

2018

ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CALENDAR



CENTRE FOR CULTURAL COMPETENCE AUSTRALIA

JANUARY

- 13 **PUTALINA FESTIVAL**
OYSTER COVE, TASMANIA
- 26 **SURVIVAL DAY**
- 26 **YABUN FESTIVAL**
VICTORIA PARK, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES
- 26 **SHARE THE SPIRIT FESTIVAL**
TREASURY GARDENS, MELBOURNE, VICTORIA
- 28 **ONE DAY FREMANTLE**
ESPLANADE RESERVE, FREMANTLE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

FEBRUARY

- 3 **YALUKIT WILUM NGARGEE INDIGENOUS ARTS & CULTURAL FESTIVAL**
O'DONNELL GARDENS, ST KILDA, VICTORIA

- 13 **NATIONAL APOLOGY DAY**
10TH ANNIVERSARY OF FOR APOLOGY MADE 13TH FEBRUARY 2008

MARCH

- 15 **NATIONAL CLOSE THE GAP DAY**
- 21 **HARMONY DAY**

APRIL

- 26 to 29 **TJUNGA FESTIVAL**
ULURU, NORTHERN TERRITORY

MAY

- 11 to 20 **ORD VALLEY MUSTER**
KUNUNURRA, EAST KIMBERLEY, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

- 26 **NATIONAL SORRY DAY**

- TBA to TBA **GURINGAI FESTIVAL**
NORTHERN SYDNEY REGION, NEW SOUTH WALES

- 27 to 3 **NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK**

JUN 27TH YEAR CELEBRATING AND EXPLORING NATIONAL RECONCILIATION

- 27 **ANNIVERSARY OF 1967 REFERENDUM**

JUNE

- 3 **MABO DAY**

- 8 to 10 **BARUNGA FESTIVAL**
BARUNGA, NORTHERN TERRITORY

- TBA to TBA **LAURA DANCE FESTIVAL**
ANG-GNARRA FESTIVAL GROUNDS, LAURA, QUEENSLAND

JULY

- 1 **THE COMING OF THE LIGHT**
TORRES STRAIT ISLANDS, QUEENSLAND

- 5 **MOWANJUM FESTIVAL**
WEST KIMBERLEY, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

- 8 to 15 **NATIONAL NAIDOC WEEK**

- 13 **NATIONAL NAIDOC AWARDS AND BALL**
CAIRNS, QUEENSLAND

- 13 to 15 **CAIRNS INDIGENOUS ART FAIR**
CAIRNS, QUEENSLAND

- TBA **WALKING WITH SPIRITS**
MALKGULUMBU, BESWICK FALLS, NORTHERN TERRITORY

- TBA **NATIONAL INDIGENOUS MUSIC AWARDS**
DARWIN, NORTHERN TERRITORY

AUGUST

- 3 to 6 **THE GARMA FESTIVAL**
GULKULA, NORTH EAST ARNHAM LAND, NORTHERN TERRITORY

- 4 **NATIONAL ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER CHILDREN'S DAY**

AUGUST

- 9 **INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE WORLD'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLES**

- 10 to 12 **DARWIN ABORIGINAL ART FAIR**
DARWIN, NORTHERN TERRITORY

SEPTEMBER

- 5 **INDIGENOUS LITERACY DAY**

- 8 **DESERT MOB SYMPOSIUM & MARKET PLACE**
ALICE SPRINGS, NORTHERN TERRITORY

NOVEMBER

- TBA **HOMEGROUND**
SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE, NEW SOUTH WALES

- TBA **SPIRIT FESTIVAL**
ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

DECEMBER

- 27 to 1 **WOODFORD FOLK FESTIVAL**
JAN WOODFORD, QUEENSLAND