

NARPULA SCOBIE NAPURRULA - PINTUPI

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Narpula was born in the Haasts Bluff region in the late 1950's. She is the widow of Johnny Scobie Tjapanangka who was a shareholder and artist with Papunya Tula Artists prior to his death in 1999. Narpula is the younger sister of Turkey Tolson Tjupurrula.

SELECTED GROUP EXHIBITIONS

- 2011 'Papunya Tula Women's Art', Maitland Regional Art Gallery, NSW
- 2010 'Papunya Tula Artists' – Community, Utopia Art Sydney, NSW
- 2004 'Aboriginal Art 2004', Scott Livesey Art Dealer, Melbourne, VIC
'The Inner and the Outer', Stadtgalerie Bamberg, Villa Dessauer, Bamberg, Germany
- 2001 'Aboriginal Art 2001', Scott Livesey Art Dealer, Melbourne, VIC
Musée des Beaux Arts et d'Archeologie de Vienne, France
- 1999 Flinders University of South Australia, Bedford Park, SA
- 1997 Art Gallery of South Australia, Adelaide, SA
- 1996 Papunya Tula Artists Pty. Ltd. Alice Springs, NT
- 1994 Chapman Gallery, Manuka, Canberra, ACT
- 1991 Auckland City Art Gallery, Auckland, New Zealand
- 1990 'Friendly Country – Friendly People', Araluen Arts Centre, Alice Springs, NT
- 1988 Queensland Museum, Brisbane, QLD
- 1987 Portsmouth Festival, Portsmouth, UK

COLLECTIONS

Artbank
Art Gallery of South Australia
Australian Museum
Queensland Art Gallery
Robert Holmes a Court Collection
The Kelton Foundation Collection
Flinders University Art Museum

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