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Traditional Indigenous Dance

Discover the cultural, spiritual and artistic identity of the Northern Territory's own Indigenous people at an intimate performance of Traditional Indigenous Dance. Embark on a spiritual journey with traditional Indigenous performers - an encounter you won't easily forget...

PERFORMANCES BY THE LARRAKIA, RED FLAG, GUPAPUYNGU, AND DJILPIN ARTS DANCERS



Image Courtesy: Northern Territory Government

Gupapuyngu Dancers

Gupapuyngu dancers from Ramingining, Mililingimbi & Galiwin'ku.

Larrakia Dancers

Dances by the Larrakia people, the traditional owners of the Darwin area

Djilpin Arts Dancers

Corroboree is one of the oldest forms of story-telling for Australia's Indigenous people - the songs and dances celebrate nyingiya, the spirit of the people.

The Djilpin Arts dancers from the Wugularr Community perform like no other troupe - they draw on the soul of Arnhem Land and dance from the heart, telling stories of ancestral lands that have been crafted and handed down over generations.

Red Flag Dancers: Three Generations

The highly acclaimed Red Flag Dancers from Numbulwar Community in South East Arnhem Land, will perform three generations of their colourful and energetic traditional music and dance, featuring exceptional dancing from the clan's young children, adults and elders.

The performance features two of Australia's leading singers, Mangayana Nundhirribala, whose credits include performances for the 2000 Sydney Olympics Opening Ceremony, and Grant Nundhirribala the lead singer and dancer of the band Yilila.



an indigenous cultural experience

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DATES: 14 - 22 Aug
TIME: 6.30pm
BOOK: 8980 3333
VENUE: Star Shell, Botanic Gardens
PRICE: \$10/\$5 for Child 6-12



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Department of Community Development, Sport & Culture Affairs

Nabarlek

Presented by
Darwin Festival & Music NT

Be prepared for an amazing night of Indigenous Roots music with Nabarlek, known as "the garage band that never had a garage".

rary songs to full on rock and they continue to amaze critics and gain new fans at every performance.

WINNERS OF THE EVENING STAR AWARD, NT MUSIC INDUSTRY AWARDS 2004 "EXCELLENCE IN MUSIC INDUSTRY"



Nabarlek are at the forefront of the Indigenous musical revolution emerging from the remote northern Indigenous communities in Australia. Their music is a style that is influenced by rock, reggae, country and gospel, a style known as Indigenous Roots music.

Nabarlek present a show that moves from traditional song and dance through acoustic contempo-

NT Indigenous Music Awards 2005

Presented by
Music NT

The NT Indigenous Music Awards recognise excellence, dedication, innovation and outstanding contribution to the NT music industry. The Awards will be presented at a special showcase event and will feature the best Indigenous music talent in the NT.

Nominations come from industry, with pre-selection by a local industry committee and final judging of award winners by an



independent panel of NT and interstate music industry professionals.

The categories are: Album of the Year, Best Music Release 2005, Song of the Year, Musician of the Year, Band of the Year, Traditional Music Award 2005, Indigenous Radio – Most Popular Act, Best Artwork and Design 2005, New and Emerging Act, Hall of Fame for Top End and Central Australian Band/Musician.

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DATE: 17 Aug
TIME: 8pm
BOOK: 8980 3333
VENUE: Star Shell,
Botanic Gardens
PRICE: **\$15/\$10** conc.
\$5 for Child 6-12

NT
Indigenous
Music Awards
2005

DATE: 27 Aug
TIME: 7.30pm
Gates open 6.30pm
BOOK: Sound of Music -
Casuarina Square
8927 0990
CD City Darwin -
Smith St Mall
89819548
VENUE: Mararra Stadium
PRICE: **\$20/FREE** under 12

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