



INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE BRISBANE

CELEBRATING BRISBANE AGENTS OF PEACE 2019 Mu'ooz Eritrean Restaurant & Catering



Mu'ooz is an African not-for-profit social enterprise and restaurant, located in the heart of culturally diverse West End. Mu'ooz, means 'tasty and healthy' in Tigrinya, the language of Eritrea and parts of Ethiopia.

Founded in 2003 by the "Eritrean Australian Women & Family Support Network Inc." their aim is to give work experience, training and employment opportunities to African refugees, helping to break down the cross-cultural barriers.

For women who have suffered traumatic experiences of war, poverty and had little opportunity for education, Mu'ooz gives both employment and new opportunities that help the healing process. To date they have given work experience, training and employment to over 230 women! You too can help to empower refugee and Asylum seekers women in a number of ways. Dine in, order takeaway, cooking class, functions, events or use their catering service to enjoy their tasty food and empower Refugee and Asylum seekers women - all at the same time.

Mu'ooz offers exclusive North-East African cuisine using local and imported African ingredients while providing exceptional quality service.

Achievements

- Over 230 refugee and Asylum seekers women have received work experience, training and employment in the last 11 years (97% are still in employment)
- African Australian Business Award 2014, Celebration of African Australians Award
- Award for excellence for specialty 2013, QLD, Restaurant & Catering
- Introduced in 'Queensland Good Food Guide 2013'
- Multicultural Business Award 2013, QLD Multicultural affair Awards
- Finalist in the 2011 "Awards for Excellence" QLD Restaurant of the Year, Restaurant & Catering
- Deductible Gift Recipient Status granted by the Australian Taxation Office, July 2011.
- Supporting the development of other African social enterprises in Queensland and interstate.
- Fundraising over \$13,000 for the Victorian Bush fire Appeal, Queensland Floods, East African Drought and Breast Cancer