You're invited to host a creative event to celebrate the natural world

RONA18 - Rights of Nature Australia 2018



RONA18 is a national arts celebration, organised by the Australian Earth Laws Alliance.

RONA18 promotes cultural engagement with the emerging, global, <u>Rights of Nature</u> movement, and focusses on the Rights of Nature Australia (RONA) Peoples Tribunal, which is being held on Saturday 27th October 2018 in Brisbane. Read more about the RONA 2018 Peoples Tribunal.

Wherever you live in Australia, you can get involved: host an arts event, exhibition, community gathering or creative conversation, to celebrate the rights of the living world to exist, thrive and evolve.

How can you participate?

Organise a creative response to the Rights of Nature in your community in the lead up to the Rights of Nature Tribunal in October. Read about the THEMES of RONA18 on the Earth Arts website, and create:

- an EXHIBITION of visual works,
- a PERFORMANCE of music, spoken word, a play or storytelling session,
- a PARTICPATORY ACTIVITY such as community gardening, walking tour or a 'curated' conversation at a dinner party or BBQ ...

or any other event that you want to organise, to celebrate the living world.

If you are already working on a project that supports the Rights of Nature, AELA would love to include your work in the RONA18 program and promote your work to our network.

When you register your event or activity, AELA will provide:

- promotional support for your event on the Earth Arts website and through e-newsletters, publications and social media
- updates about the 2018 Rights of Nature Australia (RONA) Peoples Tribunal
- information about the Rights of Nature movement globally, and in Australia
- support from an Earth Arts Curator to help you with:
 - information to help you design and develop your event
 - connecting with other people who have expressed interested in participating in local events
 - ideas for different ways to blend the creative re-interpretation of environmental governance with cultural responses to the rights of the natural world to exist, thrive and evolve.

If you schedule your gathering on or to include Saturday 27th October you can livestream the Tribunal proceedings at your event.

To find out more and register visit **www.eartharts.org.au** or email <u>creative@earthlaws.org.au</u> Please note: all events endorsed by AELA for RONA18 must be self-hosted and self-funded

