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Ōtepoti Dunedin
**HERITAGE
FESTIVAL**
October 2024

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Port Chalmers, December 1874. De Maus
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PRECIOUS CARGO

SOUTHERN HERITAGE TRUST



The Southern Heritage Trust is the only registered charitable trust devoted to Otago's social, cultural, architectural and industrial heritage. We provide advocacy for threatened heritage structures, and run successful events, tours and talks for like-minded people who appreciate all our wonderful heritage.

Otago, and in particular Dunedin, has more heritage structures still standing than any other region in New Zealand, so it makes sense that there is an outlet for all those who share our passion.

The Trust has a strong membership and programme of heritage events, both for public and exclusively for Trust members, including the Ōtepoti Dunedin Heritage Festival which we co-run every two years.

PORT OTAGO: 150 YEARS



Port Chalmers is the birthplace of New Zealand's modern export trade. It was here, in February 1882, that New Zealand's first cargo of frozen meat left for London in the refrigerated ship Dunedin.

To this day, Port Otago Limited and Port Chalmers remain at the forefront of New Zealand's export trade.

The port turns 150 years old this year. What better way to celebrate than with our kaimahi and neighbours - the very people that we work alongside every day of the year.

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PORT OTAGO OPEN DAY

LABOUR DAY: 10am - 3pm

More info and tickets at www.portotago.co.nz

THROUGHOUT THE FESTIVAL

DOCUMENTING OUR HERITAGE
PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION SHOWCASE
3 - 28 OCTOBER FREE
Dunedin City Library, Ground floor

ACROSS THE OCEAN WAVES - REPLICA
MIGRANT SHIP CABIN
DAILY THROUGHOUT OCTOBER FREE
Toitū

ROPES AHOY! - ROPE TYING
DAILY THROUGHOUT OCTOBER FREE
Toitū, Josephine Foyer

I SPY - ŌTEPOTI HERITAGE GALLERY
TRAIL
DAILY THROUGHOUT OCTOBER FREE
Toitū

LARNACH CASTLE
9AM-5PM MONDAY - SUNDAY \$45/\$22

OLVESTON HISTORIC HOME
9AM-5PM MONDAY - SUNDAY \$25

RITA ANGUS EXHIBITION
12 OCTOBER ONWARDS FREE
10AM-5PM TUESDAY-SATURDAY
Hocken Collections

HOCKEN: BEHIND THE SCENES TOUR
11AM THURSDAYS FREE

PORT CHALMERS MARITIME MUSEUM
19 OCTOBER ONWARDS \$TBC
10AM-3PM WEEKDAYS
1-4PM WEEKENDS/PUBLIC
HOLIDAYS

THE WIND BETWEEN THE PAGES
9.30AM-8PM WEEKDAYS FREE
11AM-4PM WEEKENDS

Dunedin City Library, 3rd floor
An exhibition of 3D drawing by illustrator David Elliot, using some of his favourite books.

TODAY IS TOMORROW'S HISTORY
12 OCTOBER ONWARDS FREE
11AM-4PM: WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY
The Flying Whale - Ray White gallery
An exhibition of recent work by Jo St Baker.

PENGUIN PALS UNITE!
5 OCTOBER ONWARDS FREE
11AM-4PM: WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY
The Flying Whale

Celebrate the hoiho! An exhibition of penguin-themed drawings and other work by David Elliot, in conjunction with Dunedin Wildlife Hospital.

Thanks to our sponsors:



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A Moment in Time: Geology through history
The Otago Gem and Mineral Club Hall **FREE**
2 & 9 OCTOBER: 1-2PM, 2-3PM, 3-4PM
Celebrate our history and heritage through geology.

Dunedin Businesses, Restaurants, Movie Theatres, and General Entertainment
Dunningham Suite, Dunedin City Library **\$3**
2 OCTOBER: 7-8PM
A presentation by the Dunedin Society of Genealogists, including an in-depth look at Briscoes and John Edmond and their premises.

Kite Decorating Workshop
Port Chalmers Library **FREE**
2-4 OCTOBER: 2-4PM
Some school holiday fun for little and big kids alike. Decorate a kite and then go fly it on Quarantine Island.

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Rope/Walk
The old ropewalk building, South Dunedin **FREE**
3 & 6 OCTOBER: 10-11.30AM, 1-2.30PM
Learn how to hand-twine with artist Kari Morseth and contribute to the community creation of a 300 metre rope! All welcome.

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Kite Day on Quarantine Island
Quarantine Island Kamau Taurua **\$25/\$10**
5 & 6 OCTOBER: 10AM, 12:15PM
Bring your kites and picnic lunch. Bookings through Port To Port Cruises.

The Vintage Roundup
Port Chalmers Town Hall
5 OCTOBER: 11AM-3PM

Gasworks Fashion-themed Market
Gasworks Museum
5 OCTOBER: 5-9PM

Haunted Heritage: The Dunedin Ghost Tour
Hair Raiser HQ **\$55/\$35**
5 OCTOBER: 9PM
New Zealand's original and authentic supernatural adventure.

Heritage Homes Open Day
6 OCTOBER: 11AM - 4PM **\$55**
Visit a selection of historic homes plus other interesting buildings, in Port Chalmers and Dunedin City.

Rope/Walk
The old ropewalk building, South Dunedin **FREE**
3 & 6 OCTOBER: 10-11.30AM, 1-2.30PM

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Combined Clans Information Table
Dunedin City Library **FREE**
8,10,11,15,17,18 OCTOBER: 10AM-2PM
Find your clan! Let our volunteers help you connect with your Scottish heritage.

The Extraordinary World of the Violin
12 Royal Terrace **\$35**
8 OCTOBER: 7PM
Enjoy a fabulous house concert at a heritage-listed home with jazz quartet Douce Ambience featuring violinist Cathy Irons.

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The Ryman Healthcare Heritage Bytes Evening
Otago Art Society, Dunedin Railway Station **\$20**
11 OCTOBER: 6:30PM
An evening of stimulating speakers and an opportunity to view the amazing Ryman Healthcare Art Exhibition.

Haunted Heritage: The Northern Cemetery Tour
Northern Cemetery gates, Lovelock Ave **\$55/\$35**
11 OCTOBER: 9:30PM
Discover hidden secrets and unravel the mysteries of grave robbers and peculiar rituals.

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NZ Bookshop Day
Pictura Children's Book Shop
12 OCTOBER: 10AM-4PM
Badge-making, a book character hunt, colouring competition, special offers and treats!

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Shoreline Walk
Corner of Water and Princes Streets **\$10**
13 OCTOBER: 2PM
Trace Dunedin's shoreline as it was in 1865 when Dunedin officially became a city.

Haunted Heritage: The Ghost Garden Tour
Northern Cemetery gates, Lovelock Ave **\$55/\$35**
13 OCTOBER: 7PM
Embark on an enchanting and spine-tingling, botanical exploration through Dunedin's Northern Cemetery.

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Tour of Rita Angus Exhibition
Hocken Collections **FREE**
16 OCTOBER: 1PM & 18 OCTOBER: 2PM
Join curators of Rita Angus: new Zealand Modernist for a guided tour of this marvellous exhibition, followed by a cuppa in the research lounge.

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Light and Reflections: The house and art in our lives
Hocken Collections **FREE**
19 OCTOBER: 2PM
Wellington-based writer Helen Beaglehole talks about her latest book Light and Reflections.

The Hunting of the Snark
Port Chalmers Library **FREE**
19 OCTOBER: 1PM
A dramatic reading of Lewis Carroll's iconic poem, accompanied by live music from The Rare Byrds.

Maritime Museum Reopening
Port Chalmers Maritime Museum **TBA**
19 OCTOBER: 12:30PM

Movie Screening & Mulled Wine: Metropolis
Dunedin Gasworks Museum **\$21+BF**
19 & 20 OCTOBER: 7:30PM
Special screenings of the pioneering 1927 sci-fi film.

Haunted Heritage: Ghost at the Old Gaol
Cargill's Monument, The Exchange **\$55/\$35**
19 OCTOBER: 9PM
Do you have what it takes to visit Dunedin's Old Gaol after dark?

Incredible Hulks Tour - Walking on the Bones
Port Chalmers Maritime Museum **\$57+BF**
19 OCTOBER: 11:30AM & 26 OCTOBER: 5:30PM
Historian and blogger Gregor Campbell shares the stories of ships which once sailed the world but now lie beside the harbour shore.

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Lindy Hop Taster Dance Class with Swing Riot
Toitū **FREE**
20 OCTOBER: 2:30-4PM
Enjoy the incredible music of the big band era with this fun African-American partnered dance.

Dunedin Tweed Ride
Dunedin Railway Station **\$5**
20 OCTOBER: 10AM
Don your finest tweeds or best spring frock and join us for our annual ride around Dunedin.

Haunted Heritage: The Southern Cemetery Tour
Southern Cemetery gates **\$55/\$35**
20 OCTOBER: 9:30PM
Follow your mysterious cloaked guide as you wander the hidden corners of the Southern Cemetery.

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Talks After Five
Community Gallery **FREE**
21-24 OCTOBER: 5:30PM
A lively and diverse series of heritage-themed presentations on topics.

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Murder and Woe Tour
Dunedin Railway Station **\$57+BF**
25 OCTOBER: 5:30PM
A tour of Dunedin's historic murders, and the remains of three convicted murderers.

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Otago Vintage Machinery Museum Open Day
Outram Historical Park **TBC**
26 OCTOBER: 11AM-4PM

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Port Chalmers Maritime Museum **\$57+BF**
19 OCTOBER: 11:30AM & 26 OCTOBER: 5:30PM

Port Chalmers Cemetery Tour
New Port Chalmers Cemetery **\$57+BF**
26 OCTOBER: 3PM
Tales of exploration, heroism, murder and disaster are revealed in a one hour tour of the cemetery.

Haunted Heritage: The Sea Ghost Tour
Port Chalmers Library **\$55/\$35**
27 OCTOBER: 9PM
Join the Hair Raiser on a spooky adventure through the streets and graveyards of our haunted seaport town.

Repair Station South D
Old Veggie Boys Store, 278 Great King St **FREE**
27 OCTOBER: 11AM-3PM
Bring your broken appliances, clothes in need of repair, old tech, and more to this pop-up Repair Station for some expert help! No bookings needed.

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Port Otago Open Day
Port Otago **\$5**
28 OCTOBER: 10AM-3PM
Celebrate the 150th birthday of the port with a rare chance to go behind the scenes!

Happy Birthday Josephine!
Toitū **FREE**
28 OCTOBER: 10AM-2PM
Enjoy Josephine themed crafts and old-fashioned games throughout the day.

Haunted Heritage Exhibition
Hair Raiser HQ **FREE**
28 OCTOBER: 2PM
Jack the Clicker exhibition



Get tickets here

Events that occur across multiple days are marked with a gold band.

Many events require booking; please check the Festival website for details
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