

Community Transport Outings Program

Ferntree-Upper Ferntree Gully | September to December 2026



About the program

Knox residents aged over 65 years or those needing transport support can enjoy day outings to various locations across Victoria.

To find out more about this program, visit www.knox.vic.gov.au/outings

Cost

\$15 per person to be paid after the activity.

There may be additional costs for entry fees and meals at some venues. Please let us know if you can't join the activity at least 24 hours before or you will still need to pay the fee.

Pick up times and locations

Subject to change without notice. Timings are approximate.

Stop 1	9:00am - Hutton Avenue Ferntree Gully (last bus stop on left side before Underwood Drive)
Stop 2	9:10am - Uniting Church 6 The Avenue Ferntree Gully
Stop 3	9:20am - Mountain Gate Shopping Centre (on public toilet side on mountain gate drive)

Meals

Morning tea may be available at some venues. We can help you with lunch reservations at some venues. You may not be allowed to bring outside food into certain venues.

Extreme weather

We may need to adjust activities without notice if temperatures are expected to exceed 30°C. We may also need to cancel activities with short notice if temperatures are expected to exceed 37°C or there is severe rain.

Walking levels

- **Low impact:** Minimal walking required.
- **Moderate impact:** Moderate walking involved.
- **High impact:** Significant walking required.

You are responsible for assessing your own fitness level and choosing outings that suit your abilities.

How to book

You can call 9298 8518 (between 9 am–4:30 pm) from **26/08/2026** to tell us the activities you would like to take part in. You can also email your name, suburb, phone number and the activities you would like to take part in to communitytransport@knox.vic.gov.au.

We will review the activities you would like to take part in and confirm which ones you can join. We try to make sure bookings are fair and equal to everyone. We will get back to you with confirmation of your activities within 2 weeks after the calling in date.

Activities

Tuesday 29 September, 9 am to 3 pm

Location	Activity
Australian Jazz Museum 	A special visit to the Australian Jazz Museum, featuring a guided tour, exclusive behind-the-scenes access, and a live performance by a professional jazz band. A light lunch is included in the ticket price. Activity level: Low impact Cost: \$30 for entry fee including light lunch

Thursday 08 October, 9 am to 4 pm

Location	Activity
Sages Cottage 	Join us for a relaxing visit to Sages Cottage. Enjoy the peaceful gardens and surroundings before heading to Mount Eliza for an open-choice lunch. Activity level: Medium impact Cost: Free entry to Cottage

Friday 06 November, 9 am to 4 pm

Location	Activity
San Remo 	Join us for a scenic day out to San Remo, where we'll enjoy the coastal atmosphere and, if available, watch the popular pelican feeding. Afterwards, enjoy an open-choice lunch. Activity level: Low impact Cost: Buy your own lunch

Wednesday 11 November, 9 am to 3:30 pm

Location	Activity
Upper Yarra Museum 	Enjoy a fascinating visit to the Upper Yarra Museum, where we'll discover the rich history and heritage of the Yarra Valley. After our visit, we'll head to Healesville for lunch, with an open choice of venue and meal. Activity level: Medium impact Cost: \$5 entry fee

Tuesday 26 November, 9 am to 3:30 pm

Location	Activity
Bargain Shopping 	Get into the holiday spirit with a fun shopping trip to Savers and the Adidas Factory Outlet, perfect for finding great bargains and holiday gifts. After shopping, enjoy lunch at the Beach Bar café. Activity level: Low impact Cost: Buy your own lunch