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# ENTERTAINMENT

A plethora of locally-based entertainers will bring your event to life; aerialist performers, choirs, stilt walkers, fire and pyrotechnique displays will delight.





# MUSICIANS

# AREA 13



## AREA 13

Area 13 are a premium 3, 4 or 5 piece party band. With two original albums released; 'Parachutes for Puppets' 2018 and 'Classified' 2019, they cover a wide range of songs from good Aussie rock to the great international standards with some kick arse original numbers. Look back at some of the great hits from the 60s 70s, 80s and 90s. They are easy to work with and adaptable to the need of your venue. High quality PA system, equipment, lighting and full Public Liability Insurance. Area 13 have an infectious live performance.

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## AUSTRANESIA

Celebrating the unique diversity of multi-cultural North Queensland, AustraNesia is a gathering of some of the region's finest established and emerging musical artists of Aboriginal Australia, Torres Strait Islander, Melanesia and Polynesian descent. The multi-dimensional ensemble showcases harmony amidst diversity in both song and spirit. It gives voice to the original music of each artist, backed by a soul-stirring band, weaving in intricate harmonies, laced with language, fusing traditional and contemporary instrumentation; thus, highlighting cultural heritage and educating the listener through story in song.

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## CAIRNS CONCERT ORCHESTRA

The Cairns Concert Orchestra has been a part of Cairns' music scene for over 50 years. On occasion, the Orchestra joins with accomplished wind players and singers to form a full orchestra, bringing an extra dimension to their performances.

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## CAIRNS PREMIER ENTERTAINMENT

Your choice of entertainment can make or break your special event. Ensure your function is a success by hiring experienced entertainment professionals who work closely with you to create an event that is fun and unforgettable. Cairns Premier Entertainment is your top choice for corporate entertainment in Cairns, Palm Cove and Port Douglas. Bringing you North Queensland's top-quality award-winning DJ's and entertainers from solo to duo and band options for any event or occasion, large or small.

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## CHRIS LLOYDS

Based in Cairns, professional singer Chris Lloyds travels the country performing the jazz standards. His smooth, sophisticated vocal style is reminiscent of the great performers such as Frank Sinatra, Tony Bennett, Mel Torme, Nat King Cole and Matt Monro. He performs as a solo performer with a pianist or guitarist or up to a five-piece band. As a man of many talents, he covers jazz, swing and blues.

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## CONNOR REID

Connor Reid is a singer/songwriter in Tropical North Queensland. Playing a range of acoustic covers and original songs to suit your event's atmosphere, Connor's professional services will add the appropriate rhythms to any business event.

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## DR. ELEPHANT

Dr Elephant is fronted by Damien Wicks who is not only known for his powerful and versatile voice but also as a contestant on season 2 of Australia's Biggest Loser. Dr Elephant are a 3-piece rock party band who play everything from pub gigs to major events.

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## JORDAN BRODIE

Queensland Music Award winning guitarist and composer Jordan Brodie blends the sounds of folk, jazz and classical music and draws on old and new inspirations such as Julian Lage, Tommy Emmanuel, Ralph Towner and Pat Metheny. Since studying at the prestigious Queensland Conservatorium of Music, Jordan released his second solo guitar album in 2017. He has impressed national audiences with his fingerstyle guitar technique, incorporating the bass, rhythm and melody parts simultaneously.

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## KAWEYOVA

Growing up without influence of radio or television, Kaweyova started out singing traditional Island songs from the Trobriant Islands in Papua New Guinea. This self-taught guitarist and singer picked up her skills from watching her cousins since singing and dancing was very much a part of their daily lives and culture. She has worked in Papua New Guinea, Dubai, Fiji and is now based in Australia. Kaweyova regularly performs on cruise ships onboard the P&O Australia fleet as a guest entertainer. While she's not sailing the seas, Kaweyova can be found in Cairns playing around the local spots such as the Pullman Reef Hotel Casino and Salt House.

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## MARILIYA

Mariliya is a group of young Indigenous singers, whose music goes straight to the heart. Born out of a collaboration between Gondwana Choirs and Felix Riebl, these young women sing with a warmth and richness that belies their age.

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## MATTYBOI

Mattyboi is a solo acoustic artist with a talent for knowing what the crowd wants. Whether it's a laid-back love ballad or foot-stomping rock song, Mattyboi knows how to keep a crowd captivated and entertained. With an eclectic list of songs, covering all the best hits from the 60s, 70s, 80s, 90s and modern, Mattyboi's set list ranges from Cat Stevens to Ed Sheeran and everything in-between. Using a collection of sounds ranging from acoustic guitar, live looping, digital samples, stompbbox and vocal harmonies, Mattyboi is a true one-man band with the soundscape of a trio.

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## NATALIE MANN

Harpist, composer and resonance artist Natalie Mann is explorative, testing the boundaries of reality. Studying music since the age of four and practicing in a number of different countries including United States of America, Turkey and New Zealand, Mann has settled in Cairns to continue to develop her craft in an area rich with culture and inspiration.

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## TECTONIC/RUSSELL HARRIS BAND/RUSSELL HARRIS

Front man, lead vocalist, trumpet and flugelhorn player, guitarist, songwriter, MC and band leader are all active pursuits of versatile entertainer, Russell Harris. You can catch Russell fronting one of Australia's most versatile cover bands, Tectonic, delivering a full-on Rock show with the Russell Harris Band, or unplugged with an acoustic guitar performing his own compositions. He is known in Northern Australia as a vibrant solo entertainer covering almost any vocal style.

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## THE TALL POPPIES

The Tall Poppies perform classic pop, dance, funk and soul covers of all genres, ranging from popular favourites from the 70s, 80s, 90s and 2000s, up to today's contemporary hits. The Tall Poppies are available as an acoustic male and female duo, up to an energetic seven-piece dance band.

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## TONY GEORGE ENTERTAINMENT

Tony George and his band bring an incredible amount of action and entertainment to any event with their big noise performance and incredible vocal talents. Tony has a wonderful way of interacting and connecting with guests, which is sure to get any crowd up on the dance floor and leave them with wonderful memories of your event.

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