

Councillor Report

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1.0 Gail Sellers

1.1 SUNfest

The annual SUNfest Programme is catering to the young people of the region with activities running from January 11 to 23. There is a range of new and exciting events focusing on entertainment, arts and culture, and sport and recreation for those aged 12 to 17 years.

SUNfest 2010 will provide young people aged 12 to 17 with a range of new and exciting activities, focusing on entertainment, arts and culture, and sport and recreation. Activities included on the programme are clay target shooting, dive-in movie nights, outdoor movie nights, Filmfest, basket making, art and craft activities, sculpturing and mosaics, kayaking, skating, pottery, stage combat, street theatre, improvisation and script building, a disco, kite surfing, theatre, puppetry, clowning, mime, creative theatre, silversmithing, music and aquatic fun. In addition, the popular



SUNfest Showcase on January 23 will focus on the achievements of the youth during the two-week program.

A highlight of the program will be 'IZIT? Entertainment', an entertainment company born out of World Expo '88 which will conduct a range of workshops including stage combat and street theatre.

Activities are planned for Gladstone and outlying areas, including Mt Larcom, Calliope, Ubobo, Boyne-Tannum and Agnes Water.