



Mary Napangati

Born c.1955 Language Pintupi

Region Western / Central Desert

Biography

Mary was born near Wilkinkarra (Lake Mackay) circa 1955, and is the third child of four kids and one boy. Her family lived in the vicinity of Lappi Lappi, located towards the northern area of Lake Mackay, until they walked in to the Mt Doreen cattle station west of Yuendumu. By this time Mary was approximately ten years old. Her family walked on the station and the children were driven by truck to attend school at Yuendumu. When the station owner died, the family moved to Yuendumu, where she married, later moving further west of Nyirrpi and giving birth to two boys. After her husband passed away Mary remarried the well known Papunya Tula artist Ronnie Tjampitjinpa and moved to Kintore, where she now lives and paints.

Solo exhibitions

2020 Papunya Tula Artists, Alice Springs, NT.

Group exhibitions

2020	Desert Stories, Paul Johnstone Gallery, Darwin NT
2019	'Pintupi Show 2019', Papunya Tula Artists, Alice Springs NT.
2019	Lingkitu Ngalula-Still Stong, Paul Johnstone Gallery, Darwin NT



Short St. Gallery

2018	Transcend Generations: Papunya Tula, Art Aborigene du Desert Centreal, Aboriginal Signature Estrangin Gallery, Brussels, Belgium
2017	Annual Pintupi Exhibition, Papunya Tula Artist, NT
2006	Pintupi Art 2006, Tony Bond Aboriginal Art Dealer, SA
2006	Narratives Preceding All Memory, Burg Vischering, Luedinghausen, Germany
2005	Rising Stars, Gallery Gabrielle Pizzi, VIC
2005	Strong and Stately, ReDot Gallery, Singapore
2004	Pintupi Artist, Papunya Tula Artist, Alice Springs, NT