

EXHIBITION

schedule 2018

2017

On the Beach



Pelagic Plastic © Tim Pearn

Mar 4

A thought-provoking look at the insidious build-up of small-scale plastic detritus on the wild and pristine beaches of Western Australia.

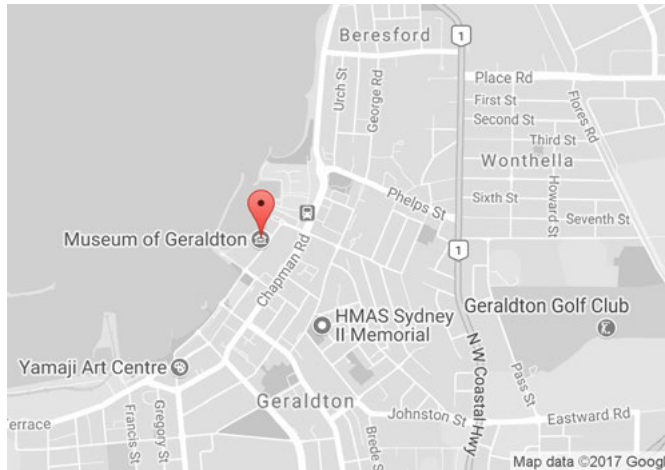


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Feb 9

Punuku Tjukurpa



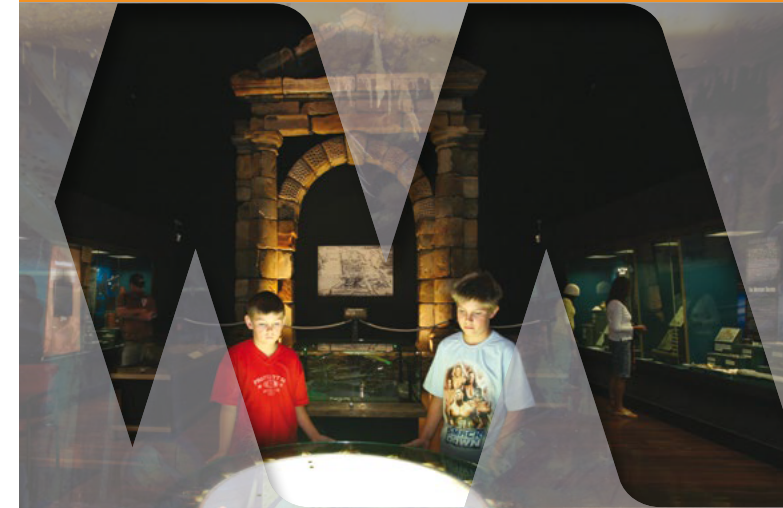
Ivy Ingkatji, Piti, c. 1995

Apr 29

A celebration of the stories and Law of Anangu culture told through intricate carvings and artefacts.

Museum of Geraldton School Programs

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Discover the rich heritage of the land, sea and people of the Mid West region.

During your visit, be sure to...

▶ Journey through the *Mid West Gallery* and discover the natural and social history of the region.

Explore the region's unique flora and fauna.

Learn about the life and history of the Yamaji People.

Discover the influence of European settlement and the development of mining, farming and fishing.

Visit the *Shipwrecks Gallery* where four shipwrecks reveal their treasures from the deep.



3D experience – *From Great Depths: witnessing the wrecks of Sydney (II) and Kormoran*

Self-guided experience.
Exclusive use for 20-30 minutes per class. 3D film runs for 12 minutes.
Bookings are **essential**.

Year 2

History: The past in the present

Year 3

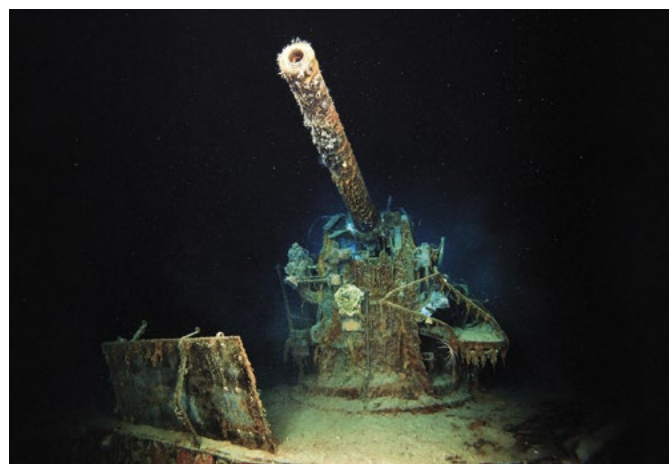
History: Communities and remembrance

Year 10

History: Depth study 1: Investigating World War II (1939–45)

The loss of HMAS *Sydney* (II) and its 645 crewmen is Australia's greatest naval tragedy. The HSK *Kormoran* was also sunk, but 317 of its crew of 397 were rescued. The fate of the *Sydney* remained one of Australia's greatest World War II mysteries... until it was discovered in 2008.

From Great Depths is a poignant, multimedia exhibit exploring the history of both ships and the exact moment they engaged in battle off the West Australian coast. Visitors will view a 3D film featuring the underwater footage captured during the 2015 survey expedition to the wreck sites, along with personal accounts and historic images of wartime service related to both crews.



HMAS *Sydney* (II), Image courtesy WA Museum and Curtin University © WA Museum

Excursion Information

1 Choose a program

Self-guided experiences

Bookings are **essential**.

Groups are welcome to visit the Museum and proceed at their own pace.

There are trails and booklets available for students from years 1-9. These resources are aligned with the Australian Curriculum: History and engage students in the region's natural and social history.

Visit costs

Entry by donation. Suggestion of \$20 per class.
Booklet or trail cost: \$2 per student.

2 Make a booking - essential

Bookings for the 3D film and self-guided experiences are **essential**.

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Please refer to our website for Excursion Management Plans, including Certificate of Currency.

museum.wa.gov.au/explore/education

Open 9:30am-3:00pm on school days.

3 Explore the HMAS *Sydney* (II) website

museum.wa.gov.au/explore/sydney

Find out more about Australia's greatest naval tragedy. See photos and video footage from the 2015 survey expedition and historical photos of the vessels and crews.