

MEDIA ALERT

Monday 7th November 2022

Major Events Honouring Peace Prize Winner Uluru Statement from the Heart to be held in Sydney, Melbourne, Canberra

As we head towards an historic referendum on the Voice to Parliament, the Sydney Peace Prize - Australia's only international Prize for Peace - is being awarded to the ground-breaking Uluru Statement from the Heart.

From over 200 nominations from the community, the Sydney Peace Prize Jury chose the Uluru Statement from the Heart as a stand-out winner *'for bringing together Australia's First Nations Peoples around a clear and comprehensive agenda for healing and peace within our nation'*.

Major events to honour The Uluru Statement and powerhouse drivers of its development:

- Professor Megan Davis, Cobble Cobble woman from the Barunggam Nation in South East Queensland; and,
- Pat Anderson AO, Alyawarre woman from the Northern Territory –

will be held across Sydney, Melbourne and Canberra over the coming fortnight, after being delayed earlier due to Covid-19.

Media are invited to attend these events; and to reach out to the Media Contacts listed below.

Event	Date	Location	Key Speakers/Artists
Address to the National Press Club , hosted by The Australia Institute and the National Press Club of Australia	Wed 9 th November, from mid-day	National Press Club of Australia, Ngunnawal Canberra	Award Winners Professor Megan Davis and Pat Anderson AO
Sydney Peace Prize Award Ceremony and Lecture , hosted by the City of Sydney and the Sydney Peace Foundation	Thu 10 th November, 6.30pm-8pm	City of Sydney Town Hall, Gadigal Sydney	Award Winners Professor Megan Davis , Pat Anderson AO Leading Journalist Narelda Jacobs Multi-ARIA Award Winning Artist Dan Sultan City of Sydney Lord Mayor Clover Moore
Peace Day at Cabramatta High School	Fri 11 th November, 9am- 11am	Cabramatta High School, 17 Aladore Ave, Dharug Cabramatta	Award Winner Pat Anderson AO and Uluru Youth Leaders Bridget Cama and Allira Davis Students of Cabramatta High School & 20 surrounding Western Sydney schools
Melbourne Peace Prize Event: Enshrining a First Nations Voice in the Australian Constitution , hosted by the University of Melbourne and the City of Melbourne	Mon 14 th November, 6.30pm-8pm	Melbourne Town Hall, Naarm Melbourne	Award Winners Professor Megan Davis and Pat Anderson AO Broadcaster Jon Faine AM Music by John Wayne Parsons accompanied by guitarist Cisco

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NGO Leadership Forum , hosted by the Fred Hollows Foundation	Wed 16th Nov 11:30am – 3pm	Gilbert & Tobin Lawyers, Two, International Towers, Level 35 Tower/200 Barangaroo Ave, Gadigal Sydney	Award Winners Professor Megan Davis and Pat Anderson AO CEOs and leaders from civil society organisations across Australia, discussing commitments to support the Uluru Statement from the Heart
Sydney Peace Prize Gala Dinner , hosted by the Sydney Peace Foundation and the University of Sydney	Fri 18 th November, 6pm-11pm	Carriageworks, 245 Wilson St, Eveleigh Gadigal Sydney	Award Winners Professor Megan Davis and Pat Anderson AO in conversation with Narelda Jacobs Address by The Hon. Linda Burney MP , Minister for Indigenous Australians Celebrity Chef Clayton Donovan MC Matty Mills Composer, producer, multi-instrumentalist and vocalist William Barton <i>This sold-out, record-size Gala Dinner will also include an Address by University of Sydney Vice Chancellor Mark Scott. 800 attendees from across business, civil society and the community will celebrate The Uluru Statement. A photo area and a Press Table with refreshments will be available.</i>

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Notes:

The *Sydney Peace Prize* is Australia's only International Prize for Peace, awarded by the Sydney Peace Foundation at the University of Sydney.

The Prize recognises leading global voices that promote peace, justice, and nonviolence. Former winners include Archbishop Desmond Tutu, Arundhati Roy, Hans Blix, Naomi Klein, Professor Joseph Stiglitz, the *Black Lives Matter* Global Network, Sir William Dean and the *Me Too* Movement. For over two decades, the Sydney Peace Prize has been awarded in partnership with the City of Sydney.