COMMUNITY CLIMATE ACTION PROJECT

TOWARDS A NET ZERO MAGNETIC ISLAND

(YUNBENUN)

TOP NEWS OF THE MONTH

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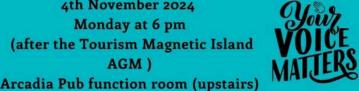
OWN OR MANAGE A BUSINESS? THIS EVENT IS JUST FOR YOU

TOWARDS A NET ZERO MAGNETIC ISLAND (YUNBENUN) CLIMATE CHANGE ACTION PROJECT INVITES YOU TO:

A Zero Waste Strategy for Magnetic Island FOCUS GROUP FOR BUSINESS



4th November 2024 Monday at 6 pm (after the Tourism Magnetic Island AGM)



The way we manage waste on our island will be changing and this will affect all business owners. We welcome you to come to and have your say.

To RSVP or for more information contact Aniko 0400305714



REGISTER HERE FOR THIS FREE EVENT

CLIMATE ACTION PROJECT UPDATE

Focus Group for Business: Magnetic Island Zero Waste strategy

Join us for a dynamic Focus Group event where we will delve into creating a sustainable Zero Waste strategy for businesses on Magnetic Island.

This in-person event will take place at the Arcadia Village Hotel, providing the perfect setting for collaboration and brainstorming.

Waste management for businesses on the island are set to change, so don't miss this opportunity to be part of the solution and shape the future of waste management on the island!

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE INVOLVED?

Register NOW for your FREE ticket to a Business or Resident's Forum.

Aniko Papp at: misdp.coord@gmail.com or call 0400305714



TOTALLY RENEWABLE MAGNETIC

Next Totally Renewable Magnetic meeting: **7pm Tuesday 15 October**Contact Joe Niven for more information at: totallyrenewablemagnetic@gmail.com

Visit the **TRM website**

YOU ARE INVITED TO THE ANNUAL MAGNETIC ISLAND ENERGY FORUM

Inviting all Magnetic Island
Residents and Business Owners to the

MAGNETIC ISLAND ENERGY FORUM



Saturday 2 November 2024 1.30pm - 3.00pm Indigo Room, Peppers Blue On Blue

Join us for updates on:

- The Magnetic Island Microgrid
- Business Energy Support Solutions
- Electricity and Cyclone Preparedness

MICROGRID & ENERGY BUSINESS UPDATE:

Stephen Rodan offers free assessments of business energy systems. He helps businesses become more energy efficient by consulting on power usage needs, offering advice to reduce energy bills, sharing energy efficiency tips, and guiding them toward renewable electricity options. Stephen can help in navigating the complexities of grants, subsidies, and rebates to support energy transitions.

All Magnetic Island residents and businesses are invited

Come along to the annual Energy
Forum held this year at Peppers Nelly
Bay. TRM is working to ensure that
Magnetic Island has reliable,
resilient, renewable and sustainable
energy.

Find out more about TRM is about, what has been done this year and the future for renewable energy on our World Heritage listed island.

Free event. Refreshments will be served.



TRM continues to assist island residents be more energy efficient and to install solar generation.
TRM has also been working with Yurika on the feasibility study for microgrids on Magnetic Island.

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ZERO WASTE MAGNETIC ISLAND

Next ZERO WASTE meeting: 5pm Tuesday 17 October at Amaroo on Mandalay

Visit the **ZWMI website**

Beach clean-up in partnership with MINT (Magnetic Island Network for Turtles)



MICDA partnered with MINT (Magnetic Island Network for Turtles) to highlight the lethal impact of plastic on the island's endangered turtles.

Volunteers gave up most of their Sunday 25th August for the Nelly Bay beach clean up.

The main pollutant found were plastics especially single-use wrappers that cannot be recycled.

Minimising their use and proper disposal is imperative.

Microplastics originate from any source of plastics that break down in the environment.



helped at the beach clean last Sunday 25th A

We collected over 1,000 pieces of rubbish from Nelly Bay in just one hour!

This includes:

- -23 Cans
- -29 bottle tops
- -16 glass bottles
- -80 Cigarette butts and one vape
- -49 bits of clothing and fabric
- -a cushion and a boat seat
- -golf and tennis balls
- more than 250 bits of plastic wrapping, mainly snack bars
- -fishing line, rope, bouys, lure
- -plus over 400 pieces of microplastics!
- +Data uploaded to the #australianmarinedebrisinitiative database with Tangaroa Blue

Big thanks to the clean up crew Tasha, Peter, Fabio, Tora, Nick, Max and Laura, Helena, Elenor, Mary, Michael and Duncan, Alex, Joanne Steve and wally, Tim, Colin and Melissa, Leanne, Peta and Bob



+ The Island Bar, Magnetic Island for the coffee perk up, Townsville City Council for the clean up equipment. Pleasure Divers Magnetic Island for doing their own underwater clean up. And Zero Waste Magnetic Island

Stay tuned for our next clean up..
helping keep our island home beautiful, oceans
healthy and beaches ready for turtle nesting
season



Towards a Net Zero Magnetic Island (Yunbenun) Climate Change Action Project invites all residents to:

A New Zero Waste Strategy for Magnetic Island



COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

The way we manage waste on our island will be changing and this will affect all households. We welcome you to come to and have your say at the following community consultation sessions:

Friday 1st November: 6pm at Roamer Horseshoe Bay (previously Selina)

Monday 4th November: 10am at the RSL Hall

Tuesday 5th November: 9.30am at the Maggie Island Brewery

Tuesday 5th November: 4pm at the Magnetic Island State School P&C Wednesday 6th November: 10am or 6pm at Amaroo on Mandalay

Thursday 7th November: 10am or 6pm at the RSL Hall

Find out more information contact Aniko on 0400 305 714





