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Strand Ephemera 2007
7 - 16 September » Townsville

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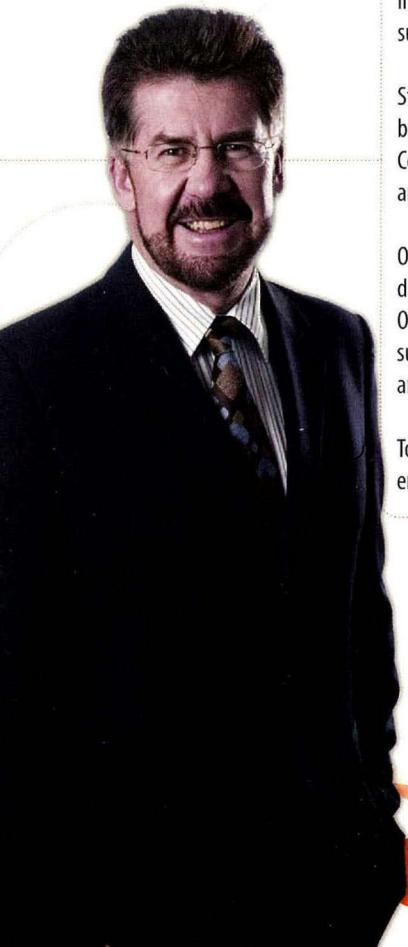
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Townsville's reputation as a vibrant cultural city is based on an impressive array of facilities, events and festivals that we host, and the support and participation of both residents and visitors to our city.

Strand Ephemera, first held in 2001 and then every 2 years since, brings national and international visual arts to the city again this year. Celebrating visual arts and our enviable outdoor lifestyle, over 40 artworks will be positioned along The Strand from 7 - 16 September.

Over the years the event has become a popular festival offering 10 days of innovative art, performances, workshops, lectures and tours. Organised by Perc Tucker Regional Gallery, Strand Ephemera 2007 is supported by the Australia Council, Arts Queensland, local businesses and volunteers.

Townsville City Council is proud to present Strand Ephemera 2007, enriching your life in our city.

Tony Mooney
MAYOR | Townsville

Unleash the creativity!

Strand Ephemera 2007 takes place from 7 - 16 September and is the fourth in Perc Tucker Regional Gallery's series of biennial outdoor sculpture events.

Beginning in 2001, Strand Ephemera takes contemporary art to the people by placing the artworks along the two kilometre recreational parkway. The numbers of artists participating has increased each year, and in 2007, 49 artists from across Australia and overseas will be involved.

Australia Council funding for the first time will allow for the inclusion of five selected national artists whose work will be sited in shipping container mini-galleries in an Invited Artist Project.

To broaden the exhibition and incorporate diverse elements, the Gallery will also partner:

- Xstrata to present an education program focussed on school children
- Extensions Dance Company to perform during exhibition
- James Cook University to deliver the Public Art Forum
- Wilson Ryan and Grose to present guided tours
- Arts Queensland to support local Queensland artists

A major exhibition/event such as this requires the resources of the entire Gallery and a host of partners and sponsors. Thanks to all our sponsors listed on the sponsor honour list. Thanks in particular to Amber Church, the co-ordinator of Strand Ephemera, all Gallery team members and volunteers. Dr Stephen Naylor assisted the event by participating on the selection panel and jointly co-ordinating the forum. Perc Tucker Regional Gallery is owned and managed by Townsville City Council, and was supported in this event by sections of Council, including Park Services, Strand Office and Risk Management. Finally, thanks to the artists, without whom there would simply be no event.

Frances Thomson
DIRECTOR | Perc Tucker Regional Gallery



Event Program

Date	Time	Event	Where
Sat 8 Sept	10 am - Noon	Main Exhibition Tour	Strand: Rockpool
Sat 8 Sept	Noon - 2 pm	Art Workshop	Strand: Picnic Bay Lifesaving Club
Sun 9 Sept	10 am - 3 pm	Public Art Forum	Perc Tucker Regional Gallery
Sun 9 Sept	6 pm	Twilight Tour	Strand: Depart from INFO desk
Mon 10 Sept	6 pm	Twilight Tour	Strand: Depart from INFO desk
Tues 11 Sept	4 pm - 6 pm	Art Workshop	Strand: Picnic Bay Lifesaving Club
Tues 11 Sept	6:30 pm	Artist Talks	Perc Tucker Regional Gallery
Wed 12 Sept	6 pm	Twilight Tour	Strand: Depart from INFO desk
Thurs 13 Sept	4 pm - 6 pm	Art Workshop	Strand: Picnic Bay Lifesaving Club
Thurs 13 Sept	6 pm	Twilight Tour	Strand: Depart from INFO desk
Fri 14 Sept	6 pm	Twilight Tour	Strand: Depart from INFO desk
Sat 15 Sept	6 pm	Twilight Tour	Strand: Depart from INFO desk
Sun 16 Sept	2 pm - 5 pm	Community Art Day	Strand: Picnic Bay Lifesaving Club

Main Exhibition Tour

Be among the first to view the Strand Ephemera exhibition and hear first-hand from the exhibiting artists about their work. The tour will explore the concepts and meaning behind each sculpture.

Wilson/Ryan/Grose Guided Art Tours

Explore the art works of Strand Ephemera 2007 in the muted tones of twilight each evening with guided tours. Tours are free and depart from the Strand Ephemera Information desk.

Artist Talks

Listen to Townsville artists talk candidly about their arts practice and their artworks created for Strand Ephemera 2007.

Public Art Forum

Engage with some of the foremost writers and thinkers on Public Art in Australia including leading contemporary sculptors and installation artists.

Art Workshops

Create your own printed flag with Strand Ephemera artist Michelle Hall. Collaborate with Michelle on the picturesque Strand in a series of open workshops. All are welcome to attend.

Feast on Art: Community Art Day

Relax in the outdoor ambience of the Strand headland - bring along a picnic, chat and enjoy an array of fun activities. Meet some of the artists from the exhibition up close. Featuring live music, dance performances by Dance Xtensions, and art workshops.

Strand Ephemera 2007 Free admission www.strandephemera.com
Information Desk located near Picnic Bay Lifesaving Club (the Strand)
Open 8 am - 6 pm daily for the exhibition.

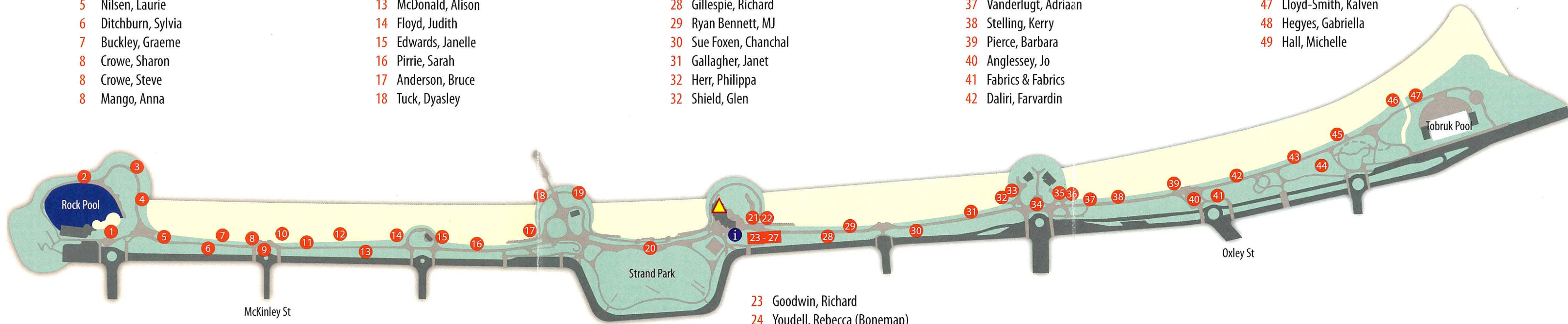
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- 48 This installation is re-created everyday at different locations with new patterns and colours
- 49 This work is part of a series of community workshops - see event program on reverse

-  Picnic Bay Lifesaving Club
-  Exhibition Information Desk

Anne Lord
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Ice and Tides

Ice

50 cm x 50 cm x 140 cm

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Daily ice sculptures are about the ephemeral nature of our times. They include a praying kangaroo, a Buddha and an ice basket. Intended to address issues of environment and spirituality, the melting ice will be recorded as the sculptures disappear.



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