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The West Macs are Alive with the Sound of Music

With the spectacular West MacDonnell ranges as a backdrop and the starry sky above, Territorians and visitors to the Red Centre will be able to enjoy an evening with local musicians at the Alice Springs Desert Park on Friday, 6 November 2009.

Local community group Friends of the Desert Park are hosting local musicians Christopher Brocklebank and Friends who will perform classical instrumental music during *Music in the Park*.

Alice Springs Desert Park Director Gary Fry said Christopher Brocklebank and Friends have played at *Music in the Park* on various occasions showing off their original instrumental music featuring classical guitar.

"*Music in the Park* events are held a number of times throughout the year to raise funds for Friends of the Desert Park, with this performance the last one for 2009," Mr Fry said.

"The park's Nature Theatre is a great setting for these outdoor events as they allow visitors to sit amongst Central Australia's magnificent flora and fauna for a truly unique experience.

"The Alice Springs Desert Park strives to provide interesting and entertaining events for locals and visitors to enjoy, whilst gaining an appreciation for our natural environment."

Tickets cost \$15 per adult and \$10 per child, or \$10 for Territorian pass holders, and will be sold on the night. Please note seats are limited.

Café and bar facilities are open from 6pm and gates open at 6.45pm with the concert commencing at 7pm.

For more information about the Alice Springs Desert Park phone 8951 8788 or go to www.alicespringsdesertpark.com.au.

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Images – The Alice Springs Desert Park Nature Theatre

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