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## EVERNOW FESTIVAL TO CELEBRATE KAMBARANG IN BOORLOO/ PERTH

The spectacular annual celebration **EverNow** is returning to Boorloo/Perth this October to ignite our senses during the wildflower season of birth, new life and renewal.

**EverNow** – a festival during Kambarang – will light up iconic city locations with a series of brilliant displays and performances reflecting WA's unique environment and culture 3 – 7 October.

**EverNow 2024** welcomes back the immersive walk-through wonderland **Boorna Waanginy: The Trees Speak** in Kings Park and a fresh production of **Song Circle**, the mesmerising showcase of Noongar songs and dance. Extra **EverNow** programming will be announced soon.

The return of **EverNow** follows its inaugural success in 2023 as a home-grown signature event grounded firmly on Noongar Boodjar and inspired by our State's rich biodiversity and creativity.

EverNow invites visitors and locals alike to light up their senses, reconnect with Country and celebrate the magic and wonder of Western Australia over one amazing, extended weekend.

EverNow is a homegrown, state-owned event delivered by Tourism WA and produced by Perth Festival's out-of-season Special Projects arm, guided by Perth Festival's Noongar Advisory Circle.

Previous major free events produced by Perth Festival include *Place Des Anges* (2012), *The Giants* (2015), *Boorna Waanginy: The Trees Speak* (2017 and 2019), *Highway to Hell* (2020) and *High Voltage* (2023).

At EverNow 2024, audiences can look forward to celebrating Kambarang together as a community with an extraordinary weekend of unique and accessible, free family-friendly events:

## Boorna Waanginy: The Trees Speak

An immersive after-dark journey through the spectacular Kings Park and Botanic Gardens, in which the trees come alive to "speak" of stories of this land, this Noongar Boodjar, through projected animation, sound, spoken word and song. This is a free, non-ticketed event.

## Song Circle

This Noongar-led futurescape showcases musicians on a revolving raised stage surrounded by dancers on a ring of sand. Audiences are invited to enjoy Noongar-language songs reflecting animals and environments from Perth through to the South Coast. This is a free, non-ticketed event.

For more information visit evernow.com.au

Media resources (images) available here.











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We acknowledge Aboriginal peoples as the traditional custodians of Western Australia and pay our respects to Elders past and present. We celebrate the diversity of Aboriginal West Australians and honour their continuing connection to Country, culture and community. We recognise and appreciate the invaluable contributions made by First Nations peoples across many generations in shaping Western Australia as a premier destination.





