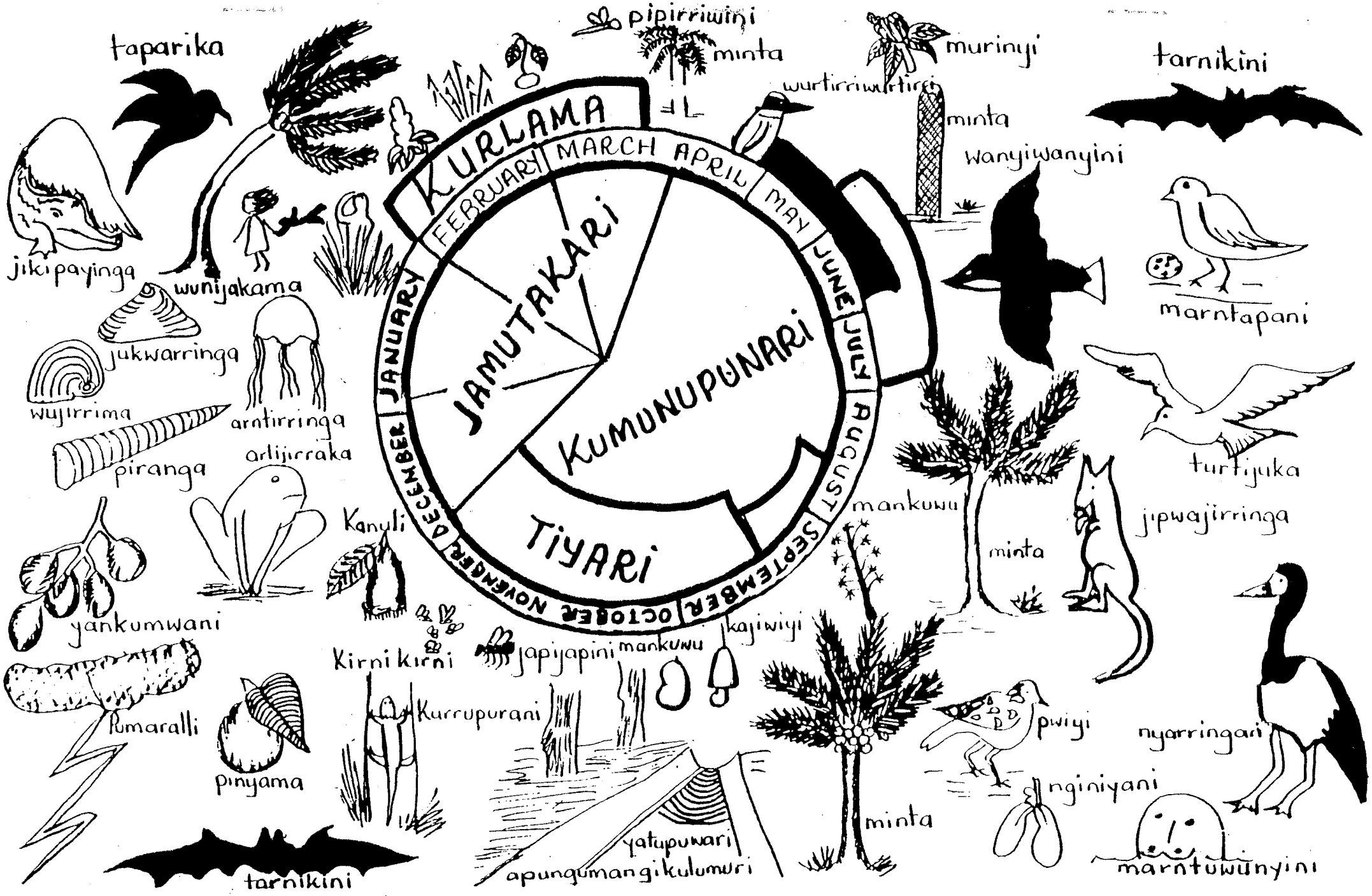
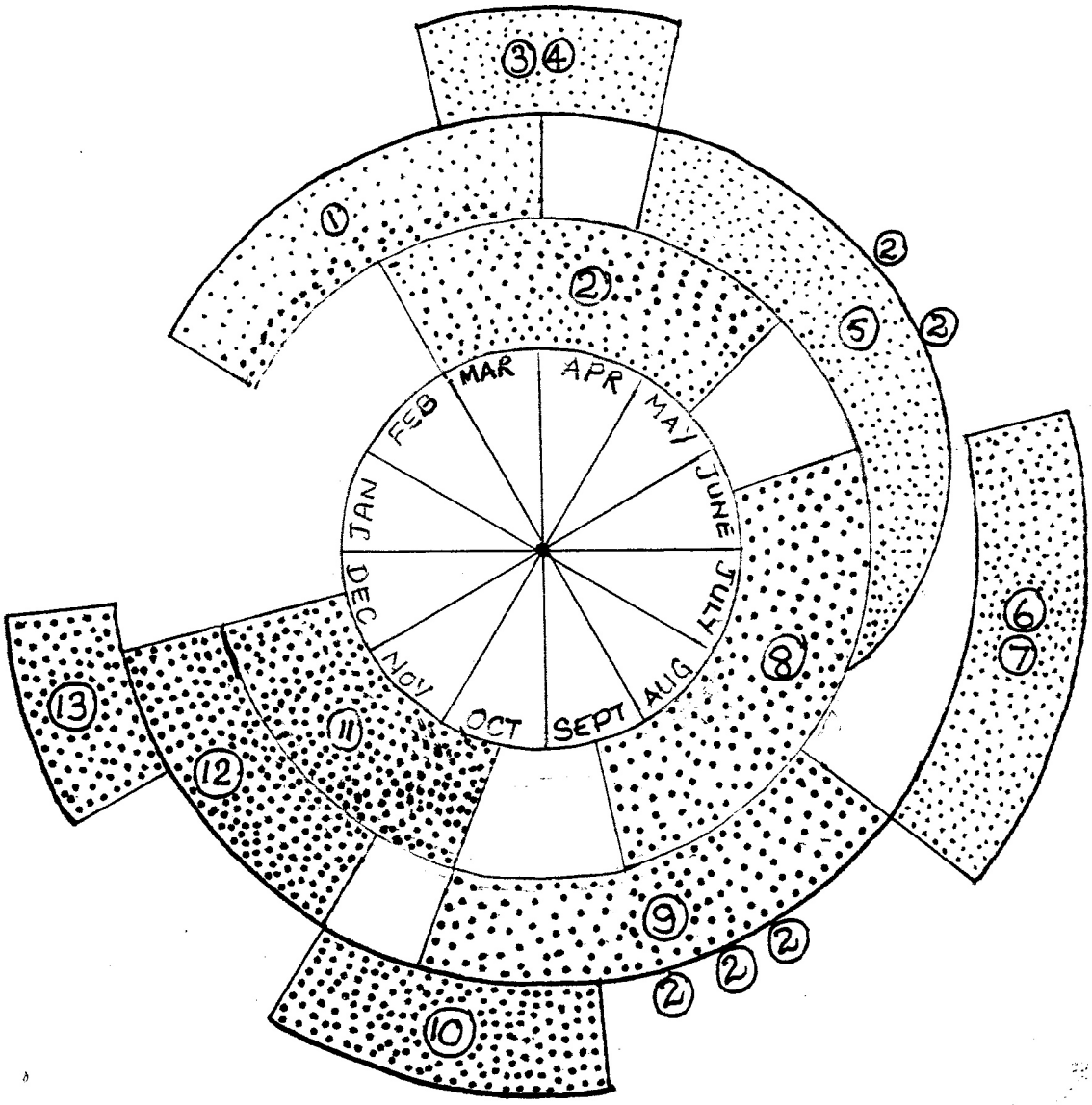


Major Seasons of the Tiwi Calendar

Minor Seasons of the Tiwi Calendar



1. *tawutawungari* (clap sticks)
2. *wurrijingari* (flowers)
2. flowering times of special plants
3. *marakatari* (tall grass)
4. *wurringawunari* (knock-em-downs)
5. *kimirrakinari* (fire)
6. *yirriwinari, munuputari* (cold)
7. *kumwari* (fog)
8. *pumutingari* (wind that flakes skin)
9. *yartupwari* (dry creek bed)
10. *milikitornari* (hot feet)
11. *pumwanyingari* (thunder)
12. *kurukurari* (breeding mangrove worm)
13. *mumpukari* (muddy possum tracks)