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## **July 2022**

**Quote:** "I'm not reporting on Indigenous Knowledge systems for a global audience's perspective. I'm examining global systems from an Indigenous Knowledge perspective." <u>Tyson</u> **Yunkaporta**, Sand Talk: How Indigenous Thinking Can Save the World



**Useful Fact:** The Indigenous Weather Knowledge website was launched in 2002 as a joint partnership between the Bureau, the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Commission (ATSIC) and Monash University's Centre for Indigenous Studies. The website is a formal recognition of traditional weather and climate knowledge that has been developed and passed down through countless generations by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. Select a community to view their seasonal calendar on the map of Australia.



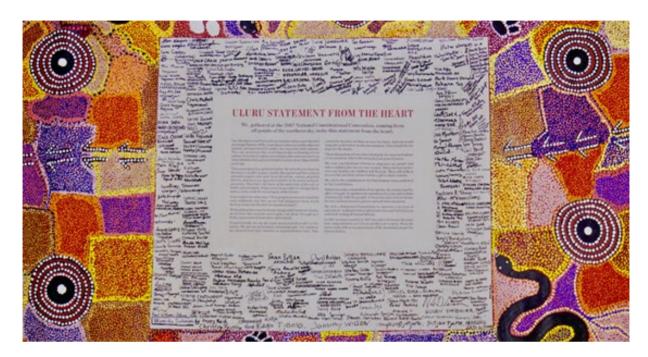
**Interesting Website**: <u>indigiTUBE</u> is the online media platform by and for First Nations people, preserving language and culture for future generations. indigiTUBE gathers First Nations stories from the desert to the sea, connecting and sharing culture from our extremely remote to urban regions; from our fresh new talent to archived histories. indigiTUBE is a digital meeting place for First Nations song, dance, language and lore; creating a unified space to share our evolving and living culture. It also live streams 27 different radio stations to hear what's going on around the country. The visually stunning media platform reflects the rich culture of our First Nations people, and the vibrant colours represent ochre, land and sea.



**Campaign:** <u>Deadly Liver Mob</u> is a peer-driven intervention that asks Aboriginal community members to attend an educational session with an Aboriginal health worker and then pass on their learning to family and friends. Each contact with the health service entitles clients of the program to a payment in the form of a voucher for use at local supermarkets. The project offers screening for blood borne viruses — including hepatitis C, HIV and hepatitis B virus — and sexually transmissible infections, as well as providing vaccinations for hepatitis B. Find out if this project can be delivered by your servic



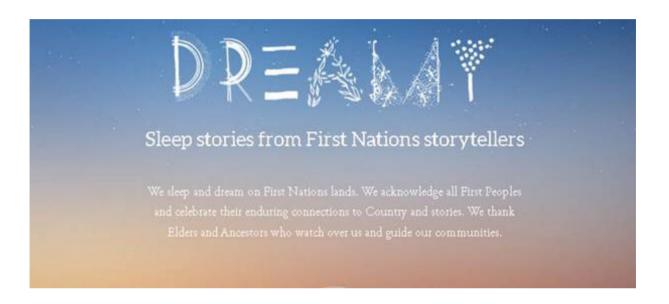
**Key Event:** The Uluru Dialogue partnered with SBS Radio to translate the <u>Uluru Statement</u> into many of Australia's multicultural languages. This work aligned with the Uluru Dialogue's community education mission and SBS's community education initiative. The Uluru Dialogue also has its own Aboriginal languages project led by Pat Anderson AO. We have now translated the Statement into more than 20 Aboriginal languages (from communities in the Northern Territory and from Northern Western Australia) and with SBS, 60 languages for Australia's culturally and linguistically diverse communities.



Who are: Evolve Communities provides highly interactive Cultural Awareness, Reconciliation and Allyship training. Their big 10 year goal is to inspire 10 million Allies to create a kinder, more inclusive Australia. Just some of the things they offer are: The Ask Aunty Webpage features fascinating videos where Aunty Munya has answered questions about Aboriginal people and culture. Their blog is packed full of interesting articles and videos about Indigenous Culture and how to be an Ally to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples. The Cultural Awareness Quiz is an eye opening exploration of the 10 things most people get wrong about Indigenous people, history and culture!



**Out & About:** Based on an 80,000-year-old oral tradition, <u>Dreamy</u> aims to help people disconnect from their devices while connecting to Country. The podcast is a collaboration between First Nations-led not-for-profit Common Ground and Snapchat. They have worked with artist <u>Carmen Glynn-Braun</u> (whose captivating works accompany each episode), psychologist Greta Bradman and five talented First Nations storytellers to make the podcast possible. We sleep and dream on First Nations lands. We acknowledge all First Peoples and celebrate their enduring connections to Country and stories. We thank Elders and Ancestors who watch over us and guide our communities.



Resource: IMAGI-NATION {TV} is for marginalised kids across the earth's surface to have a daily mentor in their lives. It takes the magic of Australian Indigenous Mentoring Experience (AIME's) Imagination Factory to laptops, phones, and homes across the world. This is a show for those kids sitting at the back of the classroom, delivering the message that we see them, that there are a multitude of kids just like them ready to rise up, and that this is their moment to lead. And today, it's about those with knowledge and experience gathering together in one moment so we are not alone, so that we move through tough times and great times with a sense of connectedness. To start our audience is 40+ universities, 300+ schools, 8,000 marginalised kids, across 6 countries who are currently involved in AIME's Imagination Factory, and a world of people looking to make sense of today in order to imagine tomorrow.



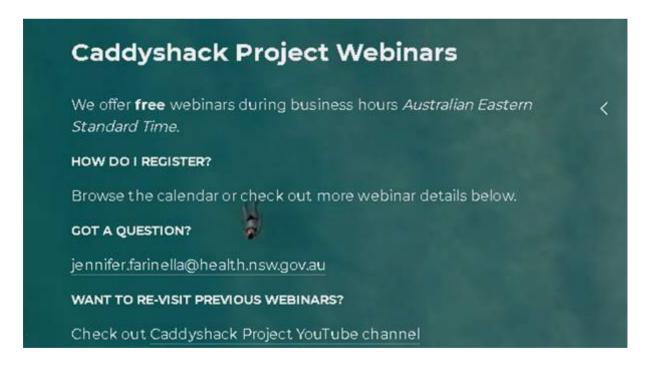
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27<sup>th</sup> July - On the Couch with <u>Hepatitis NSW Speaker Service</u> 9<sup>th</sup> August - On the Couch with <u>Women's Health</u>





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