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Festival brings satellite event to Tennant Fabulous Creek

FabAlice is bringing the glitz and glamour to Tennant Creek next month with an inaugural satellite event in the lead-up to its four-day festival in Alice Springs.

Queens Ferocia Coutura and Prawn Cracker Spice from Drag Territory will host a FREE Cabaret Bingo on Tuesday 7 March at Tennant Creek Memorial Club, featuring mini-shows, prizes and plenty of adult fun.

"Prawn Cracker Spice and I are really excited to bring Cabaret Bingo to your fabulous town, we have an amazing night planned with all our favourite mini drag shows and of course a bit of Bingo fun," said Ferocia.

After the Cabaret Bingo, Tennantites have the opportunity to get a taste of what is to come at fabALICE which kicks off on Thursday 9 March and runs until Sunday 12 March; and now there is a special Tennant Creek package which offers round trip bus transfer to Alice, and a three-event pass for Saturday 11 March which includes Drag Queen Bingo, Gala under the Stars, and the After Dark Party for only \$240!

FabAlice is a family-friendly festival encompassing diversity and inclusion and is inspired by the Australian classic film, *Priscilla: Queen of the Desert*.

Barkly Regional Council, a champion of providing a diverse and inclusive workplace, is a proud supporter of fabAlice and welcomes the initiative to bring a taste of the festival to Tennant Creek.

"Supporting diversity is a focus of Council, where all our staff, regardless of who they are, feel equally involved and supported in all areas of the workplace," said Mayor Jeffrey McLaughlin.

"The fabAlice festival has been a huge success in the Red Centre since 2018, and its popularity grows each year.

"The idea of a satellite event in Tennant Creek can bring economic benefits to the town, with festival-goers making Tennant Creek a part of their stop on the way to fabAlice."

The Tennant Fabulous Creek Cabaret Bingo is proudly sponsored by Tennant Mining and Goldfields Motel and supported by Barkly Regional Council. To view the full program of fabAlice, visit <u>https://www.fabalice.com/program</u> and to purchase tickets go to <u>https://www.fabalice.com/tickets</u>

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