



Cairns
Stingrays
Swimming Club

the month ahead

January

at a glance

Club Night Notices

Club members please note we are holding one Club Night during January, on the Friday 19th, usual time. We appreciate this is still within the school holiday period and understand that many families may be away and unable to attend; this is for anyone else who can make it, and a welcome back into the swing of Club Nights prior to the season beginning again in February. Note that our own Stingrays Carnival is approaching early February, to which all our members (young and old) are encouraged to take part, and some preliminary training or practice at club nights would be beneficial.

This month's Carnivals

ATHERTON - Saturday 27 Jan. gates open 09:00 am for a 10:00 start

Entry costs \$4 for adults. Programmes downloadable from FNQ website, or will be distributed to members via email when available.

Nominations close - Monday 22 Jan.

Atherton has traditionally held a 2-3 day 'A-Grade' carnival on the Australia Day long weekend, however this year it has been redesignated as a one-day "Transition" Meet - which is essentially a downgrade to a more generally inclusive status, and thus suitable for most abilities of swimmers. Stingrays has previously incorporated the carnival with camping over the long weekend, with the Big4 Woodlands a popular venue - do book ahead though.

Swim-Up Movie Event

As a joint initiative between the Club and Woree Pool management, the pool has introduced the concept of a "swim-up" movie night. Our first movie night was held last year and featured the movie 'Finding Dory', which proved very successful as an attraction to the general public.

Stingrays' Dates for your Diary

Fri 19 Jan

Club Night #10

Thu 25 Jan

Movie Night at the Pool



Sat 27 Jan

Atherton LC Transition Meet
NOMINATE HERE

Get the following Google Calendars:

- **Stingrays Events**
- **FNQ Swimming Carnivals**
- **State & National Levels**



Swim-Up Movie Event

This month we are holding the second of our 'Dive-In' at the Drive-In' open-air swim-up movies at the pool. This time we are featuring the Australian movie "Oddball".

This is a fundraising event for the Club, open to the general public to buy tickets, for an evening of relaxing around the pool grounds with a picnic, or food available to purchase including alcohol from our 'swim-up bar', and lounging in the pool on a noodle or equivalent.



Photo of our first "Swim-up Movie", Finding Dory

This year, we are featuring the movie 'Oddball' - a family-friendly movie based on a true story about a dog who becomes protector to penguins nesting on a small island; an Australian movie being shown on the eve of the Australia Day weekend, on Thursday 25th Jan.

Publicity for this event will be coming out imminently with tickets available for purchase from the pool kiosk. Tickets are limited in number, for pool capacity safety reasons (max. 300), and will be priced at \$15 per adult, \$10 child (14&under); or \$40 for family ticket (2adults + 2children).

This is a fundraising event for Cairns Stingrays Swimming Club and all profits made go towards equipment and travel expenses for State swimmers, and other pool resources.

Stingrays Resources

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