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## 'Bookings Open for the CCLC'

The Curtis Coast Literary Carnivale opens bookings today, for 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**. Bookings are now being taken for:

- **Write On!** a series of intensive workshops for members of the general public 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, with a 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 on display from **9 July–13 August 2016**. Included will be 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.
- Books to be sold by **The Book Garden** are listed on the CCLC website.

If you haven't already received the booking forms, visit our website and book now to ensure your places!



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](mailto:suen@gladstonerc.qld.gov.au)

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