

# Festival Events

## Saturday 18th September

**8am:** Fort hosting Command and Staff College Reunion

**9am:** Breakfast on Hesse Street

**11am:** Parade commencing at the Bellarine railway to the RSL led by the Army Band Melbourne marches along Hesse Street

**12pm:** Stay on Hesse Street for lunch and be entertained by 'Steve McEwen and the Yes Men'

**2pm:** Fort Queenscliff Opens its gates to the public.

**5pm:** Sunset concert by the Army Band Melbourne

**7.30pm:** Dinner in Queenscliff. Special deals being provided by The VicHotel, The Rip View, The Esplanade Hotel, Apostle, The Royal, 360Q and Lombardi's.

## Sunday 19th September

**10am:** Play golf on Swan Island or Bare-foot-bowls at Lawn Bowls Club

**12 noon:** Lunch in Point Lonsdale whilst being entertained by the Victoria Police Pipes and Drums Band

**11am, 1pm and 3pm:** Tour of Fort Queenscliff



# Open Day Events

**1100:** Hesse Street Parade Bellarine railway to RSL

**1200-1700:** ADF Recruiting Displays, King Street

**1400:** Gates open to public

**1415-1515 & 1530-1640:**

- Queenscliffe Lighthouse Theatre Group Performance

**Location:** Drill Hall

**1415-1515:**

- 2/10 Band Concert with Feu de Joie to Soldiers of the Queen
- Introduction to history of this military event and sequence of firing.
- Recognition of the history of the Fort and remembrance of the men who died serving the Fort.

**Location:** Black Lighthouse. Blank firing

**1530-1550:**

- Firing of 8" hydro Pneumatic Gun (Disappearing Gun). Simulated firing at warships entering heads. History of weapon followed by simulated firing and return engagement from enemy ship.

**Location:** Disappearing Gun. Simulated gun fire

**1615-1640:**

- History of the Wars re-enactment
- Riflemen from 40th Regiment of-foot firing Muzzleloaders
- Boer War, WWI, WWII rifles
- Vickers
- Boyes Anti-tank
- Mortars (with pyrotechnics)
- Deploy 25pdr

**Location:** West end of mound IAW activity safety instr.

**1700:** Prayer for the Troops

**Location:** Parade Ground

**1730:** Army Band Melbourne Concert

- 1812 Overture

**Location:** South side of Parade Ground

**1900:** Fireworks (timed at conclusion of concert)

**1910:** Visitors Depart Fort through Main Gates.

**No Pets, Weapons or alcohol**  
**Museum Guided Tours at 2, 3 and 4pm**  
**Gold coin to enter Museum**  
**Gold Coin (at entrance to Fort)**

# Fort Queenscliff OPEN DAY



*to celebrate 150 Years  
of the Australian Military  
in Queenscliff*

**Saturday 18 September 2010**

**ENTRY TO FORT BY GOLD COIN**

**CAR PARKING IS AVAILABLE IN:**

- Bull Ring  
(near the kiosk in Hesse Street)
- Princes Park
- Marine Discovery Centre
- Old Queenscliff High School Site
- Bellarine Railway
- Point Lonsdale Primary School Bus on loop available from PS to Queenscliff, 9am to 8pm every 30 mins (user pays)

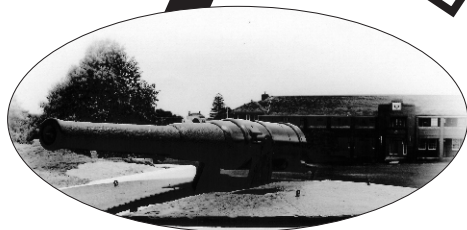
**STREET CLOSURES:**

Hesse Street  
Saturday 18th  
9.00am - 4.00pm

Pt Lonsdale Road  
between  
Kirk Rd & Admans Sts  
Sunday 19th  
12.00-3.00pm

● LOCATION OF TOILETS

X GUIDED TOURS



HISTORY OF THE WARS  
RE-ENACTMENT

DISAPPEARING  
GUN

FLAG  
POLE



# Fort Queenscliff

