

The Ekka Courier

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DAILY HIGHLIGHTS

- * 9.00am - 5.00pm:
Farriers and Blacksmiths
- * 9.00am - 11.00am:
Dairy Cattle Judging
- * 9.00am - 12.00pm:
Bush Bands
- * 9.00am - 5.00pm:
Dairy Goat Judging
- * 12.00pm - 5.00pm:
Small Breeds Stud Beef Judging
- * 8.00pm - 9.30pm:
The Rising Suns - Australian Army Band.

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OUTSTANDING ORIGAMI

By Bailey



Visitors to the Old Museum Building at the Ekka can create an origami flower with the help of expert paper-folder Jonathan Baxter.

It takes about seven minutes to make an origami flower and Mr Baxter has helped more than 4000 people to make a flower at this year's Ekka.

"I've been doing origami for over 30 years and I consider myself to still be learning," he said.

He hopes that the people he shows how to make the flowers will continue to do origami at home.

"I hope that they will teach somebody else, so that it spreads," he said.

Origami, an ancient art form that originally came from Japan, is now practiced worldwide.