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**WESTERN AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIALS
ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER WAR
MEMORIAL, KINGS PARK**

The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander War Memorial is located off Forrest Drive to the south-southwest of the WA State War Memorial and its inscription reads:

To the memory of the many
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
Australians who gave their lives while
Serving with Australian armed forces
and services.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander
peoples have represented their country
in all wars and actions involving
Australian armed forces and services
since the Boer War.

The Australian War Memorial (AWM) provides a Nominal Roll with brief services histories for 1,075 members identified as indigenous. The list does not readily identify conflict, State of origin, whether Aboriginal or Islander, nor those who died while in service, and is available at the following link https://www.awm.gov.au/webgroups/indigenous_service

In 1995, a Thesis for a Master of Philosophy, Australian Studies at the University of Western Australia, titled *Aboriginals and the Defence Forces in Western Australia in World War II*, was completed by Brian Willis. This document lists those indigenous Service Men and Women identified in the Thesis with Service details added from the Department of Veterans' Affairs WWII Nominal Roll or the national Archives of Australia online records.

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WWII WESTERN
AUSTRALIAN
INDIGENOUS ROLL
OF HONOUR

THOSE WHO DIED

BROCKMAN Cyril WX10712
PoW Illness: 13Aug43 Born
Eelup WA

GRAY Thomas WX7802 KIA:
6Jul41 Broome WA

JACKSON Albert Henry
WX32734 Injuries: 31Jan43
Perth WA

LOCKYER Eric WX40624
KIA: 16May45 Port Hedland
WA

LOCKYER Arnold Alexander
80471 RAAF PoW Wounds:
21Aug45 Born Port Hedland
WA

MALLARD Herbert WX15372
KIA: 13May45 Northampton
WA

NANNUP Edward WX14716
Missing: 5Mar42 Kalamunda
WA

NINYETTE John Edward
WX12672 KIA: 11May45
Narrogin WA

PHILLIPS Cecil Allen
WX10389 KIA: 12Feb42
Northam WA

POLAND Harold Charles
WX15937 KIA: 14Sep43
Shark Bay WA

WARMDEAN Maitland
WX14301 aka ARMITAGE
Maitland Accident: 23Oct41
Born Guildford WA

THOSE WHO SERVED

ABDULLAH Ben (Endnote 1)

ABDULLAH George WX2518
Served: 26Apr40-1May40
Born Guildford WA

ABDULLAH George WX33318
Served: 11Aug42-28Oct43
Born Guildford WA

ABDULLAH Stephen
Ildaphonus W38898 Served:
4Mar42-18Sep43 Born New
Norcia WA

BARKER Walter W50991
Served: 4Feb42-26Jun45
Born Shark Bay WA

BARRON John Frederick
Edward WX9271 Served:
30Oct40-17Jul47 Born
Wagin WA

BEASLEY Albert Jack
WX13716 Served: 28May41-
8Aug42 Born Ord River WA

BELL Clinton Murray
WX35024 Served: 3Oct42-
22Feb46 Born Moora WA

BLURTON Leslie (Endnote 1)

BRENNAN James WX7218
PoW Served: 1Aug40-
28Nov45 Born Laverton WA

BROCKMAN Charlie W30636
Served: 13Oct40-15Dec43
Born Carnarvon WA

CARLYON William WX15785
PoW Served: 13Aug41-
1Feb46 Born Wurarga WA

CHAMBERLAIN Windella
WX15711 Served: 13Aug41-
4Jan46 Born Broome WA

CHANCE Jack (Endnote 2)

CORPOS Richard WX19933
Served; 2Mar42-19Jun46
Born Broome WA

COUNCILLOR Kenneth Harold
WX41522 Served: 14May44-
17Jul46 Born Geraldton WA

COX Charles W54968 Served:
17Feb42-12Dec45 Born
Semaphore SA

COYNE Jack WX30101 Served:
13Jul42-21Mar46 Born
Country WA

DAVIS Alexander Raymond
W25416 Served; 4Mar41-
27Jan42 Born Wagin WA

DAVIS Harold Reginald
WX14427 PoW Served:
18Jun41-6Nov45 Born
Northam WA

DOLBY Ludo DX843 RAN
Served: 12Apr42-18Apr46
Born Broome WA

DORIZZIE Frank McNie
WX39249 Served: 13May43-
29Mar44 Born Weeboree
Station WA

EADES Angus W43885 Served:
10Jul42-29May45 Born
Woodanilling WA

EADES Frederick WX34262
Served: 20Oct42-25Jan46
Born Woodanilling WA

EADES Sydney WX34816
Served; 23Oct42-19Feb44
Born Woodanilling WA

EDWARDS Roy WX38623
Served; 23Apr43-18Feb46
Born Carnarvon WA

FARMER Richard WX5656
Served; 22Jun40-2Nov45
Born Katanning WA

FARRELL Arthur WX19906
Served: 27Feb42-7Feb47
Born Carnamah WA

FARRELL Edward WX41753
Served: 16Oct44-17Jan46
Born New Norcia WA

FITZGERALD Cecil WX731
Served; 10Nov39-12Feb45
Born Greenhills WA

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FITZGERALD Raymond 14mar46 Born Mingenew WA
WX31174 Served: 3Aug42-9Jan46 Born Quairading WA
FOGARTY Arthur Thomas Served: 3Aug42-6Nov44
WX36930 Served: 25Mar43-19Jun46 Born Mount Magnet WA
FOGARTY Cecil Arthur W20206 Served: 10Aug41-4Feb46 Born Mount Magnet WA
FORD Edward W81514 Served: 7Jun42-9Oct44 Born Katanning WA
FORREST William RAAF (Endnote 3)
GILLESPIE Richard WX19495 Served: 3Feb42-15Feb44 Born Guildford WA
GRAHAM John WX12609 Served: 9May41-1Feb45 Born Norseman WA
GREEN John Chapman WX22201 Served: 6Dec42-15Feb46 Born Wagana Station WA
GREGORY Matthew WX34168 Served: 3Aug42-17May46 Born Beagle Bay WA
GRIFFEN Edward WX8861 Served: 24Oct40-5May44 Born Esperance WA
HANSEN Harold W43869 Served: 18Jun42-22Jun43 Born Broomehill WA
HANSEN Robert WX15736 PoW Served: 13Aug41-22Jan46 Born Bridgetown WA
HARRIS Arthur (Endnote 1)
HARRIS David (Endnote 1)
HARRIS Ella AWAS (Endnote 1)
HARRIS Harold John WX33288 Served: 23sep42-14mar46 Born Mingenew WA
HARRIS Leonard WX28715 Served: 3Aug42-6Nov44 Born Morawa WA
HARRIS Norman Charles 85090 RAAF Served: 7Jul44-27Apr48 Born Three Springs WA
HARRIS Myrtle 111864 WAAAF Served: 17Nov43-1Mar46 Born Northam WA
HARRIS Ruby 113264 WAAAF Served: 5Jul44-6Mar46 Born Toodyay WA
HEDLAND Edward George WX13267 Served: 21May41-13Feb46 Born Moora WA
HENRY Wyvon WX42332 Served: 23Mar45-15Feb46 Born Kellerberrin WA
HILL Leslie (Endnote 1)
HOLLAND William Maitland WX16581 Served: 22Sep41-28Nov45 Born Quairading WA
HOWARD Frank (Endnote 4)
HOWARD Henry (Endnote 4)
HUNTER Percival Philip W63758 Served: 13Jul42-31Aug45 Born Cape Sevigui WA
HUNTER Richard (Endnote 4)
INGRAM Aildred Richard W96867 Served: 29Sep42-17Mar44 Born Northam WA
ISAACS Charles Samuel WX19177 Served: 19Jan42-31Jan47 Born Karridale WA
ISAACS John W81000 Served: 5Jun42-29Oct45 Born Busselton WA
ISAACS Leslie WX38237 Served: 3Apr43-23Dec46 Born Busselton WA
ISAACS Percival Andrew W49145 Served: 2Feb42-19Nov45 Born Busselton WA
ISAACS Wallace Frederick WX16820 Served: 2Oct41-1Feb46 Born Busselton WA
JONES Charles WX14535 Served: 24Jun41-26Feb46 Born Sturtmeadow Station WA
JONES Ernest VX53684 Served: 2Jul40-18Dec45 Born Northam WA
JONES Frank Elijah WX14414 Served: 18Jun41-1Feb44 Born Wagin WA
JONES James W53778 Served: 11May43-17Sep45 Born Fremantle WA
JONES John WX18359 Served: 31Dec41-9Jan46 Born Kojonup WA
JONES Murray WX14697 Served: 30Jun41-8Nov45 Born Donnybrook WA
JOSEPH Jim WX38953 Served: 19Sep43-26Mar46 Born Yalgoo WA
KELLY Ronald 34889 RAN Served: 17Jun43-15Sep47 Born Geraldton WA
KICKETT Joseph WX15820 Served: 14Aug41-4Jan44 Born Katanning WA
KICKETT Reginald W22210 Served: 25Jul41-date unavailable (Endnote 5)
LAWRENCE Thomas William WX15752 Served: 13Aug41-21Nov41 Born Burswood WA
LITTLE Victor Thomas WX18144 Served: 17Dec41-

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2Feb44 Born Mount Magnet WA
LOCKYER Albert Edward
WX32702 Served: 11Aug42-4Jan46 Born Port Hedland WA
LOCKYER Edward A5439
RAAF (Endnote 3)
LOCKYER Elliot WX34529
Served: 19Oct42-5Jun46
Born Roebourne WA
MALLARD Frederick (Endnote 1)
MALLARD George WX18017
Served: 11Dec41-10Oct46
Born Northampton WA
McGRATH Edward Edgar
WX27940 Served: 20Jul42-25Mar46 Born Mogumber WA
McGUIRE Robert WX14234
Served; 16Jun41-27Oct45
Born Brookton WA
MILLER (Endnote 6)
MINDEMARRA Augustin
WX5563 Served: 11Dec40-25Jan46 Born Bullsbrook WA
MIPPY Henry WX16855
Served: 6Oct41-28Mar46
Born Fremantle WA
MORRISON Arthur Edward
WX15746 PoW served;
13Aug41-28Feb46 Born Perth WA
MURPHY Thomas W47626
Served: 27Feb42-9Nov45
Born Halls Creek WA
NELSON Andrew (Endnote 1)
NELSON Victor WX28716
Served; 3Aug42-4Jun46 Born Kellerberrin WA
NETTUP Maitland Harold
WX37535 Served: 3Jan43-26Feb45 Born Busselton WA
NINYETTE Ernest WX18358
Served: 31Dec41-2nov45
Born Brookton WA
NINYETTE Leonard George
WX13182 Served: 17May41-19Nov45 Born Brookton WA
NINYETTE Sam WX16417
PoW Served: 10Sep41-28Feb46 Born Beverley WA
OGILVIE Walter Edward
WX15373 Served: 23Jul41-8Oct46 Born Northampton WA
PENNY John W43867 Served:
15Jun42-2Mar44 Born Cape Riche WA
POLAND George Thomas
WX14373 Served; 18Jun41-26Feb46 Born Cue WA
POLAND Jack Frederick
WX18193 Served: 22Dec41-13Jan44 Born Shark Bay WA
POLAND William Charles
WX18205 Served: 23Dec41-27Nov45 Born Shark Bay WA
PONTON Patrick Leslie
WX21546 Served: 15Apr42-28Nov45 Born New Norcia WA
PROSSER Arthur Frederick
WX41026 WX13266 Served:
21May41-31Jul41, 3Dec43-23Feb44 Born Busselton WA
PUERTOLLANO Alphonse
(Endnote 4)
PUERTOLLANO Mackey
(Endnote 4)
PUERTOLLANO Stanley
(Endnote 4)
PUNCH Fred WX34106 Served:
15Aug42-23Jan46 Born Mount Barker WA
QUARTERMAINE Alex
WX34465 Served: 22Oct42-5Aug46 Born Woodanilling WA
QUARTERMAINE Frank
WX15289 Served: 23Jul41-12Jan42 Born Woodanilling WA
QUARTERMAINE Phillip
WX11562 Served: 9Apr41-12Dec41 Born Woodanilling WA
QUARTERMAINE Tim
WX36424 Served: 18Nov42-26Oct44 Born Katanning WA
REMERES Stephen (Endnote 4)
ROE Willie (Endnote 4)
RONAN Edward John
WX16269 PoW Served:
27Aug41-7Feb46 Born Geraldton WA
RYAN Francis WX36429
Served; 23Nov42-14Feb46
Born Mullewa WA
SAYERS Frederick Leslie
W32113 Served; 11Nov40-18Oct45 Born Busselton WA
SHADFORTH Harry W74576
Served: 26Mar42-8Dec44
Born Burketown QLD
SHADFORTH Patrick (Endnote 4)
SHAW Cyril Bruce (Endnote 6)
SIBOSADO Antony (Endnote 4)
SMITH Cyril WX35752
Served; 12Dec42-12Jul43
Born Unamup WA
SMITH Raymond WX34263
Served: 22Oct42-19Aug43
Born Kojonup WA
SOOLONG Archie (Endnote 4)
SULLIVAN Larry WX14621
Served: 25Jun41-11Feb46
Born linden WA

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TAYLOR Charles WX38973 Served; 13Oct42-13May46 Born New Norcia WA	WALLEY Richard Morris WX22089 Served: 26Oct42- 10Aug44 Born New Norcia WA	WEAR George WX8181 Served: 16Aug40-10Jan46 Born Shark Bay WA
TORRES Joseph W87105 Served; 1May42-29Dec44 Born Drysdale River Mission WA	WARMDEAN Cyril WX15198 aka ARMITAGE Cyril Served: 23Jul41-1Dec41 Born Guildford WA	WEAR Ralph WX17583 Served; 6Nov41-9Mar42 Born Shark Bay WA
TORRES Patrick (Endnote 4)	WARMDEAN William WX14706 aka ARMITAGE Served: 30Jun41-4Dec41 Born Guildford WA	WHITBY Leslie John W43047 Served: 10Mar42-21Nov45 Born Geraldton WA
WALLAM Sydney WX33839 Served: 15Aug42-13May46 Born Kojonup WA	WATSON Thomas (Endnote 1)	YORKSHIRE George (Endnote 1)

Endnotes:

1. This Soldier is unable to be further identified from the DVA WWII Nominal Roll or the National Archives of Australia online records.
2. This Soldier's unit is recorded as 2/16th Australian Infantry Battalion but he is unable to be further identified from the DVA WWII Nominal Roll or the National Archives of Australia online records.
3. This Airman is recorded as serving with the RAAF but he is unable to be further identified from the DVA WWII Nominal Roll or the National Archives of Australia online records.
4. This Soldier's is recorded as serving with the AMF Broome but he is unable to be further identified from the DVA WWII Nominal Roll or the National Archives of Australia online records.
5. This Soldier is unable to be further identified from the DVA WWII Nominal Roll.
6. This Soldier's unit is recorded as 2/11th Australian Infantry Battalion but he is unable to be further identified from the DVA WWII Nominal Roll or the National Archives of Australia online records.

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