

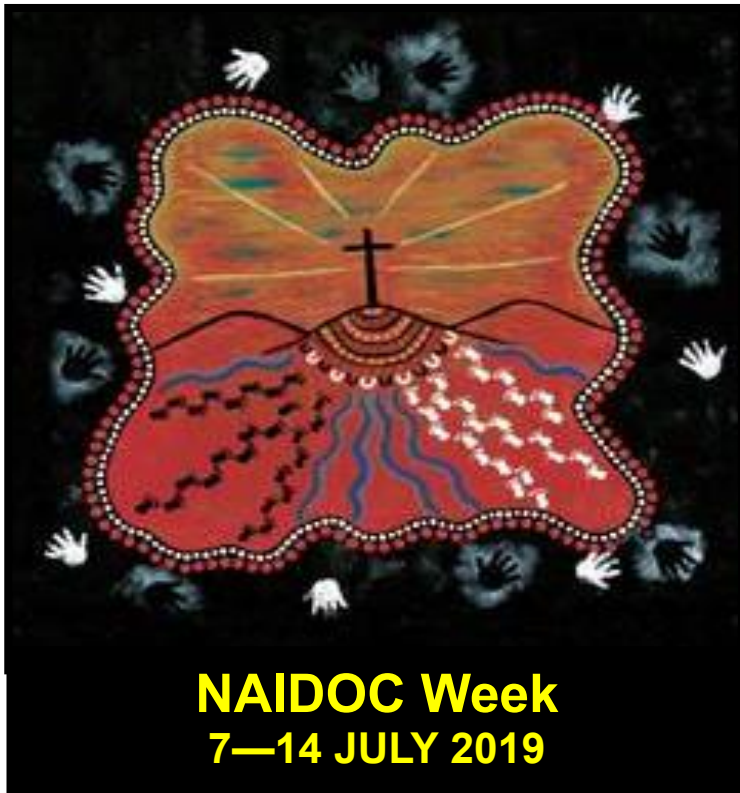
PARRAMATTERS

2019: NEW FOUNDATIONS

SUNDAY 7 JULY 2019

Parramatta Salvation Army

engineering a holy culture



NAIDOC week runs from 7—14 July 2019. The theme this year is “Voice. Treaty. Truth. Let’s work together for a shared future.”

NAIDOC week celebrations are held around Australia each July to celebrate the history, culture and achievements of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples. The week is celebrated not just in our Indigenous communities but also government agencies, Corps, churches, schools and workplaces.

Supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people is a priority of The Salvation Army Australia Territory. We have committed to “actively journey and partner in mutual respectful relationship between Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and non-indigenous peoples for our mutual flourishing”. In 2018, we joined 2500 other churches and agencies supporting the Uluru Statement from the Heart.

Shirli Congoo, the General Manager of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Ministry Program Administration asks that we all work together to show that we are an inclusive part of the Christian church, a place where our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander brothers and sisters can feel welcomed, safe and supported.

Let’s work together for a shared future.

Welcome to visitors who have come to witness Ray Haule be enrolled as a Senior Soldier.

This Sunday in the 11am worship service we will have the privilege of witnessing Mwayela (Raymond) Haule becoming a senior soldier of The Salvation Army. Please support Ray in prayer as he makes this covenant commitment.

PRAYERPOINTS

Please pray for the family of Gwen Bourke as they mourn her loss. Gwen was ‘promoted to glory’ on Friday 28 June, 2019.



Praise for the enrolment of Ray Haule as a Senior Soldier.



Please remember those in our corps family who are unwell, receiving treatment or have ongoing medical needs. Please support these people in practical ways.



In NAIDOC week please pray for The Salvation Army’s indigenous ministries and the opportunities we have as a church to serve the indigenous communities and people.



If you would like us to pray for you or your loved ones, contact either **Marty Bust** or **Dot Griffin** for it to be included in the newsletter.

CORPSNEWS

THANK YOU

I would like to express our sincere thanks to all who so lovingly and generously reached out to Fred and myself over recent days. We were aware that many who did so were themselves dealing with health issues. Frequently my mind went to the words of Jesus when He said "A new commandment I give unto you, love each other just as much as I love you, your strong love for each other will prove to the world that you are my disciples". A well known Army motto encapsulates these words quite succinctly when it states "with heart to God and hand to man". Friends, as you have ministered to us over many weeks and through several difficult situations, that's exactly what you have done and you have greatly encouraged us. We have been overwhelmed by the outpouring of love from our Corps family. Your prayers have sustained us throughout this experience and we value every kindly gesture that has been afforded us. It is our desire to join with you again in worship as soon as we are able. With gratitude.

Jean & Fred Fouracre

CHRISTMAS IN JULY

It's time again for a 'Jingle & Mingle' Christmas in July luncheon. The details of the lunch are:

Date: 13 July 2019

Location: Geranium Cottage, Dural

Menu: 3 course meal (soup/roast
Turkey, Ham Pork
& Veg/Dessert/Tea & Coffee)

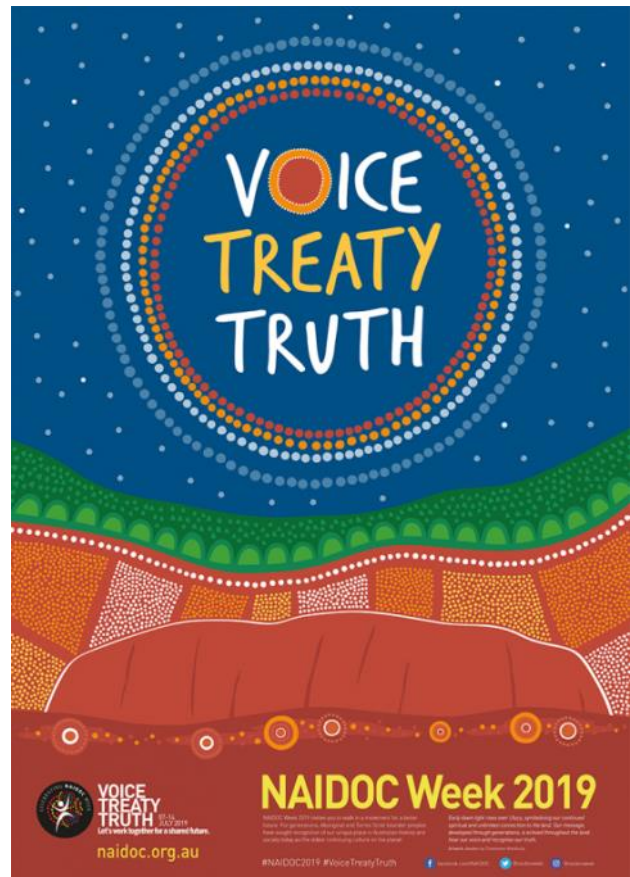
Cost: \$35 (not inclusive of drinks)

If you would like to join the fellowship of our corps for lunch please let Janet Muir know as soon as you can.

FUNDRAISING FOR EQUIP

Over the next few months the youth group will be baking like mad to provide something delicious for you to purchase for morning tea. And why not buy an extra sweetie to take home for afternoon tea as well? Please support the youth group bake it's way to camp. The next bake sale will be Sunday 28 July at morning tea.

This year there will an extra opportunity for us to support 2 youth delegates from Ecuador to attend EQUIP with our own youth members. More details to follow on how you can support our next IME project.



BOXES? WORKING BEE?

We are looking for boxes to help pack up the Family Store. If you have any boxes in your garage that you no longer need please bring them in to either shop 4, 426 Church Street or to Granville hall. We are also looking for people to help in other ways: if you are available to help either on Saturday 13 July with packing and clearing the store or on Saturday 20 July filling the skip, please let Sharon or Karen know. From 1-12 July there will be a massive sale to help clear all the current floor stock. Come along and grab a bargain!



SENIORS ENERGY REBATE

Independent retirees who hold a valid Commonwealth Seniors Health Card can apply for the Seniors Energy Rebate. This rebate provides eligible households with a \$200 rebate, per year, to help with the cost of living. The rebate is for independent self funded retirees only. Pensioners and veterans may be eligible for the \$285 Low Income Household Rebate. For further information the website is <https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-seniors-energy-rebate>

PARRA YOUTH



MONDAY 15 JULY



Community Service Day

SERVICE DAY AT THE FAMILY STORE

30 Old Northern Road, Baulkham Hills. 9.30am.
Wear old clothes, closed in shoes. BYO lunch.

TUESDAY 16 JULY



MOVIES>> MOVIES>> MOVIES

Meet at shop 2, 426 Church Street, North Parramatta at 10am. Must RSVP to Jayne.
Choice of movies to be decided closer to the day.
Please bring money for a Maccas lunch.

WEDNESDAY 17 JULY



BOARD GAME TOURNAMENT

60 Good Street, Granville. 10am start.
Bring or borrow a grandparent to compete in the intergenerational Board Game Tournament.
Bring \$5 for lunch.

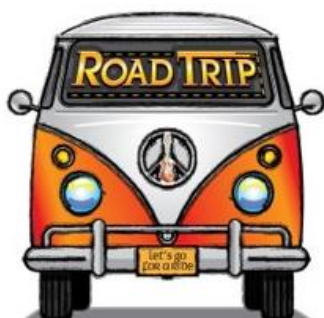
THURSDAY 18 JULY



AFTERNOON FUN & BBQ

36B Carinda Drive, Glenhaven
Please RSVP Jayne for afternoon activities.
Starting at 3pm. For Youth Group.
Please RSVP Nathan Browning for BBQ
Starting at 6pm. All families invited.

FRIDAY 19 JULY



ROAD TRIP

Meet at shop 2, 426 Church Street, North Parramatta. 9.30am.
Bring your singing voice for the road trip to Manly Beach.

Please RSVP to jayne.combremont@ae.salvationarmy.org
Having fun together in community!

COMINGEVENTS

YOUTH GROUP



FRIDAY 5 JULY 2019

Dinner will be cooked by Grant. We will have a best dressed competition so wear anything with a Christmas theme. We will also have a secret Santa so bring a small gift (of a \$5 worth). @ Granville from 7.30 to 9.30pm. Don't forget your permission note for Youth Week!

CHINESE DISCIPLESHIP GROUP

SATURDAY 6 JULY 2019

Meeting at shop 4, 426 Church Street North Parramatta from 9.30am, followed by morning tea.

GOLDEN YEARS & LADIES FELLOWSHIP

WEDNESDAY 10 JULY 2019

'Help is at Hand'

Featuring Cheryl Cartwright—
Airport Ambassador
Morning tea at 10.00am and
meeting at 10.30am at All Saints.

PARENT MEETING

On Sunday 21 July at 11.05am in MP1 [where we have morning tea] there will be an open forum for parents and children to attend so we can discuss the current program for children and youth on a Friday night. A survey will be sent out prior to this forum to help us consider and collate feedback and options for the future.

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**SUNDAY 25 AUGUST
@PARKROYAL**

**9.30AM: WORSHIP MORNING TEA
11AM: CORPS FORUM**

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EQUIP2019
29 SEP - 5 OCT

register @ tinyurl.com/equipnswact2019 // facebook.com/groups/equipnswact
nswactyouthandkids@aue.salvationarmy.org // COST \$355

Ladies High Tea

Saturday August 17, 2019 • 2pm
at The Salvation Army
Good St. Granville

Guest speaker: Major Beth Twivey
Guest Solist: Madeline Muir

Cost: \$10

RSVP: August 3, 2019
Dorothy, Denise, Janet or
Val Godkin

*For special dietary needs,
see a Team leader.*

Bring your own cup, saucer and plate.

If you would like to give to the kingdom building activities in and through our Corps by transfer please use the following details: **BSB 032078; Account No. 000810288; Account Name - The Salvation Army, Parramatta.** Please include an applicable reference on the transfer so we can accurately record the gift.



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