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## Media Release

### Poetry Slam to Help Save Wallum: A Community Voice for Nature

Brunswick Heads is set to come alive with words, passion, and activism at the **Save Wallum Poetry Slam**, happening on 10 October 2024 at the Brunswick Heads Picture House. This unique event invites poets, performers, and environmental advocates from all walks of life to take the stage, using their voices to raise awareness and inspire action for the environment.

#### Event highlights

- **Poetry Slam Competition:** Featuring local and visiting poets delivering powerful, nature-inspired pieces in a competitive format.
- **Hilarious Hosts:** Attendees will be entertained by the hilarious CanD Flotsam and Dr Barbie Galore, lover of margaritas and poetry slams, declaring spoken words as “Everything, darlings, everything!”
- **Special Guest Performers:** Renowned spoken word artists and activists will grace the stage, bringing their expertise and energy to the cause including Daniel “Triple Nip” Pearson and Beth Wakeling aka Beth the Barber.

Proceeds from ticket sales will go directly to supporting the Save Wallum campaign, contributing to the ongoing case in the Federal Court of Australia.

*“Wallum is not just an ecosystem, it’s a symbol of resilience, community, and the importance of standing together to protect what matters. The Poetry Slam is our way of celebrating creativity while continuing the fight to safeguard this unique environment”* says Lisa Sandstrom event organiser and Save Wallum protector.

The Save Wallum campaign has been a community-led movement, protecting the Wallum ecosystem in Brunswick Heads from development that threatens its delicate biodiversity and cultural significance. The poetry slam is a creative and heartfelt way to unite the community in support of this vital cause, while showcasing the power of the arts in environmental activism.

#### Tickets and Information:

Tickets are available now through the **Brunswick Picture House website**

<https://brunswickpicturehouse.com/save-wallum-poetry-slam-10-oct>

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