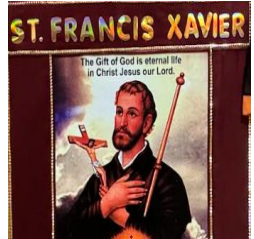


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GOAV – Calendar of Events 2026

	Date & Time	Event	Venue	Particulars
	Sat, 26 Sep 2026 11:45am to 4:30pm	Whist Drive, Bingo, Scrabble, Other Board and Group Games	The 'Anchor' Hall St. Peter's Parish 844 Centre Road, Bentleigh East 3165	Calling all Whist Drive and Bingo enthusiasts to enjoy an entertaining afternoon of fun and games! Members & Guests are welcome. Entry is Free. \$10 to play Whist Drive and \$5 per Bingo book. Bring a food platter to share.
	Sun, 25 Oct 2026 12:15am to 4:30pm	GOA DAY celebration with a Goan Food Festival	Australian Indian Community Charitable Trust (AICCT) Hall 18 Kingsley Close, Rowville 3178	To celebrate Goan identity, food and culture.... the Goan Food Festival has been integrated into the GOA DAY festivities, expanding the event to include Konkani song & dance, and other activities! Entry \$2 coin per person.
	Sun, 29 Nov 2026 9:30am Onwards	Goan Sweet Making	SS. Peter and Paul's Parish Hall 377 Dorcas St, South Melbourne 3205	Come along and give the GOAV a helping hand to prepare various Goan traditional sweets (Kulkuls, Neureos, Kadio Bodio) which will be sold at St. Francis Xavier feast Goencho Bazaar . <i>Many hands make light work!</i> Entry is Free. Lunch provided.
	Sat, 5 Dec 2026 4:30pm Onwards	St. Francis Xavier Feast Celebrations	Sacred Heart Parish Hall 21 Johnson St, Oakleigh 3166	Annual celebration of St. Francis Xavier Feast, (<i>Goencho Saib</i>) patron Saint of Goa. The event will start with a Mass, followed by Santa distributing Christmas gifts to children, Goencho Bazaar, live dancing music and catered food. Ticket Cost: \$35 Members \$40 Non-members

