



In loving memory of Neroli Colvin, who came up with the idea for the Bathurst Multicultural Storytelling Festival on first visiting Bathurst in early 2017, and then worked on it before passing away in 2018.



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The festival is possible because of donations kindly made towards Neroli's legacy. <http://bit.ly/NeroliStorytellingFoundation>

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Thursday March 21 - Monday March 25, 2019

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Time/Day	Speaker/Activity – All Events are Free	Location
6pm (70 minutes) Thursday March 21	Wiradyuri Elders discuss how story transmits culture. The Elders will be interviewed and an audience Q&A will conclude the event.	Ponton Theatre, CSU, Research Station Drive, P23 parking area
12 noon Friday March 22	Multicultural lunch, music and story sharing at Bathurst's The Neighbourhood Centre. 	96 Russell Street (corner of Seymour Street). binc@binc.org.au
5.30pm (70 minutes) Friday March 22	Western Sydney University professors Megan Watkins and Greg Noble discuss cultural diversity and Neroli Colvin's PhD thesis.   	Ponton Theatre, CSU, Research Station Drive, P23 parking area
10.30am & 11am Saturday March 23	Children's story readings in Chinese language, with translations. Under 5: 10.30am; Aged 6-12: 11am.  Harmony Day event outside Library, 10am-12	Bathurst Library, 70 Keppel Street

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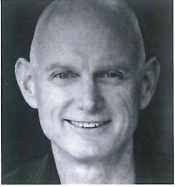
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5pm (70 minutes) Saturday March 23 	Churchill Fellowship recipient and CSU journalism graduate, Kavita Bedford, in discussion about her experience of multicultural (and multimedia) storytelling in Sydney's western suburbs.	Ponton Theatre, CSU, Research Station Drive, P23 parking area
11am Sunday March 24	Bathurst Refugee Support Group hosts speakers on aspects of departure and arrival, and the needs and dreams of people who arrive in Australia.	Ponton Theatre, CSU, Research Station Drive, P23 parking area
4.30pm for 5pm start (60 minutes) Monday March 25	Yarning Circle story sharing event on "Health, Wealth and Wisdom". Jock Cheetham reflects on his and Neroli's journey over the past two years, with a focus on caring, loss and bereavement. Wiradyuri Elders share cultural insights. Community members are invited to respond, share and reflect. 	Skillset Senior College, 341 Havannah Street, Yarning Circle 

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