

FRIDAY 29 AUGUST

Gardens History Tour	10.00am	Botanic Gardens Visitor Centre
She Shed Mosaic Workshops	1.00pm	She Shed Cairns
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Swish! Mural Art & Pop-up Laneway Party	4.30pm	Bank Lane, Cairns CBD
Fever Dreams Exhibition Launch	5.30pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Loni Fitzpatrick	5.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Whale	6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Dizzy Doolan	6.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Bubble Emporium	7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Duck Pond by Circa	7.30pm	CPAC
Groove Terminator and Soul Song Choir	8.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
Hey DJ. A Hip Hop Party Jam	8.30pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Madame After Dark	8.30pm	Bulmba-Ja Arts Centre

EXHIBITIONS		
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

*Fragments of Light - Lagoon Show:
7pm, 8pm and 9pm (duration 20mins).



SATURDAY 30 AUGUST

Green Space Open Garden	9.00am	Jess Mitchell Park
She Shed Mosaic Workshops	10.00am	She Shed Cairns
The Bubble Emporium	1.00pm 4.30pm 7.40pm	Cairns Esplanade
The Whale	1.30pm 7.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Duck Pond by Circa	2.00pm	CPAC
Tone Masons Tricycle Takeover	2.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Elixir Festival Fringe: Daniel Champagne	3.00pm 7.00pm	Elixir Music House
Nicole Nighthawk ⁺	3.30pm	Esplanade Main Stage
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Aerobatic Aircraft Display [^]	4.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Sweet Talk ⁺	4.30pm	Esplanade Main Stage
Grand Parade	5.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Spirit of Cairns Dinner Cruise: Zak Dylan	6.30pm	Spirit of Cairns
Fireworks Spectacular	7.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
The Public Opinion Afro Orchestra	7.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
Madame After Dark	8.30pm	Bulmba-Ja Arts Centre
EXHIBITIONS		
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	9.30am	Mulgrave Gallery
Fever Dreams	10.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

+Times subject to Aerobatic Aircraft Display
^Between 4.00pm - 4.30pm. Dependent on Air Traffic.
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SUNDAY 31 AUGUST

Art Studio Trail	10.00am	Various
Lets Organise Your Leisure	11.00am	Esplanade Lagoon
Tone Masons Tricycle Takeover	11.00am	Esplanade Lagoon
The Whale	1.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Elixir Festival Fringe: Merindi Family Jams	2.00pm	Elixir Music House
Australian Poetry Slam Workshop	2.00pm	Cairns City Library
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Australian Poetry Slam	5.00pm	Cairns City Library
Katie Richards Band	5.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Cat Empire	5.30pm	Munro Martin Parklands
The Whale	6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Spirit of Cairns Dinner Cruise: Sax Man (Troy Stevens)	6.30pm	Spirit of Cairns
El Moth	6.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Bubble Emporium	7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Luke McGregor	7.45pm	Tanks Arts Centre
EXHIBITIONS		
Fever Dreams	10.00am	Tanks Arts Centre

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MONDAY 1 SEPTEMBER

Botanic Gardens Tour: History Tour	10.00am	Botanic Gardens Visitor Centre
Art Studio Trail	10.00am	Various
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
The Bubble Emporium	7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
EXHIBITIONS		
Reef City	6.30am	Crate59
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	9.30am	Mulgrave Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

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TUESDAY 2 SEPTEMBER

Little Takkas Treasure Hunt	10.00am	Botanic Gardens Visitor Centre
The Yarntree!	10.00am	Cairns Esplanade
The Yarntree!	2.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Elixir Festival Fringe: Daniel Champagne	5.30pm	Elixir Music House
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Elixir Festival Fringe: Daniel Champagne	7.30pm	Elixir Music House
EXHIBITIONS		
Reef City	6.30am	Crate59
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	9.30am	Mulgrave Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

Sorry folks,

The Bubble Emporium
is having a rest day &
will be back on
Wed 3 Sep at 6.20pm.

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WEDNESDAY 3 SEPTEMBER

Gardens History Tour	10.00am	Botanic Gardens Visitor Centre
The Whale	1.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Live Music Trail: Vinyl Wednesday with DJ Cilla	5.00pm	Salt House
Minnie Marks	5.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Whale	6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Couchpark	6.00pm	Crate59
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Not On Your Rider	6.30pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Whiskey	6.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Bubble Emporium	7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
EXHIBITIONS		
Reef City	6.30am	Crate59
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	9.30am	Mulgrave Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

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THURSDAY 4 SEPTEMBER

Tanks History Tour	10.00am	Botanic Gardens Visitor Centre
The Whale	1.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Steph Strings	5.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
PRIMAL	5.30pm	Tanks Arts Centre
The Whale	6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Cabaret Café	6.00pm	Crate59
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Not On Your Rider	6.30pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Djawarray with Koahlition	6.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
Future Science Talks	7.00pm	CPAC
The Bubble Emporium	7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
PRIMAL	8.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
EXHIBITIONS		
Reef City	6.30am	Crate59
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	9.30am	Mulgrave Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

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FRIDAY 5 SEPTEMBER

Gardens History Tour	10.00am	Botanic Gardens Visitor Centre
The Whale	1.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Tone Masons Tricycle Takeover	5.00pm	Crate59
PRIMAL	5.30pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Felipe Baldomir	6.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Whale	6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Reef City Exhibition Launch	6.00pm	Crate59
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Runt: Moving Picture Nights	6.45pm	Ravizza Park Edmonton
The Bubble Emporium	7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
R3B	7.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Counterfeit	7.45pm	Tanks Arts Centre
PRIMAL	8.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
EXHIBITIONS		
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	9.30am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	9.30am	Mulgrave Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

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SATURDAY 6 SEPTEMBER

Turtle Making Workshop	11.00am	Mulgrave Gallery
The Whale	1.30pm 6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
Merrick Watts	2.00pm 6.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Tone Masons Tricycle Takeover	3.00pm	Novotel Oasis Resort Cairns
Live Music Trail: Novotel Tropical Pool Party	3.00pm	Novotel Oasis Resort Cairns
Live Music Trail: High Notes - Tapas & Music at Coco's	3.30pm	Pullman Cairns International
Fever Lounge	4.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Jazz Under the Stars	4.30pm	Flecker Gardens
PRIMAL	5.30pm 8.00pm	Tanks Arts Centre
Live Music Trail: Smokehouse Blues Mini Festival	5.30pm	Ellis Beach Bar & Grill
Burger Joint	6.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
Live Music Trail: Submerge	6.00pm	Crate59
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
The Bubble Emporium	6.20pm 7.20pm	Cairns Esplanade
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Spirit Of Cairns Dinner Cruise: Andy Brassett	6.30pm	Spirit Of Cairns
All Together Now!	7.00pm	CPAC
Quarter Street	7.30pm	Esplanade Main Stage
EXHIBITIONS		
Fever Dreams	10.00am	Tanks Arts Centre
Occurrent Affair: Justice Now	10.00am	Court House Gallery
The Invisible Line	10.00am	Mulgrave Gallery
That Hint of Magic by Brian Robinson	10.00am	Northsite Contemporary Arts

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SUNDAY 7 SEPTEMBER

Carnival on Collins	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre & Botanic Gardens
Turtle Making Workshop	11.00am	Mulgrave Gallery
The Whale	1.30pm	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Dave Cooke	4.00pm	Narrow Tracks Distilling
Kawayova	5.00pm	Esplanade Main Stage
The Whale	6.00pm	Cairns Esplanade
An Aerial Story of Burdekin Wetlands by Shaz Spannenburg	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Pama Voices	6.00pm	Mulgrave Gallery Lawn
Canvas of Cairns	6.30pm*	Cairns Esplanade
Live Music Trail: Spirit Of Cairns Dinner Cruise: Mattyboi	6.30pm	Spirit Of Cairns
Velvet Trip	6.45pm	Esplanade Main Stage
EXHIBITIONS		
Fever Dreams	9.00am	Tanks Arts Centre

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