

# WME NEWSLETTER



## AN UPDATE FROM GEOFF KELTON OPERATIONS MANAGER

It's been a busy few months at Wirilu-murra, with significant developments both onsite and offsite. We've been actively collaborating with Fortescue and are about to begin work with the NPI Central Projects team. This expansion will see our workforce grow, as we add two new plumbers and two trade assistants (TAs) to support the Kangi potable water main upgrade. The project, expected to last 12 months, will further increase our team as it progresses.

In addition, we've received approval to onboard two full-time refrigeration technicians, strengthening our ever-growing NPI team at Solomon. We continue to partner with the Solomon NPI team on several other camp-related projects.

Offsite, we've seen the first of the new BCI buses arrive at Solomon, enhancing the customer experience by improving transport around the Fortescue site. Wirilu-murra has also completed the construction of a drill support truck, which will be sent to site later this month to support the Solomon Drill and Blast department.

We're also collaborating closely with our suppliers and are in the process of upgrading our excavator fleet with new machines, thanks to our partners, Worx and Tides. Our WL03 is currently undergoing a major overhaul in Perth and is expected to be back in operation by the end of October.

Wirilu-murra is proud to be working with the 5 Mile community on renovations for the Arts and Music Studio. With Fortescue handling the air conditioning design and supplying the units, we're coordinating the building materials and supplies, with installation occurring end of October. It's an exciting project, and we're thrilled to be involved and continue to support the 5 Mile Community.

As summer approaches and Christmas, we remind everyone to stay focused, hydrated, and plan tasks carefully.

# EMPLOYEE PROFILES

# DIRECTOR CHANGES



**Zac Hart**  
EGWME JV

**How long have you been with the company?**

I've been working for the JV for coming on 2 years but have been with Wirlu-Murra since January.

**What is your occupation?**

Workshop Supervisor

**What do you like to do on your time off?**

Taking the caravan away with the family, 4x4 beach trips, camping and adventuring.

**If you have a favourite quote or piece of advice someone has given you, what is it?**

If you look after your people they will look after you.

**Advice or tips for people entering the industry?**

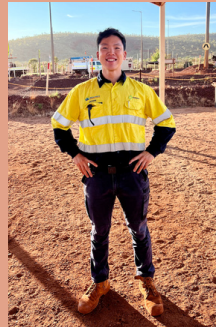
Don't take it for granted, make smart choices and make it work for you don't work for it.

**Dream destination?**

Why have only one? I do dream to be able to take my 4 kids and wife on a very long trip around Australia one day.

**Is there anything you have accomplished that brings you a sense of pride?**

Of late it would have to be the new house, finally got ourselves some arch-age on the coast.



**Jovian Kim**  
NPI

**How long have you been with the company?**

I have been working for Wirlu-Murra for 4 years.

**What do you enjoy most about your occupation?**

I enjoy the company of my fellow Wirl-Murra colleagues and BBQ Sunday.

**What do you like to do on your time off?**

I enjoy spending time with friends and family, training at the gym, running, and practicing MMA. I also enjoy spending time outdoors.

**If you have a favourite quote or piece of advice someone has given you, what is it?**

"Take the risk or lose the chance" and "Fight for something or die for nothing"

**Advice or tips for people entering the industry?**

Wear sunscreen and a hat everywhere you go, or you're going to look older than your age very quickly working in the Pilbara.

**Dream destination?**

Scandinavia or a road trip all around Australia

**Is there anything you have accomplished that brings you a sense of pride?**

Passing my plumbers contractors license (It was really, really hard)



**A Heartfelt Thank You to Director Rodney Adams**

After eight years of dedicated service since joining the board of Wirlu-Murra Enterprises in 2016, Rodney has stepped down from his role. We are deeply grateful for his leadership, vision, and unwavering commitment throughout the years. His contributions have been invaluable, and his impact will continue to inspire us as we move forward.



**A Warm Welcome to Director Jessica Wilson**

We are excited to introduce Jessica Wilson as the newest member of the Wirlu-Murra Enterprises board! With extensive business experience and a passion for driving growth, Jessica brings a wealth of knowledge and fresh perspectives to our team. We look forward to her leadership and insights as we continue to grow and achieve new milestones together.

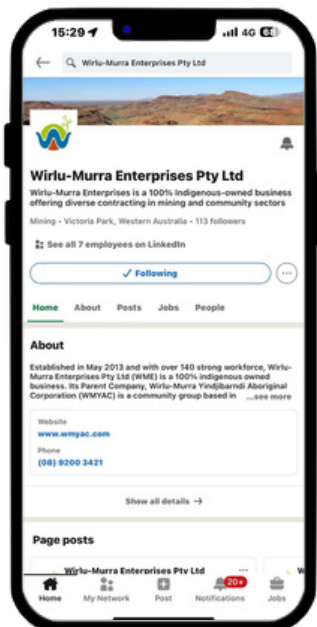
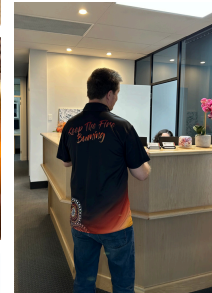


# NAIDOC WEEK

At the beginning of July, we proudly celebrated NAIDOC week, an annual event dedicated to recognising the history, culture, and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

This year's theme, "Keep the Fire Burning! Blak, Loud, and Proud," inspired a special collaboration with Jessica Wilson and her team at Yalagan Imprint to create a custom-designed shirt. This design embodies the strength, resilience, and vibrancy of Indigenous culture. Featuring bold patterns and meaningful symbols, it reflects the importance of preserving traditions, embracing identity, and standing proudly in the face of challenges. Through this partnership, we not only created a unique piece of wearable art but also aimed to spark meaningful conversations around the ongoing significance of Indigenous heritage and the collective responsibility to keep cultural fires burning for future generations.

Throughout the week, we were honoured to welcome Yinjibarndi elders, community members, and Director Rodney Adams to join us in celebrating NAIDOC Week. Their presence provided invaluable insights into Yinjibarndi culture, reminding us of the importance of safeguarding Indigenous knowledge and fostering respect for cultural diversity. Their participation further enriched the celebrations, highlighting the pride and strength within the community. Together, we reflected on the theme "Keep the Fire Burning! Blak, Loud, and Proud," embracing the spirit of unity, cultural learning, and appreciation that NAIDOC week encourages.



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## WE ARE NOW ON LINKEDIN

- Company News and Updates
- Event Announcement and Recaps
- Milestones and Celebrations
- Job Openings and Recruitment
- Sustainability and Corporate Social Responsibility

# NEW EQUIPMENT



Wirilu-Murra Enterprises has acquired a brand-new Drill Support Truck to assist FMG's Drill & Blast operations. We're looking forward to seeing it in action on-site in the coming weeks! 🚚



Wirilu-Murra Enterprises has added 5 new buses to our fleet. With 2 already on-site and 3 more on the way, we're proud to announce that our entire WME fleet is now fully in-house—no more third-party hires! 🚌

## A MESSAGE FROM MACDARA REYNOLDS

EGWME JV SUPERINTENDENT

At EGWME, we want to take a moment to recognise the incredible teamwork and dedication demonstrated by our workforce on the Solomon EGWME JV project.

First, a heartfelt thank you to the Roads Maintenance Crew (SRM). The tireless work ensures that Solomon infrastructure remains safe and accessible for all.

Day in and day out, your attention to detail and commitment keeps our operations running smoothly, making a huge impact on the overall success of the project.

We also extend our deepest gratitude to the Workshop Team. Their expertise in maintaining our equipment that powers our projects is invaluable. From routine servicing to complex repairs, your efforts behind the scenes ensure that everything runs like clockwork.

A big shoutout to our Resource Definition Earthworks (RDE) Team, alongside the highly skilled excavator and dozer operators, who expertly navigate the challenging terrain of the Solomon Mine Site. The pads, tracks, and iron ore you uncover are the heartbeat of our mission. Your dedication to every task keeps us moving forward, and your contribution cannot be overstated.

Finally, we want to give a special mention to our partners at Fortescue. Your continued trust and collaboration are key to the achievements we've seen on this project. Thank you for being an integral part of our journey. Together, we're building a brighter future, and we couldn't be prouder of what we've accomplished as a team. Here's to many more milestones ahead!