



Media Alert



YES23 MEDIA ALERT – Walk for Yes

Walk for Yes - Sydney

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Sydney. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Rachel Perkins, Yes23 spokesperson
- Shane Phillips, Tribal Warrior CEO
- Tanya Plibersek, Minister for the Environment and Water
- Sarah Hanson-Young, Greens Senator for South Australia
- Jacqui Munro, Liberal MP
- Clover Moore, Lord Mayor of Sydney
- Dan Sultan, ARIA Award winning artist
- Missy Higgins, ARIA Award winning artist
- Colin Watego, musician

When: 2:00pm - 5:00pm AEST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Events starts: 2pm at Redfern Park*

Walk starts: 2:40pm from Redfern Park

Walk ends & musicians begin: 3:15pm Victoria Park, Camperdown

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/sydney_walk_for_yes

Media contact on ground: 0428 342 325

Walk for Yes - Melbourne

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Melbourne. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Reuben Berg, Co-Chair of the First Peoples Assembly of Victoria
- Aunty Jill Gallagher, Gunditjmara woman
- Marcus Stewart, Former Co-Chair of First Peoples Assembly of Victoria
- Hon Linda Burney MP, Minister for Indigenous Australians
- Laura Thompson, Clothing the Gap
- Peter Garrett, musician
- Marlon, musician
- Mia Ray, musician
- Spiderbait, rock band

When: 12:00pm - 2:00pm AEST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Starts: State Library, 328 Swanston Street, Melbourne*

Ends: Federation Square, Melbourne

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/melbourne_walk_for_yes

Walk for Yes - Brisbane

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Brisbane. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Thomas Mayo, Yes23 spokesperson
- Jackie Huggins, Bidjara and Birri Gubba Juru historian
- Kara Keys, Yes23 Deputy Campaign Director
- Bernard Fanning, Frontman for Powderfinger and singer-songwriter
- Busby Marou, award winning blues band
- Toni Janke, Wuthathi and Meriam woman and a singer-songwriter,
- Xavier Rudd, singer-songwriter of Wurundjuri heritage
- Hon Leanne Enoch MP, Member for Algeester
- Stephen Bates, Greens MP

When: 10:30am - 2:00pm AEST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Starts:* South Bank Cultural Forecourt, Melbourne St, South Brisbane,
Ends: Queens Gardens, George St, Brisbane

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/brisbane_walk_for_yes

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Walk for Yes - Perth

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Perth. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Karen Mundine, CEO Reconciliation Australia
- Dean Parkin, Yes23 Campaign Director
- Roger Cook MP, Premier of Western Australia
- Dorinda Cox MP, Greens Senator for Western Australia
- Ken Wyatt, Former Indigenous Affairs Minister and first Indigenous member of the House of Representatives
- Kyra Galante, Yes23 Western Australia Spokesperson
- Phil Walleystack, singer-songwriter
- John Butler, singer-songwriter

When: 10:00am - 1:00pm AWST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Starts:* Nicky Winmar statue, Optus Stadium, Burswood, WA 6100
Ends: Victoria Gardens

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/perth_walk_for_yes

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Walk for Yes - Hobart

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Hobart. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Jade Ritchie, Yes23 spokesperson, Bunda Clan of the Gooreng Gooreng Nation
- Uncle Rodney Dillon, Palawa man & Chairperson of the Aboriginal Heritage Council
- Linton Burgess & Leroy Hart, cultural performers
- Alison Overeem, Palawa woman, MC & Welcome to Country
- Jessica Munday, Secretary of Unions Tasmania and President & Treasurer of Worker Assist
- Augie March (Glenn Richards), singer-songwriter
- DJ Cheek E

When: 12:00pm - 2:30pm AEST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Starts:* Elizabeth Street Mall, 50 Elizabeth Street, Hobart, TAS 7000
Ends: Regatta Grounds

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/hobart_walk_for_yes

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Walk for Yes - Canberra

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Canberra. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Aunty Violet, Ngunnawal elder
- Maree Meredith, Pro Vice-Chancellor Indigenous Leadership University of Canberra
- Tom Calma AO, Chancellor of the University of Canberra
- Joe Hedger, Bundjalung Yorta Yorta man and Partner, Indigenous Services Group at Deloitte
- Phil Jamieson, singer-songwriter
- Josh Pyke, singer-songwriter

When: 11:00am - 2:00pm AEST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Starts: Northwest Grounds of the National Library of Australia, Parkes Place, Canberra*

Ends: Parliament House, Federation Mall

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/canberra_walk_for_yes

Walk for Yes - Newcastle

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Newcastle. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Noel Pearson, Yes23 spokesperson
- Loren Collyer, speaker
- Tara Dever - CEO Mindarriba Land Council

When: 10:30am - 1:30pm AEST, Sunday 17 September

Where: Newcastle Museum, 6 Workshop Way, Newcastle, NSW 2300

Starts: Newcastle Museum

Ends: Foreshore Park tram yards

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/newcastle_walk_for_yes

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Walk for Yes - Darwin

Thousands of Australians are uniting to Walk for Yes in Darwin. Yes23 supporters will be showing their support for constitutional recognition through a Voice. Guest speakers and performers include:

- Nova Peris, former Senator and athlete
- Malarndirri McCarthy, Senator for the Northern Territory
- Youth Mill, performers

When: 4:00pm - 6:00pm ACST, Sunday 17 September

Where: *Starts: Mirragma Gunugurr-Wa Sculpture, the Esplanade, Darwin City, NT 0800*

Ends: Bicentennial Park

Link: https://www.yes23.com.au/darwin_walk_for_yes

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About Yes23

Yes23 brings together grassroots organisations all campaigning for constitutional recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people through a Voice to parliament.

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