

# Townsville Arts e-bulletin

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# Calendar

## Exhibitions

### Gallery 48

48 The Strand 4724 4898

Open: 10am – 4pm Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday

**To April 30<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***Exploring Place by Vince Bray***

This exhibition is a collection of prints and paintings by local artist *Vince Bray* depicting western and local landscape.

To be opened by Dr Anne Lord, April 11<sup>th</sup> 2 – 5pm

### Museum of Tropical Queensland

Flinders Street East, CBD 4726 0600 <http://www.mtq.qm.qld.gov.au>

Open daily 9.30am – 5pm

Discounted prices for Townsville locals – proof of residency required.

**Permanent exhibitions** showcase aspects of the natural and cultural heritage of North Queensland.

### New

**April 27<sup>th</sup> – June 28<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***Cape Cleveland Lighthouse***

This is the story of Townsville's first lighthouse, the Cape Cleveland light, told by the last four light keeping families who lived on the cape and kept the light flashing every night.

Built in 1879 and 'unmanned' since 1985, this display recalls the days when resident families, living in two purpose-built houses, carried out their day-to-day living isolated from the rest of the world.

### Continuing

**To May 17<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***2014 Wildlife Photographer of the Year***

The Museum of Tropical Queensland is hosting a watchful cheetah, an eerie bat and migrating cranes as part of 100 award-winning images in the 2014 Wildlife Photographer of the Year exhibition. Now in its 50th year, Wildlife Photographer of the Year is the most prestigious photography event of its kind, providing a global platform that showcases the diversity and wonder of the natural world. The exhibition premiered at the Natural History Museum in London in October 2014 before embarking on an international tour across six continents.

Wildlife Photographer of the Year is co-owned by the Natural History Museum and BBC Worldwide.

**To August 30<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***A Room for Wild Animals***

This exhibition showcases 20 taxidermy specimens from the Queensland Museum's collection, including big cats like a lion, cheetah and jaguar, bears and deer.

These specimens are not just valuable collection items. They speak on behalf of their living relatives in the wild places of the world and help us learn a valuable conservation lesson. For some species it is already too late – and the only place you will see these animals today is as preserved specimens in museums.

## Perc Tucker Regional Gallery

Cnr Flinders & Denham Streets, CBD

4727 9011 <mailto:ptrg@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/perctucker/Pages/default.aspx>

Open 10am – 5pm Monday – Friday; 10am – 2pm Saturday – Sunday

### New

**April 17<sup>th</sup>** 6.30pm

#### ***SHIFT: elevator art project***

Federation Place and Perc Tucker Regional Gallery invite you to the launch of 'SHIFT: elevator art project' at Federation Place, 42 Sturt Street, Townsville.

An exhibition of works by artist *Kathy Cornwall* as part of SHIFT: elevator art project. SHIFT, a project by Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Townsville City Council; sees local North Queensland artists' works installed in public elevators around Townsville's CBD. In addition, Fibres and Fabrics have kindly lent their wonderful installation of poppies in remembrance of the centenary of ANZAC. Federation Place is honoured to present this display in conjunction with the SHIFT project.

To be officially opened by Michael Pope

Education and Public Programs Coordinator, Gallery Services

### Continuing

**To April 21<sup>st</sup>**

#### ***Mother Nature***

The *Mother Nature* collection, works by *Gillian Paine*, is a personal representation of ornate mosaic imagery capturing the delicate flora and fauna surrounding *Mother Nature* and the rugged and majestic beauty of some of the most graceful nurturing wild creatures on the planet. *Gillian Paine's* unique natural portraits are inspired by her childhood etched in South African history and an adulthood living within the north Queensland tropics.

All of Gillian's designs are bespoke and never replicated. Her chosen media allows her to utilise a vast array of textured and ornate glasses to bring her designs to life.

**To April 29<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***Young Indigenous Printmakers***

This exhibition of prints by Kirwan State High School students forms part of the Young Indigenous Printmakers program – an initiative offered free of charge to Townsville secondary schools that targets Indigenous high school students.

*Aicey Zaro* visits participating schools to introduce printmaking and explore Indigenous culture with students, which is followed by a one-day intensive printmaking workshop at Umbrella Studio contemporary arts with artists *Jo Lankester* and *Aicey Zaro*. Students investigate lino printing, carving and editioning before producing their own print which illustrates their identity and culture. The prints are subsequently exhibited on a rotational basis at either The Galleria, Riverway Arts Centre, Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, or Umbrella Studio.

Townsville City Council, in collaboration with Umbrella Studio contemporary arts, initiates and funds the Young Indigenous Printmakers. The program seeks to foster and promote artistic development and engage local Indigenous high school students to work with printmaking artists.

**To May 7<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***Glimpse***

Each month *The Vault Shop* will feature an exhibition of small works for sale by North Queensland artists. ***Sandy Fisher*** is a local artist who practises a variety of printmaking techniques throughout her work. She is passionate about the environment and her work provides glimpses of this.

The exhibition *Glimpse* is about the "everyday extraordinary" that can be seen in nature or along a street. Whether that is the simple beauty of a seed pod or the faces that pass by, *Glimpse* asks you to take the time to look closely, to listen, to open your heart, and become aware of the details.

**To May 10<sup>th</sup>**

#### ***The Intuitive Landscape***

*Richard Lane* acts purely on intuition when committing paint to canvas to create his abstract landscapes – delicate, vibrant and lyrical veils of colour that effortlessly form mountainous landscapes, forests, and ocean vistas. While it is true for Lane that there is no substitution for intuition, it is important to note that his instinct for capturing the region has grown from over 30 years of experience and a profound appreciation of the north Queensland landscape; its shapes, its light and its colours.

*The Intuitive Landscape* has been painted over the course of two years, but draws on 30 years of living in north Queensland and an admiration of this diverse range of artists. The exhibition is

separated into six distinct series, each depicting a different area of Townsville. The six series explore the banks of the Ross River from the artist's backyard; Lake Ross; Magnetic Island; Hervey Range and Piper's Lookout; Paluma and the Coastal Ranges; and Pallarenda through to Cleveland Bay.

**To May 10<sup>th</sup>**

***Stars in the River: the prints of Jessie Traill***

This exhibition celebrates the artistic career of one of Australia's most important printmakers of the twentieth century, Jessie Traill. Embracing the medium of etching in the early 1900s, Traill forged a radical path for printmaking in Australia through the duality of her vision. Depicting the beauty of the natural environment alongside dynamic images of industry, her lyrical responses show a profound understanding of the dilemma that requires nature to be sacrificed in order for the modern world to progress. Drawn entirely from the National Gallery of Australia's outstanding collection, *Stars in the river: the prints of Jessie Traill* examines the various facets of Traill's printed oeuvre.

## **Pinnacles Gallery**

Riverway Arts Centre, Thuringowa Central

4773 8871 Fax 4723 0282 <mailto:pinnacles@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/pinnacles/Pages/default.aspx>

Open: 10am – 5pm Tuesday – Sunday

### **Continuing**

**To April 12<sup>th</sup>**

***The Antipodean Steampunk Show: An artisan travelling exhibition***

Contemporary technology and Victorian styling will collide in spectacular fashion during *The Antipodean Steampunk Show* at Pinnacles Gallery.

If today's technology had been introduced in the 19th century, what would the world look like? The Antipodean Steampunk Show attempts to answer this question in a fascinating mash-up of past, future, and fantasy.

**To May 3<sup>rd</sup>**

***A Symphony of Life: Kate Ross***

Living on the edge of the rainforest, Ross has grown to love and respect the great ecosystem which sustains so much wonderful, diverse animal life. She believes it is imperative to showcase this love through her artwork. Ross' other landscapes displayed in this exhibition are complementary to this; moving away from the rainforest and towards the more coastal areas of Townsville.

Venue: The Galleria, Riverway Arts Centre

To be officially opened by: Sandra Tutty - April 11<sup>th</sup> 2pm

## **RAAF Townsville Museum**

4752 1712 RAAF Base, Ingham Rd, Garbutt

Open: Tuesdays and Thursdays 9am – 12noon; Sundays 10am – 4pm

The RAAF Townsville Museum is situated on the RAAF Base Townsville, Ingham Rd, Garbutt.

The museum is accessible through a small gate on Ingham Road (opposite BOC Gases).

Admission to the museum is free. Group visits and private escorted tours can be arranged by appointment with the curator.

**Currently on display** is a collection of historical memorabilia relating to the history of the air force base in Townsville and memorabilia from the Pacific area.

## **Sylvia Ditchburn Fine Art Gallery**

7 Metro Quays 86 Ogden Street, CBD 4724 3953 0419 790 245

<mailto:sylvia.ditchburn@bigpond.com.au> <http://www.sylviaditchburnfineartgallery.com>

Open: 10am – 4pm Tuesday to Friday; 10am – 1pm Sunday

**To May 31<sup>st</sup>**

***Time of Falling Leaves - Autumn***

This is an exhibition of paintings by Sylvia Ditchburn and local artists. Watercolours, collages, fine art prints, small sculptures, ceramics, giclee reproductions, poster prints, post cards and more.

## **Art at Jezzine**

Hut 25 "Art at Jezzine", Jezzine Barracks Precinct North Ward 10am – 4pm

4771 3484 <mailto:tasarts@bigpond.com> <http://www.townsvilleartsocietyinc.org.au>

## Continuing

**To April 24<sup>th</sup>**

### ***Life Matters***

This exhibition is presented by Group 6 consisting of Marjory Cook, Ros Jones, Donna Beningfield and Margaret Crawford. The artists have all based their works around the homes of each other and used this as a departure point to present ideas on how life in fact matters to us all. Life gives glimpses of what makes a whole, defines persona and gives reason to Life Matters.

## **Mo'sart Gallery**

14 Anderson Street, Railway Estate

**May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>** 10am – 4pm

### ***'Art in the Garden'***

This is the fourth *'Art in the Garden'* exhibition to be held in the gardens of Mo'sart Gallery.

The artists participating include Jim Arena, Julie Boyd, Debbie Belcastro, Helen Caldwell, Val Claussen, Gai Copeman, Marjory Cook, Sally Grattidge, Emily Hill, Jenny Hyatt, Annette Ireland, Kerry Kelly, Richard Lane, Pat Lowth., Donna Maloney, Geoff Maidens, Ciska Mc Cormack and Marion O'Shea. All works are framed and ready to hang.

## **TYTO Regional Art Gallery**

73 – 75 McIllwraith St, TYTO Wetlands Precinct, Ingham

4776 4613 <http://www.hinchinbrook.qld.gov.au/web/guest/gallery-hinchinbrook>

Open: 9.30am – 5pm Monday to Friday; 9am – 12noon Saturday

## New

**May 7<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>**

### ***ZEPHYR***

The ZEPHYR exhibition showcases the diverse area where we live and the unique inspirational qualities of the artists who live here. By capturing natural light and atmosphere in the landscape along with ephemera and other found objects, they translate this region's illusive qualities into artworks in a variety of mediums. ZEPHYR is Ingham Art Society Members 2015 annual exhibition. Exhibition opening from 6.00pm Thursday 7 May, entry is free and all are welcome.

**May 7<sup>th</sup> – June 28<sup>th</sup>**

### ***The Matchbox Show***

This exhibition is an innovative collective project which showcases artists across genres. The Matchbox Show began in Gulgong, Australia in 2010 with invitations to delegates attending the 'Clay Energy' conference to create a ceramic artwork that fit inside a matchbox.

The response and enthusiasm was overwhelming, yielding 150 matchboxes to begin the collection. The aim of the show is to grow it into a substantial international traveling exhibition of 5000 matchbox artworks, contributed by 5000 visual and ceramic artists.

## Continuing

**To May 3<sup>rd</sup>**

### ***A Camera on Gallipoli***

In 1915 soldier and surgeon Sir Charles Ryan captured the Australians' experience on Gallipoli via a series of candid photographs. Ryan's sensitivity, his empathy with those on both sides, and his eye for the remarkable - and the remarkable in the everyday - are apparent in his photographic work.

These images take us behind the stirring accounts of battle being reported at home to reveal the dry, forbidding landscape, tired troops in the trenches, squalid dug-outs, and the horrendous task of burying the dead. Here, in Ryan's display of mateship, stoicism and dogged endurance, is the spirit of ANZAC.

Exhibition opens from 2pm Thursday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, entry is free and all are welcome.

An ANZAC Day commemorative morning tea will also be held from 10.00am Friday April 24<sup>th</sup>, entry is free and all are welcome.

## **Umbrella Studio of Contemporary Arts – Gallery and Studio**

482 Flinders St West, Townsville Open: 9am - 5pm (Monday – Friday), 9am – 1pm (Sunday)

4772 7109 <http://umbrella.org.au/>

## **New**

**April 10<sup>th</sup> – May 17<sup>th</sup>**

### ***Post Post***

This exhibition draws together eleven Australian and two international printmakers, pairing an established and an emerging artist each from regional and metropolitan areas. The exhibition will reflect and address the shift in communicative technologies from traditional post to email correspondence.

Opening: April 10<sup>th</sup> 6pm

**April 10<sup>th</sup> – May 17<sup>th</sup>**

### ***Young Indigenous Printmakers***

This is a Vault space exhibition featuring a selection of linocut artworks by Indigenous students from the Cathedral School of St Anne and St James who worked with Indigenous artist Aicey Zaro and printmaker Jo Lankester during a two day workshop.

Opening: April 10<sup>th</sup> 6pm

## **Festivals & Special Events**

### ***Palm Island Open Day***

April 19<sup>th</sup>

Palm Island invites you to come over and experience all this colourful destination has to offer.

Arrive to an evocative, traditional welcome and hear about the island's history from local Indigenous guides. Explore your creative side as you turn your hand to painting or weaving with experienced artists. Taste some local tucker while you stroll through the beachside markets, or simply take it all in. Palm Island Open Day includes history tours, art classes, local markets, art and history exhibitions, all showcasing the island's history and more. All set in one of the world's natural wonders, the Great Barrier Reef.

For information: [http://www.sealinkqld.com.au/ferry\\_services\\_informatio/palm\\_island\\_ferry/palm-island-open-day.php](http://www.sealinkqld.com.au/ferry_services_informatio/palm_island_ferry/palm-island-open-day.php)

### ***10 Days in the Towers***

April 24<sup>th</sup> – May 3<sup>rd</sup>

The 10 Days in The Towers Festival brings the historic North Queensland town of Charters Towers to life in a unique way. The festival is a celebration of many things. To the fore is the sound of country music which can be heard daily in the town's many hotel bars and on the streets of the central business district as the popular buskers entertain shoppers and passers-by. But the 10 Days in The Towers is not only a country music festival - it is much more than that. Locals and visitors also enjoy line dancing, bush poetry, talent quests and historic tours during the period of the festival which also includes two country music festivals - *the All Australian Jamboree and the Charters Towers Country Music Festival*.

### ***Charters Towers Country Music Festival***

May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>

Since 1978, the festival has grown to become one of Australia's largest Country Music Festivals. The festival features Australia's leading Country Music Artists and hosts one of Australia's biggest Country Music Talent Search competitions.

For information: <http://www.charterstowerscountrymusic.com/>

### ***The Africa Festival***

May 9<sup>th</sup>

Riverway Precinct, Thuringowa

### ***Groovin the Moo***

May 10<sup>th</sup>

2015 will mark the seventh anniversary for the dynamic youth festival held at Murray Sports Complex attracting thousands of locals and tourists to Townsville. GTM is Australia's only regional national touring music event and Townsville is one of six licensed all ages events on the tour and features a number of artists (including at least 10 international) who perform over 12 hours of music, across an outdoor double stage and the Moolin Rouge Big Top.

For information: <http://2015.gtm.net.au/tsv-home.html>

### ***The Savannah: Writers Voices Up North***

May 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup>

Townsville

For information: <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/libraries/activities/Pages/Savannah.aspx>

### ***Palm Creek Folk Festival***

June 5<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>

For Information: <http://www.palmcreek.com.au/>

### ***Filipino Festival***

June 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>

Raintree Groove, Riverway, Kirwan

For information: <http://www.faanq.org.au/>

### ***Australian Italian Festival***

August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>

Ingham

For information: [http://www.hinchinbrookchamber.com.au/events\\_festivals.html](http://www.hinchinbrookchamber.com.au/events_festivals.html)

### ***Townsville Cultural Festival***

August 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>

Jezzine Park, Townsville

For information: <http://www.culturalfest.org/>

### ***Magnetic Island Bay Dayz Festival***

September 4<sup>th</sup> – October 4<sup>th</sup>

For information: <http://www.whatsonmagneticisland.com.au/3days/categoryevents/13-magnetic-island-festival-bay-dayz>

### ***Glencore Greek Festival***

October 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>

Riverway Park, Townsville

For information: <http://www.greekfest.com.au/>

### ***Airlie Beach Music Festival***

November 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>

For information: <http://airliebeachfestivalofmusic.com.au/>

### ***Other Australian Festivals***

<http://australia.gov.au/about-australia/australian-story/festivals-in-australia>

## **Markets**

### ***Balgal Beach Markets***

First and third Saturday of each month 10am – 3pm

Stalls include fruit and vegetables, crafts, plants, cakes, hand-made soaps and oils, children's clothes.

Balgal Beach near the Fisherman's Landing Café For information: 4770 7227 Dick Charleston

### ***Bluewater Community Centre Twilight Markets***

April 11th, May 9th 2 – 6pm

Markets are held on the second Saturday of every month. The December markets will also incorporate the community's Christmas Family Fun Day which will include entertainment and demonstrations by several clubs. Address: Bluewater Community Association. Forestry Rd, Bluewater

For information: 4788 6333 Rachel Fox; <mailto:bccmarkets@hotmail.com>

### ***Bushland Beach Markets***

Markets are held on the first and third Sunday of each month.

Coffee, cakes, homemade fudge, chutney and jams, plants, sarongs, bags, pottery, organic produce, handmade soaps, hand cream, children's and baby wear.

70 Livistonia Close, Bushland Beach

For information: <mailto:admin@bushlandbeachmarkets.com.au>

<http://www.facebook.com/bushlandbeachmarkets>

### **Carlyle Gardens Arts & Crafts Market**

First Saturday of each month 9am – 12noon

Residents sell their handmade treasures including cards, soaps, jewellery, toys, pottery, embroidery, fresh fruit and vegetables, preserves and much more.

Carlyle Gardens Retirement Village, Beck Dve North, Condon.

For information: 4773 1195; 0477 987 772

### **Castle Hill PCYC Sunday Markets**

Every Sunday 7am – 11am

Arts, crafts, cheap plants, cakes and second-hand goods.

Castle Hill PCYC, Cnr Hugh & Harold Streets, Garbutt

For information: 4779 6108 Joyce Mallett

### **Cotters Market**

Sundays from January to December 8.30am – 1pm

North Queensland's largest arts and crafts market with stalls selling pottery, jewellery, silk paintings, homemade sweets, fresh fruit and vegetables, plants and flowers in Flinders Street, CBD

Presented by Combined Rotary Clubs of Townsville

For information: 0417 721 822 <http://www.townsvillerotarymarkets.com.au>

### **Cotters Market Handmade Arts and Craft Precinct – Perc Tucker Regional Gallery**

April 19<sup>th</sup>, May 17<sup>th</sup> 8.30am – 1pm

Perc Tucker Regional Gallery runs this market within the Cotters Market on the third Sunday of each month.

Stalls by artists from the local region feature a variety of arts and craft. New stall holders are always welcome. A site fee of \$20 and \$5 insurance applies. The market also features a free Family Fun Day activity from 9 – 11am where children can make arts and craft. For information: 4773 8871

<mailto:pinnacles@townsville.qld.gov.au> or 4727 9011 <mailto:ptrg@townsville.qld.gov.au>

### **Label Traders Market**

April 19<sup>th</sup> 8am – 12pm

Vintage, recycled and designer market

Mundingburra State School, 77 Ross River Road, Mundingburra

For information: 0488 600 571 <http://www.facebook.com/labeltraderstonsville>

### **Magnetic Island Markets**

For information: <http://www.whatsonmagneticisland.com.au>

- **Arcadia Markets**  
5 – 8pm on Wednesday and Friday nights at the Hotel Arcadia  
A selection of food, raffles, amazing art, jewellery, handmade clothing and much more. Money raised at these markets helps to support the wildlife on the island through Magnetic Island Fauna Organisation (MIFO).
- **Horseshoe Bay Markets**  
9am – 2pm on second and final Sunday of each month (weather permitting)  
Jewellery, clothing, art, food, and an assortment of treasures are all available at these markets.  
To book a stall call the Magnetic Island Markets Coordinator on 0467 042 339 or <mailto:maggiemarkets@hotmail.com>  
Buses from the ferry terminal to Horseshoe Bay and all stops on the Island.
- **RSL Markets**  
Markets at the RSL Hall, Arcadia every Friday night. Stall holders welcome – call 4758 1233.

### **Renegade Handmade Indoor Market Extravaganza**

April 11<sup>th</sup>, May 9<sup>th</sup> 8am – 1pm

Second Saturday of each month. Arts, crafts and fashion all made by local artists.

Aitkenvale School Hall, Wotton Street, Aitkenvale

For information: 0477 900 222 <mailto:renegadehandmade@hotmail.com>

<https://www.facebook.com/morethanamarket>

### **Townsville Artist Market**

April 18<sup>th</sup> 9am – 12pm

The market consists of local arts, crafts and homemade food produce. Enjoy a day at the Riverway Arts Centre, shop, swim and relax at a shady BBQ area. The market features fine art, jewellery, fashion, one-of-a-kind gifts and homemade food produce.



Loads of entertainment:

- free art activities
- live local music
- exhibitions on show
- roaming performers & circus acts

For information: 4773 8871 Pinnacles Gallery <mailto:pinnacles@townsville.qld.gov.au>

### **Strand Night Markets**

First Friday of each month May to December 5 – 9:30pm

These markets offer a unique insight into the diverse North Queensland culture. They feature entertainment and a wide variety of food, fashion, craft, jewellery, and home and leisure displays.

Presented by Combined Rotary Clubs of Townsville

Strand Park, North Ward

For information: 0417 721 822 <http://www.townsvillerotarymarkets.com.au>

### **Willows Rotary Markets**

Sundays 7.30am – 11.30am

Shopping Centre car park, Thuringowa Central Presented by Combined Rotary Clubs of Townsville

For information: 0417 721 822 <http://www.townsvillerotarymarkets.com.au>

### **Charters Towers Charity Markets**

Held on the 4th Sunday of each month (except August, December and on the 2nd and 4th Sunday in July)

Centenary Park, Hackett Tce, Charters Towers

For information: 4787 1794

## **Film**

### **The Townsville Dante Alighieri Society**

9/203 Kings Road Pimlico 0497 037 146 <mailto:dantetownsville@inet.net.au>

<http://www.dantetownsville.com>

**April 19<sup>th</sup>** 4.30pm

#### ***The Fifth Wheel (M)***

*“L’ultima ruota del carro” (in Italian with English Subtitles)*

The Fifth Wheel is a romantic comedy that travels through the recent Italian history and the middle class society’s life which struggles to keep up.

Ernesto keeps on moving from job to job, getting in trouble and finding it difficult to keep up with daily responsibilities. Nevertheless Ernesto remains in search for his calling from a kindergarten cook, removalist to politician whilst in the background true historical political events of the eras are referenced to.

Special supper following the movie - lucky door prizes

Venue: James Cook University – Education Precinct Theatre, Education Central, James Cook Drive

<http://www.jcu.edu.au/maps/townsville/interactive/> (134 on map)

For tickets: Phone Dante Alighieri Office on 0497 037 146

or can be purchased at Senso/Siba and Sofia Fashion - 39 Gregory Street North Ward

Cost: \$20

### **Perc Tucker Regional Gallery**

Cnr Flinders & Denham Streets, CBD

4727 9011 <mailto:ptrg@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/perctucker/Pages/default.aspx>

Open 10am – 5pm Monday – Friday; 10am – 2pm Saturday – Sunday

**April 10<sup>th</sup>** 6pm

#### ***Jarmusch Double Feature***

Come to Perc Tucker Regional Gallery for a Jarmusch Double Feature with two of his best known works: ***Coffee and Cigarettes*** and ***Mystery Train***. *Jim Jarmusch* is an independent film director, screenwriter, actor, producer, editor and composer.

Jarmusch has consistently been a major proponent of independent cinema since the 1980s. His latest film is the apocalyptic vampire tale *Only Lovers Left Alive* (2014). Artgaze will run a pop up bar at this event with a coffee-inspired menu.

Age: 18+      RSVP: (07) 4727 9011

**6pm** - Pre-film Coffee talk by Jonathon from Coffee Dominion

Coffee Dominion is Townsville's specialty micro-roaster and espresso bar. Enjoy an espresso martini made with Dominion's special blend via Artgaze Pop Up Bar. Screenings curated and presented by Artgaze Film Club's Todd Barty and Jeanette Hutchinson.

**7pm - Coffee and Cigarettes** (2004) | 94 Minutes | Rated MA

This 11-vignette film focuses on the human interactions that happen while partaking in the everyday indulgence of coffee and cigarettes. Stars Iggy Pop, Tom Waits, Cate Blanchett, Jack White, Meg White, Alfred Molina, Steve Coogan, Katy Hansz and Bill Murray.

**9pm - Mystery Train** (1989) | 110 Minutes | Rated R

One of Jarmusch's very best movies; a boozy and beautiful pilgrimage to an iconic American ghost town and a paean to the music it gave the world. Mystery Train is comprised of three short anecdotes involving foreign tourists in Tennessee. Each story is set in a fleabag Memphis hotel restored as a "tribute" to Elvis Presley. (courtesy of NFSA)

Cost: \$15 three-month Artgaze membership, \$8 guest of Artgaze member. Members of the public welcome and can buy membership at the event.

### ***Riverway Lagoon Dive In Movie Night***

Riverway Lagoon, 20 Village Bvd, Thuringowa

**April 17<sup>th</sup>** 7.15pm

***Rio 2***

Grab your lie-low and lounge in the lagoon while watching How to Train Your Dragon 2

Presented by: Townsville City Council

Cost: free

### ***Townsville Cinema Group***

<mailto:info@cinemagroup.org.au>   <http://www.cinemagroup.org.au>

For information: 4779 2815 Bruce Gibson-Wilde   Screenings at Warrina Cineplex from 7.15pm

Screenings at Warrina Cineplex 164 Dalrymple Rd Currajong from 7.15pm

**April 23<sup>rd</sup>** 7.15pm

***Omar***

A young Palestinian freedom fighter works as an informant after he's tricked into an admission of guilt in the wake of an Israeli soldier's killing.

Belgium/Palestine 2014 (M)

***20,000 Days on Earth***

Documentary: A dramatization of a day in the life of musician and cultural icon Nick Cave.

UK 2014 (MA)

**May 7<sup>th</sup>** 7.15pm

***Blue is the Warmest Colour***

A French teen forms a deep emotional and sexual connection with an older art student she met in a lesbian bar.

France/Belgium 2014 (R18+)

(The film occupies the full programme)

### ***Townsville Civic Theatre***

41 Boundary St Townsville   4727 9797 TicketShop   <mailto:civic.theatre@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/theatres/civictheatre/Pages/default.aspx>

**April 20<sup>th</sup>** 7pm

***Banff Mountain Film Festival 2015***

Hot on the heels of the largest, and one of the most prestigious, mountain festivals in the world, the Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour has hit the road, with stops planned in more than 390 communities and 35 countries across the globe.

Travelling from remote landscapes and cultures, to up close and personal with adrenaline-packed action sports, the Banff Mountain Film Festival is an exhilarating and provocative exploration of the mountain world.

This year, the Australian line-up features over two hours of captivating short films shot in some of the most wild and remote corners of the world.

Audiences will experience incredible highs and agonising lows through the lenses of some of the most accomplished climbers, paddlers, skiers, snowboarders, mountaineers, mountain bikers, explorers and adventure filmmakers alive today. Presented by: World Expeditions

For information: [www.banffaustralia.com.au](http://www.banffaustralia.com.au)

Cost: \$32.50, group 15+ \$27.50, child 15yrs/under \$22.50

### **Townsville Classic Films**

<mailto:townsvilleclassicfilms@live.com> <http://www.townsvilleclassicfilms.com.au>

School of Arts Theatre, Cnr Walker & Stanley Streets, CBD

See website for membership details.

**April 11<sup>th</sup>** 6.30pm

#### **40,000 Horsemen**

Three young Australians join the army at the beginning of World War I and are assigned to the Australian Light Horse cavalry, which is serving in Palestine. The three eventually take part in the attack during the Battle of Beersheba, which was the last cavalry charge in modern warfare.

Drama/ War (PG) 1940

**April 12<sup>th</sup>** 6.30pm

#### **Summer of the Seventeenth Doll**

This movie is based on the internationally acclaimed play by Ray Lawler. Two Australian sugarcane cutters spend their annual five-month vacations in Sydney with their mistresses.

Starring Ernest Borgnine, Anne Baxter and John Mills

Comedy / Drama (M) 1959

**May 2<sup>nd</sup>** 7pm

#### **Sunrise**

In this fable-morality tale subtitled "A Song of Two Humans", the "evil" temptress is a city woman who bewitches farmer Anses and tries to convince him to murder his neglected wife, Indre.

Drama/ Romance (G) 1927

**May 3<sup>rd</sup>** 7pm

#### **Robbery Under Arms**

When film first began there was no soundtrack, though it wasn't ever strictly true that early film was silent. Filmmakers respond to obstructions and the short-comings of the medium with invention and innovation. By the end of the 'Silent' era, the filmmakers of the time had become masters of their medium. In May we are celebrating two films from the end of the 'Silent Era'.

## **Music**

### **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Folk Music**

4789 1897 or 0427 351 273 Dave & Sue 4 Kawana Court, Kelso.

The group meets on the fourth Sunday of each month (except December) at 2pm and has an emphasis on but not restricted to Australian produced folk music, song and poetry.

Next meeting: April 26<sup>th</sup>

### **PCYC Melodies with PALLADIUM "The Dance Band"**

**April 10<sup>th</sup>, May 8<sup>th</sup>** 10am -12.30pm

On the second Friday of each month, come and join PCYC Townsville and be entertained by PALLADIUM.

Morning tea is provided. Townsville PCYC, Wellington St, Aitkenvale

PCYC offer a return pick up service from around Townsville for \$4.

For information: 4781 9100; mailto: [townsville@pcyc.org.au](mailto:townsville@pcyc.org.au); <http://www.pcyc.org.au/townsville>

Cost: \$10 per person

### **School of Arts Theatre**

4772 2549 Cnr Stanley & Walker Streets, CBD <http://www.soatheatre Townsville.com.au>

#### **1RAR Band: Ella 'n' Frank**

**May 8<sup>th</sup>** 7.30pm

1RAR Band plays Ella 'n' Frank – A tribute to Ella Fitzgerald and Frank Sinatra.

## **The North Queensland Irish Association (NQIA)**

<http://www.nqia.com.au/>

Irish tunes sessions on first Saturday of each month at Molly Malones Irish Bar and Restaurant, Flinders Street East from 5 – 6pm. Anyone interested in jamming should take a fiddle, tin whistle, flute, guitar, mandolin, ukulele, bouzouki, bodhran, bones, spoons or anything that can produce a lively dance tune.

Next session: May 2<sup>nd</sup>

## **The Venue Townsville**

719 Flinders Street West, Townsville 4724 2800 <mailto:music@thevenuetownsville.com.au>

<http://www.thevenuetownsville.com.au>

**April 10<sup>th</sup> 7pm**

### ***KISSTERIA - The Australian KISS Show***

With Special Guests

Sydney's own tribute to the undisputed kings of glam rock has been wowing audiences since 1996 and don't look like stopping anytime soon. Tools of their trade include make-up, costumes, smoking guitars, guitar smashing, fire breathing, blood drooling, confetti showers and of course the best mix of KISS hits and classic anthems loved by one and all, young and old.

For information: <http://premier.ticketek.com.au/shows/show.aspx?sh=KISSTERI15&v=TVT>

**May 1<sup>st</sup> 7pm**

### ***Jeff Martin 'Returning From the Ocean at the End' Solo and Acoustic Tour***

With Special Guest Tim Griffin Blues

Following a mammoth year of recording and touring in Canada and Australia, Jeff Martin will hit the road in solo acoustic mode nationally from March through to May on his 'Returning from the Ocean at the End' tour.

For information: <http://premier.ticketek.com.au/shows/show.aspx?sh=JEFFMART15>

**May 16<sup>th</sup> 7pm**

### ***Andrew Strong 'The Commitments Tour'***

With Special Guests Tim Griffin Blues and The Short Fall

Earlier this year Australia welcomed ecstatic news that Irish singer Andrew Strong would be touring The Commitments and would be hitting our shores in August through till September.

Based on the 1992 Alan Parker cult classic film that was released, The Commitments is something of a rags-to-riches story that sees the group fall just short of stardom.

For information: <http://premier.ticketek.com.au/shows/show.aspx?sh=ANDREWST15&v=TVT>

## **Townsville Civic Theatre**

41 Boundary St Townsville 4727 9797 TicketShop <mailto:civic.theatre@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/theatres/civictheatre/Pages/default.aspx>

**April 21<sup>st</sup> 8pm**

### ***Ace Frehley***

Ace Frehley will play a host of solo anthems and Kiss classics, which will be sure to keep the Northern fans happy.

This show is proudly presented by Metropolis Touring, Bullet Proof AU and Packmule Entertainment.

This is an 18+ event.

Cost: Admit 1 \$82.70; VIP Experience \$402.70

For information: [https://au.patronbase.com/\\_TVCC/Productions/0819/Performances](https://au.patronbase.com/_TVCC/Productions/0819/Performances)

## **Townsville Folk & Acoustic Club**

Bellevue Hotel, Allen Street, South Townsville <mailto:secretary@tsvfolkclub.org> <http://www.tsvfolkclub.org>

Next sessions: April 23<sup>rd</sup>, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>

## **Townsville Jazz Club**

0413 456 542 Marie Gibson (President) <http://www.jazztownsville.com>

Regular sessions at the PCYC Wellington St, Aitkenvale on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays each month from 6 to 9pm. (doors open at 5.30pm)

Cover charge for club nights: members \$10; non-members \$15

Next sessions: April 12<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>; May 10<sup>th</sup>

## **Townsville Music and Performance Arts Space (TMPAS)**

0417 473 325 Laurence <http://tmpas.com/old-courthouse-events-tmpas/>

Old Courthouse, Cnr Sturt & Stokes Streets, City

TMPAS is a community based inclusive group driven by enjoyment of music and performance for everyone. TMPAS holds Open Mic Nights at the Old Courthouse every second Friday of the month. Performers register 6.30pm for 7pm start (approximately 15 minutes performance times for each act).

Next sessions: April 10<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>; May 8<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>

## **Townsville Ukes**

West End Hotel Beer Garden, 89 Ingham Rd, West End

0408 188 540 Wally Murdoch <mailto:wallym7@optusnet.com.au> <http://townsvilleukuleleclub.org.au>

Meets Tuesdays weekly – beginners session 6.45 – 7.30pm; open session 7.30pm – close.

# **Radio**

## **Radio Triple T 103.9FM Community Radio**

For information: 4721 5333 <http://www.triplet.com.au>

Weekly Program: <http://www.triplet.com.au/programs.html>

*International Sunday* features a diverse collection of music, news, weather and current events in English as well as the native language of the presenters on Sundays from 12noon – 7pm.

Details at: [http://www.triplet.com.au/programs\\_internationalsunday.html](http://www.triplet.com.au/programs_internationalsunday.html)

# **Theatre**

## **Burdekin Theatre**

161 Queen Street Ayr

4783 9880 <mailto:burdekin.theatre@burdekin.qld.gov.au> <http://www.burdekintheatre.com.au>

**May 1<sup>st</sup> 7pm**

### ***Burdekin Inter School Drama Festival***

Come and enjoy some fabulous work by our local school students in the 2015 Burdekin Interschool Drama Festival. This year's festival is hosted by Home Hill High School and the program features three 40min plays from Home Hill High School, Burdekin Catholic High School and Ayr State High School.

For information: <http://www.burdekintheatre.com.au/events/upcoming/>

## **Jupiters Townsville Hotel and Casino**

Sir Leslie Thiess Drive, Townsville 4722 2333

**April 11<sup>th</sup> 8pm**

### ***Bizarre Gazzard - stage hypnotism show***

Using comedy, costumes, music, props and his audience, the Bizarre Gazzard will demonstrate the amazing power of the human mind as he hypnotises his volunteers.

Drinks are available for purchase during the event. Guests must be 18+ to attend.

Venue: Jupiters Grand Ballroom

Cost: \$30. For information: <http://www.jupiterstownsville.com.au/play-offers/2576/>

## **Full Throttle Theatre Company & Props Youth Theatre**

Old Courthouse Theatre, Cnr Sturt and Stokes Streets, Townsville

4721 5433 / 0418 747 096 <mailto:admin@fullthrottletheatre.com> <http://www.fullthrottletheatre.com/>

**To April 12<sup>th</sup>**

### ***The Townsville Blues and Roots Festival***

Full Throttle Theatre Company and Packmule Entertainment, present the Townsville Blues and Roots Festival featuring the Blues Fest Side Show at Jezzine Barracks with Donovan Frankenreiter on April 9<sup>th</sup> and gigs at the Old Courthouse Theatre, the Perfume Gardens, the Herbert Hotel and the Victoria Park Hotel.

Cost: \$55 includes access to all Townsville Blues and Roots Festival events. Must have your wristband on for entry. Available at Oztix and Skin, Ski and Surf in Flinders street. Single event tickets \$20 available on the door.

For information: <http://www.bluesandrootstowns ville.com/#!/home>

**April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> 7pm; 25<sup>th</sup> 2pm**

***Don Juan Comes Back From The War***

Take a journey through a blasted, post-apocalyptic landscape with one of history's most notorious lovers as he searches for his lost love, but encounters a new kind of woman. A darkly comic classic, 'Don Juan Comes Back From The War' is a timeless tale of epic-tragedy and scintillating humour.

Cost: \$25/\$20/\$15

## **Riverway Arts Centre**

4727 9797 TicketShop 20 Village Boulevard Thuringowa

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/theatres/riverwayarts/Pages/default.aspx>

**April 10<sup>th</sup> 8pm**

***Close to You: Riverway Session #1***

This is a narrative concert tribute to the greatest vocal duo of the 60's and 70's – Karen and Richard Carpenter. Remember Close To You, For All We Know, We've Only Just Begun?

Please note: Tapas included in the ticket price; Bar open during Cabaret.

Seating is tables of 8. No special dietary requirements available.

Cost: \$55/\$50

**May 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> 7pm; 16<sup>th</sup> 2pm, 7pm**

***Ring Round the Moon***

The story is set during a ball in the wintergarden of a French chateau presided over by the wealthy aristocrat, Madam Desmortes (Grace Burden). She has identical twin nephews. Frederic (Rory Allen) sensitive, shy, kind-hearted and engaged to a rich heiress, Diana (Julie Reily) and his cold-hearted, twin brother, Hugo (Jacob Karlsbakk). Hugo knows his brother's marriage would be a disaster and hires a beautiful but impoverished ballet dancer, Isabelle (Rose Ioannou), to be the belle of the ball. Unfortunately the beautiful ballerina falls for Hugo, which is only the beginning of the complications to be disentangled before the night is out.

Presented by: Townsville Grammar School

Cost: \$45/\$35, child \$20, family (2a+2c) \$120

**May 23<sup>rd</sup> 6pm**

***ARPAN... an Offering***

ARPAN...an Offering, an annual Indian event showcasing Indian culture and presenting an array of Indian classical dance and vocal performances. This year we have noted Mohiniattam dancer and teacher, Tara Rajkumar (OAM), and her student Sruthi Sridhar from Natya Sudha Dance Company, Melbourne. Mohan Sridhar, a Carnatic vocalist will be joined by Athavan Narendran on percussion together offering soul thrilling Carnatic renditions.

This will be an evening filled with mouth-watering traditional Indian cuisine (inclusive in the ticket) followed by cultural performances.

Cost: \$30/\$25, child \$20, family (2a+2c) \$75

## **Thuringowa State High School**

26-54 Vickers Road South, Condon 4753 8888 <mailto:tberg8@eq.edu.au>

<https://thuringowashs.eq.edu.au/>

**May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm**

***Thuringowa State High School Annual Theatre Restaurant***

Live show with a three course meal served. Fully licensed bar.

Performing Arts Theatre, Thuringowa State High School, 26-54 Vickers Road South, Condon

Cost: \$40

## **Townsville Civic Theatre**

41 Boundary St Townsville 4727 9797 TicketShop <mailto:civic.theatre@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/theatres/civictheatre/Pages/default.aspx>

**April 17<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm**

***The Ten Tenors on Broadway***

The Ten Tenors have cemented their place as Australia's premier classical-crossover group, and now they break new ground with their brand new Broadway Show. The Ten Tenors on Broadway is a wonderful collection of Broadway's most-loved classics sung by ten of Australia's hottest tenors. You will be delighted by this powerful mix of theatrical showstoppers and heart-melting ballads as The Ten Tenors take on some of the greatest show tunes in the world including hits from Les Miserables, Phantom of the Opera, Oklahoma, The Wizard of Oz, Wicked, Miss Saigon, Carousel and many more.  
Presented by: Frog in a Sock Pty Ltd  
Cost: \$79.80 (one ticket price for all)

**April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> 8.30pm**

**Melbourne International Comedy Festival Roadshow**

This year's festival will be heading to over 75 destinations across Australia – all packaged up and delivered to your door for an unforgettable night of untamed hilarity. Comedians have been confirmed as Beau Heartbreaker, Kevin Kropinyeri, Jen Kirkman, Nick Valvo and Nick Cody.  
Warning: Performances may contain coarse language, sexual references, smoke effects and material that can offend. It is recommended for people aged 15 years or older.  
Cost: \$38/\$35/\$30, group 10+ \$33

**April 28<sup>th</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> 11am**

**On a Humorous Note - Hilary Henshaw Morning Melodies 2015**

Join Hilary Henshaw with special guest Will Conyers on a rib-tickling tour de force featuring Joyce Grenfell, Gracie Fields, Beatrice Lillie, Fanny Brice, Sophie Tucker, Blossom Dearie, Flanders and Swann, Noel Coward, Irving Berlin and Stephen Sondheim.  
Cost: \$14/\$12

**May 8<sup>th</sup> 7pm, Pre-performance entertainment 6pm**

**NQ Arts Awards 2015**

The NQ Arts Awards 2015 is the region's pinnacle arts and cultural event recognising and showcasing the artistic talents of groups and individuals in the North Queensland area. The Awards incorporate the Burdekin, Hinchinbrook, Charters Towers and Townsville regions and span the visual, literary and performing arts.  
Pre-performance - Entertainment & pre-show Canapés from 6pm.  
Cost: \$20

**May 16<sup>th</sup> 7pm, 17<sup>th</sup> 12.30pm**

**Coppelia**

Queensland Ballet's delightful Coppélia follows two bickering young lovers who create comic chaos in Dr Coppélius's mysterious workshop. Franz and Swanilda are both curious about the beautiful girl who they have seen on Dr Coppélius's balcony. Jealous of Franz's apparent romantic interest, Swanilda sneaks into the doctor's house to confront her rival. To her great surprise, she finds that Coppélia is not what she seems. When Doctor Coppélius and Franz arrive, the resourceful Swanilda decides to become a real, living doll.  
Warnings: Haze, Smoke and Strobe Lightings are used in this performance  
Presented by: Townsville City Council - A Queensland Ballet Production  
Cost: \$47/\$42, child \$25

## Townsville Little Theatre

4724 3112 <mailto:theatre.lover@townsvillemiddletheatre.org.au> <http://www.townsvillemiddletheatre.com.au>

**April 22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm**

**Short Season of Short Plays (SSoSPs)**

Be tempted and delighted with a variety of one act and ten minute plays. Performance Venue: Saint Margaret Mary's Theatre, Crowle Street, Hermit Park (beside the Townsville RSL)  
Cost: \$20/\$15/\$10  
For information: <http://www.trybooking.com/128689>

## World Theatre Charters Towers

4787 4344 82-90 Mosman St <mailto:worldtheatre@charterstowers.qld.gov.au>  
<http://www.facebook.com/WorldTheatreChartersTowers>

**April 19<sup>th</sup> 10am**

**Lissa & Nee Nee: Adventure Time**

Lissa and Nee Nee are a Brisbane-based, all-singing, all-dancing, high energy, fun-filled, family friendly musical duo. Their shows feature fun-filled jazz numbers, magical nursery rhymes and rocking originals. Audiences are moved to their feet by the infectious energy of Lissa and Nee Nee. Parents can't resist joining in the fun and soon enough the entire theatre is singing and dancing along to Lissa and Nee Nee's well-choreographed Tom-foolery.

The overall themes of their shows are friendship and adventure. Lissa and Nee Nee are best friends and enjoy travelling around having everyday adventures.

Cost: \$10

For information: <https://www.facebook.com/events/769762599782906/?ref=98>

**April 19<sup>th</sup> 2pm**

### **Sweet, Sour & Saucy**

Sweet, Sour & Saucy is framed within a 1950s Australian talkback radio love show hosted by Barry and Barbara (played by Tnee and Melissa) featuring songs by Eartha Kitt, Louis Armstrong, Ella Fitzgerald, Bessie Smith, Nat King Cole and more.

Sweet, Sour & Saucy is duo jazz/cabaret performance featuring fresh, energetic interpretations of jazz standards from high calibre singer/musicians Antony (Tnee) Dyer and Melissa Western.

Cost: \$20/\$15

For information: <https://www.facebook.com/events/895995200432188/?ref=98>

## **Workshops/Training/Conferences**

### **ABC Open**

<http://www.abc.net.au/open> <mailto:bromage.michael@abc.net.au>

Contact: Michael Bromage 4772 3025

For information: <https://open.abc.net.au/events?regionId=22>

### **ABC Open Project: 'Unsung'**

Share a story of an inspiring person in the community.

For information: <https://open.abc.net.au/projects/unsung-85wl6qw#/discover>

### **ABC Open Workshops**

For information on ABC Open workshops for north QLD:

<https://open.abc.net.au/events/?regionId=22>

### **Art Classes with Dr Barbara Cheshire**

April 21<sup>st</sup> – May 26<sup>th</sup> (Every Tuesday for 6 weeks)

Tuesday afternoon class: 1- 4 pm

Tuesday evening class: 6 – 9 pm

Maximum of 12 students per class. Students purchase own materials – minimum materials supplied

For Registration: 0412 632 261 <mailto:bcheshir@bigpond.net.au>

(The first 12 people registered and paid per class will be accepted, others will be put on a waiting list.)

Following classes for 2015: July 14<sup>th</sup> – August 18<sup>th</sup>; October 6<sup>th</sup> – November 10<sup>th</sup>

Cost: \$300 – (includes 18 hours of tuition which includes all painting and drawing media)

Early bird price \$280 if purchased before April 14<sup>th</sup>.

### **Art Lessons with Lynn Scott-Cumming**

Painting and Drawing classes to be held on Wednesdays 1 – 3pm

Venue: Studio 36, 36 Norris Street, Hermit Park

Cost: \$15.00

For information: Lynn 0429 115 591, Fiona 0409 096 720

### **Drum Lessons with Shannon Reed**

Over 25 years playing drums and over 15 years teaching drums.

For information: Shannon 0477 067 393; <http://www.shanreed.wix.com/drumlessons>

### **Citylibraries Activities**

Aitkenvale Branch: Cnr Petunia St & Ross River Rd – 4727 8310



Flinders St Branch: Northtown – 4727 9666

Thuringowa Central: Cnr Thuringowa & Hinchinbrook Drives – 4773 8811. Please note Citylibraries Thuringowa offers a free photocopying service for not-for-profit organisations.

Facebook is a great way to keep up-to-date with newly released books, programs, video links, and events <http://www.facebook.com/pages/CityLibraries-Townsville/254424854642071>

View CityLibraries calendar of events and book online at

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/community/events/Pages/programs.aspx>

*Learn Discover Connect* has news about upcoming events, activities and resources, including workshops and activities, author talks, lectures, displays, children and young people's activities, information about library services, learning partner events, book reviews, reader and learner resources. Pick up a hard copy at your library or the Community Information Centre or view at:

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/libraries/services/pages/enews.aspx>

### ***Dancenorth Open Classes***

Dancenorth dancers cross train by taking a variety of classes every day to ensure they are performance fit. To enable the general public to benefit from the dancers' expert tuition Dancenorth has created these classes. There is a range of open classes for all abilities that are guaranteed to improve health, stress levels, posture, flexibility and confidence.

Classes include contemporary dance, ballet, pilates (beginners and intermediate), yoga (beginners and intermediate), belly dancing and social dance/ballroom/Latin.

Cost: \$10 per class; \$80 for a 10 class pass; \$250 for annual unlimited classes – February special: annual unlimited pass reduced to \$225.

For information: 4772 2549 <mailto:karin@dancenorth.com.au> <http://dancenorth.com.au/?cat=38>

### ***Dante Alighieri Society Italian Language Classes***

9/203 Kings Road Pimlico

For information: text the word Dante to 0439 349 568 or <mailto:dantetownsville@inet.net.au>

<http://www.dantetownsville.com/>

### ***Full Throttle Theatre Company & Props Youth Theatre***

Old Courthouse Theatre, Cnr Sturt and Stokes Streets, Townsville

4721 5433 / 0418 747 096 <mailto:admin@fullthrottletheatre.com> <http://www.fullthrottletheatre.com/>

- ***Mapping Climate Change***

April 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>; May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> 2 – 5pm

Climate change and art workshops where you can map out local concerns creatively.

This is a community project where the focus is on learning about climate change, our concerns, our community and then translating that into artworks

Ally Lankester will run the sciency things and Michelle Hall will facilitate the creative map making.

For information: <https://www.facebook.com/events/439939026165668/>

Cost: free

### ***International Folk Dance Beginners' Classes: U3A Dance Classes***

Mondays weekly 1.30 – 3pm

Introducing dances from the Balkan and Eastern European countries. Circle dancing – no partner needed. Wear comfortable shoes, take a bottle of water. It's fun, sociable, and an excellent way to maintain fitness.

Heatley Community Centre, Cnr Fulham Rd and Lindeman Ave, Heatley

Cost \$4 per class (includes cup of tea).

Participants need to be members of U3A. U3A membership: \$20 per year – no minimum age

For information: 0417 780 016 Philippa <mailto:pippambc@hotmail.com>

### ***James Cook University Creative Arts Courses***

Offers programs that are innovative, flexible, industry relevant, intellectually stimulating, and artistically adventurous. Students explore creative art-making within a rigorous and supportive learning and teaching environment.

For information: 4781 3166 <mailto:creativearts@jcu.edu.au> <http://www.jcu.edu.au/soca/>

### ***La Luna Youth Arts***

Riverway Arts Centre, 20 Village Boulevard, Thuringowa

4773 6377 <mailto:admin@lalunanq.com> <http://www.lalunanq.com>

- ***La Luna Youth Arts' Come & Play Program***

April 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>

School Holiday Workshops: Art, Film, Dance, Tech, Drama, Circus, Music  
For information: <http://www.lalunang.com/holidayprogram.pdf>

### **Latin Vibrations**

<http://www.latinvibrations.com.au>

0422 198 369

Term 2 casual timetable starts April 20<sup>th</sup>. For information: <http://www.latinvibrations.com.au/classes>

### **Live@SOA – Social Event**

This is a new concept for the School of Arts (SOA) Theatre, as a way for patrons to wind up a busy week with casual live music and refreshments.

Held on the first Friday of every month. Cost: \$5; Dancenorth members free

For information: <http://www.soatheatretownsville.com.au>

### **Museum of Tropical Queensland**

Flinders Street East, CBD 4726 0600 <http://www.mtq.qm.qld.gov.au>

Open daily 9.30am – 5pm

- Holiday School Program, *Museum Zoo*

For information: <http://www.mtq.qm.qld.gov.au/Events+and+Exhibitions/Events/2015/04/Museum+Zoo>

### **Nth Qld Potters Assoc Inc,**

#### **Quick Guide to Pottery Classes:**

- Edward O'Brien: 0407 628 307 Wed 6-9pm, Sat 2-5pm  
<mailto:edwardobrien66@gmail.com> <http://www.edwardobrienpottery.weebly.com>  
<http://www.facebook.com/EdwardOBrienPottery>
- Fiona Banner: 0409 096 720 Friday members group & class 9am-12pm Fridays  
Mon 6.30-9pm & Wed 9-11.30am (mosaics)  
<mailto:flipastretch@bigpond.com>
- Sally Burns: 0422 247 228 (after 5pm) Mon 6.30-9pm & Wed 9-11.30am  
<mailto:mustangmosaics@hotmail.com>
- Stella Thompson-Wheway: Wednesday 10am-12pm  
4771 2019 / 0499 077 510 <mailto:Stella.thompson-wheway@hotmail.com>  
Mary Parkes: 0411 109 937 Children's' class Mon 3.30-5.30pm <mailto:mjprks@gmail.com>

### **Perc Tucker Regional Gallery Workshops**

Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Cnr Flinders and Denham Streets, City

For information and bookings: 4727 9011 <mailto:ptrg@townsville.qld.gov.au>

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/perctucker/Pages/default.aspx>

- Tuesdays 6.30 – 9.30pm

*Percival's Life Drawing* – sessions for short dynamic gestural poses.

Everyone is welcome, no experience is necessary and bookings are not required but participants will need to take their own drawing materials and paper. Please note that this is not an art class. Suitable for ages 16+ years, however under 18s will need their parents to accompany them on the first instance to sign a permission form

Upstairs Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Cnr Denham and Flinders Streets, CBD (Denham Street entrance)

Cost: \$15 per session (easels, model and boards supplied). Please take your own materials.

- *After School Art Program* 3.30 – 5.30pm

Join the After School Art craze with a broad variety of workshops that enhance and develop art skills.

Through hands on activities led by a qualified visual arts teacher, participants will increase their knowledge and understanding of the visual arts and gain confidence to express themselves creatively. Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons throughout Term 2 (excluding May 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>)

Participants will need to nominate either Tuesday or Wednesday. Ages 5 – 11 years

Bookings are essential. Cost: \$20 per session.

- *Art Escape School Holiday Program*

Art Escape is a school holiday program held at Perc Tucker Regional Gallery. This program includes age appropriate, fun arts and craft workshops led by local artists. Art Escape workshops are aimed at

school-aged children and are designed to spark creative ideas and encourage participants to unleash their artistic skills in a controlled environment.

Local artists have been engaged to deliver these workshops with the intent to sustain the local arts community and ensure that participants receive the full breadth of artistic skill and experience that North Queensland artists have to offer. Bookings are essential.

Cost: \$15 per session.

For information: <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/perctucker/Pages/default.aspx>

- *Mixed Media Watercolour*

*Friends of the Galleries workshop with local artist Cath Meharry*

April 18<sup>th</sup> 12 – 3pm

Cath is an artist and teacher who is constantly inspired by her rich surroundings; the rainforest, beach, islands and the colours of the tropics. Be guided through a creative journey that allows you to relax and discover your inner artistic. You will learn how to combine watercolour, collage and pen to make mixed media works inspired by colour, pattern and the texture of nature.

Cost: Non-members \$40, Friends of the Galleries \$20. Drinks and nibbles provided. RSVP 4727 9011

- *Weave the Reef, Love the Reef*

April 18<sup>th</sup> 10am – 1pm, Townsville Bulletin Square

May 23<sup>rd</sup> 10am – 1pm, Townsville Bulletin Square

May 31<sup>st</sup> 10am – 4pm, Eco Fiesta, Queens Gardens

Join members of the Fibres and Fabrics Association Inc. in a series of free, pop-up community workshops throughout 2015 in the Townsville CBD. Participants will be guided in creating coral reef structures from marine debris, recycled clothing and crochet, including ghost nets and rubbish collected from Tangaroa Blue Foundation Beach Clean Ups.

Components of the community artwork resulting from the workshops will be displayed at **ECO Fiesta**, during **Strand Ephemera**, and culminating in a large installation at Perc Tucker Regional Gallery and Flinders Street during the major exhibition **REEF**, to be launched in December.

All ages welcome. Cost: free

- *Free Family Fun Day*

April 19<sup>th</sup>, May 17<sup>th</sup> 10.30am – 12.30pm

At Family Fun Days children can come and partake in art making activities in the gallery. Drop in for 5 minutes or 2 hours. All materials are provided. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Family fun days are held on the third Sunday of every month.

Cost: free

- *art-box: art activities for under 5's*

April 21<sup>st</sup> 10 – 11am

This program is designed for under 5's, mums, dads and carers. Set in a playful and creative environment where children are introduced to a range of art techniques, art-box is held at Perc Tucker Regional Gallery on the third Tuesday of every month. Parent groups are welcome.

Cost: gold coin donation for activities

### **PCYC Upper Ross**

43 Allambie Lane Rasmussen 4789 2145

<http://www.pyc.org.au/UpperRoss>

#### **YOLO School Holiday Program**

Free Youth Activities – Autumn 2015

Ages 11 – 17 years

For information: <http://www.pyc.org.au/PDF/Clubs/Upper-Ross/Upper-Ross-YOLO-poster-Autumn-2015.aspx>

### **Pinnacles Gallery**

Riverway Arts Centre, 20 Village Blvd, Thuringowa Central Open: 10am – 5pm (Tuesday – Sunday)

4773 8871 <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/pinnacles>

- *art-box: art activities for under 5's*

May 5<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11am

Come and explore the Gallery, learn about art and craft, meet new friends and have fun. A playful and creative environment for under 5's, mums, dads and carers, where children are introduced to a range of art techniques. Parent groups welcome.

Cost: gold donation for activities.

- *Monday Morning Art Group*

April 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>; May 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> 9am – 3pm

Social painting sessions held in the RAC Workshop Room at Riverway Arts Centre. This group of senior citizens is aligned with the University of the Third Age (U3A), and help each other create art in oils, acrylic, pastels and watercolours. The Monday Morning Art Group is free to join but you must be a member of U3A to participate (\$20 per year).

### **TAFE Qld North, PIMLICO**

Fulham Road, Pimlico Rooms F1.01-3 (F1.16) 4750 5228

<mailto:donna.foley@tafe.qld.edu.au>

<http://www.tafenorth.edu.au>

#### **Art workshops – non-assessable**

- *Introductory Photoshop (F1.16)*

April 22<sup>nd</sup> – May 13<sup>th</sup> 5.30 – 8.30pm

Cost: \$215

- *Intermediate Photoshop (F1.16)*

May 20<sup>th</sup> – June 10<sup>th</sup> 5.30 – 8.30pm

Cost: \$215

- *Experimental Techniques in Painting*

April 28<sup>th</sup> – May 26<sup>th</sup> 5.30 – 8.30pm

Cost: \$290

- *Printmaking/Engraving*

April 29<sup>th</sup> – May 27<sup>th</sup> 5.30 – 8.30pm

Cost: \$270

- *Intermediate Drawing*

April 29<sup>th</sup> – May 27<sup>th</sup> 5.30 – 8.30pm

Cost: \$290

- *Sculpture – Molding and Casting*

April 29<sup>th</sup> – May 20<sup>th</sup> 5.30 – 8.30pm

Cost: \$270

### **The Good Shepherd Home**

Sir James Foote Day Therapy Centre, University Drive, Annandale

4772 9900; <http://www.tgsh.org.au>

<mailto:admin@tgsh.org.au>

**April 7<sup>th</sup> – May 12<sup>th</sup>** (Tuesdays 9.30 – 11.30am)

#### **Pottery - Hand Building**

Feel the great texture of clay while you build a pot. Step by step lessons for beginners.

More advanced potters can enjoy hand building whilst enjoying the company of like-minded people.

Includes morning tea.

Available to people aged 65 years and over.

Contact The Good Shepherd Home to register.

Cost: \$20 for the full 6 week program

### **Tharlam Ling Buddhist Centre Inc**

As a former monk, Lama Choedak Rinpoche is a scholar and a great thinker. He is one of the most prominent Tibetan Buddhist masters living and teaching in Australia, sometimes assisting HH Dalai Lama in panel discussions and translating for HH Sakya Trizin. As the most successful teacher, Rinpoche has founded 20 Buddhist centres, institutions and retreat centres in Australia. His 27 years of teaching experience brings the best Buddhist wisdom has to offer to everyone's lives.

**May 2<sup>nd</sup>** 9am – 5pm

#### **A Jewel Garland for Your Life.**

The first time in Australia that Lama Choedak Rinpoche will offer revealing teaching on this subject.

\$80/\$70

**May 2<sup>nd</sup>** 7pm

#### **Public Talk: Healing Relationship: How to Move Forward**

Lama Choedak Rinpoche, the best selling author of the Healing Relationships, will offer his insights on the subject.

Cost: \$15/\$10

**May 3<sup>rd</sup>** 9 – 4pm

***Healing Herbal Goddess Parnashavari Meditation***

Parnashavari practice will complement and induce the effectiveness of any medications.

Cost: \$80/\$70

Venue: Carville Seniors Hall, Cnr Diprose & Albury Sts. Pimlico, Townsville 4812.

Cost: full weekend \$160/\$140

For information: Phil 0448 401 066; <mailto:pheang@bigpond.net.au>

<http://meditationtownsvilleharlamling.com/>

***Townsville Art Society Inc***

Jezzine Barracks Precinct Townsville 4771 3484 <mailto:tasarts@bigpond.com>

<http://www.townsvilleartsociety.org.au>

For information about adult and children's Art Classes and Social Painting Groups please follow the link.

<http://www.townsvilleartsocietyinc.org.au/class-info/>

***Umbrella Studio Activities***

482 Flinders St West, City 4772 7109 <http://umbrella.org.au/>

- *Umbrella Talk with artists from Post Post exhibition*

April 10<sup>th</sup> 5.15pm

An Umbrella Talk by some of the artists from the exhibition *Post Post* in the Main and Access spaces of Umbrella Studio. Audience participation is welcome - ask questions and gain an insight into the concept and development of the exhibition prior to the opening at 6pm.

- *Matrix Printmaking Series – Stone Lithography*

April 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>; May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> 10am – 3pm

The closest printmaking technique to drawing, lithography offers uniquely variations and beautiful mark-making.

Participants will learn:

- the basic application of preparing a stone
- transferring an image onto a stone
- processing the stone with adding and subtracting to your image

Explore mark-making and painting techniques using lithographic pencils, crayons and tusche washes. Understand the intricate process of making a stone lithograph and develop the skills to print a limited edition. Prior experience in lithography printmaking is helpful but not necessary. By the end of this workshop participants should have an idea of the processes involved and the ability to apply them to creating and printing an edition with minor supervision.

Facilitators: Jill O'Sullivan & Maxine Smith

Cost: \$350

- *Car Park Creatives*

May 9<sup>th</sup> 2 – 5pm

Come along and take part in street style art workshops at the Umbrella Studio Carpark. This is part of a series of youth workshops mentored by artist Hannah Murray. For students aged 12-17 years.

Cost: \$10 (includes all materials)

- *Printmaking with Us*

May 16<sup>th</sup> 9.30am – 2.30pm

The *Printmaking with Us* workshops are designed for people with intermediate to advanced levels in printmaking who will be able to share, collaborate and extend their printmaking practice together.

Artists are welcome to come and learn or further their skills with artist mentor, Jo Lankester. Some sessions will have the first 2 hours as instructive, the remainder will be studio time.

This session will be focusing on: Drypoint Etching

Cost: \$55

## **Volunteering North Queensland**

Unit 6/56 Charles St, Gulliver 4725 5990 <http://www.volunteeringnthqld.org.au>  
<mailto:vnq@volunteeringnthqld.org.au>

- *VNQ Volunteer Managers Network Morning Tea and free training session*  
April 16<sup>th</sup> 9.30am  
Guest Speaker: Toni McGregor from the Anti-Discrimination Commission will be providing an interactive information session to help ensure that your staff, members and volunteers have a clear understanding of their rights and responsibilities regarding Anti-Discrimination Law in Qld and what behaviours could be unlawful. Bookings are essential. RSVP by April 14<sup>th</sup>
- *Free Governance Training for not for profit Community Groups, clubs and organisations.*  
May 2<sup>nd</sup> 9am – 12pm  
This is an opportunity to gather information and tips on:
  - Managing your board or committee
  - Recognising your legal obligations
  - Understanding your financial responsibilitiesBookings are essential and places limited. RSVP by April 30<sup>th</sup>  
The workshop is partnered by TCC and Austin Tax Accounting

## **State, National**

### **Australian Film Television and Radio School Courses (AFTRS)**

<http://www.aftrs.edu.au>

### **Australian Society of Authors Online Courses**

The Australian Society of Authors has introduced online courses for regional and country members to develop their professional knowledge. The three new courses are Market yourself on Twitter, Publish your eBook with Amazon and 'Virtual Writers' Group with Charlotte Wood and Alison Manning.  
For information: <http://www.asauthors.org>

# **Date Claimers**

**Link to the [Events Calendar](#) on the Townsville City Council's Website for additional events**

**Please advise the Community Information Centre if you find errors in, or have additions or changes to these events.**

## **2015**

### **June**

#### **Australian Concerto & Vocal Competition**

June 13<sup>th</sup> 7pm

Twilight Fancies

*Twilight Fancies* will feature the 2014 Open Instrumental winner and winner of the John Hopkins Performance Fellowship Award flautist Jennifer Bradstreet from Sydney in a concert combining the beautiful sounds of flute, voice and piano to create music for your pleasure and enjoyment.

Joining Jennifer will be our resident official event accompanist Maryleigh Hand, also from Sydney, now well known to Townsville audiences and local singers Kelly Wilson, (soprano); Bronwyn Douglass (mezzo-soprano); Peter Carmen (tenor); Kevin Price (baritone) in a program of popular solos, duets and ensemble from opera and music theatre.

Venue: School of Arts Theatre, Cnr Stanley & Walker Streets, Townsville

Cost: \$30/\$25/\$15

For information: 4772 2549; <http://www.soatheatretownsville.com.au/>

## **Townsville Little Theatre**

4724 3112 <mailto:theatre.lover@townsvillelittletheatre.org.au> <http://www.townsvillelittletheatre.com.au>

### ***Play With Your Food***

**June 13<sup>th</sup>**

This innovative fundraising idea is a one-night only event and limited seating is available, so comedy theatre-lovers should be quick to book. It will be held at the Wellington Street PCYC in Aitkenvale.

The evening of comedy and food will consist of entree with a 10 minute play, main course with a one act play and dessert with another 10 minute play. Payment is due by May 22<sup>nd</sup> 5pm. Bookings and enquires to Iain McDougall - 0413 731 044.

Cost: \$50

## **July**

### **Queensland Music Festival**

*One Hundred and One Years*

July 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>

Jezzine Barracks, Townsville

### ***Australian Concerto & Vocal Competition***

July 24<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>

Townsville Civic Theatre

Entries close June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

<http://www.acvc.com.au> <mailto:info@acvc.com.au>

### ***Australian Festival of Chamber Music***

July 31<sup>st</sup> – August 8<sup>th</sup>

<http://www.afcm.com.au/>

## **September**

### ***Magnetic Island Bay Dayz Festival***

September 4<sup>th</sup> to October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2015

For information: 4758 1583; 4758 1125 <http://www.whatsonmagneticisland.com.au>

# **News & Sundries**

### ***2015 Australian Festival of Chamber Music Membership now open!***

Membership is a wonderful way to support the Festival, plus it ensures you are first to receive Festival news, receive a copy of the 2015 Booking Brochure and purchase tickets before they go on sale to the general public.

Annual Membership costs just \$65, plus a \$10 joining fee applies for first time members.

For information: 4771 4144, <http://www.afcm.com.au/membership>

### ***Arts for All Queenslanders Strategy***

This digital interactive strategy can be found at <http://www.arts.qld.gov.au/blog>

### ***Meeting of Cultural Ministers***

National Arts and Health Framework can be found at <http://mcm.arts.gov.au/>

### ***Arts and Culture: a quick guide to key internet links***

Compiled by the federal government, this guide provides quick links to many key arts and cultural organisations particularly federal bodies.

[http://www.aph.gov.au/About\\_Parliament/Parliamentary\\_Departments/Parliamentary\\_Library/pubs/rp/rp1415/Quick\\_Guides/ArtsCulture](http://www.aph.gov.au/About_Parliament/Parliamentary_Departments/Parliamentary_Library/pubs/rp/rp1415/Quick_Guides/ArtsCulture)

### ***NQ Arts Awards 2015***

The NQ Arts Awards 2015 is the region's pinnacle arts and cultural event recognising and showcasing the artistic talents of groups and individuals in the North Queensland area. The Awards incorporate the Burdekin, Charters Towers, Hinchinbrook and Townsville regions.

All nominations were received by February 28<sup>th</sup>. Winners will be announced at the NQ Arts Awards 2015 held at Townsville Civic Theatre on May 8<sup>th</sup>.

For information: <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au>

# Opportunities/Expressions of Interest

## ***Allegretto Choirs – Call for Singers***

Be part of a vibrant and exciting team of singers.

For information: Kerry Rehn <mailto:allegrettochoirs@bigpond.com> <http://allegrettochoirs.shutterfly.com>

## ***Amadeus Singers Children's Choir – Call for singers***

Classes take place at Annandale Christian College, Yolanda Drive, Annandale

Tuesday afternoons:

3.30 – 4.15pm – age 6 – 8 / Year 1 – 3

4.30 – 5.30pm – age 9 – 13 / Year 4 – 8

5.45 – 7pm – age 14+ / from Year 9

For information: 0426 610 291 Director: Anne Milanovic; <http://www.amadeus-singers.com.au>

## ***CityLibraries Indigenous (Murri) Book Club***

Meet with other Indigenous people to yarn about books and the ideas/characters in them.

Third Thursday of each month from 6 – 7pm at CityLibraries Aitkenvale.

Cost: free – all books are supplied

For information: 4727 8317 Janeese Henaway, Indigenous Library Officer

<mailto:Janeese.Henaway@townsville.qld.gov.au>

## ***CityLibraries VIP Book Club***

Any member of the community who is visually impaired, and their partners if they're willing to participate, are eligible to join this club.

Each month Vision Australia mails out an audio book copy of the title to discuss, and the meeting provides an informal and social opportunity to discuss the book and share information.

Second Friday of each month from 10am – 11am at the Aitkenvale Library Meeting Room

Cost: free

For information: 4727 8316 Community Services Librarian

## ***Learning Links – Call for Volunteers for Arts Related Areas***

Artists wanted! Learning Links is looking for Tutors to join this program. This is a partnership program between the Community Information Centre and CityLibraries and is about connecting the community with opportunities to learn. Learning Links is about people learning from each other. It's a friendly, relaxed way to learn one-on-one or in small groups at little or no cost. It provides opportunities for individuals to try new skills without the pressure of formal classes.

Learning Links is community-based, informal learning in relaxed surroundings that links new learners with volunteer tutors. It consists of a database register of volunteer tutors who are willing to help people learn new skills alongside a database register of people who want to learn something new or improve their skills.

As a volunteer Tutor you are not expected to be a professional in the subject area, you simply have particular skills that you are willing to share with others. Learners have requested subjects ranging from photography, crochet, dressmaking, screenprinting to writing. If this sounds like a chance for you to share your skill with others in either a one-on-one situation or if you are interested in setting up a "class" please contact the Learning Links Officer at the Community Information Centre 4771 4230;

<mailto:learninglinks@townsville.qld.gov.au>

## ***Perc Tucker Regional Gallery - Call for Artists: Strand Ephemera 2015***

**The North's Sculpture Festival | Proudly supported by Glencore**

**July 31<sup>st</sup> – August 9<sup>th</sup> 2015**

**Strand Ephemera** began in 2001 and became a biennial exhibition from that time. The event has grown over the years to be loved not only locally, but as an outdoor sculpture exhibition of state and national significance.

In 2013, **Strand Ephemera** was displayed for 10 days and left an indelible mark. Over 60,000 participants embraced the event with unprecedented enthusiasm; taking part in the Photographic Competition, voting in the Wilson/Ryan/Grose Lawyers People's Choice Award, joining in tours and workshops, and of course admiring the 31 artworks on display. It is anticipated the 2015 event will continue to build on this success.

### **Key Dates**

Application Closing Date

5pm, Friday 27 March 2015

Successful Applicants Notified

5pm, Friday 10 April 2015



Catalogue Info and Image Finalised  
Installation Dates  
Opening Event  
Exhibition Dates  
Demount

5pm, Monday 29 June 2015  
Monday 27 - Thursday 30 July 2015  
6pm, Saturday 1 August 2015  
Friday 31 July - Sunday 9 August 2015  
Monday 10 August 2015

### **Performing Arts Historical Society of Townsville (PAHST)**

P1 Hut 24 Jezzine Barracks, North Ward  
Historian/President, Gordon Hodgson, 4775 1565;  
Secretary/Treasurer, Ellen Read, 0418 778 698  
<mailto:enquiries@pahst.com> <http://www.pahst.com>

Volunteers are wanted to help man the Performing Arts Museum. The opening hours are 10am – 2pm. Please contact the PAHST for enquiries and further details.

### **Promotional Opportunities**

- <http://www.townsvilleholidays.info>
- <http://www.queenslandholidays.com.au>
- <http://www.australia.com> and up to fifty other websites, through the Australian Tourism Data Warehouse (ATDW)
- <http://www.art-in-tropical-australia.com/arts-events.html> for arts events in North Queensland
- <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/community/events/Pages/EventsCalendar.aspx> CIC's *Events Calendar* on the Townsville City Council's website
- <http://www.whatsonmagneticisland.com.au> for events on Magnetic Island

### **St James Cathedral Art and Craft Show – Call for Artists: Entries Welcome July 17<sup>th</sup> – August 2<sup>nd</sup>**

*In the Heart of the City: St James Cathedral Art and Craft Show* entries are welcome.  
Details and entry forms available from Barbara Elsworth, 4723 6240,  
<mailto:barbara.elsworthy@bigpond.com>

## **Grants/Scholarships/Sponsorships**

### **Townsville City Council's Community Grants & Sponsorships and RADF**

- Community Grants Program  
For information: <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/community/grants/pages/community.aspx>
- The Regional Arts Development Fund (RADF) Program supports professional artists and artswokers to practice their art, for and with communities, resulting in mutual development of the professional artists/artswokers and communities in regional Queensland.  
Next funding round closing date: September 25<sup>th</sup> 2015  
For information: <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/community/grants/Pages/cultural.aspx>
- Townsville 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Grant Program  
Townsville City Council recently approved funding to be directed towards the Townsville 150th Anniversary celebrations in 2016. Council's T150 Grant Program will assist and encourage the local community to identify and undertake their own programs, projects, events, activities and celebrations that can be delivered to support the program themes of commemoration, celebration, collaboration and innovation. The Community Grants Team are currently working behind the scenes to develop funding criteria, applications and marketing materials for the T150 Grant Program.  
Funding: ongoing  
For information: <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/community/grants/pages/community.aspx>

### **Gambling Community Benefit Fund (GCBF)**

Closing date next round: May 31<sup>st</sup>  
For information: <http://www.justice.qld.gov.au/corporate/sponsorships-and-grants/grants/community-benefit-funding-programs>

## **State, National**

### ***Aboriginal Benefits Foundation Grants***

Open date (up to \$5000) <http://www.aboriginal.org.au/grants.htm>

### ***Anzac Centenary Arts and Culture Fund – Public Grants Program***

Grants of up to \$100,000 for national, state and territory cultural institutions and \$50,000 for artists, organisations and community groups are available for a wide range of arts and culture projects.

For information: <http://arts.gov.au/anzac>

### ***Arts Queensland***

Funding to support artists, arts and cultural workers and organisations is available through Arts Queensland and via many other sources including other government agencies, not-for-profit organisations, philanthropic foundations and online through crowd sourcing sites. This information will help you connect to possible funding sources including information on how to apply and how applications are assessed.

Arts Queensland Officers can provide assistance with funding enquiries. 07 3034 4016

For information: <http://www.arts.qld.gov.au/funding/index.html>

### ***Australian Artists Grant***

Purpose: Assistance for costs of public presentation

Amount: \$500-\$1,000

Funding Provider: National Association for the Visual Arts (NAVA)

Closing Date: May 16 2015

This grant provides assistance towards the costs of public presentation for professional visual and media arts, craft and design practitioners who are Australian citizens or permanent residents. This includes, but is not limited to: advertising; promotional printing; mail outs; media photographs; media releases; equipment rental; framing; freight; installation costs; insurance; opening costs; space rental; technical assistance; travel. Please be aware that this grant does not provide assistance towards the production of artwork (materials, studio rental etc).

For information: <https://visualarts.net.au/nava-grants/>

### ***Australia Council for the Arts Grants***

The Australia Council for the Arts is the Australian Government's arts funding and advisory body. Each year, it delivers over \$200 million in funding for arts organisations and individual artists across the country.

The Australia Council Funding Guide is available at: <http://www.australiacouncil.gov.au/grants>

### ***Australian Communities Foundation Funding***

Closing date: ongoing <http://www.communityfoundation.org.au/>

### ***Community Broadcasting Foundation Funding***

<http://www.cbf.com.au/grantfinder.asp>

### ***Creative Partnerships Australia***

Closing date: Ongoing

Through Plus1, Creative Partnerships will match dollar for dollar up to \$50,000 in funds raised by artists and not-for-profit arts organisations for approved projects that build their development capacity and meet defined criteria. The program is designed to create opportunities for artists and NFP organisations in the creative industries who wish to build or leverage greater private sector support for their activities.

For information: <https://www.creativepartnershipsaustralia.org.au/>

### ***DeviantART Creative Grants***

Source of funding to allow artists to turn their creative dreams into reality

DeviantART are looking for exciting and innovative projects that need a little push financially.

Closing Date: Ongoing, with applications assessed and funded on three month cycles

For information: <http://fourteenthstar.deviantart.com/journal/Announcing-the-deviantART-Creative-Grants-299475642>

### ***Ian Potter Cultural Trust***

The Cultural Trust offers grants to assist emerging and early career artists of exceptional talent to take up professional opportunities, usually overseas.

For information: <http://www.ianpotterculturaltrust.org.au/home>

### ***Ian Potter Foundation***

<http://www.ianpotter.org.au>

#### ***Performer's Trust Foundation Grants***

Purpose: Grants to promote and encourage music and the performing arts

Amount: Usually no more than \$2,500 for individuals and \$5,000 for groups

Funding Provider: Phonographic Performance Company of Australia (PPCA)

Closing Date: Ongoing

All applications for grants are reviewed by the trustees and must be for one or more of the following purposes:

- Performances at concerts at or for charitable institutions such as hospitals or homes for the aged;
- Scholarships for the promotion and encouragement of musical and theatrical education;
- The promotion and encouragement of the performing arts to the general public;
- The aid or assistance of any beneficiary who is unable to adequately maintain herself/himself by her/his own exertions and other income

What can you use the grant for?

A grant under the PPCA Performers' Trust Foundation can be used for costs associated with the above, including:

- Tuition fees;
- Travel costs (hire, airfares, petrol);
- Accommodation;
- Venue hire/ PA hire

A grant cannot be used to cover wages, salaries, commissions etc.

For information: <http://www.pcca.com.au/ppca-about-us/ppca-performers-trust-foundation/>

#### ***Phonographic Performance Company of Australia Limited (PPCA) Performers' Trust Foundation Grants***

Grants to promote and encourage music and the performing arts

Closing date: Ongoing

For information: <http://www.pcca.com.au/ppca-about-us/ppca-performers-trust-foundation/>

#### ***Smartygrants***

An online service for grantmakers. <http://www.smartygrants.com.au>

#### ***Social Ventures Australia – Indigenous Social Enterprise Fund***

Ongoing – various funding

<http://socialventures.com.au/work/ise/>

#### ***The Gordon Darling Foundation Grant***

Closing date: May 31st

The Foundation provides funding for a range of visual arts projects Australia-wide.

For info: <http://www.gordondarlingfoundation.org.au/guidelines.php>

#### ***The Sidney Myer and Myer Foundation Funding***

<http://www.myerfoundation.org.au>

## **Competitions & Awards**

#### ***The Lyndall Hadow/Donald Stuart Short Story Competition***

Opening Date: 1 March 2015

Closing Date: 1 June 2015 (entries must be postmarked by this date)

Number of Words: Maximum 3000 per story

Prizes: First \$400; Second \$100; 2x Highly Commended \$50.

Entry Fee: \$10 per story (maximum of three stories per author).

For information: <http://www.fawwa.org/#!competitions/c11f2>

## **Rosie Creators Award for Teenage Girls**

The first Rosie Creators Award for teenage girls, opens International Women's Day on March 8<sup>th</sup>. The Award features four creative areas - writing, photography, video and activism.

Winners in each of the four categories will be awarded \$500, be featured on [rosierespect.org.au](http://rosierespect.org.au) and also have their work published in Young Vagabond. The theme for the Rosie Creators Award 2015 is Respect. Girls between the ages of 12 and 20 are encouraged to submit an entry (group submissions are also welcome). Entries close at midnight Monday April 20.

For information: <http://www.rosierespect.org.au/news/award>

## **Artists Opportunities & Support**

- <http://www.competitionsforartists.com/>
- [http://www.art-search.com.au/shows\\_events/art\\_competitions/](http://www.art-search.com.au/shows_events/art_competitions/)

For information on advocacy, support and leadership for the community arts and cultural development (CACD) sector:

- <http://creatingaustralia.org.au/>  
Creating Australia

## **Writers' Opportunities**

### ***Fellowship of Australian Writers NSW Inc***

<http://www.fawns.org.au>

### ***Australian Writing Opportunities***

<http://competitionsforwriters.com/>

### ***Hunter Writers Centre***

<http://www.hunterwriterscentre.com/writing-competitions-with-a-deadline.html>

### ***Queensland Writers Centre (QWC)***

<http://www.qwc.asn.au/>

## **Opportunities for Musicians**

### ***Music Council of Australia (MCA)***

<http://www.mca.org.au>

### ***Defence Jobs Australia – Musicians***

<http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/navy/jobs/musician>

<http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/army/jobs/musician/>

<http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/airforce/jobs/Musician>

# **Dance Companies**

## **Dancenorth**

School of Arts Building, Cnr Stanley & Walker Streets, CBD

4772 2549 <mailto:info@dancenorth.com> <http://www.dancenorth.com.au>

# Galleries & Museums

## Army Museum of North Queensland

Jezzine Barracks, Mitchell Street North Ward

0457 526 704 <mailto:curator@gmail.com> Open: 9am – 1pm (Wednesday to Friday) 10am – 2pm (Sunday)

Collects and exhibits memorabilia associated with military units and their personnel from North Queensland.

## Artcetera Studio2

Cnr Mitchell & Leichhardt Streets North Ward

0418 750 854 <mailto:mail@studio2townsville.org>

## Art at Jezzine

Hut 25 Jezzine Redevelopment, Mitchell St, North Ward <mailto:tasarts@bigpond.com>

<http://www.townsvilleartsocietyinc.org.au>

The Gallery welcomes enquiries from budding artists, art lovers and supporters. 150 member artists display their works at the Gallery and paintings are changed monthly. Artists are able to hold their own exhibitions.

## Artspaced Inc/a space not a place

0447 954 001 Michelle Hall, Director <mailto:artspace@gmail.com>

## Gallery 48

48 The Strand 4724 4898

Open: 10am – 4pm Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday

## Garage Press

16 Victor St Cranbrook

0422 416 632 Donna Foley

Open to the public on the first Saturday of each month. Original prints by local printmakers are for sale.

## Girringun Aboriginal Art Centre

4066 8300 237 Victoria Street, Cardwell <http://art.girringun.com.au/>

The Centre represents artists from nine Traditional Owner Groups, the Nywaigi, Gugu Badhun, Warrgamay, Warungnu, Bandjin, Girramay, Gulgnay, Jirrbal and Djiru people. The traditional country of these groups covers some 25,000 square kilometres from north of Townsville, south west to Clarke River, north to the Mission Beach area, west to Ravenshoe and east to include Hinchinbrook and the Family Group Islands.

## Good Shepherd Art Gallery

0437 630 611 Anne Walsh Director

Good Shepherd Home, University Dr, Annandale Open: 9am – 5pm seven days a week

Displays a range of artwork including oils, acrylics, watercolour and mixed media with subjects ranging from landscapes, seascapes, floral, fauna, people to abstract. All works are for sale.

## Maritime Museum

4721 5251 42 – 68 Palmer St, South Townsville

Open: Monday to Friday 10am – 4pm (last entry 3pm); Saturday & Sunday 12noon – 4pm (last entry 3pm)

## MIArtspace

Picnic Bay Mall, Picnic Bay, Magnetic Island Open every day from 10am - 3pm

A cooperative gallery, with art and fine craft work by a dozen or so Magnetic Island Artists. Meet the artists, watch them work, have a chat. Shop for a variety of locally made art works.

## Museum of Tropical Queensland

4726 0600 Flinders Street East, CBD Open: daily 9.30am – 5pm <http://www.mtq.qm.qld.gov.au>

Discounted prices for Townsville locals – proof of residency required.

## National Trust Heritage Centre

4771 5873 5 Castling Street, West End Open: 10am – 2pm Wednesday; 1 – 4pm; Saturdays and Sundays

The only museum in north Queensland with three examples of Queenslander style houses.

Worker's dwelling (1884) – a simple cottage, fully restored and furnished

*Currajong* (1888) – 'grand' villa residence, fully restored and furnished

Farmhouse (1921) – example of an early house occupied by north Queensland farmers

### **NQ Potters Studio & Retail Outlet**

15 Flowers St Railway Estate 4772 3458 <mailto:nqldpotters@yahoo.com.au>  
Fully equipped art studio run by members – also offers classes.

### **Perc Tucker Regional Gallery**

4727 9011 Flinders Street, Townsville <mailto:ptrg@townsville.qld.gov.au>  
<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/perctucker/Pages/default.aspx>  
Open: 10am – 5pm (Monday – Friday) 10am – 2pm (Saturday & Sunday)

### **Performing Arts Historical Society of Townsville (PAHST)**

P1 Hut 24 Jezzine Barracks, North Ward  
4728 5681 Ellen Read (Secretary) <mailto:enquiries@pahst.com> <http://www.pahst.com>  
Open: 10am – 2pm (Wednesday and Sunday) or by appointment  
This collection of local performing arts history and traditions comprises over 1000 items documenting more than 100 years of performance in Townsville across theatre, music and dance. The collection includes programs, posters, photographs, news cuttings, artefacts and memorabilia. The archives include Indigenous and military memorabilia which reflects the Jezzine Barracks location.  
To view the collection or donate items contact Gordon Hodgson (Historian) on 4775 1565

### **Peter Lawson Fine Art Gallery**

- 486 Flinders St West, CBD  
0418 727 534 <mailto:peterlawsonfineart@bigpond.com> <http://www.peterlawsonfineart.net.au>  
Open: Tuesday to Friday 10am – 5pm; Saturday 9am – 12.30pm
- 16 Marine Pde, Arcadia, Magnetic Island  
4758 1915 By appointment only.

### **Pinnacles Gallery**

Riverway Arts Centre, 20 Village Blvd, Thuringowa Central Open: 10am – 5pm (Tuesday – Sunday)  
4773 8871 <http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/galleries/pinnacles>

### **RAAF Museum**

4752 1712 RAAF Base, Ingham Rd, Garbutt  
Open: Tuesdays and Thursdays 9am – 12noon; Sundays 10am – 4pm

### **School of Creative Arts JCU (SoCA) eMerge Gallery**

School of Creative Arts, Building DA300, Main Campus, James Cook University  
4781 3142 [http://www.jcu.edu.au/soca/JCUPRD\\_044204.html](http://www.jcu.edu.au/soca/JCUPRD_044204.html)  
Open: 8.30am – 4pm (Monday – Friday) Closed weekends and public holidays  
eMerge is a purpose built gallery primarily designed to be utilised as a teaching aid for the benefit of students, emerging from the school's New Media Arts program.  
The gallery also seeks to attract SoCA staff and artists from the wider tropical community to develop and exhibit art and design works with an emphasis on excellence as a result of research.

### **She Speaks Gallery**

1/142 Bundock Street, Belgian Gardens 0420 757 419 (text only) Anne Blower; 0438 805 879 Steve Vegar  
<mailto:contactus@shespeaksgallery.com.au> Open: 10am – 5pm (Wednesday – Friday) (to 8pm Thursday)  
10am – 4pm (Saturday and Sunday) Pottery, art, jewellery, skincare, sculpture.  
Art studio space available for hire – ideal for all art classes/workshops etc.

### **Sylvia Ditchburn Fine Art Gallery**

7 Metro Quays 86 Ogden Street 4724 3953 0419 790 245  
<mailto:sylvia.ditchburn@bigpond.com.au> <http://www.sylviaditchburnfineartgallery.com>  
Open: 10am – 4pm Tuesday to Friday; 10am – 1pm Sunday  
Paintings, prints, postcards, sculptures by Sylvia and local artists.

### **Townsville Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cultural Centre**

Reef HQ Building, Flinders Street East Open: 9.30am – 4.30pm Monday – Saturday  
4772 7679 <mailto:melinda@cctownsville.com.au> <http://www.cctownsville.com.au>

### **Townsville Museum and Historical Society**

4775 7838 Cnr Hugh & Palmerston Sts, Currajong (access via Barbeler St – behind ambulance station)

### **TYTO Regional Art Gallery**

73 – 75 McIlwraith St, TYTO Wetlands Precinct, Ingham  
4776 4613 <mailto:wwager@hinchinbrook.qld.gov.au>  
<http://www.hinchinbrook.qld.gov.au/web/guest/gallery-hinchinbrook>

### **Umbrella Studio Contemporary Arts – Gallery and Studio**

482 Flinders St West Townsville Open: 9am – 5pm Monday to Friday; 9am – 1pm Sunday  
4772 7109 <mailto:admin@umbrella.org.au> <http://www.umbrella.org.au>

## **Music Groups**

### **Allegretto Choirs**

<mailto:rehnfamily@bigpond.com>

### **Amadeus Singers Children's Choir**

<http://www.musiclessonstownsville.org>

### **Aquapella World Music Choir**

4758 1717 <mailto:beatlehmann@iprimus.com.au>

Rehearsals every school term Wednesday 6.30-8.30pm at the Townsville Sailing Club, Mariners Drive – beginners welcome.

### **Australian Concerto & Vocal Competition**

4728 9223 <mailto:info@acvc.com.au> <http://www.acvc.com.au>

### **Australian Festival of Chamber Music**

4771 4144 Level 1 Breakwater Terminal, Sir Leslie Thiess Dr, Townsville  
<mailto:info@afcm.com.au> <http://www.afcm.com.au>

### **Barrier Reef Orchestra – North Queensland Ensembles**

4722 2789 <mailto:brotownsville@gmail.com> <http://www.nqorchestra.com.au>

### **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Music**

4789 1897 or 0427 351 273 Dave & Sue 4 Kawana Court, Kelso.

Meets on the fourth Sunday of each month (except December) at 2pm. An emphasis on but not restricted to Australian produced folk music, song and poetry.

### **Kelso Country Music Club Inc**

0499 303 967 Thuringowa RSL, Kelso Drive Kelso <mailto:petercjones007@bigpond.com>  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of month Sunday Country 2pm – 7pm; 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of month cabaret 7.30pm – 11pm)

### **Magnetic Jazz Association**

4778 5918 <mailto:magneticjazz@hotmail.net.au> <http://www.magneticislandjazz.org>

Organises the *Great Tropical Jazz Party* held annually on Magnetic Island

### **North Qld Opera and Music Theatre (NQOMT)**

4728 5681 or 4773 2335 <http://www.nqomt.com.au>

### **Townsville & Thuringowa Country Music Club**

4779 9368 (Dawn) 0417 199 744 <http://tcma.webs.com/>

### **Townsville Brass**

0413 652 776 Noel Price

[mailto:noel\\_nthzone@bigpond.com](mailto:noel_nthzone@bigpond.com) <http://www.townsvillebrass.org>

### **Townsville Choral Society**

4779 2495 or 0418 781 766 Choral Society Hall, 485 Sturt Street, Townsville <http://www.tcos.org.au/>

### **Townsville Community Music Centre Inc**

Level 2, Civic Theatre Building, Boundary Street, Townsville  
4724 2086 / 0402 255 182

<mailto:admin@townsvillemusic.org.au> <http://www.townsvillemusic.org.au>

### **Townsville Concert Band (TCB)**

0408 088 675 Mark Purvis <mailto:mark.purvis@bigpond.com.au>

The Band practises every Monday evening during school terms from 6 to 7.30pm at Calvary Christian College Mt Louisa.

### **Townsville Jazz Club**

0413 456 542 Marie Gibson (President) <http://www.jazztownsville.com>

Sessions at the PCYC Wellington St, Aitkenvale on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays each month 6 to 9pm.

### **Townsville Music & Performance Arts Space (TMPAS)**

4724 5232/0466 711 985 Jacqueline Bisson

Old Courthouse Theatre, Cnr Sturt & Stokes Streets, CBD

### **Townsville Folk & Acoustic Club**

Bellevue Hotel, Allen Street, South Townsville <mailto:secretary@tsvfolkclub.org> <http://www.tsvfolkclub.org>

### **Townsville Ukes**

West End Hotel Beer Garden, 89 Ingham Rd, West End

0408 188 540 Wally Murdoch <mailto:wallym7@optusnet.com.au>

## **Theatres & Theatre Groups**

### **Burdekin Theatre**

Queen Street Ayr

4783 9880 <mailto:burdekin.theatre@burdekin.qld.gov.au> <http://www.burdekintheatre.com.au>

### **Full Throttle Theatre Company and Props Youth Theatre**

Old Courthouse Theatre, Cnr Sturt and Stokes Streets, Townsville

4721 5433 <mailto:admin@fullthrottletheatre.com> <http://www.fullthrottletheatre.com>

### **La Luna Youth Arts**

Riverway Arts Centre, 20 Village Boulevard, Thuringowa

4773 6377 <mailto:info@lalunanq.com> <http://www.lalunanq.com>

### **LIFT (Local Independent Film and Theatre Productions) Inc**

<mailto:liftproductionsinc@gmail.com> <http://www.liftproductions.com.au>

### **Riverway Arts Centre**

4727 9797 TicketShop 20 Village Boulevard Thuringowa

<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/theatres/riverwayarts/Pages/default.aspx>

### **School of Arts Theatre**

4772 2549 Cnr Stanley & Walker Streets, CBD <http://www.soatheatretownsville.com.au>

### **Spoon Lickers – Children's Entertainment & Production Program**

Court Theatre, Cnr Sturt & Stokes Sts Townsville 4810

4724 5232 / 0466 711 985 <mailto:spoonlickers01@gmail.com>

### **TheatreiNQ**

0467 245 478 <http://www.theatreinq.com>

### **The Outback Players Theatre Group Inc**

0455 859 651 <mailto:theoutbackplayers@gmail.com> <https://www.facebook.com/outbackplayers>

### **Towers Players Inc – Charters Towers Local Theatre Group**

4787 1768; 0427 871768 <mailto:towersplayers@aanet.com.au> <http://www.towersplayers.websyte.com.au>



**Townsville Civic Theatre**

41 Boundary St Townsville 4727 9797 TicketShop <mailto:civic.theatre@townsville.qld.gov.au>  
<http://www.townsville.qld.gov.au/facilities/theatres/civictheatre/Pages/default.aspx>

**Townsville Little Theatre**

4724 3112 <mailto:theatre.lover@townsvillelittletheatre.org.au> <http://www.townsvillelittletheatre.org.au>

**World Theatre Charters Towers**

4787 4344 82-90 Mosman St <mailto:worldtheatre@charterstowers.qld.gov.au>  
<http://www.facebook.com/WorldTheatreChartersTowers>

## Clubs & Groups

*For other arts and cultural groups and clubs in Townsville link to [CommunityDirectory](#) on the Townsville City Council website – click on [NQ Arts Directory](#) and then on [Categories](#)*