



Southbound Festival



Busselton Beach Festival



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2010 Geographe Bay Event Calender

JANUARY

Southbound

Western Australia's internationally renowned music, camping and arts festival.

Festival of Busselton

Busselton's longest running and much loved community festival.

Busselton Beach Festival

A jam-packed program of music, dance, art as well as the hotly contested Battle of the Bands.

Yallingup Surf Film Festival

This festival of surf culture hosts inspiring films, live music and international art exhibits.

State Series Beach Volleyball

Catch all the excitement of the finest beach volleyball action WA has to offer.

FEBRUARY

Busselton Jetty Swim

The premier 3.6km ocean swim around the iconic Busselton Jetty is an internationally recognised event with over 1000 competitors.

Geographe Bay Race Week

Experience the excitement of Western Australia's largest yatching regatta.

Leeuwin Concert

Michael McDonald, a five-time Grammy-winner and hit maker Boz Scaggs, join forces for the 26th annual Leeuwin Concert.

MARCH

Sony Tropfest Outdoor Film Screening

Watch the screening of the world's largest film festival under the amazing South West stars.

Blewater Classic

Busselton's annual game fishing competition.

Margaret River Pro

Surfers from over 24 countries compete for valuable ratings points in the surfing world's number one qualifying series event.

APRIL

Quit Forest Rally

Australia's leading rally car drivers race from Busselton to Nannup.

Margaret River Wine Region Festival

Five days of the region's best food, wine and art.

MAY

Busselton Festival of Triathlon – Half Ironman

In preparation for December's full Ironman, competitors complete a 1.9km swim, 90.1km bike and 21.1km run.

JUNE

Whales in Augusta

Southern Right and Humpback whales make their first appearance for the season off the coast of Augusta between June and August.



Forest Rally



Geographe Bay Race Week



Busselton Jetty Swim



Busselton Ironman

Capel Descent

15km part down river, part open ocean paddle.

AUGUST

Capes Long Lunch

Your chance to uncover the food and wine 'treasures' of the area.

Cinefest Oz

The French Australian film festival is five days of great films, fantastic food and a chance to rub shoulders with the stars.

SEPTEMBER

Whales in Geographe Bay

Humpback whale cows and calves can be seen frolicking in the waters of Geographe Bay from September until November.

Wildflowers in Bloom

Wildflowers can be seen throughout the region from September until November.

Busselton Wildflower Exhibition

Busselton Uniting Church brings the outdoors indoors with its wildflower exhibition.

Bard on the Bay

Enjoy live theatre with a comedic twist on Shakespeare's classics.

OCTOBER

Cape to Cape MTB

A challenging four day mountain bike race from Cape Leeuwin to Cape Naturaliste.

NOVEMBER

Busselton Agricultural Show

Everything you want from an agricultural show including ring events, sideshow alley, fireworks and a grand parade.

Burning of the Vine Cuttings

Bring the family along and join in the annual burning of the vine cuttings at Leeuwin Estate. A large bonfire lights up the night sky while local bands get everyone dancing.

King of the Cape

Get amongst the action as skilful ocean paddlers take on the formidable Cape Naturaliste coastline.

Anaconda Adventure Race

The ultimate adventure race! See the spectacle as over 600 competitors participate in a 13.5km coastal run, 1.9km ocean swim, 13km ocean paddle and 28km mountain bike race.

Geo Bay Swim

Come and join in the fun of this 20 kilometre open ocean swimming race held in the pristine waters of Geographe Bay, finishing at the iconic Busselton Jetty.

DECEMBER

Ironman Western Australia Triathlon

Over 1300 competitors from around the world compete in a 3.8km swim, 180km bike ride and 42.2km run in a bid to qualify for the Ironman World Championship in Hawaii.

For more up to the minute information on events in the region visit www.geographebay.com

Information correct at the time of printing.