

WELCOME TO BOWRAL TULIP TIME 2007

Bowral Tulip Time is Australia's premier flora event and the largest flagship event of the Southern Highlands. Tulip Time is one of Australia's oldest and most beautiful flora festivals that celebrate the sheer beauty of the region.

Each year Tulip Time supports various charities, this year Tulip Time is proudly supporting the **McGrath Foundation**, charity of Australian **cricketer Glenn McGrath and his wife Jane**. This year the theme for Tulip Time is "**Breast Cancer Awareness and the Spirit of Cricket**", due to the McGrath Foundations affinity with cricket and Bowral being the spiritual home of Cricket and the legendary Don Bradman.

Corbett Gardens the centerpiece of Tulip Time has over 100,000 tulips and 25,000 annuals on spectacular display. This year there will be 2 special theme gardens depicting this years theme; the McGrath Foundation theme garden and the Bradman theme garden not in paint but in masses of tulips. These theme gardens are magnificent to see and take over 12 months to plan.

Many exciting events are planned for this year's festival, such as a special charity cricket day "**Cricket from Dawn to Dusk**" at Bradman Oval raising money for the McGrath Foundation along with the **Tulip Time Food & Wine Festival, Tulip Time Specialist Garden Show** and the **Tulip Time Street Parade** for your enjoyment.

Whilst visiting Tulip Time, see some of Australia's most beautiful private gardens opened to the public during Tulip Time; often referred as the **garden capital** of Australia.

Margaret Olley, Australia's most prized still life painter has donated a specially commissioned painting to be auctioned on Friday 21st September at the **Tulip Time Gala Dinner** supporting the McGrath Foundation.

The aim of the McGrath Foundation is to raise funds to place breast care nurses in rural and regional Australia as well as educating young women to be "breast cancer aware". Whilst visiting Corbett Gardens, support the McGrath Foundation by buying pink tulips or an attractive pink cricket t-shirt specially designed for Tulip Time with proceeds going to the McGrath Foundation.

We thank our sponsors for their continued support, Landcom, Austral Bricks, Bowral Rotary Club, Bowral Lions Club and the many hundreds of volunteers from the local community that make Tulip Time Australia's premier flora event.

Once the playground for the rich and famous, come and see why? You will never want to leave...so close, yet a world away!

Enjoy a celebration of the Southern Highlands.

Debbie Bonett
Managing Director
Bowral Tulip Time Festival

Bowral Tulip Time is **Australia's premier event** and one of **Australia's oldest** (now in its 48th year) **and most beautiful flora festivals** attracting over 60,000 people into the Southern Highlands nationally and internationally each year. Visitors enjoy the spectacular tulip display in picturesque Corbett Gardens in the heart of Bowral, the centerpiece of Tulip Time and celebrate spring in the beautiful Southern Highlands. Some of **Australia's best and most beautiful private gardens are opened** for your enjoyment during Tulip Time. The garden owners of these magnificent private gardens give you the opportunity to meet them or the head gardeners with a **Talk and Tour** throughout their gardens, so you can create a garden just like theirs!

Bowral Tulip Time has always supported charities in its 48 year history, this year Tulip Time is supporting the **McGrath Foundation, charity of Australian cricketer Glenn McGrath and his wife Jane**. Each year Tulip Time has a theme, this year the theme is; "**Breast Cancer Awareness and the Spirit of Cricket**". Due to the McGrath's affinity with cricket and **Bowral being the spiritual home of cricket and the legendary Don Bradman**. There will be many exciting events centered on this theme including 2 spectacular "**theme gardens**" one of Bradman and the other of the McGrath Foundation logo not in paint but in masses of tulips. Support the McGrath Foundation at Tulip Time by buying a pink tulip or a quality pink cricket shirt specially designed for this year's festival with proceeds going to the McGrath Foundation. The McGrath Foundation will be fundraising in Corbett Gardens during the festival.

Don't forget to see the beautiful tulip display in Leighton Gardens at Moss Vale and Winifred West Garden at Mittagong while visiting Tulip Time.

Corbett Gardens comes alive with major events, lots of entertainment for all ages, stalls and children's activities set amongst masses of colourful tulips.

TULIP TIME -CORBETT GARDEN EVENTS:

Breakfast In The Park with the Today Show and Radio 2ST (Friday Sept. 21st 6.00AM TO 9.00AM). Come along to meet both **Glenn and Jane McGrath** with **Steve Jacobs** from the Today Show broadcasting live from Corbett Gardens whilst enjoying a free breakfast and entertainment for all.

Tulip Time Food and Wine Festival (Sat & Sun Sept.22nd & 23rd) Corbett Gardens will showcase award winning cool climate wines and delicious foods from the region. Taste and sample wonderful food and wine whilst strolling through masses of colorful tulips in Corbett Gardens.

Tulip Time Specialist Garden Show (Sat Sept.29TH to Mon Oct. 1st) One of the most popular events where specialist nurseries from around Australia and beautiful garden wares come together in Corbett Gardens.

OTHER MAJOR TULIP TIME EVENTS:

Private Gardens Australia's best and most beautiful private gardens are opened for your enjoyment throughout Tulip Time. Special **Garden Talks and Tours** (Sept. 24th to 28th) invites visitors to meet the very talented garden owners and head gardeners of these magnificent gardens who will talk about many interesting topics on gardening from the experts!

"Cricket from Dawn to Dusk" Bradman oval (Sat 22nd Sept). A charity cricket day for the McGrath Foundation will be lots of fun whilst supporting a good cause at Bradman Oval. Cricket clubs will play from dawn to dusk with special guest; **Lisa Sthalekar Captain, NSW Australian Cricket Team and Vice Captain, Australian Women's Cricket Team**. Special high quality pink cricket shirts will be sold throughout the festival raising funds for the McGrath Foundation which will be a great memento and very fashionable to wear.

Tulip Time Street Parade (Sat 22nd Sept.- 1.00pm) One of Australia's oldest and vibrant street parades. with marching girls, brass bands, dancers, vintage cars, performers and much more with a flavour of the good country life. Bong Bong St, Bowral Come along and cheer the **Sydney Cycling Club** riding from Sydney to Bowral for the McGrath Foundation, who will be part of the street parade.

Tulip Time Gala Dinner in conjunction with the McGrath Foundation (Frid Sept 21st) Mittagong RSL Club. **Join the McGrath Foundation**, special guest speaker **Alan Jones** AO, and the local community of Bowral to celebrate the opening of Tulip Time 2007. The night will be jammed packed with fabulous entertainment and highly sought after auction items. This will be a fundraising night for the McGrath Foundation with a major piece of artwork donated by **Margaret Olley**. The art work was commissioned by Margaret Olley Australia's most prized still life painter. The painting will be of **tulips**, which will certainly be the serious art collectors dream to own.

Throughout Tulip Time the Mittagong RSL Club are donating \$2.00 to the McGrath Foundation for every old bra delivered to the club for the bra barrel, so show your support and bring in those old bras who are like a good friend "always there to support you". Bookings phone: Mittagong RSL Club- tickets only \$65.00pp -02 4872 6700

Garden and Art Studio Trail. (Sat Sept. 29th to Mon Oct. 1st). A shuttle bus leaves Corbett Gardens visiting the beautiful private gardens .Over the long weekend the shuttle bus will take you to many art **studios** opened on this weekend conducting special workshops throughout the Southern Highlands.

Tulip Time Bulb Dig Up (Sat Nov. 10th. 8.00am to 11.00am). Bring your gum boots and shovel and buy show quality bulbs for just \$15.00 per bag.

BOWRAL TULIP TIME OPEN PRIVATE GARDENS:

(photo of garden owners)

The beautiful private gardens which are some of the best and most beautiful in Australia are opened during Tulip Time for your enjoyment. For the serious gardener, the **owners and head gardeners** of these magnificent gardens **invite you personally** to meet them to tour their gardens with a special “**Talk and Tour**” on specific dates (24th Sept. to 28th Sept.) throughout Tulip Time.

Red Cow Farm: A beautiful formal and informal 6 acre garden consisting of 20 garden rooms surrounded by rolling green hills.

Open daily: 10.00am to 4.00pm Cost: \$6.00pp Coaches by appointment
Illawarra Hwy, Sutton Forest. Ph: 02 4868 1842

Garden Talk and Tour: Monday 24th September 11.30am

“How to Design Your Garden”.

Chinoiserie Peony Garden: A colourful collector’s garden consisting of beautiful Chinese, Japanese, European and American tree peonies.

Open daily: 10.00am to 4.00pm Cost: \$5.00pp Coaches by appointment
23 Webb St, Mittagong. Ph: 02 4872 3003

Garden Talk and Tour: Tuesday 25th September 11.30am

“How to grow and Care for Peonies”

Greenbrier Park: National champion garden and winery. The garden incorporates English style design with Australian native shrubs and trees.

Open daily 10.00am to 4.00pm Cost \$5.00pp Coaches by appointment.
Old South Rd, Mittagong. Ph: 9974 4344

Garden Talk and Tour: Wednesday 26th September 11.30am

“Establishing a New Garden” wine tasting available.

Back O’ the Moon: A 3 acre garden surrounded by opened fields, large pines, flowering cherries, dogwoods and formal rose garden.

Open daily 10.00am to 4.00pm Cost: \$5.00pp Coaches by appointment
Illawarra Hwy (towards Robertson) Moss Vale Ph: 02 4868 2046

Garden Talk and Tour: Thursday 27th September 11.30am

“Discussing Unusual Plants and the Layout of the Garden”

Moidart: Exquisite 2 ha mature garden, c1930 with exotic specimen trees-beach, oaks, sequoia and crabapples and renowned sunken rose garden.

Open daily 10.00am to 4.00pm Cost \$6.00pp Coaches by appointment
Eridge Park Rd, Burradoo. Ph: 02 4861 2600

Milton Park: Creation of Anthony and Mary Hordern. Typically Edwardian, formal geometric beds, garden rooms leading to beautiful vistas.

Open daily 10.00am to 4.00pm Cost: \$7.00pp seniors \$5.00pp all proceeds go to Bowral and District Hospital Auxiliary.

Hordern Rd, Bowral Ph: 02 4861 1522

Robertson Heritage Railway Waratah Gardens: Set in historic railway precinct you will see masses of different varieties of waratah's in full bloom. Peak season October. Waratah plants will be for sale. Open October 2nd to October 6th with tour guide. 10.00am to 3.00pm daily
Cost \$5.00pp
Yarranga St, Robertson Ph:02 4885 1394

Leighton Gardens: Spectacular display of tulips set amongst historic trees in the heart of Moss Vale.
Open daily - free entry
Argyle St, Moss Vale

Winifred West Park: picturesque Park with masses of colourful tulips in the heart of Mittagong.
Open daily- free entry
Main St, Mittagong

Harper's Mansion Early Australian Georgian house and restored cool climate garden with a large maze garden overlooking the historic Village of Berrima
Open every weekends 10.30am to 4.00pm . Opened 2nd Oct. to 5th Oct.
Cost: Adults \$7.00pp Senior \$6.00pp Child \$3.00pp Family \$15.00
Wilkinson St, Berrima Ph: 02 4877 1508

TIME AND COSTS

Date: September 20th to October 3rd 2007
Opening times: Daily 9.00am to 4.00pm
Admission: \$8.00pp Adults
\$5.00pp Con/Senior card holders
\$5.00pp children 13 to 178
Children under 12 free

Group Bookings: \$4.50pp for 20 or more
Shuttle Bus: \$4.00 donation appreciated leaves every hour from
Corbett Gardens, visiting the private gardens, Bradman Museum of Cricket.

Special Tulip Time Packages:

Includes: shuttle bus, entry to Corbett Gardens plus two private gardens.
Bradman Museum of Cricket- \$8.50pp - \$6.00pp groups 15 or more - \$7.00pp
conc. Holders.

Package 1: \$18.00pp group bookings (20 or more)

Package 2: \$20.00pp

All prices include GST

SHUTTLE BUS

Relax and enjoy the "Garden Trail" visiting magnificent private gardens, the
Bradman Museum of Cricket special exhibition and the Art Studio Trail over
the long weekend.

Wheelchairs are available for hire in Corbett Gardens.

For information and accommodation contact Tourism Southern Highlands
1300 657 559 or visit: www.tuliptime.net.au

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