



Grow Well, Live Well

Palmerston working together for the wellbeing of
children and young people

‘The purpose of this project will be to facilitate community led action, decision making and activities to improve the wellbeing of children and young people in Palmerston.’

UPDATE

- The ‘State of Palmerston’s children and young people’ report has been released.

Find a copy of the community report, or the technical report at:

<http://www.palmerston.nt.gov.au/community-services/children-and-families/grow-well-live-well>

Community planning sessions

Join us to plan actions for Palmerston’s children and young people.

Like our Facebook to find out the dates.

<https://www.facebook.com/GWLWpalmerston/>

Or email us:

grow_well_live_well@outlook.com



The State of Palmerston’s Children and Young People

What does the report tell us about Palmerston?

In bringing together data and the community voice, we found that the data largely supports what the community told us. The report tells us that in Palmerston most children and young people are developing well, however, some are not.

Over the years, there have been some important improvements for families, but many issues are still having a negative impact on children, young people and their families. There are gaps in data available for Palmerston and other areas which means we do not know the extent of some local concerns.

Concerns raised about raising children in Palmerston can only be addressed by the community, services and governments working together.



The Palmerston State of the Children Report was designed by Sprout.

sprout.

Planning together

We listened to you...we looked at the data...now we want to work together for action.

Using information from the ‘State of Palmerston’s children and young people’ report, Grow Well Live Well is holding community planning sessions. This is so community members and local service providers are involved in responding to challenges children and young people may experience and plan for building on their strengths.

Please join us!

“Are you interested in being involved or learning more?”

Contact Us



Values:

Respect -- Transparency -- Passion -- Commitment -- Pride -- Diversity -- Innovation





Grow Well, Live Well

Palmerston working together for the wellbeing of
children and young people



Children's week Celebration 2016

The Children's Week Event was held in the Palmerston Recreation Centre on Tuesday 25 October. 34 Community Organisations joined together to run a fun interactive event as part of the National Children's Week. The morning began with a Welcome to Country by the Larrakia Nation and was followed by Mayor Abbott welcoming 292 adults and 316 children aged between 0 – 5 years of age to the event.

The Children's Week Working Group made up of the following members of the Palmerston Kids Network worked together to bring this amazing event to Palmerston: City of Palmerston, Save the Children Australia, Gray Family Centre, Kidsafe NT, Neighbourhood Watch NT, Palmerston Child and Family Centre, Somerville and The Smith Family.



Palmerston State of the Children Report Official Launch

Monday 28 November in Palmerston

By the

Minister for Children
Nicole Manison

Minister for Education
Eva Lawler

Minster for Territory Families
Dale Wakefield



DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that 40-45% of the population is aged between 0-24 years old in each suburb of Palmerston?

See the 'State of Palmerston's children and young people' report for more information about Palmerston.

<http://www.palmerston.nt.gov.au/community-services/children-and-families/grow-well-live-well>

A hard copy of the Palmerston State of the Children Report can be collected from the Save the Children office in Swan Street, Winnellie.

Every Wednesday
14 SEPTEMBER – 30 NOVEMBER 2016
6-7PM | GOYDER SQUARE

ALL LEVELS WELCOME
BRING A MAT, TOWEL AND WATER BOTTLE

STUDIO ONE
MIND, BODY & SOUL

WWW.PALMERSTON.NT.GOV.AU | 0895 0822 PALMERSTON

MEMBERSHIP

[Australian Red Cross](#); [Child Australia](#); [City of Palmerston](#); [Early Childhood Australia](#); [FAST NT](#); [NT Government Department of Education](#); [Save the Children](#); [The Smith Family](#); [Larrakia Nation](#); [Northern Territory PHN](#)



Values:

Respect -- Transparency -- Passion -- Commitment -- Pride -- Diversity -- Innovation