CORAKI

Mid Richmond Historical Society Museum

The museum features Shire Boards, early photographs of the four villages and World War I and II Honour Boards from around the district. Other rooms in the museum house wartime memorabilia, kitchen and laundry items, family photos and many other items of interest. The machinery shed contains a collection of horse drawn implements and other equipment from earlier times.
Entry: $3 per person, $5 per family
Opening hours: Wednesday, 10am-3pm, Saturday, 1pm-4pm
Contact: 02 6683 2838
Location:16 Adam Street, Coraki

Joanna Burgler's Waterlines Gallery

Joanna Burgler is an award winning artist who works in the picturesque town of Coraki in the Richmond Valley.
The Waterlines Gallery, on the banks of the Richmond River, is open to the public and acts as a studio, retail gallery outlet for her own work, as well as a classroom for aspiring artists of all ages and abilities.
Contact: 02 66832913
Location: 103 Richmond Terrace, Coraki

EVANS HEAD

Evans Head Living Museum

The collection focuses on seven major themes: World War II including the State Heritage Listed Evans Head Memorial Aerodrome, Aboriginal History and Culture, the Natural Environment, Agriculture, Fishing, Sport and Mining.

Opening hours: Wednesday - Saturday, 10am-1pm

Contact: 02 6682 6410

Location: 15 Kirkland Court, Evans Head

Evans Head Heritage Aviation Museum

The Evans Head Heritage Aviation Museum offers visitors numerous heritage displays and hands-on experiences of our local military and aviation history.

Explore the military history through the Canberra Bomber, the Russian Mig15 fighter and many other exhibits including the WWII Link Trainer and the fully instrumented cockpit of the original B2 Canberra Bomber. The Arvo Anson MG422 is the most complete example in Australia of an aircraft used by the RAAF during WWII.

Opening hours: Tuesday, 9am-12 noon

Saturday & Sunday, 10am-4pm

Cost: $7.50pp or $20 family

Contact: 02 6682 6756

Location: 61 Memorial Airport Drive, Evans Head

NEW ITALY

New Italy Museum

The mud brick museum, Italian Pavilion, Casa Vecchia Gift Shop (replica of Antoniolli's mud house) and Café were built during the 1980s and 1990s by dedicated volunteers who wished to preserve the memory of pioneering Italian families.

Opening hours: 8am - 4pm, 7 days

Contact: 0484 267 632

Location: Pacific Highway, 15 km south of Woodburn

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Public Art & Historical Walks

Public art in the Richmond Valley has developed the ‘blank spaces’ around the region and transformed them into creative places. Casino’s public art features historical themes significant to the Richmond Valley, and highlight significant and iconic landscapes and structures.

Casino is rich in history, this heritage is preserved by the museums in the region and the historical signage located throughout Casino area.

Casino Miniature Rail and Museum

Take a trip on a miniature steam or diesel locomotive, skirting the golf course, winding through the Geneebeinga Wetlands.

The ex-SRA station has been developed into a railway museum containing memorabilia from signals to tools to literature. Here passengers can disembark and catch a glimpse of the days of Casino’s railroading past.

Cost: $7 per person, $5 under 14 years

Opening hours: Sunday, 10am – 4pm

Public holiday weekends. Daily throughout Casino Beef Week.

Location: Corner West Street and Queensland Road, Casino

Contact: 0455 673 722

Cassino Gallery

Located at the river end of Barker Street, the Cassino Gallery houses a range of art, photography, craft and artisan wares, showcasing ever-changing exhibitions and other souvenir and collector items.

Additionally, the gallery offers a range of artisitc workshops, events and student group classes thorughout the year.

Explore and appreciate this treasure that will inspire and surprise.

Location: 148 Barker Street, Casino

Opening Hours: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 10am – 3pm.

Contact: 0435 111 463

Casino Historical Museum

Casino Historical Museum, operated by Casino and District Historical Society, is custodian of a diverse and fascinating collection of objects that hark back to the early days of Casino and surrounding districts.

The museum is evidence of the people, events and stories that have made the town of Casino so unique. With significant items ranging from early photographs of the indigenous Australian people of Dyraaba, to personal items consisting of a beaver hat and leather case that once belonged to Henry Barnes, overseer of Casino and later Dyraaba Station.

Cost: $5 per adult. Children and students FREE

Opening hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10am to 2pm

Location: 31B Walker Street, Casino

Contact: 0437 005 838

Northern Rivers Military Museum

The Northern Rivers Military Museum is located at the Casino Drill Hall and aims to educate residents and visitors alike on local involvement in all world wars and conflicts. The museum is designed to accurately express the region’s military history, as well as share the victories, tragedies and sacrifices of those who served their country and acknowledge the families of the veterans, and embraces the community’s enrichment from the cultural and educational diversity people brought to the region during their service and, in many cases, brought back when they returned.

Location: Cnr Centre Street and Stapleton Avenue, Casino

Opening hours: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9am-3pm

Contact: 0428623543