

NEWS WEEK

Helping out is what it's all about



NDIS participant Keon Yantumba was at the scene of the recent beached whale on the Pormpuraaw front beach.

While the whale had a sad ending, it was a great opportunity for Keon to see a whale up close and help out a bit – along with most of the community – on the day.

Keon, as with many other people in Pormpuraaw, had never seen a beached whale here before, so it was a unique and an exciting experience for everyone.

If you have a family member you think might be eligible for NDIS please come in to PPAC and we can help you with getting connected.

If you have a blue card and driver licence and would like to work with NDIS come and see Ganthi for more information.

TAKE TIME
for mental health

10-18 October 2020
#QMHW
www.qldmentalhealthweek.org.au

Queensland Mental Health

PPAC MEN'S GROUP

FRIDAY 16 October
10am-12pm
Mungkan River
ALL MEN ARE WELCOME

If you need transport please contact Bernard on 406 04211.

hoop/dilly crab pot



Pormpur Paanthu Aboriginal Corporation is a non-government, community-controlled organisation, established in 1991

out of a community need. Our focus is to provide quality, evidence-based services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families in Pormpuraaw. Our services can be tailored to suit individual needs and we respect our clients' right to privacy – one-on-one sessions are available with all our counsellors. We offer:

- Domestic violence and drug and alcohol preventative education, counselling, advocacy and support for families
- Social & Emotional Wellbeing services;
- Family Wellbeing services;
- Other social services and support;
- Women's Group activities;
- Outside School Hours Care services;
- Men's Group activities (including a lawn mowing and yard maintenance service);
- Youth activities & Student Re-engagement services;
- Playgroup;
- Vacation Care activities;
- NDIS (National Disability Insurance Scheme);
- Child Care services (Long Day Care) including, Child & Family Services (CAFS) and parenting support;
- Night Patrol Services; and,
- Women's Shelter services (Maantchangk Women's Shelter is open 52 weeks a year has a 7-days a week on-call service).

PPAC Contacts

CEO's Office 4060 4211	Outside School Hours Care 4060 4001
Healing Services 4060 4260	Women's Shelter Admin Office 4060 4082
Long Day Care 4060 4165	



PPAC NIGHT PATROL

The aim of the Community Night Patrol is to reduce and prevent domestic and family violence through identification and intervention of triggers in early stages, improve social and emotional wellbeing of community members and provide information and referral for community members.



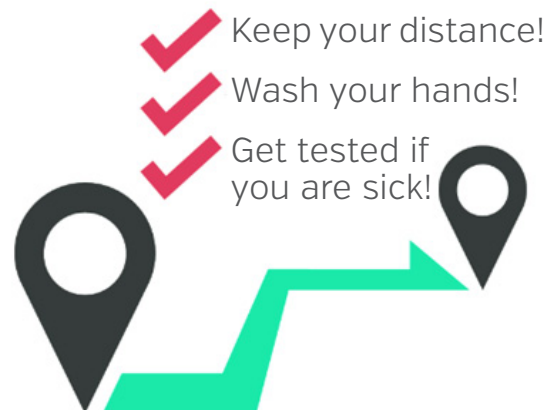
Wednesday to Saturday
8pm -> 4am
Contact our
Night Patrol on
0474 464 688

COVID-19

Travelling?

Plan ahead to stay COVID safe.

COVID-19 Safe



Who to call and when...

If the situation is serious and urgent call our local Police on **4060 4004** or **000**.

Community members can remain anonymous when reporting illicit activity by calling the 'sly grog' hotline on **1800 500 815**.

To report other crime anonymously call Crime Stoppers on **1800 333 000**.

For non-urgent incidents, crimes or police inquiries call Police Link on **131 444**.

Feedback forms are available from PPAC, completed forms can be handed into the CEO or emailed to admin@ppac.org.au

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