

# PRIMAL: EPHEMERAL Eco Art Residency

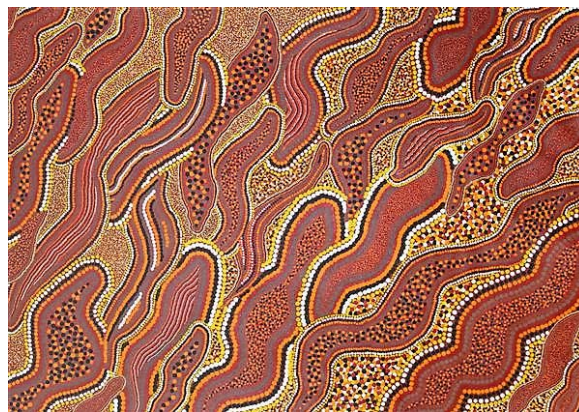
Sherrie Jones | Ceduna | South Australia



art + environment learning connections

## about the artist

I am a proud Aboriginal woman and artist living in Ceduna. I began painting seventeen years ago, and mainly use acrylic on canvas to paint themes related to my childhood and stories passed down from my family. Painting is my life and telling stories through my paintings adds meaning to my life. These stories are very important to me and I am very much inspired by my grandfather and father, Winston Hubert. I like to experiment with the use of colour, techniques, themes and perspective and some techniques I practice include dot painting, brush strokes and contour lines. My dream is to become an internationally renowned fine artist, following in the footsteps of my father who is a landscape artist. My work has already been featured in a number of art exhibitions such as Our Mob and GaRa Mimaarda. More recently I have been volunteering at the Koonibba School, giving back to the community and developing the children's creativity. I also support the Koonibba Womens Group through the development of art practice.

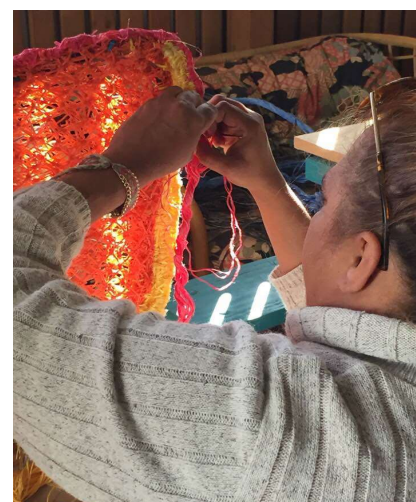


## the importance of the environment

I believe it is very important to protect our environment, just like our ancestors have for thousands of years before us. We need to continue caring for our environment to ensure younger generations can enjoy it as well. An immense part of this is sharing knowledge, that has been passed down from our elders, about the land and showing children how to look after it. We must take care of what we have now; our country, ocean, sky, animals and everything else. When hunting we must take only what we need from the environment and nothing more.

## the eco art project and what it can achieve

I will be working with Pam Diment on the marine debris installation. We will be using materials such as nets, ropes and plastic bags, which all pollute the ocean and threaten marine life. We intend to re-purpose objects found washed up on the beach to make a beautiful piece of art. I look forward to working with Pam, the community and all the other artists to raise awareness about marine debris.



## further reading and eco art links

○ [artsceduna.com.au](http://artsceduna.com.au)

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- Doctors Beach, Wells Street
- Foreshore Lawns, Corner of Stuart Street & Eyre Avenue
- Campbells Landing, Corner of Linklater Street & Eyre Avenue

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