

Godinymayin Yijard Rivers Arts & Culture Centre



PROGRAM July – December 2015

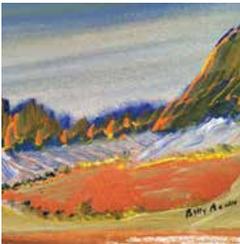
Exhibitions



40th Katherine Prize

31 July – 5 September

The Katherine Prize, now in its 40th year, is a non-acquisitive annual award open to all Northern Territory based Indigenous and non-Indigenous artists.



Billy Benn Perrurle, *Artetyerre*

Holding Silence

11 September – 24 October

Twelve NT artists present their unique visions of the experience of being in and responding to country in the Northern Territory. Most of these artists from Darwin, Katherine and Alice Springs paint 'en plein air' and present fresh and immediate images of landscapes that have moved them.



Jan Milner Cole, *Hill Pine Creek*

Jan Milner Cole: mid career survey

30 October – 18 December

Katherine-based artist Jan Milner Cole has been painting aspects of life around the Top End for many years. This survey of her work, including landscapes, portraits and images of outback lifestyles is drawn from personal collections in the region and presents a comprehensive picture of this artist's varied body of work.

Performances



Piano Sessions, Melbourne City Ballet

Friday 7 August

Melbourne City Ballet, a professional neoclassical company ballet based in Melbourne, will perform for the first time in Katherine. Under Artistic Director Michael Pappalardo, the company will present a night of inspiring ballet classics.



Wunderkammer

Thursday 27 August

Circa has created a boutique contemporary artform from the traditional languages of circus. Alive to improvisation, multi-media and collaborations, infused with an immersive use of light and sound and featuring startlingly re-imagined circus skills, the family friendly work presents a new frontier in circus arts.



CIRCA



Head Full of Love

Sunday 13 September

Head Full of Love is the story of two remarkable women and the unlikely but inspiring friendship which forms between them during the Alice Springs Beanie Festival. This intricate, warm and wisely told tale by playwright Alana Valentine is directed by Wesley Enoch and stars Annie Byron and Paula Delaney Nazarski (A WOW event).





The Women of the World Festival returns to Katherine in September 2016 but GYRACC is presenting a **WOW fun day and 'thinkin'** on **13 September 2015** to coincide with the performance of *Head Full of Love*. There will be theatre workshops and afternoon tea provided.



Cypher

Wednesday 23 September

Cypher features four high level b*boys (breakdancers) all of whom have won major international competitions. The audience shares the performance space with the dancers creating an intimate and immersive atmosphere. It is accessible, playful and challenging, coupling raw spirit and innovative and provocative choreography.



Friends of GYRACC

Become a Friend of the Centre or a volunteer and join a group of passionate supporters who all have art in their heart! Benefits include discounts at the shop and performances as well as invitations to all the Gallery openings and special events.

Venue Hire

It is possible to hire the auditorium for your next function or meeting. Facilities include: bar/servery, cabled and wireless internet access, power points and an outdoor patio. See our website for details or email shop@gyracc.org.au.





Above: Jan Milner Cole, *Top End in June*.
Front cover: *Wunderkammer*. Image: Justin Nicholas.

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