Tussock Country 23 MAY - 1 JUNE 2025 GORE, NEW ZEALAND NEW ZEALAND'S 10-DAY COUNTRY MUSIC Festival

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THURSDAY 29 MAY

(CONTINUED)

FRIDAY 30 MAY

GoreGeous Country Breakfast

MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards

Friday 30 May, 8am - 5pm approx.

Adult \$18 | Senior Citizen \$12 | U17 FREE

Freeze Ya Bits Off Busking

Auditions - all other categories:

Capital of Country Music

Friday 30 May, 10am - 2pm

Documentary Screening

Friday 30 May, 11am

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St James Theatre, Gore

Admission: Door sales only. Ticket allows entry at all venues.

MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards

Gore Town & Country Club Stadium

50th Anniversary Concert

Thursday 29 May, 6:30pm

Admission: Adults \$55* | U17 \$20'

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Friday 30 May, 8am

Table Talk Café, Gore

Admission: \$30* www.iticket.co.nz

Auditions Day 1

Auditions - all sections:

Various Gore venues

Auditions Day 1

Main Street, Gore

Admission: Free

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SATURDAY 31 MAY (CONTINUED)

Saturday Saloon Social Saturday 31 May, 10:30am - 12pm Regional Ford, 7 Medway St, Gore Admission: Free



Auditions - all other categories: Saturday 31 May, 10am - 2pm Main Street, Gore Admission: Free

Capital of Country Music Documentary Screening Saturday 31 May. 11am St James Theatre, Gore www.iticket.co.nz

ODT Tussock Stage Butter Wouldn't Melt & Elias Bartholomeo Saturday 31 May, Doors 1pm, Show 1:30pm Little Theatre, Gore Admission: \$25* www.iticket.co.nz



Saturday 31 May, Dinner 6pm, Show 7:30pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: Dinner & Show \$65* | Show only \$30* www.iticket.co.nz

MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards Junior & Intermediate Finals Saturday 31 May, 6:30pm

Gore Town & Country Club Stadium Admission: Adult \$45* | U17 \$10* www.iticket.co.nz

SUNDAY 1 JUNE

MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards Auditions Day 3

Auditions - all sections: Sunday 1 June, 8am - 12pm approx.

Admission: Door sales only. Ticket allows entry at all venues.

The Reservation, 16 Spittles Way, Gore Admission: Free entry. Buffet Breakfast: Adult \$20 | U12 \$10

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Country Gospel Church Service Sunday 1 June, 9:40am St Andrews Presbyterian Church, Gore Admission: Gold coin

MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards Classic Finals

Sunday 1 June, 1:30pm Gore Town & Country Club Stadium Admission: Door sales only. Ticket also allows entry to MLT Showcase and Hands of Fame. Adult \$25 | Senior Citizen \$18 | U17 \$5

MLT Showcase

Sunday 1 June. 3pm Gore Town & Country Club Stadium

SUNDAY 25 MAY (CONTINUED)

Gore Country Music Queen Gala Sunday 25 May, 6:30pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: Earlybird \$30* | GA \$35* www.iticket.co.nz

MONDAY 26 MAY

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Melodies & Memories - Jon Collins Monday 26 May, 10am Ribbonwood Home, Tapanui Admission: Free (residents only)

Capital of Country Music ntarv Screeni Monday 26 May, 11am St James Theatre, Gore www.iticket.co.nz

Line Dancing with Jackie Monday 26 May, 1pm Esplin Room - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: \$5

Golden Oldies Monday 26 May, 1:30pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: \$10

Evening Walk-Up Concert Monday 26 May, 7:30pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: Free

Bowmar Road House Concert with Katie Thompson Monday 26 May, Doors 7pm, Show 7:30pm 61 Bowmar Road, Gore Admission: \$25* www.iticket.co.nz

Country Variety Dance Monday 26 May, 7:30pm Esplin Room - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: \$10 (Door sales only)

TUESDAY 27 MAY

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Country & Folk Waiata Workshop Tuesday 27 May, 10am - 12pm Hokonui Rūnanga, Charlton Road, Gore Admission: Free (Register by May 1st, limited spaces)

Capital of Country Music mentary Screeni Tuesday 27 May, 11am St James Theatre, Gore ww.iticket.co.nz

Afternoon Walk-Up Concert Tuesday 27 May, 1:30pm Lounge Bar - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: Free

Cinnamon Oyster Masterclass With Coral McCauley Tuesday 27 May, 6pm St Peters College Kitchen, Gore Admission: \$20* www.iticket.co.nz

WEDNESDAY 28 MAY (CONTINUED)

Line Dancing for Beginners Workshop Wednesday 28 May, 10:45am Esplin Room - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: \$10* ITICKET www.iticket.co.nz

Capital of Country Music Documentary Screenin Wednesday 28 May, 11am St James Theatre, Gore

www.iticket.co.nz **Cheese Roll Workshop** Wednesday 28 May, 12pm MacKay Room - Gore Town & Country Club

Admission: \$25* www.iticket.co.nz **Niccolo Piccolo - Tamariki Show** Wednesday 28 May, 1pm - 2pm **Calvin Community Church** Admission: Free (Registration required)

Jammin' At The Razza

Wednesday 28 May, 1pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: Free

Performance Workshops with Peter Cairns

Wednesday 28 May, Book a time 22 Thomas St, Gore Admission: \$35 per session, pay direct Contact Peter: 027 201 4059 or cairnspeter116@gmail.com

Rising Stars of Country Wednesday 28 May, Dinner 6pm, Show 7:30pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: Dinner & Show $\$65^* \mid \ Show \ only \ \30^* www.iticket.co.nz

Harmonic Resonators Wednesday 28 May, 7:30pm St James Theatre, Gore Admission: \$50* www.iticket.co.nz

THURSDAY 29 MAY

with Peter Cairns Thursday 29 May. Book a time 22 Thomas St. Gore Admission: \$35 per session, pay direct Contact Peter: 027 201 4059 or cairnspeter116@gmail.com

Thursday 29 May, 9am - 12:30pm Meet at Croydon Lodge Carpark, Gore

Capital of Country Music

St James Theatre, Gore www.iticket.co.nz

School Competition

Performance Workshops

Farm & Mai Mai Tour (Ti Tipua School Fundraiser)

Admission: \$60* Lunch included www.iticket.co.nz

Documentary Screening Thursday 29 May, 11am

Freeze Ya Bits Off Busking

Admission: \$25' www.iticket.co.nz

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ODT Tussock Stage Amy Maynard & Rufous Whistler Friday 30 May, Doors 1pm, Show 1:30pm Little Theatre, Gore

> **The Gallery Session** Friday 30 May, 6pm Eastern Southland Gallery, Gore Admission: Gold Coin

NZ Highwaymen & Friends Friday 30 May, 7:30pm St James Theatre, Gore Admission: \$79*- \$89*

www.iticket.co.nz **Saturday Singout** Friday 31 May, 7:30pm

Croydon Lodge Admission: \$10

Craig Adams & The Rustlers Friday 30 May, 7:30pm Gore & District Memorial RSA Admission: Free

MLT Music Roundup Friday 30 May | 6 MLT Venues

Piano at the Moon - Trevor Dawe Howl at the Moon, Gore, 5pm Acoustic Blaze - Rowdy's Rose The Blazing Copper Restaurant, Gore, 5pm **Greenbird Roundup Dining - Chet & Melissa** The Thomas Green, Gore, 5:30pm Live at the Lodge - Kylie Price & Rufous Whistler

Various Gore venues Adult \$25 | Senior Citizen \$18 | U17 \$5



Classic Rides Breakfast





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Tussock Country Ute Muster

Lounge Bar - Gore Town & Country Club

FRIDAY 23 MAY

SATURDAY 24 MAY

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Gore Late Night Shopping

All participating Gore retail outlets

Gore Kids Hub, 13 Wayland St, Gore

Country Music Honours

Friday 23 May, Doors 7pm, Show 8pm

Gore Kids Hub Country Disco

Friday 23 May, 5pm - 7pm

Friday 23 May, 5:30pm - 7pm

St James Theatre, Gore

Health Workshop

The Thomas Green, Gore

Saturday 24 May, 10am - 11am

Songwriter's Retreat

Saturday 24 May, 10am - 4pm

Saturday Saloon Social

Saturday 24 May, 10:30am - 12pm

Regional Ford, 7 Medway St, Gore

Capital of Country Music

Going Local - Networking Session

Hokonui Rūnanga, Charlton Road, Gore

Hokonui Line Dance Social

Admission: Gold coin + plate for sharing

Esplin Room - Gore Town & Country Club

Saturday 24 May, Doors 5pm, Show 5:30pm

Tussock Country Late Night

Admission: Earlybird \$39* | GA \$45* | Table Seating \$59*

SUNDAY 25 MAY

Documentary Screening

Saturday 24 May, 11am

St James Theatre, Gore

Saturday 24 May,12pm - 1pm

Saturday 24 May, 1:30pm

St James Theatre, Gore

Saturday 24 May, 7:30pm

Little Theatre, Gore

Saturday 24 May, 8pm

Kids Gone Country

Sunday 25 May, 11am

Admission: Free

Crovdon Lodge, Gore

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Admission: Adults \$50* | U18 \$30*

www.iticket.co.nz

Admission: Free

MITCHELL

www.iticket.co.nz

Sassafras

Admission: \$25*

www.iticket.co.nz

Admission: Invite Only

Admission: Free

Admission: Free (RSVP by May 23rd, limited spaces

Hokonui Rūnanga, Charlton Road, Gore

Admission: Gold coin

Admission: \$50*

www.iticket.co.nz

Sunday 25 May, 11:30am Southern Field Days Site & Croydon Lodge Spectator Admission: Gold coin Competition Entry: \$10* online, \$15 on the day www.iticket.co.nz

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The Celtic Unleashed - Matinee **Hokonui Celtic Pipeband Fundraiser** Sunday 25 May. 2pm

St James Theatre. Gore Admission: Adults \$50* | U16 \$15* www.iticket.co.nz

The Celtic Unleashed - Evening Hokonui Celtic Pipeband Fundraiser

Sunday 25 May, 7pm St James Theatre, Gore Admission: Adults \$50* | U16 \$15* www.iticket.co.nz

Old Hokonui Whiskey & Food Match Event Tuesday 27 May, 6pm

Arts & Heritage Precinct, Gore Admission: \$60* www.iticket.co.nz

Jingo - Musical Bingo

Tuesday 27 May, 7pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: \$20 for 4 Jingo cards

WEDNESDAY 28 MAY

Ukulele Workshop

Wednesday 28 May, 9am Mackay Room - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: \$20* www.iticket.co.nz

Yodelling Workshop

Wednesday 28 May, 10am Mackay Room - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: \$10* www.iticket.co.nz

Thursday 29 May, 11am - 1pm Main Street, Gore Admission: Free

Jammin' At The Razza

Thursday 29 May, 1pm **Gore & District Memorial RSA** Admission: Free

Fingerpicking Workshop With Elias Bartholomeo

Thursday 29 May, 3pm MacKay Room - Gore Town & Country Club Admission: \$20* ww.iticket.co.nz

MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards 50th Anniversary Meet & Greet

Thursday 29 May, 3pm Gore Town & Country Club Stadium Admission: \$10* www.iticket.co.nz

Greenbird Dining

Thursday 29 May, 5pm - 7pm The Thomas Green. Gore Admission: Free

The Crovdon Lodge, 7:30nm Pre-show buffet available Meal bookings essential The Falls Night - Friends Of The Possum Pickers The Falls Hotel & Bistro, Mataura, 8:30pm Rock the Bar - Zac Griffith & Band

Traffers Bar, 8:30pm



MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards Auditions Day 2

Auditions - all sections: Saturday 31 May. 8am - 5pm approx. Various Gore venues

Admission: Door sales only. Ticket allows entry at all venues. Adult \$18 | Senior Citizen \$12 | U17 FREE

McDonough Contracting Gore **Truck Show**



Truck Viewing & Judging: Saturday 31 May, 9am Transport Repairs Yard - Falconer Road, Gore **Truck Parade:** 2pm, Main Street, Gore **Prizegiving:** 4:30pm, Croydon Lodge, Gore Truck Entry: \$10 (Enter and pay on the day) Spectator Admission: Free

s Sundav senior section auditions ticket covers entry to this event.

Hands of Fame Induction Dennis August

Sunday 1 June, 3pm Gore Town & Country Club Stadium Admission: MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards Sunday senior section auditions ticket covers entry to this event.

Freeze Ya Bits Off Busking Finals

Sunday 1 June, 4:30pm - 6:30pm St James Theatre, Gore Admission: Free



MLT NZ Gold Guitar Awards Senior Finals

Sunday 1 June, 7pm Gore Town & Country Club Stadium Admission: Adult \$50* | U17 \$15* www.iticket.co.nz



MONDAY 2 JUNE

Capital of Country Music Documentary Screening

Monday 2 June, 11am St James Theatre, Gore www.iticket.co.nz

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