



The nationally acclaimed exhibition: The Making of Midnight Oil celebrating the 'power and the passion' of one of the world's most inspirational rock bands, Midnight Oil. Developed by Manly Art Gallery & Museum's Ross Heathcote in collaboration with Midnight Oil drummer Rob Hirst and with exhibition design by Wendy Osmond, The Making of Midnight Oil examines the band's impact on social and cultural history across a 40 year period. The exhibition showcases rare and iconic items including stage props, instruments, protest banners, hand written lyrics, photographs and posters as well as rare and exclusive footage and unreleased music. Sourced from public and private collections as well as the band's own archives. FREE ENTRY

EXHIBITION EVENTS

Exhibition Guided Tour *

Saturday, 3 September, 3.15- 4.15pm

Join Midnight Oil drummer, songwriter and founding member, Rob Hirst and Manly Art Gallery & Museum's Curator, Ross Heathcote for an insightful walk and talk tour of the exhibition: The Making of Midnight Oil.

\$30 per person

Bookings and pre-payment essential: 07 5329 6145 (limited places available)

Performance

Friday 7 October, 8pm

Hostile Entertainment and Noosa Regional Gallery presents The Backsliders at The V Room, Villa Noosa with Rob Hirst, Dom Turner and Joe Glover.

Tickets \$25+bf through Moshtix, \$30 at the door

In conversation: Songwriting * Saturday, 8 October 11am-12.30pm

A live interview with Midnight Oil drummer, songwriter and founding member, Rob Hirst by side-project collaborator, Sean Sennett who will take you through Hirst's inspiring Midnight Oil songwriting journey.

\$30 per person

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Gallery Shop

Official Midnight Oil merchandise available in the Gallery Shop. T-Shirts, Beanies, Tote bags and more.

Audio Guides

The Making of Midnight Oil exhibition audio guide with headsets available in the Gallery Shop.

nrgNites: Fridays from 5 - 7pm

Noosa Regional Gallery presents an art after-hours series: nrgNites. Enjoy a relaxed atmosphere in the Gallery amongst the exhibits of iconic Australian rock band: Midnight Oil, in *The Making of Midnight Oil* exhibition (exclusive to Noosa Regional Gallery). *nrgNites* invites special guests to present floor talks and entertainment.

\$10 per person, cash bar available

(includes 1 x entry in the draw to win an autographed Midnight Oil prize pack)

Friday 16 September Talking: Behind the Scenes

Friday 28 October

Talking: Activism

Friday 7 October

Talking: Street Press

Friday 4 November Talking: Rock Video

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For additional program details, visit our website www.noosaregionalgallery.com.au































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