

With respect and pride we build a future for our children based on unity, equitable self-governance, education and culture.

Its Show Time

NPA Regional Council Events Team are at it again, the annual NPA Show event has come around. There will be Rodeo, Bull Rides, Horse Bucking, Pig Hunting, Carnival Rides for the children, Arts & Craft Stalls, Food Stalls, Fireworks and more, you have to be there to be square! After such a great review of the NPA Cultural Festival we have a lot of public expectations to fill.

It is Tourist Season here in the NPA and we welcome everyone and anyone to visit our Region in what we call home. Please respect the lands you are on and take rubbish with you where needed. With the amount of Tourist here at present please take note of the 'Speed' signs and the 'No Stop Zone' signs on the Main Street of Bamaga. This Street becomes very busy for Locals to travel to and from work and to get between communities.

We have received messages of near missed accidents on the Peninsula Development Road (PDR). If you are travelling to and from the NPA, we encourage you to be vigilant on the roads and drive to conditions as corrugation is unpredictable and dust is can become a hazard.

As we look forward to the month ahead, I hope that these newsletters are providing you with updated information across NPARC. If you would like to share or know more about advertising with NPARC please contact media@nparc.qld.gov.au or call (07) 4048 6600.

Community Notice:

Department of Transport & Main Roads are sending the Licensing Mob to the NPA. For further information.

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Joanne Hingano - Media and Communications Officer









ADULT \$8.00 5 YEARS AND UNDER FREE

PENSIONERS \$5.00

Primary School

Children 6 - 12

Years \$3.00

High School

Students 13 - 17

Years \$5.00

Family Pass 2 A/2 CH

\$20.00

JA SHOW

Drug & Alcohol Free Event

Strongly encourage dogs to stay home!

AUGUST 3-4
YUSIA GINAU OVAL







Food Stalls, Horse and Rodeo events, Outdoor Novelty Games, Carnival Games, Fireworks, Interactive Games, Pig Hunting, Horse and Bull Events, and many more exciting activities, come down and check it out...!!!

For more info: (07) 4048 6600



NPA SHOW DAY PROGRAM

Friday 3rd Aug Saturday 4th A

09:00 Gates Open

09:30 Welcome to Country

10:00 Face Paint

- Sideshow Alley

- Greasy Pole

11:00 Horse Events

- Barrell Race

- Indian Pick up

- Boots & Saddle

12:00 Lunch Break

01:00 Horse Races

- 100m Dash (Horse Event)

- Trumby Cup (Heats)

04:00 Dance Battles

Tug 0 War

05:00 Rodeo Saddle Bronc

- Junior Bronco Bucking

- Poddy Rides

(Child up to 12 years)

07:00 Island Dancing

08:00 Black Paradise

09:00 Gates Open

10:00 - Sideshow Alley

- Horse Judging

- Best Dressed Horse/Rider

- Trumby Cup Finals

12:00 Lunch Break

01:00 Novelty Games

- Tug O War

- Dance Battles

- Wood Chopping

- Coconut Husking

- Cupcake/Cake of your choice

Award

02:00 100m Dash for Cash

Who Dares

04:00 Rodeo

- Bull Ride

Local

- Cape/Torres News Open Bull

- Bob Katter Open Saddle Bronc

07:00 Black Paradise

08:00 Presentation

09:00 Fireworks































Executive Manager of Finance
Graeme Gillam
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Particular Interests: Integrated Financial & Asset Management, Job Costing systems

Graeme commenced with Council in August 2016 following an Accounting and Management career in various organisations and business sectors and including local governments in Tasmania, Victoria and New South Wales.

He has a particular interest in integrated Financial & Asset Management/Job Costing systems and the design and implementation thereof. Working with some of the recognised experts in Asset Management & Accounting whilst at Devonport City Council has proved invaluable.

Graeme enjoys working with and mentoring people and expects to achieve the goal of local people managing their affairs successfully.



Leonora Adidi NPA Art Centre Community Services

Relevant Qualifications and how long have you been with NPARC:

Bachelor of Arts – Linguistics 2.5 years employed by NPARC

Job Description:

Art Development Coordinator:

Strategically coordinating the development of visual arts activities and associated facilities with the NPA, including building the capacity and marketability of local artists and generally support, promote and enrich the artistic life of the region.

Personal Hobbies:

- Photography
- My dance troupe activities
- Visiting Art Galleries and markets



Angelina Williams Senior Ranger - Team Leader Corporate Services

Relevant Qualifications and how long have you been with NPARC:

Cert II CALM

Cert II Coxwains Grade 1

Cert II Statutory Compliance Training with GBRMPA

Cert III Business Administration

Cert III Transport & Logistics Warehouse Operations

1.5 Years employed by NPARC

Job Description:

Admin & Field Operations

Identify, plan & prepare operational needs

Plan, prepare & coordinate staff according to qualification and skills.

Identify training needs procurement

Land & Sea Operations

Report writing

Personal Hobbies:

Spending time with family & friends

Fishing, gardening

Home duties and study.

2018 Council Meeting Dates

| Tuesday 30th January 2018 Injinoo | Tuesday 27 th | Tuesday 27 th March | Tuesday 24 th April |
|---|---|---|---|
| | February 2018 | 2018 | 2018 |
| | Umagico | Bamaga | New Mapoon |
| Tuesday 29 th May | Tuesday 26 th June | Tuesday 31 st July | Tuesday 28 th August 2018 New Mapoon |
| 2018 | 2018 | 2018 | |
| Injinoo | Umagico | Bamaga | |
| Tuesday 25th September 2018 Injinoo | Tuesday 30 st October 2018 Umagico | Tuesday 27 th November 2018 Cairns | Tuesday 18 th December 2018 Bamaga |

^{*} Council meetings are open to public

Late Night every Thursday's

At Umagico Supermarket 9:00pm closing

Proudly supported by NPA Regional Council





After the hectic Cultural Festival Week. The Jardine River Ferry had a 4 kilometre line of cars waiting to go across the Barge.

A Tourist flew there Drone in the air and captured this photo.

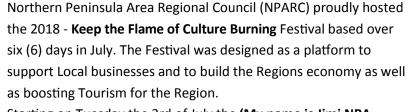
What a good outcome for the NPA and the 2018 Cultural Festival.

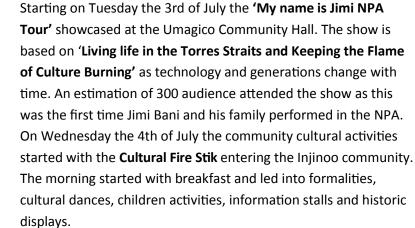


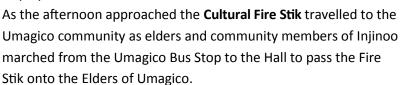
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The Fire Stik was passed between Traditional Owners of the five (5) communities in the NPA Region to unite the communities and culture together.























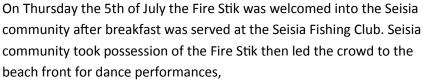








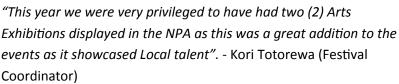




Photography Exhibition, Sand Sculpting displays and Mark Olive from Black Olive Catering performed cooking demos.

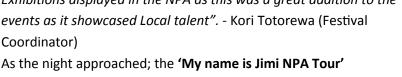
Thursday afternoon the Fire Stik travelled to New Mapoon by horse and handed to Deputy Mayor Cr. Michael Bond which was welcomed with cultural dances at the Late Charlie Lifu Park.

The New Mapoon crowd was led to the NPA Arts Centre to showcase the Arts Exhibition that was held, later joined by Mark Olive cooking demo.



showcased in the Bamaga Community Hall with an estimation of 500

The Emerging Artist - NPA Dancers group mentored by Danielle Jawai Idai performed the opening act for both 'My name is Jimi' shows and they were privileged to meet the Bani family.



audience who attended.



































Friday the 6th of July the Cultural Festival Float Parade had up to 10 Floats enter the Float competition. The competition was based on the three (3) areas below:



2. Theme

3. Cultural Promotion.



The winners of the Float Parade was:

1st for \$1500 Seisia Kayin Thithuyl 2nd for \$1000 Purple Army 3rd for \$500 Kayin Kowsal

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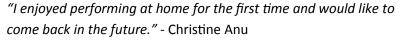
Once the Floats entered the grounds of the Yusia Ginau Oval, formalities begun 'Welcome to Country' proceeded by Michael Solomon and Seriat Young, speeches were made by Mayor Edward Newman, Minister Glen Butcher, Kylie Steer from Seaswift, Colleen Fish from Metro Mining, Sandra Sebasio from Apudthama Land Trust, Peter Geard from Cairns Hardware and John Adidi Festival Chairman.



As dignitaries took there seats in the Corporate area, Acclaimed Artist Ian Zaro from Black Comedy announced each of the 14 dance groups from around the NPA, Torres Straits, Cape, Cairns and Surrounding areas. The groups performed a 10 minute introduction to the public as well as an hour show from Blaik Choral. There were up to 10 Food Stalls and 5 Arts & Craft Stalls that had the opportunity to make a profitable income for there community groups.



To end the Friday events Acclaimed Artist Christine Anu and band performed for the first time in the NPA.











































Around lunch time the Yusia Ginau Oval packed up again with audience ready for the Cultural Performances from all the Local and travelling groups. The dance groups performed there 30 - 45 minutes dance brackets to showcase there culture, songs and stories. By 6 - 7:00pm the Oval had an estimated attendees of 2,500 to 3,000 people.





To conclude the night and end the 2018 NPA Cultural Festival - **Keep the Flame of Culture Burning** a 30 minute sky show of Fireworks were displayed and band SK Boiiz performance was held.





Thank you to Minister Glen Butcher, NPARC CEO Steve Wilton, Mayor Wayne Butcher, NPARC staff, Tourists, Volunteers, Community Groups, Community Residents, Sponsors and the Performing Groups for your contribution in providing a great Festival. - Mayor Edward Newman





















NPA SHOW REGISTRATION FEES

PIG HUNT

TEAM OF 4 EXTRA PERSON

\$60.00 \$5.00

HORSE EVENTS *BOOTS &
SADDLE
*INDIAN PICK UP
*BARRELL RACE
*100 MTR DASH
*TRUMBY CUP
*BEST DRESSED
HORSE & RIDER

\$30.00 \$30.00 \$30.00 \$50.00 \$100.00 \$50.00

NOVELTY GAMES

*COCONUT HUSKING
*WOOD CHOPPING
*100 MTR DASH FOR CASH
(YOUTH)
*WHO DARES
CUP CAKE / CAKES
BATTLE OF THE DANCES

\$10.00 \$20.00 \$25.00 \$20.00 \$20.00 \$10.00

RODEO

LOCAL OPEN JUNIORS

\$50.00 \$100.00 \$25.00

REGISTRATION PAYMENTS DUE BY THURSDAY THE 2ND OF JULY AT THE NEW MAPOON OFFICE.

STRICTLY ALL HORSE EVENTS INCLUDING THE TRUMBY CUP.

CONTACT THE NEW MAPOON OFFICE ON (07) 4048 6600 FOR MORE INFORMATION.





\$60.00 Team of 4 \$5.00 per extra person

Registrations paid to New Mapoon Office Weigh in closes Saturday 04th of August 2018

4:00PM

* Registrations must be paid before weigh in

Contact Marsat Newman
for weigh in processes on 0447 911 937 or
Stanley Dai for further information on
0438 917 133



2018 - 2022 Corporate Plan Community Consultations

The Corporate Plan is a five (5) year document that outlines the vision, goals, outcomes and strategic actions for the NPA Region. This plan is designed around six (6) themes. Its success lies in Community consultations to create goals and aspirations for the Region so Council can set to achieve them. This information is used as a living document that can be amended at any time to suit.

The Corporate Structure Themes

- 1. Infrastructure Services
- 2. Community Well Being
- 3. Community Economic Development
 - 4. Local Environment
 - 5. Leadership
 - 6. Land & Housing

From Monday the 23rd to Wednesday the 25th of July NPARC CEO Steve Wilton and Mayor Edward Newman conducted community consultations in the NPA Region. There was a small gathering of community members from each community whom gave there feedback in what they thought was missing from the Draft Corporate Plan.

Because there was small attendance rate from the first round of Community Consultations, we encourage you to come along to the next set of consultations which will be based in your community from 12:00pm to 6:00pm in 6 - 8 weeks time. Come and have your say, give your feedback and help us help you!









Community Consultation Themes

Theme 1: Infrastructure Services

Responsible Area of Service: Engineering / Operations

Key Corporate Strategies

- To provide and maintain appropriate infrastructure to service the NPARC existing and future service
- To maintain infrastructure to ensure an adequate and continued service to the community To plan for future upgrades, expansion or replacement of infrastructure
 Undertake regulatory and advisory inspection programs to maintain and improve health and
- environmental standards within the community such as animal control vector control programs
- To deliver service at a least cost basis

 Develop and implement a robust Asset Management strategy / framework and policy to ensure optimal decisions on asset creation, operation, maintenance, restoration or replacement, disposal and performance based on agreed service levels
- To meet regulatory requirements for sustainable service delivery
- Ensure a preparedness to respond to natural disasters and other emergencies and engage in planning activities aimed at minimising the impact of such disasters on the community. Represent NPARC interests by developing and strengthening working relations with Australian, State and Local government, industry including regional bodies.
- Provide, maintain and enhance parks, foreshores and open-space facilities
- Promote and support initiatives designed to enhance and increase local employment and training
- opportunities

 Encourage, promote and support innovation and learning within the community

 Support and advocate for opportunities for education and training providers and business within the
- Implement, maintain and monitor effective financial and controls systems within department budget Develop the NPA Airport terminal redevelopment and runway extension
- Advocate for development and management of the marine hub at Seisia

Priority Services

| Wastewater Services | Garbage | Airport |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Jardine Ferry | Roads | Streetlighting |
| Housing (repairs and Maintenance) | Licenses and Permits | Marine Facilities |
| Cemeteries | Environmental Health and Hygiene | Building Development |
| Organisational Management | Corporate Governance | Plant |
| Assets and Design | Vector Management | Animal Management |
| Land Management | Coastal Management | Natural Resource Management |
| Infrastructure | Planning | Public Conveniences |

Future Service Considerations for the next 5 years

Water service provision improved telecommunications









Key Corporate Strategies

- Foster an organisational culture that is challenging, rewarding and values employees committed to innovative, quality outcomes, teamwork, quality customer service and continuous improvement
- Strive to achieve effective and efficient use of technology to enable delivery of timely service and information including upgrading of infrastructure to improve service provision
- Ensure legislative compliance including determination and adoption of Risk Management

Theme 2: Community Wellbeing

Responsible Area of Service: Community Services

Key Corporate Strategies

- To provide direct wellbeing services that are designed for the needs of the community Develop and strengthen relationships with the community.
- Develop and simplement a robust Asset Management strategy / framework and policy to ensure optimal decisions on asset creation, operation, maintenance, restoration or
- replacement, disposal and performance based on agreed service levels To assist the community in developing resilience for managing disaster situations. This will include undertaking a disaster risk management process and developing a strategic policy framework for disaster management incorporating disaster mitigation, prevention, and preparation, response and recovery arrangement in partnership with the Local Dis-Management Group.
- To maintain community facilities that provide social networking, sport and recreation opportunities
- To advocate for improved health, wellbeing and community safety services for the community Develop an oral history of traditional language and culture Promote and support initiatives designed to enhance and increase local employment and
- training opportunities.
- Encourage, promote and support innovation and learning within the community
- Build and strengthen our community identity and acknowledge the diversity in our
- Support and advocate for opportunities for education and training providers and business
- within the region.
 Implement, maintain and monitor effective financial and controls systems within department

Priority Services

| Library | Parks and Gardens | Sport and Recreation |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| Housing (Tenancy Management) | Disaster Management | Community Facilities Management |
| Home and Community Care | Community Events | Community Education |
| BRACS / Ribs | Youth Services | Arts Culture and Language |

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Future Service Considerations for the next 5 years

- Additional sporting facilities

Theme 3: Community Economic Development

Responsible Area of Service: Chief Executive Officer, Deputy Chief Executive, Executive Manager Corporate Services, Operations, Community Services, Finance

Key Corporate Strategies

- To encourage local employment through improved procurement processes
- To advocate for local economic development opportunities
- To advocate for improved education opportunities and facilities for the community
- To seek out opportunities for Council to be the service provider where the service agreement provides full funding and Council can employ and train local community members
- Business plans developed for all enterprises, monitor and report performance

Priority Services

| Public Transport | Enterprises | Camping Grounds |
|------------------|----------------------|-----------------|
| Leases | Principal Contractor | Administration |
| Organisational | | |
| Management | | |

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Future Service Considerations for the next 5 years

Local contractors used to undertake construction and maintenance of Council and community assets

Theme 4: Local Environment

Responsible Area of Service: Chief Executive Officer, Deputy Chief Executive, Executive Manager Corporate Services, Operations, Community Services, Finance

Key Corporate Strategies

- > Protect and manage native vegetation in accordance with environment requirements
- > Educate the community on the need to protect the land, sea and natural environment
- > Assist quarantine services by reporting any suspect vegetation and pest invasions
- Provide animal management services to the communities
- Educate the community on the best practice responsible ownership of pets
- Participate in Regional Biosecurity strategies
- > Adopt and implement a Biosecurity Management Plan

Priority Services

| Weed control | Animal Management | Coastal Management |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|
| Land Protection | Natural Resource Management | Planning |
| Vector Management | Biosecurity | |

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Future Service Considerations for the next 5 years

- To continue to expand the use of solar power and investigate other forms of sustainable energy
- · Expansion of the ranger program

Theme 6: Land and Housing

Responsible Area of Service: Chief Executive Officer, Deputy Chief Executive, Executive Manager Corporate Services, Operations, Community Services, Finance

Key Corporate Strategies

- Work cooperatively with the Traditional Owners and registered Native Title Body Corporate on all land matters involving Native Title
- Work cooperatively with the Traditional Owners and registered Native Title Body Corporate on all land matters involving requiring cultural heritage matters meeting NPARCs Cultural Heritage Duty of Care
- > Work cooperatively with the Apudthama Land Trust matters involving ALT lands
- Negotiate a Community Indigenous Land Use Agreement (ILUA) to enable residential leases, commercial leases and home ownership
- Lobby Federal and State Government to secure ongoing funding for new social housing construction and housing upgrades
- Work cooperatively with State Government Agencies and appointed Indigenous Corporations to ensure an equitable and sustainable outcome for the community and NPARC in all DOGIT transfers

Priority Services

| Council Meetings | Periodic Reporting | Financial Management |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Community Information Sessions | Technical Working Group meetings | Corporate Governance |
| Organisational Management | Planning | Stakeholder Round table meetings |

Key Corporate Strategies

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Theme 5: Leadership

Responsible Area of Service: Chief Executive Officer, Deputy Chief Executive, Executive Manager Corporate Services, Operations, Community Services, Finance

Key Corporate Strategies

- To continually engage the community on matters affecting livability and service
- Manage and govern NPARC according to stated values, ensuring principles of good governance are applied to achieve the best value outcome for the community
- Promote a best practice and continuous improvement culture
- > To ensure legislative compliance
- > To provide accountable and transparent local governance
- > To provide diligent financial management

Priority Services

| Council Meetings | Periodic Reporting | Financial Management |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Community Information Sessions | Risk Management | Corporate Governance |
| Organisational Management | Planning | |

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Future Service Considerations for the next 5 years

Increased revenue opportunities

For further information or to give your feedback. Please contact your Local Community Councillor or NPARC CEO Steve Wilton on (07) 4090 4120.

To view the 2018 - 2022 Corporate
Plan visit one of the four (4) NPARC
Offices based in New Mapoon,
Umagico, Bamaga or Injinoo. Or view
the plan on the NPARC Website at
www.nparc.qov.au



Bamaga Local Gym Hunters Gym

This month three new classes have started.

Our **Total Beginners Class** are on Monday and Thursday mornings at 6.45am with Kerri.

We have had two (2) people join so far Ella Jawai and Gail Kiesling, we are seeing progress after only a couple of weeks, this class is the one with the most laughs to be had, as people exercise. We are encouraging more people to come along and join us!





Hunters Gym has also incorporated **Hapkido** (self defense Martial Arts) Classes for all ages. Classes are on Tuesday and Thursday nights at 6:00pm. These classes run for an hour and is great as an all body workout for both young and old. We would like to welcome Ron Carter as the first Hapkido student in Bamaga who has already decided that he wants to achieve his Black Belt with us. Good work Ron!





There is **Boxercise** on Monday and Wednesday mornings at 6.15am. This is great for a cardio workout to wake you up and get those endorphins running for the day. *I hope to see more attendees for any of the classes run by the Gym* - Joanne Krumin

During the Cultural Festival we had the Lower Coastal Yidinji group visit the basketball courts. Gym Manager - Jo Krumin organised activities such as 'Tug O War' and 'Water Balloon Catching'. The water balloons proved to be popular with the kids and was a great way to cool down as well. Touch footy was also played with the adults joining in as well as the kids.











NPA Show Expression of Interests

Security Guards
Volunteers
Catering Crews
Cleaners

For further information please contact Events Team at New Mapoon Office on (07) 4048 6600



Come see the licensing mob

Ama Mazie Youth Centre, 245 Jacob St. 31 July - 2 August 2018

08:00am - 4:00pm

Licence replacements

Licence renewals

Practical driving tests(trucks and cars)

Learner licences

Adult Proof of Age(18+) cards

For more info, call 1800 130 886

Bring all I.D (originals only) (no cash)



