



DO YOU CARE ABOUT SEEING **GREAT ART** IN ALICE SPRINGS?

The Alice Springs Art Foundation presents its AGM and 'Cleopatra's Dress', by artist Sia Cox

The Alice Springs Art Foundation seeks new members and new approaches to help keep its biennial Alice Prize program going. The **ALICE PRIZE** is a highly regarded national contemporary art exhibition with a \$25,000 prize. It has attracted high profile artists and judges since 1970. Works from the Prize contribute significantly to the art collection currently owned by the Town Council on behalf of the people of Alice Springs and held at Araluen. The Art Foundation is a volunteer organisation that runs the Prize and decides acquisitions for the collection.

Community members interested in continuing the Alice Prize are invited to the AGM

When: Sunday, 30th November from 2pm - 4pm

Where: The Residency, Corner Parsons & Hartley Streets

The AGM will be followed by afternoon tea and a talk by artist Sia Cox.

Sia Cox, "Cleopatra's Dress"



Cleopatra Katsoolis was my mother's mother's mother. She is a hero in our family and a pioneering textile artist. The textile performance *Cleopatra's Dress* is a celebration and revival of her fashion and textile design work from the 1950's. As a sculptor and textile artist myself, it was important to me to make this work, using the silk screens she has left us, embedded with her artworks, before they perish.