

ANZAC Day 2009

Service men and women, their relatives, schools and community groups are invited to participate in the Townsville ANZAC Day marches.

Marches will be held in the city from Strand Park to ANZAC Park and at Thuringowa Central from Carthew St to the Cenotaph

The following ANZAC Day Services will be held in Townsville:

- » Townsville City
- » Thuringowa Central
- » Rollingstone
- » Magnetic Island

Keep an eye on council's website and local media for more details.

A year of events

Townsville residents are set for an exciting year ahead with council's Calendar of City Events for 2009 now released. Lifestyle and Community Development Chair, Cr Jenny Lane, said the program included a wide range of events to cater for all ages and interests. In the next six months the following events are planned:

- » Artists will be showcased at the Townsville Arts Awards (20 March). Our vibrant arts community will have their night of nights with an awards ceremony and evening of entertainment.
- » National Youth Week Celebrations (30 March – 5 April) will include two Battle of the Bands competitions and a number of youth-coordinated events throughout the region.
- » ANZAC Day Services (25 April) will be held at the Strand, Thuringowa Central, Rollingstone and

Magnetic Island, with marches occurring at The Strand and Thuringowa Central services.

- » Learn about Townsville's history and that of your ancestors at Heritage Day (17 May), to be held at the West End Cemetery Park.
- » The Smart City Expo (20 – 21 June) and Eco Fiesta (14 June) will provide a variety of environmental information, displays and giveaways, while the Eco Fiesta will provide free family entertainment and activities with an environmental theme.
- » Townsville City Council will host a variety of events in the week leading up to and the weekend including the Townsville 400 (4 – 12 July). These events will compliment the race and encourage visitors to stay in our city longer.



Cr Deanne Bell and IPA General manager rabieh Krayem present Michael Liu with his certificate.

Youth get help achieving their dreams

The IPA Aspire Youth Career Grant is an initiative of Townsville City Council and IPA Personnel which aims to help Townsville's young people achieve their dream careers.

The program aims to assist Townsville young people (aged 15 to 23) to achieve their dream careers by providing funding to assist in accessing training, further education and career related experiences.

Townsville City Council would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the following 18 successful grant applicants from the IPA Aspire Youth Career October 2008 round.

- » Melinda Frewen-Lord
- » Courtney Learoyd
- » Nathan Mulligan
- » Jane Ryder
- » Carla Trott
- » Sophie Bennett
- » Nana Onishi
- » Max Ryder
- » Christopher Nobile
- » Kate Martin
- » Peggy Wakelin-Snoad
- » Sam Kininmonth

- » Steven Brain
- » Michael Liu
- » Jess Schwartz
- » Amber Lyons
- » Taylor Ramsey
- » Emmaly Langridge

IPA Personnel General Manager Queensland Rabieh Krayem and Councillor Deanne Bell presented successful recipients with a certificate at a recent ceremony held at Perc Tucker Regional Gallery.

It was great to see young people representing such a vast mix of career-based interests from musical theatre to medicine, photography, planning and film making.

The next round of the IPA Aspire Youth Career Grants closes on March 27 2009.

Application forms are available from Community Planning and Services Department – Level 1 Northtown, Flinders Street Mall, and can also be accessed via the Townsville City Council website at www.townsville.qld.gov.au

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TUESDAY 21 AND WEDNESDAY 22 APRIL AT 11AM
Morning Melodies

The Pirates of Penzance

The Rollicking Pirates are coming to Townsville! Experience Gilbert and Sullivan's smash-hit The Pirates of Penzance led by comic genius Brian Hannan, Australian music theatre star Philip Gould, Chris McKenna and soprano Alison Rae Jones.
Townsville Civic Theatre
Ticketshop 4727 9797

THURSDAY 23 APRIL 2009, 7AM – 8.30AM
Red Shield Appeal Annual Official Opening

This is one of Townsville's premier business events and is cosponsored by the Townsville City Council & Townsville Bulletin.
Jupiters Townsville
Major Bruce Hammer 0414 403 988

THURSDAY 23 APRIL, 8PM
Rhythms of Ireland

Retfar Entertainment
The Rhythms of Ireland are the sound and spirit of the Emerald Isle. It is an exhilarating show of perfectly sounded traditional rhythms, song and dance that is the most exciting Irish dance and music production at this present time.

Choreographer Michael Donnellan needs no introduction. He is 4-times World Irish Dance Champion, the ex-lead male dancer of Riverdance and Lord of the Dance. He directed the acclaimed Magic of the Dance.

Townsville Civic Theatre
Ticketshop 4727 9797

FRIDAY 24 APRIL, 8PM
David Campbell – The Good Loving Tour

QLIVE

This hot new show will feature in full David's brand new album "Good Loving" which is a thundering collection of classic '60s blue eyed soul. Tracks like "1, 2, 3", "Now That I've Found You", "You've Lost That Loving Feeling" "Devil In A Blue Dress" and of course "Good Loving" will be brought to the stage with Campbell's larrikin charm and incredible voice.

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FRIDAY 8 MAY AND SATURDAY 9 MAY 2009
Melbourne Comedy RoadShow

Presented by Townsville City Council
Townsville Civic Theatre
Ticketshop 4727 9797

SATURDAY, 16 MAY
Diesel – Tailored Set

On the release of his eighth studio album in 2008, Diesel hits the road for a solo tour.

This show has the added element where his audience plays the main part in forming his set for the night – they decide what songs he'll perform, a tailored set to suit just them.

Riverway Arts Centre
Box Office 4773 8889

WEDNESDAY 20 MAY, 7.30PM
Debutante Diaries

Kate McLennan's one-woman show The Debutante Diaries was the over-whelming success story of the 2007 Melbourne International Comedy Festival. This multi-award winning comedy follows the trials and tribulations of a high school community preparing for that teenage rite of passage - the Debutante Ball.

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24 APRIL – 21 JUNE
Hall Of Mirrors: Anne Zahalka Portraits 1987-2007

Hall of Mirrors explores the thread of portraiture through the prolific career of one of Australia's pre-eminent photomedia artists. Anne Zahalka's portraits reveal more than just the individual - with an ironic and critical voice the images cleverly subvert stereotypes while capturing subcultures and a spirit of the times with acute observation. A NETS Victoria touring exhibition developed by the Centre for Contemporary Photography.
Perc Tucker Regional Gallery