



Stall holders sought for 2014 Spinifex Spree Carnival

The Town of Port Hedland is seeking stall holders for this year's Spinifex Spree Carnival, which will be held on Friday 25 and Saturday 26 July at the Port Hedland Turf Club on McGregor Street, Port Hedland.

The Spinifex Spree Carnival is one of the Town's largest community events, attracting over 8000 people during the two days and over 80 stall holders from all over WA.

The event is a great opportunity for a local or regional business to promote their products and services to a wider audience.

Interested stall holders can **complete an online form** or download **a hard copy from the Town's website**.

When completing the **online stall holder registration form**, you will also be able to process your payment online in one easy step.

All forms will need to be completed by Friday 27 June and hard or electronic copies submitted to the Town's Senior Events Officer at ec@porthedland.wa.gov.au.

For more information, please contact the Senior Events Officer on the above email or call (08) 9158 9624 or call 0407 991 241.

LAST CHANCE: Registrations for Welcome to Hedland Night and Mother's Day Classic

The registration periods are closing soon for Welcome to Hedland Night 2014 and the 2014 Mother's Day Classic.

Mother's Day Classic:

- **Online registrations** close on Monday 7 May.
- On-the-day registration is available, however online registration is advised to avoid queues.
- Prizes will be awarded for the highest fundraiser, best dressed and the six

kilometre placed runners.

Welcome to Hedland Night:

- Stall holder registrations close THIS FRIDAY (2 May). **Complete an online stall holder registration form, or download a copy from the Town's website.**
- Performer expressions of interest close on Friday 9 May. **Download a form from the Town's website.**
- Submit all forms to the Town's Senior Events Officer at **ec@porthedland.wa.gov.au.**

May 2014

Mother's Day packages for live shows at the MDCC

Stuck for the perfect gift this Mother's Day? Why not treat her to a fun family night out at the Matt Dann Cultural Centre with our special Mother's Day packages on offer for our live shows: Tashi Stories and Controlled Falling Project!

For just \$84 per show, the package includes two adults and two childrens (under 18) tickets, representing a savings of up to 38% off the original ticket prices!

On Thursday 15 May, 5pm, young and old are invited to walk through the magical world of Tashi. Brought to you by Imaginary Theatre, the actors bring to life Anna and Barbara Fienberg's magical storybooks based on Tashi's adventures. In **Tashi and the Mountain of White Tigers**, Tashi has to find a way to save his Aunty from The Wicked Baron - can he do it in time to save the day?

On Saturday 17 May, 8pm, rediscover your love of acrobatics with Controlled Falling Project brought to you by ThisSideUp Acrobatics. This show has sold out across the UK, Europe and Australia and we're very lucky to have this worldwide phenomenal show come to Port Hedland. **Controlled Falling Project (click the link to watch a preview)** is all about pushing the limits of gravity and learning how to fall - with control! If you love the circus, or just love watching graceful acrobatics then don't miss out on this one night only performance.

All tickets are available from the **Matt Dann Cultural Centre website**, or can be bought at the Box Office one hour before the show. It is recommended to purchase tickets online to avoid the Box Office queues!

What's On Community Events Brochure - view and submit your events online

If you prefer accessing your information via your phone or tablet, then you'll be pleased to know that the popular monthly What's On Community Events Brochure is now available online, and you can also submit your events via our new online form!

To access the online version of the brochure, **click this link to be redirected**. You can also access the online form to submit your event on the back page.

This is our first digital version and we're always looking for ways to improve your reading experience. If you have feedback or suggestions on how we can make the digital brochure better, let us know by emailing the Events Marketing Officer at **eao@porthedland.wa.gov.au**.

Reminder: Wallwork Road temporary closure

Residents and visitors are reminded that Wallwork Road between South Hedland and Port Hedland is closed until Monday 19 May to allow for the realignment of the road to Wallwork Road Bridge.

This is the final stage of the Wallwork Road Bridge project. Once complete the bridge will be open to the public, meaning drivers will no longer have to stop at the rail line.

A detour is in place via Hamilton Road and Great Northern Highway (**click here to view the map**) and traffic management is in place.

Drivers can also travel to Port Hedland/South Hedland via Buttweid Road (off Great Northern Highway or Murdoch Drive).

The Town of Port Hedland and Main Roads WA thanks everyone for their patience and understanding during this project.

For further information please phone 0418 119 187, email **wa.communications@jhg.com.au** or visit **www.mainroads.wa.gov.au**.

Wednesday 30 April

April Ordinary Council Meeting

Monday 28 April

New fitness timetable for Port Hedland Leisure

The Ordinary Council Meeting for April will be held this Wednesday 30 April in Council Chambers (upper level Civic and Administration Centre, McGregor Street, Port Hedland) from 5.30pm.

The agenda for the meeting is available for viewing and download from the [Town's website](#). Minutes from previous meetings can also be viewed and downloaded.

All community members are welcome to attend. Please enter via the Civic Centre Gardens entrance.

Port Hedland Leisure has released a new timetable for fitness classes and small group classes, including the Grit series, boot camp and aqua classes. The timetable comes into effect from Monday 28 April 2014.

The new timetable includes more aqua classes, including a new Aqua Zen class which will take you to a place of deep physical and mental relaxation while practicing breathing techniques, centering, balance, core control and free-flow forms.

To obtain a copy of the new timetable, check the [Port Hedland Leisure website](#) or [Facebook page](#) for updates.

Community News

If you have a community project, initiative or event you would like to promote, please email publicityofficer@porthedland.wa.gov.au with details to include in Council News @ Your Fingertips.

- **WOW Week - Monday 5 to Sunday 11 May**

The Hedland Well Women's Centre is holding their annual WOW (Women on Wellness) week from Monday 5 to Sunday 11 May. The week is aimed to help with the health and wellbeing of women in Hedland. There are 36 activities over the six day period including physical health activities, mental health workshops, social health gatherings and dietary health demonstrations. The week concludes with a Mother's Day High Tea at the Well Women's Centre on the Sunday 11 May which rounds off the week beautifully. Some events require booking ahead as numbers are limited. Keep an eye out for our timetable of events in the North West Telegraph and on their [Facebook page](#). Please contact the Hedland Well Women's Centre on 9140 1124 or email program@wellwomens.com.au for more information.

- **Zumba Your Morning Away - Fundraiser for Muscular Dystrophy WA**

Join the Zumba with Fitness Hedland crew on Saturday 24 May for some fun, fitness and fundraising! The fundraiser will be held from 8am at the Hedland Senior High School gymnasium (access via Roberts Street, South Hedland). Everyone will receive a free healthy breakfast on arrival before shaking your way to being healthy and fit. There will also be stalls featuring local home-based businesses, and a raffle. All funds raised on the day will go towards Muscular Dystrophy WA. **Places are limited - call 0488 177 758 to book your spot today.**

- **Boot Camp for Blood Cancer - Sunday 8 June**

The Leukaemia Foundation is hosting a Boot Camp for Blood Cancer fundraiser on Sunday 8 June at the Civic Centre Gardens. From 7am to 12pm, a number of fitness classes will be held including boot camp with Thumping Phiit and the YMCA, yoga with Yoga with Grace, Zumba with Fitness Hedland and a Les Mills CXWORX class with the YMCA. Classes are \$15 each, \$25 for a two class pass or \$30 for unlimited classes. The first 30 people to register for unlimited classes will receive a goodie bag! Register your interest today with Katie Thompson at kthompson@leukaemia.org.au or call 0409 395 597. All proceeds from this will support the Leukaemia Foundation. The Boot Camp for Blood Cancer is also supported by KH PT + Fitness and Rio Tinto Dampier Salt.

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