

# JACK HILLS IRON ORE MINE WESTERN AUSTRALIA'S MID-WEST REGION



## COMMUNITY NEWS

June 2008

### AT THE HEART OF MID-WEST IRON ORE

At the heart of mid-west iron ore is Crosslands Resources - we own and operate the high grade Jack Hills iron ore project.

We are a local company and pleased to provide support for community initiatives in the areas where we operate.

#### We Have the Mid-West Community at Heart

Most recently, Crosslands provided sponsorship support for the Bendat Dash to raise funds for Horizon House in Geraldton; production of the Cue Primary School newsletter; and, the Bundi Gurdurdu Mid-West Indigenous Art Exhibition held in Perth from 9 - 13 June.

Crosslands was pleased to host more than 20 staff members of Yamatji Land and Sea Council at our mid-west Jack Hills iron ore mining operations last month.

Crosslands staff members Anna McLean Resident Mine Manager, Mark Bushell Indigenous Affairs Manager, Kim Pervan Community Relations Manager and Darryl Mongoo Liaison Officer, lead a tour and briefing on mining operations and expansion plans.

#### Crosslands Resource Update

Jointly owned by Murchison Metals Ltd and Mitsubishi Development Pty Ltd, our Jack Hills project is in its first stage of operation, producing at a rate in excess of 1.5 million tonnes of high grade direct shipping ore per annum.

Stage 1 is a small scale start; stage 2 expansion will see an increase in annual production using the proposed new rail and port facility at Oakajee for export to customers in Asia.

The longevity of the project has been affirmed with ongoing feasibility studies revealing significant further resource potential at Jack Hills.

Direct Shipping Ore Mineral Resources at 50% Fe cut-off are 96.6 Mt at 59.1% Fe, while Beneficiation Feed Mineral Resource estimates are 435 Mt.

Crosslands CEO Stuart Hall said the additional mineral resource estimate clearly demonstrates the potential and quality of the Jack Hills project.



*Artist from the mid-west at the opening of Bundi Gurdurdu at QV1 building in Perth*



*Yamatji Land and Sea Council Regional Manager Russell Simpson (right) with Crosslands Indigenous Affairs Manager Mark Bushell during the mine site tour*

Stay in touch at [www.crosslands.com.au](http://www.crosslands.com.au)

#### GET IN TOUCH

Want to know more or join our team?

Call (08) 9483 0500



THE HEART OF MID-WEST IRON ORE: Crosslands Resources Ltd is the owner of the Jack Hills iron ore mine located in the mid-west region of Western Australia. Jack Hills boasts a significant high grade iron ore resource with expansion plans expected to provide a major boost to the economy of the mid-west. Crosslands is jointly owned (50/50) by Murchison Metals Ltd and Mitsubishi Development Pty Ltd.