

Info Day for Parents/Carers & Teachers of Children with Eye Disease

10.00	Welcome and Housekeeping	Matt O'Kane (Parent MC)
10.05	Overview of Day and SSI	Prof Peter McCluskey (Director, Save Sight Institute)
10.10	Overcoming Obstacles	Jonathan Goerlach (Patient and Elite Athlete)
10.30	Childhood Eye Diseases	Dr Caroline Catt (Save Sight Institute)

	Parents/Carers Ages 0-5	Parents/Carers Ages 6-12	Professional Development
	<i>Claffy Room</i>	<i>Worrall Room</i>	<i>Meeting Room</i>
Strong Families, Bright Futures Social and Emotional Impacts of Childhood Eye Disease and Vision Loss Lauren Rapley Vision Australia	11.10 - 11.40	12.20 - 12.50	11.45 - 12.15
Journeys and Transitions at School Interventions and Approaches to Learning School Adaptations / Independent Schools Harzita Hashim, Ana Radis, Corinne Loomes Royal Institute for Deaf and Blind Children	11.45 - 12.15	11.10 - 11.40	12.20 - 12.50
Getting About, Getting Involved Orientation and Mobility Sports and Inclusion Carolyn Bates and Kelly Prentice Guide Dogs NSW/ACT	12.20 - 12.50	11.45 - 12.15	11.10 - 11.40

13.00	Lunch	Provided (Dining Hall, Level 2)
13.45	My Journey with O&M	Sarah Hirst (Guide Dogs Client)
14.00	Public Education	Fiona McInerney, Josie Howse (Public Schools NSW)
14.20	Catholic Education	Michele Cutrupi (Catholic Education Office)
14.40	Carer Roles, NDIS/Better Start	Helen Ferrara, Ros Richardson (Carers NSW)
15.00	Technology and Low Vision Aids	Catherine Corrigan (Vision Australia)
15.20	Genetics of Eye Disease	Prof Robyn Jamieson (Save Sight Institute)
15.40	Research & The Future	Prof John Grigg (Save Sight Institute)
16.00	Close	Optional drinks/afternoon tea

Programme is subject to change without notice. Questions allowed after each session where time permits. If you have a question that is not addressed, please write it down on the Question form in your folder and hand to a Save Sight Institute staff member. We will endeavour to have it addressed on the day, or followed up (include your name).