



2020 STREAMED EVENTS PROGRAM

FRIDAY 1 MAY - SUNDAY 3 MAY



Join us for the special, stay-at-home 2020 Bathurst Writers' and Readers' Festival.

We'll be streaming all of the following events on our facebook at www.facebook.com/BMECBathurst If you don't have facebook, get in touch and we can send you a zoom link or find alternate access for you.

There will be chances for engagement and questions in LIVE streams, and you can also get involved on our instagram and facebook by using the hashtag **#bathurstreaders** and tagging us on insta **@bmec_bx**

FRIDAY 1st May

5:50pm	2020 FESTIVAL OPENING Introduction from organisers. Welcome to Country. Opening Address, Councillor Monica Morse.	Live
6pm - 7:30pm	BOOKS YOU MIGHT HAVE MISSED Jen Barry and Cade Turner-Mann chat through some of their favourite titles of the year.	Premiere

SATURDAY 2nd May

10am - 11am	STORYTIME WITH BATHURST LIBRARY The lovely staff from Bathurst Library are treating us to a special storytime	Premiere
11am - 12pm	LIFE AT HOME: BATHURST Director of Bathurst Multicultural Storytelling Festival Jock Cheetham hosts a workshop/forum.	Live
2pm - 2:30pm	POETRY PICKINGS Tune in to catch Bathurst Poets reading original works.	Premiere
6pm - 7pm	CREATIVE CONVERSATION Local performer Kate Smith talks to local author Tracy Sorenson about her creative process.	Live
7:30pm - 8pm	IN BREATH + CREATIVE CONVERSATION Local artist Alice Blackwood presents an excerpt of <i>In Breath</i> , followed by a conversation with Kate Smith.	Live

SUNDAY 3rd May

11am - 12:30 pm	GREAT FESTIVAL READ Join our panel as they discuss <i>The Yield</i> by Tara June Winch.	Premiere
12:45pm-1pm	CREATIVE CONVERSATION Tara June Winch chats about her novel <i>The Yield</i> via pre-recorded video from France.	Premiere
1:30pm - 2:30pm	PLAY READINGS Local playwriting group Live Words present their recent projects.	Live
2:40pm - 3pm	WRAP UP AND FEEDBACK Kylie, Jen and Heidi look back on the festival and invite you to add your highlights.	Live



The Yield by Tara June Winch

The Great Festival Read, Sun 11am.

Readers and book groups are invited to read the book and then join The 'Great Festival Read' session on Sunday to hear a panel discussion followed by author Tara June Winch discussing her work via video.

Copies available from Books Plus