



THIS SUMMER

What's Happening at Collingwood Yards?

Summer isn't over yet, make sure you get a chance to check out our huge season of events and activities.

With

- **FESTIVALS** - The Nonkgrong Day Party bringing an Indonesian themed event to the yards.
- **SCREENINGS** - Composite's latest screenings tackling everything from labour and automation to the 'universal' language of Bliss.
- **EXHIBITIONS** - West Space's latest showings that meditate on it all whether it be celebrity meme culture or colonialism.
- **LIVE MUSIC** - The Open Air music festival's return with more tunes and excitement than ever before.
- **THE NIGHT MARKET** - The triumphant return of the iconic Stay Soft Night Markets.
- **COLLABORATION** - Arts Fair Australia and Collingwood Yards collaboration Saturday Night lighting up the night with art, talks, food and fun.

There's to get around at Collingwood Yards before summer winds down so keep on top of the events page on our website or our Instagram for the latest news from us.

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Curtis Stone and Stefanino Panino

Friday, 2 February

Cargo Crew to host Panino! At Collingwood sandwich hotspot Stefanino Panino, offering Australian-Italian cuisine as you've never seen before.

Over one evening at Stefanino Panino in Collingwood Yards, Michelin Star chef Curtis Stone and our very own Stef Condello will be busting out never before seen Paninis blending Australian and Italian foods in bold and delicious new ways.

With gluten free and Vegan options available until they sell out, check out the [event](#) on our website for the full menu!

image courtesy of Cargo Crew and Curtis Stone



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Nongkrong Day Party

Saturday, 3 February

Nongkrong is a word that has no true translation into English, although the closest you'll get is *to hang out*. Nongkrong festival aims to bring this indescribable vibe to Collingwood Yards with their day party.

This event is a celebration of all things Indonesian including live music from Komang (Rosie Clynes), Rino (Rino Darusman) playing through into the evening.

Taking over in the night will be DJs Munir, Sophie McAlister and Bayu, all serving up a buffet of fresh tracks.

Thanks to Hope St Radio, and Long Prawn for putting together this collaboration with Nongkrong.

At \$75pp there are limited spots available to this event. Grab your tickets [here](#) and experience everything our northern neighbours have to offer.

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LIVE MUSIC

Open Air

10 FEBRUARY

Presented in tandem with Runner Up Bar, Lucid Dance Club is bringing a whole night of music to the yards.

A strong lineup consisting of DJ Life, Guzepi B2B Borroni, KIA, Sophie McAlister and ZJOSO will be spinning up music over three different stages along with food trucks there to cater for the evening.

Limited tickets available [here](#), with costs of \$23.67pp.

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EXHIBITIONS AND EVENTS

Latest at West Space

TINTIN COOPER'S BLACK MAGIC

Coinciding with her residency, Cooper has produced this cultural exploration of Zinedine Zidane, the larger than life French footballer. The viewer is invited to follow Zidane's image that has escaped from the confines of the real world into a higher plane through online memory.

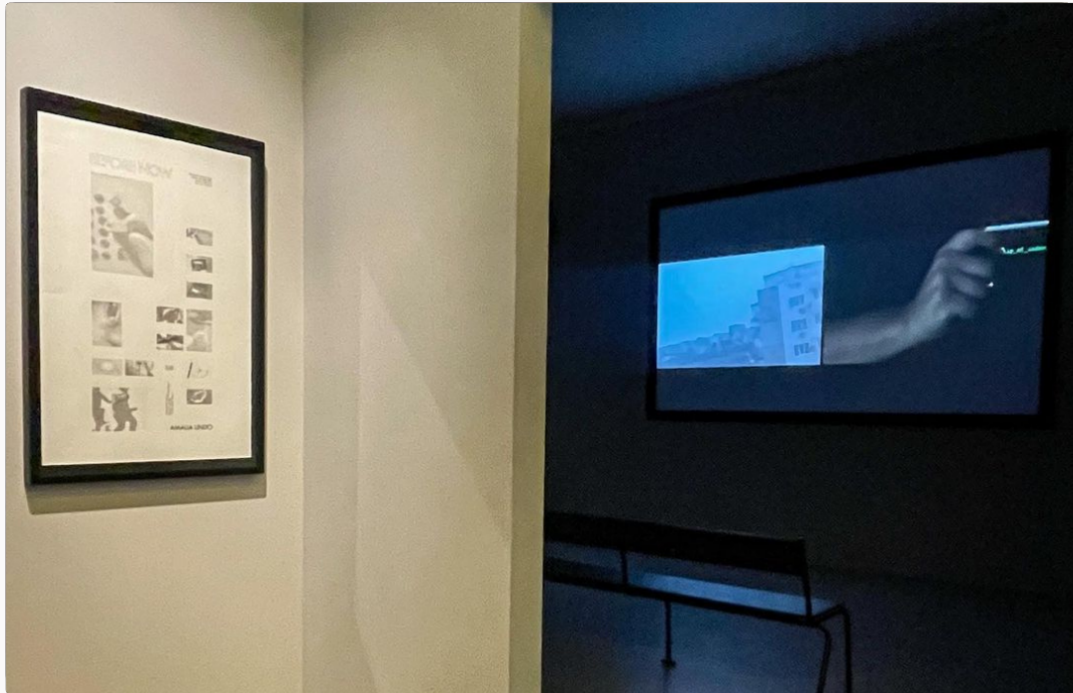
KYRA MANCKTELOW'S UNCONSTITUTIONAL LOVE

Focusing on the wedding dress from artist Kyra Mancktelow's own family the piece reflects on the impacts of colonialism both today and in the past. Clothing is imbued with an undeniable historical and cultural importance and Mancktelow's work seeks to understand the ways we honour ancestry.

MADE IN PALESTINE'S IF THE OLIVE TREES KNEW

This single day event will take place from 3pm, 3 February featuring poems, messages and music by a multitude of artists of Palestinian, First Nations and Jewish origin. An event firmly standing against antisemitism and islamophobia with Palestinian food and tea served for those attending. Tickets can be picked up [here](#)

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FILM SCREENINGS

Latest at Composite

ROWAN MCNAUGHT'S A LESSON IN BLISS

Rowan McNaught's piece is focused on the hieroglyphic language of Bliss, developed by Charles K. Bliss in the 20th century. An ambitious attempt to develop a universal language for humanity. With a launch on 1 February, Collingwood Yards will return to its schoolyard routes with plenty to learn from this experience.

Pictured: Screening at Composite

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Stay Soft Night Market Returns

17 February

This February the Stay Soft Night Markets will make their triumphant return, bigger and better than ever. Everywhere you look at the Stay Soft Night Market you'll find yourself looking at something cool. With the best in socially conscious fashion, food trucks, ceramics and even live music they're undoubtedly some of the best fun we have here at Collingwood Yards.

If you're interested in setting up a stall yourself and getting involved now's the time to get in contact with Stay Soft and secure yourself a place through [here](#).

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**MELBOURNE
ART FAIR
22—25 FEB '24**

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Saturday Nights

24 February

Presented by Broadsheet. Keep your calendars free for this major Collingwood Yards collaboration. This unticketed event kicks off a Saturday with a full on experience from the Collingwood Yards tenants.

Highlights include artist Jason Phu returning for an evening on the grill along with Hope St Radio's Jack Shaw in the courtyard. Upstairs at West Space you'll find exhibiting artist Kyra Mancktelow in conversation with curator Coby Edgar.

With additional participation and lineups to be announced, keep an eye on the Collingwood Yards event page as well as the [Melbourne Arts Fair](#) to stay up to date on everything.

Pictures courtesy of Melbourne Art Fair

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What is Collingwood Yards?

Collingwood Yards is managed by Contemporary Arts Precincts Ltd. We are a charitable social enterprise based in Naarm (Melbourne).

Over the last four years our organisation has taken ownership of the former Collingwood TAFE site and invested more than \$15m from philanthropy, government and commercial partners into its redevelopment.

There is a crisis of affordable arts space in Australia and in Melbourne in particular. Most, if not all, of the not-for-profit tenants supported at Collingwood Yards have come under threat of having to relocate, to pay unaffordable rent or close if they are unable to secure an affordable base for their operations.

Occupying half a block in Collingwood, Collingwood Yards is a mixed-use site that layers studios, public spaces, hospitality venues and retail tenancies in diverse and evolving ways. It is home to more than 50 creative studios and anchored by a selection of design-centric retailers and cafes, bars and meeting spaces.

We believe that the importance of keeping a diverse range of artists and creative communities active in any city cannot be understated. The social benefits of arts participation is well documented and affordable space is a key part of this.

Collingwood Yards is both a transformational project for its neighbourhood and a proof of concept for our broader goal: to develop a new model of providing affordable and sustainable arts space in Australia.

Read more

Collingwood Yards acknowledges the traditional owners and sovereign custodians of the land on which Collingwood Yards is situated, the Wurundjeri people of the Woiwurrung language group. We extend our respects to their Ancestors and all First Peoples and Elders past, present, and future.

We celebrate that Collingwood has always been a place of great cultural significance to First Peoples, particularly artists and musicians, and acknowledge the vital role that these communities continue to play in the cultural life of Collingwood.

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