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& culture

in north sydney 2017



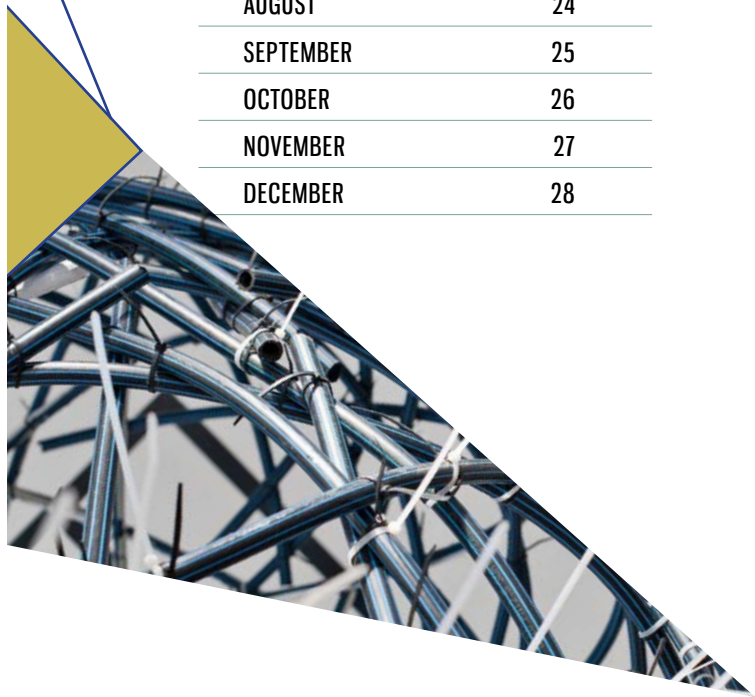
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COVER IMAGE: Warren Langley and Julia Davis,  
*Angles of Incidence* 2016 (detail).





#### ART REFLECTION

A large collection of framed works including photography, figurative, floral, landscapes, abstract, contemporary, seascapes and original pieces.

354 Military Rd, Cremorne  
artreflection.com.au

#### THE GALLERY @ THE KIRRIBILLI CENTRE

Gallery space available for hire.

The Kirribilli Centre, Level 1, 16 - 18 Fitzroy St, Kirribilli  
9922 4428 thekirribillicentre.org

**f**@kirribillicentre

#### INSIDE/OUTSIDE CUBE

An initiative providing opportunities for artists and sculptors to exhibit works inside an outdoor sculpture plinth in Civic Park. Works are exhibited regularly with a focus on contemporary sculpture.

Civic Park, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8187 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/artsandculture

**f**@artsandculturenorthsydney

#### INTRANSIT ART SPACE

A varied and engaging program of exhibitions based on Council's annual arts and cultural programs. Open to local artists and community groups.

Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm

200 Miller St, North Sydney

9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/artsandculture

**f**@artsandculturenorthsydney

#### PLATFORM 72

Contemporary Australian art gallery showcasing a large range of styles. The gallery aims to connect people to the joy of living with art.

62 Atchison St, St Leonards

platformstore.com.au

**f**@platform72 **i**@platform72

#### PROJECT [504]

Co-operative art initiative and studio featuring established and emerging Australian artists. Developed to provide an outlet for artists to showcase their work outside the mainstream gallery scene. Two locations:

504 Pacific Highway, St Leonards & 65 Berry St, North Sydney  
0450 468 387 project504.com.au

**f**@followproject504 **i**@followproject504

#### ROYAL ART SOCIETY OF NSW

An independent not for profit gallery and art school. The Lavender Bay gallery exhibits high calibre artworks from established and emerging artists, whilst the Society offers a range of quality art classes.

25 - 27 Walker St, North Sydney

9955 5752 royalart.com.au

**f**@RoyalArtSocietyofNSW

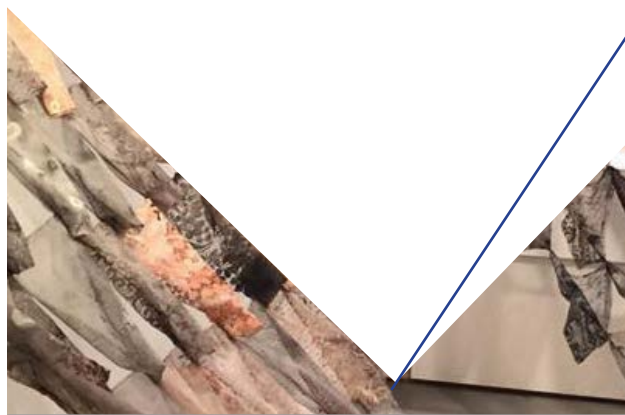
#### TRAFFIC JAM GALLERIES

A leading contemporary art gallery on Sydney's Lower North Shore, the gallery represents a broad spectrum of Australian and International art in the gallery, online and through corporate collaborations.

41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay

9953 3831 tjg.com.au

**f**trafficjamgalleriessydney



#### ARTBOX WORKSHOPS

Art classes for adults and children during school holidays and after-school. Classes taught by professional artists across painting, sculpture, printmaking, collage and more.

35 Barry St, Neutral Bay

0427 994 454 artboxworkshops.com.au

**f**@artboxworkshops

**CONTACT SHEET**

Photographic art gallery and print shop, with regular exhibitions, courses and mentorship programs for all levels. Art consultation, curatorial and installation services.  
60 Atchison St, St Leonards  
0402 356 695 [contactsheet.com.au](http://contactsheet.com.au)  
f@contactsheetgallery @contactsheetgallery

**CRE8TIV STUDIOS**

Artist-run studios, exhibition and workshop space. Resident artists work in a variety of mediums from figurative to abstract painting, printing, sculpture and wearable art. Exhibition space, workshop and printing press available for short and long term hire.  
Open to the public the 1st Saturday of the month.  
27 Atchison St, St Leonards  
0414 742 868 [art@yvonnelevenston.com](mailto:art@yvonnelevenston.com)  
f@cre8tivstudiosStLeonards

**4CATS ARTS STUDIO**

A professional studio for artists aged 2 - 15 providing an opportunity to create.  
246 Miller St, North Sydney  
8084 8396 [4cats.com/northsydney](http://4cats.com/northsydney)  
f@4CatsAustralia

**DON BANK WRITER IN RESIDENCE STUDIO**

A residency program which offers a writer the opportunity to pursue their work at the historic Don Bank Museum, a heritage building in the heart of the CBD, during which time they present talks and workshops to the community.  
6 Napier St, North Sydney  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

**me. ARTSPACE**

An innovative art studio, collective and gallery where like minds come together to produce exciting new work. Artist and convenor, Debbie Mackinnon, runs a painting group, 'Paint with me.' every Thursday morning.  
25 Atchinson St, St Leonards  
0419 295 271 [meartspace.com.au](http://meartspace.com.au)  
f@me.artspace

**NORTH SYDNEY MEN'S SHED**

Fully-equipped carpenters workshop providing hobby facilities and an opportunity to socialise.  
Open to members Tues - Thurs, 10am - 4pm.  
Smoothy Park, 6 Russell St, Wollstonecraft  
9439 4721 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

**PRIMROSE PARK ARTIST STUDIOS**

A unique artist studio program which offers six artists a shared low cost professional studio space for a one year period. Artists are required to share their creative practice with the community through an active and engaging monthly Public Program of open days, exhibitions, workshops and artist talks.  
Primrose Park, Matora Lane (off Young Street), Cremorne  
9936 8187 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
f@artsandculturenorthsydney

**PRIMROSE PARK ARTS & CRAFT CENTRE**

The Centre provides paper-based art and craft classes, special events and open access weekends for members and the community. Activities and services include papermaking, mixed media, calligraphy, photography, basketry and fully equipped darkroom for members.  
Primrose Park, Matora Lane (off Young Street), Cremorne  
[primrose-park.com.au](http://primrose-park.com.au)

**STUDIO 20/17 PROJECT SPACE**

Artist-run initiative supported by North Sydney Council encompassing a contemporary jewellery and object gallery displaying handcrafted work by local artisans. Studio 20/17 Project Space also incorporates a working studio and space for hands-on workshops, exhibitions and community events.  
53 Ridge St, North Sydney  
0411 808 274 [studio2017.com.au/projectspace](http://studio2017.com.au/projectspace)  
f@studio2017projectspace

**COAL LOADER ARTIST STUDIO**

A residency program which offers one artist the studio space for a 12 month period. During this time the artist will share their creative insights with the community by providing regular workshops and artist talks.  
The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability  
2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8187 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
f@artsandculturenorthsydney

**X&CO**

A non-profit, artist-run, social enterprise café which aims to raise funds to support the local creative community in the TWT Creative Precinct.  
63 - 65 Chandos St, St Leonards  
0415 294 915 [xandco.com.au](http://xandco.com.au)  
f@CafeXandCo @CafeXandCo

**AUSTRALIAN WRITERS CENTRE IN SYDNEY**

Celebrating 11 years, the centre offers writing courses in creative, freelance and business writing, as well as blogging.

Ground Floor, 55 Lavender St, Milsons Point  
9929 0088 [writerscentre.com.au](http://writerscentre.com.au)

**f** @WritersCentre **t** @writerscentreAU

**FABER WRITING ACADEMY AT ALLEN & UNWIN**

Writing courses devised by leading authors and publishers across fiction, non-fiction, memoirs and how to get published.

83 Alexander St, Crows Nest

8425 0171 [faberwritingacademy.com.au](http://faberwritingacademy.com.au)

**f** @AllenandUnwinBooks **i** @allenandunwin

**LIVE POETS @ DON BANK**

Features a special guest at each meeting and an open section for anyone to read, sing, tell a story or play an instrument.

Meet 4th Wednesday of the month Feb - Nov, 7.30pm - 10.30pm at Don Bank Museum.

6 Napier St, North Sydney  
9896 6956 or 0422 263 373

**f** @livepoetsdonbank

**STANTON LIBRARY**

Collection of books, DVDs, CDs, newspapers and magazines, online databases, PCs, wired and wireless internet, Heritage Centre.

Activities include Writers @ Stanton author talk series, children's storytime, technology classes, school holiday programs, exhibitions, community programs and cultural celebrations.

234 Miller St, North Sydney

9936 8400 [library@northsydney.nsw.gov.au](mailto:library@northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

[northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library) **t** @Stanton\_Library

**DON BANK MUSEUM**

Early 19th Century timber slab cottage. One of Council's premier historical sites featuring the history of the house and its former occupants.

Open Wed, 12pm - 3pm and Sun, 2pm - 4pm, Feb - Dec  
Closed public holidays

6 Napier St, North Sydney

9936 8400 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au/museums](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/museums)

**HARRY DALY MUSEUM & RICHARD BAILEY LIBRARY**

The Australian Society of Anaesthetists allows visitors to explore humanity's quest for pain-relief.

Thurs - Fri, 10am - 4pm by appointment.

Level 7, 121 Walker St, North Sydney

8556 9700 1800 806 654 [asa.org.au](http://asa.org.au)

**t** @ASA\_Australia **f** @australiansocietyofanaesthetists

**MARY MACKILLOP PLACE MUSEUM**

Visit this heritage site and discover the story of St Mary MacKillop, Australia's first saint and Fr Julian Tenison Woods, co-founders of the Sisters of St. Joseph.

New for 2017: The Botanical Room. Families are invited to create and contribute to the wall artwork or create their own observational drawings. Art supplies provided.

Open 7 days excluding public holidays.

7 - 11 Mount St, North Sydney

8912 4878 [marymackillopplace.org.au](http://marymackillopplace.org.au)

**MAY GIBBS' NUTCOTE MUSEUM & GIFT SHOP**

May Gibbs' Nutcote is the house and garden of iconic Australian Author and Illustrator May Gibbs.

Wed - Sun, 11am - 3pm.

5 Wallaringa Ave, Neutral Bay

9953 4453 [maygibbs.com.au](http://maygibbs.com.au)

**NORTH SHORE HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.**

Meetings 2nd Thursday of the month, with interesting guest speakers and regular historical outings.

6.30pm - 9pm, Feb - Nov.

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney

9929 6637 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)



**ST THOMAS' REST PARK AND SEXTON'S COTTAGE MUSEUM**  
 Historical information relating to St Thomas' Rest Park, formerly St Thomas' Cemetery. Guided tours by appointment. Museum open Thursday 1pm - 4pm, Feb - Dec. Closed public holidays. Rest Park open every day.  
 250 West Street, Crows Nest  
 9936 8400 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/museums

#### SUNSET CONCERTS

Come and enjoy some of the finest music in a beautiful environment. Music provided by Amateur Chamber Music Society (ACMS). Wine and cheese platters available. 1st Sunday of every month from 5pm.  
 The Kirribilli Centre, 16 - 18 Fitzroy St, Kirribilli  
 9922 4428 thekirribilliacms.org

#### TWT REHEARSAL SPACE

An affordable rehearsal facility for performing artists featuring wifi, sprung floor, mirrors, sound system, office space kitchenette and meeting rooms. The space is available for casual hire or for companies and ensembles preparing for production or performance.  
 1st floor, 60 Atchison St, St Leonards  
 0419 825 895 brandx.org.au

#### BIG MUSIC STUDIOS

Leading contemporary music school with over 800 students engaged in lessons, bands and performance programs. Combined with an industry-leading musical instrument retail store, online shop and onsite guitar repair workshop.  
 85 Alexander St, Crows Nest  
 8622 6555 bigmusicstudios.com.au  
 f @bigmusicstudios1 i @bigmusicstudios

#### THE CLASSICAL GUITAR SOCIETY SYDNEY

Non-profit organisation enhancing the development of guitar culture in Australia. Monthly meetings, summer school, concert series, CD Library, and membership.  
 9453 3113 classicalguitarsydney.org

#### NORTH SYDNEY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

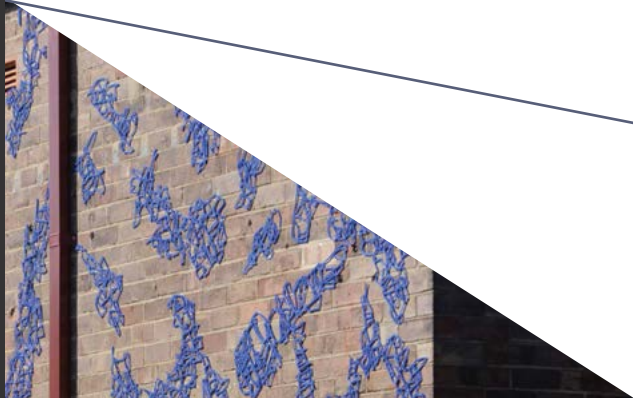
Widely recognised as one of Sydney's leading non-professional orchestras, the North Sydney Symphony Orchestra plays 5 concerts a year. Enquiries from prospective new members are welcome.  
 nssso.org.au

#### ENSEMBLE THEATRE

Australia's longest, continuously running professional theatre company presenting contemporary theatre productions in a converted boatshed on the waterfront with a new play opening every 6 - 8 weeks.  
 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
 9929 0644 ensemble.com.au  
 f @ensemblesydney i @ensembletheatre

#### HAYDEN ORPHEUM PICTURE PALACE

Celebrating over 80 years of special event cinema. An eclectic mix of contemporary cinema, National Theatre Live, Bolshoi Ballet, art exhibitions, big band concerts, Met Operas and Sydney and French Annual Film Festivals.  
 380 Military Rd, Cremorne  
 9908 4344 orpheum.com.au  
 f @orpheumcremorne



## INDEPENDENT THEATRE

Known for its intimate auditorium and renowned acoustics, the Independent is home to concerts and performances presented by some of the most accomplished musicians in Australia.

269 Miller St, North Sydney

Box Office: 9955 3000 Enquiries: 9409 4462

**f**@theindependenttheatre

## LUNA PARK

Step through Sydney's most famous face and into the magical world of the 1930s. Rides, games, street performers, musical performances, history tours, corporate functions, wedding venue, birthday parties.

1 Olympic Dr, Milsons Point

9922 6644 lunaparksydney.com

**f**@sydneylunapark

## NORTH SHORE DRAMA

Drama and acting classes for everyone from toddlers to adults. Youth and holiday programs, workshops, private tuition, productions, rehearsal space and venue hire.

113B Willoughby Rd, Crows Nest

1300 657 934 northshoredrama.com.au

**f**@northshoredramaschool

## SHAKESPEARE ON THE GREEN

Performing works by Shakespeare at a range of outside venues throughout the year.

9906 3399 shakespeareonthegreen.com.au

## SUNSET CINEMA

Wednesday to Sunday evenings, January to mid March.

North Sydney Oval, Miller St, North Sydney

9029 5745 sunsetcinema.com.au

## STORY TO SCREEN

A secondary school program offering opportunities for students to develop skills in digital technologies through a series of workshops with professional artists and filmmakers.

9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au

**f**@artsandculturenorthsydney



## COAL LOADER ARTISANS MARKET

Last Sunday of each season. Purchase handmade products from emerging and contemporary designers and artists.

The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability

2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton

9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au

**f**@CoalLoader

## CROWS NEST MARKET

3rd Saturday of the month, 8.30am - 4pm

Rotary Club of North Sydney

Ernest Place, Crows Nest

0412 210 084 jenny@jmexec.com.au

## KIRRIBILLI ART, DESIGN &amp; FASHION MARKETS

2nd Sunday of the month, 9am - 3pm

Bradfield Park and Burton St tunnel, Milsons Point

9922 4428 thekirribillimarkets.org

**f**@kirribillimarkets

## KIRRIBILLI GENERAL MARKET

4th Saturday of the month, 9am - 3pm

Bradfield Park and Burton St tunnel, Milsons Point

9922 4428 thekirribillimarkets.org

**f**@kirribillimarkets

## NORTHSIDE PRODUCE MARKET

1st and 3rd Saturday of the month, 8am - 12pm

(closed 1st Sat in Jan).

Expect to meet the person who has picked the apple, smoked the trout, melted the caramel or milked the goat.

Civic Park, 220 Miller St, North Sydney

9922 2299 northsydneycentre.com.au

**f**@northsydneycommunitycentre **i**@nthsydcentre

## TWILIGHT FOOD FAIR

Every Friday except public holidays, mid Nov - mid March

Civic Park, 200 Miller St, North Sydney

9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/twilight

**f**@NthSydCouncil **i**@north.sydney **t**@NthSydCouncil

# north sydney THE ART PRIZE

11 - 26 March 2017

A major regional arts event held biennially across the grounds of the renowned Coal Loader site in Waverton. Showcasing works by emerging to established artists and including 88 selected works on paper, paintings, sculptures, site specific installations and new media works.

## PUBLIC PROGRAM

A weekend public program of artist talks, free community art workshops, exhibition tours and children's activities will run throughout the exhibition.

### Saturday 18 March

Meet the artists and learn more about the exhibition with artist talks.

### Sunday 19 March

Art workshops for all ages run by exhibiting artists.

### Saturday 25 March

Meet the artists and learn more about the exhibition with artist talks.

### Sunday 26 March

Art workshops for children run by exhibiting artists.

Open daily, 10am – 5pm

The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability  
2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8187 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au/artprize](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/artprize)  
[f@artsandculturenorthsydney](https://www.facebook.com/artsandculturenorthsydney)



In 2016 North Sydney Council launched the North Sydney Public Art Trail, a major arts and cultural initiative. The Public Art Trail provides a high quality public art experience for North Sydney, one which is distinct from other places in Australia and celebrates the diversity and uniqueness of the locality.

Incorporating public artworks, architecture, public gardens and harbour views, the trail includes 18 sites of cultural significance in Kirribilli, Milsons Point, Lavender Bay and North Sydney.

Significantly, two large scale site specific sculptures were commissioned by Council and installed in the North Sydney CBD in 2016. Daniel Templeman's Missing Corners is located on the corner of Pacific Highway and Blue and Walker Streets. Angles of Incidence by Warren Langley and Julia Davis is located on the corner of Pacific Highway and Miller Street.

The NORTH ARTS digital walking tour app accompanies the trail and provides information and images on each of the 18 stops, as well as a locational map. The app is free to download on all digital devices.

The digital tour can be walked in three hours and started at any stop on the trail. Stops are marked with a North Sydney Public Art Trail sign post which incorporates information about the site and braille for the visually impaired.

[northsydney.nsw.gov.au/publicart](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/publicart)  
9936 8187  
[f@artsandculturenorthsydney](https://www.facebook.com/artsandculturenorthsydney)





# HIGHLIGHTS

## JANUARY



### ARTBOX WORKSHOPS

School holiday art program for children taught by professional artists.

35 Barry St, Neutral Bay

0427 994 454 [artboxworkshops.com.au](http://artboxworkshops.com.au)

[f](#)@artboxworkshops

### SNAP TO IT! - The Bushcare and Streets Alive Amateur Photography Competition Exhibition

Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm

inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney

9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

[f](#)@artsandculturenorthsydney

### PROJECT [504] REVAMP

Launch of a larger exhibition area and new studio spaces on the ground floor of 65 Berry St, North Sydney.

Check website for details.

504 Pacific Highway, St Leonards & 65 Berry St, North Sydney

0450 468 387 [project504.com.au](http://project504.com.au)

[f](#)@followproject504 [i](#)@followproject504

### AUSTRALIA DAY CELEBRATIONS - BBQ BY THE BRIDGE

Celebrating Australia's diversity through the grand tradition of the Aussie BBQ. A range of food vendors will be serving up a selection of barbecued cuisines from around the world. Free event, kids activities, music and more.

Bradfield Park, Alfred St South, Milsons Point

9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

### A PRELUDE IN TEA: AFTERNOON TEA & STELLAR CONCERT SERIES

The Independent Theatre, 269 Miller St, North Sydney

9409 4462 [theindependent.org.au](http://theindependent.org.au)

[f](#)@theindependenttheatre

### MAY GIBBS' 140th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

May Gibbs' Nutcote, 5 Wallaringa Ave, Neutral Bay

9953 4453 [maygibbs.com.au](http://maygibbs.com.au)

[f](#)@MayGibbsNutcote [t](#)@MayGibbsNutcote

### SUNSET CINEMA

Wed - Sun evenings at North Sydney Oval until mid March.

9029 5745 [sunsetcinema.com.au](http://sunsetcinema.com.au)

### "THE ROOM" CULT FILM SCREENING

The audience interactive cult phenomenon returns.

The Hayden Orpheum Picture Palace, 380 Military Rd, Cremorne

9908 4344 [orpheum.com.au](http://orpheum.com.au)

[f](#)@orpheumcremorne

### ODD MAN OUT

A comedy about love, tolerance and acceptance by David Williamson.

Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli

9929 0644 [ensemble.com.au](http://ensemble.com.au)

[f](#)@ensemblsydney [i](#)@ensembletheatre

### CITE MENTORING FOR CREATIVES

Mentoring program for creatives at all stages of their career, designed for the business savvy to thrive in their creative endeavours.

Platform 72, 62 Atchison St, St Leonards

[platformstore.com.au](http://platformstore.com.au)

[f](#)@platform72 [i](#)@platform72

## FEBRUARY



### SUNSHINE STUDIO ARTISTS EXHIBITION

A colourful collection of handmade paper artwork, photography, paintings and ceramics by students at Sunshine, one of NSW's leading service providers in the disability sector.

Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm

inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney

9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

[f](#)@artsandculturenorthsydney

### ANNUAL JUST DRAWING EXHIBITION

An exhibition of works exploring the medium of drawing.

Royal Art Society of NSW, 25 - 27 Walker St, North Sydney

9955 5752 [royalart.com.au](http://royalart.com.au)

[f](#)@RoyalArtSocietyofNSW

### SUNSET CINEMA

Wed - Sun evenings at North Sydney Oval until mid March.

9029 5745 [sunsetcinema.com.au](http://sunsetcinema.com.au)

#### THEMATIC SYDNEY – HARBOURING THE BEACH EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 info@trafficjamgalleries.com tjg.com.au

#### COAL LOADER ARTISANS MARKET

Last Sunday of the season. Purchase original and creative handmade products from emerging and contemporary designers and artists.

The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au

**f**@CoalLoader

#### CONTACT SHEET GALLERY OPEN DAY

First Saturday of every month from February. Artist talks, events and exhibition openings.

contact sheet gallery, 60 Atchison St, St Leonards  
0402 356 695 contactsheet.com.au

**f**@contactsheetgallery **i**@contactsheetgallery

#### PHOTOGRAPHERS ANONYMOUS

A free monthly social catch up with other photographers and guest speakers.

contact sheet gallery, 60 Atchison St, St Leonards  
0402 356 695 contactsheet.com.au

**f**@contactsheetgallery **i**@contactsheetgallery

#### CHASING ASYLUM - COMMUNITY FILM NIGHT

Chasing Asylum tells the story of Australia's controversial treatment of asylum seekers and refugees, examining the human, political, financial and moral impact of current and previous policy.

North Sydney Community Centre, 220 Miller St, North Sydney  
9922 2299 northsydneycentre.com.au

**f**@northsydneycommunitycentre

#### CULTURE IN MODERN SPAIN COURSE

Art History: From Casa Battlo by Gaudi to Guernica by Picasso, The Persistence of Memory by Dali to Harlequin's Carnival by Miró.

North Sydney Community Centre, 220 Miller St, North Sydney  
9922 2299 northsydneycentre.com.au

**f**@northsydneycommunitycentre

#### HEALTH WEEK @ STANTON

Workshops, talks and information.

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8400 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library

**t**@Stanton\_Library

#### "THE ROOM" CULT FILM SCREENING

The audience interactive cult phenomenon returns.

The Hayden Orpheum Picture Palace, 380 Military Rd, Cremorne  
9908 4344 orpheum.com.au

**f**@orpheumcremorne

## MARCH

#### NORTH SYDNEY ART PRIZE

A major regional arts event exhibiting 88 works on paper, sculptures, site specific installations and new media works across the renowned Coal Loader site daily from 11 - 26 March.

Includes a public program of artist talks, free community art workshops, exhibition tours and children's activities for all the family.

The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8187 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/artprize

**f**@artsandculturenorthsydney

#### ART MONTH SYDNEY @ NORTH SYDNEY

Numerous galleries in the North Sydney area take part in this Sydney-wide contemporary art festival.  
artmonthsydney.com.au

#### ANNUAL AUTUMN EXHIBITION

An open exhibition of mixed media works.

Royal Art Society of NSW, 25 - 27 Walker St, North Sydney  
9955 5752 royalart.com.au

**f**@RoyalArtSocietyofNSW

#### LAND & SEA - AN EXPLORATION OF COAST BY ME, HER AND US

An exhibition by artists Debbie Mackinnon and Fiona Verity.

me.Artspace, 25 Atchinson St, St Leonards  
0419 295 271 meartspace.com

**f**@me.artspace.au

#### CUP ART EXHIBITION

Transform recycled coffee cups into artistic masterpieces!

North Sydney Community Centre, 220 Miller St, North Sydney  
9922 2299 northsydneycentre.com.au

**f**@northsydneycommunitycentre

#### IN CONVERSATION: CREATIVE/INSPIRATIONAL WOMEN

Creative minds coming together to explore creativity, collaboration and connection, where the audience finds out how each woman's practice and personal values informs their professional careers.

North Sydney Community Centre, 220 Miller St, North Sydney  
9922 2299 [northsydneycentre.com.au](http://northsydneycentre.com.au)

**f** @northsydneycommunitycentre

#### FREE SILICONE MOULD MAKING DEMONSTRATIONS

'When One Just Isn't Enough' silicone mould making demonstration.

Studio 20/17 Projectspace, 53 Ridge St, North Sydney  
0411 808 274 [studio2017.com.au/projectspace](http://studio2017.com.au/projectspace)

#### HARMONY DAY

The event celebrates Harmony Day by bringing people from different cultures and backgrounds together to build bridges, share a meal and talk, conveying the central message that 'everyone belongs' in the North Sydney community.

9936 8193 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

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#### WRITING A NOVEL – STAGE 1 COURSE

Faber Writing Academy at Allen and Unwin  
83 Alexander St, Crows Nest

8425 0171 [faberwritingacademy.com.au](http://faberwritingacademy.com.au)

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#### THE 2017 ALLIANCE FRANCAISE FRENCH FILM FESTIVAL

Australia's biggest film festival and the biggest festival of French films outside of France.

Hayden Orpheum Picture Palace, 380 Military Rd, Cremorne  
9908 4344 [orpheum.com.au](http://orpheum.com.au)

**f** @orpheumcremorne **i** @orpheumcremorne

#### "THE ROOM" CULT FILM SCREENING

The audience interactive cult phenomenon returns.

The Hayden Orpheum Picture Palace, 380 Military Rd, Cremorne  
9908 4344 [orpheum.com.au](http://orpheum.com.au)

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#### TWO

Set in the local pub, Jim Cartwright's timeless comedy TWO introduces fourteen colourful characters, all skillfully played by Brian Meegan and Kate Raison.

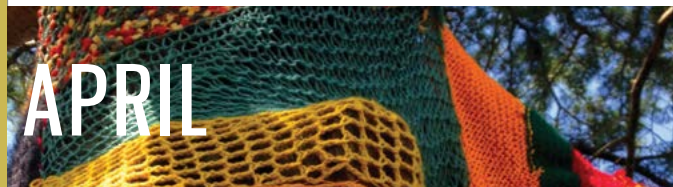
Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
9929 0644 [ensemble.com.au](http://ensemble.com.au)

**f** @ensemblesydney **i** @ensembletheatre

#### NAN MANEFIELD YOUNG WRITERS' AWARD

An annual writing competition for young people aged 11 - 18.

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library)



#### COAL LOADER STUDIO ARTIST EXHIBITION

The 2016 Coal Loader Artist in Residence, Alma Studholme, presents an exhibition of works produced during her residency. Artist talks will be held at scheduled times throughout the exhibition.

The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8187 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

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#### SENIORS WEEK VISUAL ARTS PROGRAM

Presented by North Sydney Council, a diverse program of free events celebrating the lives of older people, including an art exhibition by local community members and art workshops led by professional artists.

9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

**f** @artsandculturenorthsydney

#### PORTRAIT STORIES EXHIBITION

A photographic exhibition celebrating intergenerational collaboration and creativity to celebrate Seniors in the community.

inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm

9936 8192 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

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#### SHORESHOCKED NATIONAL YOUTH WEEK

All day live music festival, market and food stalls.

St Leonards Park, Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

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#### SENIORS WEEK @ STANTON

Special exhibitions, workshops, talks, activities, arts and crafts.

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library)

**t** @Stanton\_Library

#### TURQUOISE PARADOX EXHIBITION

The Iranian Women's Visual Art Collective, curated by Nazanin Marashian. This exhibition looks closely at the work of emerging Iranian artists living and working in Australia.

me.Artspace, 25 Atchinson St, St Leonards  
0419 295 271 meartspace.com.au

**f**@me.artspace

#### "UNTITLED" – ART @ TRAFFIC JAM

A curated group exhibition showcasing works by emerging and unrepresented artists.

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 tjg.com.au

**f**trafficjamgalleriessydney

#### NATIONAL TRUST HERITAGE FESTIVAL @ STANTON

Workshops, talks and exhibitions in April and May.

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8400 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library

**t**@Stanton\_Library

#### SYDNEY COMEDY FESTIVAL

Sydney's biggest annual comedy event. Every April and May, hundreds of the world's funniest comedians take to stages across the city, followed by a tour across Australia.

The Hayden Orpheum Picture Palace, 380 Military Rd, Cremorne  
9908 4344 orpheum.com.au sydneycomedyfest.com.au

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#### DIRECTOR AT WORK

For experienced or aspiring directors, venture behind closed doors and observe our directors at work. Experience a rehearsal followed by a discussion session with the director.

Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
9929 0644 ensemble.com.au

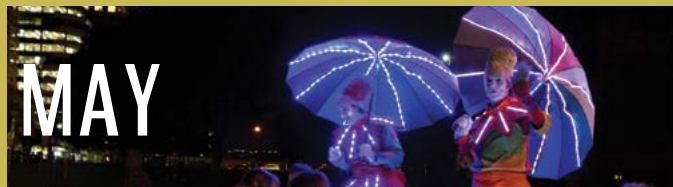
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#### THE RASPUTIN AFFAIR WORLD PREMIERE

St Petersburg. Winter. 1917. A plate of pink poisoned cupcakes and a shared aim: to rid the world of the mad monk Rasputin.

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9929 0644 ensemble.com.au

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#### GURINGAI FESTIVAL

A series of events and activities showcasing Aboriginal history and culture. Art, music, film and food events across the Northern Sydney region.

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#### PRIMROSE PARK ARTIST STUDIOS OPEN DAY

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#### COAL LOADER ARTISANS MARKET

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The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au

**f**@CoalLoader

#### HEAD ON PHOTOGRAPHIC FESTIVAL EXHIBITION

me.Artspace, 25 Atchinson St, St Leonards  
0419 295 271 meartspace.com.au

**f**@me.artspace

#### KATHRYN MCGOVERN & SALLY WEST EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 tjg.com.au

**f**trafficjamgalleriessydney

#### WHO'S AFRAID OF VIRGINIA WOOLF?

In Edward Albee's superb masterpiece, academic couple George and Martha have invited their new colleagues over for drinks. It's a seemingly innocent occasion, but there's a hidden agenda at play.

Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
9929 0644 ensemble.com.au

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## MONTHLY OPEN DAY

Artist run studios, exhibition and workshop space. Open to the public the first Saturday of month, to view and purchase art.  
Crea8tiv Studios, 27 Atchison St, St Leonards  
art@yvonnelevenston.com  
f @cre8tivstudiosStLeonards

# JUNE

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f @artsandculturenorthsydney

## SHADOW & LIGHT EXHIBITION

An exhibition by members of Primrose Paper Arts Inc. members at the Sydney Botanic Gardens.  
Palm House Gallery  
primrosepaperarts.wordpress.com  
f @Primrose-Paper-Arts-Inc

## ANAKITA ESCALANTE & DANIELLE MCMANUS EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 tjg.com.au  
f trafficjamgalleriessydney

## THE 2017 SYDNEY FILM FESTIVAL

Sydney Film Festival is one of the world's longest-running film festivals, and is a major event on the New South Wales cultural calendar. The 12-day festival screens feature films, documentaries, short films and animation from around the world.  
Ticket enquiries: tickets@sff.org.au 1300 733 733  
General enquiries: sff.org.au 8220 6600  
f @sydneyfilmfestival @sydneyfilmfest

## NEVILLE'S ISLAND

Tim Firth's wicked comedy about four city-dwelling business men who set out on a team-building weekend only to become trapped on an island in the wilds of Tasmania.  
Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
9929 0644 ensemble.com.au  
f @ensemblesydney @ensembletheatre

# JULY

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f @artsandculturenorthsydney

## COAL LOADER STUDIO ARTIST OPEN DAY

Artist in residence Sandra Winkworth opens her studio for the day. The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8187 northsydney.nsw.gov.au  
f @artsandculturenorthsydney

## CONTEMPORARY JEWELLERY AND OBJECT EXHIBITION

Studio 20/17 Projectspace, 53 Ridge St, North Sydney  
0411 808 274 studio2017.com.au/projectspace

## ANNUAL BALLOT FUNDRAISER EXHIBITION

RAS fundraiser exhibition of high quality paintings donated by members. Get in early to purchase your tickets.  
Royal Art Society of NSW, 25 - 27 Walker St, North Sydney  
9955 5752 royalart.com.au  
f @RoyalArtSocietyofNSW

## GALLERY OPEN DAY

Artist talks, events and exhibition openings.  
1st Saturday of every month.  
contact sheet gallery, 60 Atchison St, St Leonards  
0402 356 695 contactsheet.com.au  
f @contactsheetgallery @contactsheetgallery

## THE PLANT

Kit Brookman's delightfully quirky play explores the highs and lows of modern parenting, with a keen and intelligent wit.  
Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
9929 0644 ensemble.com.au  
f @ensemblesydney @ensembletheatre

## PHOTOGRAPHERS ANONYMOUS

A free monthly social catch up with other photographers and guest speakers.

contact sheet gallery, 60 Atchison St, St Leonards  
0402 356 695 [contactsheet.com.au](http://contactsheet.com.au)

[f@contactsheetgallery](#) [@contactsheetgallery](#)



## PRIMROSE PAPER ARTS INC EXHIBITION

A group exhibition showcasing handmade 2D and 3D works including recycled paper, fabrics and plant fibre.

inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm

9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

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## JENNY GREEN & REBECCA PIERCE EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 [tjg.com.au](http://tjg.com.au)

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## HOMELESSNESS CREATIVE ARTS PROJECT

This project acknowledges the lives and stories of people who are, or have, experienced homelessness. Giving voice to one of the most marginalised groups in our community, the project brings to light the experience of homelessness through the creative arts.

9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

## COAL LOADER ARTISANS MARKET

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## CHILDREN'S BOOK WEEK @ STANTON

Author talks, activity booklet, family event.

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8400 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library)

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## FAMILY HISTORY WEEK @ STANTON

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
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## ANNUAL SPRING EXHIBITION

An open exhibition of mixed media works.

Royal Art Society of NSW, 25 - 27 Walker St, North Sydney  
9955 5752 [royalart.com.au](http://royalart.com.au)

[f@RoyalArtSocietyofNSW](#)

## ANTHONY BRESLIN EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 [tjg.com.au](http://tjg.com.au)

[ftrafficjammalleriessydney](#)

## ARTBOX SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM

School holiday art program for children taught by professional artists.

Artbox Workshops, 35 Barry St, Neutral Bay  
0427 994 454 [artboxworkshops.com.au](http://artboxworkshops.com.au)

[f@artboxworkshops](#)

## HISTORY WEEK @ STANTON

Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8400 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)

[@Stanton\\_Library](#)

## SUSTAINABLE HOUSE DAY

Be creative and transform your house with sustainable technologies.  
The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au  
f @CoalLoader



# OCTOBER

## CHILDREN'S ART EXHIBITION

Featuring works from primary school students in the North Sydney local government area.  
Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm  
inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au  
f @artsandculturenorthsydney

## MENTAL HEALTH WEEK ART EXHIBITION

Featuring paintings, works on paper, ceramics and sculpture.  
Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm  
inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au  
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## LOST BIRD FOUND MENTAL HEALTH ART PROJECT

A community mental health art project now in its 4th year.  
Small handcrafted birds pop-up all around North Sydney – and it's finders keepers!  
9936 8100 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/lostbirdfound  
f @lostbirdfoundproject @lostbirdfoundproject

## MENTAL HEALTH MONTH @ STANTON

Workshops, talks, exhibitions and information.  
Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8400 northsydney.nsw.gov.au/library  
@Stanton\_Library

## ILLUMINATING THE MARGINS: JOURNEYS, BORDERS & LIVING ON THE EDGE EXHIBITION

A 3D paper installation by artists Penelope Lee and Nathalie Hartog-Gautier.  
Mary MacKillop Place Museum, 7 - 11 Mount St, North Sydney  
8912 4878 marymackillopplace.org.au

## GEMMA LYNCH - MEMORY EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 tjg.com.au  
f trafficjamgalleriessydney

## DIWALI FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS

An annual celebration of the rich culture of India with traditional dance, music, cuisine, storytelling, along with arts and crafts.  
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@Stanton\_Library



# NOVEMBER

## PRIMROSE PARK ART & CRAFT CENTRE OPEN DAY

The doors of the centre and artist studios are opened, offering free community arts activities, artist talks, photographic workshops, paper making and more.  
Primrose Park, Matora Lane (off Young St), Cremorne  
primrose-park.com.au

## COAL LOADER STUDIO ARTIST OPEN DAY

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The Coal Loader Centre for Sustainability, 2 Balls Head Dr, Waverton  
9936 8187 northsydney.nsw.gov.au  
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## TAKING STEPS

The British comic master Alan Ayckbourn shakes up a delicious cocktail of mismatched lovers, dirty dancing, bad hair and real estate.  
Ensemble Theatre, 78 McDougall St, Kirribilli  
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f @CoalLoader

#### GUMNUT FAIR

May Gibbs' Nutcote, 5 Wallaringa Ave, Neutral Bay  
9953 4453 [maygibbs.com.au](http://maygibbs.com.au)  
f @MayGibbsNutcote t @MayGibbsNutcote

#### TWILIGHT FOOD FAIR

Civic Park, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
Friday evenings until mid March.  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
f @artsandculturenorthsydney



#### PRIMROSE PARK ARTIST STUDIOS ANNUAL EXHIBITION

Artists open their studios for the day to showcase works produced during their residency. Artist talks and free community art workshops will run throughout the day. An opportunity to see inside the studios, meet the artists and purchase works.  
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#### COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS ART IN THE PARK

An immersive outdoor art installation by local community groups.  
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9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
f @artsandculturenorthsydney

#### COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS ART EXHIBITION

Showcasing stories and artwork by the community.  
inTransit Art Space, 200 Miller St, North Sydney  
Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
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#### CHRISTMAS JEWELLERY ARTIST EXHIBITION

Studio 20/17 Projectspace  
0411 808 274 [studio2017.com.au/projectspace](http://studio2017.com.au/projectspace)

#### KATHERINE WOOD EXHIBITION

traffic jam galleries, 41 Military Rd, Neutral Bay  
9953 3831 [tjg.com.au](http://tjg.com.au)  
f trafficjamgalleriessydney

#### INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY

This annual celebration acknowledges the contribution people with a disability make to our community.  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
f @artsandculturenorthsydney

#### SUMMER READING PROGRAM @ STANTON

Read books, write reviews and win prizes – for kids of all ages.  
Stanton Library, 234 Miller St, North Sydney  
9936 8400 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au/kidzone](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au/kidzone)  
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#### CAROLS UNDER THE BRIDGE

Church by the Bridge will host one of Sydney's biggest carols services in Kirribilli. Great music, food and atmosphere.  
Bradfield Park, Alfred St South, Milsons Point  
[cbtb.org.au](http://cbtb.org.au)

#### NEW YEARS EVE

Celebrations on harbour foreshore.  
9936 8100 [northsydney.nsw.gov.au](http://northsydney.nsw.gov.au)  
Transport information 131 500  
f @NthSydCouncil i @north.sydney t @NthSydCouncil

- \* Events are generally free unless otherwise stated, to confirm please contact the organiser.
- \* Information is correct at the time of printing.
- \* For the latest event information, check the relevant website.
- \* If you detect an error please contact Council on 9936 8100.



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