

# Yunta's North East News

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## Prescribed Change for Yunta RFDS Clinic

An April 28<sup>th</sup> announcement from the Royal Flying Doctor Service advised that the Yunta RFDS clinic will in future, be operated by the organisations' Central Section (Pt Augusta). The transition is scheduled to occur from 1<sup>st</sup> July.

The medical needs of our wider community have been efficiently met by the RFDS South Eastern Section, Broken Hill for many years and the announcement has local residents curious as to what the future holds in regards to future clinic schedules and the continuity of service provision.

Yunta consultations have been well-supported by the Clive Bishop Medical Centre, allied specialist services and the Broken Hill Base Hospital. The continuity of care has been especially convenient for our aged residents, those with on-going medical issues, as well as those living and working in the more remote areas of the North East.

Central Section advised that community consultation is planned for Yunta, with a date now set for Pt Augusta staff to visit and liaise with clients and clinic volunteers. See back page for details.

Wiawera Clinic clients are advised to contact Jackie at SE Section for information regarding future service.

We hope for a smooth transition going forward and we thank the RFDS for serving our district.

*More information on page 9.*

## Gymkhana a Roaring Success

The Yunta community is basking in the success of the Race Clubs 2023 event at the racecourse. With motor bike events added to the gymkhana program, entrants vied for over \$10,000 in prize money.

*See pages 4-5 for words and pictures.*



## Community Briefs

Winter is 3 weeks away but frosty mornings have arrived! The dog jackets are on and the long-johns are emerging from cupboards. Do your best to avoid the winter chills.

Apologies for the delayed publication of this issue, but a busy calendar has me finalising this issue on 8<sup>th</sup> May, the first day of shearing here.

The post-gymkhana administrative and logistical tasks have also crowded our schedule. The 29 April event was an outstanding success, with even the weather being perfect on the day. Well done to all involved.

It is busy times like these that challenges me to also compile YNEN.

If you are interested in taking on the editorial role of YNEN please give me a call to discuss. The new editor will not be 'thrown in at the deep end,' but nurtured into the role and assisted along the way. Should there be no applications, there is a real chance that YNEN will be no longer.

Coburn Hotel owner Ryan Esam has stepped up his plea for someone to run the business and/or buy the hotel, which includes the Australia Post mail contract. Let's not see another country pub fall away. If you, or someone you know is interested, see page 13 and contact Ryan.

The Yunta Tennis Club adopted the theme of 1963 for this year's Ester Tournament, and that theme was reflected in tennis and party outfits, the prizes and the menu. Well done to the dedicated group of organisers – and the match winners.

Many thanks to the Treloars of Mooleulooloo and Strathearn Stations for another kind donation toward YNEN production costs.

Here's hoping for sunny days ahead – and rain (...after shearing!).

Best regards,

*Ros Breeding*  
Editor, YNEN

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**Next YNEN deadline: 24<sup>th</sup> May**  
**rosjb@outlook.com**

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## Community Calendar

### May

1<sup>st</sup> School Term 2 starts  
5<sup>th</sup> RFDS Ball, Broken Hill  
10<sup>th</sup> Elders Sheep Classing Day  
11<sup>th</sup> RFDS clinic, Yunta  
14<sup>th</sup> **Mother's Day**  
17<sup>th</sup> Committee Training Workshop  
23<sup>rd</sup> RFDS clinic, Wiawera  
25<sup>th</sup> RFDS clinic, Yunta

### June

8<sup>th</sup> RFDS clinic, Yunta  
12<sup>th</sup> Public Holiday; King's Birthday  
20<sup>th</sup> RFDS clinic, Wiawera  
22<sup>nd</sup> RFDS clinic, Yunta

## POSITION VACANT

### EDITOR, YUNTA'S NORTH EAST NEWS

To ensure YNEN continues to inform North East residents, the Yunta District Hall is calling for EDITOR Applications. After 38 years, Ros will step down from the role – and so an opportunity presents for someone else to enjoy compiling our local newspaper. The role involves a few days each month to;

- source articles from within and beyond the North East.
- edit, compile and format the issues
- liaise with contributors and advertisers
- email each issue for printing and to subscribers.

Phone Ros for more details on 8650 5005.

2023 RFDS CLINICS	Wiawera	Yunta
MAY	23	11, 25
JUNE	20	8, 22

To book an appointment - use the HotDoc App or phone either: Brittany at RFDS on 8080 3735 or Jenny at Wiawera on 8691 1526 or Sheryl at Yunta on 8650 5099

To see a doctor at the Clive Bishop Medical Centre, Broken Hill phone 8080 3780.

The 24-hour Medical no is 808801188

## **MANNAHILL ANZAC SERVICE**

Rev Sunny of the Parkin Sturt Patrol conducted Mannahill's moving Anzac Day Service on 25<sup>th</sup> April.

The assembled crowd of 50 included local residents, travellers and overnight campers.

The service was followed by the usual cheery bbq breakfast at the Hall.



Lisa Crawford and Christobel Treloar



Grant and Henry Francis



Allen Hucks raises the flag.



Jim Treloar and Jack Francis

*Photos by Georgie Francis*



Photo taken by Tim Taplin of Bill revisiting his childhood home at Barham, Victoria.

## Sadly Missed

## `Farewell Bill Hogan

The wider North East community is saddened at the news that William Terrance (Bill) Hogan passed away at the Peterborough Soldier's Memorial Hospital on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April, aged 94 after a short illness.

Bill came to the district in the 1960's and began a career in rabbit shooting and trapping.

After some years he took on the Yunta Mail Runs for George F Ding and family.

As well as delivering the mail to properties north and south of Yunta, Bill carted fuel, stores, equipment, furniture – and sometimes passengers, to stations.

Bill was welcome wherever he turned up and was a font of information about what was happening in the wider district. A yarn with Bill was always a highlight for anyone – and his memory of days past, remained exemplary to the end.

A funeral service will be held for Bill at 1.00pm, Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May at the Peterborough Town Hall.

## Yunta's Outstanding Gymkhana and Motokhana

Where does one begin to describe the magnificence of the 2023 Yunta Gymkhana and Motokhana?

Superlatives have flowed since 29<sup>th</sup> April when the Yunta Race Club Inc. introduced motor cycle events to the usual exciting program. Over forty riders contested the horse events which ran smoothly under the guidance of committee members - and Scott Fleetwood of Jamestown on the microphone adding informative and witty commentary.

Early afternoon saw the motor bikes roar into action, with sixty riders twisting and turning in the events which concluded with some spectacular mono's and speed racing; all the while buoyed along by the cheering track-side crowd.

Off-track, committee members were bolstered in number by numerous local and visiting volunteers. Chef Colin (from Adelaide) and our butcher Steve (Peterborough) manned the newly-commissioned deep-fryers, with over two hundred chicken schnitzel meals served for dinner.

The evening meals were 'choreographed' by Jeff with constant reminding on the importance of uniformity of every meal served. The accolades for the day's catering were prolific, with the Friday evening dinner and Saturday and Sunday breakfasts also managed by the Club.

Stall holders BBB Rural Clothing and Ken Oath were well-supported – and the Red Hot Coffee Van was also a hit with all attending.

Competitors and visitors had travelled long distances to attend with an increase of competitors from Broken Hill and the Southern and Northern Flinders. Regular visitors assisted and helped wherever they could – and still enjoyed everything the weekend had on offer.

Following the evening meal the campfire was lit and the incredible band *Firebucket* played into the wee hours. Nikki Gaiter had wrangled some keenly sought-after auction items and with Scott Fleetwood again on the microphone, bidding was spirited (and reckless?!). Secretary Ros donated a jar of Teetulpa Tomato Chutney which realised the colossal price of \$120. The buyer? Her hubby Warren!

Yunta Race Club President Warren Breeding said the event was an outstanding success with the volunteer input again being 'absolutely incredible'.

Onlookers could not imagine the enormous amount of planning, ordering of supplies, coordination, securing of helpers, racecourse preparation and gymkhana set-up contributed to ensure such a successful annual event.

In the weeks prior to the big day, the gymkhana/motokhana ground was extended, the clubhouse and grounds were tidied, prepped and cleaned, kitchen equipment was fitted and tested, hay bales set – and new informational and directional signage was installed at the course entrance and within the clubhouse area. And of course, the event lead-up also includes: liaising with sponsors, planning the program, chasing insurance (thanks Lisa), publicity and printing, organising prize monies (thanks Richard), purchasing all supplies (food, prizes, ribbons, equipment, bar supplies etc) - and much more. And then there's the Sunday clean-up – and the post-gymkhana administration and treasury jobs! Accounts are yet to be tallied and committee members will meet for a de-brief in coming weeks. And then we start planning the next event!

*Gymkhana & Motokhana results will appear in the June issue.*

***Members and friends of the Yunta Race Club mourn the passing of our long-time supporter and great mate, Bill Hogan***

*Snaps from the Gymkhana ...*



The Paratoo mob



Led Can Race



Todd Casey, Flynn Treloar.



Mini motor cyclists



Scott Fleetwood wrangled the motor bikes



Texas Barrel Racing



The Crawford girls of Weekeroo



Deb Pitman, Alex MacLachlan



Annette and Sue, RFDS



Motokhana Barrel Racing



How delicious was the evening meal?!



The After Party campfire

Photos: Ellen Arney, Trevor White, Ros Breeding

# COMMITTEE BASICS

## Training

## YUNTA

Wednesday 17th May, 2023  
10:00am - 1:00pm at the Yunta Racecourse

### What is it?

A FREE three-hour training session with leading mentor and award winning rural advocate, **Sarah Prime (Founder of Champions Academy)**.

If you volunteer your time for a local committee, sporting group, council, progress association or community-based organisation this is for you.

If you are not part of a committee, but would some day like to be, this is a great place for you to start your learning!

### How to Register:

Scan the QR Code or click:  
[Yunta Registration](#)



### What's in it for you?

- Build your confidence, insight and skills as a committee member;
- Understand different roles and responsibilities of committee members;
- Develop best practice committee admin, governance and basic organisational leadership;

### Here's what you will get...

- You will receive a compendium packed with resources, including 'The Committee Members Ultimate Survival guide' hand-book;
- Your very own Community Leaders Play-book of digital resources and videos to keep;
- You'll also get a sneak preview of exciting new leadership development initiatives in the Far North

### For more information:

[Renata Hackett](#)  
Leadership Program Manager  
RDA Far North 08 8641 1444



Government of South Australia  
Department of Primary Industries  
and Regions

## Sign up for Meeting Training

....and be confident at meetings.

### Committee Basics Training

RDA Far North in conjunction with Primary Industry and Regions of SA and Sarah Prime from the Champions Academy will be holding Committee Basics Training in Yunta on Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> May, 10am to 1pm.

Committee Basics has been held in 9 locations around the Far North region including Coober Pedy, Andamooka, Hawker and Port Augusta. The workshops have been attended by 140 people with extremely positive feedback.

The training has given those who are volunteering their time for a local committee, club or group - the opportunity to gain some new skills as well as network with other volunteers in their local area.

Participants have found the workshop “engaging and informative”; “fantastic for those old and new to committees”; “thought provoking and confidence boosting” with 100% of attendees saying they would recommend the workshop to others.

If you are already on a committee or thinking about putting your hand up to join one, please register to attend at the below link

<https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/committee-basics-training-tickets-505842296927>




## OLD-SYTL EASTER TENNIS TOURNAMENT


Sixty years since Yunta’s first Easter Tennis Tournament was celebrated in grand old-style fashion. The Yunta Hall reflected cabarets of old, complete with Willy Polomka’s band ‘Saloon’ resurrected for the occasion.

Long-time Easter competitor Helen Betty presented the prizes to all winners. Pics (top to bottom)

Most successful local player was Cameron Crawford; Olivia Hughes won the Women’s Champ Singles; Gary Fuller has been involved with most of the Yunta tournaments; Rino Traforti won the Men’s Champ Singles; fashionista’s (l to r), Nicole Lewis, Lauren Jarrett, Angela Breeding, Lisa Crawford, Melanie Lewis and Claire Harris.







Invites you to the inaugural.

## SHEEP CLASSING DAY

Place: Oulnina Station  
Via Mannahill  
Date: 10th May 2022  
Time: 9am onwards  
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*Thanks to North East  
residents who help keep the  
wider community informed  
by sharing news in YNEN.*

## Looking Back

through the pages of Yunta's North East News

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### YUNTA CENTENARY EDITION

Extra copies of the 22-page Centenary edition of Yunta's North East News were printed for the many visitors attending Yunta's Centenary Celebrations in May 1987.

A team of local teenagers assembled at the Hall to help collate, staple and bind the hundreds of copies.

The cover design, which was an adaptation of a drawing by Mrs Shirley Hucks, was used as the Centenary logo, featured on promotional products.

A thriving basketball competition in the 1980's saw teams battle weekly on the Yunta School court. In 1987, Yunta fielded a team in the Peterborough competition, with players being Matt Williams, Sean Williams, Fuzz Hucks, Steve Chmura, Paul Lambert, Steve Griffiths, Tony Sparks, Dale Degenhardt and Mark Duncan-Tiver. Fuzz won the B Grade Best & Fairest Award for the year, scoring over 160 points.

An early photo taken at the Yunta Racecourse: circa 1960





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## Changes at Yunta's RFDS Clinic

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An announcement by the Chief Executives of the Royal Flying Doctor Service South Eastern (Broken Hill) and Central (SA/NT) Sections, has alarmed North East (SA) residents as they learnt that medical services at the Yunta Clinic will be provided by Central Section, starting 1<sup>st</sup> July.

Residents of the wider North East district have for many years, had their medical needs met and supported by the RFDS SE section (Broken Hill). Local people align with Broken Hill for business, education, shopping and the wide range of medical services provided in the city, therefore this decision by the RFDS has caused concern and apprehension for many.

The statement said, "RFDS South Eastern Section has traditionally managed primary health services in these (Innamincka and Yunta) communities. We wish to advise that, from 1 July 2023, primary health care for Innamincka and Yunta residents will be delivered through RFDS Central Operations (serving SA/NT).

Despite a lack of community consultation prior to the announcement, the RFDS has pledged that "the RFDS will continue to provide a safe and effective primary health service in their respective communities." Yunta Clinic patients and volunteers are awaiting information and liaising Central Section has on their ongoing commitment.

The statement declared that RFDS Central Operations staff will serve Yunta and Innamincka as both communities sit within SA borders and that aeromedical retrievals will continue to be tasked according to current practice.

### *Why is this change happening?*

The Commonwealth Government earlier this year announced a new ten-year funding commitment to the RFDS to continue its vital work in outback communities across Australia. This has been a welcome long-term investment in rural and remote health.

To ensure compliance with the new contract, RFDS Sections in each State and Territory reviewed current service delivery footprints.

RFDS Central Operations advised that members of their Pt Augusta team will meet with local residents at **5pm Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> May** and at **Noon on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May**. See the back page poster.

Community members are invited to the open sessions to learn how their medical needs will continue to be met.

Jackie Hanniver, Regional Services Manager, Far West NSW RFDS South Eastern Section advised, "...that although this transition directly affects Yunta, patients who live in SA and use Broken Hill (RFDS) including those at Wiawera, are invited to attend the upcoming consultation meetings with Central Section. Wiawera patients who would like more information related to Wiawera services can contact either Jackie Hanniver (**0437 370 702**) or Annette Ohlsen (Annette.Ohlsen@rfdse.org.au).

### *Preliminary Notice*

**AWEX eBale and Woolclip workshop**

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, 9.00 am start

Yunta Race Club

Contact Tim Shepard 0427 674501

More info June issue.



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## Health matters

### Kidney Health Week 21-27 May 2023

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Chronic kidney disease is a "silent illness" says Carol Pollock, an academic nephrologist and renal transplant physician in Sydney. "By the time you end up with noticeable kidney problems it's irreversible, and people are destined for dialysis or transplantation," Professor Pollock says.

Chronic kidney disease is a catch-all term for a range of conditions that affect how waste is filtered from the blood.

While an ageing population is partly to blame, the rising prevalence of risk factors like diabetes and high blood pressure is also driving the surge.

Dialysis is a resource-intensive treatment. The most common type, haemodialysis – which is typically undertaken three days a week for about five hours at a time.

In the past two decades, the number of people receiving hospital dialysis went up 72 per cent, while satellite units separate from hospitals saw a 250 per cent rise.

Improving things like blood pressure, blood sugar control in people with diabetes, and lifestyle factors like diet and physical activity — as well as smoking cessation if needed, is crucial.

Kidney disease ... now accounts for more deaths than breast cancer, prostate cancer and car accidents all put together, and the death rate is projected to increase.

- People who have risk factors such as diabetes or high blood pressure are encouraged to get checked by their GP every year.
- Others who are smokers or have a family history of kidney disease should get checked every two years.

### National Heart Week 1-7 May

[www.heartfoundation.org.au](http://www.heartfoundation.org.au)

Heart Week is Australia's national heart health awareness campaign held in the first week of May each year. It provides an opportunity for health professionals and the Australian public to start a conversation about heart health and take positive steps to reduce heart disease risk.

For this year's Heart Week, Australians are encouraged to do three simple things to look after their heart – check their blood pressure, use the Heart Age Calculator to understand their risk of heart disease, and book a Heart Health Check with their GP.

## Focus on Mulyungarie

Mutooroo Pastoral's Mulyungarie Station will feature in a forthcoming issue of RM Williams' OUTBACK magazine.

Dean & Emma hosted journalist Ken Eastwood during the property's recent busy shearing period.

The story focuses on the Mulyungarie community and lifestyle, as well as remote education.

Ken interviewed staff and learnt about Mulyungarie's rich history.

Emma said that, with the shearing crew in residence, Ken was well-entertained and fed. We look forward to the issue.

Emma and Dean Lovis-Hotchin



Photo: Ken Eastwood



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The theme for National Volunteer Week 2023 is **The Change Makers.**

The week recognises the vital support that the millions of volunteers in our country provide to their communities and encourages people to consider volunteering.

National Volunteer Week is a celebration of our power to drive change and ensure volunteering is inclusive of all members of the Australian community.

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**HE ASKED WHY THE HOUSE ISN'T  
CLEAN SINCE I'M HOME ALL DAY**



**I ASKED WHY WE AREN'T RICH  
SINCE HE WORKS ALL DAY**

**Mothers Day \* Sunday 14 May**



## Recipe | Anzac Slice

1 1/4 cups plain flour - 200g  
1 1/4 cups rolled oats - 120g  
1 cup firmly packed brown sugar - 200g  
1 cup shredded coconut - 75g  
150g butter, chopped 150g  
2 tablespoons golden syrup  
1/2 teaspoon bi-carb soda  
2 tablespoons boiling water

*Oven 160°C fan-forced.  
28cm x 18cm pan.*

Combine flour, oats, sugar and coconut in large bowl. Make a well in centre.

Place butter and syrup in microwave, melt together, approx. 50 secs or until smooth.

Combine bi-carb soda and boiling water in jug. Stir into melted butter mix.

Add to flour mixture. Stir to combine.  
Press mixture into paper-lined pan.  
Bake 25 to 30mins or until golden.  
Cool in pan. *Cut and enjoy.*

## *Mother*

My Mother kept a garden,  
A garden of the heart.  
She planted all the good things  
That gave my life its start.  
She turned me to the sunshine  
And encouraged me to dream.  
Fostering and nurturing  
The seeds of self-esteem.  
And when the winds and rain came,  
She protected me enough.  
But not too much because she knew  
I'd need to stand up strong and tough.  
Her constant good example  
Always taught me right from wrong.  
Markers for my pathway  
That will last a lifetime long.  
I am my Mother's garden.  
I am her legacy.  
And I hope today she feels the love  
Reflected back from me.

*—Unknown*

# The Historic 1889 Coburn Hotel is for Sale

by Ryan Esam

The hotel is OPEN and trading, but for a short time only!

A lovely couple John and Helen have come to help out the pub and the town, but they won't be staying long. So now is the opportunity to get in and have a look at the pub and camping/van park while it's all still running.

The pub will be listed very soon, so get your offer or expression of interest in - and you could be the new owner - or lessee, if you are ready to commit for at least 3 years.

Again we ask if anyone is interested in a paid role keeping the post office running. I am willing to do a deal with just the post office section of the hotel.



If a new owner or lessee is not found prior to John and Helen departing, then the post office and Cockburn mailbag run sorting service will close with the pub until when or if a new owner / lessee is found.

Contact Ryan on 0419 984938 or [esamryan@gmail.com](mailto:esamryan@gmail.com)

## Frome Downs Station - April News

During the month, Frome Downs Station was visited by the Willoway South-East Mustering team who assisted our new Station Manager, Rory Zippel, to complete the 3<sup>rd</sup> Muster since Willoway took ownership of the lease.

Having learnt and gained experience from our two previous musters, the preparation, planning and recent repair of yards and infrastructure saw the team deliver the most efficient muster to date. Thanks to all involved including Digby our Willoway pilot.

Preparations are underway for work to begin during May 2023, on new cattle yards near the homestead. This work will be in tandem with the ongoing repairs and maintenance to internal roads and fences, and the upgrade of water points across the property.

The homestead rain gauge received 22mm during April and we are delighted at how the favourable the seasonal conditions keep rolling on.

Rory visited the South-East during the month to see where the Frome Downs cattle end up, plus meet the South-East Willoway crew. Some staff training across the group is programmed in for the winter months.

We are all looking forward to the Yunta Gymkhana.

~ James H

Frome fotos....



Muster time



If you find this an interesting read, please consider sharing what's happening on your patch of dirt! -Editor

# Update from the SA ARID LANDS

By Charlie Eager



It was great to hear about some nice autumn rainfall from across the district!

## GRASSROOTS GRANTS

As you read this we are entering into the last days for anyone interested in applying for one of the SA Arid Lands Landscape Board's Grassroots Grants, with up to \$10,000 available for on-ground works that align with the board's priorities. Applications close on 8 May at 4pm. If you need assistance with your idea or application, please contact Charlie Eager, SAAL Community Landscape Officer for the North East Pastoral.

## PROPERTY MANAGEMENT PLANNING

I am also pleased to announce that the board will be funding the **final round** of the pastoral Property Management Planning (PMP) program for up to six properties from across the SAAL district. The PMP program includes understanding personal business drivers, ecological property mapping, financial analysis, and developing an action plan tailored to your operation.

The experience has been deemed to be of high value by the 18 SAAL pastoral properties that have already been through the program, including four in the North East Pastoral. Applications will open on 21 April and will close on 5 June. This program has been highly competitive in the past so please allow time to spend on filling out your application.

To apply for Grassroots Grants or the PMP or for more information please head to <https://www.landscape.sa.gov.au/saal/get-involved/grants-and-funding>.

## DID SOMEONE SAY CACTUS?

If you are noticing cactus species or are looking for advice for weed control on your property please do not hesitate to get in touch with Community Landscape Officer Charlie Eager. The photos below, taken near Port Augusta, highlight the impact the board's cochineal program has had on cactus infestations.

If you have any questions about these funding opportunities or require assistance, please get in touch with Charlie Eager on 0437 795 792 or email [Charlie.eager@sa.gov.au](mailto:Charlie.eager@sa.gov.au)

**BEFORE:** Landholder Cromer Just and former SAAL Community Landscape Officer Hannah Ling place infected cactus pads on an *Opuntia stricta* infestation. **AFTER;** Treated with Cochineal.



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# Yunta health services Community consultation

From 1 July 2023, RFDS SA/NT will be delivering healthcare services to Yunta residents. The RFDS and Health-Q Consulting are visiting Yunta to host two open community sessions. We're eager to meet you and answer any concerns you may have.

**Session 1**  
5:00pm, Wednesday 24 May  
Telecentre

**Session 2**  
12:00pm, Thursday 25 May  
Telecentre

*We hope to see you there!*

Please RSVP via 0412 157 326  
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