



NTCOSS weekly e-bulletin 10 November 2011

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TERRITORY WIDE NEWS AND EVENTS

2011 NT Disability Services Awards Nominations close **13 Nov** contact www.territorytogether.nt.gov.au or 8999 2402

NT Mental Health Coalition AGM – Monday **28 Nov** 2011. 12 - 2pm. Community Room – Salvation Army Office, Yanyula Drive, Anula, Refreshments will be served after meeting. Contact nfanwy@ntmhc.org.au 8927 2074

Regional Development Australia Fund (RDAF) Funding Available Not-for-profit organisations across Australia looking to improve their facilities to benefit their stakeholders and communities can now apply for funding. Projects must address regional issues and priorities, support regional communities and deliver both short and long-term community and economic benefits for local communities. More information is available at www.regional.gov.au

TOP END NEWS AND EVENTS

APHEDA NT - A Global Challenge for Unions Secure Jobs Better Future Barbecue Fundraiser for APHEDA Timor-Leste Projects (check out projects at <http://www.apheda.org.au/projects/easttimor/index.html>) Tuesday **15 Nov** 5.30pm-7.30pm. Darwin Railway Club PARAP, Guest speaker Ged Kearney ACTU President, Music at 7.30pm by the Black Can Clan, Advanced Tickets: \$25 Concession: \$15, Tickets @ the door: \$30 Concession: \$20, Individual and group bookings of 10 please contact Amanda Waa at Unions NT on 8941 0001 or nttlc@iinet.net.au

White Ribbon Campaign Dawn House would be honoured by your presence at the unveiling of a tree and plaque dedicated to the victims of domestic and family violence, an event in support of the White Ribbon Campaign. White Ribbon Ambassador Martin Blakemore from the International Organisation for Migration, together with Her Honour Justice Jenny Blokland will speak. Friday **25 Nov** 2011 4 – 6 pm Heritage Lawn Triangle George Brown Darwin Botanic Gardens Gardens Road, Darwin (Access via Gardens Road entrance) Light refreshments will be served Please RSVP by 11 November 2011 on 8945 1388 or info@dawnhouse.org.au

Dawn House Annual General Meeting Vibe Hotel, Darwin Waterfront, Mauna Loa Room 5.30pm Monday **28 Nov** Please phone 8945 1388 for further information

Churchill Fellowship Community Forum on Housing & support for people with a mental illness who are homeless by Claudia Manu-Preston's Theatre, Museum & Art Gallery of the NT, Darwin, Tuesday, **29 Nov** 10:00 to 12:30. RSVP: info@mhaca.org.au by Friday 18th November

Ruby Gaea Special General Meeting and Annual General Meeting Wednesday **30 Nov** 2011, 12.30pm Clayton Utz 17-19 Lindsay Street, Darwin Refreshments will be served after the meeting until 2pm for more information please contact admin@rubygaea.net.au

Rights on Show Art Award and Exhibition , 8-15 Dec This years theme is housing and homelessness, for more information contact Jacinta Johnson at Darwin Community Legal Centre Jacinta_Johnson@clc.net.au

CENTRAL AUSTRALIA NEWS AND EVENTS

Anyinginyi Mo Bros- Support the Mo Bros by helping them to raise money and awareness for prostate cancer and other men's health issues. To make a donation www.movember.com.au or search www.anyinginyihealth

NTCOSS Staff Absences – Tess Reinsch is currently on leave from **4 Nov – 3 Jan**. For any youth policy matters, please contact jonathan@ntcoss.org.au

Waltja Tjutangku Palyapayi Open Day - 10 Nov, 11-5pm, 3 Ghan Road, contact pru@waltja.org.au

Great Outback BBQ - 10 Nov 5pm, Uniting Church, in conjunction with the night markets . Come and support Respite and Carelink Centre and the Uniting Church Frontier Services.

Birth and Beyond are hosting a Nurture Yourself Day for Mums on **15 Nov** from 10am, Haaren House, Crn Warburton St & Lindsay Ave RSVPs by today info@birtheadbeyond.org.au

Close to Me - Live Dance Theatre a journey in music and movement. Wednesday **16 Nov** 11.30am and Thursday **17 Nov**, 7pm Araluen Theatre

This performance celebrates the diversity of difference. With nationally acclaimed guest director Kat Worth, this original dance theatre production has been created by local arts professionals and the Alice Springs community. Using the metaphor of travel the performance explores themes relating to personal space, boundaries and our attachment to emotions and things. Tickets: Gold Coin Donation, *Wheelchair bookings essential*. For more information or to book please contact InCite Youth Arts on 89526338 or Email:

virginia@inciteya.org.au

Anyinginyi Health Aboriginal Corporation –AGM 16 Nov, 10am- 1 pm, Civil Hall, Peko Road Rvsp: sarah.watkins@anyinginyi.com.au

Churchill Fellowship Community Forum: Housing and support for people with mental illness who are homeless presented by Claudia Manu Preston (MHACA) **17 Nov**, 10-12.30pm, Andy McNeil Room RSVP info@mhaca.org.au

Desert Coast Partnership – 23 & 24 Nov in Alice Springs. Hosted by Desert Knowledge Australia & the Ian Potter Foundation (with support from NTCOSS) Great opportunity for NGOs to learn how to engage successfully with the philanthropic sector. The workshops bring together grant makers, grant seekers and major stakeholders to register email e mail madly.bodin@desertknowledge.com.au

Mixed Abili T Bake Off - 29 Nov, 10.30am Andy McNeil Room, Todd Street. Nominations forms available email mcastagna@das.org.au

Domestic Violence and the Workplace - safe at home, safe at work Workshop, **8 Dec**, 11- 2 pm, Andy McNeil Room Todd Street Please register by the 2nd Dec by email cdt@asws.org.au