



Gold Coast NAIDOC Week 2017 Calendar



NAIDOC Week celebrates the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Saturday 17 June 2017	Karulbo A&TSI Partnership presents <i>Laughter is the Deadliest Medicine - Take 3 with Sean Choolburra</i> Combined Reconciliation Week, Mabo Day and NAIDOC Calendar Launch Event Time: 6.00 pm - 9.30 pm (light snacks served for 1 hour 6.15 to 7.15 pm)	FREE – Drug and Alcohol Free event for all ages. Free Event however RSVPs are essential – Limited Tickets. No RSVP no Entry - RSVP no later than 12noon – 2/6/2017
Monday 3 July 2017	Arts Centre Gold presents NAIDOC: A Ceremony Breakfast - 135 Bundall Rd, commencing at 10:15am Join us for a bush tucker breakfast and guided tour of <i>Black Mist Burnt Country</i> . Then experience the extraordinary story of a young boy torn between modern and traditional living in a special cinema screening.	FREE – This year’s celebration explores Language Matters, reflecting connection identity, story and song. RSVP to Kyle Slabb - kslabb@theartscentregc.com.au
	Jellurgal Art Exhibition – Official Opening 2pm-3pm at 1711 Gold Coast Hwy, Burleigh Heads <i>Available for viewing daily, between 8:30am and 2:30pm until the 17th July 2017</i>	FREE – If you are interested in displaying art contact Aunty Joyce Summers at joycesumme40@outlook.com
Tuesday 4 July 2017	Bond University Flag Raising Ceremony – at the Bond University Amphitheatre (near the lake) Commencing at 9:30am sharp followed by light refreshments	FREE – for all community members to attend Event Contact; Narelle Urquhart - nurquhar@bond.edu.au
	Gold Coast Health - Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Health Service Celebrations Gold Coast University Hospital - Food Court Outdoor Foyer - 1 Hospital Boulevard, Southport 1pm-2pm – Bush Tucker Calendar taste test, meet the team, cultural information and a performance	FREE – for all community members to attend. To register interest and RSVP contact 0755255630 or email: Indigenous_health_service@health.qld.gov.au
	Kalwun Early Learning NAIDOC Celebrations Fun for under 8s – play-based event with entertainment 11:30noon – 1:00pm at Kalwun Child & Family Support Services - 14 Kortum Drive, Burleigh Heads	FREE – Families, Children & Services are invited to attend RSVP to 0755208600 or SEQadmin@kalwun.com.au
Wednesday 5 July 2017	Titans NAIDOC Event – In Partnership with Kalwun, Deadly Choice & the Preston Campbell Foundation 10am-2pm –A special day of fun, cultural activities and stalls at <i>FIRTH PARK, Mudgeeraba</i>	FREE – for all community members to attend
	Griffith University NAIDOC Celebrations – Gold Coast Campus from 10am-2pm near the Library 10am-2pm – Cultural activities, performances, workshops and taste testers	FREE – for all community members to attend <i>Persons attending are responsible for paying for their own parking.</i>
Thursday 6 July 2017	Wumginy Garalbu – Coming Together – Jebbribillum Bora 9:15am for a 9:45am start - 10:45am at the Corner 6 th Avenue & Gold Coast Highway, Burleigh Heads	FREE – for all community members to attend. RSVP to the Yugambeh Museum 38076155 or admin@yugambeh.com
	Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Elders Luncheon supported by the Karulbo A&TSI Partnership Held at the Currumbin RSL – 11:00am arrival for an 11:15am start - Event concludes at 2:00pm	INVITATION ONLY – for any enquiries contact Aunty Joyce Summers on 0755934634
	Jellurgal Cultural Centre - Presentation, Performance & Tour - 1711 Gold Coast Hwy, Burleigh Heads 10:30am – Visual Presentation / Performance; 11:00am – Guided Tour; 12:00noon – Light Refreshments	FREE – for all community members to attend Limited spots available - RSVP to 0755255955 by 3/7/17. <i>*Conditions apply for numbers per group/organisation</i>
Friday 7 July 2017	Gold Coast Community NAIDOC Recognition Street March (specific details to be confirmed) 10:00am – Gather at Goodwin Park, near the roundabout on Lanham Street 10:15am – Begin Street March to the NSW Border to meet the Tweed Community March 11:00am – March to the Chris Cunningham Park, Tweed Heads (next to Twin Towns)	FREE – for all community members to attend Event Contact; Leilani.Summers@kalwun.com.au
Date & Time to be advised	MOB FEST – for our young people and their families - The Gold Coast NAIDOC Committee in partnership with the Karulbo Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Partnership	FREE – for Young People, register your interest at: Indigenous_health_service@health.qld.gov.au



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The Council of the City of Gold Coast have decided to no longer fund the Gold Coast NAIDOC Committee to host the community events during NAIDOC week. The Gold Coast NAIDOC Committee acknowledges the collaboration between Kalwun Development Corporation, Krurungal, GCHHS, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Service, Jellurgal Cultural Centre, Karulbo Partnership, Yugambeh Museum, Canowindra, Qld Government, DATSIP, Arts Centre Gold Coast, Bond University and Griffith University.