

**Department of Communities, Child Safety and Disability Services
Multicultural Affairs Queensland**

**Celebrating Multicultural Queensland Grants Program
Multicultural Events**

Successful grant recipients for events to be held in 2017

Organisation	Event Title	Funding
Access Community Services Limited trading as Multicultural Youth Queensland	MyQ Harmony Day	\$3,000
Afghan Community Association Inc (Qld)	Jashanwarah Eid (Eid Celebration)	\$3,000
AFL Queensland Limited	World Fiesta	\$3,000
African Australian Women's Association	International Women's Day Celebrations	\$4,000
Art Deco in the Tropics Innisfail Inc	Riverside Cultra Fest	\$5,000
Australia Arakanese Association Cairns Inc	Arakanese New Year Water Festival	\$3,000
Australian Taiwanese Chamber of Commerce (Qld) Inc	Queensland Taiwan Festival	\$9,000
Australian-Italian Festival Association Inc	Australian Italian Festival	\$10,000
Brisbane French Festival	Le Festival – 2017 Brisbane French Festival	\$5,000
Brisbane Malayalee Association Inc	The Multicultural Taste of the World Festival	\$3,000
Brisbane Multicultural Arts Centre Limited	Logan Celebrates Harmony Day	\$4,000
Buddha's Light International Association of Queensland	Buddha Birth Day Festival	\$20,000
Bundaberg Regional Council	Bundaberg Chinese New Year Celebrations	\$3,000
Cairns and District Chinese Association Inc	Cairns Chinese New Year	\$12,000
Cairns Bhutanese Community Inc	Bhanu Jayanti (Commemoration of the Birth Anniversary of the First Nepali Poet)	\$3,000
Central Highlands Regional Council	Central Highlands Multicultural Festival	\$12,000
Central Queensland African Association Inc	Africa Night	\$7,000

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Central Queensland Multicultural Association Inc	Taste of the World Festival	\$10,000
Central Queensland Rohingya Community Inc	Eid al-Fitr	\$4,000
Chin Community in Queensland Inc	Chin National Day Celebration	\$3,000
Coptic Orthodox Church, Qld Parish of Saint Mary and Saint Joseph	Taste of Egypt	\$4,000
Dalby Welcoming Community Committee	Dalby's Delicious & DeLIGHTful Festival	\$12,000
Dinka Bor Community Association in Queensland Inc	Dinka Bor Cultural Event	\$3,000
Diversity with Harmony Inc	Diverse Cultures; Strong Women	\$2,000
Divine Mercy Church Inc	R.U.N. Multicultural Festival	\$6,000
Eritrean Community Association In Qld Inc	Eritrean Annual Multicultural Festival	\$3,000
Far North Queensland African Community Association Inc	International Day of the African Child	\$2,000
Federation of Filipino Communities in Queensland Inc	Filipino Barrio Fiesta Brisbane	\$3,000
Federation of Indian Communities in Queensland Inc	Diwali – Indian Festival of Lights	\$20,000
Festitalia Association Inc	Festitalia	\$10,000
FESTURI - A Multicultural Celebration Inc	FESTURI Multicultural Festival	\$10,000
Filipino Australian Community Integration Organisation Inc	119th Annual Filipino Independence Day Celebration	\$2,000
Gereja Kristus Brisbane Inc	Nusantara – Indonesian Cultural Event	\$2,000
Ghana-Australia Association of Queensland Inc	Discover Ghana Fair	\$3,000
Gladstone Multicultural Association Inc	Gladstone Region Multicultural Week and Festival Day	\$12,000
Gladstone Region Interfaith Network Inc	Gladstone Region's Celebrating Cultural and Faith Diversity	\$3,000
Gold Coast Chinese Club Inc	Taste Of Chinese New Year Fun Week	\$5,000
Gold Coast Sikh Association Inc	Diwali Mela - Festival of Lights	\$3,000

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GOPIO Queensland Inc	India Day Fair	\$6,000
Greek Orthodox Community Of St George Brisbane	Paniyiri Greek Festival	\$10,000
Hakka Association of Queensland Australia Inc	Parkinson Multicultural and Dragonboat Festival	\$3,000
Hmong Culture Brisbane Inc	Hmong Cultural New Year	\$3,000
Inala Youth Care Community Inc	Global Adventures	\$6,000
India Fest Townsville Inc	India Fest Townsville	\$5,000
Into People Inc	Into Global Rhythms Festival	\$6,000
Into People Inc	Beenleigh Multicultural Festival	\$4,000
Ipswich Events Corporation Limited	Global Fiesta	\$15,000
Islamic Council of Queensland Inc	Eid Down Under	\$8,000
Islamic Multicultural Association of Gold Coast Inc	Eid in the Park	\$5,000
Islamic Society of Central Queensland Inc	National Mosque Open Day	\$3,000
Islamic Society of Gladstone Inc	Islamic Open Day	\$3,000
Islamic Society Of Mackay Inc	Mackay Mosque Open Day and Multicultural Event	\$3,000
Islamic Womens Association of Qld Inc	IWAQ 25 Years of Multicultural Support Celebration	\$4,000
Jabiru Community Youth & Children's Services Association Inc	Zillmere Festival	\$5,000
Jets Rugby League Club Inc (Ipswich)	Jets Hunters Harmony Day	\$2,000
Jewish Educational Institute Chabad House Brisbane Inc	Chanukah in the City	\$8,000
Kings and Queens of Pacific Rugby Inc	Kings and Queens of Pacific Rugby Tournament	\$3,000
Latin American Community of Australia (Qld) Inc	Brisbane Fiesta Latina	\$3,000
Mackay & District Australian South Sea Islander Association Inc	Recognition of Mackay's ASSI community and acknowledging 150 years of history	\$4,000

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Mackay Regional Council	Global Grooves Mackay	\$20,000
Mainland Chinese Society of Queensland Inc	Brisbane Chinese Culture Festival	\$5,000
Maranoa Regional Council	Cultures Around The Campfire	\$3,000
Mareeba Multicultural Festival – Organising Committee	Mareeba Multicultural Festival	\$20,000
Maroochydhore Revitalisation Association Inc	Ocean Street World Festival	\$7,500
MDA Ltd	LUMINOUS Lantern Parade	\$8,000
MDA Ltd	WELCOMEfest	\$20,000
Multicultural Association of Caboolture and Surrounds Inc	Moreton Bay Multicultural Fiesta	\$5,000
Multicultural Communities Council Gold Coast Ltd	International Cafe	\$6,000
Multicultural Community Centre Ltd	Technicolour Multicultural Festival	\$4,000
Multicultural Families Organisation Inc	Harmony Day	\$3,000
Murweh Shire Council	Welcome To Charleville	\$3,000
North Burnett Regional Council	Cultural Enlightening	\$5,000
Obbo Community Women Development Agency Inc	Celebrating Multicultural Community in Queensland	\$2,000
Pacific Islands Council of Qld Inc	Annual Pasifika Youth Cultural Connection	\$3,000
Pacific Unity Qld Inc	Pacific Unity Festival	\$5,000
Pacifika Limited	Pasifika Gold Coast	\$5,000
Polonia Polish Association of QLD Inc	Wiosna Polish Spring Festival	\$3,000
Queensland African Communities Council Inc	Africa Day Festival	\$8,000
Queensland Chinese United Council	Brisbane Chinese Festival	\$4,000
Queensland Cultural Events Association Inc	Redlands & Bay Islands Cultural Festival	\$5,000

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Queensland Cultural Events Association Inc	Gold Coast Multicultural Festival	\$20,000
Queensland Police-Citizens Youth Welfare Association – Inala PCYC	Inala PCYC Multicultural Youth Day	\$6,000
Queensland Police-Citizens Youth Welfare Association – Logan City Branch (PCYC Logan City)	PCYC Logan – "Tastes of the World"	\$3,000
Queensland Russian Community Centre Inc	Festival of Slavonic Culture	\$6,000
Reconciliation Queensland Inc	Community Leaders and Elders Engagement	\$2,000
Rockhampton Regional Council	Rockhampton Cultural Festival	\$10,000
Roman Catholic Trust Corporation for the Diocese Of Townsville T/A Good Shepherd Parish	The Mount Isa Multicultural Festival	\$10,000
Rugby League Samoa Queensland Association	Pasifika Challenge	\$3,000
Rwandan Association of Queensland Inc	Rwandan Cultural Festival	\$3,000
Scandinavian Festival Inc	Scandinavian Festival	\$4,000
Serbian Orthodox Ecclesiastic School Community Saint Nikolas	Brisbane Serbian Festival	\$6,000
Shree Sanatan Dharam Hindi Association of Qld Inc	Festival of Colours	\$3,500
Singh Sabha Brisbane	Vaisakhi Celebration	\$3,000
Sinhala Association of Queensland Inc	Saralanga	\$3,000
Spirit of Africa Cultural Association	African Festival Townsville/ North Queensland	\$5,000
Sri Lanka Society of Qld Inc	Sinhala & Tamil New Year Cultural Festival	\$2,000
St John's Community Care Ltd	Cairns Greek Festival	\$5,000
St Patrick's Day Parade Association Inc	St Patrick's Day Parade – Brisbane Irish Festival	\$5,000
Tamil Association (Qld) Inc	Deepavali Festival (Festival of Lights)	\$3,000
Tara Festival Inc	Tara Festival of Culture	\$5,000

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Te Korowai Aroha Inc	Waitangi@Twilight	\$15,000
Thaai Tamil School Queensland	Pongal Festival Qld	\$3,000
Thai-Australian Association of Queensland Inc	Brisbane Thai Festival	\$3,000
The Chinese Club of Queensland	Chinese New Year Celebration and 64th Anniversary of The Chinese Club of Queensland	\$3,000
The Filipino Australian Foundation of Qld Inc	'One World...One Spirit' Philippine Festival	\$3,000
The Japanese Society Of Gold Coast Inc	Japan and Friends Day	\$3,000
The Korean Society of Queensland Inc	The Korean Festival	\$5,000
Toowoomba International Multicultural Society Inc	Toowoomba Languages and Cultures Festival	\$20,000
Toowoomba Islamic Charitable Trust	The 4th Toowoomba Mosque Open Day and Get Together	\$3,000
Townsville Greek and Cultural Festivals Inc	Greek Fest Townsville	\$10,000
Townsville Intercultural Centre Ltd	Townsville Cultural Fest	\$20,000
Vietnamese Community in Australia – Queensland Chapter Inc	Vietnamese Lunar New Year Festival	\$5,000
Waitangi Sports Inc	All Nations Touch Tournament	\$5,000
Wat Thai Buddharam Inc	Songkran (Thai New Year) Festival	\$3,000
Woodfordia Inc	Folklines Multicultural Program	\$10,000
World Arts & Multi-Culture Inc	Brisbane International Arts Festival to celebrate Harmony Week	\$3,000
TOTAL FUNDING		\$706,000