



**PILBARA COMMUNITY  
LEGAL SERVICE Inc.**

July has been a busy month for the team at Pilbara Community Legal Service. We have welcomed new staff members, said goodbye to some and have implemented changes in our offices to improve our service.

**What's Been Happening at PCLS**

**JULY'S COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

**Tom Price Community Visit**

Our Principal Solicitor paid a visit to Tom Price this month. She got meet some clients who have been anticipating her visit and spoke with members of the community who needed advice. We hope to see you again soon Tom Price!



**Newman Community Visit**

Our Redress, Tenancy and Legal team hit the road this month to Newman this month. Tenancy held an info session; Redress assisted any community members with enquiries and Legal tended to clients needing their assistance.

**UPCOMING COMMUNITY  
OUTREACH**

**MARBLE BAR  
LEGAL & REDRESS  
21st of August - 25th  
of August 2023**

**NEWMAN  
LEGAL  
15th August - 16th  
of August 2023**

## NAIDOC 2023

### South Hedland & Newman Office

PCLS joined the festivities on the 7th of July attending IBN's NAIDOC Event 2023 in South Hedland. We held a stall there and distributed balloons, information and footballs. Thank you, Horizon Power, for donating NAIDOC footballs!

Our Newman office assisted with the NAIDOC BBQ in the town square on 5th of July 2023.



## COOKING UP A STORM

### Community Migrant Services Session

We had a Cooking Up a Storm session featuring Kenyan cuisine on the 21st of July. Faith Kangogo was our master chef this month and prepared 3 dishes from her county with lamb, vegetables, and maize meal. We would like to thank Hedland Community Garden and their Coordinator Robyn Todd for donating collard green which is not sold at local supermarkets

## Legal Education

### Legal Services Session

This month our Solicitor based in South Hedland attended the high school and offered two Legal Education sessions to Grade 9's. They were invested, interacted well and hopefully enlightened on what type of law we practice at our organisation.



## Coming Up at PCLS



Homelessness Week will be commencing on the 7th of August 2023 and concluding on the 13th. Our South Hedland and Roebourne housing support teams will be hosting two barbecues to raise awareness alongside other organisations. Both barbecues will be taking place on Tuesday the 8th. Keep an eye out for the flyers!



Our monthly Cooking Up a Storm session in South Hedland will take place on the 18th of August 2023 starting 10am at Hedland Well Women's Centre.



### Pilbara Community Legal Service Values

#### UNDERSTANDING

We listen, show empathy, and demonstrate support.

#### PROFESSIONAL

We are consistent in the delivery of best practice.

#### ACCEPTANCE

We welcome people of all backgrounds, cultures and beliefs.

#### HELPFUL

We prioritise goals and do whatever we can to make a difference and achieve positive outcomes.

#### EMPOWERING

We give people all they need to make the best decisions.

#### INNOVATIVE

We are always open to new ideas and finding solutions.



## Our Services



### HOUSING SUPPORT

Our Housing Support Workers assist people who are having difficulty sustaining stable accommodation. The program is for people who are at risk of or are experiencing any type of homelessness issues.



### LEGAL SUPPORT

Our legal team offer free legal advice and assistance in the areas of family law, restraining orders, child protection matters, and criminal injuries compensation.



### COMMUNITY MIGRANT SERVICES

Our Community Migrant Service Workers provide one-on-one casework, support, information and linkages to other mainstream services to assist migrants.



### REDRESS SUPPORT

Our Redress Support Workers are here to help survivors of sexual abuse understand the Scheme, talk about feelings and guide them through the application process.



### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT

The role of our Domestic Violence Support Workers is to provide support to victims of family and domestic violence through safety and crisis intervention planning, informal counselling, support planning, advocacy, court support, assistance with Violence Restraining Order applications and education.



### TENANT ADVICE & EDUCATION SERVICE

Our Tenant Advice and Education Service Workers are here to advocate, support and educate tenants in relation to their rights and responsibilities in accordance with the Residential Tenancies Act. They cannot provide advice to landlords or commercial tenants.



### FINANCIAL COUNSELLING

Our Financial Counsellors offer information, conduct assessments and provide options and support to assist clients, address identified problems and manage financial situations more effectively.

### Contact Us Today!

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