



Parents & Carers Information Day
Sydney Eye Hospital (Claffy Lecture Theatre)
Saturday 10th August from 10am – 3pm.

Draft program (subject to change)

09.30 - 10.00	Registration and morning tea (provided)	
10.00-10.05	Welcome and housekeeping	Matt O’Kane
10.05 –10.30	Understanding eyes	Prof Peter McCluskey, SSI
10.30 – 11.00:	Major childhood eye diseases	Dr Caroline Catt, SSI
11.00 – 11.30:	Navigating the school system	TBC, RIDBC
11.30 – 12.15:	Supporting families	Lauren Rapley, Vision Australia Rebecca Kent, Vision Australia
12.15 – 12.45:	Lunch (provided)	
12.45 – 1.15:	Orientation and mobility	Ryan Jones, Guide DogsNSW/ACT
1.15 –1.45:	Technology and low vision aids	Paul Paradigm, Vision Australia
1.45 – 2.15:	Genetics of eye disease	Assoc Prof Robyn Jamieson, SSI
2.15 – 2.45:	The future of treating paediatric eye disease	Assoc Prof John Grigg, SSI
2.45-3.00:	Sight Fighters	Rochelle Cini
3.00:	Additional Questions Optional mingling drinks @ Chambers Bar	