

Fun Palace: Everyone an Artist, Everyone a Scientist

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Fun Palace?

where energones an artist and energones a scientist.

FUN PALACE

A DAY OF ART AND SCIENCE

Fun Palace at State Library

2015 Event key points

- Over 1300 participants
- Budget for event \$10,000
- \$3,000 marketing budget with \$12,000 free media
- 18 individual activities
- Strong visitor engagement
- Take away products for participants
- No community run programming (that didn't \$\$\$\$)



















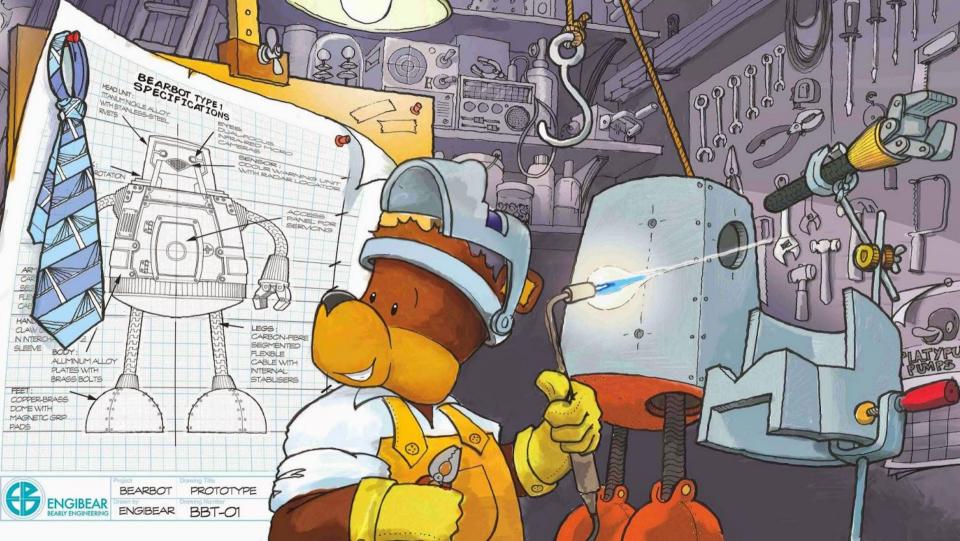
2016

- 1000-1500 participants
- Focus on families in particular 8-12yr old
- Participants to engage in a fun day of activities and exploration for free
- Budget for event \$10,000 including \$3,000 for marketing
- Take away products for participants
- Community run programming
- Other organisations across the state participate

2016

We want our Fun Palace to focus on public engagement and community partnerships around the theme of the global event Fun Palace, with a particular focus on Science and Art









BREATHTAKING DEMONSTRATIONS

Fun Palaces Across Queensland

2015 Grants

- Provided funding for 7 libraries to run a Fun Palace
- Grants between \$2,000 \$8,000
- Provided marketing collateral to use
- Gave guidance with programming and marketing of event



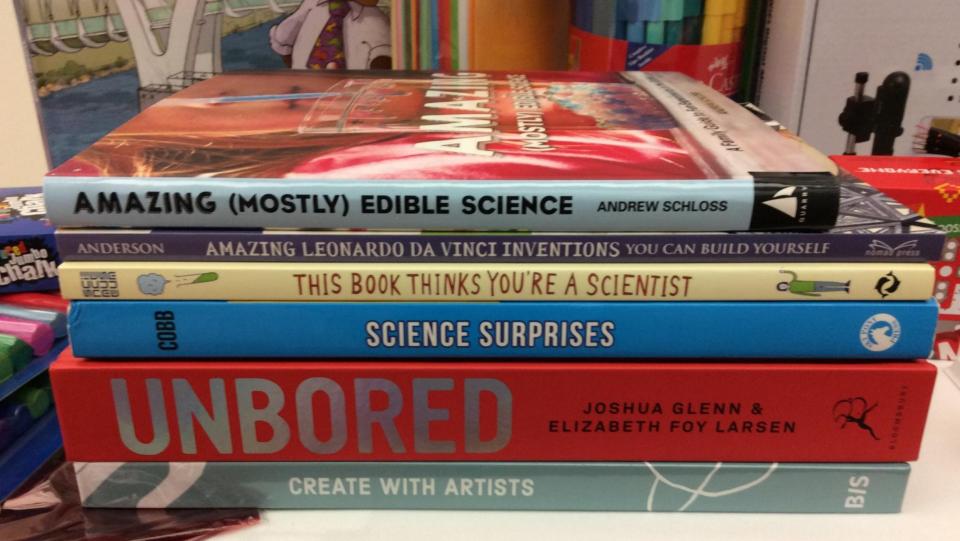




2016 Grants

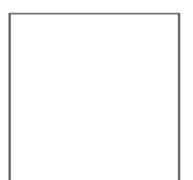
- 30 mystery boxes to the value of \$1,000
- Ideas of how to use the contents of box
- Guidance with programming and marketing of event
- Marketing collateral



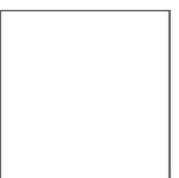


Fun Palaces International Collaboration





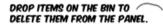








DRAG AND DROP TO MAKE A SEQUENCE







































Fun Palaces Get Involved

Do

- Use your existing connections
- Starting talking about next year now
- Apply for grants or funding
- Use the Fun Palace UK resources
- Use resources developed by SLQ

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