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IN OTHER NEWS

FREE GUIDED TOURS: local stories on a global scale

The Migration Museum is full of stories of courage and humanity. Visit us these holidays for a tour of our fascinating site and discover how and why people have come to South Australia from around the world. **FREE** 45 minute guided tour discovering hidden treasures at the Migration Museum, 82 Kintore Avenue, behind the State Library. Sundays at 3pm - No bookings necessary. [Read more.](#)

PASSENGERS IN HISTORY

A TICKET TO PARADISE?

Explore the rich diversity and experiences of post-World War II migrants, and look at promotional campaigns presenting a utopian view of Australia as a welcoming country full of opportunity. This travelling exhibition from the National Archives of Australia draws out the complex and evolving contribution of migrants to Australian society.



Presented by National Archives of Australia, Department of Immigration and Border Protection and Ministry for the Arts.

Exhibition closes Sunday, 31 July 2016

Image: Brian Jonmundsson and his wife Visitacion arrive in Sydney, 1963. NAA: A12111, 1/1963/4/41

LOSING THE PLOT: food gardening in South Australia



This exhibition explores food growing across time and across South Australia, including Aboriginal food production, school and community gardens, the home garden and market gardens. Our cultural diversity is key to the 'who' and 'what' of food gardening, and the 'where' and 'why' are changing with urban sprawl and climate change. Come along and discover the stories behind the food on our plates.

Exhibition closes 30 June 2016

Image: Students in the school garden, Rowland Flat, 1945, History SA GN 08962

Passengers in History brings together two wonderful resources: a passengers data base developed by the SA Maritime Museum and a list of ships' logs and diaries, the *Log of Logs*.

Settlement Square

Honour the arrival of your parents or relatives to SA by placing a paver in the Migration Museum Settlement Square. The 2016 closing dates for pavers: 5 August and 4 November.

FORUM GALLERY: Russians in South Australia

Featuring all kinds of exquisite objects, such as samovars, matryoshka dolls, balalaikas, traditional dress and more, this exhibition in the Forum Gallery explores the history of Russian migration to South Australia, and highlights the contribution this community has made.



Exhibition closes 3 June 2016

Image courtesy Russian community in SA

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS: P is for Puppet



FREE DROP-IN ACTIVITY
FOR KIDS

Create your own puppet from found and recycled materials to take home. Discover the history of legendary puppet characters from around the world such as Punch, Pulcinella and Petrushka. Perform your own puppet show in our special pop-up puppet theatre. Learn about

the composer Stravinsky and his ground-breaking musical composition that tells the tale of the puppet Petrushka and explore the Russian Community exhibition on display in the Museum's Forum Gallery.

A proud collaboration between the Migration Museum and the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra.

Saturday 16 April to Sunday 1 May, Weekdays and Public Holidays
10am-5pm and Weekends 1pm-5pm

Image courtesy of Aimee Ray via Flickr Photo Sharing

In addition to the drop-in activity there will be 2 finger puppet workshops on Saturday 23 and Saturday 30 April from 1:30-3:30pm. This link provides the relevant information: [Finger Puppet Fun workshop](#)

Bookings are not essential, but please let us know if you plan to come by registering at: <https://fingerpuppetfun@eventbrite.com.au>

URBAN FORAGING WORKSHOP

Sunday 1 May 2-4pm, meet at the Migration Museum 10 minutes before the workshop

Celebrate International Permaculture Day by joining us for an urban

foraging workshop with Steven Hoepfner of Wagtail Urban Farm. Come for a relaxed walk with Steven to learn about plants of the Adelaide city area, their uses and history. Workshop also includes viewing of the exhibition *Losing the Plot: food gardening in South Australia* at the Migration Museum. Further details visit: [History Festival](#) program.

MOTHER'S DAY EVENT: Remembering the Babies of the Destitute Asylum

Sunday 8 May at 3pm

Recent research has revealed the names of 1679 babies born in Adelaide's Destitute Asylum between 1880 and 1909. Join us as we remember them in a public reading of their names and birth dates, followed by a discussion of the history of the Lying-in Hospital and the Destitute Asylum.



Image: Lamp outside archway Destitute Asylum, State Library of South Australia, B6453

Remembering the Babies is included in the [History Festival](#) program.

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