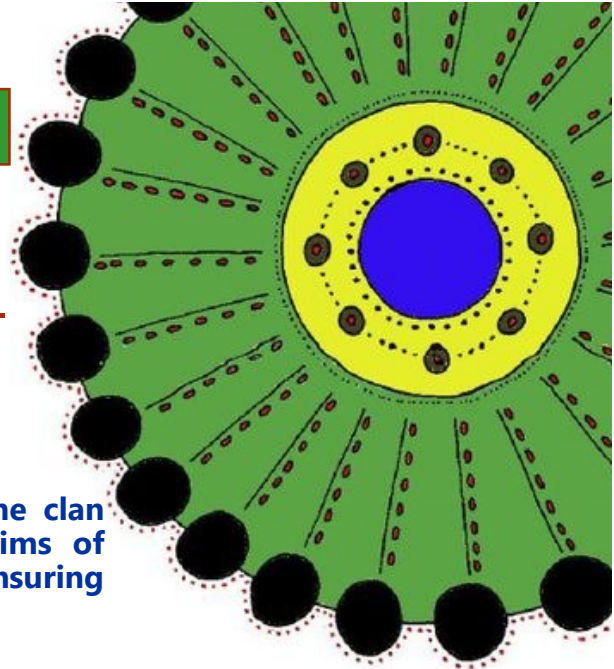


# Thamarrurr

## Development Corporation



### Our Mission

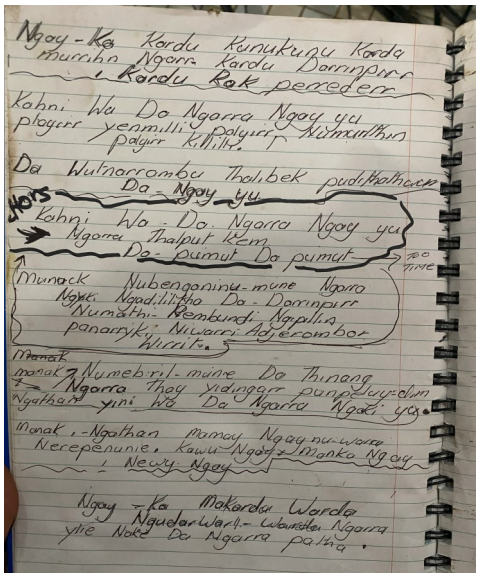
**“To develop all commercial opportunities on behalf of the clan members throughout the Region to advance our key aims of providing local jobs for local people and, in the long term, ensuring every child has a chance of a full life”.**

### Creative Music Workshops

The final Wadeye music workshops took place at the Wadeye recording studio, bringing together the Emu Sisters for a three-day creative journey.



During this time, they wrote and recorded a funeral song in Murrinhpatha as a tribute to Ellen Tchernas life and legacy. The song is about Ellen's deep connection to her ancestral lands, her totems, and her spirituality. Participants not only engaged in the creative process but also acquired basic music production skills. These workshops were made possible through funding from NT Health and were delivered by TDC. A BIG thank you to Scotty Roxburgh for coming to Wadeye to facilitate this.



### Getting In On Recycling Action

The ladies from the Cleaning Hub joined in on the recycling action this week. Theresa Jinjair, Lydia Ninnal and Gabriella Mollinjin had a great time, learning the ropes of recycling.



A Big Thanks to Christine Tchernas for showing the ladies how it is done. Recycling is so important in community as it reduces waste, as well as reducing the need to mine and process natural resources.

### Welcome New NDIS Coordinator



Meet Pana. Our new NDIS ability services coordinator. Pana arrived in community and started with us this week. He has hit the ground running and is settling in nicely. Pana will be working to build a team of local support workers who will provide a range of supports to NDIS participants in Wadeye. Welcome to Team TDC Pana!

### Child & Family Centre Cook Ups

This week the Da Ngimalmin CFC started up a cooking group in Manthathpe in collaboration with the dietician from NT Health.



The aim of the cooking group is to promote healthy and budget friendly eating. Local staff had identified several growth faltering and anaemic children and wanted support developing a cooking group to teach mums how to cook healthy food. This week the kids enjoyed their chicken stir fry cooked over the fire.

### NDIS Team in Wadeye



NDIS was in community this week! We had Linda, Ralph and Zara out this week to visit lots of NDIS participants in community. Checking in and completing plan reviews. It was great to have them visit Wadeye.



## Hairdressing Next Level Cut



The Hairdressing ladies have progressed from washing and colouring to cutting hair. Merle Bunduck is doing a great job, learning new skills.

## H&C Local Kardu Working Hard



A Big Shout out to H&C local Kardu. Leo Lantjin above taking pride in TDC machinery by giving the bobcat a good scrub and clean. Wes Miler below is busy cutting steel for the Peppi upgrades. Great Work Fellas !



## Men's Shed Loving The Leather



AKA Jacks Leather is back in the Men's Shed and the fellas have been loving making cool things and learning new skills in leather work.



Wrist bands and belts were the favourites for this week. Awesome work !



## Real Job Mob

Billie Weightman received the new Real Job Mob signs this week and is proudly showing them off. The Real Job Mob work closely with local employers in community to support them through filling their current vacancies. RJM can help with the employee search, onboarding, and everything along the way to post placement support. RJM also mentor local employees, ensuring they feel supported and comfortable to attend their jobs and support them along the way.



Our Local Member Dheran Young was out and about in community this week, on a mission to get the YES to a Voice message out and about. Dheran kicked off his visit at a meeting hosted by MTD store.



Dheran and his team took the time to visit all the local work sites in Wadeye.



A big thanks to Dheran for bringing the YES message to Wadeye and explaining what the Voice will mean .

