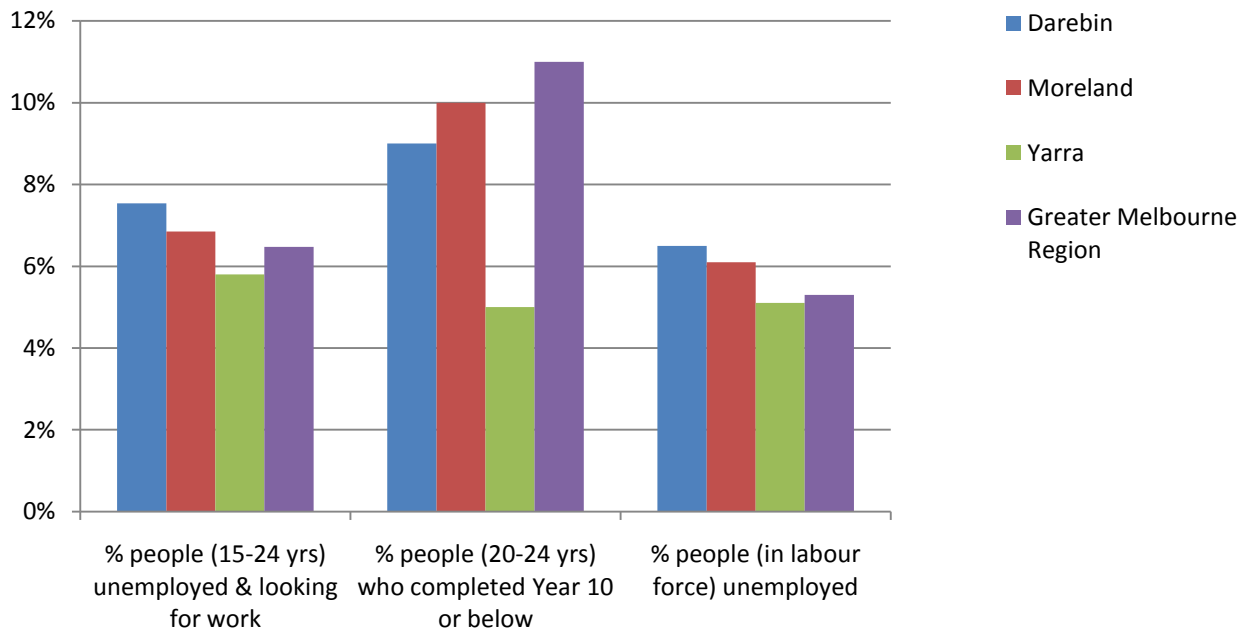


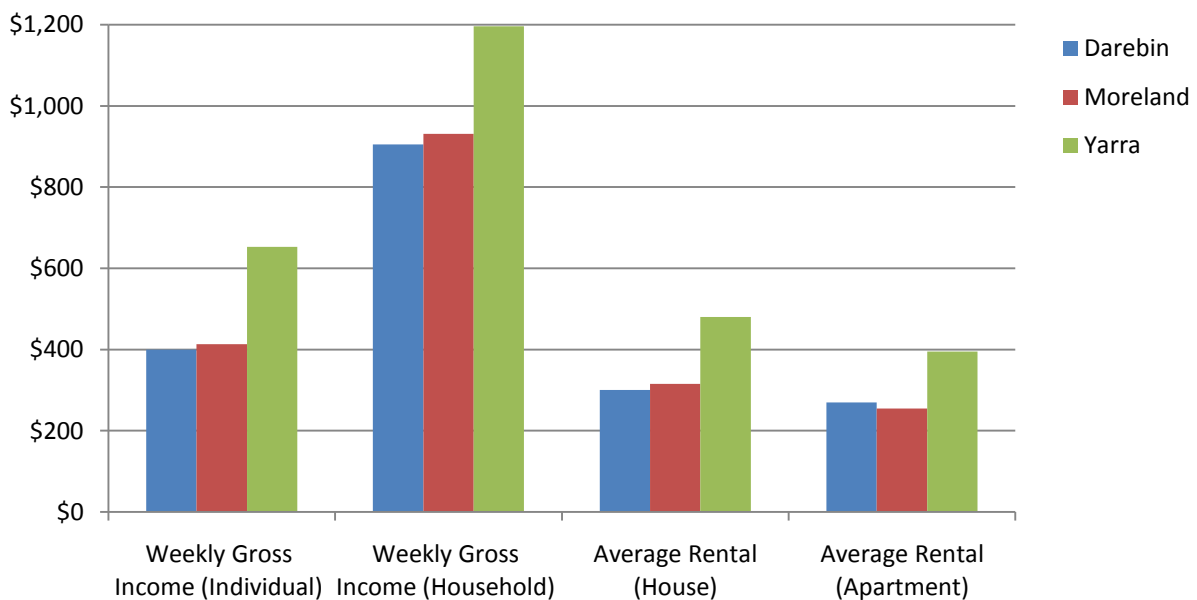
A few things you probably didn't know about our community...

Even before the current economic turmoil, a lot more people were looking for work than we may have thought...



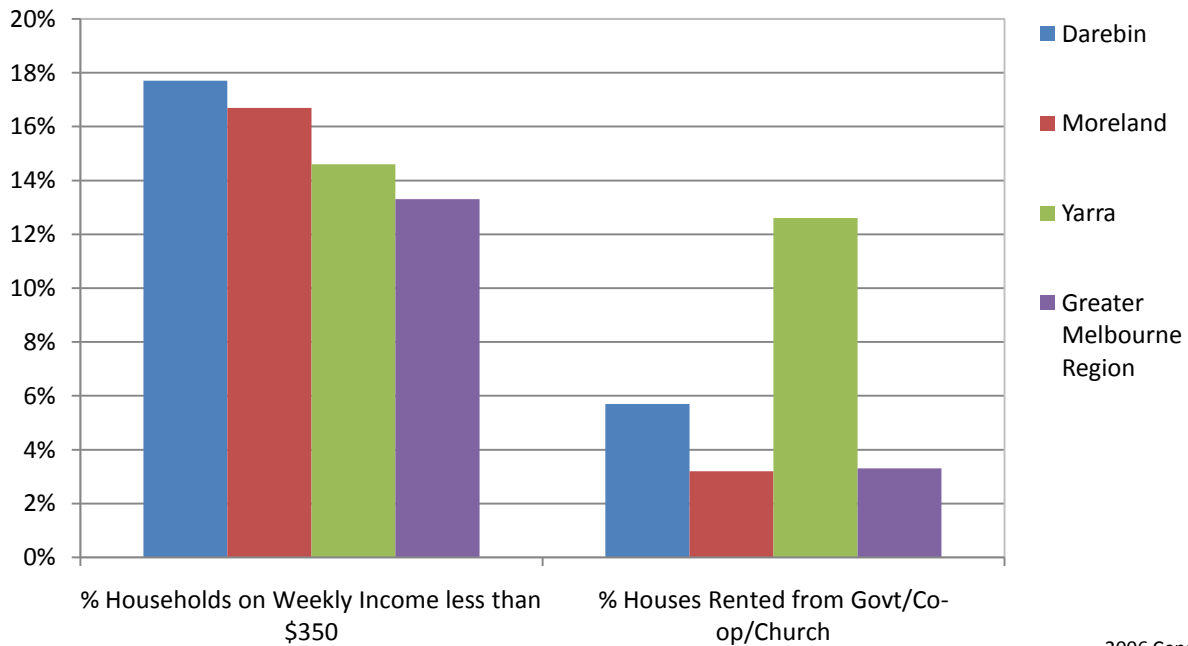
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On average, households in our community spend 33% of their weekly income on rent...

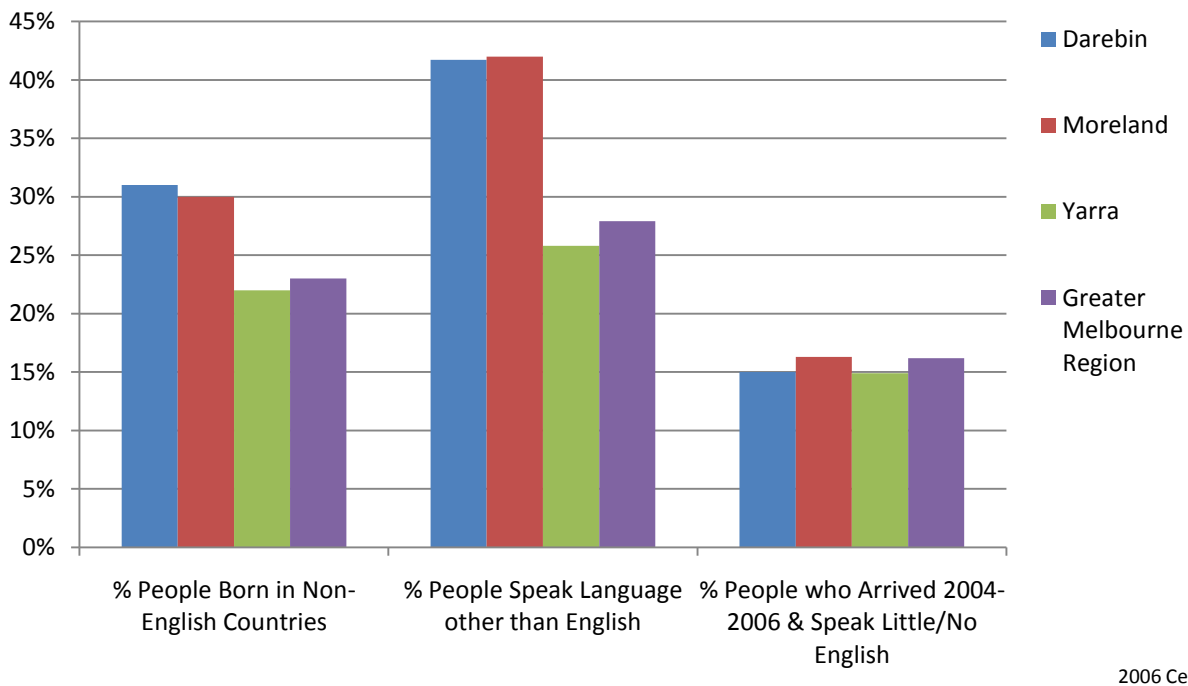


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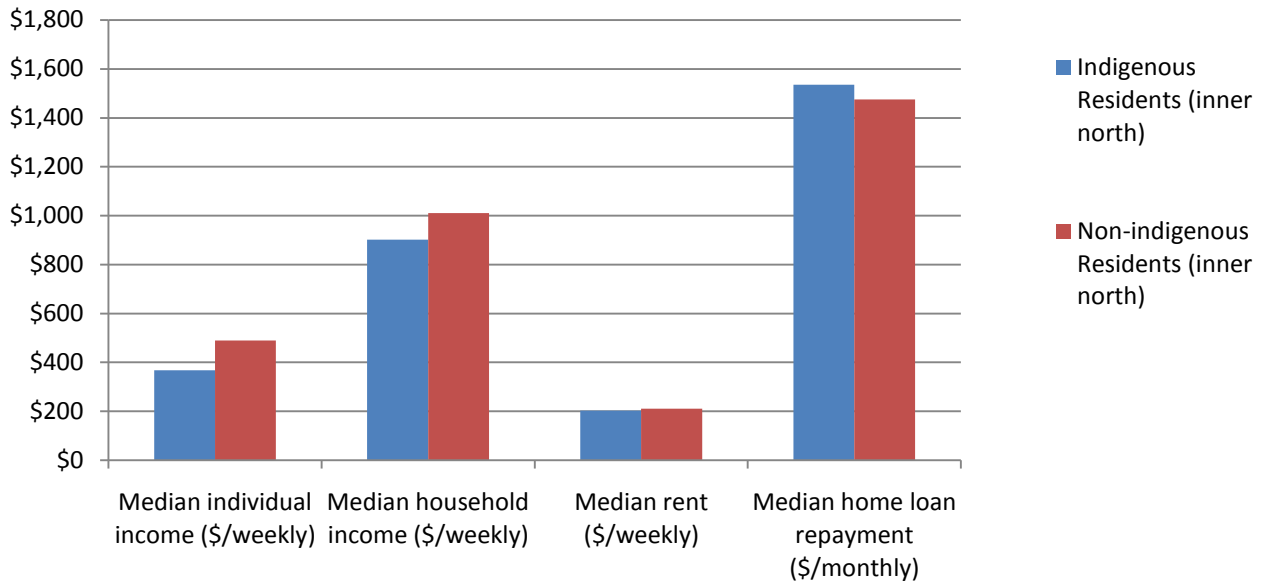
Households are dealing with financial pressures above the Melbourne average...



Our diversity of cultures and languages speaks for itself...

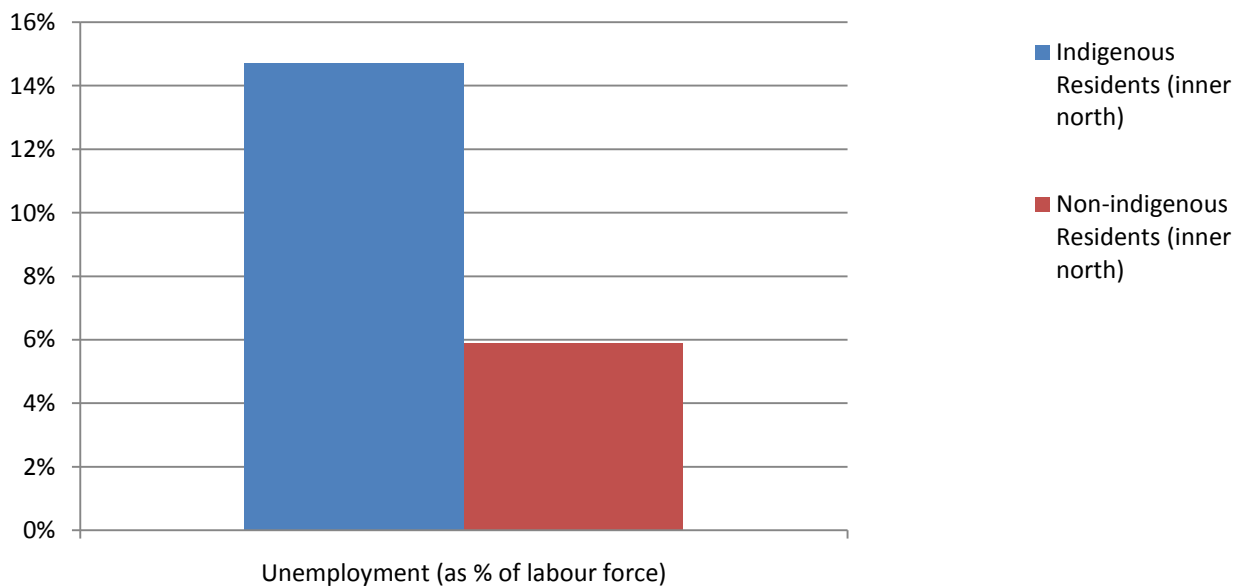


Indigenous residents in our community earn less each week yet their rent and home loan costs are the same or higher...



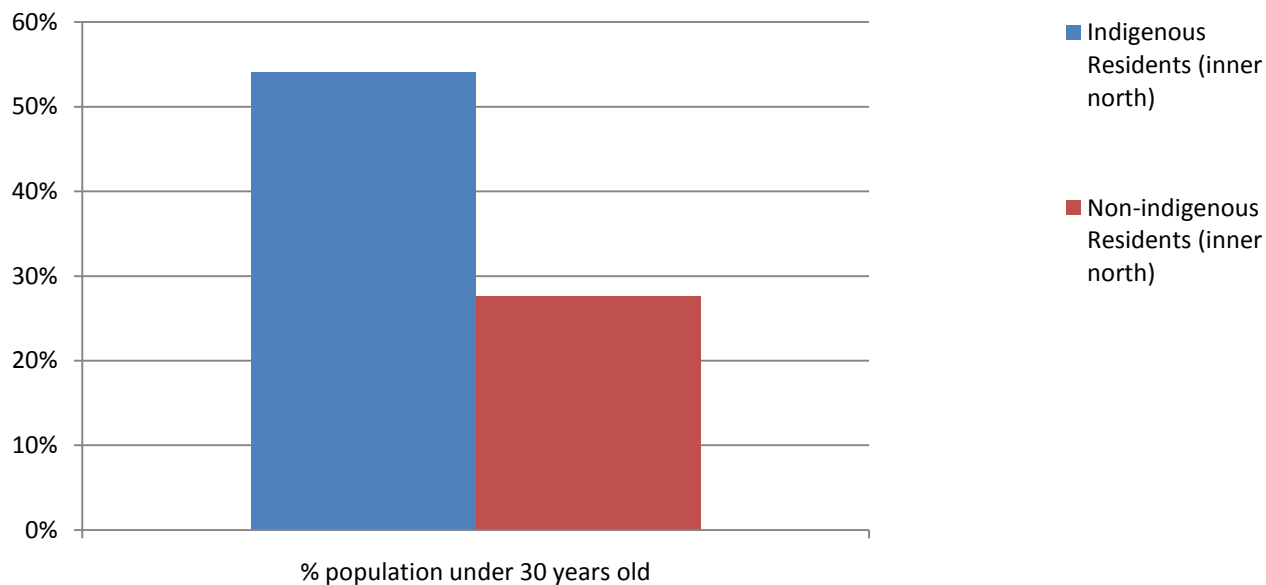
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Unemployment among our indigenous residents is more than double that of non-indigenous residents...



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The proportion of our indigenous community under 30 years is almost double that of our non-indigenous community...



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Did you know...

- ❖ Around 15% of 15-19 year olds in our inner north community are not working or studying
- ❖ During 2006, around 10% of adults in Yarra encountered situations where they had run out of food and could not afford to buy more
- ❖ Darebin has the largest number of Indigenous residents in Melbourne

- 2006 Census & Community Indicators Victoria 2007