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Recipient: Lenore Howard

Funded Amount: \$3,000

Location: Redlynch, QLD, 4870

Renown FNQ artist Lenore Howard, has been invited by Tablelands Regional Gallery to present a major solo exhibition celebrating over four decades of her professional art practice. The aim is to bring high level contemporary art to a community that is more experienced in traditional forms and Howard has a unique history that could open avenues for appreciating pure abstraction.

Make your own RADfest Scrim Shirt with Tie-dyed Teez

Recipient: Mackay City Rollers

Funded Amount: \$1,334

Location: North Mackay, QLD, 4740

Local artist with Disability Joshua Clarke and support worker Margaret Ross will facilitate a tie dying activity over two days for RADfest participants and their family members to create their own roller derby scrim shirt that can then be used at future RADfest and scrim events.

LT - New Work and Collaborations

Recipient: Leanne Tennant

Funded Amount: \$3,000

Location: Manunda, QLD, 4870

Leanne Tennant have been provided with an opportunity to collaborate on new work with ARIA Award winning songwriters Joel Quartermain and Edwin White. Over the course of three days they will write and record this new work, with a plan to be release this new work both online and through live performance in early 2024.

Production of Fred Leone's Performance in Rainbow Beach: Nurturing Art and Culture

Recipient: Elisa Mele

Funded Amount: \$3,000

Location: Rainbow Beach, QLD, 4581

Traditional Custodian and artist, Fred Leone will connect people with the deep cultural roots of the Butchulla people in a multimedia storytelling experience including live music, an album launch and a short film. The production of the event will develops the producer's capacity to deliver cultural community engagement.

Recording of Ampersand's Debut EP

Recipient: Christian Hamilton-Craig

Funded Amount: \$3,000

Location: Cooroy Mountain, QLD, 4563

The young, energetic and ever evolving funk/fusion band, Ampersand will work with local regional professionals at Yama Nui Studios to record five original songs in preparation for the release of their debut EP. The members of Ampersand will record and produce their music to their collective creative vision while undergoing professional and skills development.

Island Storytellers Festival

Recipient: Island Storytellers Festival

Funded Amount: \$5,000

Location: Lamb Island, QLD, 4184

Held on Ngudjuru/Lamb Island, the 2023 Island Storytellers Writers & Readers Festival will celebrate a love of literature, the creative people of our islands and community engagement. The festival will feature four new water-based events creating a calm reflective atmosphere, and promoting thoughtful, environmentally friendly tourism.

WOW World of Wearable Art Event

Recipient: Alison McDonald

Funded Amount: \$2,864

Location: Deeragun, QLD, 4818

By attending the WOW event in New Zealand, Alison McDonald will develop professional and community capacity building skills in the medium of wearable art. McDonald will return to Townsville with new knowledge and skills to foster creativity and collaboration within the community, encouraging others to explore wearable art and enrich the local art scene.

Remapping Mitchell Arts Collective project

Recipient: Remapping Mitchell Arts Collective

Funded Amount: \$4,990

Location: Injune, QLD, 4454

Ongoing immersive arts Collective developed by First Nations custodians, Remapping Mitchell, will create a diverse collection of artworks including new media for exhibitions in Mitchell, and in Injune. The Collective will work with technicians to build collaborative sound and site-specific visual assemblages.