# "Borderline Creative Development" - Regional Theatre Developed by Emerging Artists

Recipient: Amber Grossman Funded Amount: \$3,000 Location: Brinsmead, QLD, 4870

The Borderline Creative Development aims to facilitate paid employment and upskilling opportunities for Cairns emerging artists, through hands on experience in the development of a new Australian theatrical work.

### SUPER - a short comedy film

Recipient: Jannah Dryden Funded Amount: \$3,000 Location: Manoora, QLD, 4870

SUPER is an inclusive short comedy film that follows two elderly ladies, Marg and Jerri, who when convinced they will receive better care in jail than in an aged care facility, hatch a plan to get arrested. Due to delays in the opening of the Cairns Screen Queensland studio, filming will take place at Bulmba-ja Theatre.

## Virtuoso! Rockhampton Symphony Orchestra with Andy Firth

Recipient: Rockhampton Symphony Orchestra Inc

Funded Amount: \$2,180 Location: Gracemere, QLD, 4702

An exciting fusion of jazz and classical music, Virtuoso! will feature Mozart's famous Clarinet Concerto and Artie Shaw's contemporary Clarinet Concerto, renowned for its virtuoso cadenzas. The project will culminate with two intensive professional development workshops with soloist Andy Firth prior to a public concert.

#### **Fantastic First Nations Fashion**

Recipient: Stepping Black Indigenous Corporation Australia

Funded Amount: \$4,870 Location: Bundaberg, QLD, 4670

In partnership with renowned Gooreng Gooreng fashion designer and acclaimed artist, Julie Appo, Stepping Black is offering an opportunity for four young First Nations people to learn how to sew, make quality garments and create an artistic fashion collection that can be showcased at the Regional Milbi Festival.

#### **Briscoe Sisters LIVE**

Recipient: Deline Briscoe Funded Amount: \$3,000 Location: Peachester, QLD, 4519

First Nations Iconic family trio, Briscoe Sisters, will perform a 60 minute set at Peace Run Records. They will make a multi track recording of 5 songs in the set to mix and release before their Sydney Opera House Performance on 1st of May 2024.

### **Debut Exhibition for Georgetown Artist**

Recipient: Rebekah Haase Funded Amount: \$2,897 Location: Georgetown, QLD, 4871

Emerging rural artist, Rebekah Haase has her creative career at the forefront of her mind as she prepares for her first public display of artworks to be exhibited in April this year. The pop up gallery will feature as part of the Unearth Etheridge tourist attraction, housed in the TerrEstrial Information Centre.

## An Australian regional designer at the core of the European fashion industry

Recipient: Simone Zarpelon Leao Funded Amount: \$3,000 Location: Cooran, QLD, 4569

Simone Z Leao will attend the Burgo Institute of Fashion in Milan, Italy, for a onemonth professional development opportunity. Simone will upskill and foster her creative work in textile art and fashion design through an intensive hands-on learning with outstanding professionals of the industry.

## **Gympie Region Studio Trails 2024**

Recipient: Gympie Regional Council Funded Amount: \$3,000 Location: Gympie, QLD, 4570

The Studio Trails project creates uniquely accessible high-quality arts and cultural experiences in the Gympie region while providing opportunities for and strengthening the local arts and cultural sector.