

# FIVE counts down to finale

The ongoing community arts project FIVE Geraldton will go out with a bang as it hosts a final celebration and exhibition tomorrow.

The six-week-long initiative will take to the streets of Geraldton on Post Office Lane and on Marine Terrace for one final hurrah.

FIVE Geraldton, in partnership between DADAA and Rio Tinto, hosted three separate art projects and workshops based around the theme of 'belonging' during its running.

The celebration will showcase works created during the project, including an installation of the large-scale sculpture created by the community in collaboration with artist Hiromi Tango.

The event will also screen the projection of digital portraits filmed by Craig Walsh at the WA Museum Geraldton's Wedge building during April.

Photographic narratives created by young adults from Streetwork Aboriginal Corporation will be on display, along with interactive digital works and a mural.

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**Raina Savage**

ACDC Gallery arts development manager Raina Savage said the event was a great opportunity to see what the local community has been working on.

"This is a really important event because it shows a great collaboration with out-of-town artists, local ones and the community," she said.

"All the work on display has had input from the community and so many people have contributed their stories into the project.

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The event will feature a host of family fun, including pop-up mar-

kets, street entertainers, live music and street food.

Savage said it would be a great night out for everyone.

"It will be a really wonderful night for the whole family and we're hoping to go out with a bang," she said.

"Come down and see some locally-inspired art and have a great night out as well."

The FIVE Geraldton celebration and exhibition opening will kick off from 5pm.

The community sculpture can also be viewed on May 9 and 10 in the same location.

For more information on FIVE visit [www.five.org.au](http://www.five.org.au)



**Artist Hiromi Tango weaves together individual artworks made by Geraldton locals as part of the FIVE project, set to be on display in a final celebration tomorrow.** Picture: Supplied