

Question on Notice
No. 2164
Asked on 27 October 2010

MR LANGBROEK asked the Premier and Minister for the Arts (MS BLIGH) -

QUESTION:

What activities has the Premier attended in 2009 and 2010 (to date) as a guest of arts organisations in receipt of funding support from the Queensland Government?

ANSWER:

As both Premier of Queensland, and as Minister for the Arts, I receive many invitations to attend, open, close, or officiate at arts events and cultural performances, most of which are funded through the Queensland Government. Events at which I have attended from 1 January 2009 to 18 November 2010 are as follows:

27/03/09	Open China Project, GOMA
16/05/09	La Traviata, Opera Queensland
29/05/09	American Impressionism, GOMA
04/06/09	Board Connect, QPAC
11/06/09	25 Down, Queensland Theatre Company
20/06/09	Gala Paris Opera Ballet, QPAC
24/06/09	La Bayadere, QPAC
22/08/09	Easton Pearson Media Launch, GOMA
22/08/09	Eastern Pearson Opening, GOMA
02/10/09	True Story of Butterfish, Powerhouse
05/10/09	London Philharmonic Orchestra, QPAC
06/11/09	Launch "Left Unsaid", Avid Bookshop
12/11/09	Age of Dinosaurs Dinner, Parliament House
13/11/09	Tree of Knowledge, State Library
13/11/09	Awards Gallery and Museum, Queensland Museum
24/11/09	Artisan Xmas Party, 381 Brunswick Street
01/12/09	Hassell Exhibition and Auction, Warry Street, Fortitude Valley
04/12/09	Media Launch APT6, GOMA
04/12/09	Open APT6, GOMA
23/02/10	Queensland Arts and Cultural Sector Plan, Parliament House
26/02/10	The Edge Opening, State Library
02/03/10	20th Anniversary Queensland Writers Centre, State Library
06/03/10	Nigel Kennedy Concert, QPAC
31/03/10	Media Launch Hats Anthology, QAG
31/03/10	Open Hats Anthology, QAG
07/05/10	Open Ron Mueck, GOMA
15/05/10	Elixir of Love, Opera Queensland
20/05/10	Mercedes Benz Fashion launch, South Bank
25/05/10	Artisan Store launch, South Bank
19/06/10	Academy of St Martin, QPAC
16/07/10	Grant McLennan Award, State Library
22/07/10	Media Dinner Cuban Ambassador – Cuban Ballet, QPAC
23/07/10	QSO Maestro 6 Concert, QPAC

30/07/10 William Barton Concert, Australian Festival of Chamber Music,
Townsville
30/07/10 Open Australian Festival of Chamber Music, Townsville
06/08/10 Valentino Opening, GOMA
13/08/10 Channel 7 Valentino Cocktail, GOMA
13/08/10 Swan Lake, Queensland Ballet
19/08/10 Opening of Cairns Indigenous Art Fair
27/08/10 Queensland National New Media, GOMA
01/09/10 Brisbane Writers Festival, State Library
04/09/10 National Carriage Factory Cobb& Co, Toowoomba
08/09/10 Big Sound Music Conference, JWC Fortitude Valley
09/09/10 ABAF Awards, Powerhouse
10/09/10 Westenders Photo Exhibition, South Bank
14/09/10 Danza Contemporania de Cuba, QPAC
24/09/10 Ballet Nacional de Cuba, QPAC
18/11/10 Scott Redford Exhibition, QAG