade is a seasonal outdoor market at Gasworks Arts Park celebrating diverse local arts, culture, and creativity. It features live music, artisan markets, and street food, fostering inclusion and supporting independent artist

\$ 7,500

Parents Battle of the Bands: Southside Battle 2026 Parents Battle of the Bands (PBOB)

PBOB Southside Battle 2026 unites over 80 parent musicians from 10 schools for two nights of live music at The Prince Bandroom, St Kilda in May. This event supports programs for school arts, and celebrates creativity, community pride and local cultural vibrancy.

\$ 10,000

Carols by the Bay Lakeside Community Events

A free Christmas celebration for the local community, returning to Gasworks as a magical stage show with local singers, dance performances, delicious food trucks, and a special visit from Santa.

\$ 25,000

Tabletop Game and Art Festival Port Play Melbourne Tabletop Gaming Conventions Inc

Port Play seeks to celebrate the diversity and creativity in Melbourne tabletop game industry and encourage new folks to make their own gaming more creative and in-person social. The event is aimed at young adults and children, with workshops and craft, and over 30 locally made tabletop games in an artmaker market.

\$ 10,000

Port Melbourne Music Festival 2026 Port Melbourne Business Association

A free, all-day live music festival held at multiple venues in the Port Melbourne precinct in June 2026 with a line-up of more than 20 performances and to promote the area as vibrant hub.

\$ 13,415

Enviro Fest 2025 Port Phillip EcoCentre Inc.

A family friendly environmental festival in the St Kilda Botanical Gardens to celebrate the EcoCentre's public launch of the new community hub and building and an event including local community groups with stalls, music, food and garden tours.

\$ 8,000

The National Theatre - Open House! Australian National Memorial Theatre Ltd

A day of free performances, activities, talks, guided tours, and workshops at the historic, heritage National Theatre to celebrate 90 years of Australia's oldest performing arts training institution - The National Drama School.

\$ 10,000



100 years of Community Engagement Kastellorizian Association of Victoria

Celebrating 100 years of the Kastellorizian Association of Victoria support of the welfare of Kastellorizians and Greeks. The Centenary celebrates this proud legacy and achievements, through exhibition, talks, music, food and interactive displays for adults and young people.

\$5,000