



Welcome to Hedland Night



Planning has commenced for the 2013 Welcome to Hedland Night to be held on Friday 17 May at the South Hedland Town Centre. This year's event is guaranteed to be more vibrant and more entertaining, with Triple J favourites, Busby

Marou, headlining the community expo!

Stall holder registration forms will become available next week, and can be downloaded from the [Town of Port Hedland website](#), and hard copies can be picked up from the following facilities:

- Civic Centre, McGregor Street, Port Hedland
- South Hedland Library, Leake Street, South Hedland
- Port Hedland Library, Dempster Street, Cooke Point

With over 5000 community members attending last year's event, this is an ideal opportunity for your business, organisation or community group to raise awareness and raise funds. Stall holders are not permitted to sell any products or services, unless it is for fundraising purposes (ie: community and not-for-profit groups and organisations).

For more information, please [email](#) the Town's Events Assistant Voula Keating or call 9158 9660.

Flicks in the Square - Cool Runnings, Friday 26 April

Chill out with the free screening of the popular comedy, 'Cool Runnings' on Friday 26 April as part of the Flicks in the Square event.

The evening will commence with a live acoustic performance by local musician Chris Summers, from 6.30pm to 7pm, with movie screening soon after.

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Mayor Howlett's and Council's Calendar Online

See Details of Mayor Kelly Howlett's calendar and Councillor's Moving Calendar [online](#) for the week ahead. If you (or your organisation, business or community group) would like to make an appointment to meet with Mayor Howlett, please [email](#) or call the Executive Assistant on 9158 9313.

Community News

Rising Dust: Photographs from the Robe River Rodeo - opening night, Friday 19 April

- Community members are invited to attend the opening of 'Rising Dust', the latest exhibition at the Port Hedland Courthouse Gallery. Presented by FORM and BHP Billiton Iron Ore, the exhibition displays the works of 18 local photographers who travelled to the 18th Robe River Rodeo in Pannawonica and captured the excitement and competition of the rodeo, under the guidance of professional photographers



Food and beverages will be available for sale on the night, this is a hassle-free event for you and your family and friends to hang out and enjoy the cooler weather.

'Cool Runnings' is based on the true story of the first Jamaican bobsled team, who competed at the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympics. The team is trained by disgraced

former Olympic coach, Irving Blitzer, and against all odds, the team make it to Canada which is a world away from their sunny island home.

'Cool Runnings' is a tale of courage, determination and surviving in the face of adversity - a fitting theme to pay tribute to our ANZACs.

Flicks in the Square is one of many events held as part of the South Hedland Town Square Events series, and is proudly supported by the Town of Port Hedland, BHP Billiton Iron Ore and Landcorp. **Flicks in the Square is a drug, smoke and alcohol free event.**

Vehicle Auction, Saturday 20 April 2013



The Town of Port Hedland will be holding a vehicle auction on Saturday 20 April, with 70 vehicles up for auction including ex-Town of Port Hedland fleet vehicles, three small trucks, seven ride-on mowers, one steel road roller, and various small plant items from Parks and Gardens and Engineering services.

In accordance with Section 3.58(2)(a) of the Local

Government Act 1995, disposal of property will be to the highest bidder at public auction. The vehicles are offered 'as is where is' and may be inspected at the Town of Port Hedland Depot, Cajarina Road, Wedgefield on Saturday 20 April 2013, strictly between the hours of 8am and 10am, with registration of all persons bidding also taking place at this time. Auction will start 10.30am sharp and will run until all items have been auctioned. A list of Vehicle Lot Numbers will be available from 8am at the auction.

It is a condition that all persons entering the Town of Port Hedland Works Depot, Cajarina Street, Wedgefield, are to wear enclosed shoes.

Payment is to be made in cash (correct amount) or via EFTPOS on the day. The successful highest bidder for any vehicle will have 16 working days in which to collect the vehicle from the Depot, being Thursday 9 May 2013. All vehicles not collected after this date will be forfeited, and the buyer will forfeit any payment made.

For further information please contact Ranger Services on 9158 9741 between 8am and 4pm, from Monday to Friday.

Meet Paralympic Gold Medallist Carol Cooke - Tuesday 30 April

As part of the Move-It Hedland program, community members

John Elliot, Bill Shaylor and videographer Michael Flechter. The exhibition will show alongside 'Pastel Beauty in a Harsh Environment', a collection of works by pastel artist David Freedman, who during his time as a fly-in-fly-out surgeon at Hedland Health Campus, expressed his admiration for Hedland's natural beauty through his art. The evening commences at 6pm, with an official opening by BHP Billiton Iron Ore Senior Manager - Community and Indigenous Affairs, Chris Cottier, and The Esplanade Hotel Director, Fondas Graspas. [RSVP your attendance](#) by Thursday 18 April.

• Fortescue Community Support Program - apply now!

• Fortescue Metals Group's Community Support Program helps fund projects, groups and initiatives that have a positive impact in the community. If you are a local sporting or recreation association, not-for-profit or community service organisation within Port Hedland, the Shire of East Pilbara or Tom Price, we'd love to hear from you. To apply for up to \$5,000 in Fortescue Community Support visit [the Fortescue website](#) or for more information contact Fortescue Community on 9158 5800 [via email](#). The application period is Monday 25 March - Friday 26 April 2013.

2013 Artist Camp - May 3 to May 5

• FORM will be holding their annual Artist Camp on the weekend of May 3 to May 5, and artists of all skill levels are invited to attend. The camp will be held at De Grey Station, and participants will be mentored by two artists, as they explore the beauty of the Pilbara using watercolour and textiles. Applications are now open, and forms can be [downloaded online](#) or obtained by [emailing](#) the friendly staff at the Courthouse Gallery. All applications need to be submitted by close of business on Friday 19 April. For more information please [email](#) or call the Courthouse Gallery on 9173 1064. The 2013 Artist Camp is proudly presented

will have the opportunity to meet program mentor and Paralympic Gold Medallist Carol Cooke, at a breakfast function on Tuesday 30 April at The Esplanade Hotel, from 7am to 8am.

Carol Cooke is also a strong advocate for Multiple Sclerosis, having founded the 24 Hour Mega Swim Event, which raises money for the 'Go for Gold' sponsorship, providing scholarships to people living

with MS to follow a dream. The event has raised \$4 million so far, an amount which has seen the initiation of the Financial Assistance Scheme project for people with MS.

An inspiring athlete and individual, this is an event not to be missed! Tickets are \$27 per person, and include hot and cold breakfast. Purchase your tickets [online](#), at Wanangkura Stadium (Hamilton Road, South Hedland) or at the Civic Centre (McGregor Street, Port Hedland).



by FORM with the support of principal partner BHP Billiton Iron Ore.

Other News

- Free fishing clinic tour
- Nine new programs launched at Wanangkura Stadium
- Environmental approval for waste processor to power 2000 homes

West End Markets - Saturday 20 April

Photograph courtesy of Samantha Bell

The West End will come alive next Saturday with the return of the popular West End Markets! Held in Glass Lane and the Courthouse Gallery Gardens in Port Hedland from 3pm to 7pm, the markets give all local entrepreneurs and providers the chance to sell their wares and showcase their talents to the wider community.

Since its inception, the West End Markets has grown to become a cultural event in Port Hedland, with increasing numbers of stall holders at the markets every quarter.

All community members are invited to head down to the West End and participate in the revelry. For more information, please [email the friendly team at the Courthouse Gallery](#) or call 9173 1064.



- View [Minutes of past Council Meetings](#). Ordinary Council Meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of the month. These Meetings are open meetings and people of all abilities are welcome to attend. The most recent Agenda for the next Meeting, together with Council's procedures for Questions from Members of the Public and associated Form are available [here](#).
- See regular updates of the Pilbara Underground Power Project . Visit the [Horizon Power Website](#).
- Check out the latest fitness program and events on the Port Hedland Leisure [website](#).
- Stay up-to-date on upcoming residential, commercial and industrial land releases throughout the Town of Port Hedland. Visit the [LandCorp Website](#).
- Visit the [Pilbara Cities website](#) to learn about the latest developments in the Pilbara.

- [Report Pot Holes Online](#) or call the Town's Engineering Officer on 9158 9700.
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