



It's never been easier
to get involved in
such a clever,
Creative Arts Festival.

The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival is a Not For Profit community event. Set among the rolling green hills of Alexandra, there are plenty of beanies, winter warmers & fibre arts for sale.

Money raised goes towards local projects & charities within the Shire of Murrindindi, including yearly support of Alexandra Rotary providing wood for the elderly & disadvantaged.

There are many ways that you, your school or community group can join in the fun of this fabulous, fibre arts festival & market.

Open to anyone to participate, you can support our community by creating a beanie, some winter warmers or fibre art & donating to our fabulous fibre festival. **Entry is free.**

2023 features a display by the Alexandra Quilters, in the RSL Hall.

Now 4th Weekend in May..

The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival thanks all our sponsors & supporters throughout the Shire of Murrindindi.



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The Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival

Online Auction 22nd-28th May (ends 3pm)
Fibre Festival & Competition
27th-28th May 2023
Alexandra Shire Hall,
55 Grant St, Alexandra, Vic. 10am-4pm

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DATES TO REMEMBER

- **Entries to be received by Friday May 12th** close of business.
- **Wear a Beanie Day, Friday May 26th** gold coin donation.
- **Official Opening Saturday May 27th at 9.45am** Winners congratulated & everyone welcome to attend. Alexandra Shire Hall.
- **Beanie Festival Sat 27th & Sun 28th May 10-4pm.** Clever, creative beanies.
- **Market & Fibre Festival Sat 27th & Sun 28th 10-4pm** stalls featuring fibre artists, yarn, handmade craft, wool & refreshments.
- **Online Auction** 32auctions.com/beanie2023 Mon 22nd-Sun 28th May, ending at 3pm.
- **Collection of Festival Beanies Sunday May 28th 4-6pm.**

Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival

27th-28th May 2023

New Date!!!

\$2.00 Door
Entry

Textiles,
Fibre Art,
Fabulous Beanies,
Market Stalls
& more.



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COVID SAFE COMPLIANT EVENT

Entry Form - Murrindindi Beanie Festival Victoria May 27th – 28th 2023

All Entries to be received by **Friday 12th May.**

Please send entries to MBFFV 16 Pendelbury St, Alexandra Vic 3714 Australia or **drop off** to

*Sportspower, 76 Grant St, Alexandra or *13 A'Beckett St, Yea. 3/13 Woodmason Rd, Boronia Vic.

CATEGORIES



Junior, beginner & open sections are included in every category.

Item No	Category	Section	Item Description	Donated Entry	Not For Sale
Office Use Only	• Murrindindi Madness -Theme 'Furry Friends'. (MM)	Open	Title, Materials, Method (Knit/crochet/felt etc)	(please tick)	NFS
	• Beautiful Beanies (BB) Men's, Women's, Child's	Beginner			
	• Fibre Art (FA)	U12yrs			
	• Winter Warmers (no beanies)	13-17yrs			
	• Beanie Kids Recycled Creatns (BKR)				

MURRINDINDI MADNESS BEANIE is themed & designed to let your creative juices run wild. Dream up your most fantastic masterpiece in any medium & be wearable. Keep in mind this year's theme is 'Furry Friends' & the more creative or outlandish in this category the better.

BEAUTIFUL BEANIES

Featuring the art of knitting or crochet while keeping the beanie tradition alive. This category includes traditional, vintage, embellished, felted or character beanies in Men's, Women's or Children's sizes.

FIBRE ART

As the title suggests, includes but is not limited to items made from hand dyed, hand spun wool, alpaca, possum fibres etc. Tops/roving/hanks/skeins. Knitted, crocheted, woven, felted hats, &/or clothing of all types, macrame, basketry. cotton, linen, silk other fabric. Handmade gifts or toys.

WINTER WARMERS Features any other worn article designed to keep you warm during winter. Knitted, crocheted or felted, excluding beanies. Made from wool or yarn.

BEANIE KIDS RECYCLED CREATIONS is a fabulous creation that may include natural fibres, fabric, timber, metal or more. Beanies of any size, do not have to be wearable, just create the illusion of wear ability. **Open to all mediums & open for kids (U14) to enter.** Free entry & beanies for display only. Beanies may feature this year's theme 'Furry Friends'.

Please tick the above boxes where applicable and please note that beanies/items not donated (NFS) will incur a **\$5 fee per item**, all beanies/items donated will be sold with proceeds going to local charities.

Ihereby certify that the above entries are my (child's) own handmade original and I agree by the conditions of entry as set out by the Murrindindi Beanie & Fibre Festival Victoria.

Name: Juniors Age:

Address: Postcode:.....

Phone: Mob: Signature:

Email:

Please note that all entry forms are to accompany Beanies and must include completed attached swing tags that state the title of work, materials, method used and town of origin.

Please note that all purchased & NFS beanies/items can be collected on Sunday 28th 4pm-6pm from the festival or will be returned as soon as practical, providing a self-addressed envelope of correct size and weight has been provided upon entry.