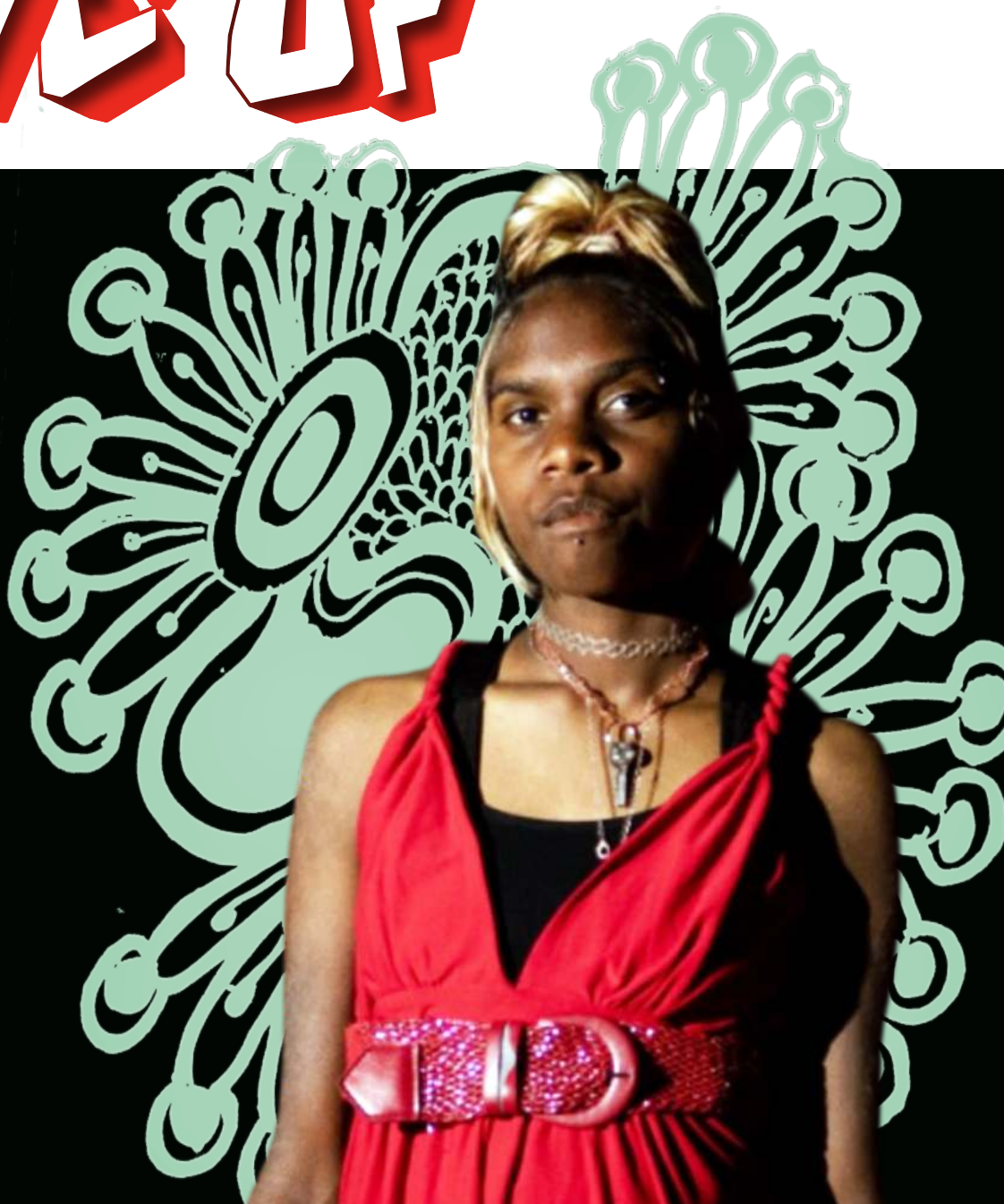


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### NPYWC YOUTH SERVICE OPERATES IN:

NORTHERN TERRITORY  
Imanpa  
Aputula (Finke)  
Mutitjulu  
Kaltukatjara (Docker River)

SOUTH AUSTRALIA  
Amata  
Kaltjiti (Fregon)  
Pipalyatjara  
Pukatja (Ernabella)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA  
Irrunytju (Wingellina)  
Papulankutja (Blackstone)  
Mantamaru (Jameson)  
Kiwirrkurra

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# YOUTH SERVICE STAFF AWARDS

Can you find your Anangu Support Officer (ASW) or Youth Development Officer (YDO) in this pic?

Every year all the ASW's, YDO's and town based staff come together to learn new skills so we can come back to our communities with more fun activities and a better understanding of how to support you.

After the Youth Service retreat, we go to the NPYWC Symposium to learn more about what is happening across the NPY lands, listen to our Directors and learn what is happening in NPYWC programs across the NPY lands.

Check out who won staff awards!







Did you hear about the Men's camp that NPY Youth Service did last year? A bunch of young men from Docker River, Mutitjulu & Finke headed out to an outstation on Umutju Road near Mutitjulu for a 4 day camp out.

AFL NT ran workshops and Dan the Underdog helped the guys record some new music (listen

to Dion & Johnathon's song on the next page). The Docker River Rangers took everyone out to learn about country and clean up an important waterhole, and the Royal Flying Doctor Service came and talked about mental health and well-being.

Who's keen to come on the next camp?

# MEN'S CAMP

## *Beautiful Lady – Dion Bell & Johnathon Doolan*

*You are the only one  
I can't stop loving you  
You're driving me crazy  
You know, I'm still in love with you  
My beautiful lady  
And I think about you every day*

*Kungka nyuntunya kulini  
Kungka nyuntu ngayuku  
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## *Kulila!*

Check out this song  
"Beautiful Lady"! It was  
recorded by Dion Bell  
& Johnathon Doolan.  
Scan this QR code with  
your phone's camera  
and click on the link  
that appears to give it  
a listen!



SCAN ME

With your phone's  
camera!



# BASKETBALL

Well done to all the basketball heroes who played at the MacDonnell Regional Council Basketball competition in Hermannsburg.

We are proud of all the NPYWC teams, well done Imanpa, Docker River, Finke and Mutitjulu. You guys went hard & played like aces! An extra big shoutout to our Mutitjulu team that came 5th overall.

Individual Awards:

3-point shoot out winner: Jameren Wongway, Imanpa.

Most Improved: Thomas Goodwin, Mutitjulu.

Smallest player with the biggest energy: Schayalen Douglas, Finke.





# SOFT BALL

It was great to see so much skill and talent at the NT Softball NAIDOC week event! Well done to the NPYWC teams from Docker River, Mutitjulu, Imanpa, Amata & Pipalyatjara. Everyone got out there and had a go even though it was a very hot weekend. After the softball everyone headed to the Alice Springs Pool Party to cool off and then Brown Street Disco.

Congratulations to the Central Desert team for taking out first place, but watch out you mob, the NPYWC teams are going to be training extra hard to beat you next time!













*"It's good to see young people doing  
what's best for us and our family"  
- Marlene, Iwara Program Trainee*





# IWARA ARA NINTIRINGANYI

Iwara Ara Nintiringanyi means 'pathway to your future'. Last year we asked you guys if you wanted to get involved with the NPY Youth Service and begin a traineeship that has the potential to change your life! The program teaches young people skills and gives young people experience of what it is like to be a youth worker. 18 young people aged 18-25 from across the NPY lands put their hands up and said yes they wanted to give it a go. They came in to Alice Springs and got involved in activities like AFL NT workshops, and ran activities with young people at Yipirinya School and GAP Youth Centre. From those 18, we had 8 awesome young people chosen to be a part of this exciting new program.

This is what Marlene from Docker River had to say about the program:

*"I'm so proud of all the young people in the program, they have stepped up to another level. It's good to see young people make changes in different communities, doing what's best for us and our family. We loved working with kids and helping old people if they need our help."*

Next up, the Iwara trainees are heading out to community to run activities with the Youth Development Officers and Anangu Support Workers. If you see them in your community don't be shy, go and say hello!



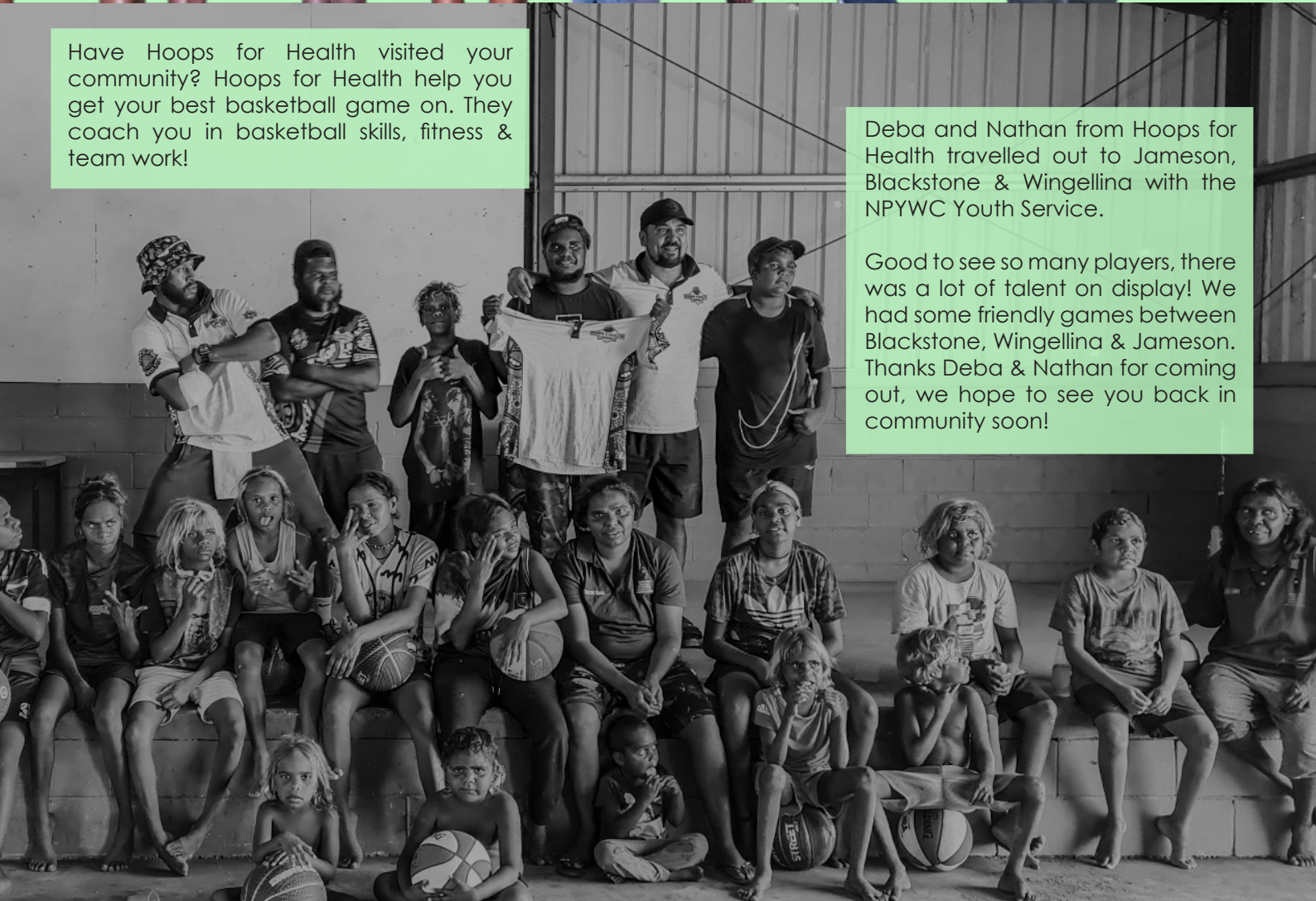
# HOOPS FOR HEALTH



Have Hoops for Health visited your community? Hoops for Health help you get your best basketball game on. They coach you in basketball skills, fitness & team work!

Deba and Nathan from Hoops for Health travelled out to Jameson, Blackstone & Wingellina with the NPYWC Youth Service.

Good to see so many players, there was a lot of talent on display! We had some friendly games between Blackstone, Wingellina & Jameson. Thanks Deba & Nathan for coming out, we hope to see you back in community soon!





# HIP HOP

## WORDFIND

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ENTRIES FROM THE  
**HAIR STYLZ  
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Get your entries in by the  
 end of May for a chance to  
**WIN** a \$100 store voucher!

Take a photo of your favourite place  
 in community and upload it to TikTok,  
 Facebook or Instagram with the hashtag  
**#NPYWCYOUTH** for a chance to win!



TAKE A PHOTO AND #NPYWCYOUTH TO WIN!

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