



# Edmund Rice - Networking WA

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**TRINITY COLLEGE  
CELEBRATES  
NAIDOC WEEK**

## NAIDOC WEEK CELEBRATIONS -TRINITY

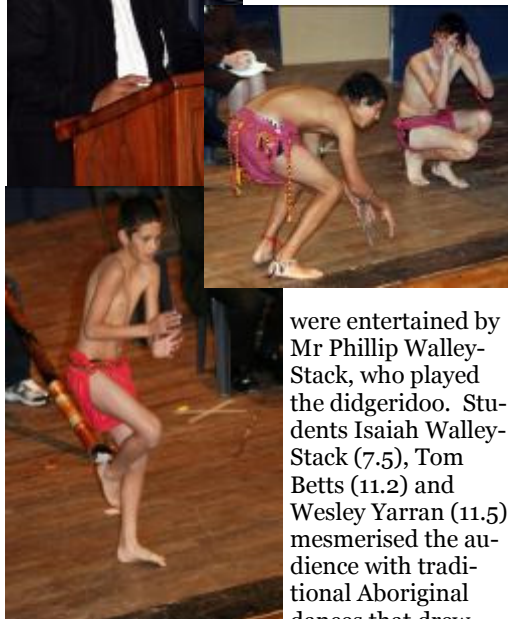


### Trinity College Honours their Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Heritage.

On Tuesday, 10 August the secondary section of Trinity College held their annual NAIDOC Assembly, providing an opportunity to acknowledge and thank those students with ties to Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander heritage for the contribution that they make to the College.



Invited guest Mr Kim Collard gave the Welcome to Country in his native Balladong dialect and staff and students



were entertained by Mr Phillip Walley-Stack, who played the didgeridoo. Students Isaiah Walley-Stack (7.5), Tom Betts (11.2) and Wesley Yarran (11.5) mesmerised the audience with traditional Aboriginal dances that drew

inspiration from the environs and portrayed a deep connection to the spirits and animals.



The keynote address was given by Mr Ben Wyatt MLA who spoke about NAIDOC being the opportunity to celebrate our deep and significant Aboriginal history. Mr Wyatt also spoke about the *Prime Minister's Apology* and the continued work on Reconciliation. At the Assembly



Headmaster Mr Ivan Banks, accepted on behalf of the College, a framed copy of the *Apology* which will hang proudly in the Senior Library. There are presently 40 Indigenous students attending Trinity, 32 students are receiving scholarships.



### Apology to Australia's Indigenous People

Under the guidance of Mr Gary Malarkey, Indigenous Student Program Coordinator the boys are exposed to a wide range of education and training. This year the College is delighted that three students have been offered apprenticeships by high profile mining firm HWE, providing them with a wonderful career opportunity.

**EDMUND RICE CAMPS for KIDS WA  
ANNUAL FUNDRAISING BALL**

**AUGUST 28th 2010**



# EDMUND RICE CENTRE LIONS UPDATE



**The Edmund Rice Centre Lions** played a rematch against Clontarf Football Academy, a team of indigenous youth, on Monday 2nd August at Kingsway Football Club. The Lions fielded 20 players (2 played for Clontarf). The Lions started in tremendous fashion scoring three early goals to Clontarf's one. Clontarf responded with a four goal second quarter that left them 9 points up at half time.

The third quarter saw the Lions respond to be within 2 points at the last change. Clontarf kicked two early goals in the last quarter and the Lions looked in trouble be-



fore two late goals got them to within 2 points. Clontarf peppered the goals and were 5 points in front with 3 minutes to go. The Lions

tried valiantly to score the winning goal but couldn't manage it and in the dying seconds Clontarf kicked the sealer to win by 11 points. The Clontarf boys presented small gifts to the outstanding players after the match.



The Edmund Rice Centre Lions is an Australian Rules Football team of newly arrived young people. The team was formed in March 2010 and have been training together since then. The team is coached and captained by the Sports Team of the Edmund Rice Centre Mirrabooka Youth Leadership Group and supported by the WA Football Commission and other sponsors. We are looking to build a supporter-base to provide a HUGE home ground atmosphere for all of the matches that the team will play in 2010. The Edmund Rice Centre Lions is a community Australian Rules Football team and are dedicated to serving their community. We are also focusing on improving the leadership qualities of these wonderful young people through footy training and a leadership development program. We would hope that these talented young footballers will inspire other young people who come to Australia to play footy, act as positive role models and encourage others to serve their community through sport. These updates will be sent out regularly to inform the community of the activities of their team! The Lions train behind Herb Graham Recreation Centre, Chesterfield Road, Mirrabooka on **Wednesdays and Fridays at 4:30pm**. For more information contact Joe on 9440 0625 or 0417 923 873 or email the Youth Leadership Group on [ereyouthleaders@gmail.com](mailto:ereyouthleaders@gmail.com)

## Let's engage in a conversation.

*To determine what we can do and how we can interact and link with each other in our continuing journey towards Reconciliation.*

**September 27th 2010**

Westcourt Support Centre  
53 Redmond Street  
Salter Point WA

6.30 pm for 7pm

Supper will be provided.

**RSVP: 20/09/10**

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## In the spirit of reconciliation

The Edmund Rice Network WA

and

Indigenous Ministry Oceania

invites people to

## Gather and watch

**"KANYINI"—Bob Randall's personal story**



A film by Melanie Hogan

# Kanyini

Over 40,000 years of culture.  
One philosophy that connects us all.



# EDMUND RICE INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE

***Free to ERN Members if you quote the code when registering  
The Global Economy and Human Wellbeing (code: 100904)***

**Date: 4 September, 2010 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM**

**Presenter: Rob Lambert**

**Key Outcomes:** By the conclusion of this Intensive, you will have gained a deeper understanding of: - what global free markets are doing to persons, families and societies; - the nature of corporate restructuring of work, and its social and psychological impacts for families and communities; - basic analytic techniques of 'political economy' necessary for understanding these changes; - the values underlying these changes, and how they might be ethically assessed; and - how to envisage (imagine) alternative models of work, and the process of realising such change.

**Presenter: Associate Professor Rob Lambert.** Winthrop Professor Rob Lambert is based at the University of Western Australia's Business School, where he specialises in labour studies. He is co-author of the award-winning book, *Grounding Globalization: Labour in the Age of Insecurity* (Oxford, Blackwell, 2008). Its highly readable critique of the free market economy identifies destructive impacts for the environment, society, families and persons. Rob is the founder and coordinator of the Southern Initiative on Globalization and Trade Union Rights (SIGTUR), founded some 20 years ago.

This movement brings together democratic trade unions across 15 countries and four continents in the global south. Rob has a background as a South African activist, and was National Secretary of the South African Young Christian Workers and then advisor to the Southern African Catholic Bishops Conference before coming to Perth.

***Between Governance and Mission-Centricity: Challenges for Not-For-Profit Managers and Boards (code: 100911)***

**Saturday 11 September, 2010 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM**

**Presenter: Professor David Gilchrist**

By the conclusion of this Intensive, you will have gained a deeper understanding of:

- why commerce-centric models traditionally used in planning and management are bad news for Not-for-Profits;
- how a mission-centric view of strategic planning and management allows both outward-looking ideals and sound internal governance;
- how to ensure that governance, financial and accountability requirements support rather than overwhelm or kidnap core objectives;
- models to take away that are relevant to strategic planning, resource allocation and governance control while focused on mission outcomes.

These models are relevant to most not-for-profits and charities; and how the organisations represented by participants face similar challenges; and how shared knowledge and networks can provide an enduring resource after the Intensive.

**Presenter: Professor David Gilchrist** is Adjunct Professor of Not-for-Profit Leadership and Management in the School of Business, University of Notre Dame Australia, and Assistant Auditor General for Western Australia. He chairs the Disability Services Commission's First Stop Oversight Committee and is a Council Member of the Anglican Schools Commission. David has been President of WACOSS, Vice-President of Relationships Australia (WA) and Vice-President of Council on the Ageing (WA). David has held CEO and CFO positions in the commercial, government and not-for-profit sectors, and has taught accounting and finance at the London School of Economics and at Portsmouth, Curtin and Edith Cowan Universities.

***Advocacy and Media Skills for Social Justice (code: 100924)***

**Friday 24 September 2010 - 10AM-5PM**

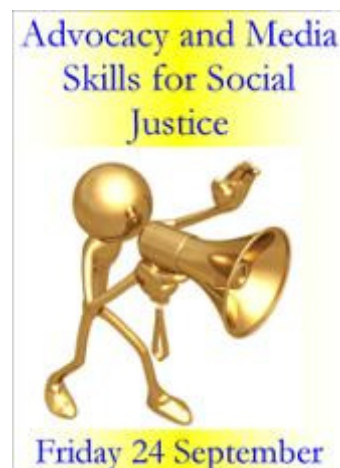
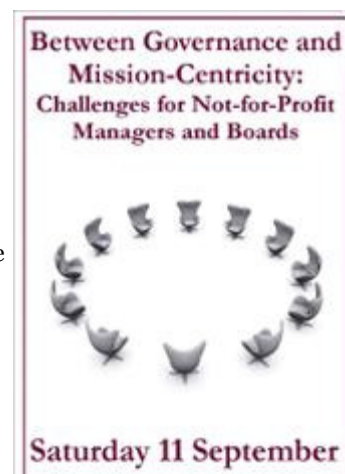
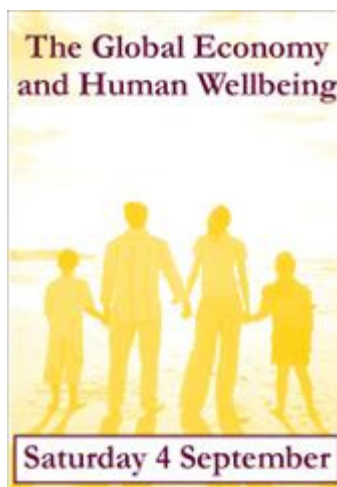
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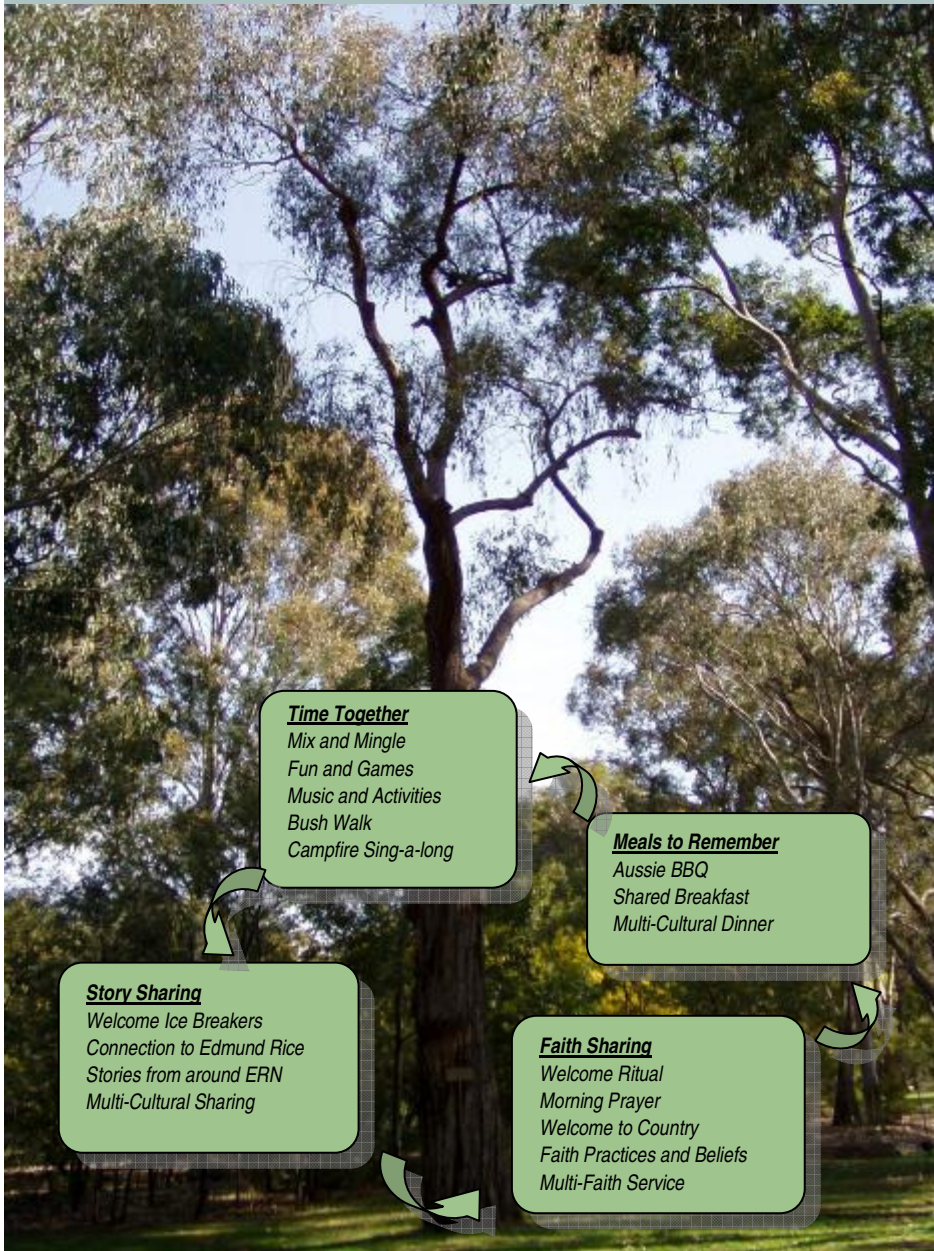
This Intensive provides participants with rich insights into successful advocacy and media techniques for social justice work.

Phil Glendenning – one of Australia's best known and most effective human rights activists – conveys via case studies the skills required to communicate with the public and bring the public into campaigns as equal partners with human rights organisations.

**Presenter: Phil Glendenning** is Director of the Edmund Rice Centre, Sydney, and one of Australia's most prominent human rights activists. The 2008 SBS documentary *A Well-Founded Fear* followed the work of Phil and the ERC in tracing the fate of numerous asylum seekers deported from Australia back to their country of origin.

Phil is immediate past-President of Australians for Native Title and Reconciliation (ANTaR) and the author of the Australian Citizens' Statement that is the basis for ANTaR's Sea of Hands. With a background in education, Third World development and political science, today Phil is primarily involved in peace and reconciliation work - especially with youth - in Australia and internationally. Previously he was the National Adult Education and Information Officer of Caritas Australia. In 2007, the Australian Catholic University awarded Phil an Honorary PhD for his human rights work. He also won the Australian Council for International Development's Sir Ronald Wilson award for Human Rights.





## Edmund Rice Network Harmony Weekend— 'Walking Beyond our Boundaries' 8th—10th October 2010

The position of Edmund Rice Network (ERN) Co-ordinator is to aid the Oceania Networking and Development team in maintaining contact with individuals associated with the Christian Brothers and the Edmund Rice Network in Western Australia; to keep them informed and to encourage participation in future endeavours of the Christian Brothers Oceania and associated entities. I can be contacted on mobile phone **0414 629 218** or as below.

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## WELCOME TO ALL

*Relax in the peace of the  
 forest;*

*Experience your spiritual  
 connection to the land;*

*Drink in the colours;  
 the stillness,  
 and the silence.*

at

### CAMP KELLY DWELLINGUP

**COST: \$20 PER FAMILY**

**OR \$10 PER PERSON**

(Children's programme provided )

Toast marshmallows  
 on the campfire



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**Thank you  
 to everyone who sent  
 information in for this  
 issue. Please keep the  
 news coming in for the  
 next issue.  
 Blessings,  
 Jill**

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With thanks to Br  
 Berkeley Fitzhardinge

