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Enable WA acknowledges the traditional custodians throughout Western Australia and their continuing connection to the land, waters and community. We pay our respects to all members of the Aboriginal communities and their cultures; and to Elders both past and present.



## International Day of People with Disabilities

- 1. December 3rd is the International Day of People with Disabilities.
- 2. Each year, Enable hosts an event.
- 3. This year we are hosting 3.
- Play in the Bay is happening at the Busselton
   Foreshore on November 25th from 9:30am. There are lots of activities to try.
- 5. The Dalyellup Community Christmas Festival is happening at Lakes Park in Dalyellup on December 3rd from 3pm. There are lots of fun things to do, plus food, carols, a Sensory Zone, and Santa!
- 6. There is a FREE family friendly movie night happening in Manjimup on December 4th, from 4pm. Closed captions will be on, and food trucks will be there. Happening at the Sandra Donovan Sound Shell. BYO rugs, chairs and blankets.





## **Art For Inclusion Exhibition**

- 1. There is an art club in Bunbury every Tuesday and Thursday for Enable clients.
- On December 9th, they are opening an art exhibition at the Stirling Streets Art Centre from 2pm.
- 3. Art is for sale.
- 4. Meet the artists.



# New Speech Pathologist on the Team

- Maddy is our new Senior Speech Pathologist at Mandurah.
- 2. She works with both children and adults.
- 3. She is very friendly, patient and professional.
- 4. If you would like to book a session with Maddy, give us a call or email therapy@enablewa.org.au

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# Ayesha is a Finalist for the 2023 Blind Australian of the Year

- 1. Ayesha is a client of Mandurah.
- 2. She is an incredible woman and runs community events for all abilities.
- 3. She is a Finalist for the 2023 Blind Australian of the Year!
- 4. We will find out if she's won soon.



## **New Graduate Clinician Program**

- Therapy have launched a new program for people who have just finished University studies in certain fields.
- 2. This new program helps them find jobs at Enable.
- 3. If you know anyone who would be interested, please pass on our information.

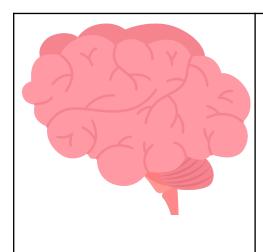
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# **Support Line for First Nations People**

- If you are of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent, there is a Support Line open to you to talk about your feelings.
- 2. Call 13YARN to talk to a mob that can be there for you.



## Mental Health Month

- 1. October was Mental Health Month.
- 2. We shared a lot of tips and advice on our Instagram and Facebook channels.
- 3. You can look at them any time you need to.
- 4. If you need to talk to someone, don't be afraid.





# **Client Advisory Group**

- We would love you to join our Client Advisory Group.
- 2. This group helps us make decisions for the organisations.
- 3. All your feedback is welcomed to help us do better!



# The NDIA Annual Report 2022-23 is now available

- 1. The Annual Report for NDIA is now available.
- 2. There is an easy-read version available.
- www.ndis.gov.au/about-us/publications/annual-r eport