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Stories

***Kids* - TV Shows for young mob (iView)**

Enjoy this selection of First Nations programs to educate and entertain the whole family.

***Sport* - Victoria names National Indigenous Cricket Championship squads**

Cricket Victoria has named its Men's and Women's squads set to compete at the National Indigenous Cricket Championships (NICC) held on Yuwibara Country in Mackay, Queensland from April 2 to 7, 2025.

***Sport* - Eddie Betts to join Fitzroy Stars**

We can't wait to see Eddie Betts run out in a STARS jumper again, this time in our regular season!

***Community* - Youth gathering at Willum Warrain**

We want all these students to grow up blak, loud and proud and to know they are always welcome at Willum Warrain.

***Arts* - ILBIJERRI Theatre making call out**

Are you an aspiring theatre-maker who wants to learn new skills with ILBIJERRI mentors? We're looking for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people aged 18–35 to participate in the ILBIJERRI Ensemble Open Access 2025 Program.

***VAN* - All Victorians invited to join in an historic Walk for Truth (20 mins)**

With the final Yoorrook Commission report due in June 2025, Commissioner Travis Lovett is about to undertake a 370 kilometre walk from Portland in the Victorian south-west - where European colonisation started - to Parliament House in Melbourne.

***LGBTQIA+* - Trans Day of Visibility**

Trans Day of Visibility is an annual international celebration of trans pride and awareness, recognising transgender, gender diverse and non-binary experiences and achievements!

***Community* - Funding for research project to support Indigenous mothers and babies**

The funding will see a research team work with with a number of communities in Victoria to implement and expand culturally safe continuity of care for women having an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander baby.

***Yoorrook* - Walk for Truth (25 May - 18 Jun)**

Starting on Sunday 25 May on Gunditjmara Country at Portland, the Walk will finish at Parliament House on Wednesday 18 June. You can see expected dates of each leg of the walk.

Indig X - Pitch an Article

Do you have an idea for a story or article? Pitch it directly to Indigenous X via this online form.

Youth Events & Notices

Term 1 Weekly Activities (28 Jan – 4 April)

YSAS Drop-In Day Program - ABBOTSFORD

Tuesdays and Thursdays. This Day Program is a place where young people who use drugs and alcohol can drop in to rest and recover.

Brother's Group - BALLARAT

Thursdays. *For more information, please contact the CTSP Youth team on 5331 5344 (ext 190)

Lil Lubly's - BALLARAT

Every Wednesday. See their Term 1 program.

Youth Group - BALLARAT

Mondays Upcoming dates and activities.

bengagdak babab Playgroup - BALLARAT

Monday and Friday. Arts, crafts and outdoor activities.

Playgroups for Children with Disability - BRAYBROOK

Thursdays. PlayConnect+ is a free program open to all children with disability, developmental concerns and/or chronic illnesses aged 0-6 years. The sessions are also for families, carers and siblings. Qualified professionals facilitate all playgroup sessions.

Koorie Kids Homework Club - DANDENONG & FRANKSTON

Tues & Wed. The clubs are a deadly way for children and young people to receive guidance from tutors and Elders, enjoy a healthy snack, engage in cultural activities and get to know other Koorie kids after school each week.

Youth Morning Club - DOVETON

This program will run from 6:30 am to 8:00 am every Wednesday morning for young people aged 12 to 18. We get them moving, provide breakfast, school lunch, and snacks, and make sure they're ready and on time for school.

Casey Aboriginal Playgroup - DOVETON

Every Friday during school terms. 10.30 am - 1 pm. Lunch is provided!

Casey Aboriginal Youth Group - DOVETON

Every Monday during school terms. 4 pm – 6 pm. For ages 10-25.

Yeng Gali Music Group - EAST RINGWOOD

Yeng Gali Singers gather every Monday afternoon at EACH Hall and new members are welcome to come along!

Njernda Year 7 Support Group - ECHUCA

Wednesdays. Starting 19 March. We've created a support group for our kids, with the chance to share stories, have something to eat and finish some homework.

Deadly Young Mob Cultural Group - FRANKSTON

Thursdays. Calling all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander youth (12-21)! Connect with culture through art, cooking, and more.

Koori Ways Youth Program - HAMILTON

Wednesdays. This program is for secondary school youth to learn about the harmful effects of tobacco smoke and vaping with plenty of deadly activities to take part in over the 5 weeks.

Mums and Boorais Yarning Circle - HEIDELBERG WEST

We meet every Wednesday from 10-11.30am at Barrbunin Beek Aboriginal Gathering Place.

Friday Feedz - HEYWOOD

Fridays. For Youth 12 - 25 who are part of our Karreeta Koornong Maar Program. Come along and cook up a deadly feed!

Young Men's and Women's Group - HEYWOOD & HAMILTON

Wednesdays. Our groups are an opportunity for our young men and women from year 6 to year 12 to get together in a new way.

Breakfast Club - HEYWOOD

Tuesdays. Helping Young People start the day right. Drop-offs to Kinder, Primary & Secondary Schools if required.

Youth Hub Master Plan - MILDURA

Mon - Thurs. As we shape our Infrastructure Masterplan, we want to hear from our youth (ages 10-17) about what they would like to see from our MDAS Mildura Youth Hub.

MDAS Youth Hub - MILDURA

Mon - Thurs. We have cultural programs, mentorship, arts, table tennis, air hockey and much more on offer.

VACCA Koorie Kids Playgroup Northern - NORTHERN METRO

Take a look at our playgroup curriculum down below and have a look at what kind of fun activities we have planned for Term 1.

MVAC After school program - ROBINVALE

Monday to Thursday; girls, boys and different age groups.

Cultural Group - SWAN HILL

If any of our ATSI Swan Hill youth, aged 1–18 years, would like to get involved, we hold practice sessions every Tuesday from 4:20 pm to 4:50 pm.

Children's Playgroup Session - SWAN HILL

Our playgroup for Term 1 is here for our ATSI children aged 0-5 years in Swan Hill.

Koorie Playgroup - SUNBURY

Thursdays during school term, 10am - 12pm.

Koorie Youth Group - SUNBURY

This is a free activity for school aged First Nations young people. Every Thursday (during the school term) from 4pm to 5.30pm.

Youth Boxing - SUNBURY

Wednesdays. For First Nations Youth, all genders, aged 13 - 18 (secondary school age).

Koala Cubs Homework Club - WERRIBEE & BROOKFIELD

Wednesdays and Thursdays. The homework clubs are a fantastic opportunity for kids from prep to grade 6 to come together, get help with their homework, enjoy a healthy snack and participate in a cultural activity.

Western VACCA Koorie Kids Playgroup - WESTERN METRO

Our western Koorie Kids Playgroups are for kids, 5 and under, and their mums, dads, and carers living in Melbourne's west!

EOi - Youth at BADAC Community Camps - BALLARAT

Putting out an EOI for families interested in future badac camps.

EOi - Jets Studios by Banyule Youth Services - BANYULE

Jets is a safe place where young people aged 14-25 years of age can come together to access a range of awesome FREE services.

EOi - Interested in hosting a Djirra Young-Luv workshop?

Djirra's Young Luv program focuses on promoting healthy relationships for Aboriginal young women between 13 and 18 years old. All costs are covered. Reach out to Casey at cwilliams@djirra.org.au

EOi - Receiving the School Saving Bonus - VIC

A one-off \$400 to help families cover the costs of their kids' school uniforms, textbooks, excursions and activities. (Ending 30 Jun 2025)

EOi - Casting Call - First Nations Girls Aged 8 - 11 years - AUS

To play lead roles in Warwick Thornton's new feature film, 'Wolfram'. Shooting in Alice Springs April/May/June 2025 No acting experience necessary but willing to have a go. All PAID roles.

EOi - Join the Nanyak Burras Youth Panel - RUMBALARA

Looking for young First Nations people to be actively involved in the co-designing of an exciting new youth mentoring and leadership program. For First Nation youth associated with the Rumbalara Football Netball Club, aged 14-19.

EOi - Njernda School Assistance Program

Need some help getting everything your kids need for school next year? We're here to help!

Please contact Nicole on 0499 820 320 or at NicoleC@njernda.com.au to learn more about how the School Assistance Program can support your family.

EOi - Njernda Welcome Baby to Country - NJERNDA

Expressions of Interest are now open for Baby Welcome to Country and our Yarka Yaka Daya playgroup in 2025.

EOi - BDAC Youth Advisory Committee - BENDIGO

Are you an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander young person aged 15–24? We would love you to help shape our work.

EOi - Wathaurong Youth Leadership Academy - WATHAURONG

This will run in 2 different age groups, 12-17 years old & 18-28 years old, and will initially catch up monthly for programs, activities and learning experiences. This will be the beginning of some deadly activities that will be shaped by you!

EOi - Food Justice PAID Internships - DAREBIN

These programs are intended for young people (18-25 years old) experiencing employment or educational challenges, and members of First Nations communities who have an interest in growing food.

EOi - VACSAL Debutant Ball 2025 - VIC

VACSAL will be hosting a Debutant Ball for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander ladies school aged from 16+ and older women who have not previously done their ball. Numbers limited to 18 participants with first preference to those aged 16-20 years old.

EOi - BADAC Youth Committee - BALLARAT

Attention all 12 to 17 year olds. Here's a great opportunity for you to be a part of something new and something exciting.

EOi - GEGAC kinder hours extending. Provide your feedback

Next year, Dala Yooro will extend their 4-year-old kinder program from 15 hours-a-week up to 24 hours-a-week. Tell us what sessions times would you prefer for 4-year-old kinder in 2026?

EOi - Work Ready Mob - CASEY

Do you need help with resumes, cover letters, upskilling, getting your L's, or just want to know about the opportunities out there?

EOi - Eastern Maar Youth Work Experience - EASTERN MAAR

Eastern Maar Aboriginal Corporation (EMAC) is excited to announce a range of work experience opportunities as part of our new Junior Guardian Program – designed to support and engage Eastern Maar youth.

NOW OPEN - Yan-Yan-Yaruk Youth Program 2025 - CASEY

Yan-Yan Yaruk is a weekly activity-based program run throughout the school term for Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander young people aged 10 - 25 years old. This registration form is for 2025.

NOW OPEN - Kids Active Voucher Program - VIC

Eligible children may receive up to \$200 to cover the costs for membership and registration fees. Applications will open in Spring 2024.

2 Apr - The Little Wombats Program @ WPG - WOODEND

The Little Wombats Program is designed to ignite curiosity and celebrate the rich heritage of Aboriginal culture. During the 45 minutes session there will be a storybook with puppets, music and dance and art time. Most suitable for ages 3 to 6. Donations between \$5 - \$20 for a spot.

Ending 2 Apr - Photography for High School Mob - NORLANE

Aimed at high school aged young mob, we would love to have young people snapping photos at Wathaurong's next event! Dinner Provided.

3 Apr - Wurundjeri Storytime (Apr) - PRESTON

Join us for storytelling sessions in Woi wurrung and English with Rebecca. Learn about Wurundjeri culture, Woi wurrung language and Dreaming stories through storytelling, dance and song. Recommended for ages 3 to 7, however younger children also welcome!

Closing 4 Apr - REGISTER for MVAC Youth Camp - MVAC

Camp date is 11 - 13 April for ages 8 - 12. Join us for an action-packed adventure loaded with exciting activities. Try the flying fox, canoeing, archery, laser tag, and so much more!

4 Apr - Connected Beginnings Launch Day - MOOROOPNA

Join us for the Connected Beginnings Launch Day at Rumbalara Aboriginal Co-Operative! Enjoy a BBQ lunch, fun educational and health activities, and connect with local early years service providers. Transport Available.

6 Apr - Come and try basketball - BALLARAT

Boys: 1pm - 2:30pm. Girls: 2:30pm - 4pm. Ballarat High School Gym. For kids born between 2017 - 2020 interested in learning to play basketball.

8 Apr - Surfing Victoria Paddle Boarding - Lysterfield Lake

In partnership with Surfing Victoria and the Indigenous Surfing Program, we invite you to join us at Lysterfield Lake for a Stand Up Paddle Boarding Session in the April School Holidays. - Paddle Boarding for Kids over 8 years - Sand Play for kids under 8. RSVP by 1 April.

8 Apr - Clay workshop, biik ngangak: Listening to Country - HEALESVILLE

Get creative these school holidays in this hands-on clay workshop inspired by the indigenous plants of the Eva and Marc Besen Centre. The workshop is suitable for ages 6–15 and all materials are supplied.

8 - 17 Apr - Winda-Mara School Holiday Program – WINDAMARA

Plenty of activities will be happening over the two weeks including a trip to the Halls Gap Zoo and an Easter Egg Hunt so make sure you register as soon as you can! Register by 3 April.

8 - 17 Apr - BADAC School Holiday Program – BALLARAT

Please call up BADAC reception and ask for Main Rd for children to be put down on the lists.

9 Apr - Aboriginal Art Workshop - PAKENHAM

Skyla from Living Culture will be here at Pakenham Library for an Aboriginal art workshop.

9 Apr - Damper Making with Living Culture - PAKENHAM

Come and learn how to make damper from Skyla from Living Culture at Pakenham Library. Please dress for cooking! Parents/carers please stay for 12 and under, in particular, but all are welcome to stay.

9 Apr - Bush Tucker & Medicine with Living Culture - PAKENHAM

Skyla from Living Culture will be here at Pakenham Library talking about bush tucker and medicinal plants.

9 Apr - RACV Koorie Clinic - BALLARAT

Ages: 5-17 years. Join us at our Ballarat Koorie Clinic, an opportunity for mob to get together, learn to play netball & further develop netball skills! Families are encouraged to stay & yarn with community program leaders & services available.

9 - 17 Apr - Autumn Koorie School Holiday Program - CASEY

Our Koorie School Holiday Program is a FREE program for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people aged 10-17 Years.

9 - 17 Apr - April School Holiday Program – WATHAURONG

Our Karoong Kanyool Youth Hub team have got a line up of deadly activities to keep the kids entertained this school holidays.

11 Apr - Paddington in Peru - Movie screening – RESERVOIR

In the movie, Paddington goes on an unexpected journey through the Amazon rainforest and up to the mountain peaks of Peru. Hosted by Darebin City Council.

11 Apr - VACCA Deadly Disco - WYNDHAM VALE

Come along for dinner followed by a night of music and dance. All ages are welcome to attend, though children under 15 must be accompanied by an adult.

13 Apr - 3x3 Basketball Hustle – GEELONG

3x3Hustle will be teaming up with Koorie Academy Basketball for a Clinic along the Geelong waterfront.

EOi 14 - 17 Apr - Youth Swimming Lessons – GEELONG

Living in Geelong, water safety is very important! Our Youth Hub team is organising some swimming lessons in the April school holidays for young people - this includes babies, all the way up to age 28.

16 Apr - Young Luv – NORLANE

Young Luv workshop, promoting health relationships to young Aboriginal women. All girls aged 13-18 years old are invited to come along and participate.

16 Apr - Ancestral Dreaming Clap Stick Painting - FRANKSTON

Connect with culture & Country making Clap-Sticks with Traditional Custodian Josh West of Ancestral Dreaming. This session is for children aged 5-8 years.

16 Apr - Koorie Netball Clinic - WEST BENDIGO

Head along to learn netball, build skills, and spend time with mob, led by First Nations coaches.

24 Apr - Koorie Connections Day - GROVEDALE

Young mob, aged 13-28 years, living in the Barwon South-West region: Join us for a full day of culture, connection, and community at Koorie Connection Day!

29 Apr - Heritage Story Time with Aunty N'arwee't Carolyn Briggs - MELBOURNE

Suitable for ages 3-5. For this special Heritage Festival storytime with Aunty N'arwee't Carolyn Briggs, enjoy a reading of The Time of Chaos, a story of the Boon Wurrung language group, illustrated by Balnarring Preschool.

Starting 29 Apr - Youth Cooking Program - NORLANE

For ages 15 - 28. This a great opportunity for our young mob to learn how to cook quick and easy meals, and learn more about food hygiene. The Karroong Kanyool Cooking Program will run over 6 weeks on a Tuesday evening.

6 May - Kindergarten Registration Day - NORLANE

If your child is eligible to start Kinder 3 or 4 in 2026 and you're wanting more information around registration, come on down to Karroong Kanyool Youth Hub on Tuesday 6th of May 2025, between 11am - 1pm.

Closing 15 May - BADAC Youth NAIDOC Poster Competition - BALLARAT

Ages 5 - 17. Please come up with your own design that represents this years NAIDOC Theme. Closing date Thursday 15th of May. Artworks to be delivered to 403 Main Rd Golden point.

26 May - Reconciliation Week Storytime (3-5 years) - SUNSHINE

Come together for a special preschool reconciliation week Storytime. Audience: Children & Families 3-5 years.

26 May - Kids Reconciliation Week Storytime - SUNSHINE

Come together for a special preschool reconciliation week Storytime. Audience: Children & Families 3-5 years.

26 May - Kids Reconciliation Week Activities - SAINT ALBANS

Come together for Reconciliation Week with our special After School Activity Zone activities. Audience: Children 6 –12 years old.

27 May - Kids Reconciliation Week Activities - TAYLORS LAKES

Come together for Reconciliation Week with our special After School Activity Zone activities. Audience: Children 6 –12 years old.

28 May - Kids Reconciliation Week Activities - DEER PARK

This event is for families with children aged 6-12 years. Children must be supervised. Come together for Reconciliation Week with our special After School Activity Zone activities.

30 May - Reconciliation Week Activities at Keilor Library - KEILOR

Come together for Reconciliation Week with our special After School Activity Zone activities. Audience: Children 6 –12 years old.

Starting 10Jun - Mixed Social Netball - NORTH GEELONG

Tuesdays. Ages 15 - 28. Play mixed netball with other mob. Fill out the EOI form below or email youth@wathaurong.org.au.

13 Jun - VACSAL Debutant Ball 2025 - TAYLORS LAKE

(Save the date) - link provided later. Register link [here](#).

13 Jun - Jnr NAIDOC Gala Ball - BALLARAT

This event is for secondary school students only - year 7 to year 12. Come join us and our special guest host Isaac Compton at the 2025 Jnr NAIDOC Gala Ball as we celebrate and enjoy a night of culture & community.

27 Jun - Jnr NAIDOC Disco - BALLARAT EAST

Ages 5 to 12. Primary school students only.

18 Jul - 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament - DANDENONG

This is an exciting opportunity to showcase our mobs talent, as well as promote healthy living across our community.

19 Jul - 20 Sep - Koorie Basketball Academy Program - WARRNAMBOOL

A program designed to give young mob the chance to develop basketball skills in a supportive and relaxed environment. Targeting ages 6-16, this program is all about growth, teamwork, and learning through play.

Community Events & Notices

Ongoing Weekly Activities

Men's Fitness Sessions - BAIRNSDALE

Tuesdays. Stay healthy or get healthy! The Men's Fitness Sessions are back!

Women's Group - BALLARAT

Check out BADAC's upcoming roster of activities for their women's group.

Men's Group - BALLARAT

Thursdays. Full program now live.

BDAC Women's Group - BENDIGO

Starting Thursday 6 February (and first Thursday of the month afterwards)

Walk the Campaspe - CAMPASPE

Join us as we Walk the Campaspe each Monday from March 3 till 8 September! Call Lilly on 0477 688 634 to learn more.

Wandarra Gathering Place - DALLAS

Mondays 11am - 2pm. Morning Tea and Lunch provided.

Cooking Classes - EAST RESERVOIR

A safe, respectful and supportive environment where Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women can eat together, share recipes and skills and yarn and connect in culture.

Community Yarning Circle - EPPING

Come together for meaningful conversations with mob over a cuppa, in a culturally safe and supportive environment.

Nairm Marr Djambana - FRANKSTON

We're excited to welcome everyone back for our weekly programs starting next week. See linked flyer for all details of upcoming programs.

Windook Dad's Group - FRANKSTON

Held in Frankston every Monday during school terms, the group is a place where men can come to yarn and connect with each other in a culturally safe, welcoming environment. Meals are provided at each session and transport is available upon request.

GEGAC Free & Friendly Exercise Sessions for Mob - GIPPSLAND

Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays; different group activities for Community.

Yarn SMART Recovery Meeting - HAMILTON

Fridays. Come and yarn about gambling, drug & alcohol use, or any other behaviour of concern.

Storylines Women's Group - HEIDELBERG WEST

Mondays, fortnightly, starting 3 February.

Men's Group - HEYWOOD

A deadly opportunity for our men to come together for a yarn and a feed.

Dardi Men's Healing & Behaviour Change - MILDURA

Tuesdays. Providing a safe place where healing and behaviour change can take place in a non-shaming environment.

First Time Parents Group - MOOROOPNA

Are you a new parent looking for support, connection, and guidance? Join our First Time Parents Group at Rumbalara! Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month starting 4 February.

VAHS Women's Group - PRESTON

Join us every Wednesday at VAHS Preston from 11am to 2pm to yarn with likeminded women, complete Cultural arts and crafts, and share lunch together.

VACSAL Men's Yarning Circle - PRESTON

Every second Wednesday. Open to all males. A safe and welcoming space.

Women's Arts & Craft - RINGWOOD

Mob Ladies listen up! Women's Arts & Craft program is up and running every Wednesday and we'd like to see your friendly face there for a yarn, food and arts & craft!

MVAC Women's Group - ROBINVALE

Join us every Thursday for our Women's Group, a warm and inclusive space specifically for women from our local Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander community.

Veg-Out BBQ Lunch - ST. KILDA

We invite community to join us every fortnight on a Monday from 11am - 3pm for a BBQ lunch, yarns and an opportunity to connect with mob.

First Nations Glass Workshops Program - STONNINGTON

GLAAS Inc is excited to offer this opportunity to First Nations artists to use glass to express their creativity and bring their unique cultural influences to glass art works. Ending 22 May

Coffee Group - SUNBURY

Tuesdays. Drop in for a coffee and a chat - 43 Macedon Street Sunbury.

Aboriginal Community Men's Group - SUNSHINE NORTH

Wednesdays. Culturally safe yarnning circle to chat about anything.

Fitzroy Stars Social Calendar - THORNBURY

STARS functions to lock away in your calendar! More details shared closer to each one! Last event 20 July 2025.

Dardi First Nation Men's Weekly Gatherings - WARRNAMBOOL

Every Thursday 11am - 1pm

Western VACCA Women's Group - WYNDHAM VALE

From 10am-12pm at the Wunggurrwil Dhurrung Community Centre, join other women for a yarn in a culturally safe space.

Support - Stolen Generations Reparations Package - VIC

The package addresses the trauma and suffering caused by the forced removal of Aboriginal children from their families, culture, and Country. It applies to children removed in Victoria before 31 December 1976.

Support - Wathaurong Homeless Support - NORLANE

Our team provides assessments, safety checks, and helps connect individuals to housing, material aid, and support services.

Support - Redress for Historical Institutional Abuse - VIC

Redress for Historical Institutional Abuse is for people who experienced physical, emotional or psychological abuse and neglect as children in institutional settings in Victoria before 1990.

EOi - Casting Call for new Warwick Thornton Film - AUS

Seeking Indigenous Men 25 - 38. No experience needed. Two lead roles in a feature film with Director, Warwick Thornton.

EOi - Aboriginal Private Rental Assistance Program - GEGAC

There is help for Aboriginal people to get rental housing.

EOi - New Parenting Program - SWAN HILL

This program will allow you to help your child's growth and development through the ages of 0-6 years. Promoting emotionally intelligent parenting.

EOi - Help shape Sea Country - GUNAI/KURNAL

Are you passionate about caring for Sea Country? We're inviting Gunaikurnai community members to join the Planning Group.

EOi - Fitroy Stars are looking for Volunteers - THORNBURY

We are seeking dedicated individuals who are interested in having a positive impact in community sports. If you are passionate about community football and netball, we want to hear from you!

EOi - Wathaurong Community Dance Group

If you are interested in being involved in ongoing dance practices, with the potential to dance at future events, register your interest below. All ages, genders and experience levels are welcome!

EOi - Take Back The Track

Our Vision is for women and gender-diverse runners to feel less alone, validated and a sense of belonging and safety when running.

EOi - Seeking YORTA YORTA Artists for public artwork

Yorta Yorta Nation Aboriginal Corporation (YYNAC), in partnership with Moira Shire Council, is inviting Yorta Yorta artists to be part of a special public art project at Thompsons Beach, Cobram.

EOi - Seeking DJAARA content creators

We're on the lookout for a Djaara Digital Content Creator Trainee to work across DJANDAK, DUMAWUL and DJAKITJ – helping to share our stories! Loves photography, video, or digital design. Keen to learn & grow in digital media.

EOi - First Nations Artwork Opportunity – BALLARAT

We invite Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander artists to submit an Expression of Interest to create an original digital design pattern that will be permanently displayed at BALC.

EOi - Artwork Competition – BALLARAT

Another great art competition for a very worthy cause! Closing 27 July.

EOi - Stolen Generation Healing Workshops – GROVEDALE

Aboriginal Healing Practitioner Lee Couch is coming to Wathaurong in April for a series of Healing Workshops for community who have been affected by the Stolen Generation.

EOi - Ballarat Foto Biennale – BALLARAT

Seeking electronic photos taken in the last year.

2025 - Carer Kafe - Upcoming Training Events - ONLINE

Carer Kafe is dedicated to keeping carers informed, supported, valued, and respected.

2025 - Casey Aboriginal Weekly Programs - CASEY

For youth and adults.

2025 - Casey Aboriginal Community Lunch Dates - DOVETON

Mark your calendars and get ready to connect and share a meal!

2025 - Winda-Mara Community Dinner Dates - HEYWOOD/HAMILTON

Happening monthly in both Heywood and Hamilton, it's an opportunity for our mob to come together for a yarn and a feed put on by our staff.

2025 - Barrbunin Beek Mob Dinner Dates - HEIDELBERG WEST

Barrbunin Beek Aboriginal Gathering Place invites all Mob in the North to join us for our once a-month Family Dinner Night.

April - Djirra's KWP Activity Calendar

Hey sisters, our April KWP calendar is now ready!

April - Baby Massage Program - HEIDELBERG WEST

Come along to one or all the sessions outlined below to learn different baby massage techniques you can use with your Bubup.

2 Apr - Gunditjmara Community Gathering - ONLINE

Online, mob only session. Have input into a discussion about Gunditjmara priorities and the scheduling of engagement events and meetings.

Closing 3 Apr - Community Grants & Sponsorship - HORSHAM

The aim of this program is to assist, develop, promote, advance and encourage all sporting and community activities in Horsham, its surrounding districts and towns. Preference may be given to groups / organisations which can contribute substantially to the project envisaged.

Ending 3 Apr - Stand-Up Paddle Boarding - BALLARAT

Paddle Boarding starts this Thursday with Jordan and his team from Surfing Victoria.

4 Apr - Banyule First Nations Employment Pathways 2 - HEIDELBERG

Join us for one of our three sessions with James Williams, a proud Yorta Yorta, Wiradjuri, Gunditjmara, and Gunai/Kurnai man.

4 Apr - Nakaliji - Movement Workshop - THORNBURY

Facilitated by Queer, First Nations professional dance artist and movement facilitator, Wren Sky Milera. This is for you and us to remember, heal, and expand in the joy of movement together.

4 Apr - Theatre: The Frog - ST. KILDA

'The Frog' is a whimsical, absurdist comedy about unlikely friendships and the pursuit of rest. Special Blak Tickets price. Playing at the Victorian Pride theatre.

EOI 4 Apr - Seeking artwork for Bunurong Land Council - BUNURONG

If you're a Bunurong artist with a killer design and want your work to be seen across t-shirts and more, we want to hear from YOU!

4 - 6 Apr - Men's Healing Camp - EAST METRO

Inviting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander men (18+) living in the Eastern Metro Region to join us for a Men's Healing Retreat Camp at Camp Jungai.

4 - 6 Apr - CresFest - CRESWICK

The festival's wide-ranging program features deadly First Nations artists.

5 Apr - Unity Cup 2025 - President's Lunch - SHEPPARTON

On behalf of the Rumbalara Football Netball Club and Congupna Football & Netball Club, we warmly invite you to the 17th annual Unity Cup. This special day celebrates our grandmothers, mothers, aunties, and sisters who strengthen our families and communities.

5 Apr - Rumbalara Ladies Day - SHEPPARTON

Following the traditions of Unity Cup, and the walk of solidarity, join us for a great afternoon in the designated marquee with drinks and nibbles provided.

7 Apr - Wathaurong Open Day - NORLANE

Ever wondered what exactly it is that Wathaurong Aboriginal Co-operative does? Good news, we're hosting an Open Day for you to learn all about us!

9 Apr - Rumbalara Easter Family Day - MOOROOPNA

Come and join us for an afternoon of fun, games, food, music, and a visit from the Easter Bunny!

9 Apr - Western Family Movie Screening - MELTON

These school holidays we'll be hosting two family movie screenings in the west. Both screenings are free and will start at 12pm. Registrations are essential.

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Facilitated by Queer, First Nations professional dance artist and movement facilitator, Wren Sky Milera. This is for you and us to remember, heal, and expand in the joy of movement together.

11 Apr - Healthy, Happy, Deadly for Mob Event - SUNBURY

Learn more about health initiatives and supports to help our mob enjoy long and healthy lives. Stalls, activities, workshops, face painting and giveaways. Lunch provided.

11 Apr - Podcast 101 Youth Workshop - BROADMEADOWS

Ages 15 - 20. Learn from SYN Media on how to create a podcast, how to get creative with podcasting, what equipment to use and how your podcast can be noticed by others. Participants will be able to create a demo, using SYN media's professional equipment.

11 Apr - Deadlier Together - BOX HILL

This is open to all Mob, Come and have a feed with family fun and lots of goodies.

12 Apr - A Night with the Stars - THORNBURY

Everyone's favourite function is just a few weeks away! Get those costumes ready for a great night!

11 & 12 Apr - wawa dharrang cultural tour - YEA

wawa dharrang meaning 'hello tree', is an immersive 5-hour cultural experience on Taungurung Country. The dharrang (tree) has provided resources, resilience and life to Taungurung Ancestors for millennia.

13 Apr - Ngarra Jarra Noun Healing Ceremony - COLLINGWOOD

Music performances by Briggs, Crooked TP, MPathSoul, Jayden Lillyst, Aaron Morgan and Cultural Dance Groups. Traditional games, art and dance workshop for children on the day. Mindful mob healing markets and food stalls will be setup and a community BBQ.

Closing 14 Apr - Citipower First Peoples pre-apprenticeship scholarship - VIC

CitiPower and Powercor are committed to creating opportunities for First Peoples in the energy industry, through trade and professional career pathways. The scholarship is valued at up to \$2,000 and aims to assist First Peoples with costs associated with study.

16 Apr - Casey Easter Eggstravaganza - DOVETON

Get crafty with Easter Basket Making and create your own basket to hold all your sweet treats, just in time for the Easter egg hunt! This event is Mob Only – family, parents, and carers are all welcome!

16 Apr - Rochester Community Gathering - BENDIGO

Get ready for our upcoming Community Gathering in Rochester! Come along for an afternoon of music and culture, plus BBQ lunch.

16 Apr - Western Family Movie Screening - WERRIBEE

These school holidays we'll be hosting two family movie screenings in the west. Both screenings are free and will start at 12pm. Registrations are essential.

16 Apr - Bake Off with Valley Youth - NIDDRIE

Join us these holidays for a fun cookie baking session! Learn to bake, decorate, and take home your tasty creations. Sign up now! (Hosted by non-Indigenous org that promotes cultural safety).

16 Apr - Southern Metro Family Fun Day - ST. KILDA

There will be plenty of activities and Easter treats for everyone! All Community welcome.

Closing 17 Apr - GLaWAC NAIDOC Artwork Comp. - GUNAI/KURNAI

You don't have to call yourself an artist. Whether you paint, draw, design, or just love getting creative, this is your chance to be part of something big. Gunaikurnai artists and any First Nations creatives living on Country can enter.

Closing 21 Apr - Ilbijerri Ensemble Call Out - VIC

Are you an aspiring theatre-maker who wants to learn new skills with ILBIJERRI mentors? We're looking for Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people aged 18–35 to participate in the ILBIJERRI Ensemble Open Access 2025 Program.

26 Apr - Bushtucker Walk and Talk - WESTMEADOWS

Aunty Jo Russell will yarn about Aboriginal cultural plants at the Westmeadows Indigenous Community Garden for City Nature Challenge 2025.

1 May - Aboriginal Archive Community Day - PRESTON

Last chance to see some incredible historical archival material.

2 May - Banyule First Nations Employment Pathways 3 - HEIDELBERG

Join us for one of our three sessions with James Williams, a proud Yorta Yorta, Wiradjuri, Gunditjmarra, and Gunai Kurnai man.

6 May - Cultural Awareness Training for the Music Industry - BALNARRING

Get ready to dive deep into understanding different cultures and perspectives in the music industry at our Cultural Awareness Training event.

7 May - Seeking Community Kinship Carers Info Night - BALLARAT

BADAC and DFFH are currently working together to build a network of Kinship carers within the BADAC community. This will ensure our children remain connected to Culture and Community.

Ending 8 May - GEGAC on Country Excursions - GIPPSLAND

Here's dates for the next few months. Locations TBD depending on conditions and where the fish are at.

13 May - Cinema Yarra: Namatjira Project - RICHMOND

Experience the powerful story of Albert Namatjira, Australia's most celebrated Indigenous artist. This captivating documentary, directed by Sera Davies, explores his groundbreaking art, cultural legacy, and the struggles he faced as an Aboriginal man in a divided society.

28 May - Film: Winhanganha - KYNETON

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31 May - Get Your Reconciliation On! - FRANKSTON

Bringing together mob and allies in an all-abilities fun run and event celebrating inclusion.

1 Jun - Reconciliation Week Community Planting - CRAIGIEBURN

All ages welcome. Help expand the Indigenous cultural garden at the Stolen Generations Marker in Craigieburn for Reconciliation Week, with a catered lunch.

1 Jun - Reconciliation Week Family & Allies Day - HASTINGS

Hosted by Willum Warrain. Everyone is welcome. Come and celebrate Rec Week with us - a family friendly and inclusive cultural gathering for mob and allies sharing a Big Mob meal together.

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Closing 31 Oct - Victorian Aboriginal Business Investment Program - VIC

Grants from \$5,000 to \$10,000 (excluding GST) are available for business support to improve daily operations and help the financial sustainability of the business.