

CAIRNS Magistrates Court

Callovers	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Arrest Court 09:30am	Daily in Court 1											
Domestic Violence Civil Applications 09:00am	Every Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday (Excluding Public Holidays)											
Domestic Violence Civil Applications Hearings 09:00am	Every Thursday (Excluding Public Holidays)											
Childrens Court 09:00am	First Appearances every Wednesday Tuesday, Thursday & Friday as listed by Childrens Court Magistrate (Excluding Public Holidays)											
Child Protection Applications 09:00am	Every Thursday (Excluding Public Holidays)											
Video Court 09:00am	Every Monday (Excluding Public Holidays)											
Hearing/Committal Callover NLR - 09:00am ATSILS - 10:00am Other Legal - 11:00am	Every Friday (Excluding Public Holidays)											

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Court practice notes:

Arrest court: Court 1 daily at 9:30am and 2.15pm; Saturdays and Public holidays at 8.30am (for defendants in custody only).

Domestic Violence Court: Tuesday and Friday - first mentions of DFV applications; Wednesday - subsequent mentions. Thursday – hearings (as listed by DFV Court Magistrate).

Childrens Court: Wednesday - first appearances. Tuesday - long pleas/videolink mentions for ASTILS clients. Thursday - long plea/videolink for clients of other legal reps. Friday - subsequent mentions (as listed by Childrens Court Magistrate).

Child Protection Callover: Thursday – mentions of applications for CPOs.

Video Court callover: Monday - appearances by defendants in custody (mentions/short pleas).

Hearing/Committal callover: Friday - mentions and directions for contested summary offences and indictable charges. 9:00am: non-legally represented defendants, 10:00am: ATSILS, 11am: other legal representatives.

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Civil Applications 09:00am	23	20	19	16	28	18	16	20	17	15	19	17
Commonwealth Callover 09:00am	24	21	20	24	29	19	17	21	18	16	20	18
Qld Corrective Services Callover 10:00am	11 25	8 22	7 21	4 18	2 16 30	13 27	11 25	8 22	5 19	3 17 31	14 28	12
CourtLink Callover 09:00am	11 25	8 22	7 21	4 18	2 16 30	13 27	11 25	8 22	5 19	3 17 31	14 28	12
Mental Health Callover 10:00am	24	21	20	24	29	19	17	21	18	16	20	18
Miscellaneous Callover 09:00am	-	1 29	28	26	30	20	18	15	12	10	7	5

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Civil Application: mentions of Magistrates Court civil applications (NOT QCAT): monthly at 9:00am.
Commonwealth Callover: CDPP prosecutions – mentions/short sentences: monthly at 9:00am

QCS Callover: Mentions/short sentences for applications/ breaches of orders supervised by QCS (commenced by complaint & summons) or as adjourned to the callover: twice per month at 10am.

Courtlink callover: Mentions of matters proceeding through Courtlink program: Twice per month at 9am (followed by QCS callover).

Mental Health: Mentions of matters proceeding to Mental Health Court, or if MH assessments pending: monthly at 10:00am.

Miscellaneous Callover: Mentions of various matters e.g. prosecutions by State Govt Departments and Instrumentalities (other than Traffic or Transport matters), Peace and Good Behaviour complaints: monthly at 9am.

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Murri Court 09:00am	19	2 16	1 15	5 19	3 17 31	14 28	12 26	9 23	6 20	4 18	1 15 29	13
Traffic/Licence Appeals & Applications 09:00am	18	15	14	11	9	6	4	1 29	26	24	21	19
Queensland Civil & Administrative Tribunal (QCAT) 10:00am	8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	4 11 18 25	8 15 22 29	13 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16
QCAT – Minor Civil Disputes 02:15 pm	19	9	8	5	3	7	5	2	6	4	8	6
QCAT – Minor Civil Disputes 09:00am	19	9	8	5	3	7	5	2	6	4	8	6
S.651 Callover 09:00am	-	-	22	-	-	17	-	-	16	-	-	2

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Murri Court: Mentions of matters proceeding through Murri Court: Alternate Fridays, at 9:00am for Youth Murri Court, 10am for Adult Murri Court.

Traffic/Licence: Mentions of speeding/traffic charges and applications for special hardship orders/applications for removal of disqualification: monthly with traffic matters at 9am and licence applications at 10. (N.B. This excludes restricted licence (s.87) applications which are heard every Tuesday at 9am as listed by a Magistrate)

QCAT: QCAT non-urgent residential tenancy matters are 10:00am every Monday. QCAT minor civil disputes are 2:15pm every Monday (as listed by a Magistrate) & 9:00am one Friday per month.

S651 Callover: Every 3 months at 9:00am