



DARWIN FESTIVAL E-NEWS

Darwin comes alive for the Darwin Festival...so should you!

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DARWIN FESTIVAL OFFICIAL PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

The Darwin Festival officially launched the highly anticipated 2004 program at the Darwin Entertainment Centre on Tuesday. Accompanied by the Northern Territory Chief Minister, Clare Martin and Darwin Lord Mayor, Peter Adamson, Festival Director Malcolm Blaylock said "the events chosen for 2004 focus on the unique traditions and cultures of the Darwin region."

For 18 days the Darwin Festival will light up the city and the George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens in a colourful and powerful celebration of talent that will offer a feast of music, dance, theatre, opera, ballet, film, interactive workshops and visual arts that incorporate the diverse culture of Darwin. See the new **Darwin Festival 2004 website** (www.darwinfestival.org.au) for all event information and bookings.



12-29 AUGUST 2004

www.darwinfestival.org.au

**BUY A FESTIVAL CLUB PASS
so you can party on every
night!**

VALUE AT ONLY \$33!

The Festival Club, at the Star Shell in the Darwin Botanic Gardens will be the social hub of the Festival with live music and entertainment from **9.30pm every night***.

Rub shoulders with the celebrities, meet your friends after a show, and party on into the night.

Entry to the Festival Club is **\$5**, or **FREE** if you present your ticket to a Festival event from the same night.

And for those who really love to party, you can save money and buy a Festival Club pass for just **\$33** for entry to all 18 nights.

Available in advance from the Darwin Entertainment Centre. Call 08 8980 3333 for your Festival Club Pass now.

*Admission to the Festival Club is subject to venue capacity. The Festival Club is open every night from 9.30pm, except Opening Night at 10.30pm, and 11pm, Sat 28th August.

E-NEWSLETTER REGISTRATION

If you want to make sure you don't miss out on *anything* to do with the Darwin Festival, register to receive these regular e-newsletters. To register, email claire@darwinfestival.org.au with *E-newsletter Registration* as the subject.

If you do not wish to receive the Darwin Festival e-newsletter, email claire@darwinfestival.org.au with *Unsubscribe* as the subject.

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The line-up of entertainment for the Darwin Festival is listed below. For information on events, see the Darwin Festival website, or pick up your copy of the full Darwin Festival program from venues around Darwin.

COMEDY and CABARET

- Wil Anderson
- Scared Weird Little Guys
- Lano and Woodley

DANCE and PERFORMANCE

- Indigenous Performance
- Snakes, Gods and Deities
- Streets of Dance
- Nutcracker
- Tunas Mekar Balinese Collective
- Purna Das Baul
- Fire in Your Belly

FILM

- Big Screen
- AFTRS Short Films
- St Kilda Film Festival Aussie Shorts
- Free film workshops

THEATRE

- Tin Hotel
- Surviving Jonah Salt
- Outside and Over the Top

VISUAL ARTS

- 21st Telstra National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander ArtAward
- Sculpture in the Park
- Galuku Gallery
- Art Gallery Exhibition Openings Day
- Humanature
- Tropicartography
- Temporary Public Art Forum

FREE OUTDOOR EVENTS

- Santos Concert on the Esplanade
- Kultura
- Australian Central Teddy Bears' Picnic

MUSIC

- Xavier Rudd Amphitheatre Concert
- La boheme
- Sing Your Own Opera
- Batari - Plate Tectonics
- Batari - Traditional Japanese Taiko Drumming
- Great Fences of Australia
- Tetrafade Percussion
- Pesona Indonesia 2004
- Splendour of Yue Ju
- lolanthe
- Urban Village Cultured Beats
- NT Music Festival Showcase
- Ross Wilson and the Urban Legends
- Darwin City Brass Band Open Day
- Sydney International Piano Competition
- NT Indigenous Music Awards
- Yilila Concert
- Black Music Bright Future

CALLING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

Darwin Festival wants you to get involved. We are looking for enthusiastic members of the community to assist the Darwin Festival in many areas of this fabulous event.

So if you're up for the challenge and want to offer a hand, please contact Katelyn B or Shannon Miskelly at the Darwin Festival office on **(08) 8981 0083** or email project@darwinfestival.org.au

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