



DARK SKY AWAKENS FESTIVAL PROGRAM

ARRIVE ON FRIDAY EVENING, 8TH MAY 2020 TO EXPERIENCE THE FULL RANGE OF ACTIVITIES & EVENTS OF THE FESTIVAL

Laser Tag : The battle between the dark-side or the light-side!

Laser Tag will operate Friday & Saturday. You have the opportunity to live out your favourite sci-fi heroes by engaging with the 'enemy' using laser guns. Each session will take 60 mins including three 15 min games and a 15 min set up/instruction time.

Friday :- start at 4:00pm with 4 sessions in total every 90 mins and finishing at 9:30pm.
(4:00; 5:30; 7:00; 8:30)

Saturday :- start 9am with 9 sessions in total every 90 mins and finishing at 10:00pm.
(9:00; 10:30; 12:00; 1:30pm; 3:00; 4:30; 6:00; *7:30; 9:00)

Age :- from Grade 5's up (it's a fantastic family game)

Cost/person for 60 min session :- Grade 5,6 students - \$10; Highschool students & adults - \$15

Venue :- Coonabarabran Highschool Hall

Trivia Night : The Dark Sky Awakens festival begins with Star Wars trivia. Get your teams together for a fun night of trivia covering all the eras of Star Wars, from 1970s to brain-teasers to present day insider trivia from the set of The Rise of Skywalker. Light snacks will be provided and the Bowling Club is a fully licenced venue where under 18s can attend with parental guidance.

Cost: \$15 per head or \$120 per table **Time**: 8 May 2020, 7.00pm for a 7.30pm start

Venue: Bowling Club

Intergalactic Goose Chase : Grab your team of 4 and register for the Dark Sky Awakens Festival Goose Chase running over all 3 days of the 2020 Festival.

Using the Goose Chase App on your mobile phone your team can access and complete a range of missions - involving taking photos and/or videos, entering text or GPS coordinates of various locations, events and challenges.

As you submit your mission entries you will see your team's results against other teams.

Prizes will be awarded at various stages of the Festival with extra missions being released each day. A great way to really get the most out of the Festival and all that Coonabarabran has to offer!

Cost : \$55 per team

SATURDAY DAY PROGRAM

Lego building competition : We want to see the best Rebel Alliance adventures and the best Imperial set pieces. Show us your X-Wings and Tie Fighters, your Rebel heroes and your Imperial villains. There will be prizes to be had for the best creations, young and old! Coonabarabran Library will host this event from 9am to midday on Saturday. There are several cafes nearby for all your breakfast and morning tea needs and plenty more to do on the main street of Coonabarabran on this action packed Saturday morning!

Time : 9am - 12 midday; **Venue**: Coonabarabran Library **Cost**: Gold coin donation



Jedi Meditation : 'The basics of Jedi meditation were to focus on whatever emotions were uppermost in one's mind, to be honest with oneself about the feelings one experienced and their effects. Then, one was to let each emotion go—the goal being to make of oneself an empty vessel that the Force would be able to fill.'.... **Cost** \$10, **Venue** TBA
Time from 10am 30min sessions



Sons of Obiwan Saber Academy : If you've ever wanted to be a Jedi, Sith or Sword Master this is your chance! Sons of Obiwan will have you swinging a saber like Yoda himself in no time. Sons of Obiwan will make a guest appearance at the Trivia Night on Friday & follow up with saber lessons on Saturday - suitable for all ages, fitness levels & abilities. NDIS accredited.

Price : \$15/ session **Venue** : Sport & Recreation Centre
Time : 6 x 30 minute sessions commencing at 10am: 11am: 12md: 1pm: 2pm: 3pm

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Science of Star Wars : The technologies of tomorrow were on full display back in 1977 as Luke, Leia, Han and the Rebel Alliance fought Darth Vader's Galactic Empire. Some of those Technologies have become realities today. Come along and learn first-hand from Coonabarabran's own Donna the Astronomer. Be entertained as we take a light hearted look at the last 38 years of the Star Wars Universe

2pm - 3pm Saturday and Sunday at Feathers Café, Cassilis Street, Coonabarabran.
\$5 per person. Refreshments may be purchased from Feathers Café.

FEATURE EVENT SATURDAY NIGHT

INTERGALACTIC BALL

Siths, Droids, Nightsisters, Storm troopers, Jedi, Princesses & even the odd Wookiee will be transporting in from galaxies far, far away to join the Dark Sky Awakens crew for an Intergalactic Ball celebrating all things Star Wars!

Dress up in your favourite Intergalactic outfit, enter an alternative universe & join us as Coonabarabran Town Hall is Empire Central Saturday 9th May 2020

And who better than the Starman himself to entertain you? Jeff Duff & his band **Bowie Unzipped** will bring the universe to life & a little bit of outer space to Coonabarabran.

COST: \$110 per head ticket includes all food & entertainment.

TIME: From 7pm to 12 Midnight

VENUE: Coonabarabran Town Hall

Childcare : We will host a night of fun for the kids right next door to the Ball Venue!

Cost: \$30 per child which includes all snacks, drinks & activities

Time: 9 May 2020, 6pm to 12pm

Venue: Flix in the Stix Community Hall, John Street Coonabarabran



SUNDAY BREAKFAST :

Enjoy an easy casual BBQ breakfast & coffee by the river in Neilson Park with our own Orbital Swing Band. Watch the Mothers Day Classic Fun Run (or even take part but you need to register separately either online or on the day for this event)

OR

Choose to breakfast in one of our local cafes before heading home or exploring more of our beautiful Warrumbungle region.

Check us out on <http://Darkskyawakensfestival.com.au>; or our Facebook page.

Event ticketing is being handled by 123Tix.com.au

More activities will be added soon!

