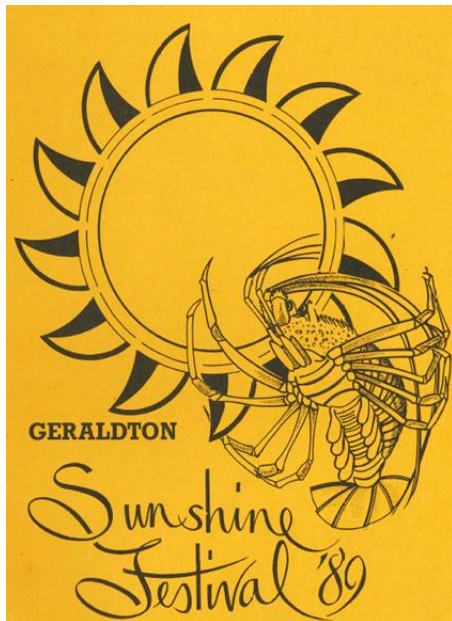


Geraldton Sunshine Festival Programme

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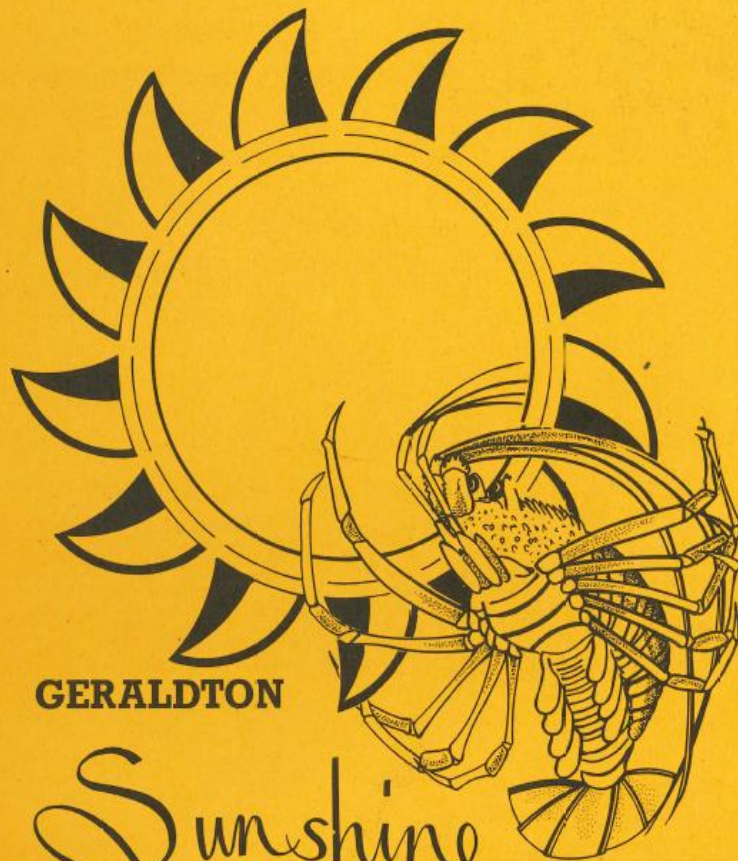
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5

8.30am: Tide Pool Life Reef Walk
Old Railway Building, Geraldton Museum, Marine Terrace. Discover the marine life along the shores of Champion Bay with two marine biologists from the WA Museum, Shirley Slack-Smith and Loisetta Marsh. Briefing, followed by the walk which will go until noon. Bring a hat, sunscreen and sandals. Suitable for children and adults.

9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Chapman Road (near Birdwood House). Organised by the Geraldton Sculpture Group. An outdoor exhibition by local sculptors who are competing for \$2500 worth of prizes.

9.00am-5.00pm: Spalding Park Tennis Club's Junior Tennis Championships. Spalding Park Tennis Club, Chapman Road, Bluff Point.

10.00am-12 noon: Acting Out Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. A theatre workshop, Sea Dreaming, for 7-12 year olds. Children will work with actors from Acting Out on the theme Adventure at Sea and learn the use of music, design, movement and narrative in performance. Cost \$2. Register at the Ed Centre or phone 21 4477. Numbers limited.

1.00pm: Treasure Hunt and Colour-In. Marine Display Building, Geraldton Museum, Marine Terrace.

3.00-5.00pm: Acting Out Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. The Death Defying Theatre workshop for children and young people 10 years up to 18 years. This is an introduction to theatrical improvisation with an emphasis on the spectacular. Cost \$2. Register at the Ed Centre or phone 21 4477. Numbers limited.

6.00-9.00pm: Grand Opening of the Festival Marine Terrace. City Mayor, Mrs Faye Simpson, will switch on the coloured globes to light up Geraldton's main shopping street and officially open the Festival. The Terrace will be closed off with entertainment and stalls along the street from Forrest to Fitzgerald Street. Crowning of the Festival King and winners of the garden competition announced.

6.30-9.00pm: Acting Out Performance Workshop. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. A free workshop for anyone who has ever wanted to be on the stage.

7.00pm: "The Gods Must Be Crazy II" film premiere, Queens Park Theatre.

Festival Film Fare: Queens Park Theatre Cinema will screen films throughout the Festival. Phone 21 5866 for titles, dates and times. Cost: \$7.50 adults, \$3.50 children.

Restaurant Specials: Night of the Rising Sun, Golden Coins Chinese Restaurant, Marine Terrace.

Spaghetti Night, Aerials Coffee Bar, Sanford Street. A choice of 6 varieties of spaghetti for \$5.

Pizza Special: Batavia Coast Seafood, Marine Terrace. Buy a pizza and go in the draw for a trip to Bali. Special continues throughout the Festival.

Programme

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6

9.00-11.00am & 1.00-3.00pm: Tee Ball. Utakarra Oval, Flores Road. Organised by the Geraldton Tee-Ball Association. Organised tee-ball games for children and tips on how to improve their game from the Association's coaches.

9.00-11.00am: Sculpture Workshop. Old Prison Craft Complex Courtyard, Bill Sewell Complex, Chapman Road. Organised by the Geraldton Sculpture Group. Construct a sculpture and learn more about design, form and colour.

9.00am-4.00pm: Spalding Park Tennis Club's Junior Tennis Championships. Spalding Park Tennis Club, Chapman Road, Bluff Point.

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9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Chapman Road (near Birdwood House). Organised by the Geraldton Sculpture Group.

6.30pm: Acting Out Directors' Workshop. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. A practical insight into directing from Acting Out's artistic director, Mr Grahame Gavin. Cost \$2.

7.30pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-west Exhibition Opening. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See the best Mid-west artists have to offer in this collection of current works from artists around the region. Exhibition opened by Geraldton Mayor Mrs Faye Simpson.

8.00pm: Installation and Commissioning of the new Anglican Dean. Cathedral of the Holy Cross, Cathedral Avenue. Dean Dennis John Reynolds will be commissioned in a service which will also be a significant event in the musical life of the Cathedral. Holy Cross Cathedral Choir, Geraldton Choral Society and Geraldton City Band. Clarke's Trumpet Voluntary, Bach's Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring and hymns. Co-ordinated by Alexander Scutt, the Cathedral's director of music.

Programme

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7

9.00am-12 noon: Sailing on the STS Leeuwin. Geraldton Wharf. A three hour sailing experience on the Indian Ocean in a ship styled after those used in the 18th and 19th century in Australian waters. Cost: \$35 adults, \$15 children 5-12 years, \$70 family ticket.

9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Chapman Road (near Birdwood House). See Thursday, Oct.5 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park behind QPT. Geraldton's Sunshine People will have their tent opened today and every day from Monday, October 9. Tea and bikkies available all day and a hot dog stand at lunchtime. Face painting at 11.30am and a puppet show at 3.30pm.

10.00am-5.00pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See Friday Oct.6 entry for details.

1.30pm: Grand Float Parade. Marine Terrace, Cunningham Street, Recreation Ground. Sponsored by Nissan. One of the highlights of the festival with the emphasis this year on vehicles. Imaginative floats, bands, music, horses, dogs and camels and scores of kids on their decorated bikes. Colour and action everywhere. Commentary in front of the Post Office Clock with Tom Tandy and at the Geraldton Museum's Old Railway Building with Jack Knudson and Amber Franklin. For parade participants marshalling at the Westrail Yards, Forrest Street end at 12.30pm.

3.00-5.30pm: Float Parade Presentation. Recreation Ground, Francis Street. After the runner is cheered on his way, stay on for the presentation of the float parade prizes, entertainment on the main stage and food and games stalls. Have a look at the floats close up.

8.00pm: Waggrakine Dance. Waggrakine Hall, Waggrakine. Modern, old-time and Latin American dancing. Cost: \$4.

8.00pm-2.00am: Princesses' Ball. Geraldton Entertainment Centre, Urch Street. Perth band 'Swich' will provide the music for this special night for the nine Sunshine Festival Princesses. The nine entrants in this year's Sunshine Festival Queen Quest will be formally presented and a floor show from Kerry's Batavia Coast Dancing School. Cost: \$25. Light supper and a licenced bar. Tickets from the Geraldton Tourist Bureau and Verity Jewellers.



Programme

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8

9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Chapman Road (near Birdwood House). See Thursday Oct.5 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Craft Day. Bill Sewell Complex, Chapman Road. A display of crafts from around the region. Lapidary, lead-lighting, pottery, spinning, weaving, soft toys, silversmithing and leatherwork. Demonstrations of how these articles of beauty are crafted using traditional skills. Crafts on sale.

10.00am: Superwalk. Geraldton High School Oval, Shenton Street. Participants in the annual Superwalk will aid Geraldton's Miss Australia Entrant Miss Faye Kretchmar. Entry forms from the Commonwealth Bank.

12 noon-4.00pm: Picnic Sports Day. Geraldton Senior High School Oval, Shenton Street. Sponsored by Kentucky Fried Chicken. Pack a picnic lunch and let the kids join in an afternoon of organised races. Three-legged race, sack race, egg and spoon race. Tug-of-war, for the veterans, a sprint race, thong throwing and roller-pin throw. Children's prizes and certificates for the winners. Watch the end of the marathon as the runners stagger or sprint to complete their time and as many laps as they can. Drinks and food stalls for those who don't want to pack a lunch.

1.30-4.30pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See Friday Oct.6 entry for details.

2.00pm: Wildflower Walk. Green Street, Spalding. Organised by the Geraldton branch, WA Wildflower Society. A leisurely walk along the Chapman River and through the reserve to have a close-up look at the colourful and hardy wildflowers of the region. Wear a hat, walking shoes and clothing that will protect from the scrub.

3.00pm: Afternoon concert. Queens Park Theatre, Cathedral Avenue. Organised by Friends of the Theatre. Local musicians in an hour-long concert. Cost \$2, which includes afternoon tea.

6.30pm: Sunshine People Rally. Queen Elizabeth Centre, Durlacher Street. Organised by the Inter-Church Council.

Programme

MONDAY, OCTOBER 9

9.00-11.00am: Pavement Art. Maitland Street between Cathedral Avenue and Durlacher Street. Sponsored by Jackson's Drawing Supplies. Children can create their own designs on the pavement slabs and compete for prizes. Please bring chalks but no greasy chalks or crayons, please.

9.00-11.00am & 1.00-3.00pm: Nifty Netball. Geraldton Netball Centre courts, Eighth Street, Wonthella. Organised by the Geraldton Netball Association. An introduction to one of Australia's most popular participation sports with simple exercises to improve skills and short games to assist players with improving their ability.

10.00am-12 noon & 1.00-4.00pm: Geraldton Museum children's activity. Discovery Room, Marine Display Building, Marine Terrace. Today's theme, Flying Fish. Make and decorate a Japanese kite shaped like a fish.

10.00am-12 noon & 2.00-5.00pm: Kite Workshops. Bill Sewell Complex, Chapman Road. Sponsored by Hungry Jacks. Come along and learn how to make a kite or if you're an experienced kite-maker, try something more difficult. Pitch in and add to what we hope will be Australia's longest kite. Each day children can add a kite to the tail of this monster effort, which we hope will be more than 200 metres in length when completed. Victorian stunt kite flyer and maker Neil Taylor will run these workshops with the assistance of local kite enthusiasts.

10.00am-4.00pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park behind the Queens Park Theatre. Games at 10.00am, puppets, plays or stories at 10.30am, craft activity at 11.00am, judging of craftwork at 11.50. Activities resume at 2.00pm with games, at 2.30 puppets, plays or stories, 3.00pm crafts with judging at 3.50pm. Tea and bikkies available all day, hot dogs on sale during the lunchtime period.

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2.00-4.00pm: Photography Made Easy.

Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. Organised by Geraldton Camera Club. Sponsored by Kodak. An activity for children 7-12 years showing them how to best use their camera. The basics of still and video photography. How to take souvenir and holiday photos of people, landscapes and buildings. Limited to 40 children. Pre-registration at the Gallery is essential.

2.00pm: Preliminary judging for Little Miss Sunshine. Dawson's Studio of Dancing and Theatre, Durlacher Street. Girls 5-7 years will be judged in the first stage of this event.

3.30pm: Preliminary judging for Little Miss Tiny Tot. Dawson's Studio of Dancing and Theatre, Durlacher Street. Girls 3-5 will be judged in the first stage of this event.

7.30pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park behind QPT. Entertainment throughout the evening.



Programme

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10

10.00-12 noon: Acting Out Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. See Thursday Oct. 5 entry.

9.30am: Storytime. Geraldton Public Library, Cathedral Avenue. A half hour session for the pre-schoolers as they are read an animated and lively story suited for their age group to help develop their interest in literature.

10.00am-12 noon & 1.00-4.00pm: Geraldton Museum Childrens Activity. Discovery Room, Marine Display Building, Marine Terrace. Today's theme, Seascapes. Make a standing diorama of an underwater reef and add some colour to highlight and enhance the finished item.

10.00am-12 noon: Movable Mural Making. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. Organised by Pig and Whistle Fine Arts and Craft Studio. Help make a portable mural on the theme of The Sea. After the mural is completed it will remain outside the gallery for the duration of the festival.

10.00am-4.00pm: Skateboarding. Geraldton Westrail Yards, Forrest Street. Try out the Australian Skateboarding Association's new mobile skateboarding ramp. This giant ramp, of five metres by 15 metres, has just been finished and it is making its first appearance in regional WA. Demonstrations by the State's best each day at 10.00am and 3.00pm. Cost \$3 for ASA members, \$6 for non-members to cover insurance.

10.00am-4.00pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind the QPT. See Monday's entry for details. Bike for Bibles today.

2.00-5.00pm: Rollerskating. Geraldton Rollerskate, Simpson Street. Learn the finer points of this popular sport from the experts. Cost \$1 plus skate hire.

2.00pm: Little Miss Sunshine and Little Miss Tiny Tot. Northgate Shopping Centre, Chapman Road. Organised by Dawson's Studio of Dancing and Theatre. Sponsored by Sue-Den Photography, Verity Jewellers and Piaf Hair Design. Little lovelies aged 3-7 compete for these two coveted titles in one of the most popular events of the festival.

3.00-5.00pm: Acting Out Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry.

7.00pm-12 midnight: Junior Disco. Fiasco's Nightclub, Fitzgerald Street. Organised by the PCYC. Perth Band 'Tora'. 'Tora' provide the music for this late night under-age rage for 12-17 years old at a club which has been de-licensed for the event. Cost \$5.

7.30pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind QPT. Entertainment throughout the evening.

8.00pm: Giant Sunshine Festival Quiz Night. Brigades Football Club, off Green Street, Spalding. Put your brain power to the test to win prizes for the brightest tables. Proceeds to the under-14 cricketers. Compered by Brian 'Putter' Smith. Cost \$3 per person.



Programme

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11

9.00am-5.00pm: Ten Pin Bowling. Geraldton City Bowl, Clarke Street. Learn the ins and outs of this popular recreation based on the ancient game of skittles, with assistance from expert bowlers. Cost: \$4.60 for two games. Shoe hire included.

9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Birdwood House, Chapman Road. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

10.00am-12 noon: Acting Out Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

10.00am-12 noon & 1.00-4.00pm: Geraldton Museum Children's Activity. Marine Display Building, Marine Terrace. See Tuesday, Oct. 10 entry for details.

10.00am-12 noon & 2.00-5.00pm: Kite Workshops. Bill Sewell Complex, Chapman Road. See Monday Oct. 9 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind QPT. See Monday Oct. 9 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Skateboarding. Westrail Yards off Forrest Street. See Tuesday Oct. 10 entry for details.

10.00am-5.00pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See Friday Oct. 6 entry for details.

11.00am and 1.00pm: Peter Combe. Queens Park Theatre. Popular children's entertainer Peter Combe, a regular on the ABC, brings his whimsical approach to children's entertainment and music to Geraldton for this show. Cost \$10 adults, \$7 children, \$30 family ticket.

11.00am-12.30pm: Historical Walk. Geraldton Civic Centre, Cathedral Avenue. A leisurely walk around Geraldton's earliest precinct guided by long-time resident and Geraldton Historical Society member, Mrs Margaret Cobley, who will explain the places and names behind the City's near 140-year history.

2.00pm: Fancy Dress Pet Parade. QPT Amphitheatre, Cathedral Avenue. Children dress up their pets, be they kangaroos, cats, dogs or fleas in costume and compete for prizes. A perennial of the festival, the day provides one of the best laughs of the week as children unabashedly try to coerce the pets to co-operate, all for the sake of impressing the judges.

3.00-5.00pm: Acting Out Death Defying Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

7.30pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind QPT. Talent quest night in preparation for Friday night's concert.

8.00pm: The Mystery and Magic of the Batavia. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. Organised by Friends of the Gallery. An informative and entertaining evening tracing the background of the 1629 Dutch wreck and plans to bring the ship Batavia back to life again. Hear about the replica now being built in Holland, see photos of this work and listen to the plans which could result in Geraldton having its own model of the Batavia.

Programme

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12

9.00-11.00am: Pavement Art. Maitland Street. See Monday, Oct. 9 entry for details.

9.00-11.00am & 1.00-3.00pm: Tennis is Terrific. Spalding Park Tennis Club, Chapman Road, Bluff Point. WATA Zone 1 has arranged two sessions of tennis for experienced and beginning levels of players and for those who have never held a racquet. Exercises to improve skills and games.

9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Near Birdwood House, Chapman Road. See Thursday Oct. 5 entry for details.

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10.00am-12 noon: Acting Out Workshops. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. See Thursday Oct. 5 for details.

10.00am-12 noon & 1.00-4.00pm: Geraldton Museum Children's Activity. Marine Display Building, Marine Terrace. Today's theme, Seashore Sun Sense. Make and decorate sun visors and slap on neon coloured zinc cream for sun protection.

10.00am-12 noon & 2.00-5.00pm: Kite Workshops. Bill Sewell Complex, Chapman Road. See Monday, Oct. 9 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind QPT. See Monday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Skateboarding. Westrail Yards off Forrest Street. See Tuesday, Oct. 10 entry for details.

10.00am-5.00pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road.

11.00am: Storytime. Geraldton Public Library, Cathedral Avenue. A special storytime session with older children in mind. More details see Tuesday, Oct. 10 entry.

2.00-4.00pm: Kit and Kaboodle. Queens Park Amphitheatre, Cathedral Avenue. Acting Out, a Perth theatre group in Geraldton for a theatre residency, will present this 50 minute children's show. Some of the local children who have taken part in Acting Out's workshops will also be involved in performing in the first half of this presentation. Special guest artist, too.

3.00-5.00pm: Acting Out Workshop, Death Defying Workshop. Community Education Centre, Gregory Street. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

5.30-9.30pm: Sausage Sizzle. Pages Beach, Willcock Drive. Music, kite flying, beach volleyball and sausages for the kids in a late afternoon beach setting. Parents welcomed.

7.30pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind QPT. Entertainment throughout the evening.

8.00pm: Smokey Dawson in Concert. QPT, Cathedral Avenue. One of the stalwarts of Australian country music in concert. Cost: \$19.90 adults, \$15.90 concessions.

8.00pm: Oktoberfest. Fiddlers Restaurant, Marine Terrace.

Restaurant Special: Spaghetti Night, Aerials Coffee Bar, Sanford Street. A choice of six varieties of spaghetti for \$5.



Programme

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13

9.00-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. near Birdwood House, Chapman Road. See Thursday Oct. 5 entry for details.

9.00am-4.00pm: Our Selection Farm Day. Edwards Road, Narngulu. For the city kids who have never seen an Australian farm at work here's your chance. Pony rides, Clydesdale horses working an antique merry-go-round, blacksmithing, vintage cars, crafts, old machinery hand-churned ice cream. Kids can bring their pets for a fancy dress parade. Inexpensive old-fashioned fun for the family. Cost: Adults £ 1 (\$2), children, five shillings (50 cents).

10.00am-12 noon & 2.00-5.00pm: Kite Workshops. Bill Sewell Complex, Chapman Road. See Monday, Oct. 9 entry for details.

10.00am-12 noon: Geraldton Museum Children's Activity. Old Railway Building, Marine Terrace. Screenings of sea life videos in the museum's theatre upstairs. A 30-minute programme of videos will screen continuously.

10.00am-4.00pm: Skateboarding. Westrail Yards off Forrest Street. See Tuesday, Oct. 10 entry for details.

10.00am-4.00pm: Sunshine People Festival Tent. Queens Park, behind QPT. See Monday, Oct. 9 entry for details.

10.00-5.00pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See Friday, Oct. 6 entry for details.

1.00-3.00pm: Sand Castle Competition. Town Beach, off Marine Terrace. Organised by the Sunshine People and the Geraldton Museum. Sculpt sand into a traditional castle or a sea monster. Your chance to let your imagination run wild as you create a replica or just a free-form design from sand. Three divisions, including an open division for adults. Prizes for the best efforts. No entry fee.

3.00pm: Sheep on a Spit Barbecue. Town Beach, off Marine Terrace. Organised by the Sunshine People. An afternoon barbecue to follow the Sand Castle competition.

5.30-7.00pm: Presentation of the Randolph Stowe Young Writers' Awards. Reception Room, Geraldton Civic Centre, Cathedral Avenue. More than 300 children have prepared entries for this inaugural award, which will be judged in four categories. Some of the entries will be on display and donors of the prizes will present them to the winners.

7.30pm: Sunshine People Concert. Festival Tent, Queens Park, behind QPT.

8.00pm: The Resurgence of Art Deco. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. Organised by the Art Deco Society of WA. Slide presentation and talk. See examples of the art deco style and hear why there is such an interest in this 1920s and 30s building style.

8.00pm: Oktoberfest. Fiddlers Restaurant, Marine Terrace.

Restaurant Special: El Cheapo Night, Los Amigos Mexican Restaurant, Durlacher Street. A Mexican meal for \$10.



Programme

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14

9.00-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Near Birdwood House, Chapman Road. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

9.30am: Art Deco Walk. Old Radio Theatre Building, Marine Terrace. A walk around the centre of Geraldton led by WA Art Deco Society president Yvonne Geneve pointing out the particulars of the art deco architectural examples seen in Geraldton. Inspection of some of the interiors of the buildings, too.

10.00am-4.00pm: Skateboarding. Westrail Yards off Forrest Street. See Tuesday, Oct. 10 entry for details.

10.00am-5.00pm: Survey of Visual Art in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See Friday, Oct. 6 entry for details.

11.00am: SGIO Youth Concert Band. Northgate Shopping Centre, Chapman Road. A short concert by this 76-piece band.

12 noon-4.00pm: Sheepdog Trial. Woorree Park, Woorree. This event has been restored to the festival programme by public demand. Rural residents from around the Mid-West will bring their dogs to Geraldton for an afternoon of competition. At interval stunt kite flying and dog obedience display. Food stalls and drinks available. Entry by donation.

7.00pm: Speedway Meeting. Geraldton Speedway and Hot Rod Country Club, Mullewa Road, Moonyoonooka. A full speedway meeting with all divisions racing. Cost: \$5 adults, \$1 pensioners and children.

8.00pm: Sunshine Festival Queen Crowning Concert. Queens Park Theatre, Cathedral Avenue. Sponsored by Deluxe Coachlines. The SGIO Youth Concert Band will provide the music for the evening's entertainment and the nine princesses will provide the glamour. The evening will finish with a spectacular crowning ceremony, where the Sunshine Festival Queen and Charity Queen will be announced.



Programme

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15

9.00am-4.00pm: Murphyl Farm Day. Chapman Valley Road, Chapman Valley. Organised by the Geraldton Jaycees. A day for the family in the country. Lots of activities for children, petting zoo, pony rides, hay rides, vintage tractor, merry-go-round, paddle boats, and caterpillar. Treasure hunt with Commonwealth Bank accounts as prizes. For the adults a test of their mettle with the Gum Boot Dash - teams of four, all wearing gumboots, run, push, empty and fill bags, roll tyres and collectively hop in a wool sack, competing against the clock. \$500 in prizes. Entry fee \$5 a team. Licensed bar, morning and afternoon teas, picnic facilities. Craft demonstrations and a display of square dancing. Cost: \$3 adults, \$1 children and pensioners.

9.00am-5.00pm: Sculpture Happening in Geraldton. Near Birdwood House, Chapman Road. See Thursday, Oct. 5 entry for details.

10.00am: Family Car Rally. Anzac Terrace Car Park, opposite the Geraldton Art Gallery. Organised by Geraldton Apex Club. Proceeds to GERO. Two routes of 30kms each to provide a fun way to get to Murphyl Farm, stopping to collect clues on the way. Prizes for the three fastest cars and a special category for family groups travelling in the same vehicle. Prizes awarded at Murphyl Farm at 1.00pm. Cost: \$5 a vehicle.

10.00am-4.00pm: Skateboarding. Westrail Yards off Forrest Street. See Tuesday, Oct. 10 entry for details.

10.30am: Open Air Concert. Band Rotunda, Chapman Road, Bluff Point. The SGIO Youth Concert Band will perform at the band rotunda for the enjoyment of the aged and infirm in Geraldton, many of whom will be brought to the concert from the area's nursing homes and hospitals. Public welcome, but please bring your own portable chairs or rug to sit on. Refreshments on sale by the Geraldton Historical Society.

11.30am: St George's Catamaran Club Opening. St George's Beach off Kempton Street, Bluff Point. Opening ceremony at 12.30pm, a sail past of these colourful cats at 12.40pm and the one race of the day at 1.30pm. Sailing for the general public available.

1.00pm: Multi-Sports Event. Pages Beach, off Willcock Drive. Organised by Gary Clark. Sponsored by Associated Minerals Consolidated. Five sporting disciplines - swimming, windsurfing, cycling, horseriding and running will put these five-member teams to the test. Each team member will take on one leg of the event. The best will finish back at Pages Beach by 4pm. Teams not finished by 6pm will be disqualified. Prizes for juniors, women's team, veterans and best individual teams. Cost: \$25 team entry.

1.30-4.30pm: Survey of Visual Arts in the Mid-West. Geraldton Art Gallery, Chapman Road. See Friday, Oct. 6 entry for details.

5.00-9.00pm: Festival Wind-up and Presentation of Sports Awards. Wintersun Hotel, Chapman Road, Bluff Point. Medals, medallions, shields and trophies for the marathon and the Multi-Sports Event will be presented from 6.45pm. The newly crowned Festival Queen will be on hand and Mayor Mrs Faye Simpson will officially close the 1989 Festival with a few remarks. Smorgasbord dinner to follow at \$5 per person.

Sunshine Festival '89



7 - 14 OCTOBER QUEENS PARK OVAL 89 PROGRAMME

SATURDAY 7th

7.00 am
10.00 am - 4.00 pm
10.00 am - 1.00 pm
11.30 am
Noon - 2.00 pm
3.30 pm - 4.00 pm

Men's Breakfast
Tea and Bikkie Tent
Children's Tent Activities
Face painting
Lunchtime Hot Dog Stand
Puppet Show



SUNDAY 8th

6.30 pm

RALLY AT THE QUEEN ELIZABETH CENTRE

MONDAY 9th

10.00 am - 4.00 pm
9.50 am - Noon
10.00 am - 4.00 pm
Noon - 2.00 pm
1.50 pm - 4.00 pm
7.30 pm

Tea and Bikkie Tent
Children's Tent Activities
Youth Activities
Lunchtime Hot Dog Stand
Children's Tent Activities
Entertainment



TUESDAY 10th

10.00 am - 4.00 pm
9.50 am - Noon
10.00 am - 4.00 pm
Noon - 2.00 pm
1.50 pm - 4.00 pm
7.30 pm

Tea and Bikkie Tent
Children's Tent Activities
Youth Activities
Lunchtime Hot Dog Stand
Children's Tent Activities
Bike for Bibles Ride (time to be announced)
Entertainment



WEDNESDAY 11th

10.00 am - 4.00 pm
9.50 am - Noon
10.00 am - 4.00 pm
Noon - 2.00 pm
1.50 pm - 4.00 pm
7.30 pm

Tea and Bikkie Tent
Children's Tent Activities
Youth Activities
Lunchtime Hot Dog Stand
Children's Tent Activities
Talent Night



THURSDAY 12th

10.00 am - 4.00 pm
9.50 am - Noon
10.00 am - 4.00 pm
Noon - 2.00 pm
1.50 pm - 4.00 pm
7.30 pm

Tea and Bikkie Tent
Children's Tent Activities
Youth Activities
Lunchtime Hot Dog Stand
Children's Tent Activities
Entertainment



FRIDAY 13th

10.00 am - 4.00 pm
9.50 am - Noon
10.00 am - 4.00 pm
Noon - 2.00 pm
1.00 pm - 3.00 pm
5.45 pm
7.30 pm

Tea and Bikkie Tent
Children's Tent Activities
Youth Activities
Lunchtime Hot Dog Stand
Sand Castle Competition (near Sail Inn)
Sheep-on-a-spit Barbecue
CONCERT



SATURDAY 14th

7.00 am
10.00 am
11.00 am

Men's Breakfast
Trophy Presentations for Craft Work
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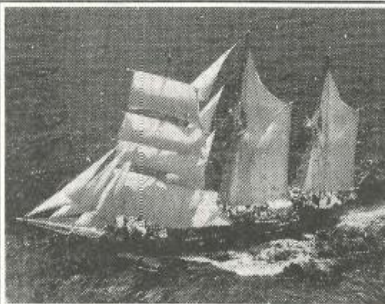
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Welcome to the thirty-first Geraldton Sunshine Festival.

The programme covers eleven days from Thursday October 5 to Sunday October 15, contains nearly fifty events from sporting, music, theatre, dining, cultural and dancing to participation and spectator ... and has something for everyone, adults children and the whole family.

The Sunshine Festival is very special. The length of time it has been running testifies to its popularity and to the generous support which it receives.

The number and variety of the programmed activities is a reflection of the variety and vitality of our lifestyle.

We are a busy working community with all the advantages of good weather, nearness to the sea and to farming country plus the resources of a growing City. Our famous winds are rapidly becoming another advantage.

The organisation of the Sunshine Festival involves many people and to all of you many, many thanks. To mention everyone would consume too much of this page, but there are two very important groups I must include. The first is the Sunshine Festival Committee whose members are energetic, enterprising, and a real pleasure to work with. We are already looking forward to next year's festival.

The second special mention must go to the Sunshine Festival Princesses, their sponsors and committees. Without our nine gorgeous girls there would be no Sunshine Festival as they raise most of the money which finances the festival and they also make some of their funds available to local charities.

To make the most of the Sunshine Festival please read all the programme details we supply for you and tune in to Radio 6GE at 10.15 each morning for Sunshine Festival Diary.

Enjoy yourselves, **Barbara Bennetts**

Sunshine Festival Committee

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