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CENTRAL COAST

MUSIC FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 12-18 2022

**EXPRESSIONS
OF INTEREST**

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MUSIC IS THE UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE OF MANKIND

Central Coast Music Festival will have every corner of Gosford bursting to life with live music from September 12 – 18!

Do you have a desire to inspire, educate or activate your community in an area of music?! Council is calling for Expressions of Interest (EOI's) for events, workshops, activations, master classes, and live performances. This could be running a masterclass on songwriting, running a networking event or anything that has a musical focus – we want to hear from you. Here is your opportunity to unleash your inner creativity!

Successful ideas will form part of the festival's 7-day program running from Monday 12 to Sunday 18 September. There are also funding opportunities available to assist with events that meet the appropriate criteria. Maximum funding per application: \$1,000.

Want to be involved? Submit your EOI now.
Open – **21 March 2022**

[Submit Here](#)

Close – **2pm 21 April 2022**

EVENT LOCATIONS

Your event must take place in Gosford. There are many great locations and venues around Gosford for you to be able to host your event, and you must outline where your event is taking place in the application form.

Pending availability, Central Coast Council has two great locations that are available for use:

- Parkhouse @ Kibble Park
- Kibble Park

Should you wish to use either of these locations, please specify in the application. Site inspections and further information available upon request.



WHO CAN APPLY?

The EOI is available to eligible businesses, companies or organisations that propose a workshop, or event that satisfies the requirements outlined in the application form.

WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

Ideas that will be considered are activities that add value to the Central Coast Music Festival program. We are looking for fun, hands-on workshops and activations/events that can be informative, educational or entertainment focused. The workshops must stay true to the theme of music – whether that be creating music, integrating music as key theme in an event or activity, or delving into the business side with a focus on the industry.

Ideas need to;

- Be accessible to the greater community with activities that appeal to music lovers of all abilities and knowledge
- Encourage and contribute to the growth and development of the local music scene on the Central Coast
- Be a high-quality offering within the event program that must be able to be planned and delivered if funding is not received

Some examples of ideas may include;

- Music industry networking
- Educational sessions on the music industry
- Studio recording focus
- Live Performances
- Workshops such as DJ workshops
- Masterclass sessions such as song writing or film composing
- How to sessions such as instrument building, maintenance, and repair
- Aerobic classes or workshops with a focus on music



TAX ADVICE

The Australian Taxation Office considers funding and sponsorships as taxable income. The tax office can help with information on tax, including GST. Call 13 28 66 or visit www.ato.gov.au for further information.

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DISCLAIMER

Central Coast Council reserves the right to not assess applications that do not provide all requested information, or do not otherwise comply with the requirements of the Event Innovation funding.