

Performance Evaluation Report as at 21/06/2010

Client: Brewarrina Business Cooperative Ltd

Activity: 64087 Murdi Paaki Strong Women's Project
Commenced 1/07/2009
Completed:

APIR Period End: 31/03/2010

Service Delivery: Good

Field Visit Date:

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Review Start Date:

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Budget Position

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Significant Assets Purchased

Service Delivery and Indicators

Project Assistant and steering committee meet consistently to further develop the ongoing commitment to the Women of the Murdi Paaki.

Strong Women's Project was to hold a workshop in February 2010 in Cobar which would have included Mental Health First Aid training and Love Bites which is based on healthy relationships however, it was very difficult to engage the women.

It seemed that over the festive season and school holidays there had been many personal issues which deterred the women's ability to be able to commit and it was evident that the Project Assistant would need to visit communities and engage through face to face contact. All communities visited stated that family, community issues, work commitments and distance to travel deterred them from attending workshops. Many suggested that bringing workshops into their own communities or into a community closer to home would be more beneficial. Women have indicated that simple Yarn Ups within their own communities is where they would like to start. Many have indicated that they do not have enough time to establish women's groups but encourage continued visits from project assistant and yarn ups particularly Red Dust Healing as the women who attended the workshops last year have been great advocates for this program and Strong Women's Project. Sorry Business, Community Division & Natural Disasters have also been major factors within communities which impacted on communities of the Murdi paaki.

It is now envisaged that a workshop will take place sometime late in June where women from the previous Yarn Ups will undergo the last component of the Red Dust Healing-Train The Trainer. The women will then engage in facilitating a further three yarn ups. This training has come about through funding granted by FaHCSIA to Tom Powell, the Founder & Facilitator of Red Dust Healing Program. Further dates are yet to be confirmed but selected sites for workshops to be held are Lightning Ridge, Wilcannia, Dareton/Wentworth.

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