

Midsumma Carnival 2026 – Frequently Asked Questions

Question	Potential Answer
Where are the TOILETS ?	See the map - public toilets are located between the Sports Precinct and the river and beside the Skate Park (permanent toilets and portable toilets). There are also toilets inside each bar and behind the stages
What's happening on STAGE ?	Show a stage program sheet/sign. Some handouts are available if specifically requested.
Where/when is the DOG SHOW ?	The dog show starts at 3pm on the Picnic Precinct Stage. Dogs can be registered between 11am & 2:30pm at the Picnic Info Tent
Where/when is LIP SYNC LIMELIGHT ?	Lip Sync Limelight starts at 5pm on the Picnic Precinct Stage. Registrations at Info Tents until 4pm (or till full)
When & where is T-DANCE ?	It's now called CARNIVAL NIGHT-TIME PROGRAM , and runs from 6pm to 9pm. It's on the Main & Picnic stages and it's FREE. Proof of Age wristband required to enter the bar!
Where is the STALL for ...	Refer to the alphabetical list of stall holders (then the Stalls Map) or the online list
How can I CONTACT ...	Each radio bearer can obtain further information. The Info Tents have a list of all key contacts.
Somebody needs ACCESS assistance	Our Access Coordinator or Volunteer Access Champions can help - via 0437 557 109 or at Main Info Tent
Where do I REGISTER ?	All sign-ins are at either Artist HQ or the Volunteers Marquee , which are both beside the path close to Alexandra Ave at the St Kilda Rd end of the precinct:
Can I have a MIDSUMMA PROGRAM ?	Yes - hand out a copy (or refer them to www.midsumma.org.au/whats-on)
Where can I get FIRST AID ?	From the First Aid centre – close to either Info Tent (and offer / enquire about what assistance is needed)
HELP! POLICE / AMBULANCE ... are needed urgently.	Find a crew member or security guard with a radio and get them to report the situation. There will always be somebody with a radio at each stage, at Artist HQ, at the bar and at
Where is the nearest ATM ?	Flinders Street Station
Where can I get DRINKING WATER ?	Free drinking water available at three locations: see map
Where can I get FOOD ?	From Food Vendors - beside path west of Skate Park or on Boathouse Drive - see map
Where can I buy CIGARETTES ...?	7/11 at Federation Square
Where can I buy SUNSCREEN/ HAT ?	Sunscreen is available at the info tents; hats from the 7-11 on Fed Square (and maybe from some stalls)
There's a DANGER somewhere (e.g. broken glass)	Contact a radio bearer or Security, who will pass on the details
REPAIRS are needed to ...	Ask any radio bearer to report the problem
I believe we need to EVACUATE the park - what should I do and where should I go?	In an emergency, instructions will be relayed via the hierarchy: EOC Wardens and Staff Volunteers . Listen for, and follow, special announcements from radio bearers or the stages. If instructed, go quickly
EMERGENCY:	Contact anyone with a radio - Info Tent; Stages; Bar; Roving Security... (or 0484 264 864 or 000)