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Multicap Festival 2011

The Festival is one of Multicap's premier events and this year's event at Eight Mile Plains oozed excitement with lots of great family entertainment, exciting rides and activities, some fantastic new workshops, a variety of yummy food, and much, much more.

The Multicap Festival has been well supported by the community over the past five years and this year was no exception with over \$11,000 raised from the celebrations. All funds raised will go directly into supporting programs and facilities for the people with high needs disabilities that Multicap support.

Multicap's regional Festival celebrations proved to be a hit with Mackay hosting a Family Fun Day in the park, Rockhampton put on a mini festival complete with jumping castle and market stalls, Kuraby boogied the night away with their Dinner and Dance celebrations, Petrie had a great turn out at their cent auction, and Nudgee danced 'till they dropped at their Dinner and Dance.

Special thanks must go to our sponsors who have helped make these celebrations possible, Community Partners Brisbane City Council and our local MacGregor Ward and Cr Steven Huang, Media Partner Quest Community Newspapers, Southern Star, Premier Sponsor Macgregor Lions Club, and Classic Sponsors, Suncorp Calamvale, Signwave, and Wishart Rotary Club.

Thank you also to the many businesses who provided donations and volunteered their time in support of the Festival including Bella's Fruit Barn, Camp Oven Bakery, Coles Runcorn, Garden City and Pinelands, Portrait Place Indooroopilly, Kingston Park Raceway, Monte Lupo, Bliss Skin Centre, Beryl Muller, and The Glen.



PricewaterhouseCoopers Cool Night Classic

Multicap has been selected as one of the beneficiaries of this year's PricewaterhouseCoopers Cool Night Classic. The Cool Night Classic is a corporate 5km run or 3km walk starting at the Riverstage moving through the Brisbane City Botanic Gardens and finishing back at the Riverstage.

The Cool Night Classic will be held Thursday, 10 November 2011, so check it out and follow the links at www.multicap.org.au

If you're interested in doing a little extra fundraising you can make even more of a difference to Multicap by building your own fundraising webpage on [Everyday Hero](#). It's quick, it's easy and in minutes you can email your friends and family for a donation with the unique link of your hero page. All donations are recorded on your hero page as well as messages of support and information about Multicap.

Multicap is also looking for volunteers for the PwC Cool Night Classic, if you would like to volunteer for this

event please contact 3340 9000.

So if you walk, run, volunteer, donate or sponsor someone, you'll make an enormous difference to people living with high needs disabilities.

For further information please check out Multicap events at www.multicap.org.au

Active Community Support

Active Community Support is a program that encourages local communities and individuals to have fun and make a difference to the lives of people in our communities living with high needs disabilities.

There are many fun activities that can be organised to raise funds. Hosting a trivia night, afternoon tea, fun run, dinner party, or birthday are just a few possibilities. Recently, a 16 year old Brisbane high school student made her sweet sixteenth birthday extra special by raising \$1,372.65 for Multicap at her Charity Disco attended by over 100 of her friends.

So, if you or someone you know is hosting an event soon please consider raising funds for Multicap.

The Carnival Carousel

Roll Up Roll Up...

Join us for an inspirational ride that supports people with disabilities.

This year's major fundraising event for Multicap will take us back in time to a place where the carnival came to town. The brightly coloured lights, the music, the smells, the laughter, the spruikers, the happiness, and the Carousel at the centre of it all, majestic and beautiful.



It was a magical time and you can experience it all again at Multicap's Carnival Carousel 2011 Cocktail Party. Tickets are available by phoning (07) 3340 9000, or online at www.multicap.org.au

The ride is what you make it...

So, help us make it a ride of a lifetime for people living with high needs disabilities!

