

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Burgoyne to the Minister for Territory Families:

Youth Camps

Please provide the following data for the 12 months to 30 September 2022 (01/10/2021 – 30/09/2022):

1. What was the total expenditure on the Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation Camp?

ANSWER

\$575,000 to deliver 6 camps.

2. How many youths participated in the Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation Camp who were:
 - a. Less than 12 years old at the time of commencement?
 - b. 12 years or older at the time of commencement?

ANSWER

- a. 3
- b. 18

3. Of the youths who participated in the Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation Camp who were less than 12 years old at the time of commencement, how many were referred by:
 - a. Police
 - b. Parent/guardian
 - c. Other family member
 - d. Government agency
 - e. Non-government agency
 - f. Court
 - g. School
 - h. Other

ANSWER

- a. Nil
- b. Nil
- c. Nil

- d. Nil
- e. Nil
- f. Nil
- g. Nil
- h. Other – Contractor – Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation - three.

Borroloola School provided names of young people under 12 who were disengaged from school and demonstrating antisocial risky behaviours. Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation followed up with the young people and their families in referring them to a short camp in September 2022.

- 4. Of the youths who participated in the Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation Camp who were less than 12 years old at the time of commencement, how many were subsequently arrested, offended or reoffended?

ANSWER

Nil.

- 5. Of the youths who participated in the Jarrdimba Bayamuku Aboriginal Corporation Camp who were 12 years or older at the time of commencement, how many were subsequently arrested, offended or reoffended?

ANSWER

There were 12 participants with Integrated Justice Information System identification numbers. Of those, five have a record of offending, reoffending or have been arrested.

- 6. What was the total expenditure on the Flinders Camp?

ANSWER

Nil. There was no expenditure between 1 October 2021 to 30 September 2022. A one-off payment was provided in the 2020-21 financial year for three camps.

7. How many youths participated in the Flinders Camp who were:
- Less than 12 years old at the time of commencement?
 - 12 years or older at the time of commencement?

ANSWER

- Nil
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8. Of the youths who participated in the Flinders Camp who were less than 12 years old at the time of commencement, how many were referred by:
- Police
 - Parent/guardian
 - Other family member
 - Government agency
 - Non-government agency
 - Court
 - School
 - Other

ANSWER

Nil.

9. Of the youths who participated in the Flinders Camp who were less than 12 years old at the time of commencement, how many were subsequently arrested, offended or reoffended?

ANSWER

Nil.

10. Of the youths who participated in the Flinders Camp who were 12 years or older at the time of commencement, how many were subsequently arrested, offended or reoffended?

ANSWER

There were seven participants with Integrated Justice Information System identification numbers. Of those, three have a record of offending, re-offending or have been arrested.