



summer edition

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international aspergers day - sat 18th feb 2012

This is an opportunity to celebrate the achievements and capabilities of people with Asperger Syndrome, and show support for people with the condition, their families and carers.

This will be the third year International Aspergers Day has been recognised. February 18 was selected as it is the anniversary of the birth of Dr Hans Asperger, the physician who defined the Syndrome and whose work has been recognised world-wide.

We hope that friends, family and carers of people with Aspergers, support organisations and communities will unite to celebrate this day for people with Asperger Syndrome.

We are planning an event for our ASSN Vic community but don't have details as yet so please watch our website events page for more information - but please pencil the date in your diaries!!

Please note that ASSN Vic is a volunteer run association. We rely primarily on your membership fees, limited fundraising and our volunteers to provide support. Your membership is vitally important to help keep our association vibrant and active to assist individuals with AS and their families.



join us today

ASSN Vic member benefits include free access to:

Support

- Telephone support line
- Regular support meetings for parents, carers and partners of those with Asperger Syndrome
- Regular support groups for those with AS, including girls, boys, teenagers and adults
- Share your experiences with other members
- Make friends and join social groups of others with common interests
- Contribute to the work done by the ASSN committee

Information resources

- Receive our quarterly comprehensive newsletter packed with updates, events and information
- Extensive website with our members-only pages
- Receive our highly sought-after Information Kit with over 70 pages of articles relevant to those living with AS
- Discounts to our regular ASSN Vic seminars by key speakers about aspergers topics

Resource library

- Borrow books, CDs and DVDs for free from our library at The Nerve Centre
- Our full library catalogue is listed on our website. We also have a mail-out service available at Auspost rates.

How to join

- Either join online at www.assnvc.org.au/membership and pay via PayPal, or complete the newsletter form on the last page and post it with a cheque. The costs of membership are only \$30 for a new membership, and \$20 per annum for renewal thereafter.