

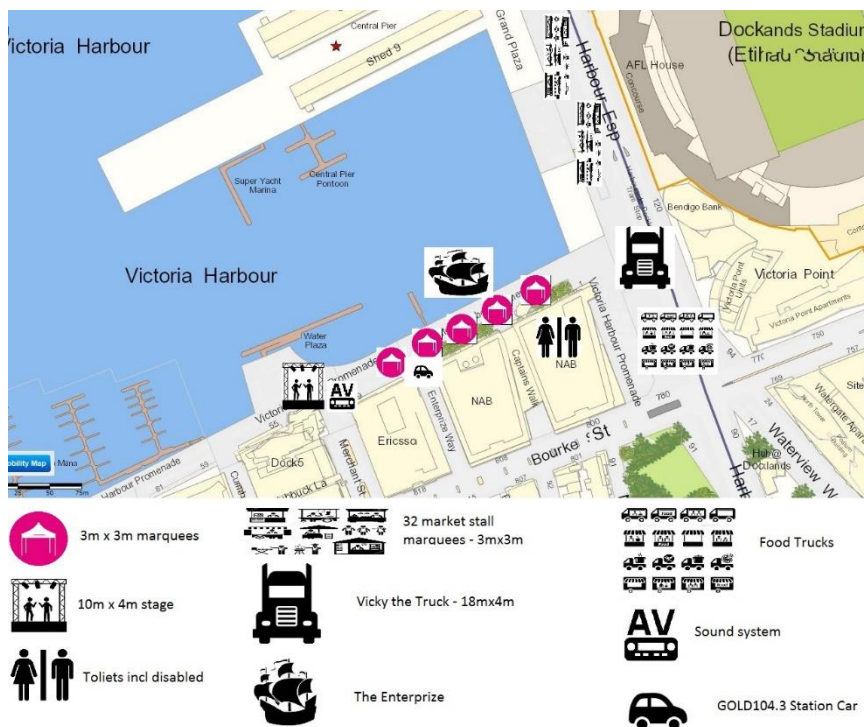
Dear Resident,

We are writing to you to advise that this year the Melbourne Day Committee is planning a Family Festival on August 27<sup>th</sup> to celebrate Melbourne Day. This event will take place in and around Harbour Esplanade and Victoria Harbour Promenade, between 10am and 5pm.

The Family Festival will involve markets, stall holders, children’s entertainment, food trucks and entertainment on a main stage including bands such as The Absolutely 80’s Band, with Brian Mannix, Scott Carne and Ally Fowler, as well as The Wendy Stapleton and Paul Norton Band. Expected numbers are around 10,000 across the course of the day.

Set up for this event will commence at 6am, and we will be bumped out by 7pm. Set up will include marques, staging and food trucks. There will be no disruption to traffic during the event.

In terms of additional noise to the area, a free concert will take place between midday and 3pm. A sound check will be conducted at 10am running for a maximum of one hour. The location of the stage and AV system is outlined on the below site plan. At all time sound levels will be monitored to ensure that it is maintained at an appropriate level not exceeding 72db.



Approximately 10 car parking spaces will be reserved through city of Melbourne for event organisers and performers. These spaces will be reserved within the Merchant St vicinity.

If you have any concerns or queries please don’t hesitate to get in touch with you executive office Sarah Styring on 0408 008 052. Additionally, our Planning and Logistics Officer’s at City of Melbourne is Kelsey Shortridge and she can be contacted on 9658 9729.

We would like to invite you to join us for this free event to celebrate Melbourne and hope to see you there!

Kind regards, The Melbourne Day Committee.