



# CLASS CLOWNS

## Class Clowns

Sunshine Coast Council is partnering with the Melbourne International Comedy Festival (MICF) to present Class Clowns, a national comedy competition and workshop program, for the first time on the coast. The competition has been run by MICF since 1996 and is aimed at young people aged 14 to 17 years (or in Year 9 to 12).

At a Class Clowns gig, participants who have prepared a five minute comedy routine participate in a workshop with a professional comedian before performing on stage to a public audience. The winner goes to the Queensland State Final, and can go on to the Nationals in Melbourne, to compete for \$2000 in cash and prizes.

Class Clowns acts can enter through their school or independently as an individual, duo or trio.

## When & Where

Free Crash Course Workshops:

Nambour – Black Box Theatre Fri 19 March 4-6.30pm

Noosa – Bicentennial Hall Annex Sunshine Beach Sat 20 March 10.00am-12.30pm

Kawana – Lake Kawana Community Centre Sat 20 March 2.30-5pm

Class Clowns Heat

Nambour Civic Centre Theatre on Friday 23 April 2010

12noon-2pm - Pre-performance rehearsal/workshop with a MICF Roadshow comedian.

3pm-4pm - Public Performance on stage with a live audience.

## Cost

Crash Course workshop – free

Class Clowns competition – registration \$11 per act

Class Clowns performance – open to general public free

## Contact details

For more information about Class Clowns and how to register contact Gail Hewton on 5455 4455 or email: [gail.hewton@sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au](mailto:gail.hewton@sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au) or go to [www.classclowns.com.au](http://www.classclowns.com.au)

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