



# *The Roxy Bingara*

## A venue for all occasions



### *The Roxy Theatre Bingara*

The magnificent Roxy Theatre, situated in the main street of Bingara, is a striking building with a history as colourful as its painted exterior. Built in 1936 by three Greek entrepreneurs, it operated as a cinema until 1958 after which it was closed and lay dormant for forty years.

In May 2004, The Roxy was faithfully restored to its original splendor and was re-opened to the public. The theatre embraces some of the most striking original art deco architecture in New South Wales and still contains the original fixtures and fittings from 1936. Today The Roxy functions as both a multipurpose cinema and regional centre for the performing arts, with The North West Theatre Company taking residence at the Roxy. Dazzling theatrical performances coupled with the building's grand atmosphere makes the Roxy a must see destination.

### *Meetings and Conferencing*

Regionally central to the towns of Inverell, Moree, Tamworth, Narrabri, Gunnedah and Armidale, and offering state of the art meeting and event facilities, The Roxy is an ideal location for your next regional meeting.

The theatre is perfect for large conferences and seats up to 400 people theatre style, whilst the upstairs meeting facility occupies 87sqm and has seating for up to 50 people and includes a screen for multimedia displays, a kitchenette for refreshments and upstairs bathrooms. Smaller breakout rooms are also available. The Roxy Complex is wheelchair friendly.

### *Weddings*

Perfectly positioned in the heart of Bingara and within walking distance of all major accommodation, the stunning architectural beauty of The Roxy Theatre offers a magical backdrop for a romantic country wedding. It truly is an exceptional venue that provides an unforgettable experience for you and your guests.

This versatile venue offers endless possibilities from a grand, formal sit-down wedding reception, or a chic cocktail occasion, to an elegant high tea suitable for an afternoon wedding. Couples can choose to exchange their vows in the beautiful outdoor courtyard within the surrounds of the striking art deco cinema, or for something a little more theatrical, the stage of The Roxy Theatre offers an amazing setting.

### *Hospitality and Cooking Classes*

A state of the art trade training kitchen, recently added to the Roxy Complex, facilitates the learning of Cert III in Hospitality and can be used to cater for private functions. In conjunction with the Northern Inland Community College, The Roxy can also offer accredited or pre-accredited hospitality training programs to businesses and organisations.

Courses available include Safe Food Handling, Barista Skills and Responsible Service of Alcohol; together with a range of culinary cooking classes like cheese making, cake decorating and Moroccan cooking. The Training kitchen is also a fabulous venue for team building cooking classes which can be arranged to suite your needs.





### *Tour Groups*

Private movie screenings and tours are a popular offering of The Roxy; an extensive selection of movies can be sourced for your viewing pleasure and our friendly and informative tour guide will have you captivated with insights into the Roxy's colorful history.

Why not make a weekend of it and include a group cooking class in our fabulous Masterchef style training kitchen, or visit one of the many other fantastic sites and experiences the Gwydir Shire has to offer.

### *Daily Tours*

Tours of the Roxy theatre are available daily at 10.30am and 2.30pm Monday to Friday, 11am on Saturday and Sunday, or by appointment. Tours cost \$5.00 per person and are a fabulous opportunity to view some of the most spectacular art deco architecture in

New South Wales and one of the last remaining theatres of its era. To take part in a tour please visit the Bingara Visitor Information Centre adjacent to the Roxy Theatre.

### *Private Functions*

The Roxy has the capacity to act as a function centre for a wide variety of activities and events, ranging from birthdays and weddings to regional awards and Christmas functions. Catering for your functions is a breeze with a number of local businesses able to assist or self-cater in our state of the art, fully equipped kitchen adjoining the theatre.

### *Contact Us Today*

For further information about The Roxy, or to make a booking, please call the Bingara Visitor Information Centre; our friendly staff will be more than happy to discuss your requirements.

### *Accommodation near the Roxy*

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Caravan Park, Wialda . . . . .ph. 0427 291 008  
Copeton Waters State Park . . . . .ph. 02 6723 6269  
Fossickers Way Motel, Bingara . . . .ph. 02 6724 1373

The Imperial Hotel, Bingara . . . . .ph. 02 6724 1629  
Peranjou Cottages, Bingara . . . . .ph. 02 6729 4146  
The River House, Bingara . . . . .ph. 0428 834 281  
The Sportsman's Hotel, Bingara . . .ph. 02 6724 1880  
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