



Bábbarra Women's Centre artists and managers travelled to France during September and October to open their exhibition titled 'Jarracharra' which has been showcased to the world. Photo credit: Ingrid Johanson.

## MANINGRIDA ARTISTS VISIT PARIS

Five artists and two managers from Bábbarra Women's Centre in Maningrida travelled to France to open their exhibition titled 'Jarracharra' at the Australian Embassy in September and October.

The team travelled a great distance to get to Paris, where they spent three weeks meeting with fashion designers, fashion houses and other people in the design and art world in Europe.

*"Meeting with fashion designers, fashion houses and other people in the design and art world.."*

The Jarracharra exhibition was opened on October 3 with a huge audience from



The Bábbarra artists enjoying the tourist sites around Paris during their recent visit. Photo credit: Ingrid Johanson.

France as well as international attendees. The name means 'dry season wind' in the local Burarra language.

Bábbarra's Manager Ingrid Johanson and Assistant Manager Jessica Phillips curated the show.

In addition to the exhibition,

the artists participated in interviews for international media, hosted a round table panel talk at Musée Quai Branly, visited French fashion boutiques and met with designers in Paris. They also had the opportunity to undertake tourist activities including riding a boat on the Siene, visiting Lascaux caves and even going to the top of the Eiffel Tower.

Bábbarra Women's Centre artist Janet Marawarr said the experience was incredible.

"I loved the restaurants in Paris, the trains, that tower. We took a boat on the river and just walking around seeing that place - the parks were beautiful, and the hotel too. We was eating snail - they tasted like our sea snails, the same as the ones we eat in Maningrida. In Maningrida we call them nonda and they live in the saltwater," Janet said.

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# NDIS CONNECTOR PROGRAM

West Arnhem Regional Council (WARC) Community Care have transitioned across to the National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) to continue to support disability clients and families in the West Arnhem region.

WARC staff across the four communities of Kakadu, Gunbalanya, Waruwi and Minjilang, have been trained to be NDIS connectors.

Staff will be working across both Aged Care and Disability programs and when people want help understanding NDIS, the staff will be able to assist as the NDIS

Connectors.

Staff can assist by visiting clients and families in community, transport clients to general areas for appointments, encourage and assist people who have an identified need to seek assistance with NDIS, assist with the application forms and liaise with the clinics, NDIS planners and coordinators.

They will also promote NDIS within the community.

West Arnhem Regional Council hopes the communities will welcome the staff in their purple shirts while they are being community connectors.



West Arnhem Regional Council staff from Kakadu Community Care Karen Bulliwana, Rosie Wood, Marcia Brennan and Jaylene Nadjamerrek wearing the NDIS Community Connector shirts.

## WEST ARNHAM CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARDS OPEN

Nominations for the 2020 Australia Day Citizen of the Year Awards for West Arnhem Regional Council (WARC) are open and we need your help to give our community's best the recognition they deserve.

WARC is looking for someone who makes a difference in our communities including Jabiru, Gunbalanya, Maningrida, Waruwi and Minjilang.

*"Someone who contributes to our community and inspires those around them.."*

The Citizen of the Year Awards are a great opportunity to recognise those who go above and beyond for their community - someone



who contributes to our community and inspires those around them. They could be quiet achievers, community members or unknown heroes.

The community event of the year award recognises and encourages the significant contribution local organisations/groups make to community life and promotes national pride and community responsibility.

The Awards rely on members of the public to nominate, so we encourage you to consider putting someone forward in your

networks for the 2020 Awards.

Your nominee could be recognised in one of our three categories:

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year (16 to 30 years)
- Community Event of the Year

Nominating someone and highlighting the work they do can mean the world to a person and it is easy to do. Just tell us who they are, what they've achieved and why you'd like to see them recognised.

Nomination forms are available at any WARC Council office or please call 8979 9465 or email [info@westarnhem.nt.gov.au](mailto:info@westarnhem.nt.gov.au). Nominations close 29 November 2019.

The award winners will be announced during the Australia Day celebrations in each respective community.



The West Arnhem Wire acknowledges the traditional owners of country and their continuing connection to land, waters and community. We pay our respects to them and their cultures, and to elders, past, present and future.

The Wire is the only regular source of news and information in the Kakadu and West Arnhem Land region. More than 700 copies are distributed fortnightly to Jabiru, Waruwi, Minjilang, Maningrida and Gunbalanya.

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## SEALING ARNHAM LAND ROADS

The Chief Minister has announced that the NT Government will invest \$45 million into sealing the Central Arnhem Road, the major access road from central to Northeast Arnhem Land.

Sealing the road, and making it more accessible for more of the year will mean more long-term investment into the region and create jobs in industries Traditional Owners want to pursue including tourism, space and primary industries like forestry, fisheries and aquaculture going forward.

The total \$225 million will mean around half of this important bush highway will be sealed, meaning better access for residents in communities like Nhulunbuy, Gapuwiyak and Bulman.

Most of the Territory Government's investment will be delivered by dry season 2021, with an early works package to be delivered in the dry season 2020.



# GUNBALANYA SUPPORTS HEALTH INITIATIVE

The importance of skin health was put in the spotlight with a very successful 'healthy skin, healthy community' initiative taking place in Gunbalanya over the last two weeks.

With the overall goal to promote health and wellbeing in Gunbalanya, the whole-of-community initiative involved a great number of agencies delivering different components including health promotions, health checks at the Clinic, door-to-door education, a community clean up, a tidy home and garden competition and more.

The agencies involved were Gunbalanya Health Centre, West Arnhem Regional Council, One Disease Mob, Intract, Gunbalanya Community School, Red Lily Health Board, Safer Communities for Children, ALPA, CDP and Community Care.

Throughout the week, health workers from the various agencies went around visiting residents and stakeholders in the community to raise awareness about the importance of skin care, crusted scabies and overall skin health as well as providing free bags of goodies.

Asher Badari of the Gunbalanya Health Centre said it is very important for people of all ages to know how to identify skin abnormalities and to regularly perform check-ups on each other.

Linking healthy skin with a healthy community, residents were also

encouraged to clean their home and garden with an exciting competition and great prizes thanks to West Arnhem Regional Council.

This competition was judged by Member for Arafura Lawrence Costa MLA with community member Paulette announced as the winner at a huge community celebration with bush tucker, music and more.

West Arnhem Regional Council also supported the week by providing extra hard rubbish runs, skip bins and removing abandoned car bodies from around the community.

A huge congratulations to all involved in making the initiative a great success.



Paulette (left) was the winner of the community's tidiest home competition. This was judged by Member for Arafura Lawrence Costa MLA. Great work Paulette!



Red Lily Health Board team members Jason Mitchell and Patricia Miller involved in health skin week in Gunbalanya.



Asher from Gunbalanya Health Centre chatting about the importance of skin health with the Aged Care clients.



The students and staff of Gunbalanya Community School did a wonderful job picking up rubbish around the community during healthy skin week on Thursday.



The WARC works crew in Gunbalanya doing a great job removing abandoned car bodies from around the community.



Please join us for

**Remembrance**

**Day**

**MONDAY**

**11 NOVEMBER 2019**

**Please join the Remote Indigenous Army Cadet Unit 72 and staff and students of Jabiru Area School for a Remembrance Day Ceremony.**

**Time: 11am**

**Venue: New MPA- Jabiru School**

**Contact school on 89383333 for further information**



**REMEMBRANCE DAY**  
*Left We Forget*

## WHAT'S ON

If you have an upcoming event you would like to see listed in this space please phone the Wire on 8979 9465 or email [wire@westarnhem.nt.gov.au](mailto:wire@westarnhem.nt.gov.au).



Registrations are open for the 2019 Jabiru Community Children's Christmas Party on Saturday, December 7.

## WEEKLY

### Monday

Capoeira Mums and Bubs Class, Community Hall 11am  
Capoeira Children and Adults, Community Hall 5.30pm  
NT Fire & Emergency Training, Fire Station 6pm  
Kakadu Deadly Runners Training, 6pm

### Tuesdays

Playgroup, Jabiru Courthouse 9.30-11am  
Jabiru Firey's Fitness Training: 5.30pm  
Jabiru Art & Craft, Town Hall 7.30pm  
Aqua Fitness, Alberto Luglietti Memorial Pool 6.15pm

### Wednesdays

Skins Golf: Jabiru Golf Club, 4.30pm  
Underwater Hockey: Jabiru Pool, 5pm  
Kakadu Deadly Runners Training, 6pm  
Social Soccer, Magela Oval 6pm

### Thursdays

Story Time, Jabiru Library 10.30am  
Jabiru Firey's Fitness Training 5.30pm  
Aqua Fitness, Alberto Luglietti Memorial Pool 6.15pm  
Membership Draw, JSSC 7.30pm  
Jackpot Joker Draw, Jabiru Golf Club 7.30pm

### Fridays

Jabiru Golf Club raffles & Members Draw, Jabiru Golf Club, 7pm  
Pool comp \$10 entry, winner takes all Jabiru Golf Club, 7pm

### Sundays

Jabiru Firey's Fitness Training 5.30pm

## NOVEMBER

**Mon 11** Remembrance Day

**Wed 13** WARC Ordinary Council Meeting, Jabiru

**Tue 26** Jabiru Playgroup Christmas Party

**Sat 30** Christmas Market, 4pm Jabiru Golf Club

## DECEMBER

**Sat 7** Jabiru Children's Christmas Party, Jabiru

## NOMINATE A YOUNG ACHIEVER

Nominations are only open for one more month, so make sure you start it today. Give thanks and recognition where thanks are needed – to our young leaders.

The Awards applaud the leadership, vision, excellence and commitment of young people under 29, whilst highlighting their efforts and success.

Nominate in one or more of the following:

- Charles Darwin University Innovation Award
- Colemans Contracting & Earthmoving Agriculture Award
- ConocoPhillips Environment Award
- Genesee & Wyoming Australia Indigenous Achievement Award
- Glencore McArthur River Mining Regional and Rural Initiative Award

• McDonalds NT Career Achievement Award

• NT Government Excellence in Youth Leadership Award

• NT Government Small Business Achievement Award

• NT Government Young Aboriginal Educator Award

• NT Government Young Carers Award

• Somerville Community Service Award

• Zip Print Sport Award

Nominations close Tuesday 3rd December 2019.

To assist the category winners in achieving their goals, they will receive \$2,000 and a trophy, courtesy of founding partner TIO. For further information visit [www.youngachieverawards.com](http://www.youngachieverawards.com) or email [ntyaa@awardsaustralia.com](mailto:ntyaa@awardsaustralia.com)

## NEW WHEEL LOADER FOR MANINGRIDA

West Arnhem Regional Council has recently purchased and taken delivery of a new 5-tonne wheel loader (pictured right) for the Maningrida community.

Specifically, the new machinery will be used to manage the transfer station sorting bays at the Maningrida landfill which will improve the overall waste management and litter reduction services of the site.

*"Management of these sorting bays is critical to increasing sustainability.."*

Management of these sorting bays is critical to increasing sustainability of the site, a requirement of the EPA and a further step toward the licensing



the Landfill which requires EPA approval.

The machinery will also be utilised around the Maningrida community itself and will help with efficient litter abatement to reduce dog control problems and carrying out disaster mitigation strategies (clean ups).

As well as this, the machinery will increase employment and training opportunities for West Arnhem Regional Council

employees in Certificate II and Certificate III in Waste Management Operations.

WARC will use the machinery to manage the sorting bays at the Maningrida Landfill on a trial basis, with the strategic goal to obtain machinery to carry out similar work at to the Jabiru and Gunbalanya landfill sites.

The wheel loader was purchased using Council's Capital Reserve funds.

## COMMUNITY MESSAGE FROM JABIRU POLICE

With the onset of the Xmas period upon us and you are intending to be out of town over this period leaving your property vacant, please head to the Police station on any Thursday between the hours of 7am and 3pm and have your property listed on the 'absentee owner's' register.

This will ensure we conduct patrols of your house over the period to ensure everything is safe and secure.

In addition, if you are staying in town

and know your neighbours are leaving over the period, offer to also keep an eye on their premises.

A final reminder, if you reside in the Territory and own a vehicle which is registered interstate, you must have the registration changed as per section 33(5)(c) of the Traffic Act 1987, within 28 days of the vehicle being in territory.

We will be conducting enforcement of interstate vehicles in the near future.



# HALLOWEEN TRICK OR TREAT AT MANINGRIDA

The young people in Maningrida got dressed up all spooky to celebrate Halloween on Thursday, 31 October.

The festivities took place at the Maningrida pool after school, where there was lots of face painting with plenty of jokers, clowns, Army soldiers and skeletons.

In true build-up season style, it was a hot and sweaty afternoon so there was also a lot of reapplying of the face paint.

As dusk fell, the participants headed out around Maningrida

with about 30 young people to humbug everyone for tricks or treats.

The kids were over the moon with the loot they took home, and maybe a tad too excited, running door to door yelling out to everyone.

To finish the night off with a disco at the pool to wear everyone out!

Overall, it was a really fun night and Maningrida community showed great support in this activity for the youth.



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## Position Vacancy: Spigelia Weed Management Operator

### About the Role

WorkPac are currently seeking a Spigelia Weed Management Operator for work in the Jabiru area. Applicants must be able to commit to the project until the end of June 2020. The position is three days per week - Monday to Wednesday. You will be required to undertake skills testing, interview, pre-employment medicals and drug and alcohol testing. Please note that only the successful candidates progressing to the next stage will be contacted.

### Duties & Responsibilities

- Surveying and control of Spigelia Anthelmia weed quarantine areas
- Data collection
- Weed spraying
- Hand pulling weeds
- Maintenance of quarantine area borders
- Other ad hoc duties as required

### Skills and Experience

- Current drivers licence
- High attention to detail
- Ability to work safely within a team environment

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## Notice of Annual General Meeting

**Date: Thursday 21st November 2019**

**Time: 9am – 3pm**

**Location: Jabiru Health Centre**

### Agenda

- Acknowledgements of Traditional Owners
- Welcome/Apologies
- Confirmation of previous Annual General Meeting minutes
- Chairperson report
- Transition Manager operations report
- Nominations of Directors for the following regions:
  - Cobourg Peninsular
  - Gunbalanya
  - Gunbalanya Outstations
  - Jabiru
  - Kakadu Homelands
  - Waruwi
- General Business



## COLLINGWOOD FOOTBALL PLAYER VISITS JABIRU

West Arnhem Regional Council staff Marcia Brennan and Jaylene Nadjamerrek had the opportunity to meet professional football player Brodie Grundy recently in Jabiru.

They were very excited to meet the Collingwood Football Club's ruckman who was happy to pose for a photo.



Marcia Brennan and Jaylene Nadjamerrek pictured with Collingwood's Brodie Grundy in Jabiru.

## JABIRU PARTICIPATES IN PRE-CYCLONE CLEAN UP EVENT

West Arnhem Regional Council (WARC) held a community pre-cyclone clean up event earlier this week in Jabiru.

The annual event gives Jabiru residents the opportunity to clear any unwanted items from around the house and yard prior to storm season.

WARC Relief Council Service Manager Mark Sidey said it was great to see so many residents participating in the clean up.

"This ensures our community is as prepared as we can be," Mark said.

All West Arnhem residents are encouraged to protect their family, home and possessions by preparing for cyclones, and this includes having an emergency plan and an emergency kit.

The Top End of the Northern Territory is prone to cyclones from November to May.

For more information visit <https://secure.nt.gov.au/>



West Arnhem Regional Council's works crew in Jabiru collecting unwanted household rubbish as part of the pre-cyclone clean up day. Pictured is Kevin Voisey and Geoff Dudley.

## TIME TO STOP THE SPREAD OF GAMBA GRASS WEED

After a scorching hot build-up it'd be nice to hear the rumble of thunder in an approaching storm front, a few showers would cool things down nicely. The rain would also help to green up a landscape crisped dry by hot desert winds.

Everything grows in the wet season and unfortunately this includes that scourge of the savannah, gamba grass. Like the vast majority of weeds, control of gamba grass is best carried out while it is in its active growth phase and the onset of the wet is truly the season to get busy!

With a surge in new growth all around it can be easy to confuse friend with foe.

Gamba grass is big! It's a huge tussock grass up to 4m high and clumps of gamba grow so thick that it can be difficult to push your way in. Native perennial grasses such as giant spear grass and northern cane grass are also big but they are nowhere near as bulky, gamba really stands out in the savannah landscape. Gamba grass is fuzzy. Its leaves and stem are covered in soft white hairs and the 'v' shaped seed heads are also fluffy. Gamba grass leaves have a similar white midrib to itch grass leaves, but itch grass is smooth and hair free.

Gamba grass is a Weed of National



Significance in Australia and a declared weed in the Northern Territory. Everyone has a role to play in the management of declared weeds and in the case of gamba grass, your responsibilities differ depending on where you live.

The majority of the Top End is in the Class A management zone. All public and private landholders in this area must work towards eradicating gamba grass from

their property, prioritising outlying plants and new infestations.

Owners and occupiers of properties in the more northerly Class B zone are required to actively manage the gamba grass on their patch. This means reducing the size and density of infestations, constructing buffer zones and fire breaks and ensuring that gamba grass does not spread into clean areas, road corridors or adjoining properties.

Wherever your property might be it is particularly important that you ensure that you practise good farm biosecurity. Protect your most important investment by stopping gamba grass plants from seeding wherever possible and by keeping machinery and other vehicles clean and free of weed seed.

It can be easy to get overwhelmed in the growing season. The jobs list is endless and new tasks are added on a daily basis so the secret to successful gamba grass management is planning and the best time to start that is now!

Head to the gamba grass webpage at [www.nt.gov.au/gamba](http://www.nt.gov.au/gamba) for all you need to know about planning for a successful weed management season including those all-important gamba grass declaration zones.

## SHOWCASING KAKADU TO THE CHINESE MARKET

Kakadu Tourism and Voyages Indigenous Tourism Australia together with national operators that sell NT tourism products, Journey Beyond, Sealink, New Asia Pacific Tours and AAT Kings are currently taking part in Tourism Australia's flagship trade event in China, Australia Marketplace China 2019.

Previously known as the Greater China Travel Mission, Australia Marketplace China 2019 is taking place in Chengdu, China from 11 to 15 November 2019 with the program including pre-scheduled meetings between buyers and sellers and networking events.

The NT delegation will raise the profile of the Territory's visitor experiences and encourage the Chinese market to travel to the NT.

The event also provides

opportunities for NT and Australian suppliers to learn more about travel trends in the Greater China region to better tailor their product to the Chinese market, in addition to increasing awareness of the NT and promoting it as an exciting travel destination.

The Chinese buyers attending Greater China Travel Mission are from mainland China, Hong Kong and Taiwan and sell the NT and Australia as a preferred long-haul destination to Chinese travellers.

Australia Marketplace China follows last month's trade and business delegation to China, 'Reaching South - to the Territory' event in Shenzhen City, Guangdong Province that showcased the Territory's business and industry representatives.

## BE CROCWISE



### LIVE & WORK ARNHEM LAND & KAKADU



- **Senior Administration Officer - Gunbalanya**  
Permanent - Full Time - Accommodation available.  
Applications close 8 am, Monday 25 November 2019.
- **Council Services Manager - Minjilang**  
Fixed term 3 years - Full Time - Accommodation available. Applications close 8 am, Monday 18 November 2019.
- **Essential Services Officer - Gunbalanya**  
Fixed term until 30 November 2021 - Full Time - Accommodation available - Applications close 8 am, Monday 18 November 2019.
- **Pool Officer - Jabiru**  
Casual - No accommodation - All applications will be considered.

#### To apply:

Please visit our website to download position description. All applications must be submitted via our website: <https://www.westarnhem.nt.gov.au/employment>  
Please phone 08 8982 9522 or email [vacancy@westarnhem.nt.gov.au](mailto:vacancy@westarnhem.nt.gov.au).

*Indigenous people are encouraged to apply*



## ALBERTO LUGLIETTI MEMORIAL POOL OPENING HOURS

Monday	12.00pm - 6.30pm
Tuesday	12.30pm - 6.00pm
Wednesday	12.00pm - 6.30pm
Thursday	12.30pm - 6.00pm
Friday	12.00pm - 6.30pm
Saturday	12.00pm - 6.30pm
Sunday	12.00pm - 6.30pm
Public Holidays	12.00pm - 6.30pm

#### Additional wet season hours 1 October - 30 May

Tuesday	6.00am - 8.00am
Thursday	6.00am - 8.00am
Saturday	9.00am - 6.30pm

**CLOSED** Good Friday, Christmas Day, New Year's day

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barbecue facilities - shower facilities - undercover gym -  
kiosk with drinks and snacks - shaded picnic tables

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Regular & casual pool passes available  
Visitors welcome!



9.00am Gates open  
9.50am Santa arrives  
10.00am Gift distributions

Jabiru Swimming Pool  
Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> December  
9am-12pm

### Ice Creams

Santa and his helpers

T-shirts

Presents

Family fun



JABIRU COMMUNITY  
CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

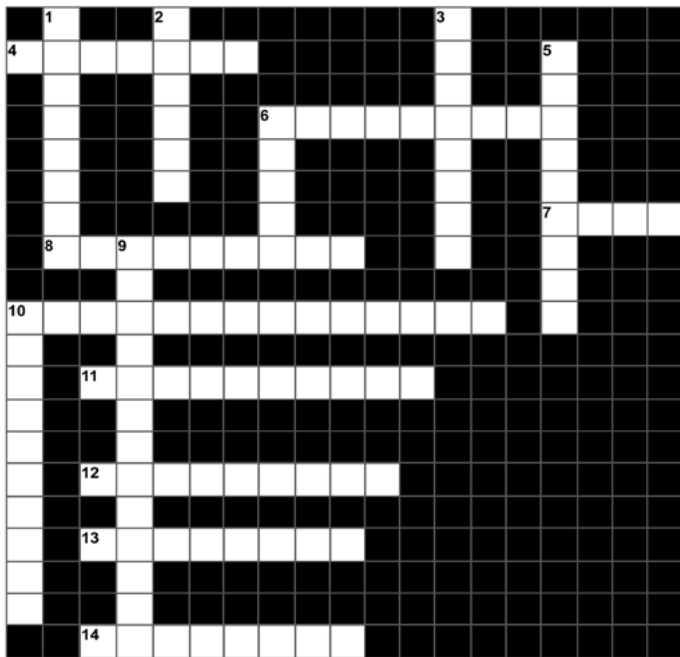
Come along and join the fun!

Children (aged 0 - 16 years) of permanent Jabiru and surrounding outstation residents may register for the Christmas Party. Children MUST be in attendance with an adult to receive a T-shirt and present.

#### PLEASE NOTE:

As Santa is very busy at this time of year, all children need to arrive and be checked off the list before 10am to receive their special gift from Santa.



**Down:**

- 1 archerfish  
2 sole fish  
3 bony bream  
5 saratoga  
6 shark  
9 salmon catfish  
10 black bream

**Across:**

- 4 mouth almighty  
6 long tom  
7 spangled grunter  
8 eel-tailed catfish  
10 sawfish  
11 sleepy cod  
12 barramundi  
13 stingray  
14 rainbow fish

## CHANCE TO WIN THROUGH DJENJ NAME CROSSWORD

Finish the crossword (left) and win a \$40 voucher at Adjumarllarl Store!

You'll need help from the Djenj book which you can get on your phone at [www.njamed.com/djenj](http://www.njamed.com/djenj)

This book has names of fish in Bininj Kunwok languages as well as fish words and phrases, parts of a fish, fishing place names, stories and other things, all with audio so you can hear it all in language.



*The Djenj Project: Bininj Fishing Past, Present and Future.*

*"If you are the first person with correct answers you will win!"*

You can download it to use offline too. If you're in Gunbalanya or Jabiru, your school has lots of copies of the book printed.

Take your finished crossword

to Andrew Managku to check. He's fussy so get the spelling right.

If you're the first person to give him one that is EXACTLY RIGHT, you'll win the prize.

If you are outside Gunbalanya you can still join the competition.

Take a good clear photo of your crossword with your name and phone number on it and email to [bininjgunwok2@gmail.com](mailto:bininjgunwok2@gmail.com) (or ask someone to scan and send it for you).

If you are the first person with correct answers you will win \$40 Telstra Credit! Good luck.

## MANINGRIDA ARTISTS VISIT PARIS



*Babbarra Women's Centre artists and managers in Paris. Photo credit: Ingrid Johanson.*

### << From Front Page

"We went to visit our new friend Martin (Grant). We learned how he makes clothes, bags. He was so excited to meet us and we were too happy to meet him. We went to Normandy that was good place there too. People in

France were so happy to meet ladies from Maningrida. It was maybe their first time. I'm still thinking about my new Babbarra design, I might even do that Eiffel tower. Happy to be home, but maybe next year I'll go back to Paris one more time I'm thinking."

## TOBACCO THREATENS US ALL



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**PROTECT HEALTH, REDUCE POVERTY AND PROMOTE DEVELOPMENT**





# Jabiru Kabolkmakmen

## Residential Remediation Assessments

Jabiru Kabolkmakmen, on behalf of the Director of National Parks and the JTDA, would like to send out a huge thank you to residents of Jabiru for their patience, assistance and flexibility to allow us to undertake Remediation Assessments at their homes. We understand that this can be inconvenient to some, and Jabiru Kabolkmakmen is endeavouring to minimise disturbance and schedule appointment times to suit residents where available. Three fully qualified and competent teams of assessors from Jacobs Engineering and Agon Environmental are doing a fantastic job working long days and in very hot and humid conditions to undertake these assessments in accordance with industry standards.



The assessors will be;

- walking through your property, visually observing the external and internal areas,
- taking photographs for the purpose of collecting a photographic record of the property *Note: No pictures of people and personal affects will be taken,*
- opening manhole covers and ladder access to ceiling space,
- opening cupboards under sinks and vanity units to observe drainage pipes,
- accessing all rooms in your house, and
- turning lights, fans and air conditioners on and off.

### Structural Assessment by Jacobs Engineering

- Building particulars (height, roof type, ceiling type, general condition, damage etc),
- general condition assessment of concrete slabs, footings, individual elements, connections and associated fittings, roof etc, and
- Identifying any potential risks.



### Electrical and Hydraulic assessments by Jacobs Engineering

- Power supply, electrical switchboards, lighting and power points,
- smoke detectors,
- air-conditioning units and fans, and
- water supply points, hot water systems and drainage.

### Environmental

Agon Consultants will take sample jars of material from your garden using hand tools to identify possible termite existence. Samples will also be collected from any repaired, patched or perforated areas in bathroom/s and kitchen for possible asbestos, placed in a sealed envelope and sent to their laboratories for analysis.



If you want further information, please visit us at:

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[www.jabirukabolkmakmen.com.au](http://www.jabirukabolkmakmen.com.au)





# Australia Day Citizen of the year Awards

Nomination Forms available at  
all WARC Council Offices  
Nominations due: 29 November

## Who makes a difference in your community?

Nominations are now open:

- Citizen of the Year
- Young Citizen of the Year
- Community Event of the Year

Awards are presented at Australia Day  
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