

2024 First Nations Significant Dates and Cultural Events



Acknowledgement of Country

The Archdiocese of Brisbane acknowledges the Traditional Custodians who have walked and cared for this land for thousands of years and their descendants who maintain their spiritual connection and traditions. We thank them for their continual cultural and spiritual connection to Country as expressed through their history, music, language, songs, art and dance.

We respectfully acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the Archdiocese of Brisbane, North, South, East and West and reflect on the millions of footprints that travelled the Dreaming pathways and continue to walk this land.



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JANUARY

26 Survival Day

FEBRUARY

13 Anniversary of National Apology Day

MARCH

21 National Closing the Gap Day
21 Harmony Day
23 RAP Networking and information Workshop - (North Side)

APRIL

6 RAP Networking and information Workshop - (South Side)
20 RAP Networking and information Workshop (Sunshine Coast)
25 Anzac Day

MAY

2 Southport Reconciliation Evening & RAP discussion
26 National Sorry Day
27 National Reconciliation Week (Until 3/6)
27 Anniversary of the 1967 Referendum
29 Torres Strait Islander Flag Day
30 Brackenridge Parish Recon. evening.

JUNE

3 Mabo Day
5 Laurel Blow Speaker Series
12 Anniversary of the Barunga Statement

JULY

1 Coming of the Light Day
7 National Aboriginal Sunday
7-14 NAIDOC Week
9 Anniversary of the Aboriginal Flag Being Flown

AUGUST

4 National Aboriginal and Torres Islander Children's Day (NATICD)
9 International Day of Indigenous People
13 Anniversary of the Yirrkala Bark Petitions
23 Anniversary of the Gurindji Wave Hill Walk-Off

SEPTEMBER

7 Indigenous Literacy Day
13 UN Declaration on Rights of Indigenous People
6 Archdiocesan Reconciliation Dinner
25 Anniversary of Cathy Freeman Winning Gold At The Olympics

OCTOBER

26 Anniversary of the handback of Uluru to the Traditional Owners

NOVEMBER

12-15 Aboriginal Spiritual Artwork and Symbol workshop Expo

DECEMBER

10 Human Rights Day