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## Meen'thama Coming Out for Ceremony

22nd of February ~ 29th March 2008

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and Lockhart River Art and Culture Centre
presents

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## **Coming Out for Ceremony**

6.30pm - 9.30pm on Friday 22nd of February 22nd of February ~ 29th March 2008

List of Artists

Lawrence Omeenyo
Silas Hobson
Adrian King
Josiah Omeenyo
Leroy Platt
Winston Butcher
Sammy Clarmont
Terry Platt

Artists Josiah Omeenyo and Winston Butcher will hold a performance on opening night of traditional song and dance to celebrate the opening of the exhibition.

Contemporary art practice has become a powerful

and poignant tool of indigenous cultures in Australia. The ability to articulate and communicate unique perspectives to audiences continues to create social change in our collective country. Lockhart River Art Centre has successfully developed an international reputation for their art practice whilst empowering and encouraging their community to present positive

Coming Out for Ceremony is the first exhibition of men's work to be held in Australia. We encourage all to come and celebrate this show, to be opened in song and dance by representative artists Josiah Omeenyo and Winston Butcher.

social and cultural images and messages. 'Meen'thama'

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