

# DJERAN

April–May 2019

Throughout Djeran (April and May) the following activities will be running at the Walyalup Aboriginal Cultural Centre.

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*Djeran season at last sees a break in the really hot weather. A key indicator of the change of season is the cool nights that once again bring a dewy presence for us to discover in the early mornings.*

## Nyoongar Art Workshop

**Thursdays 4 and 11 April | 11.30am – 2pm**  
**Saturday 25 May | 12.30 - 3pm**  
**\$15, Bookings essential**

Learn about the evolution and history of Aboriginal art, traditional tools and learn about the language with Whadjuk/Balladong Nyoongar Artist Jade Dolman. Design and paint your own artwork on individual canvases.

## Free Film Fridays

**Fridays through Djeran | 12-2pm**  
**FREE, Bookings essential**

5 April: Harold  
12 April: Servant or Slave  
3 May: Connection to Country  
10 May: The Song Keepers  
17 May: Mabo: Life of an Island Man  
24 May: Utopia  
31 May: In Between Songs

## Djeran Cultural Walk

**Saturdays 6 and 13 April | 12 – 2pm**  
**\$25, Bookings essential**

Join Justin Martin for a walk through the local Bather's Beach precinct, including the roundhouse and find out about the local significance of the area for Nyoongar people while learning about bush tucker, animals, insects and the seasons.

## Nyoongar Song & Dance Workshop

**Thursday 18 April | 12 – 1pm**  
**\$20, Bookings essential**

Learn about Noongar culture through language and movement. Find out about traditional roles, language, native animals and traditional way of life. Age minimum: 5 years old.

## School Holiday Face Painting

**Saturday 20 April | 12.30 - 2pm**  
**\$5, Bookings essential**

Face painting with Indigenous designs such as native animal tracks, native plants and symbols.

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## Community Canvas

**Friday 26 April | 12 – 2pm**  
**\$15, Bookings essential**

Looking for a fun and social activity? Come along and help paint a unique community canvas. Make your mark and make history producing a beautiful piece that will be proudly displayed at the Walyalup Aboriginal Cultural Centre.

## Nyoongar Singing Masterclass

**Saturdays 27 April, 4 – 18 May | 1 – 3pm**  
**\$80 for 4 weeks, Bookings essential**

To celebrate 2019, the International Year of Indigenous languages, multi-award-winning music duo Gina Williams and Guy Ghose are holding a four-week singing masterclass celebrating Noongar language in a fun, interactive way, with a strong focus on the importance of keeping Noongar language and culture alive. The course finishes with a small concert for friends and family.

## Dot Painting for Over 55s

**Thursdays 2-30 May | 12 – 2pm**  
**FREE, Bookings essential**

Nyoongar Artist, Sharon Calgaret presents this special class for over 55s to learn about the Nyoongar culture, symbols, teaching the techniques to create your very own dot painting.

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