



**Thursday 20 July 2023**

# WRRRA TOUR OF THE INCINERATOR

Our Host – Ipswich Little Theatre



## *About the Tour*

### THE INCINERATOR

is the only Burley Griffin designed building in Qld. In Queens Park Ipswich, It is now the home of Ipswich Little Theatre Society. Our editor Ian Pullar and his wife Helen have been active members of ILT for 56 years.

On Thursday 20 July, Ipswich Little Theatre will host a tour by WRRRA members and friends to the Incinerator. Guests who will arrive around noon will be served a delicious home-cooked two course luncheon in the licensed courtyard. They will be taken into the Theatre itself where an illustrated talk will be delivered explaining how there came to be this beautiful building in Ipswich, how it operated as an incinerator before it was to be demolished, how it was saved and converted to a theatre and how it has operated as the hub of a vigorous Theatre Society for more than fifty years.

The visitors will also view a short, ten-minute play (written by Ian) to remind them that have come to a theatre and not a restaurant. Visitors will also have the opportunity to be shown through the building to gain a better understanding of how it operated as an incinerator and how it operates as a theatre. After a stay of around 2½ hours, they will depart agreeing, like the 150 previous tour groups, that “this was one of the best one-day tours ever.”

**And all this for a ridiculously paltry \$25 per person.**

In late June, a ‘Flyer’ will be circulated to all members with further information on how to get there and how to pay.

