

Whether you're discovering the Hawkesbury region for the first time, you're a regular visitor or the Hawkesbury is your home, we have designed this list of fun things for you to discover soon.

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MORE REASONS TO LOVE THE HAWKESBURY

Explore the area's rich history – Take a free self guided walking tour of historic Windsor and Richmond. Be guided by Dharug narrators in a free audio walk '11 stories from the River Dyarubbin'. Ask the team at the Hawkesbury Visitor Information Centre for details.

Apple Picking Season – Bilpin's orchards come alive with the sounds of friends and family enjoying the fresh air and picking delicious fruits and vegetables from January to June.

Jacaranda Season – November. Visit the Hawkesbury for that perfect Instagram pic.

See our **What's On** for seasonal information discoverthehawkesbury.com.au/whats-on

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1. Explore the area's rich heritage on foot with one of our free Heritage Highlights trails
2. Enjoy a Devonshire tea at Ebenezer Church – Australia's Oldest Church built in 1809
3. Watch the sun rise over Sydney from Bellbird Lookout, Kurrajong Heights
4. Pick the freshest fruit straight from the orchards at Bilpin
5. Feel the country vibe at Richmond Good Food Market – Saturdays 8am – 1pm
6. Join the East Park Run at Ham Common
7. Enjoy a family friendly day out at Australiana Pioneer Village, Wilberforce
8. Take the kids to Governor Phillip Park playground for heaps of fun
9. Book a wilderness weekend at the Upper Colo Camping ground
10. Take a ferry road trip over the four free vehicular ferries that cross the Hawkesbury River
11. Wander the main street of Kurrajong and enjoy the cafes and giftshops
12. Sip a local wine from Tizzana Winery, Bull Ridge Estate or Jubilee Winery at Ebenezer
13. Learn about the local history at the Hawkesbury Regional Museum
14. Step back in time at the Cobham Hall Museum, Wisemans Ferry Inn
15. Visit one of our historic hotels for a bite to eat
16. Take in the spectacular view into the Grose River wilderness from the Vale of Avoca, Grose Vale
17. Tee off at one of our picturesque golf courses
18. Travel the historic Bells Line of Road, discover Bilpin's Apple Pie Trail and visit the stunning Blue Mountains Botanic Garden at Mount Tomah
19. Spend summer cooling off at Richmond Swimming Centre or Hawkesbury Oasis
20. Take a Bilpin cider tour with one of our local guides
21. Arrange a gourmet picnic from one of our local cafes or deli's
22. Treat your tastebuds to an unforgettable experience at Cricca, Lochiel House or Restaurant Amara
23. Treat yourself and friends to a high tea at the Crowne Plaza, Windsor
24. Visit the Hawkesbury Regional Gallery, Windsor and enjoy their latest exhibition
25. Watch the RAAF aircraft in action from Ham Common, Richmond
26. Plan a break on the river with Able Houseboats
27. Visit Yarramundi Reserve and relax
28. Grab your binoculars and head to Longneck Lagoon, Cattai for birdwatching
29. See wild kangaroos feeding at Cattai National Park
30. Book an incredible Wildcat encounter at the Wildcat Conservation Centre
31. Explore the Aussie bush at Windsor Downs Nature Reserve
32. Check out the variety of plants at the Secret Garden and Nursery, Richmond
33. Feed the alpacas at Madison's Mountain Retreat
34. Uncover an emerging artist at Purple Noon Gallery, Freemans Reach
35. Discover Wildwood Garden at Bilpin – their gardens offer stunning autumnal and spring displays
36. Watch an event at Hawkesbury Showground (see our 'What's On' for details)
37. Get spooky on an evening walk with Windsor Ghost Tours or experience a mysterious close encounter at Rose Cottage hosted by Ghost Territory Tours
38. Play awesome paintball at Action Paintball, Yarramundi
39. Wander through St Matthews cemetery and church find graves of early settlers
40. Relax with a drink in front of the open fire at Settlers Arms Inn St Albans built in 1836
41. Book a spa day and be pampered at Villa Thalgo, Crowne Plaza
42. Check out local produce at the Bilpin Markets Saturdays 10am – 12pm
43. Pick up a free guide from the Visitor Centre and learn about the history of the Putty Road
44. Take the kids cycling or practice your skateboard skills at Ham Common
45. Get a speedy rush at the Indy Kart Track in Wilberforce
46. Admire the beautiful sea urchins at the Sea Urchin Centre, Kurrajong
47. Chillout with ice cream from Twiins, Windsor Ice Cream Cafe or Delicious Desserts
48. Dress up, stomp the divots and enjoy a Polo match
49. Knock back a cold one at Macquarie Arms Hotel Windsor – Australia's oldest licenced pub
50. Explore nature by foot on a bushwalk. Guides available at the Visitor Information Centre. \$6.

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