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'Less than Two Weeks Until the CCLC'

The Curtis Coast Literary Carnivale holds its seventh biennial festival from **24–27 July 2016**. Authors and illustrators to attend are: **Kathryn Apel, Gregg Dreise, Dave Hackett (Cartoon Dave), Jacqueline Harvey and Lucia Masciullo**.

Four exciting book launches will be conducted during the school sessions:

Monday 25 July at 12.30pm CQUniversity Australia *My Dad Works on an Island* developed by QGC

Tuesday 26 July at 12.30pm CQUniversity Australia *Mad Magpie* (Magabala Books) by Gregg Dreise and *Tiddalik the Frog* (Pearson) by Di Irving and Gregg Dreise

Tuesday 26 July at 12.45pm Tannum Sands SS *Clementine Rose and the Paris Puzzle 12* (Penguin Random House Australia) by Jacqueline Harvey

Wednesday 27 July at 12.45pm Tannum Sands SS *My Dad Works on an Island* developed by QGC

Bookings are also still being taken for:

- **Write On!** a series of intensive workshops for adults and teenagers on **Sunday 24 July 2016** at Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum, in which a choice of four workshops will be offered. Alternative sessions from 9.00am to 11.30am will be: *A Special Silly Event* with Gregg Dreise or *Write Well: Effective Strategies for Creative Writing* with Jacqueline Harvey. Alternative sessions from 12.30pm to 3.00pm will be *No Rules Cartooning* with Dave Hackett or *Illustrating Picture Books* with Lucia Masciullo. (If participants attend both a morning and afternoon workshop, lunch will be included.) The program concludes with the panel discussion on writing, illustrating and publishing at 3.15pm to 4.15pm chaired by Robyn Sheahan-Bright, in which local author Kathryn Apel will join the four visiting presenters. Cost per workshop is \$30 with the panel discussion free to participants.
- **The CCLC Literary Dinner** on **Sunday 24 July 2016** at the Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre at 6.30pm, for \$65, including two courses, complimentary drink on arrival, with a cash bar available.
- **An exhibition – *The Picture Book Art of Gregg Dreise, Dave Hackett and Lucia Masciullo*** – will be launched at the Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum on **Monday 25 July 2016**, at 6.00pm, and is already on display from **9 July–13 August 2016**. Included are original works by each award-winning artist from their published books. Bookings are required for the launch, as are group visit bookings.
- **School sessions and workshops** to be held from **Monday 25–Wednesday 27 July 2016** at CQUniversity Australia (Gladstone Campus), and at Tannum Sands State School and Calliope State School. All sessions are **booked**, but enquiries are welcome, and individuals can book at the CQU venue during the events.
- Books to be sold by **The Book Garden** are listed on the CCLC website.

If you haven't already booked, visit our website and book now!



For further **information**: visit CCLC website <<http://carnivale.gladstonerc.qld.gov.au/>> or contact Sue Norris (Gladstone City Library) ph 4976 6414 email suen@gladstonerc.qld.gov.au

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