

SCHOOL HOLIDAY GUIDE 2026

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER EDITION



WELCOME TO YOUR ACTION PACKED GUIDE TO WHAT’S HAPPENING DURING THE SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.

With so many low-cost and no-cost activities on offer, Townsville’s youth won’t have a moment to spare.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Townsville City Council has endeavoured to include activities that support the inclusion of children with disabilities or additional needs, young people from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander backgrounds, and from culturally and linguistically diverse communities.

These activities aim to remove barriers and provide social opportunities for all children, with the purpose of building capacity and inclusion within the Townsville community. All events are drug and alcohol free. Activities are FREE to attend unless otherwise specified.

All event information has been provided by the event/activity providers. Townsville City Council is not responsible for any errors in the information supplied by those providers.

Townsville City Council acknowledges the Wulgurukaba of Gurambilbarra and Yunbenun, Bindal, Gugu Badhun and Nywaigi people as the Traditional Owners of this land. We pay our respects to their cultures, their ancestors and their Elders, past, present and all future generations.



GUIDE LEGEND

- E** Early Childhood (0–5 years)
- P** Primary School (5–12 years)
- Y** Youth (12–18 years)
- A** All ages

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SCORE YOUR **FUR-EVER** **SIDEKICK** SALE

at the Animal Care and Adoption Centre



**50%
OFF**
cats and
kittens

**50%
OFF**
dogs and
puppies



Ends Saturday 26 September 2026

Final sale prices are as shown on Council's website

69 TOMPKINS ROAD, SHAW
OPEN BY APPOINTMENT ONLY.
Call us on 07 4727 8371 to book.

 **Townsville City Animals**



HOLIDAY PASSES – GO KARTING



PRESENTED BY PITSTOP KARTING

Experience the ultimate adrenalin rush these holidays when you grab your 'Holiday Pass' at Pitstop Karting! This pass includes a Pitstop Karting licence, three 10-minute sessions, a small drink, balaclava, and a lanyard. Limited passes available for the school holidays!



QUEST ROCKS!



PRESENTED BY QUEST TOWNSVILLE ON EYRE

Join Quest these school holidays. Amongst our favourite spots along The Strand, we have hidden Quest Rocks. Find one painted with the letter "Q" and return to Quest Townsville on Eyre to claim your prize. Happy hunting!



CASUAL PLAY SESSIONS



PRESENTED BY NINJA PARC

Swing, play and climb at your own pace on our fun and challenging obstacles designed for all ages and skill levels. Plus, a separate soft play multi-level playground for ages 2–7 years! Walk-ins are welcome. Bookings highly recommended through the website.

WHEN

TUESDAYS

10AM – 9PM

WEDNESDAYS

10AM – 8.30PM

THURSDAYS

10AM – 8.30PM

FRIDAYS

10AM – 9PM

SATURDAYS

10AM – 9PM

SUNDAYS

10AM – 6PM

WHERE

7 Caldwell Street, Garbutt

COST

\$95

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4401 5045

✉ contact@pitstopkarting.com.au

🌐 <https://www.pitstopkarting.com.au/product-page/school-holiday-pass>

WHEN

19 SEPT – 4 OCT

7AM – 9PM

WHERE

The Strand, North Ward

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

WHEN

19 SEPT – 5 OCT

WEEKDAYS 10AM – 6PM

WEEKENDS 9AM – 3PM

WHERE

18 Blackhawk Boulevard,
Thuringowa Central

COST

\$12–\$30

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0427 139 762

✉ Townsville@ninjaparc.com.au

🌐 <https://book.ninjaparc.com.au/location/townsville/book/casual-play>

Discount
code:
CAMP15



SCHOOL HOLIDAY CAMP

P

PRESENTED BY NINJA PARC

Learn to master all our obstacles during 3-hours of fully supervised fun with a dedicated Ninja Ranger! A ninja headband and snacks are provided. Parents and guardians can drop the kids off or relax at our on-site cafe.



SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

P

PRESENTED BY WILDCATZ INDOOR SPORTS

Book the kids in for a fully supervised, action-packed day of fun! These sessions include multiple activities – indoor sports, Ninja Parc and Nerf wars. Choose between a full or half day. Lunch is provided for full day sessions.

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TEN LITTLE FIGS BY RHIAN WILLIAMS – STORYWALK

A

PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Have a play and read *Ten Little Figs* by Rhian Williams at Bushland Beach Park these holidays. Count down as ten figs disappear thanks to some hungry Australian animals. Who will get the last one?

WHEN

19 SEPT – 5 OCT

2 – 5PM

WHERE

18 Blackhawk Boulevard,
Thuringowa Central

COST

\$55

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0427 139 762

✉ Townsville@ninjaparc.com.au

🌐 <https://book.ninjaparc.com.au/location/townsville/book-school-holiday-camps>

Discount
code:
CAMP15

WHEN

19 SEPT – 5 OCT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

18 Blackhawk Boulevard,
Thuringowa Central

COST

\$45–\$75

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0427 139 762

✉ Info@wildcatzindoorsports.com.au

🌐 <https://www.wisasports.com/wildcatz/holiday-programs>

WHEN

19 SEPT – 5 OCT

9AM – 5PM

WHERE

Bushland Beach Park,
Corner of Mount Low Parkway &
Livistonia Close, Bushland Beach

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://whatson.townsville.qld.gov.au/events/school-holidays-at-citylibraries>

THE RHYTHM GATHERING

A

PRESENTED BY THE RHYTHM CONNECTION

Part of the North Australian Festival of Arts, join us and play shakers, cowbells, clapsticks, plastic buckets, pots and pans, hand drums and bass drums as we connect as a community through rhythm and song.



PUFT EVENTS

CIRCUS FUN AT COTTERS MARKET

A

PRESENTED BY PUFT EVENTS

Join Circup Arts for a free circus skills workshop at Cotters Market! Try your hand at juggling, spinning, balancing and more. Suitable for children and families. Adult supervision required.

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SCHOOL HOLIDAY STORYTIME

E

PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Come talk, read, sing and play with your little ones at Citylibraries Flinders Street. Enjoy some time playing and chatting to other members of the community before we dive into a world of books and songs.

WHEN

19 SEPT

4PM

25 SEPT

5.30PM

WHERE

Strand Park, North Ward

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0414 803 666

✉ therhythmconnection@gmail.com

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/The-Rhythm-Gathering>

WHEN

20 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

Flinders Street, Townsville City

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 0402 162 800

✉ angela@puftevents.com.au

🌐 <https://www.puftevents.com.au/cotters-market/>

WHEN

**20 & 27 SEPT
& 4 OCT**

9 – 10AM

WHERE

Citylibraries Flinders Street, Townsville City

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 9666

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://bit.ly/4cuYxgd>



MARTIAL ARTS



PRESENTED BY
THE CHOI KWANG DO MASTER ACADEMY

Come along and learn martial arts at The Choi Kwang Do Master Academy.



POTTERY – ALL ABILITIES



PRESENTED BY STELLA'S CREATIVE
POTTERY CLASSES

Variety of pottery activities for all age groups. These are fun and informative sessions where participants can create animals, flowers, balls or whatever they desire. Sessions are appropriate for all abilities however, there is no wheelchair access.



HALF DAY CAMP



PRESENTED BY MOMENTUM GYMNASTICS

Enjoy 3-hours of gymnastics fun! Our half day camps are perfect for school holidays, with no gymnastics experience necessary. It's a simple drop-and-go program where kids can play, learn and have fun. Just bring a snack and water bottle!

WHEN

21 – 25 SEPT

4PM, 5PM & 6PM

28 SEPT – 2 OCT

4PM, 5PM & 6PM

5 OCT

5PM & 6PM

WHERE

743 Riverway Drive,
Thuringowa Central

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Bookings required.
☎ 0481 749 607

✉ info@ckdmac.com.au

🌐 <https://calendly.com/ckdmac>

WHEN

21 – 25 SEPT

10 – 11.30AM

28 SEPT – 2 OCT

10 – 11.30AM

WHERE

Cleveland Terrace, North Ward

COST

\$25

BOOKINGS

Booking required.
☎ 0499 077 510

✉ stella.thompson-wheway@hotmail.com

WHEN

21 – 25 SEPT

8.30 – 11.30AM

28 SEPT – 2 OCT

8.30 – 11.30AM

WHERE

11/547 Woolcock Street,
Mount Louisa

COST

\$40

BOOKINGS

Booking required.
☎ 07 4774 7375

✉ admin@momentumgymnastics.com.au

🌐 www.momentumgymnastics.com.au

ECO ENERGY RANGERS



PRESENTED BY
COPPERSTRING EXPERIENCE CENTRE

Become an Eco Energy Ranger at the CopperString Experience Centre! Crack the Eco Energy Quest, explore the Development Den, design a ranger mask, dress up, snap a photo and plant a seedling to take home.



KIDS BUNGEE FUN WORKSHOP



PRESENTED BY ELEVATE STUDIOS NO

Bounce into excitement with this thrilling 2-hour session. Children aged 5-18 experience the exhilaration of bungee fun. Safely harnessed to special bungee cords, kids will learn to defy gravity, and play games that seem straight out of a superhero movie.



THE BOTTLE APOTHECARY ART CAMP – FOR TEENS



PRESENTED BY CREATIVITY HOOD

Transform a recycled water bottle into an incredible fantasy-inspired potion cabinet! Using only half of a large water bottle, you'll build a unique apothecary shelf that looks like an oversized magical potion bottle.

WHEN

21 SEPT – 25 SEPT

9AM – 4PM

26 & 27 SEPT

9AM – 1PM

28 SEPT – 2 OCT

9AM – 4PM

3 & 4 OCT

9AM – 1PM

WHERE

Urban Corner,
71 Stanley Street, Townsville City,

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4796 5459

✉ copperstringexperience@powerlink.com.au

WHEN

21 SEPT

9 – 11AM

21 SEPT

11AM – 12PM

24 SEPT

11AM – 1PM

25 SEPT

2.30 – 4.30PM

WHERE

55 Riverside Boulevard, Douglas

COST

\$49

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0418 868 890

✉ aerialyogatownsville@gmail.com

🌐 <https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1639359>

WHEN

21 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

1/363 Bayswater Road, Garbutt

COST

\$120

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0411 030 243

✉ hello@creativityhood.com

🌐 <https://www.creativityhood.com/event-details/the-bottle-apothecary-art-camp-for-teens>

Discount
code:
guideart

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CRAFTY CREATIONS



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Get creative these holidays with Crafty Creations. Join one session or come to them all – endless fun, creativity and take-home treasures await. Let your imagination shine! Adult supervision required.



OBJECT IMAGINARIUM



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITY GALLERIES

Join us at Pinnacles Gallery where we will be recreating everyday objects using colourful building noodles! Get inspired by *Intimate Imaginaries* which is exhibiting a range of artworks that reflect on everyday items and reinterpreting them through art.



SPRING HOLIDAY TENNIS PROGRAM



PRESENTED BY RIPPA TENNIS ACADEMY

Game, set, school holiday fun! Children aged 5–12 years will enjoy action-packed tennis games, challenges, prizes and coaching matched to their playing ability. Perfect for first-timers and experienced players, with racquets provided. Book one day or multiple days.

WHEN

21, 25 & 28 SEPT
& 2 OCT

9AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale,
Citylibraries Flinders Street
& Citylibraries Riverway

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4773 8871

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://bit.ly/4xICLyj>

WHEN

22 – 25 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

Pinnacles Gallery,
20 Village Boulevard,
Thuringowa Central

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4773 8871

✉ galleries@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://whatson.townsville.qld.gov.au/events/object-imaginarium>

WHEN

22 SEPT – 24 SEPT

8 – 10AM

29 SEPT – 1 OCT

8 – 10AM

WHERE

The Cathedral School Sports
Precinct, 154 Ross River Road,
Mundingburra
Entry via the Thompson
Street carpark.

COST

\$25 per day

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0490 777 589

✉ admin@rippatennisacademy.com.au

🌐 <https://www.classhub.com.au/provider/rippatennis?period=41b7efe0-0a8f-4850-89a1-802f3f6ea84c&programId=44>

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DROP IN AND BUILD



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Build, create and explore with Drop in and Build. From magnetic blocks to bamboo towers and floor puzzles, dive into a world of hands-on construction fun. No plans needed – just drop in and see where your imagination takes you.



CIRCUS TAKEOVER



PRESENTED BY CIRCUP YOUTH ARTS INC.

Explore the world of circus manipulation! Learn juggling and object manipulation skills, including diabolo, flower sticks, plate spinning, hula hoops and poi, plus fun tricks, challenges and games.



ART UNLEASHED



PRESENTED BY CIRCUP YOUTH ARTS INC.

One blank wall. Five hours. One epic transformation. Join us for Art Unleashed, a fast-paced, hands-on creative challenge where you'll work alongside other young people to completely transform a blank wall in our waiting area into an epic art installation.

WHEN

22 SEPT

AITKENVALE & RIVERWAY

9AM – 12PM

24 SEPT

**FLINDERS STREET
& RIVERWAY**

9AM – 12PM

29 SEPT

AITKENVALE & RIVERWAY

9AM – 12PM

1 OCT

**AITKENVALE &
FLINDERS STREET**

9AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale,
Citylibraries Flinders Street
& Citylibraries Riverway

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://bit.ly/4iLVLqI>

WHEN

22 SEPT

2 – 5PM

WHERE

44 Charles Street, Aitkenvale

COST

\$40

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4438 0625

✉ admin@circupyoutharts.org.au

🌐 <https://www.youtharts360.com/circupyoutharts/login>

WHEN

22 SEPT

9AM – 2PM

WHERE

44 Charles Street, Aitkenvale

COST

\$75

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 4438 0625

✉ admin@circupyoutharts.org.au

🌐 <https://www.youtharts360.com/circupyoutharts/login>



FREE DANCE WORKSHOPS



PRESENTED BY THE DANCE FACTORY TOWNSVILLE

Come to our FREE holiday dance workshops that are designed to inspire confidence, and connection. Open to dancers aged 5–18 years. Sessions fill fast. Secure a spot for your dancer and experience the joy, community, and magic of The Dance Factory.



SHORT HOLIDAY HIP HOP CLASS – AGES 8–14



PRESENTED BY DANCE FITNESS COMPLEX

A 40-minute Hip Hop class featuring foundations, party steps, breakdancing, tricking, choreography and freestyle. Beginners are welcome. A simple way to build confidence, fitness, coordination and musicality.



SHORT HOLIDAY HIP HOP CLASS – AGES 4–7



PRESENTED BY DANCE FITNESS COMPLEX

A fun 30-minute introduction to Hip Hop with foundations, beginner breakdancing, movement skills, choreography and dance games. Perfect for beginners wanting to build confidence, coordination, fitness and self-esteem.

WHEN

22 & 30 SEPT

9AM – 12PM

22 & 30 SEPT

1 – 4PM

WHERE

4/31 Fleming Street, Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0432 558 894

✉ thedancefactory2025@gmail.com

🌐 <https://app.classmanager.com/portal/the-dance-factory-8479/register>

WHEN

**22, 24 & 29 SEPT
& 1 OCT**

4.30 – 5.10PM

26 SEPT

9 – 9.40AM

WHERE

38 Canterbury Road, Kirwan

COST

\$19.99

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0419 552 852

✉ admin@dancefitnesscomplex.com.au

🌐 <https://dancefitnesscomplex.com.au/wpa-events/short-holiday-hip-hop-class-8-14-years/>

WHEN

**22, 24 & 29 SEPT
& 1 OCT**

4 – 4.30PM

26 SEPT

8.30 – 9AM

WHERE

38 Canterbury Road, Kirwan

COST

\$19.99

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0419 552 852

✉ admin@dancefitnesscomplex.com.au

🌐 <https://dancefitnesscomplex.com.au/wpa-events/short-holiday-hip-hop-class-4-7-years-2/>



MINI THEME PARK ART CAMP

P

PRESENTED BY CREATIVITY HOOD

Young artists will design their very own miniature theme park from scratch. Using a variety of art materials and recycled treasures children will learn simple construction techniques, explore colour and design, and bring their unique ideas to life.



DFC HIP HOP 5-7YRS DANCE WORKSHOP

P

PRESENTED BY DANCE FITNESS COMPLEX

2-hours of Hip Hop fun with foundations, party steps, beginner breakdancing, tricking, choreography and dance games. Perfect for beginners, with plenty of opportunities to build confidence, coordination, fitness and self-esteem.

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AROUND THE BEND WITH DR SARAH PYE

Y

PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

From sailing the world as a teenager to becoming a university lecturer and author, Dr Sarah Pye's journey is anything but ordinary. Through personal stories of resilience, she inspires audiences to look beyond exam results and believe in their potential.

WHEN

22 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

1/363 Bayswater Road, Garbutt

COST

\$120

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0411 030 243

✉ hello@creativityhood.com

🌐 <https://www.creativityhood.com/event-details/mini-theme-park-art-camp-ages-5-9>

Discount
code:
guideart

WHEN

22 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

38 Canterbury Road, Kirwan

COST

\$30

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0419 552 852

✉ admin@dancefitnesscomplex.com.au

🌐 <https://dancefitnesscomplex.com.au/wpa-events/hip-hop-holiday-workshop-ages-5-7/>

WHEN

22 SEPT

1 – 2PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Flinders Street,
Townsville City

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 9666

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086694>

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THE COOLEST ANIMALS YOU NEVER KNEW EXISTED WITH DR SARAH PYE



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Join Dr Sarah Pye at Citylibraries Flinders Street these school holidays. This workshop starts with a multimedia presentation introducing some of the coolest rainforest animals. Children use puppets to act out a story from *Wildlife Wong and the Fig Wasp*.

WHEN

22 SEPT

11AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Flinders Street,
Townsville City

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 9666

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086692>

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WHAT SORT OF ANIMAL AM I? WITH DR SARAH PYE



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Join Dr Sarah Pye as children learn about rainforest animals including sun bears and Sumatran rhinos through storytelling, puppetry and a multimedia presentation. Children then create an animal mask to take home.

WHEN

22 SEPT

9.30 – 10.30AM

WHERE

Citylibraries Flinders Street,
Townsville City

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 9666

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086691>



BIRD CHATS



PRESENTED BY HANDS ON WILDLIFE

Come meet our feathered friends at the aviary! One of our friendly rangers will introduce you to all of our beautiful birds. Find out fun facts about them and learn more about what makes Australian birds so amazing.

WHEN

22, 24 & 29 SEPT
& 1 OCT

9.30AM

WHERE

Percival Pacific Andrews Aviary,
Queens Gardens, North Ward

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 0437 056 156

✉ jackie@handsonwildlife.com.au

THE CLOUD FACTORY



PRESENTED BY PROPS YOUTH THEATRE

A theatrical adventure in a whimsical world where children make the weather in a magical laboratory. When the Boots in Suits threaten their home, they must unite humans and nature to save their world. Family-friendly and interactive for all ages.

WHEN

23 SEPT – 26 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

25 SEPT – 26 SEPT

7 – 8PM

WHERE

William Ross State High School
Performing Arts Centre,
Mervyn Crossman Drive
Annandale

COST

\$20 – \$25

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

✉ propsyouththeatre@gmail.com

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/The-Cloud-Factory>



Willows

COMEDY CIRCUS STUNT SHOWS



PRESENTED BY WILLOWS SHOPPING CENTRE

Join us for a whirlwind of family fun these school holidays as we bring Joel Fenton's Comedy Circus Stunt Shows to Willows! Expect unbelievable magic tricks, dazzling circus stunts and non-stop family fun that will leave everyone cheering for more.

WHEN

23 SEPT – 4 OCT

10 – 10.45AM

23 SEPT – 4 OCT

12 – 12.45PM

WHERE

Willows Shopping Centre
(Near Aldi and TK Maxx)
13 Hervey Range Road,
Thuringowa Central

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4799 9100

✉ willows.marketing@cbre.com

🌐 <https://willowsshoppingcentre.com.au/>



MINI PAINTING EXPERIENCE – PAINT YOUR OWN BEACH



PRESENTED BY TINY TREASURES TOWNSVILLE

A fun, relaxed, beginner-friendly painting experience for children and young people. Participants will be guided step-by-step to create their own beach painting using acrylic paints on canvas. All art materials will be supplied and every participant can take home their finished artwork.

WHEN

23 SEPT – 5 OCT

9 – 10AM

2 – 3PM

3.30 – 4.30PM

WHERE

23 Ponti Road, Kelso

COST

\$15 per/hr session

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0431 992 846

✉ Jasminleek56@gmail.com



DRAMATIC



PRESENTED BY CIRCUP YOUTH ARTS INC.

Join us for a fun-filled school holiday workshop where young people can explore the exciting world of drama, theatre and creative expression. Students will jump into drama games, improvisation, character creation, storytelling, movement and performance challenges.



GIANT MUSHROOM ART CAMP



PRESENTED BY CREATIVITY HOOD

Step into the world of fungi and transform an everyday object into a one-of-a-kind giant mushroom sculpture! In this hands-on workshop, participants will learn a range of techniques while designing and building their own oversized mushroom with a completely unique theme.



HIP HOP HOLIDAY WORKSHOP – AGES 8–14



PRESENTED BY DANCE FITNESS COMPLEX

A high-energy Hip Hop workshop with foundations, party steps, breakdancing, tricking, choreography, freestyle and dance challenges. Beginners are welcome. Build confidence, coordination, fitness and musicality while learning new skills.

WHEN

23 SEPT

2PM – 5PM

WHERE

44 Charles Street, Aitkenvale

COST

\$40

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 4438 0625

✉ admin@circupyoutharts.org.au

🌐 <https://www.youtharts360.com/circupyoutharts/login>

WHEN

23 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

1/363 Bayswater Road, Garbutt

COST

\$120

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0411 030 243

✉ hello@creativityhood.com

🌐 <https://www.creativityhood.com/event-details/giant-mushroom-art-camp-for-pre-teen>

Discount
code:
guideart

WHEN

23 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

38 Canterbury Road, Kirwan

COST

\$30

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0419 552 852

✉ admin@dancefitnesscomplex.com.au

🌐 <https://dancefitnesscomplex.com.au/wpa-events/hip-hop-holiday-workshop-ages-8-14/>



TOWNSVILLE TILAPIA TAKEDOWN



PRESENTED BY HEALTHY WATERS PARTNERSHIP FOR THE DRY TROPICS

Get ready to reel in tilapia – an invasive fish that harms our waterways, at this family-friendly fishing event. BYO rod or hand reel, tackle, bucket and bait. Fantastic prizes for longest tilapia and most caught. Bookings essential.

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UNPLUGGED GAMERS



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Unplug and play! Join us for Unplugged Gamers, where strategy, creativity and fun collide. No screens, just hands-on adventure in the library. Challenge your parents, carers, siblings or grandparents! Are you ready to level up your holiday?

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GONE BUGGO



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Science communicator and wildlife photographer Steven Gill combines LEGO, photography and environmental education in this fun, all-ages exploration of the natural world. After the presentation, participants can build, stage and photograph their own Gone Buggo-inspired creation.

WHEN

23 SEPT

8.30AM – 12.30PM

WHERE

Anderson Gardens, Pimlico

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0436 312 704

✉ [comms@](mailto:comms@drytropicshealthywaters.org)

drytropicshealthywaters.org

🌐 <https://www.trybooking.com/DPBLY>

WHEN

23 SEPT

FLINDERS STREET

9AM – 12PM

30 SEPT

AITKENVALE &
FLINDERS STREET

9AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Flinders Street
& Citylibraries Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 9666

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://bit.ly/4qWjYgc>

WHEN

23 SEPT

9.30 – 11.30AM

23 SEPT

12 – 2PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

Morning session

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086696>

Afternoon Session

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086697>

FIRST NATIONS CRAFT AND YARN – FAMILY SESSION



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Come along and join our First Nations Craft and Yarn, – a yarning circle focussed on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in our community. All members of the community are welcome to participate and yarn.



**Northern Beaches
Leisure Centre**

POOL INFLATABLE FUN!



**PRESENTED BY
NORTHERN BEACHES LEISURE CENTRE**

Have a blast on our awesome Inflatable! Swimmers must be able to swim 10m to use the inflatable. You can also make a splash and enjoy the thrill of our water slides! Minimum height requirement to partake is 1m.



**LIFE SKILLS
QUEENSLAND**

KIDS WOODWORKING



PRESENTED BY LIFE SKILLS QUEENSLAND

A fun and engaging woodworking activity for young kids and parents to enjoy together. Learn basic skills, create a project, and build confidence in a safe workshop environment. Enclosed shoes essential.

WHEN

23 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Riverway,
Thuringowa Central

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 477 38811

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSEENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086270>

WHEN

23 & 30 SEPT

10AM – 1PM

WHERE

7-31 Erskine Place, Burdell

COST

\$5 + Entry

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 0400 415 040

✉ northernbeaches@cityaquatics.com.au

🌐 <https://northernbeachesleisurecentre.com.au/>

WHEN

23 & 30 SEPT

12.30 – 2.30PM

WHERE

8 Horwood Street, Currajong

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0401 388 978

✉ sales@lifeskillsqueensland.com.au

🌐 <https://www.lifeskillsqueensland.com.au/group-workshops>



KIDS BINGO



PRESENTED BY NORTH TOWNSVILLE COMMUNITY HUB

Kids Bingo is BACK! Join us for a fun session of games and awesome prizes for everyone. Don't miss out! Children under 8 years old must have parent supervision.



I SEE YOU LIKE THIS – EXHIBITION



PRESENTED BY NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

See parents through the eyes of their children in this joyful free exhibition by acclaimed artist Jessica Wilson. Discover playful portraits celebrating imagination, family and connection, created as part of NAFA 2026.



AERIAL HAMMOCK FUN WORKSHOP



PRESENTED BY ELEVATE STUDIOS NO

Swing into adventure these school holidays with our exciting 2-hour aerial hammock workshop! Perfect for energetic kids aged 6–16. Let them twist, flip and soar while playing fun games like hammock hungry hippos and the floor is lava.

WHEN

23 SEPT

11AM – 12PM

WHERE

The North Townsville Community Hub, 52 Palm Drive, Deeragun

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.
☎ 0747 516 511

✉ admin@notch.org.au

WHEN

24 SEPT – 19 OCT

10AM – 4PM

WHERE

Townsville Shopping Centre,
310-330 Ross River Rd, Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.
☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 [https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/
Events/I-See-You-Like-This](https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/I-See-You-Like-This)

WHEN

24 SEPT

1 – 3PM

25 SEPT

12.30 – 2.30PM

WHERE

55 Riverside Boulevard, Douglas

COST

\$49

BOOKINGS

Booking required.
☎ 0418 868 890

✉ [aerialyogatownsville@
gmail.com](mailto:aerialyogatownsville@gmail.com)

🌐 [https://www.trybooking.com/
events/landing/1639363](https://www.trybooking.com/events/landing/1639363)

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MOVIE MATINEE



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Sit back, relax and enjoy a movie in the heart of the library! Join us for Movie Matinee where kids can unwind, watch a children's film and socialise in a fun, comfy setting. Bring friends or make new ones.

WHEN

24 SEPT
1.30 – 3.30PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESEQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086280>

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PODCASTING WORKSHOPS: SO YOU WANT TO START A PODCAST?



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

This 1-hour workshop will explain the basics of podcasting, including the different types, what equipment and software you can use, and how to plan and develop ideas for your very own podcast.

WHEN

24 SEPT
9.30 – 10.30AM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESEQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086275>

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PODCASTING WORKSHOP: SO YOU WANT TO RECORD A PODCAST?



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

If you have a great idea for a podcast, but have never used a recording studio, this is the workshop for you! In this hands-on session, you'll learn the basics of how to use podcasting equipment including the Rodecaster Pro.

WHEN

24 SEPT
11AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESEQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086278>

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PODCASTING WORKSHOP: SO YOU WANT TO EDIT A PODCAST?



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

This workshop will teach you the basics of editing in Audacity, a free software application for recording and editing audio, as well as how to source royalty-free sounds and music.



Linking our Community for a better future

FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT



PRESENTED BY NORTH TOWNSVILLE COMMUNITY HUB

Bring the whole family along for a movie under the stars with a sausage sizzle, drinks and freshly made popcorn!



SILENT DISCO – KIDS



PRESENTED BY NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Turn The Strand into your dance floor! Grab your wireless headphones and join a joyful moving dance party for kids and families, complete with a secret soundtrack, surprise flash mobs, favourite tunes and plenty of dancing fun.

WHEN

24 SEPT

12.30 – 1.30PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Aitkenvale

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESEQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086279>

WHEN

24 SEPT

5.30 – 7.30PM

WHERE

The North Townsville Community Hub, 52 Palm Drive, Deeragun

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 0747 516 511

✉ admin@notch.org.au

WHEN

25 SEPT – 11 OCT

4.30 – 5.30PM

9 OCT

5 – 6PM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$19.65 – \$29.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Silent-Disco-Kids>



SCHOOL HOLIDAY BAREFOOT BOWLS



PRESENTED BY JUBILEE BOWLS CLUB

Learn the basics of lawn bowls – a fun non-contact sport – played outdoors under shade.
Wear flat shoes or go barefoot.
Equipment and coaching provided.

WHEN

**25, 28 – 29 SEPT
& 1 – 2 OCT**

9.30 – 10.30AM

WHERE

13 Burdekin Street, Mundingburra

COST

\$10

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0407 040 208

✉ secretary@jubileebowlsclub.com.au



PAINT & CREATE – SCHOOL HOLIDAY PAINTING WORKSHOP



PRESENTED BY SHAY

Join experienced painter Shay for a fun 2-hour watercolour workshop for all ages, grouped by age and ability. Bring basic watercolour supplies, including paints, brushes, palette, pencil and eraser. Take your finished artwork home. Full details are provided after registration.

WHEN

25 & 26 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibrary Riverway,
Thuringowa Central

COST

\$30

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0401 114 060

✉ s.azemikhah@gmail.com

🌐 https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSebJDZHQmwWgAmQlanQbQn33Stong_g19O09eDOHNv04opGyA/viewform?pli=1



I SEE YOU LIKE THIS – WORKSHOP



**PRESENTED BY
NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS**

Let your child's imagination take the lead! In this free hands-on workshop, children transform a parent or accompanying adult's face into a unique, playful portrait using colourful materials and objects.

WHEN

25 SEPT

9AM – 1PM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/I-See-You-Like-This-Workshop>

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KIDS SPIEGEL WORLD



**PRESENTED BY
NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS**

Meet Bluey and Bingo in a fun-filled live interactive experience, followed by circus fun, a mini dance party and plenty of chances to join in. A colourful family adventure packed with music, movement and surprises!

WHEN

25 SEPT

9 – 9.45AM
10 – 10.45AM
11 – 11.45AM
12 – 12.45PM

26 SEPT

11.30AM – 12.15PM
12.30 – 1.15PM
1.30 – 2.15PM
2.30 – 3.15PM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$39.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 [https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/
Events/Kids-Spiegel-World](https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Kids-Spiegel-World)

SEA OF LIGHT



**PRESENTED BY
NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS**

Step into a magical world of glowing colour and creativity! Explore an immersive sea of light, where children and families can play, create and transform the space around them. A captivating sensory experience for all ages.

WHEN

26 SEPT – 3 OCT

VARIOUS TIMES

WHERE

Queensland Museum Tropics
Townsville,
70–102 Flinders Street
Townsville City

COST

\$29.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 [https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.
au/Events/Sea-of-Light](https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Sea-of-Light)

TEENY TINY STEVIES – BRAIN FART REGIONAL TOUR



**PRESENTED BY
NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS**

Join ARIA Award-winning duo Teeny Tiny Stevies for a hilarious, high-energy musical adventure! Packed with catchy songs, clever lyrics, big laughs and plenty of dancing, Brain Fart is a fun-filled show the whole family will love.

WHEN

26 SEPT

10 – 11AM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$37.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 [https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/
Events/Teeny-Tiny-Stevies-
Brain-Fart-Regional-Tour](https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Teeny-Tiny-Stevies-Brain-Fart-Regional-Tour)

SILENT DISCO – KPOP DEMON HUNTERS

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PRESENTED BY

NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Step into the world of KPop Demon Hunters and dance the night away! Grab your headphones and join a high-energy silent disco featuring KPop hits, favourite songs from the film and plenty of fun for young fans and families.



CARDBOARD VROOM VROOM ART CAMP

P

PRESENTED BY CREATIVITY HOOD

Artists get to design and build their very own cardboard vehicle – big enough to climb and sit inside! They're the boss of what it becomes. A race car? A pirate ship? A rocket? A Barbie convertible? A submarine?

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MESSY PLAY IN THE PARK FEATURING BLUEY ACTIVITIES

E

PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Unleash the mess! Increase your child's confidence and develop their fine and gross motor skills by exploring fun, sensory and creative Messy Play featuring Bluey activities! The Mobile Library and a coffee van will also be onsite .

WHEN

26 SEPT

5.30 – 6.30PM

4 & 11 OCT

6.30 – 7.30PM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$19.65 – \$29.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Silent-Disco-KPop-Demon-Hunters>

WHEN

28 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

1/363 Bayswater Road, Garbutt

COST

\$120

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0411 030 243

✉ hello@creativityhood.com

🌐 <https://www.creativityhood.com/event-details/cardboard-vroom-vroom-art-camp-ages-5-9>

Discount
code:
guideart

WHEN

28 SEPT

9 – 11AM

WHERE

Queens Garden, North Ward

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 8310

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://whatson.townsville.qld.gov.au/events/messy-play-in-the-park-featuring-bluey-activities>



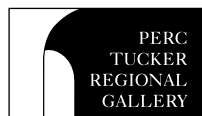
SCIENCE SURVIVAL CAMP



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

A full-day survival challenge involving water filtration, shelter building, navigation, emergency signals and practical problem-solving.

Please bring lunch, water and snacks for this workshop. Closed in shoes must be worn.



COSMIC CLAY CREATIONS



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITY GALLERIES

Join us at Perc Tucker Regional Gallery and get creative with paper clay. Make a space-themed sculpture to decorate your pencils and get inspired by the array of ceramic artworks on display in the 2026 *North Queensland Ceramic Awards*.



COLOUR THEORY PAINTING CAMP FOR TEENS



PRESENTED BY CREATIVITY HOOD

Your teen will get stuck into real colour theory: how to properly mix colours, how to use complementary colours and how to apply all of that to one painting, start to finish. This is a proper skill-building day – the stuff that actually levels up your painting and your skills.

WHEN

28 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$99

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/survival-science-camp-pPGYPFZ.html>

WHEN

29 SEPT – 2 OCT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Flinders Street

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 9011

✉ galleries@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://whatson.townsville.qld.gov.au/events/cosmic-clay-creations>

WHEN

29 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

1/363 Bayswater Road, Garbutt

COST

\$120

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0411 030 243

✉ hello@creativityhood.com

🌐 <https://www.creativityhood.com/event-details/colour-theory-painting-camp-for-teens>

Discount code: **guideart**

DINO DEN POP UP



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Step into the Dinosaur Den! Unleash your inner palaeontologist at our adventure zone where kids (and grown-up kids!) can build their own dinosaurs, solve prehistoric puzzles, play roar-some games and dive into dino-mite books!



DISASTER LAB



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

Come along and learn all about earthquakes, volcanoes, floods and engineering structures that can survive natural disasters. Please bring water and snacks for this 90-minute workshop. Closed in shoes must be worn.



CRYO COMMAND



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

Come along and learn about liquid nitrogen demonstrations, extreme-temperature experiments and frozen science challenges. Please bring water and snacks for this 90-minute workshop. Closed in shoes must be worn.

WHEN

29 SEPT

9.30 – 11.30AM

29 SEPT

1.30 – 3.30PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Flinders Street, Townsville City

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 07 4727 9666

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

Morning session

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESEQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086698>

Afternoon session

🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESEQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086699>

WHEN

29 SEPT

11AM – 12.30PM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$49

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/disaster-lab-pP2ZQ2W.html>

WHEN

29 SEPT

9 – 10.30AM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$49

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/cryo-command-pP1YN30.html>



BUSHLAND BEACH FAMILY FUN DAY



PRESENTED BY

NORTH TOWNSVILLE COMMUNITY HUB

Join us at both the Bushy Beach Skate Park and Peggy Banfield Park to enjoy activities such as kite flying, a scavenger hunt, a sausage sizzle and craft.



MINIATURE ROOMS ART CAP



PRESENTED BY CREATIVITY HOOD

Ever wanted to build a whole tiny world you could hold in your hands? Artists design and build their very own miniature room – completely their call. A cosy bedroom, a mad scientist's lab, a cluttered book shop, anything!

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BLOCK PRINTING WITH WOVEN VISIONS



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Get hands-on these school holidays with Woven Visions. Discover the mindful craft of block printing as you carve, stamp, and create your own unique artwork. A fun and relaxing workshop that encourages creativity and connection.

WHEN

29 SEPT

10AM – 12PM

WHERE

Peggy Banfield Park,
11 Lionel Turner Drive,
Bushland Beach

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0747 516 511

✉ admin@notch.org.au

WHEN

30 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

1/363 Bayswater Road, Garbutt

COST

\$120

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0411 030 243

✉ hello@creativityhood.com

🌐 [http://creativityhood.com/
event-details/miniture-rooms](http://creativityhood.com/event-details/miniture-rooms)

Discount
code:
guideart

WHEN

30 SEPT

9.30AM – 12.30PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Riverway,
Thuringowa Central

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 07 4773 8811

✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 [https://townsville.spydus.com/
cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/
EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=108
6700](https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSESENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086700)



INVENTORS BOOT CAMP



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

Children identify problems, develop ideas, build prototypes, test their inventions and present their final creations. Please bring lunch, water and snacks and participants are required to wear closed-in shoes. This is a full-day drop-and-go camp.

WHEN

30 SEPT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$105

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/inventors-boot-camp-pPSZYPW.html>

Discount
code:
SHG1



BLAST LAB: SECRET SCIENCE



PRESENTED BY

NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Become a junior scientist in this exclusive hands-on workshop! Get up close with exciting experiments, create take-home science surprises, tackle challenges and discover the science behind BLAST LAB's biggest moments. Recommended for ages 5+.

WHEN

**30 SEPT,
3 & 4 OCT**

3.45 – 4.45PM

1 & 2 OCT

12.15 – 1.15PM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$54.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/BLAST-LAB-SECRET-SCIENCE>



BLAST LAB



PRESENTED BY

NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Get ready for science to explode! Join Magnus Danger Magnus for a high-energy live spectacular packed with outrageous experiments, surprising reactions and laugh-out-loud moments. A thrilling, hands-on adventure for curious kids and families.

WHEN

**30 SEPT,
3 & 4 OCT**

2 – 3PM

1 & 2 OCT

10.30 – 11.30AM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$34.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/BLAST-LAB>

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SPACE SLUGS WORKSHOP WITH STREET SCIENCE



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Get ready for a squiggly, wiggly world of fun. Participants will be buzzing with excitement as they dive hands-on into the science of polymers as they mix and create their own polymer worms. Perfect for budding scientists!

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SERIOUSLY FUN SCIENCE SHOW WITH STREET SCIENCE



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITYLIBRARIES

Get ready for a seriously fun science experience like no other! From mind-blowing experiments to dazzling demonstrations, every performance is uniquely crafted to captivate and inspire, making science not just educational, but seriously fun!



SCHOOL ROCKS



PRESENTED BY
NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Get ready to rock! This high-energy family show brings acrobatics, dance and plenty of fun to the stage. With an energetic local cast, it's the perfect school holiday experience for kids and families. Suitable for all ages and abilities.

WHEN

1 OCT
11AM – 12PM

WHERE

Citylibraries Riverway,
Thuringowa Central

COST
FREE

BOOKINGS
Booking required.
☎ 07 4773 8811
✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au
🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSEENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086718>

WHEN

1 OCT
9.30 – 10AM

WHERE

Citylibraries Riverway,
Thuringowa Central

COST
FREE

BOOKINGS
Booking required.
☎ 07 4773 8811
✉ library@townsville.qld.gov.au
🌐 <https://townsville.spydus.com/cgi-bin/spydus.exe/ENQ/OPAC/EVSEENQ?SETLVL=&RNI=1086717>

WHEN

1 OCT
6 – 6.30PM

WHERE

Emmaus Hall,
Ryan Catholic College,
59 Canterbury Road, Kirwan

COST
\$19.65 – \$24.65

BOOKINGS
Booking required.
☎ 0466 707 042
✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au
🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/School-Rocks>



CREATURE CREATIONS



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

Children design a creature with adaptations suited to a particular environment, then build and present their creation. Please bring water and snacks for this 90-minute workshop. Closed in shoes must be worn.



OCEAN EXPLORERS CAMP



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

Learn about marine animals, adaptations, buoyancy, water movement and hands-on ocean science. Please bring water and snacks. Closed in shoes must be worn.



FAMILY PAINT & SIP



PRESENTED BY NORTH TOWNSVILLE COMMUNITY HUB

Bring the whole family along for a fun, step-by-step painting session designed for all ages. No experience needed – just bring your creativity! Afternoon tea provided. Spaces are limited.

WHEN

1 OCT

1 – 2.30PM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$49

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/creature-creations-pPQ1LFL.html>

WHEN

1 OCT

9AM – 12PM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$69

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/ocean-explorers-camp-pP1HFH5.html>

WHEN

1 OCT

4.30 – 6.30PM

WHERE

The North Townsville Community Hub, 52 Palm Drive, Deeragun

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0747 516 511

✉ admin@notch.org.au



JUNIOR MEDICAL RESEARCH CAMP



PRESENTED BY ALL ACCESS EVENTS

An immersive medical science day covering anatomy, diagnostics, germs, treatment design, medical investigations and a simulated research challenge. Please bring lunch, water and snacks. Participants are required to wear closed-in shoes.



MATERIALS RECYCLING FACILITY OPEN DAY



PRESENTED BY TOWNSVILLE CITY COUNCIL

Discover how recycling comes to life! Join us for a behind-the-scenes look at how North Queensland's recycling is sorted, processed and transformed.



SPLASH



PRESENTED BY NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS

Make a splash at NAFA's joyful family pool party! Swim, play, dance and explore as Tobruk Pool comes alive with live music, interactive performances, hands-on activities and plenty of colourful surprises.

WHEN

2 OCT

9AM – 3PM

WHERE

8 Keane Street, Currajong

COST

\$110

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0492 895 723

✉ admin@allaccesseducation.com.au

🌐 <https://allaccessevents.securedirectbookings.com/junior-medical-research-camp-pPU1ZAT.html>

Discount code: **SHG2**

WHEN

3 OCT

8AM – 12PM

WHERE

610 Ingham Road, Mount Louisa

COST

FREE

BOOKINGS

No bookings required.

☎ 13 48 10

✉ enquiries@townsville.qld.gov.au

🌐 <https://whatson.townsville.qld.gov.au/events/materials-recovery-facility-open-day>

WHEN

4 OCT

8.30AM – 12.30PM

WHERE

Tobruk Baths,
32 The Strand, North Ward

COST

\$34.65 – \$39.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 <https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/SPLASH>



TOWNSVILLE
SHOPPING CENTRE

KIDS & FAMILY PROGRAM

25 SEP - 11 OCT



Silent Disco



Jeany Tiny Stevies - Brain Fort Regional Tour



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MARIO THE MAKER MAGICIAN

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**PRESENTED BY
NORTH AUSTRALIAN FESTIVAL OF ARTS**

Prepare to be amazed by a magical mix of robots, technology and illusion! Mario the Maker Magician brings inventive contraptions, playful magic and plenty of audience interaction to the stage in this fun, family-friendly show.

WHEN

9 OCT

5 – 6PM

10 OCT

10 – 11AM

1 – 2PM

11 OCT

12.30 – 1.30PM

1 – 2PM

WHERE

NAFA Festival Hub
Strand Park,
37–43 The Strand,
North Ward

COST

\$39.65

BOOKINGS

Booking required.

☎ 0466 707 042

✉ info@nafa-tsv.com.au

🌐 [https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Mario-](https://tickets.nafa-tsv.com.au/Events/Mario-the-Maker-Magician)

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