



Regional Convention 2018

You are invited to join us from
21st – 25th of September 2018

VENUE:

*Helensvale Culture Centre on the
Gold Coast*

THERE WILL BE:

*Something for all Modellers of all
Prototypes / Gauges / Scales.*

Proposed Program

Friday 21st.

- *Layout Tours of Brisbane and Gold Coast, private and club layouts. Some Operations sessions are available by pre arrangement (See convention website)*
- *Registration.*

Saturday 22nd.

- *All day program, choice of 12 Presentations*
- *Demonstrations, Hands on, Displays, Trade, Society Stands*
- *Convention USB with Presenter's Notes*
- *Complimentary Tea and Coffee between Sessions*
- *Morning & Afternoon Tea, Box Lunch provided*
- *Banquet Dinner at local Club with Speaker*
- *Ladies Tour*

Sunday 23rd

- *Presentation to 11:30.*
- *Visit local club and layouts*
- *Or ride the "G:link"(own cost).*
- *Ladies Discount Shopping Nearby to convention location*

Monday 24th

- *Self-drive & Self-paced Layout Tours/Operations*

Tuesday 25th

Why not take a drive to Toowoomba and see:

- *Visit the Toowoomba Model Railway Club (100% NMRA)*
- *Visit "Downs Steam Railway/Museum"*
- *Visit Award Winning Gardens (Yes it's the Carnival of Flowers week)*
- *Toowoomba Railway Station*
- *Ride on a heritage diesel Train to Spring Bluff*
- *Or drive to Spring Bluff with some train spotting on the way (Nov-Dec 2017 MainLine)*



*There will be a self drive layout tour program.
You get to read a bio of each layout and some*



*sample photos to help you determine which layout you would like to see.
The self drive tours will be available on*

Friday 21st and Monday 24th September



Details of the Venue:

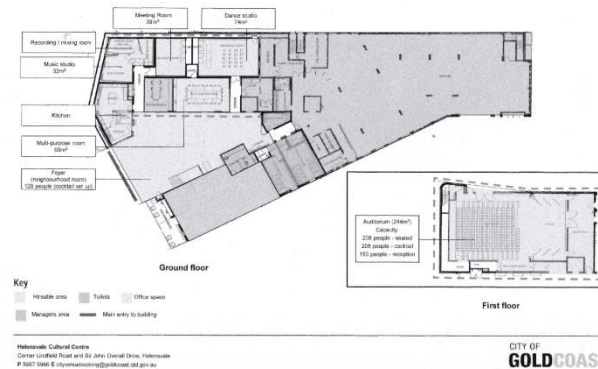
Helensvale Cultural Centre

<http://www.goldcoast.qld.gov.au/community/helensvale-library-cultural-centre-3445.html>

Location Corner Lindfield Road and Sir John Overall Drive, Helensvale



Helensvale Cultural Centre – Ground floor and first floor auditorium



Convention Dinner will be held at the Runaway Bay Rugby Leagues Club on the Saturday night

INTERESTED, BUT NOT SURE!

Come and enjoy the fun! A regional convention will allow you to:

- Participate in great modelling activities with fellow likeminded people
- Maybe learn new skills and techniques
- Build the Model Railway network
- Meet old friends and make new friends
- Exchange knowledge
- Layout tours and Open houses
- Display Layouts at the convention venue
- Trade stands at the convention venue
- Convention Dinner



For further information please check out the NMRA Website at the following link:

<https://www.nmra.org/region-conventions#Australasian>

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