

# 1 August

## Swiss National Day

Saturday, 1 August 2026

Dear members and Swiss friends,

The Swiss Society of Queensland Committee cordially invites you to our National Day celebration at Samford Showground. The venue is ideal for the day's activities and overnight stay. There are plenty of grassy areas for parking, camping, and to play ball games.

Don't miss THE event of the year!

### Camping details

Overnight camping is allowed. Bring your caravan, camper van or tents. Camping is available at special rates. There are amenities with toilets and showers.

**Important:** Tent or caravan sites must be booked in advance. For bookings please call the caretaker of Samford Showground, Terry: 0450 882 842.

<https://samfordshowsociety.com.au/caravan-camping/>

Come and join us for this special event! Food and drinks and lots of Swiss goodies will be available for purchase.

Please note: strictly no BYO alcohol.

Where: Samford Showground,  
40 Showgrounds Drive, Highvale Q 4520.

### Program (subject to slight variations)

- 10 am Setup tents for overnight visitors. The Showgrounds Café will be open for campers on Saturday and for breakfast on Sunday. [www.facebook.com/TheGroundsCafeSamfordShowgrounds](http://www.facebook.com/TheGroundsCafeSamfordShowgrounds)
- 11am START of event, bar, sweets, music and PA by Derek Griffin
- 12noon Lunch served by SSQ
- 1pm Welcome by SSQ President
- 1-3pm Children arts and crafts.
- 2pm Baerg-Roeseli Yodel Choir
- 2.30pm Official address Swiss President and National Anthem
- 3-5pm Children disco
- 3.30pm Raffle draw of many prizes
- 5pm Dinner (subject to change)
- 5pm Lampion procession followed by bonfire and evening activities

Bring your hats/umbrellas for shade!

