Chief Minister, Clare Martin, will today open a mosaic pathway in Damoe-Ra Park which commemorates the historical contribution of women in the Northern Territory.

The unique pathway, which will be revealed during a Picnic in the Park, recognises the 21 recipients of the Tribute to Territory Women.

The Tribute was announced last year to give Territorians the opportunity to recognise, celebrate and commemorate the achievements of outstanding women and their contribution to our economic, social and cultural life.

“We have a proud history in the Territory of women making real and groundbreaking contributions,” Ms Martin said.

“These contributions have shaped our way of life, our community and our unique lifestyle.

“Today’s celebration marks the opening of the pathway to commemorate the 21 recipients of the Tribute in an elaborate mosaic artwork, designed by Territory women artists.

“Too often the contributions that women make are undervalued and unacknowledged - events such as the Tribute and today’s Picnic in the Park highlight the achievements of women of the Territory both past and present.”

Ms Martin said today’s picnic was a wonderful opportunity to honour women who will be a source of inspiration and encouragement for the future generations of Territorians.

Media Note: The picnic is from 12:00 - 1:00pm today, and will include entertainment by Ménage à Trois, and the Juniper Tree Dance Company.

Damoe-Ra Park is located behind the Deck Chair Cinema.