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## FRINGE FESTIVAL

### RUNAWAY Festival Park

Presented by Melbourne Fringe Festival  
6-30 Oct  
📍 Queen Victoria Market

RUNAWAY Festival Park is Melbourne Fringe's new boutique festival playground. Two incredible venues at Queen Vic Market, the Magic Mirrors Spiegeltent and the Vault will be home to spectacular cabaret, comedy, circus, and the very best in for-kids-only entertainment.

Join Melbourne Fringe Festival from 6-30 October for a fun-filled bounty of internationally (and locally) renowned performances and the very best of contemporary circus, custom-made for thrill seekers, romantics and heartbreakers.

Book now at [melbournefringe.com.au](http://melbournefringe.com.au)



## QUEEN VICTORIA MARKET *online*

Perfect for when you can't make it to the Market, shop Queen Vic Market Online and have fresh produce delivered to your door.

With an extensive range of products, you'll find market price fruit and veg, curated deli boxes, meat, fish, poultry, along with hot jam doughnuts, boreks and other market favourites.

- ✦ Shop more than 3,000 products
- ✦ From over 50 market shops & stalls
- ✦ With same day delivery available



Hands down the best produce! I can't make it to the Market as often as I'd like to, so ordering online offers me the convenience I need to buy from the Market's wonderful, local businesses.



I love Queen Vic Market Online. It is unique in that we get to experience quality, freshness and deliciousness at the touch of a button.

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## MEET THE TRADER

## WELCOMING NEW TRADERS

We recently welcomed a collection of new traders to the Market through a partnership with Thrive Refugee Enterprise. Together, we're working with Thrive to support refugees and asylum seekers to set up their own businesses at Queen Vic Market. Meet the new traders including:

- **Salma by Nature:**  
Handmade natural soaps and candles.
- **Mediterranean Pastry:**  
Turkish sweets including baklava, shortbread, cookies and more.
- **African Elegance:**  
Traditional and modern African clothing and accessories designed in Melbourne.



Find the Thrive trader group in L Shed.



For more information on Thrive visit [tre.org.au](http://tre.org.au)

## NEW SPECIALTY FOODIE TOURS

Food-lovers, these new specialty food tours are for you!

### VEGIE LOVERS TOUR

SAT 1 OCT  
10AM

In honour of World Vegetarian Day, take a guided tour of our food halls and open-air sheds and uncover the wide and varied world of vegetables. Indulge in antipasti, fresh pasta, local and imported cheese, single-origin chocolate, pastries, local wine and more.



### PLANT-BASED FOOD FANATICS TOUR

SAT 5 NOV  
10AM

Celebrate World Vegan Day and come on a journey with our specialist vegan tour guide. Discover an array of plant-based food on offer including plant-based cheese, pickled and preserved accompaniments, artisan chocolate, plant-based pastries, and fruit & veg liquors.



### SPECIALTY SEAFOOD TOUR

SAT 3 DEC  
10AM

Take a guided tour through the iconic Meat & Fish Hall and meet the Market's friendly fishmongers. Enjoy freshly shucked oysters, pickled octopus, tender sashimi, New Zealand cured salmon and much more.



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\$99 PER PERSON

## CRFT\*WRK

Sat 24 Sep & Sat 29 Oct

9am - 4pm

📍 D Shed

The historic meets the cutting edge at CRFT\*WRK, a celebration of contemporary, locally-made craft at Queen Vic Market. Curated by the team behind The Rose Street Artists' Market, experience a unique craft fair showcasing independent makers of art, ceramics, jewellery, embroidery, macrame, ethical textiles, homewares, artisan perfume, dog accessories and lots more.



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MARKET  
RENEWAL

## MAKING A GREAT MARKET EVEN BETTER

We are in the process of restoring and revitalising the Market for future generations to enjoy. The City of Melbourne's Renewal Program, along with other planned improvements and initiatives, will help secure the Market as one of Melbourne's most treasured destinations.

The revitalised market will feature restored heritage buildings and modern back-of-house facilities and will showcase the best fresh produce, specialty goods, local makers and much more.

A and B Sheds have now re-opened following extensive heritage restoration works, with fruit and vegetable traders back in their previous stalls. New services - including electricity, running water and waste management (coming soon) - have also been installed for traders.

Restoration works in E and F Sheds and works to install new services in C Shed are now underway, and the ongoing renovation of the Food Hall will see this exciting dining destination reopen soon.



More at [melbourne.vic.gov.au/qvmrenewal](https://melbourne.vic.gov.au/qvmrenewal)



[qvm.com.au/whats-on](https://qvm.com.au/whats-on)

## SPRING FAMILY FUN!



Tue 20 & Thu 22 Sep

Tue 27 & Thu 29 Sep

10am - 1pm

📍 D Shed

These school holidays, bring the kids along to the Market for free interactive workshops.

Get grubby at the Gardening-4-Kids workshops (20 & 22 Sep) where kids will plant organic sunflower seeds and dig for root veggies. Or join the foodie fun (27 & 29 Sep) and create tasty, colourful treats including edible bracelets and fruit flowers.

All workshops are free and bookings are not required. Just come ready to have fun!

## DISCOUNTED MARKET PARKING

Available after 9am on Market days in both the Open Air and Undercover Car Parks.

Find out how at  
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## GETTING HERE

A short walk from the City Centre, Queen Victoria Market is on the corner of Elizabeth & Victoria Streets, Melbourne.



-  **By bike:** There is free bike parking in and around the Market.
-  **By car:** 1,000+ car spaces across our undercover and open air car parks.
-  **By train:** Only a 7-minute walk from Melbourne Central and Flagstaff Stations.
-  **By tram:** Take routes 19, 57 or 59 to Stop 7 Elizabeth Street or route 58 to Stop 9 Peel Street.

## TRADING HOURS

Tuesday	6am - 3pm
Thursday	6am - 3pm
Friday	6am - 3pm
Saturday	6am - 4pm
Sunday	9am - 4pm

Specialty shopping opens at 9am

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## IN SEASON THIS SPRING



Asparagus

Look out for local asparagus with tight points in small bundles.



Citrus

Lemon, lime & grapefruit are bright & full of juice.



Broad Beans

Enjoy their fresh vibrant colour & nutty flavour.



Herbs

Parsley, coriander, chives & lemon sorrel are perfect for spring salads.



Lamb

Supply is plentiful & quality is at its best.



Globe Artichokes

Thick stemmed chokes have a delicate flavour.

Great deals on fresh produce and specialty goods from across the Market every Thursday!



See the weekly deals at [QVM.COM.AU/DIZZY-DEALS](http://QVM.COM.AU/DIZZY-DEALS)

or on  

# OPEN GRAND FINAL WEEKEND

Friday 23 September  
6am - 3pm

Saturday 24 September  
6am - 4pm

Sunday 25 September  
9am - 4pm



QUEEN VIC MARKET

# EUROPA NIGHT MARKET

WEDNESDAYS | 5PM-10PM

21 SEP - 26 OCT



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