

Saturday May 7

EXHIBITION OPENING PARTY 2.00pm—5.00pm Saturday May 14

CURRENCY MAKING DEMONSTRATION & HANDS-ON WORKSHOP 2.00pm—4.00pm Thursday May 12

PANEL DISCUSSION Should we have a local currency for real? 6.30pm—9.00pm

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Castlemaine Currency Project

Saturday 7 May — Sunday 22 May

Lot 19, 19 Langslow Street, Castlemaine VIC 3450 11.00am—4.00pm Fridays, Saturdays & Sundays

Supported by Get Lost, Mount Alexander Shire Council Partners: Castlemaine Institute and Castlemaine Art Museum

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What is this about?

For three weeks (7-22 May) we are releasing a complementary, local currency — the Silver Wattle — made of clay, as an experiment, for fun and for conversation.

Why should I care?

This project is asking us to think about how we design a resilient, local economy that supports our values and keeps money circulating in our town.

How do I obtain the currency? There are three currency hubs where you can exchange Aussie \$ for Silver Wattles: Visitor's Information Centre, Castlemaine Art Museum and Lot19.

The exchange rate is \$10 for 1 Silver Wattle. You might also obtain Silver Wattles by offering goods or services to someone who already has the currency — that's up to all of you!

How do I spend the currency? Look for the poster in the windows of participating businesses. These include: The Taproom, Johnny Bakers, Tortoise Espresso, Harvest Fruit & Veg, Bar Midland, Cabosse & Feve, and Sprout Bakery (see Facebook for updates)

Some venues have offerings that can ONLY be purchased with silver wattles, so this is your ticket to unique experiences.

What if I don't spend the currency? Then you will have a wonderful keepsake for the future, a unique work of art that has value in its own right.

In recognition of the ultimate source of all our wealth, Djaara Country, and the respect that we pay to traditional custodians of this land, 10% of all exchanges will go towards Castlemaine Pay the Rent.

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