



## **Rachel Yukultja Jennings**

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## Biography

Rachel Yukultja Jennings was born at Pirti Parnangu claypan. Her country is between Pirti Parnangu and Wilkurrul near Mantamaru. Common themes in her painting are the Tjukurrpa belonging to this area such as Tjitji Kutjarra. As a young girl Rachel travelled the area around Mantamaru with her family. Her father and mother adopted Carol Golding after her parents passed away and cared for her into adulthood. The two women recall early days as children walking from place to place with their families and remain great friends, often painting together. Rachel was a young woman in her teens when the family moved into Warburton Mission after the birth of Rachel's youngest sister, Eunice. She spent most of her adult life in Warburton where she was married and raised her two daughters. Rachel was initially involved with the Warburton Arts Project. However, since moving to Kungarangkalpa Aged Care at Wanam she has begun painting with Warakurna Artists. Rachel's sister is Eunice Porterone of the founding Artists at Warakurna Artists and present Chairwoman. She is also a keen weaver and works also with the Tjanpi Desert Weavers

## Group Exhibitions

- 2016 Port Hedland Courthouse Gallery
- 2015 Desert Mob 2012
- 2015 Tunbridge Gallery, Perth, Australia



Short St. Gallery

2013	Desert Boards – Warakuma, Wanam & Kayili. Raft Artspace, Alice Springs
2013	The Wild Ones– Paintings from the Western Desert Mob and Spinifex Arts Project. Raft Artspace, Alice Springs
2013	Wanam – Ngaanyatjarra works on board. Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney
2012	Western Desert Mob Group Exhibition. Merenda Gallery, Fremantle WA
2010	Warakuma and Wanam Artists Group Exhibition. Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney
2010	Warakurna Artists Group Exhibition, Short Street Gallery, Broome WA
2010	Desert Mob 2010. Araluen Cultural Centre. Alice Springs, NT
2009	Printingpa Ngaanya Yanku Kayili,Warakuma Artist's paintings travelling North. Outstation Gallery, Darwin
2009	Desert Mob, Araluen Gallery, Alice Springs
2009	Warakurna Artists Group Exhibition, Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney
2008	Desert Mob, Araluen Gallery, Alice Springs
2008	Warakuma Artists and Wanam Aged Care Paintings. Aboriginal and Pacific Art, Sydney Themes

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