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Koskela Gallery presents

'Living off Our Waters', a collection of woven fibre works by
Maningrida and Marrawuddi Arts & Culture

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'Living off Our Waters'

'For countless generations, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples have nurtured their livelihoods, deriving sustenance from the encompassing waters.

'Living off our waters' is a collection of fibre works from two esteemed Top End Art Centres, Maningrida Arts & Culture and Marrawuddi Arts & Culture.

The woven fish and stingray figures are made from locally harvested materials including pandanus and natural root dyes, which encapsulates the vibrant life on the waters.

It beautifully underscores the integral role of fishing, which extends beyond a practical survival tactic; it's a deeply rooted cultural practice informed by ecological knowledge, reflecting the enduring connection between these communities and their natural environment.





1287-23
Nawarlah - Brown River Stingray
by Louanne Kandarra (Maningrida)
Pandanus (*Pandanus Spiralis*) and Natural Dyes
65 cm H x 135 cm W
\$580.00



1882-23
Pandanus Weaving (Stingray)
by Philemon Wanambi (Marrawuddi)
Pandanus and Natural Dyes
62 cm H x 69 cm W
\$780.00



3244-22
Pandanus Weaving (Stingray)
by Shirley Wurrkidj (Marrawuddi)
Pandanus and Natural Dyes
32 cm H x 51 cm W
\$590.00



2761-22
Pandanus Weaving - Nawarlah (Stingray)
by Shirley Wurrkidj (Marrawuddi)
Pandanus and Natural Dyes
35 cm H x 47 cm W
\$710.00



841-23
Birlmu or Namarnkorl (Barramundi)
by Samantha Malkudja (Maningrida)
Pandanus (Pandanus Spiralis) and Bush Cane (Flagellaria Indica)
with Natural Dyes
140cm L
\$1,290.00



1141-23
Nguykal (Golden Trevally)
by Maureen Ali (Maningrida)
Pandanus (Pandanus Spiralis) and Bush Cane (Flagellaria Indica)
with Natural Dyes
34cm H x 110 cm W
\$430.00



3516-22
Pandanus Weaving (Stingray)
by Simplicia England (Marrawuddi)
Pandanus and Natural Dyes
41 cm H x 57 cm W
\$800.00



1288-23
Nawarlah - Brown River Stingray
by Louanne Kandarra (Maningrida)
Pandanus (Pandanus Spiralis) and Natural Dyes
50 cm H x 115 cm W
\$430.00



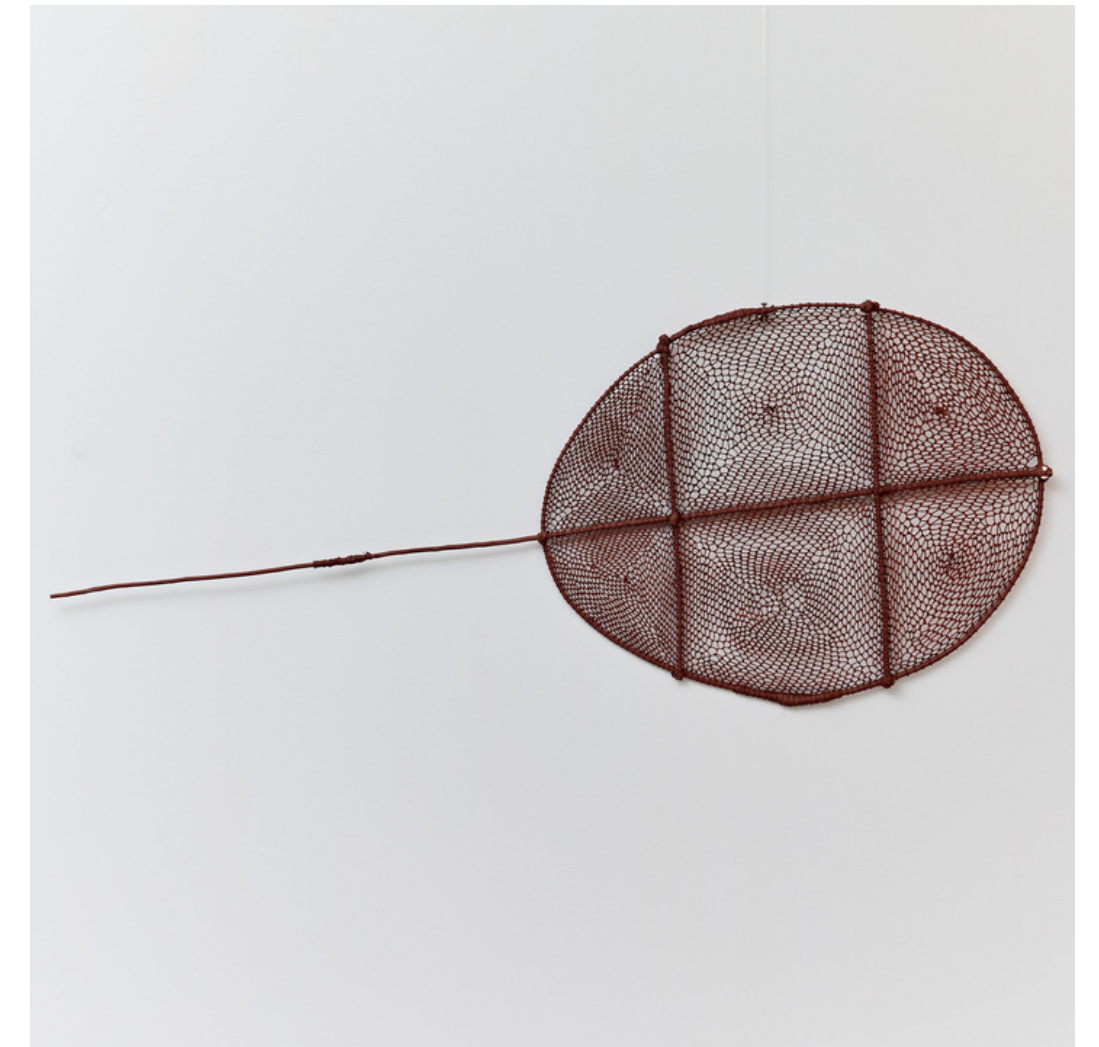
1082-23
Fibre Sculpture
by Citrina Nulla (Maningrida)
Pandanus (Pandanus Spiralis) and Bush Cane (Flagellaria Indica)
with Natural Dyes
115 cm W
\$580.00



1069-23
Birlmu or Namarnkorl (Barramundi)
by Samantha Malkudja (Maningrida)
Pandanus (*Pandanus Spiralis*) and Bush Cane (*Flagellaria Indica*)
with Natural Dyes
50 cm H x 140 cm W
\$1,290.00



1083-23
2D Fibre Sculpture
by Citrina Nulla (Maningrida)
Pandanus (*Pandanus Spiralis*) and Bush Cane (*Flagellaria Indica*)
with Natural Dyes
111 cm W
\$580.00



511-23
Nawarlah - Brown River Stingray
by Renelle Brian (Maningrida)
Kurrajong (*Brachychiton Diversifolius*) with Ochre Pigment and PVA
Fixative
163cm L
\$740.00



1053-23
Nawarlah - Brown River Stingray
by Thomasina Dennis (Maningrida)
Pandanus (Pandanus Spiralis) and Bush Cane (Flagellaria Indica)
with Natural Dyes
96 cm H x 222 cm W
\$3,090.00



1068-23
Birlmu or Namarnkorl (Barramundi)
by Samantha Malkudja (Maningrida)
Pandanus (Pandanus Spiralis) and Bush Cane (Flagellaria Indica)
with Natural Dyes
70 cm H x 195 cm W
\$2,920.00

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Thank you

Follow your heart.
Trust your judgement.
Do it with joy.

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