

ARTS NAIDOC 2015

NAIDOC is an acronym for 'National Aborigines and Islanders Day Observance Committee'.



Above image: Elizabeth Brough, *Untitled*, 2003, acrylic on board, 400 x 500mm. Collection: Gladstone Regional Art Gallery & Museum

ON DISPLAY: 23 MAY - 11 JULY 2015 | OFFICIAL LAUNCH: 6PM, MONDAY 6 JULY 2015

In collaboration with National NAIDOC Week (5 - 12 July 2015), a selection of paintings from the permanent collection will be on display in conjunction with historical photographs, contributed by the local community. In association with this year's NAIDOC Week theme, *We all Stand on Sacred Ground: Learn, Respect and Celebrate*, the exhibition will reflect on the GIVEN (Gladstone Indigenous Vocation & Enterprise Network) exhibition Coastal Connections. This 2003 exhibition involved artists and Elders sharing their knowledge, skills and stories with students from the Gladstone high schools. The students travelled to Facing Island and engaged in various activities including Aboriginal languages, art forms, song and dance, and ecology and then used these skills to produce artworks for the exhibition.



GLADSTONE REGIONAL ART GALLERY & MUSEUM

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We all Stand on Sacred Ground:

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