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Darren Clark

Dear Darren

I am writing to thank you for providing an exceptional documentary photographic exhibition, *From Daly to Darwin*, to assist us with celebrating NAIDOC week. You captured contrasting contemporary lives of indigenous Australians and showcased some of the more remote regions where CSIRO conducts research and works with the local indigenous people.

I also greatly appreciated your willingness to share your time with our visitors.

Both I and Louise were taken by surprise by your generosity of spirit extending as far as donating the *From Daly to Darwin* exhibition to CSIRO Discovery Centre. I accept this unexpected gift with gratitude and in addition to ensuring we will take wonderful care of it, we will also endeavour to share it with our sister CSIRO sites around the country, and to keep you informed of its whereabouts, should you ever happen to be in the same part of the country as it.

Your exhibition continues to attract interest and we will be producing a webpage about the exhibition, but in the meantime please see what was captured at your opening and the Jack Cusack Memorial Lecture here:

<http://www.csiro.au/en/Portals/Events/The-CSIRO-Lectures/2012-Jack-Cusack-Lecture.aspx>

Louise is currently preparing a schedule for a travelling program for the exhibition. I wish to make it as accessible as possible, particularly in regional areas.

I hope Discovery will have the pleasure of hosting another of your exhibitions.

I wish you every success for the future.

Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cris Kennedy". The signature is fluid and stylized, with a large initial "C" and a long, sweeping underline.

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