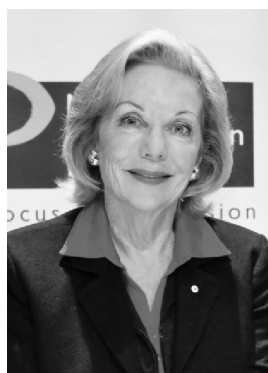


Over the coming months the Foundation is hosting a special Sydney presentation with Foundation Patron Ita Buttrose, along with a variety of macular degeneration education sessions. Family and friends are welcome.

Australian of the Year 2013 and Foundation Patron Ita Buttrose Special Sydney Presentation



Ita Buttrose, Australian of the Year 2013 and Patron of the Macular Disease Foundation, is special guest presenter at this one-off Sydney event. On being honoured as Australian of the Year, Ita made a public commitment to raise awareness of the issues relating to older Australians, including macular degeneration, and will speak on how macular degeneration has impacted her family and the lifestyle choices she has undertaken to reduce her risk of developing this disease. Ita will be joined by our guest specialist who will speak on the latest in research, treatments and living well with low vision.

Location	Date and Time	Address
Sydney, NSW	Saturday, 15 June 2013 10.30am – 12.30pm	Sydney Masonic Centre (SMC) Conference & Function Centre 66 Goulburn Street, Sydney

Education sessions

Attend one of the education sessions below and learn about macular degeneration symptoms, risk factors, treatment options, and the importance of nutrition and lifestyle.

Location	Date and Time	Address
Sydney, NSW	Thursday, 23 May 2013 10.00am – 11.30am	Sydney Hospital Level 1, Claffy Lecture Theatre Macquarie Street, Sydney
Tuggerah, NSW	Wednesday, 26 June 2013 1.30pm – 3.30pm	Club Tuggerah, Central Coast Mariners Centre of Excellence 1 Bryant Drive, Tuggerah
Maitland, NSW	Thursday, 27 June 2013 9.30am – 11.30am	Maitland City Bowls Sports and Recreation Club 14 Arthur Street, Rutherford
Singleton, NSW	Thursday, 27 June 2013 2.30pm – 4.00pm	Club Singleton 50 Pitt Street, Singleton

Bookings Essential on 1800 111 709