

Australian
Design
Centre

Creative Weekend

September 2023

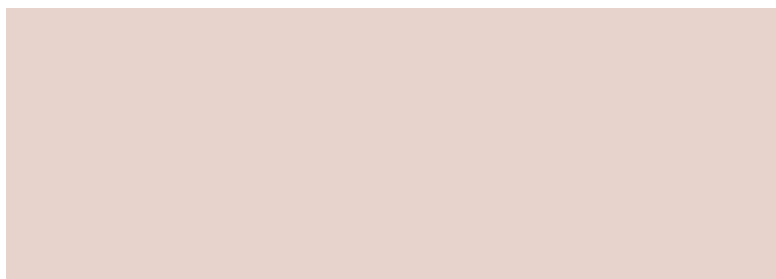


We've compiled a few creative things for you to experience this weekend. Visit us in the Centre or browse online. Lots of inspiring craft and design to enjoy.

Watch a film about master weaver Liz Williamson or see her work in an exhibition on now at [Barometer Gallery](#) in Paddington.

[Plan](#) your Sydney Craft Week Festival experience for October. We have copies of the newspaper program in the Centre today.

Wishing you a relaxing weekend.





VISIT

Last weekend to catch these three exhibitions

These exhibitions close TODAY. Next week we are installing four exciting new shows opening from 28 September.

jam: Show + Tell
With Our Elders
Lynn Pavey: Febrile Momentum

Opening hours:

Tuesday–Friday, 11am–5pm

Saturday 11am–4pm

Location:

Australian Design Centre

101-115 William Street, Darlinghurst

Gadigal Land

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READ

Sydney Craft Week Festival

The Sydney Craft Week Festival starts 6 October with more than 150 events.

Plan your visit by checking out the program online or pick up one from ADC today.

READ THE FESTIVAL GUIDE



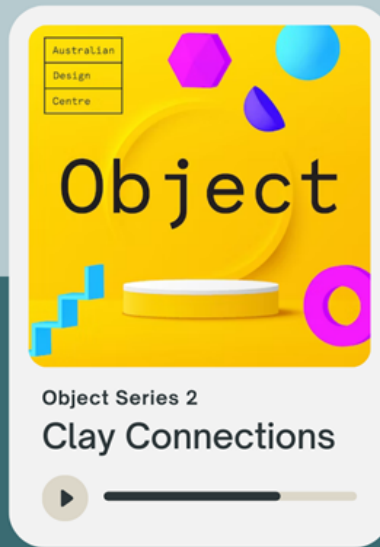
WATCH

Obsessed: Compelled to make – LIZ WILLIAMSON

Watch weaver Liz Williamson in her studio, as she weaves on her loom. Working from her home studio, Liz integrates weaving into her day-to-day life mixing designing, weaving, home, garden and travel.

This film was included as part of ADC's exhibition [*Obsessed: Compelled to make*](#), where we presented the work of 15 artists from across Australia, delving beyond the finished object, looking at the realities of day-to-day studio routines and unravelling what compels them to create.

WATCH HERE



LISTEN

Object Podcast: Stories of design and craft

[*Object: stories of design and craft*](#) is a podcast exploring design and contemporary craft in Australia, by Australian Design Centre's CEO and Artistic Director Lisa Cahill. Take a listen to Series 1 or Series 2 this weekend to hear interviews with Australian makers about their practice.

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DO

Start a creative journal

Read this article by Melinda Young about how to start a creative journalling practice and the benefits this can have for health, wellbeing and creativity.

READ HERE



DISCOVER

Australian made at Object Shop

Representing more than 100 emerging and established Australian makers and designers, [Object Shop](#) continues to grow our long history of supporting the creative community where you can acquire an array of

ceramics, glassware, jewellery, textiles and fibre works, fine art prints, books, cards and more.

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Love what we do?

There are many ways that you can help us to support a creative Australia.

- [Donate](#) to make an impact!
- [Buy unique handmade](#)

Follow us on socials for updates:



Acknowledgement of Country

Australian Design Centre is proud to be a creative place located on Gadigal Country.

We acknowledge and pay our respects to the Traditional Owners, the Gadigal People, and to Elders past and present.

As an arts organisation with national connections, we also pay our respects to all First Peoples across the country.

We recognise Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander culture as the oldest continuing culture in the world. We celebrate the diversity of language, culture, custom, ceremony and knowledge (Lore) of First Peoples as Traditional Owners, custodians and communities with an ongoing connection across land, sea and waterways.

We acknowledge that the lands on which we live and work are unceded – always was, always will be, Aboriginal Land.

About Australian Design Centre

Established in 1964, Australian Design Centre is an independent impact organisation based in Sydney. We create opportunities for people to engage with design, craft and creativity through dynamic and high-quality national touring exhibitions, publishing, digital and educational activities.

We ignite creativity and innovative ideas through:

Exhibitions – Showcasing the best making and design by Australian creators.

Touring – Bringing the power of making and design to new audiences across Australia.

Learning – Inspiring Australians to use design to transform their future.

Australian Design Centre is supported by the generosity of our partners and donors, the Visual Arts and Craft Strategy, an initiative of the Australian, State and Territory Governments, the New South Wales Government through Create NSW, the Australian Government through the Australia Council, its arts funding and advisory body, and the City of Sydney.

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