

## Media Release

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### Multicap Star Festival celebrations set to shine

Leading disability services organisation Multicap is set to shine with its Star Festival celebrations on Saturday 18 July 2009 from 9am to 1pm.

Entry is free so come along and enjoy a sausage sizzle, find that perfect something you've been searching for from the Trash 'n' Treasure, plus there are homemade cakes, a book stall and much, much more.

Kuraby team leader Kiri Tupaea said the celebrations were not only fun but they helped increase awareness of Multicap, raise much needed funds for clients and strengthen community links with sponsors.

"Thanks must go to Quest Community Newspapers as well as our many other sponsors and local business for their support, without which the Festival celebrations simply would not be possible", she said.

Multicap chief executive officer, Joanne Jessop said it was wonderful to be able to provide such an inclusive event for the entire community to enjoy that enabled members of the general public and people with multiple disabilities to interact in a fun, positive environment.

"We think all our clients are stars and the Multicap Star Festival is a great way for them to shine along with members of their local community and have fun too!" Ms Jessop said.

"This is the third year of this wonderful event, and details of our Nudgee, Aspley, Kuraby, and Eight Mile Plains celebrations, and smaller events at Petrie, Toowoomba, and Rockhampton being held from 12 to 26 July 2009 can be found at [www.multicap.asn.au](http://www.multicap.asn.au)."

#### **PHOTO OPPORTUNITY**

**WHAT:** Multicap Star Festival

**WHEN:** Saturday 18 July 2009 from 9am

**WHERE:** 1490 Beenleigh Road, Kuraby

Multicap is a leading non profit disability services provider, established in 1962, that provides creative and sustainable support options and services for people with multiple disabilities, and their families and carers in Queensland.

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