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Peter Styles  
Minister for Young Territorians

### **Get started on your National Youth Week 'to do' list**

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A full calendar of events is on offer as part of the largest celebration of young people in Australia. Minister for Young Territorians Peter Styles, urges Territorians to take advantage of the activities and events during National Youth Week (NYW) 2015.

“National Youth Week is celebrated all over the country and the Northern Territory has over 70 events happening over ten days across the Top End,” said Minister Styles.

“I am very excited to announce the calendar of events for 2015, have a look online and get involved in the fantastic events organised across the Territory from 10-19 April.

“A Youth Jam is happening in Katherine, Alice Springs will host a Youth Recycled Art Prize competition, musical workshops by the Saltwater Divas are in Darwin, there is a Beach Volleyball Festival, Hip hop work-shops, athletics activities and movie nights, 2015 calendar of events is jam packed.

“To mark the first day of National Youth Week, the Office of Youth Affairs will be holding a stall at Casuarina Square from 9am to 9pm on Friday 10th April, there will be competitions, merchandise giveaways and a chance to find out about all of the planned events,” said Minister Styles.

The Northern Territory Government proudly supports NYW through the 2015 Grant Program, offering funding for youth engagement activities held during the 10-day celebration.

“The aim of NYW is to provide young people with the opportunity to express ideas, raise concerns and act on issues that matter to them, so get out there and support the future of the Territory,” said Minister Styles.

“I strongly encourage all young Territorians to take a look at the online calendar to see what is happening in your area. There is activities in Katherine, Tennant Creek, Darwin, Palmerston, Casuarina, East Arnhem and more,” said Minister Styles.

The 2015 National Youth Week event calendar is available online, click the link below and get planning on the great events in your area:

[http://www.youth.nt.gov.au/national\\_youth\\_week.html](http://www.youth.nt.gov.au/national_youth_week.html)

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