



We all Stand on Sacred Ground:
Learn, Respect & Celebrate

5 – 12 JULY 2015

CAIRNS NAIDOC WEEK



Saturday 4th July

Elder's Luncheon

Another afternoon of old music and dance organised specifically for Elders. Meal and entertainment are provided and live music. Bring your loved ones along for a great time.

Venue: Nintiringanyi Cultural Training Centre, 16-18 McCormack St, Mooroolbool

Time: Arrivals 12:00 noon – 12.30pm

12.30pm – 4:30 pm

Entertainment: Solo Artist – TBC

Contact: Wynetta Dewis, 4045 7500 or wdewis@qifvls.com.au or cairnsnaidoc@gmail.com

PRE-REGISTRATION IS ESSENTIAL.

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Official NAIDOC Week 2015

Monday 6th July

Cairns NAIDOC Official Opening

The day will commence with a Welcome to Country and the raising of the Aboriginal, Australian and Torres Strait Islander flags along with speeches, entertainment and Indigenous Arts displays.

A sausage sizzle is being provided by the Mercure Harbourside for a gold coin donation, with all proceeds going to the Cairns NAIDOC Committee.

Venue: Fogarty Park, Cairns Esplanade

Time: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Contact: Nathan Williams, 0408 708 414

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Tuesday 7th July

Cairns NAIDOC Corporate Breakfast

The Department of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships (DATSIP) in collaboration with the Cairns NAIDOC Committee presents the sixth Cairns NAIDOC Corporate Breakfast.

This year's Corporate Breakfast is focused on Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander employment and business development. Guest speakers include Toni Ah Sam from the Northern Territory Indigenous Business Association and Dr Ernie Grant and his daughter Sonya Jeffery, Ingan Tours an Eco-Tourism company based in Tully.

A question and answer panel discussion with speakers will be held after the breakfast. Come along and ask them questions about current Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander business, economic and employment issues.

Venue: Grand Ballroom, Pullman Cairns International, 17 Abbott Street, Cairns

Time: 6:45 - 7:15am (Registration)

7:20 – 8:50am (Breakfast)

9:00 – 10:30am (Panel of speakers and questions)

Cost: \$45 per person or \$320 per table of 8

Contact: Nathan Williams, DATSIP, 4232 4212 or Nathan.Williams@datsip.qld.gov.au

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NAIDOC Disco

Cairns PCYC will be hosting 2 separate NAIDOC Discos for primary and high school aged children.

Theme:

Dress in **Aboriginal** and/or **Torres Strait Islander** colors or Indigenous patterns.

FOOD & DRINKS can be purchased at the venue.

High School Students MUST show identification.

Please register for the NAIDOC Disco online: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DMNXJW6>

OR call or email the contact person below.

Venue: Cairns PCYC, 91 – 97 McNamara Street, Cairns

Time: Primary School – 6:30pm – 8:30pm

High School – 9pm – 11pm

Cost: FREE

Contact: Dulcie Pensio, PCYC, 4053 1521 OR email: dulcie.pensio@pcyc.org.au

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Wuchopperen @ Edmonton Opening Celebration

Wuchopperen is opening a new clinic at Edmonton and will be hosting a community celebration at the Edmonton PCYC to promote the new service.

The afternoon will be a fun filled event with Giveaways, Face Painting, Zoo to You, Traditional Dancing, Indigenous Games, Basketball, Art and Craft activities, Crazy Bron, Bus tours to see the new clinic and a whole host of other activities including a free BBQ. Please join us at this event; we look forward to seeing you there.

Venue: 10-20 Walker Road, Edmonton Qld 4869
Time: 2pm – 6pm
Cost: FREE
Contact: La-Donna Ballangarry-Kearins on 4080 1000 OR e: marketing@wuchopperen.com



Thursday 9th July

NAIDOC Trivia Night

The Accor Hotel Group are excited to partner with the Cairns NAIDOC Committee in presenting the NAIDOC Trivia Night. There will be heaps of games and prizes along with 5 rounds of trivia.

Venue: Novotel Oasis Resort, 122 Lake Street Cairns
Time: 6pm to 9pm
Cost: \$60 per team (max 6 per team) OR \$15 per person; includes entry & nibbles. Meals & drinks available for purchase
Contact: Wayne Costelloe, Indigenous Employment Support Specialist, ACCOR Hotels, mobile 0427 137 651, e: wayne.costelloe@accor.com

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Friday 10th July

NAIDOC March – Be Loud, Be Proud

Bring your flags, banners, signs etc and join the NAIDOC March.

Venue: Muster at Munro Martin Park, Florence Street (at the northern end – near the toilets)

Time: 9:00 am – 9:30 am (Muster)

9:30 am – 10:00 am (March)

Route: Depart Munro Martin Park and head down Grafton Street to Spence Street, Spence Street to Fogarty Park

Contact: Muster organiser is Wayne, email: cairnsnaidoc@gmail.com mobile: 0406 975 104

NAIDOC In the Park Community Day

The event will commence with the arrival of the Marchers followed by the Welcome to Country and speeches by recognised Indigenous leaders, local politicians and community members. There will be information and arts and craft stalls, Indigenous business enterprises selling their wares and entertainment into the night.

This year Deaf Services Queensland have sponsored the day and will be providing services for hearing impaired attendees. They have also nominated for their clients to dance during the day.

Venue: Fogarty Park, Esplanade

Time: 10:00 am – 7:00 pm

Contact: For more information about NAIDOC in the Park call, Lynette Dewis on 0402 612 013 or cairnsnaidoc@gmail.com

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Saturday 11th July

NAIDOC Dinner

Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park

To celebrate the recent re-opening of the Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park the Cairns NAIDOC Committee is happy to partner with them to provide the local community the opportunity to see the new building and its amazing features.

This event is a great way to celebrate the culmination of Cairns NAIDOC Week and the successful events across the week. Come and join us for a great night featuring good food, traditional entertainment, including the evening shows Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander dancers and the Fire Show.

Venue: Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park, Cairns Western Arterial Road, Smithfield

Time: 6pm – 6:30 pm Pre-dinner drinks (free drink on arrival)

6:30pm – 11:45pm

Tickets: \$80 per ticket

Contact: Dulcie Pensio, 0428 293 176 OR e: dulcie.pensio@pcyc.org.au

Dress: Smart casual (NO JEANS)

Bus transfer -

Service: International Coaches

Cost: \$25 return or \$14pp

Pick-Up: Pier Bus Stop

Price of the transport can to be included with the NAIDOC Dinner tickets for persons registering for transport.



NAIDOC @ Shang Street, Mooroolbool

A smaller version of Friday in the Park is being organised in the suburbs by the Ngulpa Ngulpa Women's Corporation.

The event will include community and services stalls, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander dancing, food and craft stalls and activities for children and young people.

Venue: Shang Street Park, Shang Street, Mooroolbool

Time: 10am - 4pm

Cost: FREE

Contact: Flo Burns 0487 829 679





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Sunday 12th July

Tjapukai NAIDOC Closing Ceremony

Tjapukai is hosting the Official Cairns NAIDOC Closing Ceremony which includes free entry to a range of new and exciting shows.

Venue: Tjapukai Cultural Park, Cairns Western Arterial Road, Smithfield
Time: 1- 5pm
Tickets: FREE
Buffet lunch and sausage sizzles available for purchase on the day
Contact: Saskia Wrobluskie on (07) 4042 9999 or e: saskia.wrobluskie@tjapukai.com.au
Phone: (07) 4042 9999

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