



**Greg Aplin MP**  
Member for Albury

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### **\$3,000 FOR NAIDOC CELEBRATIONS IN ALBURY**

Member for Albury, Greg Aplin has today announced \$3,000 will be allocated to the Woomera Aboriginal Corporation to help celebrate NAIDOC Week in 2018.

“NAIDOC Week is an important opportunity to acknowledge and celebrate the tremendous achievements of our local Aboriginal people here and all across the state,” Mr Aplin said.

“I understand that the Woomera Aboriginal Corporation plan to conduct a morning tea and an Elders lunch to recognise and celebrate the importance of Aboriginal culture.”

Minister for Aboriginal Affairs Sarah Mitchell said more than 120 grants have been awarded for NAIDOC Week 2018, which runs from 8 to 15 July.

“I am very much looking forward to NAIDOC Week and all of the celebrations across the state and I am particularly excited for this year’s theme, *‘Because of her, we can!’*” Ms Mitchell said.

“The NSW Government is proud to support the recognition and celebration of Aboriginal women under the NAIDOC Week theme for 2018 and we are committed to continually recognise the contribution and achievements of Aboriginal communities right across the state.”

For more information about NAIDOC Week, visit [www.naidoc.org.au](http://www.naidoc.org.au)

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