



## TRIBAL TIES

Backed by their sensational five-piece band, Troy n' Trevelyn and the Tribe received some long overdue recognition at this year's Deadlys.

"Also thank you to my mother and father in-law for babysitting. We're always out on the road so we're always looking for baby sitters!"

Trevelyn also spoke of her gratitude.

"Thank you to all the people who've got behind us – we're so excited about being a part of all this," she said.

We'll know for his passion for his culture and his music, it was Troy who had the final word.

"I pledge my commitment to advocating and representing Indigenous people of this country to the day I die," he said, brandishing his award to raucous cheers.

message for many years now, and as they accepted their Deadly award for Band of the Year at the 2006 Deadly Awards, it was obvious to see just how much this acknowledgment from the Indigenous community meant to them.

**T**roy and Trevelyn Brady have been diligently toiling, touring, creating and delivering their unique musical

These singer/songwriters deliver music that can make you dance or make you cry, but at this year's Deadlys it was smiles all round.

"To the Tribe, thank you for your faith," Troy said. "Thank you to my mother and father.

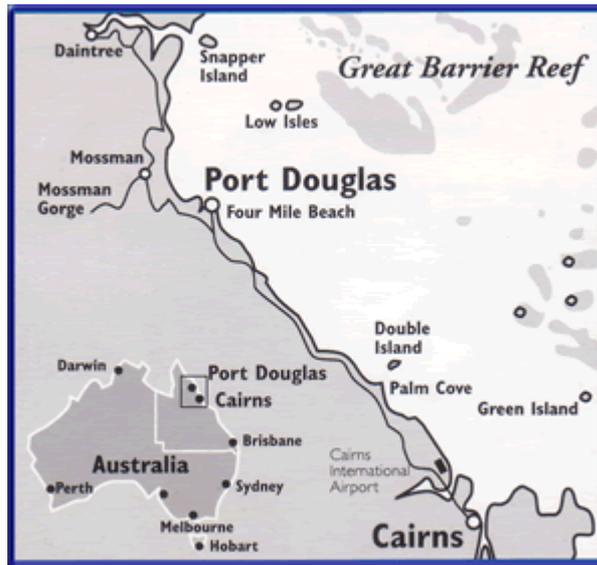
Power to the People! Troy, Trevelyn and the Tribe stand proud.

**BAND OF THE YEAR**  
Troy n' Trevelyn and The Tribe

## MY NAME IS \_\_\_\_\_

### Preparation before reading:

Troy and Trevelyn and the Tribe has performed in Los Angeles USA, at the Deadlys Awards at the Sydney Opera House, the River Festival in Brisbane, The Dreaming Festival in Woodford and the Yaamma Festival in Bourke. The band was voted Band of the Year at this year's Deadlys. Troy Brady is Kuku Yalanji and Birri Gubba from North Queensland.



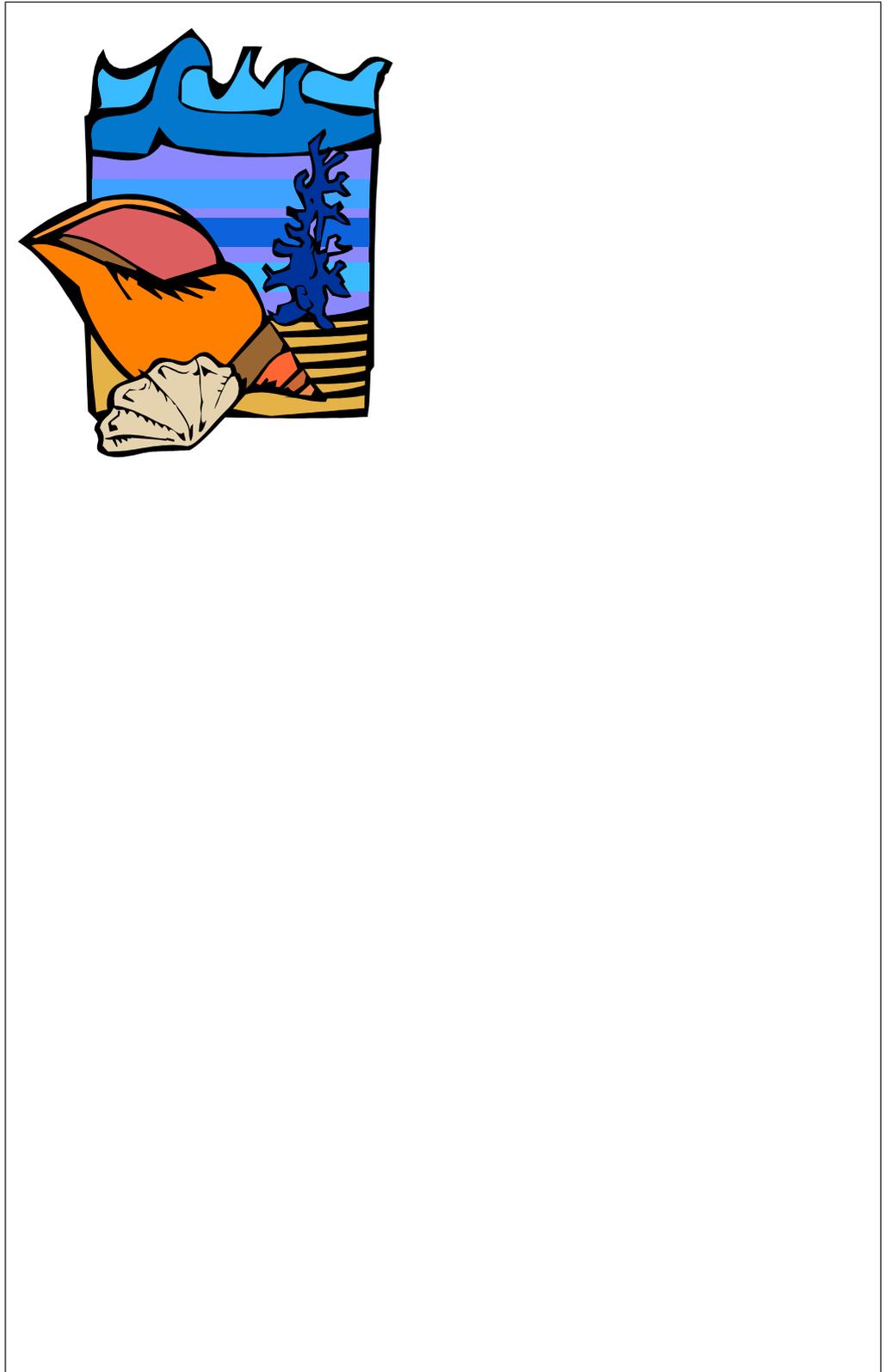
The map of north Queensland shows where Troy Brady's mob is from, near the Great Barrier Reef.



## ACTIVITY 1: KUKU YALANJI COUNTRY

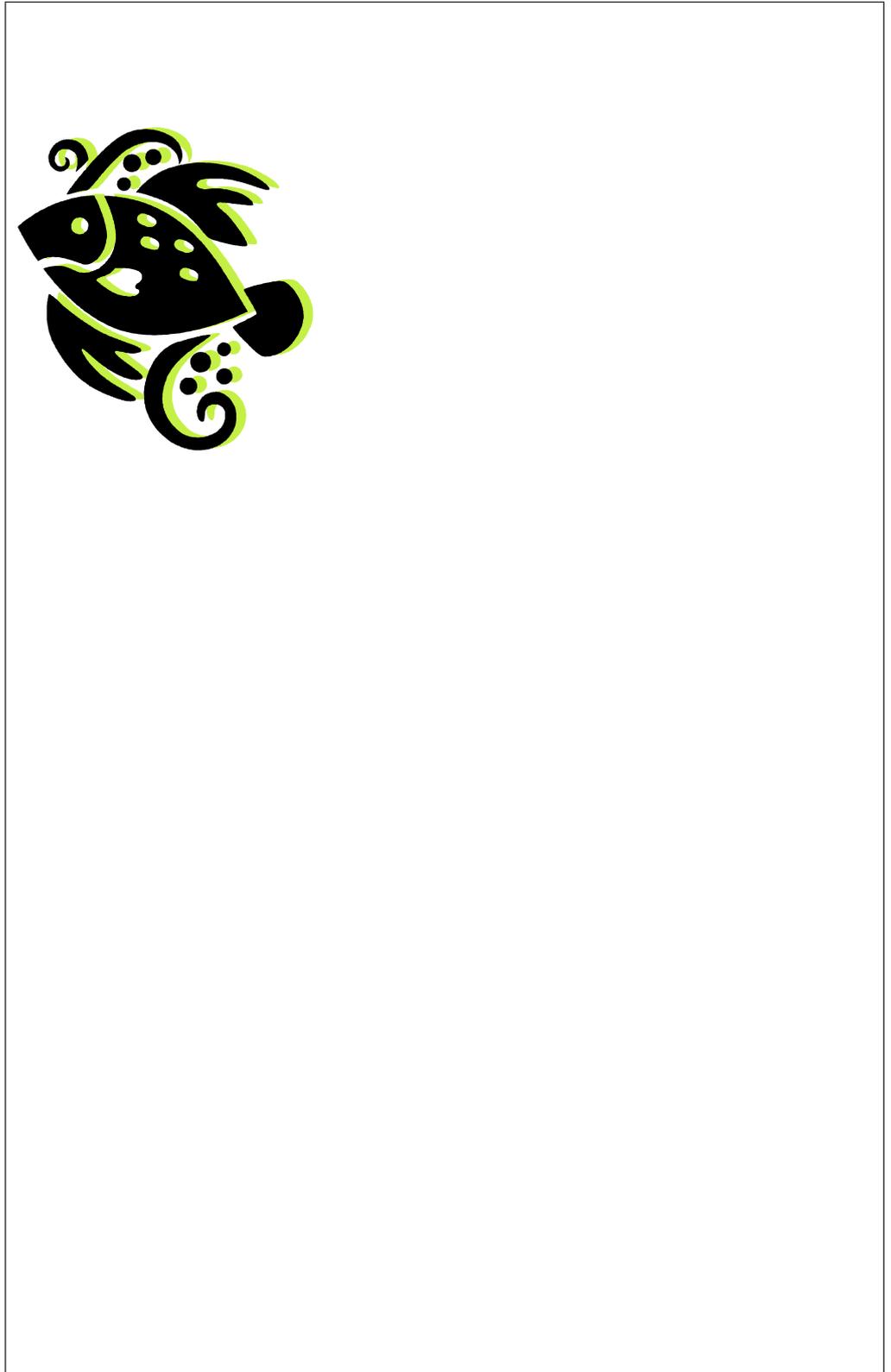
Below is a picture of coral and shells under water.

Copy the picture, using bright colours.



## ACTIVITY 2

Next to the fish in the box below, draw your own design of a fish that could be found at the Great Barrier Reef.



## ACTIVITY 3: READING FOR MEANING

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This report tells us that Troy and Trevelyn and the Tribe were voted Band of the Year at this year's Deadlys. In his speech, Troy talks about the hard work that has gone into the band and how excited and thankful they all were to win the award.

1. Which band won Band of the Year at the 2006 Deadlys?

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2. Troy Brady was excited about winning the award. TRUE FALSE



Here is a list of things you would find at the Deadlys.

Write each word out on the line next to it:

dancers \_\_\_\_\_

lights \_\_\_\_\_

singers \_\_\_\_\_

instruments \_\_\_\_\_

Who would you like to see at the Deadlys and why?

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