

DISCOVER A DESERT
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2022 EVENTS CALENDAR

APR

9 — 1 ALICE SPRINGS

Alice Springs Cup Carnival
Racing, fashion and entertainment!



8 — 17 ALICE SPRINGS

Parrtjima | Parrtjima is the iconic 10-night festival in light



15 — 17 CENTRAL AUS.

Aileron Bush Festival

15 — 18 ALICE SPRINGS

Easter in the Alice

22 — 25 ALICE SPRINGS

Run Larapinta

MAY

20 — 22 CENTRAL AUS.

West Macs Monster Trail Running Festival | The top Larapinta trail running event!



21 ALICE SPRINGS

Alice Springs Longest Desert Lunch

14 TENNANT CREEK

Tennant Creek Race Day

20 — 22 ULURU

Opera Gala at Uluru | Award-winning operatic artists in the spiritual heart of Australia



25 — 29 ALICE SPRINGS

Dark Skies Festival | The premier astronomical event in Australia



30 TENNANT CREEK

Tennant Creek MotorSport May Day Weekend Challenge

JUN

9 ALICE SPRINGS

Night Markets

10 — 13 CENTRAL AUS.

Finke Desert Race | The world-famous outback race



16 — 19 BRUNETTE DOWNS STN.

Brunette Races | A historic grassfed horse racing event

24 — 27 CENTRAL AUS.

Alice Springs Beanie Festival
One big community-based 'beanie party'!



26 ALICE SPRINGS

Sustainable Couture Parade & Marketplace

JUL

1 NT

Territory Day

1 — 2 ALICE SPRINGS

Alice Springs Show

3 — 10 AUSTRALIA

NAIDOC week

8 TENNANT CREEK

Tennant Creek Show

15 — 17 ALICE SPRINGS

2022 Toyota AFL Round 18: Melbourne Demons v Port Adelaide | Round 18

16 ALICE SPRINGS

Winter Chill

19 — 23 ALICE SPRINGS

The Australian Ceramic Triennale | Artists, writers and more celebrate ceramics



23 ALICE SPRINGS

Winter Chill

28 — 31 TENNANT CREEK

Desert Harmony Festival
The family fun desert Harmony community festival is back!

29 — 1 Aug CENTRAL AUS.

Blacken Open Air Festival
Australia's original camp out heavy music festival



29 — 1 Aug CENTRAL AUS.

Harts Range Races | Harts Range Bush Sports Weekend

30 ULURU

Australian Outback Marathon



AUG

4 — 7 ALICE SPRINGS

Red Dirt Poetry

5 — 21 CENTRAL AUS.

7th Drovers Run 4WD Outback Adventure

8 — 12 ALICE SPRINGS

Overland Telegraph 150th Anniversary | The Sesquicentenary of the Overland Telegraph

10 TENNANT CREEK

Black Dog Ride

12 — 15 CENTRAL AUS.

Run Larapinta

13 ALICE SPRINGS

Old Timers Fete

18 — 21 ALICE SPRINGS

Redback MTB Race

20 ALICE SPRINGS

Henley on Todd Regatta

The most fun you can have in boats and no water!

22 TENNANT CREEK

150 Years of Overland Telegraph

26 — 28 ALICE SPRINGS

BMX Nationals

27 ALICE SPRINGS

Festival of Transport

27 TENNANT CREEK

Variety Bash

TBA ALICE SPRINGS

Seniors Expo

SEP

2 — 4 ALICE SPRINGS

Red CentreNATS | Celebrate all things wheels at this great automotive lifestyle festival

8 — 23 ALICE SPRINGS

Desert Mob | Showcases the most comprehensive survey of contemporary Art



9 — 18 ALICE SPRINGS

Desert Song Festival | A ten-day celebration with concerts, workshops and musicians



12 ALICE SPRINGS

Bush Bands Bash

17 ALICE SPRINGS

Daryl Braithwaite - Under the Stars

22 ALICE SPRINGS

Night Markets

22 — 2 Oct ALICE SPRINGS

Desert Festival | Annual Music and Arts Festival in Mparntwe



30 — 2 Oct ALICE SPRINGS

Olive Pink Festival

OCT

7 ALICE SPRINGS

Olive Pink Opera | The Opera celebrates the extraordinary life of Olive Pink



2023

FEB

13 ALICE SPRINGS

Imparja Cup | Showcasing Indigenous cricket in this cricket carnival event

MAR

10 ALICE SPRINGS

Fab Alice | Drag, Glitter, Cabaret, Performances & so much more! In the Red Centre



27 — 28 ULURU

Uluru Camel Cup | The biggest small town event in the Territory



DEC

2 ALICE SPRINGS

Christmas Party - Alice Springs Turf Club

TBA TENNANT CREEK

Darrell Bear Logue memorial Golden Nugget Classic Darts Competition

5 ALICE SPRINGS

Christmas Party

9 ALICE SPRINGS

Night Markets

Discover Red Centre events packages at
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COMMUNITY EVENTS

JUNE

29
Reptile Show with Rex
@ Alice Plaza | 12pm

JULY

1
Live Post-Punk Rock & Roll Chops by Emlyn Johnson and Beep Test
@ Epilogue Lounge | 8pm

1
FLORA & EROS – Exhibition
@ Olive Pink Botanic Garden | 10am

1
SIXTY The Journal of Australian Ceramics 60th Anniversary - Exhibition
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 10am to 4pm Daily

1
2022 Govies' Muster
@ Gillen Club | 6pm

1
Acoustic Friday with Xavia, Jum, Gleny Ray, Meraki Mae
@ Jump Inn (Fridays) | 6.30pm

2
The Wildlife Man Survival Tour
@ Ooraminna | 3pm

4
Ross Noble - On The Go
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 8pm

5
Teeny Tiny Stevies
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 10.30am

5
NAIDOC Open Day
@ 2 South Ter, The Gap | 9.30am

7
Goanna
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 7.30pm

7
Celebrating a Decade of Divas
@ The Old Courthouse | 5.30pm

7
Horsin' Around
@ CFAT Yards | 2pm

7
Jump Inn Jams with Kodivine, Ruben Revees, The Davis Brothers
@ Jump Inn (Tuesdays) | 7pm

8
Bastille Day - Dinner at Ooraminna
@ Ooramina Homestead | 6pm

9
Loop the Loop - Music
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 8pm

9
2022 Alice Springs NAIDOC After Party
@ Epilogue Lounge | 5pm

11
Boiling Point
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 7.30pm

14
As Seen on TV
@ Totem Theater | 7pm

16
Rooftop Rock Night LIVE (60s, 70s & 80s)
@ Epilogue Lounge | 5pm

17
Alcoota Scientific Reserve Discovery Day 2022
@ Alcoota - via Megafauna Centre | 8am

18
Makers' Film Festival
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 6.30pm

23
Fanny Paq- A Queer Desert Party #2
@ Jump Inn | 6pm

24
Sunday Sauce
@ Monte's Lounge | 2pm

25
Official Competition
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 7pm

26
Trash Magic
@ Araluen Arts Centre | 6pm

28
Wildlife Man Night Safari Cinema Dinner
@ Ooraminna | 6.30pm

29
LIVE ON THE LAWNS: Xavia
@ Old Courthouse | 12pm

30
Wings Night
@ Central Australian Aviation Museum Inc | 5pm



CENTRAL AUSTRALIAN EVENTS CALENDAR 2022



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