# **NEWSLETTER**

# Message from the Board

Firstly, I would like to apologise that we haven't been able to get a Newsletter out to our members sooner, it has been a very busy time of the year and we have all been working hard to get the End of Financial Year business completed. I would like to say a huge **THANK YOU** to all the TDAC office Staff for their hard work and effort they put in to get this done!

Since the last Newsletter we have undergone an active recruitment process to employ new Staff within the TDAC office, at one stage we were only left with 1 Staff member. (See Staff Update below).

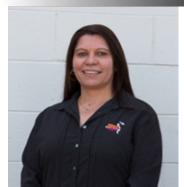
We would like to say **THANK YOU** to those Staff who have left us and **WELCOME** the new Staff on board.

Further information from the Board will be provided in the next Newsletter.

We hope everyone is staying safe during the COVID-19 pandemic. Take Care & Stay Safe ©

Kirsty Dadleh
Chairperson
The Dieri Aboriginal Corporation RNTBC





# **REMINDERS!**

#### TAX INVOICES/ RECEIPTS FOR POLICY PAYMENTS

Don't forget to ask for a tax invoice or receipt when you purchase goods or services for policy payments.

You must provide copies of your tax invoices and receipts to the TDAC Office.

This is necessary so that the Corporation complies with the ATO, audits and can claim GST back on goods received.

We appreciate your help with this.

#### MEMBERSHIP REGISTER

Some members will be receiving letters from the office, these letters are being sent out for compliance purposes for the membership register. Don't forget to contact the TDAC office if you change your address, phone number or email address.

Email: reception@dieri.org.au

#### JOB OPPORTUNITIES



#### MULTIPLE APPRENTICESHIP AND TRAINEESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Applications for the Santos National 2022 Apprenticeship and Traineeship programs are now open.

Santos has multiple Apprenticeships and Traineeships as follows:

- Mechanical,
- Electrical instrumentation apprenticeships, and
- Process operator traineeships.

At the following operating locations:

- Adelaide (Cooper Basin), South Australia
- Darwin, Northern Territory
- Gladstone, QLD
- Perth, Western Australia
- Port Bonython (Whyalla), South Australia
- Roma, QLD
- Gladstone, QLD Indigenous Pathways Traineeships

For more information including closing dates and how to apply please visit: <a href="mailto:programmed.com.au/Santos">programmed.com.au/Santos</a>



# **FAR NORTH TRAFFIC ALLIANCE**

Hello everyone, I am excited to give you all an update on our traffic business.

We are still in our first year of operation and going strong for such a young business with the solid groundwork for success being laid well before the first pair of boots hit the ground.

Our most consistent works to date have been providing the traffic management for the Joy Baluch Bridge project, the work has been a combination of lane closures, pedestrian control, crane & truck movements and gate work all performed through rain, hail or shine over any time of the day or night and weekends. We also provide after-hours site safety checks even through the recent lockdown.

Since starting on the bridge in November 2020 we have secured another three clients with a fourth (BHP) due to start in August and the fifth not far behind. The work we are now doing has been from Port Lincoln to Port Wakefield it has been wide and varied and requires long hours from the team and a number of nights away from home so well done to all involved.

Given all of the work in the pipeline we are now entering the next stage of our development which requires a person to assist with the daily requirements of coordinating the team and our fleet.

There are technical aspects to the role which can be learned but most importantly we want to talk to you if you can lead by example, motivate others, demonstrate discipline are motivated and have a passion for Dieri.

If that sounds like you give Dave a call on 0417 863 024.

#### MATES IN CONSTRUCTION

TDAC is proud to announce a working partnership with Mates in Construction

Mates in Construction is an independent charity that exists to reduce the high level of

Suicide in the Australian construction and allied industries. This service is not just for

Employees in the industries its available for all Dieri Members and their families.

This service is confidential and free of charge. Please see the attached documents regarding the services that you may access if you ever need to.

Mates in Construction have Case Managers who work directly with people at risk and

help develop an individually tailored support plan. They connect them with external services and provide a safety net to ensure continuity of care and follow-up. Case Managers then remain actively engaged with the client as they progress their plan and advocate for further assistance where necessary.

If you or your family needs assistance, please call the 24/7 helpline - 1300 642 111



## **GENERAL MEETING**

Date TBA - Currently <u>ON HOLD</u> pending COVID-19 Restrictions / Border Closures.

### **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Date TBA - pending COVID-19 Restrictions / Border Closures.

## MARREE PASTORAL BOOTCAMP (see further info on Page 5)

Friday 13 August 2021 Marree Sports Ground.

#### STAFF UPDATE

The CEO applications closed on: 25/06/2021 the Board has made a decision to engage SANTS to complete the recruitment process for this position.

We said Farewell to Susan Dodd, Susan has been helping in the office over the past couple of months, and we would like to thank Susan for her contribution to the Corporation.

#### **NEW STARTERS:**

We would like to welcome the following new Staff to the TDAC Office:

Beaudine Warren - Receptionist - commenced 20 May 2021.

Kianne Gibson - Administration Officer - commenced 20 May 2021.

FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2021 (EOFY) TDAC OFFICE PROCESSED OVER 620 POLICY APPLICATIONS OVER \$500,000.00 IN VALUE.

#### **AIATSIS SUMMIT**

Australian Institute of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Studies Summit was held in Adelaide in May where 800 people attended the Summit from across the country except Victoria due to COVID lockdown. The Summit was an important opportunity for discussions around native title, issues and rights and interests in protecting country. TDAC was represented by the Cultural Heritage Sub-committee members Michelle Warren, Reginald Warren, Patricia Gepp, Jeffery Warren, Russell Warren (Carer), Rene Warren and Leeanne Warren (Carer) and Director - Talia Stuart.

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Jeffrey and Reggle Warren from Dieri Aboriginal Corporation.

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# MARREE PASTORAL BOOTCAMP

FRIDAY 13 AUGUST 2021

AT MARREE SPORTS GROUND

WORKSHOPS KICK OFF AT 11AM BOOTCAMP FINISHES AT 4PM

Smoko and RICE registration from 10:30am



RUMEN FUNCTION AND DEVELOPMENT -JACK COFFEY



CREATING CLIMATE
RESILIENT COMMUNITIES
THROUGH NATIVE FOOD
-WARNDIJ



EROSION CONTROL AND LANDSCAPE HYDRATION -JANET WALTON



DRONES IN BEEF PRODUCTION
-FIONA LAKE



If you have a drone, bring it along for a flying session with Fiona

RICE is running a kid's activity day and lunch is provided
A bar will be run by the Marree Sports Club.
Event registration required at: https://www.trybooking.com/BSNXY

For more information contact Charlie Eager 0437 795 792











#### **COVID UPDATE**

TDAC was still operating during the SA Covid-19 lockdown from 10am - 4pm but closed to the public. All applications were received online or emailed to the TDAC office and processed accordingly. We would like to thank you all for accommodating this change in line with the Government restrictions.

As of Wednesday, 28th July 2021 we are back to normal business hours from 9:00am - 5:00pm - Monday to Friday.

We hope you and your family stayed safe and well during this period.

**SA.GOV.AU** or **1800 253 787** 

KEEPING SA SAFE&STRONG



#### **POSITIVE QUOTE:**



#### **ELDERS PROFILES:**

ARE THERE ANY ELDERS
THAT WOULD LIKE TO
PARTICIPATE IN THIS
NEWSLETTER BY SHARING
YOUR STORY? WE WOULD
LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU,
ASK YOU SOME QUESTIONS
AND PROFILE YOU IN THE
NEXT NEWSLETTER.

JOKE OF THE DAY:

What did one ocean say to the other? Nothing, they just waved. (Joke from Culture Amp)



PLEASE CONTACT THE TDAC OFFICE.

#### TDAC CODE OF CONDUCT

A friendly reminder to all members that TDAC Members must adhere to the Corporations Code of Conduct. When businesses contact the TDAC Office to complain about members behavior this information will be provided to the Bord of Directors for their consideration. Your behavior directly reflects on The Dieri Aboriginal Corporation. This may result in the removal as a Corporation member or suspension or such other restriction of the eligibility to apply for some or all the benefits or services provided by the Corporation for up to twelve (12) months.

If you would like a copy of the Code of Conduct, it is available at the TDAC office or email reception@dieri.org.au and we will email it to you.

#### DIERI CLOSED FACEBOOK GROUP

If you would like to join the Closed Facebook group please email <a href="mailto:reception@dieri.org.au">reception@dieri.org.au</a> with your updated contact details (email, address and telephone number).

#### **CONTACT US:**

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# **TDAC Office Hours:**

9:00am - 5:00pm - Monday to Friday

### Australia's most popular pumpkin soup - taste.com.au

#### 11 Ingredients:

2 tbsp olive oil

1 onion, finely chopped

1 leek, white part only, finely sliced

1 garlic clove, crushed

½ tsp ground coriander

1 tsp ground cumin

½ tsp freshly grated nutmeg

1 kg peeled pumpkin, diced

1 large potato, peeled, diced

1L Chicken or Vegetable liquid stock

½ cup (125ml) cream



#### 2 Method Steps:

Step 1 - Heat oil in large saucepan over low heat, add onion and leek and cook for 2 - 3 minutes, until softened. Add garlic and spices and cook, stirring, for 30 seconds. Add pumpkin, potato and stock and bring to the boil. Turn heat to low, cover and simmer for 30 minutes. Allow to cool slightly, then blend in batches.

**Step 2** - Return soup to pan, stir through cream and reheat gently. Season and add a little more nutmeg if desired.