## 2023-2024 | APRON PROJECT



#### THEME

Artists are encouraged to present aprons that uplift, create connection and acknowledge the women who care. love and stand for us -Our Sisters.

# HISTORY

Since 2015, over 100 artists from across Australia and overseas have united to create works of art on aprons. The Apron Project has raised over \$60,000 for Women's Shelters by auctioning more than 300 of these aprons online. It has also travelled across NSW to raise funds for local communities and awareness of the growing epidemic of Domestic and Family Violence.

#### TANGENTYERE WOMEN'S FAMILY SAFETY GROUP

The Tangentyere Women's Family Safety Group (TWFSG) is a group of First Nations women and proud Town Campers who have been campaigning since 2014 to prevent domestic, family and violence. Their work is guided by a strengths-based approach, which acknowledges and celebrates the skills. knowledge, history, connections and relationships of Town Campers.

website: girlscanboyscan.com

## MISSION

By delivering Apron Showcases, community art projects, and sharing stories, the Apron Project starts conversations & raises awareness of Domestic and Family Violence within communities. The one-of-akind aprons will be auctioned with proceeds directed to Tangentyere Women's Family Safety Group.



### **ORGANISER**

The Apron Project was conceived by Sallianne McClelland, who has 35 years' experience in event creation and direction. Sallianne is a Hornsby Shire Councillor, NSW Local Woman of the Year, Advocate for Women's Community Shelters (WCS), Former Chair of Hornsby Ku-ring-gai Women's Shelter, and Former Director Development WCS.

## AN INVITATION

You are invited to contribute an apron to the Auction. Aprons have an auction starting bid of at least \$100. Many aprons sell for well above \$500

In 2024 we are also calling for Aprons that can be sold for \$25 each. Simple sewn, beautiful fabrics made with loving intention for the wearer.

Auction aprons received prior to July 1 will travel to Alice Springs to be photographed with the Town Camp Women.

All Aprons due by September 1, 2024

Auction and display is scheduled for November 2024 during 16 Days of Activism.

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