

CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION

Getting started

Construction is expected to commence in the second half of 2017, subject to planning approval, with the redevelopment of Walsh Bay Arts Precinct due for completion in 2019.

A construction management plan will be prepared that outlines how any construction impacts, such as noise and dust will be mitigated.

A phone hotline and email address have been established for the Walsh Bay Arts Precinct.

Bangarra Dance Theatre and Australian Chamber Orchestra



A place for work, pleasure and relaxation

The Walsh Bay Arts Precinct will continue to be a place for performance, cultural production, education and participation, pleasure and relaxation. It will be home to an array of permanent, temporary and pop-up events and activities. A range of commercial events will be also targeted for the Pier 2/3 event space and public domain.

In addition, the Precinct will be activated through more passive activities such as:

- » Outdoor exhibitions and public art
- » Harbour screen outdoor cinema
- » Farmers / artisans markets
- » Talks and tours
- » Artist in residence programs.

As the Precinct moves into operation, management of events and activities in the public domain will be undertaken with the assistance of the Precinct Manager. A calendar of events would be established and those which attract larger numbers of people – like the Sydney Writers' Festival – will be held only a set number of times per year.

This position will include communicating with neighbours about upcoming events and activities, managing a phone hotline for complaints relating to events, and managing other ongoing operational issues within the Precinct.



Sydney Writers' Festival in Walsh Bay (above and right)

