

# Short St. Gallery



## Daisy Japulija

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| <b>Born</b>           | c.1948                   |
| <b>Language Group</b> | Nyikina/Walmajarri       |
| <b>Region</b>         | Fitzroy / West Kimberley |

Daisy Japulija was born near Noonkanbah under a Konkerberry tree. She grew up in Noonkanbah and worked in the station kitchen until she married Colin Wasi. They left Noonkanbah and travelled around the country. They ended up at Cherrabun Station where they set up camp for a long time. They had one son together.

Daisy started painting at the Noonkanbah shearing shed and then in the old Mangkaja shed a long time ago. Previously, paintings done at Yakanara were sent to Mangkaja. Then, Daisy painted with Yakanara Adult Education Centre whose main emphasis was the teaching of children, instruction in language and culture and teaching people about painting. Those attending were taken on excursions to the local waterholes and rivers.

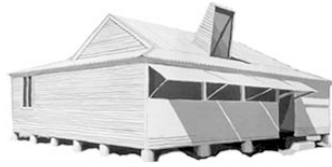
Daisy visited her desert country only once when her mother took her there as an adult.

### Art Award Exhibitions

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| 2017 | Cossack Art Awards               |
| 2017 | Port Headland Art Award Finalist |
| 2015 | Rising Star                      |
| 2014 | Port Headland Art Award (Winner) |

### Group Exhibitions

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| 2017 | Tanamthi - Mangkaja Artist, South Australian Art Gallery, SA                                   |
| 2017 | Mangkaja Waters, Short St Gallery, Broome WA   |
| 2016 | Gimme Shelter - A Survey Show from the Artists of Fitzroy Valley, Short St Gallery, Broome, WA |



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| 2016 | Pinkakarriluny Marnalunya Ngalimpakura Artists Jarlu Palu Wantinya, ReDot Gallery, Singapore |
| 2015 | Rising Stars, Outstation Gallery, Darwin, NT   |
| 2014 | Port Hedland Art Award (Winner), Port Hedland, WA  |
| 2012 | Mangkaja Arts 21 Year Anniversary, Tandanya, Adelaide, SA                                    |
| 2009 | Mangkaja Artists 60x60, Randell Lane Fine Art, WA  |
| 2009 | Celebrating Country: Kinship and Culture, Seymour College, Glen Osmond, SA                   |
| 2009 | Emerging and Re-emerging, Outstation, Darwin   |
| 2009 | Shalom Gamarada, Caspary Conference Centre, University of NSW                                |
| 2009 | Jilas jaa Parkas (Waterholes and Barramundi), Alison Kelly Gallery, Melbourne, VIC           |
| 2008 | Wet n'Wild, Artkelch, Freiburg, Germany  |
| 2008 | Mangkaja Arts, A.P. Bond Art Dealer, Adelaide, SA  |
| 2007 | Palya Art in Melbourne, The Barn, Melbourne, VIC   |

## **Public Art**

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| 2010 | Fitzroy Crossing Swimming pool                  |
| 2008 | Fitzroy Crossing Hospital - paintings on canvas |