

Bundy Region Connect News







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Free Zoo Keeper Talks

Alexandra Park Zoo invites you to attend the free keeper talks during the Easter School Holidays. Visit Alexandra Park Zoo these Easter school holidays to meet the keepers and the animals they care for. Talks are suitable for families and no bookings are required. Just meet the keeper in front of the animal exhibit

For more information click here

Families

Rockpool Rambles

Enjoy some rock-hopping to discover the diversity of creatures that call our rocky shore environment home. Learn about what we are doing as a Reef Guardian Council to help protect these areas. Bookings Essential.

Date: 5 April 2–3pm, 10 April 3–4:30 **Location:** Barolin Point Reserve, Coral Cove

For more information click here

Families

Messy Play Fun

Bundaberg Regional Libraries & First 5 Forever are hosting messy play groups across various locations. Get ready for some fun & messy outdoor play for ages up to age 6

Date: 22-24 April

For more information and to

register, click here

Community

U-Beach Community Beach Day

Enjoy this inclusive & accessible day at the beach with assistance on wheelchair transfers, mobility & beach activities provided

Date: 12 April | 9am-1pm

Cost: FREE

Location: Nielson Park, Bargara

School Holiday Fun

Tie Dye Workshop at the Gin Gin Neighbourhood Centre

Enjoy this creative & colourful activity where children up to 12 are invited to design & take home their own shirt

Date: 10 April | 9:30 Cost: \$5 per family

For more information contact the Gin Gin Neighbourhood Centre on 4130 4630

Moncrieff Entertainment

Brad Cox –Yarns & Yodels Tour

Australian music sensation Brad Cox is thrilled to announce his upcoming solo tour, "Yarns and Yodels," set to captivate audiences across regional Australia.

Date: 12 April

Time: 7:30-11:45 | Cost: \$66.10

For more information click here

Arts

Connecting Creatives: Public Art Breakfast

Aimed at bringing the regions' arts & business industries together for a morning of information sharing and networking

Date: 12 April | **Time:** 7–8:30am

Cost: \$30

Location: Bundaberg Multiplex Centre, **For more information click**

here

For information on various **network meetings** held in the Bundaberg Region click **here**



Frequently asked questions and general information

bundaberg.qld.gov.au/council/ faqs-general-information



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Council Venues & Facilities

Are you are looking for a location to hold a wedding, fitness and recreation activity, large event or family gathering? Whether you're searching for somewhere close to the CBD, within our natural bushland or along our stunning coastline, one of Councils parks or natural areas will suit your needs. To find out more about booking one of our Parks, beaches or gardens, visit the website here



Grants & Funding Opportunities

Bundaberg Regional Council's Micro Grant Program up to \$1,000Applications open every month with Round 11 closing h 2024
To apply click here

Bundaberg Regional Council's Community Services Program up to \$5000!

Applications close 28 June 2024 at 5pm. To apply click $\pmb{\text{here}}$ as we are waiting on your application!

Bundaberg Regional Council's Sport Championship Funding Program

Applications open for Round 1 2024/25 To apply click **here**

RADF Quick Response Grants

RADF invests in local arts and cultural priorities, as determined by local communities.

Assistance of up to \$2000 may be available for eligible applicants. Applications are open year-round and close on the last Friday of each month. For more information click **here**

Gin Gin & Childers Neighbourhood Centres

Gin Gin Neighbourhood Centre | Tye Dye Workshop—School Holidays Workshop—For ages up to 12

Date: 10 April | Time: 9:30am | Cost: \$5 per family

To RSVP call 4130 4630 or email ggnc@bundaberg.qld.gov.au

Childers Neighbourhood Centre | Autism Information Session

Information session to show support to families & friends living with Autism **Date:** 2 April **Time:** 9:30am—11:30am **Where:** 14 Hinkler St, Childers

Childers Neighbourhood Centre | Stich & Chat

Come along for a cuppa, and a chat while working on your own projects **Cost:** Free | **Date:** Every Monday | Time: 9—11am | Where: Childers Neighbourhood Centre

For more information click here

Community Arts Development

Creative Crowd—Life Drawing

Date: 17 April | **Time:** 5:30 pm—8:00pm

Location: Bundaberg Regional Art Gallery, 1 Barolin St, Bundaberg Central

Cost: \$60

Join in for a night of exploration & fun at Gallery One, & investigate portraiture & figure through your own drawings. **For more information click here**

For more information please contact:
Bundaberg Regional Council Community Development Unit
Phone 1300 883 699 Email comdev@bundaberg.qld.gov.au



Spellbound—A Night of Magic & Grand Illusion

Get ready for a spectacular night of Magic and Grand Illusion with one of Australia's leading Illusionists, Anthony Street.For more information click here

Jessica Mauboy—Yours Forever Tour

This homecoming tour from the 'Australian Idol' star turned 'The Voice' mentor is a celebration of her roots. For more information click here

Easter at Woodgate Fair

The Easter at Woodgate Fair is the biggest little beachside fair in the region! Monster markets, kids zone, food, music and the beach day out for all the family. For more information click here

Date: 1 April | 7:30am-2pm

Cost: Free

Jimmy Rees

Frontier Touring are thrilled to bring one of Australia's favourite entertainers, Jimmy Rees, back to the stage in 2024, with his expansive regional tour!

Date: 13 April |**Time**: 6pm—7:15pm For more information click here

Easter

Easter in the Gardens

The magic of Easter is celebrated at the Botanic Gardens. You will be searching high and low, far and wide to find all the larger-than-life GIANT eggs. Explorers of all ages can walk the trail of eggs, featuring artwork designed by local artists, community groups and school children . For more information click here