



**Ministerial Diary<sup>1</sup>**  
**Minister for the Environment and Tourism and**  
**Minister for Science and Innovation**  
**Acting Minister for Sport and Racing**  
**Acting Minister for the Olympic and Paralympic Games**  
**(Acting from 22 May 2026)**  
**The Hon Andrew Powell MP**  
**1 May 2026 – 31 May 2026**

<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>Name of Organisation/s or Person/s</b>	<b>Purpose of Meeting</b>
1 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
1 May 2026	Lachlan Brown, Chairman, and Board Members – Woodfordia Inc Board; Amanda Jackes, Managing Director and Co-founder – Woodfordia; invited guests	The Planting Festival
2 May 2026	Cr Pete Fornasier – Flinders Shire Council; Daniel Gschwind, Professor of Practice for the Griffith Institute for Tourism – Griffith University	Site Visit: Porcupine Gorge National Park
2 May 2026	Mrs Janelle Poole MP – Assistant Minister for Community Safety, Defence Industry, Veterans and North Queensland; Cr Kate Peddle, Mayor, Councillors and Kylie Davies, CEO – Flinders Shire Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
2 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Site Visit: Flinders Discovery Centre
2 May 2026	Mrs Janelle Poole MP – Assistant Minister for Community Safety, Defence Industry, Veterans and North Queensland; Cr Kate Peddle, Mayor –	Festival of Outback Skies – Dinner Under the Stars

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<sup>1</sup> Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

	Flinders Shire Council; Ministerial staff; invited guests	
5 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
5 May 2026	Director-General (DG – Department of the Environment, Tourism, Science and Innovation (DETSI))	Portfolio Matters
5 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
5 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Department staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
5 May 2026	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
6 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
6 May 2026	Natassia Wheeler, CEO – Queensland Tourism Industry Council (QTIC); DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff; invited guests	QTIC Conversation with Queensland Tourism Future Mentees
6 May 2026	Members of the Koala Ministerial Advisory Council; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Koala Ministerial Advisory Council Meeting
6 May 2026	Toby Hutcheon, Queensland Campaign Manager – Boomerang Alliance; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2026	Emma Whitehead, CEO, and staff – RSPCA Qld; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
6 May 2026	Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Craig Davidson, CEO – Tourism and Events Queensland (TEQ); Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	QTIC Young Tourism Leaders Program Launch
7 May 2026	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Glen Lee, Operations Manager – BMC NQ Fabrication; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
7 May 2026	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Janet Hamilton, General Manager – Cairns Convention Centre; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
7 May 2026	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; David Nye, Head of Partnerships – Cairns Airport; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
8 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
11 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
11 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting

11 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
11 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
11 May 2026	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
11 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2026	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting Day
12 May 2026	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; The Hon Brent Mickelberg MP – Minister for Transport and Main Roads; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2026	Kim Parascos, Gold Chapter Chair, and Members – YPO Gold Queensland; Barry O’Sullivan, Chair, and Members – YPO; Ministerial staff	YPO Queensland Gold Queensland Joint Executive Meeting
12 May 2026	Professor Kerrie Wilson – Queensland Chief Scientist; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2026	Bernie Hogan, CEO, and Paul Keene, Policy & Government Relations – Queensland Hotel Association; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2026	James Purtill – Queensland Mine Rehabilitation Commissioner; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
12 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 May 2026	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting Day
13 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
13 May 2026	Cr Shaun Radnedge, Mayor, and Bruce Scott, CEO – Murweh Shire Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 May 2026	Mr John Barounis MP – Member for Maryborough; Ministerial staff	Portfolio matters
13 May 2026	The Hon Pat Weir MP – Member for Condamine; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 May 2026	Grant Bollaert, Company Founder and COO, Jamie Roodenrys, General Manager Strategic Partnerships – Wildfire Energy; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
13 May 2026	Members of Parliament; Calvin Yu, President – Buddhist Council of Queensland; invited guests	Vesak Buddha Day
14 May 2026	Members of Parliament	Parliamentary Sitting Day
14 May 2026	Cr Rosanna Natoli, Mayor – Sunshine Coast Council	Portfolio Matters

14 May 2026	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 May 2026	John Cotter, Deputy Chair, Jane Paterson, Corporate Affairs – Sunwater; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 May 2026	The Hon Amanda Stoker MP – Member for Oodgeroo; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
14 May 2026	Members of the Committee of the Legislative Assembly (CLA)	CLA Meeting
14 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
14 May 2026	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; Andrew Trim OLY, President, Kim Craine, CEO, Richard Fox MBE, Executive GM – Paddle Australia; Jessica Fox OLY, Slalom Canoeist; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 May 2026	Her Excellency Dr Jeanette Young; Major Mark Everitt, Divisional Commander QLD – The Salvation Army; invited guests	The Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal Breakfast
15 May 2026	Jess Caire, Executive Director – Property Council of Australia (Queensland); Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
15 May 2026	The Hon Kate Jones – Australian Rugby League Commissioner; Craig Davidson, CEO – TEQ; DG – DETSI; DG – Department of Trade, Employment and Training; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	2026 NRL Tech Showcase
15 May 2026	Peter V'Landys, Chair – Australian Rugby League Commission; Andrew Abdo, CEO – NRL; invited guests	NRL Magic Round Day 1
18 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
18 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 May 2026	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
18 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
18 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
19 May 2026	Anthony Gough, Acting Director, and staff – Queensland Conservation Council; David Arthur – Wide Bay Burnett Environment Council; Sophie George – Capricorn Conservation	Minister's Environment Roundtable Meeting

	Council; Ahri Tallon – Darling Downs Environment Council; Bronwyn Opie and representatives – Cairns and Far North Environment Centre; Sara Hicks – Gecko Environment Council; Crystal Falknau – North Queensland Conservation Council; Flynn O’Hallahan – Gladstone Conservation Council; Lisa Malcolm – Sunshine Coast Environment Council; Emma Barrett – Mackay Conservation Group; DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	
20 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
20 May 2026	Her Excellency the Honourable Dr Jeanette Young AC PSM – Governor of Queensland and joint patron of National Trust of Australian (Queensland) (NTAQ); Professor Graeme Nimmo – joint patron of NTAQ; Mr Mark Townend, President, Board Members, Jayme Cuttriss, CEO – NTAQ; Ministerial staff; invited guests	National Trust Qld Heritage Awards 2026
20 May 2026	The Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP – Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations; The Hon Steve Minnikin MP – Minister for Customer Services and Open Data and Minister for Small and Family Business; The Hon Dan Purdie MP – Minister for Police and Emergency Services; Bernie Hogan, CEO, and other representatives – Queensland Hotels Association; Ministerial staff; invited guests	QHA Dinner
21 May 2026	Cabinet Budget Review Committee (CBRC) Members	CBRC Meeting
21 May 2026	Her Excellency the Hon Dr Jeanette Young AC PSM – Governor of Queensland; Executive Council Member	Executive Council Meeting
21 May 2026	Corey Rattaray-Wood, General Manager – Mulpha Events; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Sanctuary Cove Boat Show
21 May 2026	Mr Hermann Vorster MP – Member for Burleigh; Gary Scott – Tallebudgera Creek Conservation Park; Patrick Barbrant – Friends of David Fleay Conservation Park, and volunteers; Jess Lovegrove-Walsh – Friends of Parks Queensland; Queensland Parks and Wildlife Service Rangers; Ministerial staff	Site Visit: Tallebudgera Conservation Park

21 May 2026	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier and Minister for Veterans	Portfolio Matters
21 May 2026	Andrew Liveris AO, President – Brisbane 2032 Organising Committee for the Olympic and Paralympic Games (OCOG)	Portfolio Matters
<i>Acting Minister for Sports and Racing and Acting Minister for Olympic and Paralympic Games from 22 May 2026</i>		
22 May 2026	Mr Tim Mander MP – Member for Everton	Portfolio Matters
22 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
22 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
22 May 2026	Cr Peter Flannery, Mayor – City of Moreton Bay	Portfolio Matters
22 May 2026	Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Mr David Kempton MP – Member for Cook; Cr Lisa Scomazzon, Mayor – Douglas Shire Council; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Macrossan Street Parade
22 May 2026	Mr David Kempton MP – Member for Cook; Ms Bree James MP – Assistant Minister for Tourism, Early Learning, Creative Industries and Far North Queensland; Cr Lisa Scomazzon, Mayor – Douglas Shire Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
24 May 2026	Heather Lawrence, Director of Sports Operations – CrossFit Games; invited guests	Torian Pro Final and Awards Ceremony
25 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
25 May 2026	The Hon Dale Last MP – Minister for Natural Resources and Mines, Minister for Manufacturing and Minister for Regional and Rural Development; Kate Dickson, National Head of Operations and Queensland Director – AMEC; Mark Imber, Manager Environment, Communities and Tenements – Metro Mining; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 May 2026	DG – DETSI; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
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25 May 2026	DG – Department of Sport, Racing and Olympic and Paralympic Games; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 May 2026	The Hon David Crisafulli MP – Premier of Queensland and Minister for Veterans; Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet Meeting
25 May 2026	Cr Tracy Davis, Chair for Environment, Parks and Sustainability Committee – Brisbane City Council; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
25 May 2026	Mr ISHIKAWA Katsutoshi – Consul-General of Japan; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Dinner with Consul-General of Japan
26 May 2026	Cr Krista Adams – Brisbane City Council; Mr Reatau Rau – Consul-General of Papua New Guinea; James Cooper, Chairman, and Board Members – BNE Enterprise; Natassia Wheeler, CEO – QTIC; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Brisbane Enterprise Business Breakfast
26 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
26 May 2026	John Buchanan, Founder – Buchanan Success Coaching Pty Ltd; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 May 2026	Dr Lissa Schindler, Great Barrier Reef Campaign Manager, Dr Maximilian Herschfield, Great Barrier Reef Water Quality Manager – Australia Marine Conservation Society; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 May 2026	Robert Law, Head of Corporate Affairs – Tata Consultancy Services; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 May 2026	DG – Department of Sport, Racing and Olympic and Paralympic Games; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
26 May 2026	Cabinet Budget Review Committee (CBRC) Members	CBRC Meeting
27 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting
27 May 2026	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff	Site Visit: Eungella National Park
27 May 2026	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Ministerial staff	Site Visit: Broken River Kiosk
27 May 2026	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Eungella and Pioneer Valley Tourism Strategic Advisory Committee Members; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
27 May 2026	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Cr Greg Williamson, Mayor – Mackay Regional Council; Ministerial staff	Site Visit: Finch Hatton Mountain Bike Trail
27 May 2026	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Michael Harris – Pioneer Valley Development Co; Ministerial staff	Site Visit: Pioneer Valley Outdoor Tourism Hub

27 May 2026	Paul Smith, Principal Consultant – Pandanus Environmental	Portfolio Matters
27 May 2026	Mr Glen Kelly MP – Member for Mirani; Pat Haughton, Chair – St Lawrence Wetlands Committee; Dr Rolf Schlagloth, CEO – Koala Territory Foundation; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
28 May 2026	Mr Nigel Dalton MP – Member for Mackay; Cr Greg Williamson, Mayor – Mackay Regional Council; Departmental staff; Ministerial staff; invited guests	Tech Verg Summit – Day 1
28 May 2026	Mr Nigel Dalton MP – Member for Mackay; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
28 May 2026	The Hon Amanda Camm MP – Minister for Families, Seniors and Disability Services and Minister for Child Safety and the Prevention of Domestic and Family Violence; Ministerial staff	Portfolio Matters
28 May 2026	Andrew Liveris AO, President – OCOG	Portfolio Matters
29 May 2026	Ministerial staff	Staff Meeting

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