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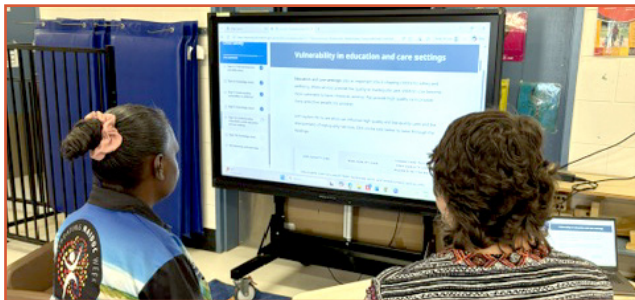
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LDC staff and OSHC educators are currently undertaking Child Safety Training with Michelle McEwan as part of their ongoing professional development. Thank you to all staff for their commitment to maintaining a safe and supportive environment for our children.

Pormpuraaw Crocs play in Lakefield



Pics by Christine Howes

Pormpuraaw Crocs, who are partly sponsored by PNPM, played Round 1 of the Southern Cape Cluster on Saturday. Round 2 will be in Lockhart River on Saturday 20 June.

Pormpur Ngamplin Pam Mongthak Aboriginal Corporation's Domestic & Family Violence Prevention and Awareness Month has featured in this fortnight's Koori Mail (Edition 877 - 3 June 2026). Contact Koori Mail at 02 6622 2666 for hard copies.

OUR CHILDREN



Picture: Christine Howes

Ebony Holroyd (8) with Ellen Holroyd (10) and Pormpur Ngamplin Pam Mongthak Aboriginal Corporation chief executive Ganthi Kuppasamy enjoying activities as another successful Domestic and Family Violence Awareness month finished with a vehicle parade and a BBQ lunch in Pormpuraaw, Queensland. Full story and pictures, page 43.

community health

Keeping community safe

By CHRISTINE HOWES

ANOTHER successful Domestic and Family Violence Awareness month finished with a vehicle parade and a barbecue lunch in Pormpuraaw last Friday.

Pormpur Ngamplin Pam Mongthak Aboriginal Corporation (PNPM) worked with community stakeholders, visitors and the community to host a series of events which opened with a DFV Awareness Walk around the small town on the western side of Cape York on Sunday, May 5.

PNPM - formerly Pormpur Pamthak Aboriginal Corporation (PPAC) - provided healing services, family wellbeing services, youth programs, men's support services, women's shelter and DFV support, early childhood programs, NDIS supports and other community support programs.

Each week of DFV Awareness month has included group legal workshops, healthy lifestyle sessions, parenting, men's and women's group activities, highlighted by an annual Candlelight Vigil and Mother's Day celebrations.

PNPM chair Monahit Arneokerman said her own highlight was seeing everyone participating, helping each other and working together.

"The best part is working together as a team," she said. "The results we have, for example, the women's shelter is usually busy with women going in with children, but it is reduced."

"It's very important, and we on the ground as a board member, and CEO and staff, they do their job in a well-respected manner."

CEO Ganthi Kuppasamy said it had been a big month and they were thankful for strong support from the community.

Some of the most popular events this year were the Candlelight Vigil, Mother's Day event, community activities and the men's support gathering and on-Community activities," she said.

"These events give people a chance to come together, support each other and learn more about health and respectful relationships."

"All PNPM staff worked extremely hard during the month."

"There was a lot of planning, organising, cooking, transporting equipment, decorating, setting up and running activities across the community."

"As we lay every year, we domestic and family violence prevention in everybody's business."

"It's not about blaming or pointing fingers."

"We all have a responsibility to work together to prevent violence, support families and help keep our community safe."

DFV specialist support worker Emily Nallie with her decorated car.

PNPM staff: Troy Charlie, Keith Barney, Wendy Caldwell, Emily Nallie, Nigel Sullivan, Duane Van Vuuren and Jayden Foote

PNPM CEO Ganthi Kuppasamy with staff setting up activities.

PNPM chair Monahit Arneokerman.

PNPM worker Nigga Obitana.

PNPM Healing Centre admin officer Barbara Foote.

Women's Shelter Coordinator Deborah Holman, Monahit Arneokerman, Duane Van Vuuren and Mervyn Savage.

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WE ARE **HIRING!**



PNPM
is looking for a
PART TIME NDIS
Support Worker
to join our team!

Requirements:

- Current **Blue Card**
- Current **Yellow Card**
- Valid Driver's Licence
- Experience working in the community programs
- Experience supporting people with disabilities



For more information,
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FAMILY WELLBEING
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**MAKE A
POSITIVE
DIFFERENCE**
FOR FAMILIES
AND OUR
COMMUNITY



FULL-TIME POSITION
Part-time hours may be
negotiated for the right
applicant.



MONDAY TO FRIDAY
8:30AM - 5:00PM



**WORK IN YOUR
COMMUNITY**

REQUIREMENTS:

- ✓ **EXPERIENCE WORKING WITH FAMILIES AND CHILDREN**
- ✓ **BASIC COMPUTER SKILLS**
- ✓ **GOOD UNDERSTANDING OF COMMUNITY PROGRAMS AND SERVICES**
- ✓ **CURRENT BLUE CARD (MANDATORY)**
- ✓ **CURRENT DRIVER LICENCE (MANDATORY)**

WE OFFER:

- ✓ **TRAINING AND SUPPORT PROVIDED**
- ✓ **SUPPORTIVE AND FRIENDLY TEAM**
- ✓ **MEANINGFUL AND REWARDING WORK**
- ✓ **OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE**

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LET'S BUILD STRONGER FAMILIES AND A STRONGER COMMUNITY TOGETHER!

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ALL WORK AND WALK TOGETHER ON ONE PATH OF HEALING, LEARNING, CARING AND SHARING, CREATING A SAFER ENVIRONMENT AND COMMUNITY