AGM Announcement

The 2019 Julalikari AGM will be held on the 27th of November at 9am at the Karguru Training Centre. Included in this newsletter is an AGM notice as well as nomination and consent forms for members to nominate for election as a director at the AGM. Members who wish to nominate as a director must complete both a nomination and consent form and hand both forms in to the CEO at 13 Maloney Street before 4pm Wednesday 30th October. If you have any further questions or queries please call 8962 2699.

BP Announcement

On the 30th of September we welcomed our new partners in the BP business Indigenous Business Australia (IBA). IBA have replaced our old partners Richard Dodd and Karen Sheldon and we would like to thank both Richard and Karen for their hard work over the past 23 years in developing the BP business into what it is today.
Community Living Areas

The Town Camp Taskforce will soon include Early Childhood Community Connectors based on each Community Living Area (CLA), supported by the Connected Beginnings program. The Community Connectors focus is on early childhood development helping families support their children to be ready to go well in playgroups, Families as First Teachers (FaFT), childcare and school.

Over the next year Julalikari will be rebuilding the community centres on each CLA so they can be used again for community meetings, activities, BBQs and other purposes.

Norman Frank is representing Julalikari Council on the board of the newly-formed Aboriginal Housing NT (AHNT). AHNT is an independent Peak Body for Aboriginal housing across the NT, and includes partner organisations like Tangentyere, Kalano, Mabunji and Land Councils. It aims to provide a strong Aboriginal voice on housing issues through advocacy and representation to government and the wider community.

Dianne Stokes and Geoff Evans recently represented Julalikari Council at a workshop in Darwin about Climate Justice. Climate justice is about making sure that the people who are affected the most by climate change, including Indigenous peoples who have done least to cause the problem, are protected from harm.

We can see climate change happening now in Tennant Creek with temperatures getting hotter for longer, and more severe bushfires, storms and droughts.

We need a climate change action plan and by acting now, we have the opportunity now to create a fairer, better future for our community. If you have any problems or issues about housing and community services on Community Living Areas then contact Geoff Evans at Maloney St.

“Residents meet on Community Living Areas to make decisions and plan how to improve the places where they live and play. Julalikari Council is working with residents on their communities to rebuild community centres, plant trees, and remove rubbish. We want to make Community Living Areas safe and healthy places to live.”

Talking about energy efficient properly insulated houses, affordable energy bills at the Village.

Dianne Stokes and Geoff Evans talk about how we the need a plan to protect the people of Tennant Creek from climate change
NAIDOC Week

Tennant Creek community comes together to celebrate

Julalikari Council Aboriginal Corporation (JCAC), in partnership with Anyinginyi Health Aboriginal Corporation, Central Australian Aboriginal Family Legal Unit (CAAFLU), Catholic Care, and the Tennant Creek Women’s Refuge, organised a series of community events to celebrate NAIDOC Week 2019.

This year’s events included:

- A movie night at Civic Hall
- The NAIDOC Week March
- An Elder’s Lunch at Nyinkka Nyunyu
- Peace Painting at Nyinkka Nyunyu
- The Family Fun Day (hosted by Anyinginyi Stronger Families and Tennant Creek Women’s Refuge)
- Men’s and Women’s basketball and volleyball (hosted by Anyinginyi Sport and Rec Centre)

“Voice Treaty Truth
Walk with us in a movement of the Australian people for a better future”
Six months after reopening its doors, a revived Nyinkka Nyunyu Arts and Culture Centre has been a hive of activity. Recent events held at the centre have included the Wild Australia show, NAIDOC Week, Dion Beasley’s Cheeky Dog exhibition, and the Tennant Creek Superhero’s exhibition. The centre has also hosted cultural programs in partnership with the Diversion Group, the Positive Learning Centre, the Tennant Creek primary and high schools, the rangers, and BRAADAG.

Staff and artists have also been involved in exhibitions and events in Alice Springs and the wider NT community. These include exhibitions in Raft Art Space, presentations at the Desert Mob Symposium in Alice Springs, as well as participating in a variety of print making and carving workshops.
Julalikari Aged and Disability Services: Home and Community Care (HACC)

The team at HACC provides meals, accommodation, and domestic assistance to elders in the Tennant Creek community.

The team prides itself on providing a safe and caring environment for elders and is pleased to announce that services have increased over the past six months. Elders have been also busy growing flower gardens and vegetables, making beanies, and landscape painting.

If you need assistance in caring for an elder please contact Pat Ball at 24 Scheelite Crescent or phone 08 7903 6003

“Our clients enjoy coming together for a yarn, creating art, going out on excursions, gardening, and getting involved in community activities.”
It is our pleasure to announce that William Martin has joined the Julalikari team to lead the Karguru Nursery and Gardens unit. He will be responsible for shifting the focus of this unit from commercial landscaping to small-scale development projects focused on growing and developing bush foods and plant medicines, as well as developing our existing activities of propagating and planting shade trees across the community, and installing food gardens.

“Building a strong foundation for Territorians through education, training and employment”
Julalikari Council Board of Directors would like to encourage any person who would like to become a member to fill out the Membership form enclosed. A member must be: 1. At least 18 years of age; and 2. An Aboriginal person who normally and permanently resides in Tennant Creek or the Barkly Region and has done so for the last (12) months at the time of applying for membership.
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