



Last year's Kurrung Sports Carnival men's basketball teams after the grand final game with the Minjilang Eagles taking the win over runner's up Jabiru Bombers.

KURRUNG COUNTDOWN IS ON

Final training sessions are underway across West Arnhem as communities count down to the 2026 Kurrung Sports Carnival, kicking off in Jabiru on Friday, 28 August.

Proudly hosted by West Arnhem Regional Council, the Kurrung Sports Carnival is one of the region's biggest events of the year, bringing communities together through sport and fostering connection, pride and a strong sense of belonging.

Around 200 athletes are expected to travel to Jabiru, forming men's and women's AFL and basketball teams representing Minjilang, Maningrida, Gunbalanya, Waruwi and Kakadu.

With plenty of local talent on display and communities getting behind their teams, the two-day carnival promises strong competition and an incredible community atmosphere.

Adding to the excitement, the much-loved Mahbilil Festival will also take place over the same weekend. Together, Kurrung and Mahbilil will create an action-packed celebration showcasing the very best of sport, culture, music and community across Kakadu and West Arnhem Land.

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The sporting action officially begins on Friday, 28 August at the Jabiru Sports Courts, with the Kurrung opening ceremony followed by the women's and men's

basketball competitions and grand finals.

On Saturday, 29 August, attention turns to Brockman Oval for the hotly contested men's AFL competition, which will run throughout the day.

A special women's AFL showcase match will also be played, highlighting the growing interest and participation of women in competitive football across the region.

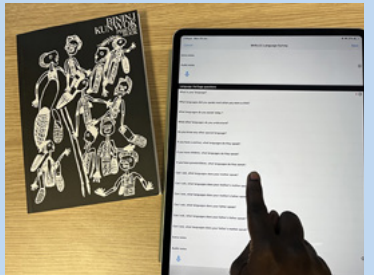
Long-time Kurrung partner NO MORE will once again have a strong presence throughout the carnival, promoting the values of respect, fair play and camaraderie on and off the field.

The NO MORE team will also present the Spirit of Kurrung Cup to the community that best demonstrates these values throughout the carnival.

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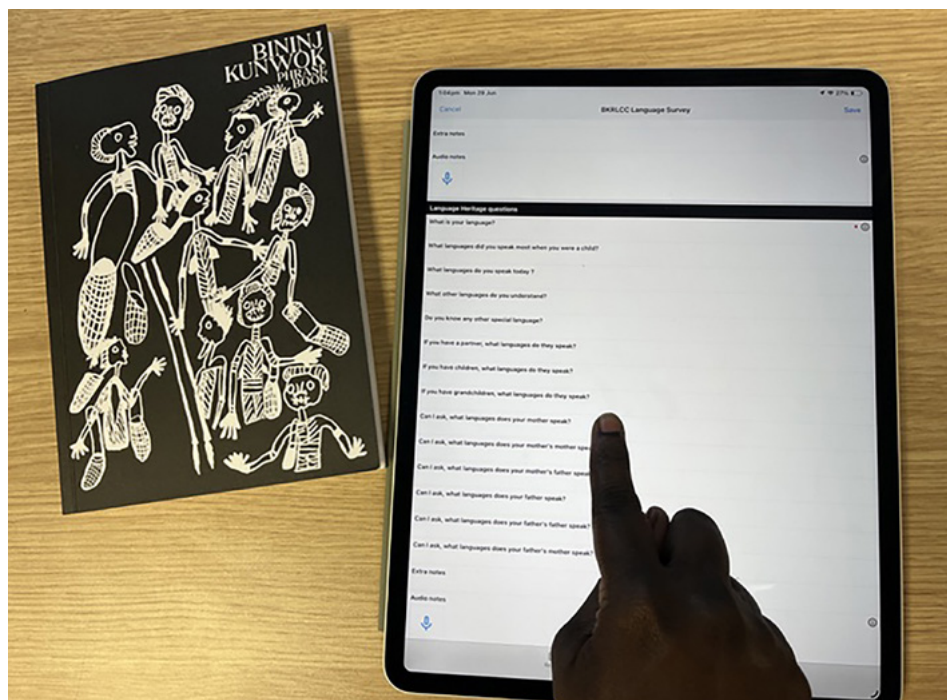
At the Bininj Kunwok Regional Language and Culture Centre, we are doing a language survey across West Arnhem Land. We want to learn more about the languages spoken in our communities. The survey will help us plan language programs so we can support languages into the future.

If you are an Indigenous person who speaks languages from West Arnhem Land (even if you don't currently live in

West Arnhem Land), we want to hear from you!

The survey asks about what languages you and your family speak and understand. It also asks about what you think will help keep languages strong. It takes less than 1 hour to do and you will be paid \$50 for your time.

If you want to do the survey or ask any questions, you can talk to any BKRLCC staff or contact Isabel (isabel@bininjgunwok.org.au) by email or phone (0402 221 596). You can do the survey face-to-face or over the phone.



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West Arnhem Regional Council acknowledges the First Nations Custodians; and the many Language and Family groups who are Managers and Care-takers to each of their Traditional homelands and Waters across the West Arnhem Regions Wards. West Arnhem Regional Council pay their respects and acknowledge Elders, past present and rising.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Upcoming Local Authority meeting dates:

MONDAY, 24 AUGUST Maningrida Local Authority

MON, 7 SEPTEMBER Gunbalanya Local Authority

TUE, 8 SEPTEMBER Minjilang Local Authority

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NEW ELECTED MEMBER FOR WARRUWI WARD

West Arnhem Regional Council congratulates Geraldine Narul on her election as the new Councillor for the Waruwi Ward.

Cr Narul's appointment, announced recently by the Northern Territory Electoral Commission, follows the 2026 Local Government By-election held in July.

Cr Narul brings valuable local knowledge and a strong connection to community and culture to her role on Council.

As a previous Waruwi Local Authority member, she has experience in local leadership and a strong understanding of community priorities. Her leadership will help strengthen the voice of the Waruwi Ward and support positive outcomes for communities across the West Arnhem region.

Council warmly welcomes Cr Narul and looks forward to her contribution to West Arnhem Regional Council.

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This is your story; your journey and we will take the time to listen.

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- Free and confidential service available 24/7 from any mobile or pay phone
- Aboriginal & Torres Strait Islander Crisis Supporters to yarn to.



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WHAT'S ON



The 2026 Kurrung Sports Carnival will take place in Jabiru on 28 & 29 August 2026.

WEEKLY

Monday

Underwater Hockey: Jabiru Pool, 5pm
Kakadu Deadly Runners & Walkers, 5.30pm
Fire Station Training: Jabiru Fire Station, 6pm

Tuesdays

Bombers football training: Brockman Oval, 5:30pm
Jabiru Firey's Fitness Training: Magela Oval, 5:30pm
Aqua Fitness: Jabiru Swimming Pool, 6.15pm

Wednesdays

Skins Golf: Jabiru Golf Club, 4.45pm
Kakadu Deadly Runners & Walkers, 5.30pm
Jabiru Creative Group: Town Plaza, 6.00pm

Thursdays

Jabiru Bombers Football training: Brockman Oval, 5pm
Jabiru Firey's Fitness Training: Magela Oval, 5.30pm

Fridays

Jabiru Golf Club raffles & Members Draw, 7pm
Pool competition: Jabiru Golf Club, 7pm

Sundays

Jabiru Firey's Fitness Training 5.30pm

AUGUST

10 - 21 Maningrida Vet Visit
22 & 28 2026 Book Week
28 & 29 2026 Kurrung Sports Carnival and Mahbilil Festival

SEPTEMBER

Tue 1 Waruwi Career's Expo
Wed 2 Minjilang Career's Expo
Wed 2 Indigenous Literacy Day
Wed 3 Jabiru Career's Expo
Thu 10 R U OK? Day
22 - 23 WARC Ordinary Council Meeting, Jabiru

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There will also be a range of interactive stalls throughout the event, giving participants and spectators the opportunity to connect with organisations and stallholders onsite.

Following the Kurrung presentations on Saturday, participants, families and spectators are encouraged to continue the celebrations at the Mahbilil Festival at Marrawuddi Gallery.

The Kurrung Sports Carnival is made possible through strong partnerships between Council, communities, regional organisations, businesses and volunteers.

West Arnhem Regional Council sincerely thanks everyone involved in bringing the 2026 carnival together, particularly the participating communities and teams, Council staff, volunteers, event partners and sponsors.

Council proudly acknowledges the generous support of this year's sponsors:

NIAA, Northern Territory Government, NT Health, Ranger Rehabilitation Project, Stedman's Constructions and Engineering, C&R Constructions, Kaddum Industries, ALPA, Kakadu Lodge, Red Lily Health Board, AJ Couriers, Caulfield Grammar School, Mercure Kakadu Crocodile Hotel, Jabiru Service Station, Gunbalanya Meats, Gundjeihmi Aboriginal Corporation, Northern Land Council and Jabiru Property Services.

Council also acknowledges our community sponsors:

Gunbalanya Sports & Social Club, Adjumarllarl Aboriginal Corporation – Stronger Communities for Children, ALPA RAES, DEMED, Injalak Arts, Malala Health, WTD Constructions, ALPA Minjilang and Jabiru Bombers Football Club.

With communities preparing to bring their best to Jabiru, the countdown is well and truly on for another memorable Kurrung Sports Carnival.

LAST YEAR'S WINNERS

Men's Basketball

- Runners Up: Jabiru Bombers
- Winners: Minjilang Eagles

Women's Basketball

- Runners Up: Maningrida
- Winners: Minjilang Eagles

Women's AFL

- Runners Up: Maningrida
- Winners: Jabiru Bombers

Men's AFL

- Runners Up: Maningrida
- Winners: Jabiru Bombers

Special Awards

- 'Spirit of Kurrung' Cup: Minjilang



PUBLIC NOTICE

Did you know Council can help Community members move abandoned cars to the Landfill?

If you have an abandoned car on your property that you would like removed, pop into the Council Office and fill out a form!





KURRUNG SPORTS CARNIVAL

UNITING SPORTS TEAMS FROM WEST ARNHEM LAND

28 & 29 AUGUST 2026 JABIRU, NT

MEN'S & WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

MEN'S AFL & WOMEN'S SHOWCASE MATCH

STALLS & GIVEAWAYS

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PROTECT YOURSELF, GET YOUR FLU SHOT

Territorians are urged to get vaccinated against influenza (flu) following increased cases in urban and rural Darwin, Katherine and East Arnhem.

Protecting yourself against the flu is especially important during the dry season with increased visitors to the Northern Territory (NT) and large-scale community events.

Influenza is spread from person to person, mainly through respiratory droplets produced during coughing or sneezing.

Influenza often has an abrupt onset, and symptoms include tiredness, fever, headache, chills, sore throat, loss of appetite, cough, runny nose and sneezing.

People can reduce the risk of passing influenza by staying home if they are unwell, hand washing, physical distancing and wearing a mask.

Since the beginning of 2026, there have been 775 confirmed cases of the flu, 218 hospitalisations and 2 deaths

reported in the NT.

During the same time in 2025, there were 3052 reported cases of the flu, 785 hospitalisations and 11 deaths.

As the flu season will vary each year and the NT is experiencing a later start of the flu this year, now is the time to get your 2026 flu vaccine.

Territorians can access the flu vaccination from the GP, health clinic and participating pharmacies.

People who are a greater risk of complication from the flu and are eligible for a free vaccination include:

- All children aged 6 months to under 5 years
- All adults aged 65 years and over
- Pregnant women at any stage of pregnancy
- Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people aged 6 months and over
- People aged 6 months and over with certain medical conditions that increase the risk of severe flu.

LAST ROUND OF 2026 VET VISITS

The 2026 West Arnhem Vet Program is continuing into the second half of the year with more community visits scheduled in coming months before the onset of the wet season.

Throughout the year, veterinarians and veterinary students from the University of Melbourne will continue travelling to West Arnhem communities to provide essential animal health services.

Residents are encouraged to take advantage of the upcoming visits:

Gunbalanya

21 September – 25 September

Maningrida

14 September – 18 September

Warruwi

14 September – 16 September
Third visit date to be confirmed

Minjilang

17 & 18 September 2026
Third visit date to be confirmed

Please help spread the word to your family and friends about the upcoming vet visits.

SAVE THE DATE - 2026 CAREERS EXPOS

SAVE THE DATE – Careers & Opportunity Expo!

ALPA is bringing its Careers & Opportunity Expo to West Arnhem this September!

- Warruwi – 1 September
- Minjilang – 2 September
- Jabiru – 3 September

West Arnhem Regional Council is excited to join other organisations at the expos and yarn with community

members about the amazing and unique career pathways available.

Whether you're looking for work, thinking about your next step or just want to know what opportunities are out there, come along and have a chat with us!

Plus, enjoy a FREE community barbecue while you're there.



Kunwinjku Language Online course

Kurrung 2026
6 weeks commencing in Sept 2026

This course is a practical introduction to the Indigenous Australian language—Kunwinjku—which is spoken throughout Kakadu National Park and western Arnhem Land. It is designed to develop basic speaking, listening, reading and writing skills at an introductory level, and to develop a knowledge and understanding of the relation between language, culture and society in the community of the speakers.

The course explains aspects of grammar and everyday practical conversational strategies. Course materials are online in a series of weekly units designed by linguists with teaching qualifications, in collaboration with native speaking language specialists with many years of teaching experience. Each week two live Zoom tutorials are offered with Kunwinjku native speakers. These are usually offered at 5:00 - 6:00pm NT time on Tuesdays and Thursdays.



The course is \$495. Fees are used to pay our Bininj language teachers and for administration of the course.

Once you have enrolled and paid online you will receive an email in the week before the course with login details and an invitation to our teaching platform Google Classroom where you can interact with teachers and other students and complete weekly assignments.

Follow our Facebook page for updates and announcements closer to commencement date:
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MALALA HEALTH WINS AT NT PHN AWARDS

The Territory's top primary health professionals have been honoured at the 2026 Northern Territory Primary Health Network (NT PHN) Health Professional of the Year Awards, proudly supported by Charles Darwin University.

The primary health workforce in the NT plays a vital role in delivering care across some of Australia's most challenging and rewarding environments. These annual awards recognise the individuals and teams whose expertise and compassion help improve health outcomes and strengthen communities across the Territory.

- Northpharm's Primary Healthcare Team of the Year – Manayngkarirra Primary Health Skin Week Team, Mala'la Health Service Aboriginal Corporation

- CDU's Rising Star of the Year – Katrina Villaflores, Training & Development Coordinator, Mala'la Health Service Aboriginal Corporation

NT PHN Chief Executive



The 2026 Health Professional of the Year Awards winners The 2026 Health Professional of the Year Awards winners.

Officer, Paul Connolly, said the awards, which are now in their ninth year, provide an important opportunity to recognise the outstanding contributions of the Territory's primary healthcare workforce.

"The people who make up our health workforce are one of the Territory's greatest strengths. Their knowledge, dedication and commitment

help ensure Territorians can access care, no matter where they live," Mr Connolly said.

"Behind every appointment, outreach visit and improved health outcome is a team of people working together. This includes clinicians, Aboriginal health teams, support staff, administrators and leaders who understand their communities and keep

showing up for them.

"These awards recognise the people who go beyond what is expected, find new ways to deliver care and make a real difference in the lives of Territorians. Their work is not always easy, but it matters deeply.

"Improve health outcomes and strengthen communities across the Territory.."

"To this year's finalists and winners, thank you for your commitment, your compassion and the contribution you make to a healthier Northern Territory."

This year, the Health Professional of the Year Awards were held alongside Compass 2026, NT PHN's biennial conference for primary healthcare professionals in the Northern Territory.

CAREERS & OPPORTUNITY EXPO

JABIRU TOWN PLAZA

THURSDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

12:30 - 2:30 PM

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- Dr Shellie Morris AO
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Ivan Namarnyilk



Ivan Namarnyilk's work is deeply connected to
Country and community

all artwork available for sale at exhibition

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Dr Shellie Morris AO

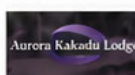
Multi-award-winning singer/songwriter Dr Shellie Morris AO creates music and sings in around 20 Australian Aboriginal languages, preserving and promoting culture.

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'PLANTS OF OUR COUNTRY' BOOK RELEASE

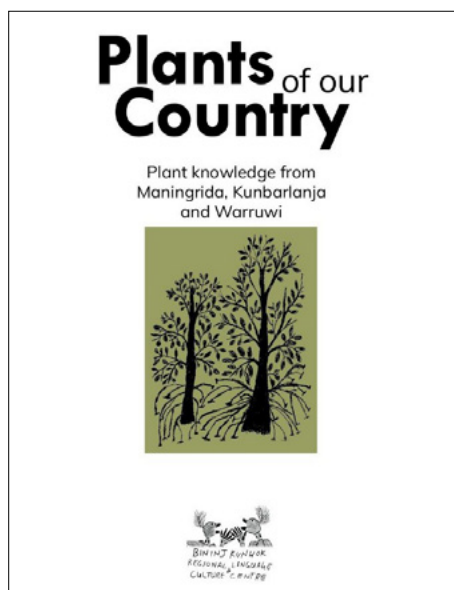
A new plant book with names of plants in West Arnhem languages is coming out this year!

Plants of Our Country, has gone to press and is expected to launch later this year.

The book will be published by the Bininj Kunwok Regional Language and Cultural Centre and features a Top 100 selection of plants, with each entry including the English and Latin names, plus names in nine west Arnhem Land languages. It also includes photographs, notes on plant use, and comments in local languages.

The project took three years of research, checking, writing, photographing and design work. Many people contributed, including linguists Margaret Carew and Carolyn Coleman, photographer Gary Fox, plant experts and language workers across west Arnhem Land, and designer Brenda Thornley. BKRLCC team members also helped review drafts, correct errors and sub-edit the text. RIP artist Balang Rostron, who created the book's black-and-white drawings before he passed away. His family generously gave permission for his work to be included.

In all, linguists checked around a thousand plant names, but only about 10 per cent could be included in the book. Work has also begun on a companion website, which will eventually include the full project content, including plant classification, names and usage notes in English, Latin and nine west Arnhem Land



languages. The book will be available to buy at local art centres in West Arnhem Land (Maningrida, Gunbalanya, Jabiru, Waruwi) as well as the Border Store and book shops in Darwin.

It would not have been made without multilingual language teams working in different parts of West Arnhem Land who checked all the plant names:

Mawng: Jenny Manmurrulu
Kunbarlang: Paul Narakodj (also Mawng), Solomon Yalbarra (also Mawng

and Kunwinjku), Micky (Midnight) Yalbarra (also Mawng and Kunwinjku), Douglas Djalumba (also Mawng), Jack Mardilanj (also Kuninjku), Josiah Mardilanj, Millie Djamudjdjana (also Ndjébbana)

Ndjébbana: Karen Wuridjal (Worrdjol), Don Wilton, Alistair Djalórlbba James, Joseph Diddo, Debbie Mabbínjdja James

Na-kara: Jimmy Kalaminda, Mary Naborlangarra, Vivienne Karddila Wilton
Gurr-goni: Leila Nimbada (also contributed Ndjébbana)

Burarra & Gun-nartpa: Freda Ali, Bonnie Burramgara, Doreen Jin-garrabarra, Florence Farrell, Laurie Gurraylayla (Gurrayalayala) Williams, Rebecca Buwarr Gamalangga Baker, Cindy Jin-marabynana, Margaret Garanyida, Patrick Mudjana, Rose Ngardiny Darcy (also Na-kara)

Rembarrnga: Wesley Campion (also Kune)
Dalabon & Dangbon: Jack Nawirlwirl

Kune: Russell Brian (also Rembarrnga), Lennie Guya-airra

Kuninjku: Charlie Nanguwerr, Margot Gurawiliwili (Kurrawiliwili), Jocelyn Koyole, Faylene Bonson, Dora Daykkuma (also Kunbarlang)

Kunwinjku: Jill Nganjmirra, Andrew Manakngu, Ben Burrunali, Gideon Djourlom
Kundedjnenghmi: Clarrie Nadjamerrak
Kundjeyhmi: George Djandjomerr, Djaykuk Djandjomerr, May Nango

Djinang & Wurlaki: Margaret Rinybuma, Eric Pascoe, Leonie Pascoe, Dale Pascoe, Simon Pascoe.






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- The cost
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-  **CLEAN HOUSEHOLD ITEMS AND SURFACES**



If you need an interpreter we can book one for you.




MINJILANG COMES TOGETHER IN SUPPORT

On Wednesday, 12 August, Minjilang community came together for a barbecue at the Community Basketball Courts, providing an opportunity to connect and support one another during Sorry Business.

"Providing a welcoming space for people to come together, connect and support one another.."

The West Arnhem Regional Council Youth, Sport and Recreation (YSR) team held the barbecue alongside its regular sport and recreation activities, as local teams continue their preparations for the upcoming Kurrung Sports Carnival in Jabiru.

There has been plenty of activity on the basketball courts, with the Minjilang men's and women's teams training hard

and getting ready to bring their best game to Kurrung.

YSR team member Sophia is currently leading sport and recreation activities in Minjilang and has been doing a fantastic job coaching both basketball teams and supporting community participation.

The barbecue attracted an incredible turnout of around 90 people. After a big evening of training and activities, community members enjoyed a well-deserved meal and the opportunity to spend time together.

The gathering demonstrated the important role Council can play in supporting community during Sorry Business, providing a welcoming space for people to come together, connect and support one another.

It was also a great opportunity to recognise the commitment of Minjilang's players as they prepare to represent their community at the 2026 Kurrung Sports Carnival.

We wish the Minjilang teams all the best and look forward to welcoming them to Jabiru!



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