

Your invitation to be a part of

# A Celebration Of Hope

**Hosted by Bruce Eva - 3AW Personality**

A gala ball with a fabulous three course sit down dinner, including drinks, featuring inspiring guest speakers. A live band featuring some Aussie music icons. Auction items, silent auction, door prizes and raffle items.

**GUEST SPEAKERS:** Dr Kerrie McDonald and Marcella Zemanek

**ENTERTAINMENT:** Bob 'Bongo' Starkie with special guests  
Wilbur Wilde and Greg Macainsh (Skyhooks)

ALL MONIES RAISED TO SUPPORT **"CURE FOR LIFE FOUNDATION"**  
– *advancing brain tumour treatment and research*

**WHEN:** Friday 21st October, 2011 **TIME:** 7:00pm

**WHERE:** Manningham Function Centre, 699 Doncaster Road, Doncaster

**RSVP:** 2nd October, 2011 **Early Bird RSVP:** 16th September, 2011

**ALL ENQUIRIES:** David 0418 372 961, Henriette 0414 410 632  
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*Finding a cure for brain cancer*

**A CELEBRATION OF HOPE** *Just by coming & having fun, you can make a difference!*

Yes! I would like to attend "A Celebration of Hope" and help Blackwood 8 support the Cure For Life Foundation.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please send me \_\_\_\_\_ tickets at \$140 Early Bird, or \$160 after 16th September.

Table of 10: \$1400 Early Bird, or \$1600 after 16th September Total enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please make cheques payable to "Blackwood 8", and return to: Blackwood 8, 15 Blackwood Drive, Wonga Park, VIC 3115.

To pay via EFT: Please quote Surname. BSB: 633-000 ACC: 130957889

My table of 10 is: (or if possible I would like to sit with:)

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### BLACKWOOD 8

**Our vision:** to see a cure available for all types and variations of cancer.

**Our mission:** to bring the community together in a fun and positive environment, with the goal of raising funds for the purpose of prevention, treatment and cure of cancer. Since 2007, Blackwood 8 has raised over \$160,000 for the prevention, treatment and research into various types of cancer.

[www.blackwood8.com.au](http://www.blackwood8.com.au)

### CURE FOR LIFE FOUNDATION

Set up by Dr Charlie Teo in 2003. Over the last 8 years, the Foundation has made significant contributions to the advancement of brain tumour research and treatment, and has become the leading organisation for non-government funding in this area.

This year, the Foundation aims to raise 2,000,000 dollars to support the establishment of a brain tumour research facility at the new Lowry Cancer Research Centre.

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

## 2011 GUEST SPEAKERS

### Dr Kerrie McDonald

Kerrie is the Head of the Neuro-oncology Laboratory at the Lowry Cancer Research Centre, UNSW in Sydney. She supervises 5 PhD students, 1 Medical Honours student and has two staff. She was awarded a prestigious Cancer Institute NSW Fellowship at the beginning of last year. Kerrie is Chair of the NSW Oncology Groups for Neuro-oncology, is on the scientific council for COGNO (a clinical trials group) and is a chief investigator of AGOG collaboration to investigate brain tumours. The major focus of Kerrie's research group is to discover biomarkers that could predict patient response to treatment. In addition, the group is investigating why brain tumour cells are highly invasive.



### Marcella Zemanek

Having worked in radio for over 30 years, Marcella Zemanek is one of radio's most respected women, having worked alongside some of Australia's leading radio personalities, including John Laws, Stan Zemanek, Alan Jones, Brian Bury and John Stanley. In 1981 Marcella married Stan Zemanek. When Stan was diagnosed with a grade 4 glioma in 2006, all Marcella's energies were concentrated in helping fight this disease. Since Stan passed away, Marcella has committed her time as an active member on the Brain Cancer Action Week committee to raise funds and awareness of brain cancer. To date, she has successfully helped to raise over \$800,000 in donations through a direct mail appeal. She is passionate about finding a cure for brain cancer.



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