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H2O science show booking out fast

H2O: The Amazing Water Show presented by the Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory (MAGNT) and CSIRO has families flocking to MAGNT.

MAGNT Education Officer Natalie Jenkins said “the school holiday program is an established event and we have been overwhelmed with bookings.”

“Over 300 people came in the first two days and we are already filling up fast for next week,” Ms Jenkins said.

“Our holiday programs attract around a thousand people each year and the CSIRO shows are a perfect family activity for the young as well as the young at heart.

“Twice a year MAGNT and CSIRO provide an entertaining and educational show during the school holiday period.

“Each year has a unique theme and in the past few years we’ve covered volcanoes, natural disasters, lasers and fireworks.”

This year’s school holiday program is all about water and highlights include making water explode with sodium, testing reactivity and splitting water through a range of exciting visual and interactive demonstrations.

“The program also raises awareness of science and allows kids to increase their knowledge in a fun family environment,” said Ms Jenkins.

H2O: The Amazing Water Show will be held in the Museum theatre twice daily at 11am and 1pm weekdays from the 14 – 25 January 2008.

Tickets cost \$3.50 per person and children under 4 are admitted free, bookings are essential and can be made by calling MAGNT on 8999 8264.

Ends

Media Note – for more information contact Natalie Jenkins on 8999 8263

Media Opportunity: There are currently 90 people booked in to today’s 11am show, please contact Natalie to arrange

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