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JULY 2025





THE NEXT GENERATION: STRENGTH, VISION & LEGACY

6-13 JULY 2025



Goolum Goolum Aboriginal Co-operative respectfully acknowledges that our offices are based on unceded land of the Wotjobaluk, Jaadwa, Jadawadjali, Wergaia and Jupagulk peoples. We pay our respects to their ancestors, and to Elders, both past and present, and to the future Elders and caretakers of this land. Always was, always will be, Aboriginal Land.



CEO Ants Craig





Jake Goodes Chairperson



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Pamela Branson **Board Director**



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Dalk **Welcome to the July Newsletter**

The Next Generation: Strength, Vision & Legacy: what a great theme for NAIDOC week.

This is a call out to our young people: your Elders have done the hard yards and created an environment where Aboriginal voices are heard and the opportunity for new services, cultural learning and employment are stronger than ever before.

This does not just happen, and the future is now up to the next generation. Leadership is born from being proactive and engaged and you are all welcome to participate.

We have amazing young people in the community, at our schools, playing sports, being artists and working in a variety of careers. Go for it young people - the future is yours.

Welcome to new staff - Charmaine and Kayla. We look forward to your contribution to our services and community.

Lots of great stuff happening across our programs and I am excited about the NAIDOC events which again are a great partnership between Goolum and BGLC.

Take care.





ONAIDOGWEEK2025

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ONAIDOC:WEEK2



NAIDOC Week 2025 at **Goolum Goolum:** A Yarn with Brett Harrison

Q: Brett, can you tell us what NAIDOC Week means to you and to our community?

B: NAIDOC is an opportunity for us as a Community to showcase our Arts, Song, Dance and Culture. It's an opportunity to celebrate achievements and milestones and how far we've come as a Community as well

Q: What is this year's NAIDOC theme, and why is it important?

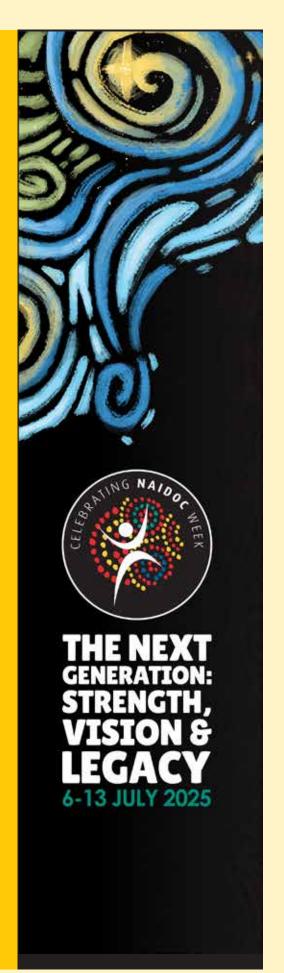
B: This years theme The Next Generation: Strength, Vision and Legacy is very important! I think it speaks volumes to my generation, now, that are up and coming to be the leaders of this community. Most of our Elders are mostly gone now so it's their strength we draw on to maintain the vision they had and continue the legacy they left us. I feel like it's a cultural rite of passage.

Q: What can people expect from Goolum Goolum during NAIDOC Week 2025?

B: There's plenty happening! Some really good opportunities not to be missed. We've got a full week of deadly events, including art, culture, yarns, food, sport, and storytelling. There's something for everyone young and old. It's a chance for our Community to come together, honour our Elders, and inspire the next generation. Whether it's a flag-raising, a cultural workshop, or just a cuppa and a yarn, we welcome all to be part of it; (Find out all the detail at the end of this Newsletter).

Q: Any final words for the Community as we head into NAIDOC Week?

B:Be safe and be respectful!









Earlier this month, Aunty Margaret Saunders & Uncle Johnathan Link travelled from Queensland, visiting Goolum Goolum to deliver a DEADLY THINKING - train the trainer workshop over 2 days to a small group of Goolum Goolum staff. Deadly Thinking is a social, emotional well-being and suicide prevention program specifically designed by and for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.

Deadly Thinking workshops encourage you to stay strong and connected to culture and country. Explore ways to promote social and emotional wellbeing for you, your family and your mob.

After the workshop, Aunty Margaret stated that the training was a great success, with all participants enjoying the lessons. "We also want to thank Goolum Goolum for showing us the new Community HUB with the CEO. Goolum Goolum community should be very proud to have this to showcase the Mob and its culture. We look forward to visiting again someday."







CHUNKY MOV

In partnership with Goolum Goolum Aboriginal Cooperative, Chunky Move is excited to offer First Nation youth holiday dance workshops in April (Horsham), July (Stawell), and October (Horsham) in 2025. The workshops are hosted by professional First Nation dance artists from Chunky Move led by Ngioka Bunda-Heath (Wakka Wakka, Ngugi, Birrpai). Youth participants (aged primary to high school) are invited to join in daily dance classes and cultural art activities. Join us in creating and learning dance routines that will be performed at Goolum Goolum's Hand-Up event in October.

WORKSHOPS

The program is free, with a healthy morning tea and lunch provided each day.

SCHEDULE

Tue 15 July 2025 Wed 16 July 2025 Thu 17 July 2025 10:00am - 2:00pm

VENUE

North Park Community Sports Centre, Lamont St, Stawell 3380

REGISTRATION

Please send your name and school year level to Kym Bateson from Goolum Goolum at kym.bateson@goolumgoolum.org.au to register your child/children's interest.

For more information, please contact Kym Bateson at kym.bateson@goolumgoolum.org.au and 0447 846 250 or Ngioka Bunda-Heath at info@chunkymove.com.au











"Our Path, Our Future" <a> Come and see all you can be!

Goolum Pathways Expo is the only Indigenous led careers & training expo in the region.



11AM - 2PM Horsham Showgrounds **Maydale Pavillion**

PATHWAYS to POSSIBILITIES

GIVEAWAYS AND PRIZES - FREE BBQ LUNCH - GUEST SPEAKERS

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Our Pathways Expo is for all our Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander community - families and students. Organisations, Businesses and Training providers will be on-site to offer information about jobs, courses and scholarships. And a whole lot more!

0447 846 250 For more information Contact Kym Bateson









OUR PATH, OUR FUTURE

MEET & GREET UNIVERSITIES & TAFES



Before our Pathways EXPO, join us for a cuppa and a yarn. This is a great chance to meet with Unis & Tafes and find out more about scholarships, education pathways and support available for our Mob.

WEDNESDAY 6th AUGUST

4:00PM - 6:30PM

AUNTY IRENE ROOM 43 HAMILTON ST HORSHAM

For more information Contact Kym Bateson 0447 846 250













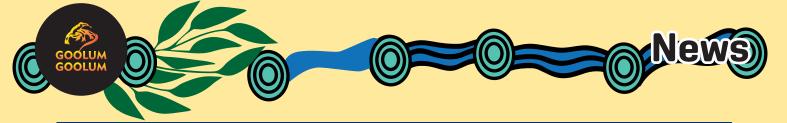
Golf Club

11am - 2pm

Cooking demonstration Dimboola including hands on preparation, food handling & cooking. Traditional & locally grown ingredients **Lunch & dessert**

Mob only event

Please RSVP to Kym Bateson - Transport available - Bookings essential - 0447 846 250



HOOPS AGAINST VIOLENCE



SAVE THE DATE!!!

WHERE: BALLARAT HIGH SCHOOL

WHEN: 22ND - 23RD SEPTEMBER

TIME: 10:00AM - 2:00PM R.S.V.P - BY 15TH OF AUG



Horsham Contact - Robyn robyn.lauricella@police.vic.gov.au











Koorie Acaden



What an amazing weekend we had at the Deadly Dribblers **Basketball Clinic in Dimboola!**

A huge thank you to the Koorie Academy and NBL for making it all possible — and for kitting out our young ballers in style! **Even our tiniest dribblers** proudly rocked their limited-edition jerseys. Big love to Uncle Ricky for organising this incredible experience for our mob.

It was so special to reconnect at Dimboola with community and see so many familiar faces. The energy was high, the skills were sharp, and the smiles said it all. The deadly coaches had a blast teaching new basketball moves, and the kids walked away with 2025 Koorie Academy jerseys, their very own basketballs, and some great prizes, plus a free healthy feed to top it all off!.

Thanks to everyone who joined us and helped make the day such a success. We're proud to stand alongside the Koorie Academy









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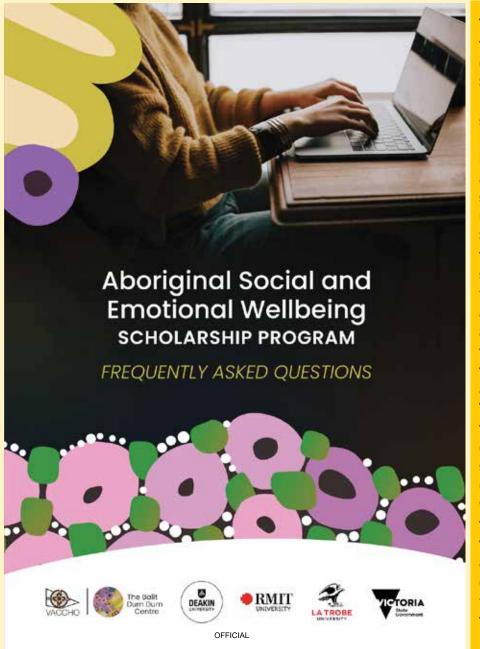












The Balit Durn Durn Centre (BDDC), in partnership with the Department of Health, offers the Aboriginal Social and Emotional Wellbeing (SEWB) Scholarship Program to support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people in gaining mental health qualifications. The program aims to grow a strong, culturally safe SEWB workforce led by and for Community across Victoria. Scholarships cover tuition, student fees, financial aid, and additional support for study-related costs and professional development. Courses are offered through RMIT, Deakin, and La Trobe Universities and include both clinical and therapeutic disciplines tailored to address Community-specific needs. The program is flexible, allowing full-time, part-time, on-campus, and online study options. It also supports those with existing qualifications to upskill in areas with workforce shortages. The goal is to ensure that Aboriginal SEWB teams are well-equipped and adequately represented. If your course of interest isn't listed but relates to SEWB, you're encouraged to contact the BDDC directly.

Applicants are eligible to apply for an Aboriginal SEWB scholarship if they meet all the following criteria:

*Identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander *Have Australian citizenship or permanent residency *Are currently living in Victoria

*Have applied or are in the process of applying for admission into an eligible program AND/OR Are currently employed by an Aboriginal Community Controlled Organisation (ACCO) or a mainstream health organisation in a Victorian Aboriginal

SEWB (social and emotional well-being) team or role OR

*If not currently employed by an ACCO or mainstream organisation in a Victorian SEWB role, intend to work in an Aboriginal SEWB team in Victoria or Victorian SEWB role. This includes any role across the spectrum of mental health and broader wellbeing, including connection to Land or Country, Culture, Spirituality, Ancestry, Family and Community.

Charmaine Clarke



10/06/2025 **Start Date Program Area Family Services**

Position IFS/FPR

What helps keep motivated I stay motivated by breaking tasks into smaller steps,

sticking to a routine, holding myself accountable &

celebrating the small things

Fun facts or hobbies I like to change the oil in my car, I also love cooking

and reading

Favourite Sports Team Essendon FC

Kayla Buckley



Start Date 03/06/2025

Program Area ACAC

Position ACAC EA/Admin

What helps keep motivated Helping others and achieving positive results

Fun facts or hobbies I enjoy spending time with my family & gardening

Favourite Sports Team N/A



There is a limited number of packs, so it's a first in best dressed situation. **Community Members** will need to scan the QR code & fill out the survey. Suitable for ages 3yrs+, one registration per **Community Member.**

We will be posting out the packs towards the end of the month/start of July.







Dear Thirrili friends and colleagues, please circulate this email through your networks. Thirrili has secured our national funding, along with dedicated funding for the ACT, allowing us to expand our reach and continue walking alongside communities across the country. We're now recruiting for a wide range of roles - from executive leadership and operational support, to frontline service delivery.

Every role helps us support Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander individuals, families and communities after suicide or other traumatic loss.

We're looking for people who are community-minded, culturally grounded, and passionate about supporting healing and hope. Our values guide everything we do - we work collectively, respectfully, and in relationship with communities, honouring local protocols and walking together in trust.

If this sounds like someone you know, please help us share these opportunities across your networks. If you need more information or would like to discuss any of the roles, please reach out

> via email to jobs@thirrili.com.au Thank you for your partnership, The Thirrili Team.





Motivational Monda



Come along for a walk on Country. Connect, reflect, and start your week with motivation and good company! And enjoy a healthy lunch together. For more information **Contact Mel Sabbo** at melissa.sabbo@ goolumgoolum.org.au or 0436 011 250

Venus Baths, in the **Grampians National** Park (also known as Gariwerd), holds deep cultural significance for the Djab Wurrung and Jardwadjali Aboriginal people, who are the traditional custodians of the land. Venus Baths specifically refers to the naturally formed rock pools carved by Stony Creek, a place of natural beauty and cultural importance.













Family Services Programs at GGAC



Please contact Samantha Darcy

samantha.darcy@goolumgoolum.org.au

Family Violence and Respite Trial Programs Confirmation of Aboriginality AFLDM/NJERNA Gap Gap Dyirr, and Cultural Support Plans



Please contact **Monique Emmett**

monique.emmett@goolumgoolum.org.au

Kinship Care, First Supports and Play Therapy



Please contact **Rhianna Peachey**

rhianna.peachey@goolumgoolum.org.au

Tuning Into kids, Tuning Into Teens and Carer Network Group



Please contact **Sharna Cockerall**

sharna.cockerall@goolumgoolum.org.au

Integrated Family Services, Family Preservation & Reunification Response (FPRR) program and parenting program.

Alternatively, you are welcome to call the **GGAC Family Services team** (03) 5381 6333

Artwork by Jasmine Harrison







TUNING IN TO TEENS EXPRESSION OF INTEREST



THE TUNING IN TO TEENS PROGRAM HAS A SIMILAR FOCUS TO TUNING IN TO KIDS AS IT IS WORKING WITH PARENTS AND CARERS ON EMOTIONAL COACHING SKILLS

TUNING IN TO TEENS FOCUSES ON 10 - 18 YEARS OLDS EXPLORING EMPATHY AND WORKING WITH PARENTS AND CARERS TO SUPPORT AND MANAGE THEIR OWN RESPONSES TO THE TEENAGERS

TUNING IN TO TEENS HAS THE ABILITY TO IMPROVE PARENT-TEEN RELATIONSHIP. IMPROVED PARENTING, AND ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH.

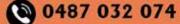
THE 6 SESSIONS COVER

- The foundations for emotion coaching teens
 - 2 Connecting and emotional acceptance
 - Building connection and showing empathy
 - **4** Emotion coaching fear
 - 6 Emotion coaching anger
- 6 Emotionally coaching now and in the future

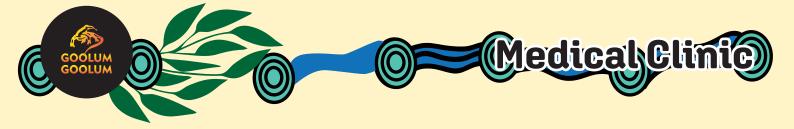


Contact Out of Home Care Case Manager

Rhianna Peachey



rhianna.peachey@goolumgoolum.org.au





Please contact **Medical Reception Clinic** 5381 6301

Speech Pathology Mary Jean (MJ)

Every Thursday alternates between Horsham and Stawell

Days: Thursday 3rd July Thursday 10th July 10:30 am - 3:30 pm

Place: Horsham

Days: Thursday 26th June 10:30 am - 3:30 pm

Place: Stawell



Please contact Medical Reception Clinic 5381 6301

Diabetes Educator Lesley Robinson Every 2nd Wednesday

Days: Tuesday 8th July and Tuesday 22nd July 10:30 am - 3:30 pm

Place: Horsham



Clinic Doctor Dr Garry Matthews

Days: Monday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Thursday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Place: Horsham



5381 6301

Clinic Doctor Dr David Hunchak

Days: Tuesday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Wednesday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Place: Horsham



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Clinic Doctor (Off site) Dr Emily Wilson

Days: Thursday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm Telehealth and phone calls only



Please contact **Medical Reception Clinic** 5381 6301

Podiatry (Monthly) Andrew Nashed

Days: Tuesday 15th July 2025 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Place: Horsham

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Remember

Diabetes Educator Lesley will now be available on Tuesdays instead of Wednesdays.









Please contact **Medical Reception Clinic** 5381 6301

Maternal Child Health Nurses

Days: Thursdays Nurses: Jenny Bull

-Eliza Miller- Amy Beddison

Place: Horsham

Days: Wednesdays Nurses: Jenny Bull

-Eliza Miller- Amy Beddison

Place: Stawell



Please contact **Medical Reception Clinic** 5381 6301

Women's Health Nurse Selina Pilgrim

Days: Mondays and Wednesdays 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Place: Horsham



Please contact **Medical Reception Clinic**

5381 6301

Aboriginal Health Workers Louise King/Carol Kennedy

Days: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Place: Horsham



Please contact **Medical Reception Clinic**

5381 6301

Clinical Nurses Brian Harrison/Selina Pilgrim/Tracey Wood

Days: Monday-Friday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Place: Horsham



Free condoms are available at both reception areas and in the Womens Health Room.

STIs don't discriminate - safe sex is yours and everyone's responsibility. **Condoms protect you, your partners** and your Community against STIs and unplanned pregnancies.

Most STI are preventable, easy to test for and are treatable. But without early diagnosis and appropriate and timely treatment, STI can lead to acute and chronic health consequences.

Also remind them to have their yearly STI check and to book an appointment with the clinic to discuss further.





The flu vaccine is an important measure to protect individuals, families, and the community from the serious impacts of influenza. It's free for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people aged 6 months and older.

Winter vegetable soup recipe from our Deadly Mums Deadly Family.

Vegetable Soup **Ingredients**

1 Large zucchini grated

4 Carrots diced

4 Potatoes diced

1/2 a bunch of celery diced

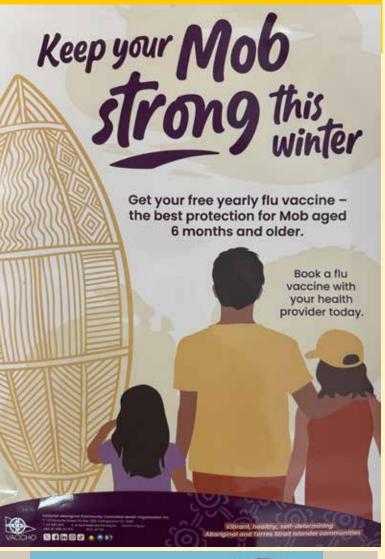
1 packet of 2 minute noodles crushed

3 tablespoons of Vegeta chicken stock

1/2 bag of yellow split peas (250g)

250 grams bacon (optional)

Rinse of split peas, add all ingredients to a lage pot, cover with water and boil until vegetables are tender, If lacking in taste add more chicken stock.





Visit naccho.org.au/disability





Victorian Virtual Emergency Department (VVED), a public health service to treat non-life-threatening emergencies 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

You will be connected to our doctors and nurses via video call for medical advice.

If your situation is life-threatening, please call Triple Zero (000)











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How do I register?

- · You will need a phone, tablet or computer with a camera to use this service
- To register, please use your phone camera and scan the QR code You can also visit ${\bf vved.org.au}$





- · You will be linked directly to the Virtual Emergency Department waiting room and placed in the virtual triage queue.
- You will receive a text/email with the next steps.
- When it's your turn, the nurse will consult with you and advise the best course of action.



What kind of medical help can I get?

- · In many cases, we will be able to help you virtually, and organise tests and prescriptions close to your home.
- We can provide self-care advice and a GP follow up.
- We may ask you to come into the Emergency Department.



Are interpreting services available to me?

- · Interpreters are available, and you can request one during the registration process.
- · You can also complete the registration form in your preferred language.

For more information, please visit **vved.org.au**

Please use this service for non-life-threatening emergency conditions only. Some examples of life-threatening symptoms include: shortness of breath, severe chest pain, or weakness down one side of the body. If you think you may have a life-threatening condition, please contact Triple Zero (000) urgently.

Northern Health









National Bowel Cancer Screening Program information

The National Bowel Cancer Screening Program is free for people aged 45-74 who are registered with Medicare.

- If you're aged 50 to 74 and your address is up to date with Medicare, you will receive your free bowel cancer screening test kit in the mail every two years.
- If you're aged 45 to 49, you can request your free kit online via www.ncsr.gov.au or by calling 1800 627 701.
- If you haven't received your kit or have concerns about doing a bowel cancer screening test, talk to your health professional.

Completing a bowel cancer test every two years can help you stay healthy and strong for yourself, your family and your community.

Talk to your health professional who can answer any questions about bowel concer screening. Everything you discuss with them is private and confidential.

Your health prafessional con provide and explain the test, as well as provide guidance on completing it and receiving the results. You will also be sent a capy of the results. They are available to answer any questions, including how to get and use a screening test kit.



- you get it, or to talk to your health professional if you need one, it helps our mob stay healthy and strong and look after our families."
- Dr Joel Wenitons

Do your bowel cancer screening test today.

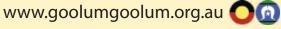
For more information, have a yarn with your health worker, visit indigenousbowelscreen.com.gu or coll 1800 527 701











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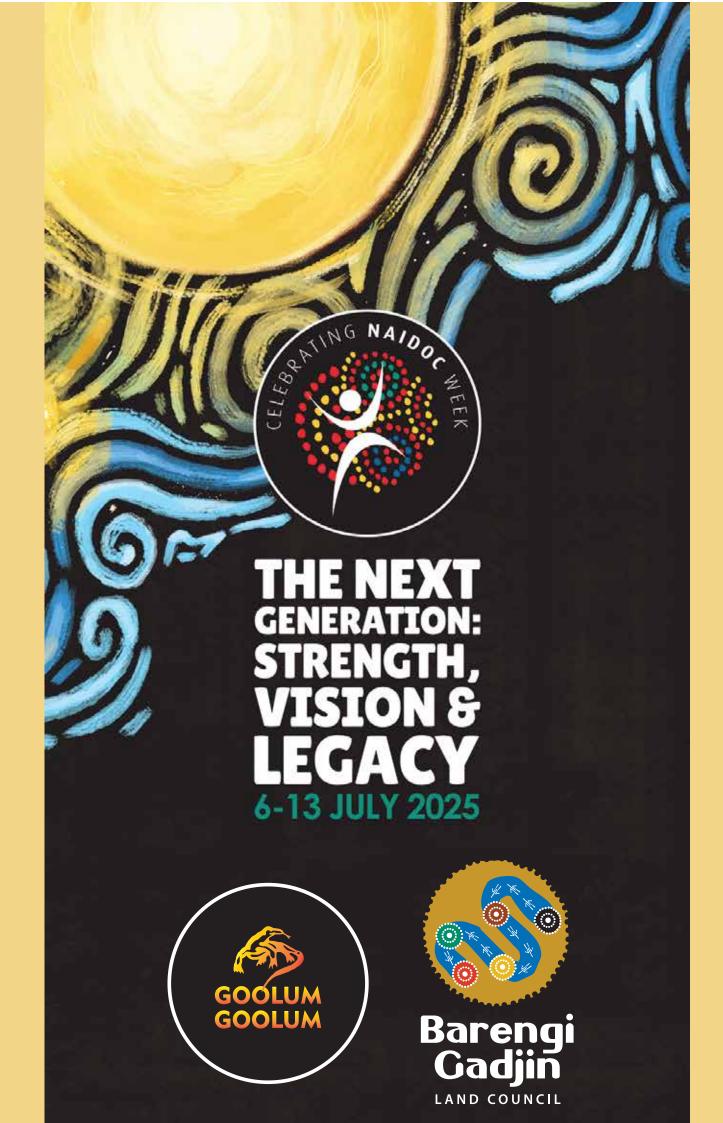
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Welcome to Country
Smoking Ceremony
Flag Raising
Traditional Music

Cultural Walk
Family Games
Pizza Lunch
Boomerang Painting



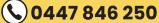
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- A&P Society Shed43 Lloyd Street, Dimboola
- 10:30 AM 2:30PM

For all BGLC & Goolum Community members & families



Kym Bateson





Need help with transport?
Please contact Kym



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NAIDOC WEEK 2025 Cultural Workshops

Join us for a deadly day of culture and connection. A family fun day for mob to come together on Country.

- · Dance Workshop
 - Weaving
- Spear Throwing
- Boomerang Painting & Throwing
 - Artefacts table



TUESDAY 8TH JULY

- Dudley Cornell Park,20 Gertrude St, Horsham
- 10:00 AM 2:30PM

For all BGLC & Goolum Community members & families



RSVP: bglc.com.au/events Lunch provided engage@bglc.com.au or call 03 5381 0977 All ages welcome





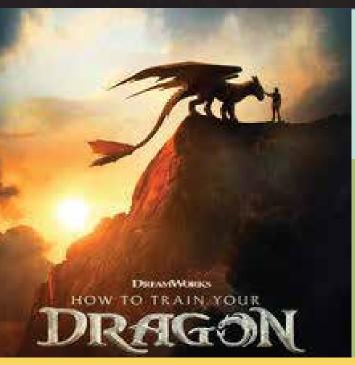


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Come and join us for a fun day out with family and friends.

Spots are limited, so please contact us to book a seat. Popcorn and drinks also provided.



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- Christine Schirmer
- **Q** 0417 511 890
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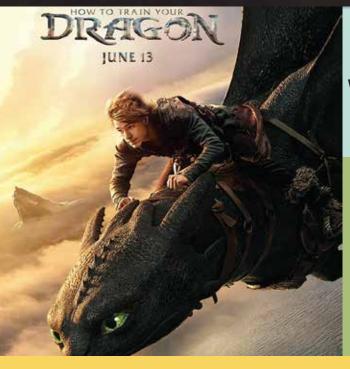


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Art Exhibition & Official screening of Bunjil's View Part II

We are excited to announce our annual NAIDOC Week Art Exhibition at Horsham Regional Art Gallery

The next instalment of Goolum's Bunjil's View film series, 'Origin of Fire' will be premiered in the Town Hall theatrette.

A visual celebration of Cultural Heritage, filmed on location on the lands, waterways and skys of the Wotjobaluk nations.



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The exhibition will be at the Horsham Regional Art Gallery from 5th July to 6th October running for 13 weeks



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NAIDOC WEEK 2025 Elders and Youth Luncheon

BGLC invites Elders to a special lunch to honour their leadership and strength.

Each Elder is welcome to bring one young person with them — someone they're guiding or supporting.

This is a time to sit together, share stories, and celebrate culture across generations.



THURSDAY 10TH JULY

- Property Club, Horsham
- 11:30 NOON 2:30 PM
 For all BGLC & Goolum
 Community Elders and Youth



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- *Need help with transport?
 *Lunch provided
- *All ages welcome







Mookie Story Session

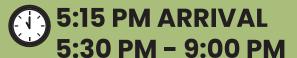
Come along for a scary, fun and moom gripping night of Mookie (ghost) stories!

Hear tales from Community — old ones, new ones, and stories passed down through generations. Bring your own story or just come for a listen and a yarn. All will be smoked before leaving Antwerp.



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Stawell NAIDOC -Gathering BBQ

Goolum Goolum and BGLC are looking forward to sharing this day with our Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Community and their families.

Welcome to Country
Smoking Ceremony
Flag Raising
Traditional Music

Traditional Dancers
Family Games
BBQ Lunch
Boomerang Painting



FRIDAY 11TH JULY

- Stawell Hub, 46 Leslie St, Stawell
- 12:00 NOON 2:00 PM

For all BGLC & Goolum Community members & families



Kym Bateson

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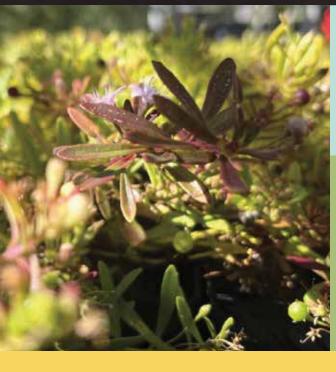




Cultural Harvesting & BBQ at the Nursery

Join us on Country for a special day of cultural harvesting. We'll gather plants and trees that will be planted in the new Welcome Place at Dalki Garringa Native Nursery.

This is hands on cultural work, learning about native plants, caring for Country and preparing a space that will welcome many for years to come. After the harvest, stay for a BBQ and yarn with Community.



FRIDAY 11TH JULY

- Dalki Garringa Native Nursery,127 Wail Nursery Rd, Wail
- 9:00 AM 3:00 PM

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NAIDOC Cabaret Celebration

50 Years of NAIDOC - Strength, Vision & Legacy

Join us for a family friendly night of music and laughter as we celebrate 50 years of NAIDOC.

There'll be food, drinks, dancing, games and entertainment for all ages — a chance for mob to come together and close out the week in style.



FRIDAY 11TH JULY

- Processing Complex, (under grand stand)
- 5:00 PM 12:00 AM
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FOCUS ON FAMILIES



STRONG VOICES



Strategic Plan 2022-2026

Goolum Goolum, more than just a health service. We strive to provide a holistic model that supports the physical, social, emotional, cultural, and spiritual needs of our people.



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