

NAIDOC IN THE MOUNTAINS

'Because of Her, We Can'



9 July - NAIDOC Flag Raising and Awards

The NAIDOC Flag Raising Ceremony and Awards will be presented from 9am at the Blue Mountains Cultural Centre Katoomba, followed by the Flag Raising in Carrington Place.

Blue Mountains Cultural Centre

Join us **6 July, 6 – 8pm** to celebrate the opening of *John South: Skyworld* an exhibition exploring Aboriginal Astronomy through film and installation. On **Sat 7 July and Sun 8 July** cultural events connected to the exhibition such as talks, workshops, documentary screenings and stargazing sessions will be held.

NAIDOC in the Blue Mountains Libraries

Blue Mountains Libraries are celebrating NAIDOC week through Aboriginal Culture Learning: A Family Workshop, **Mon 9 July** at Blaxland Community Centre and **Thurs 12 July** at Katoomba Library.

14 July - NAIDOC in 'The Gully'

The annual NAIDOC in The Gully, Katoomba will take place from 11am – 2pm. There will be great food, entertainment, stalls and activities for children. Transport will be provided from Katoomba train station.

(Please note that this event will be held at Katoomba Aquatic Centre if the weather is bad)

Blue Mountains Hospital

Blue Mountains District ANZAC Memorial Hospital NAIDOC event will be held in September. More information will be available closer to the event.

20 - 22 July - NAIDOC Community Art Exhibition

This annual exhibition held in the Katoomba Leura Community Centre displays and sells the work of local established and emerging Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists. The official opening will be held **20 July** from **6.30pm**. The exhibition opens **21 & 22 July** from **10am to 4pm**.

27 July - Annual Blue Mountains NAIDOC Ball

To close NAIDOC in the Mountains celebrations this year, ACRC will be holding the annual NAIDOC Ball at Escarpments Estate (Old Katoomba golf course) from 6.30pm. Tickets will sell out fast, contact ACRC 4782 6569 to get tickets for this memorable event.

For further details on all of these NAIDOC events visit:

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