

Bularri Muurlay Nyanggan Aboriginal Corporation

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"Bularri Muurlay Nyanggan" translates to "Two Path Strong" in the Gumbaynggirr language and thereby sets the goal of our corporation, which is to ensure that our Aboriginal community, and in particular our youth are "two path strong" – strong in culture and strong in education. BMNAC was established in 2010 by our Executive Officer Clark Webb, when two after- school Goori Learning Centres (GLC's) were set up at Wongala Estate Aboriginal Reserve (Coffs Harbour) and Woolgoolga High School. The third learning centre was established in 2012 at William Bay Idon Primary School in Sawtell. Initially, all three GLC's were co-ordinated and attended in a voluntary capacity until late 2013 when funding was received from the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet's PaCE initiative to run programs that encourage parent s to engage with and participate in the education of their children. The programs that we deliver are designed to ensure that Aboriginal youth are strong in terms of both cultural identity and educational success. It is our goal that our children complete and achieve at school at the same rate as all Australian children in order to compete for real jobs whilst also being knowledgeable and proud of whom they are as Aboriginal people.

Goori Learning Centres

Offering tutoring, homework support, Gumbaynggirr language lessons, and other varying activities to keep the students engaged and continue attendance.





Cultural Tourism Experiences

Award-winning Giingan Cultural Experience set up to create a longterm sustainable financial income stream for the BNMAC programs.





Nyanggan Gapi Café & Catering

A social enterprise by Bularri Muurlay Nyanggan Aboriginal Corporation. 100% of profits from Nyanggan Gapi Cafe & Catering go towards our core programs including after school learning centres and language revitalisation.





Gumbayngirr Language Revitalisation Programs

Weekly community classes, school packages, recording speakers





Looking to the Future

We now proudly employ 18 Aboriginal people through our various programs and ventures. We hope to continue to increase these numbers creating opportunities for people from our Community to gain employment.



Partners

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