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**FOR THE LOVE OF BOOKS:
CLUNES BOOKTOWN FESTIVAL REGIONAL CREATIVE SYMPOSIUM**

**Thursday 3 May**

As part of the popular Clunes Booktown Festival, local creatives, businesses and the community are invited to attend the Regional Creative Symposium.

The Clunes Booktown Festival Regional Creative Symposium brings together like minds from across the creative industries, funding bodies, artists, programmers and presenters to discuss collaborative partnerships, cultural tourism, community development, volunteering, and bookselling.

The Symposium is being held as part of the International Organisation of Booktowns Conference and delegates from Booktowns across the globe will be present.

Clunes Booktown Festival Regional Creative Symposium will be held on Thursday 3 May from 8.30am to 4.30pm at The Warehouse in Clunes and costs $120 per person.

Clunes Booktown Festival takes place in the township of Clunes on Saturday 5 and Sunday 6 May.

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