



PITTWATER COUNCIL

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TITLE:	OPEN AIR CINEMA EVENTS ON COUNCIL CONTROLLED LAND
STRATEGY:	Building Communities Recreation Management
BUSINESS UNIT:	Reserves, Recreation & Building Services
RELEVANT LEGISLATION:	Protection of the Environment Operations (Noise Control) Regulation 2000
RELATED POLICIES:	None

Objective

To make available suitable areas of recreational open space for a wide variety of activities and events, including open air cinemas.

To facilitate the operation of open air cinemas and like events to provide a greater choice of entertainment for the whole community.

To ensure that open air cinema events are conducted to industry best practice standards.

Policy Statement

Pittwater Council, through its network of recreational open space, is committed to offering suitable venues for a diversity of social, cultural and recreational activities and events for the whole community.

Open air cinema events provide a distinctive entertainment experience that enhances social interaction, particularly for families, whilst being compatible with the outdoor lifestyle of the Pittwater community.

Conditions of Operation

- Open air cinema events will have either a 'G', 'PG' or 'M' rating. No films with ratings of 'MA' or 'R' will be permitted. 'M' rated movies to only be shown after 8.00pm.
- That major commercial new release motion pictures be restricted from being shown on Council controlled public reserves for the first six weeks after their Australian release date.
- Open air cinema events will be conducted in strict accordance with the provisions of the conditions set down in the relevant legislation and plans of management.
- All Councillors and the Senior Management Team will be advised of open air cinema event bookings prior to final approval being granted.

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