

INVITATION



THE OBJECTIVE OF SALUTING
MONASH COUNCIL IS TO ACHIEVE
THE POSTHUMOUS PROMOTION
OF GENERAL SIR JOHN MONASH
GCMG KCB VD TO THE RANK OF FIELD
MARSHAL BY 11 NOVEMBER, 2018.

Members of OTU



The Chairman of the Saluting Monash Council, The Honourable Tim Fischer AC, requests the pleasure of your company and that of your guest (or your representative) at

THE NSW LAUNCH OF SALUTING MONASH COUNCIL

to be held in the presence of Federal and State Members of Parliament, Senior Officers of the Australian Defence Force and supporters.

at 6:30pm on Wednesday 8th March, 2017

in the Strangers Dining Room, NSW Parliament House, Macquarie Street, Sydney

Please allow 10 mins for security check and enter through the Guard House (North side of building via Macquarie Street).
Coffee/tea biscuits will be served on arrival in the Strangers Lounge. We would appreciate your assistance with the SMC objective of achieving the posthumous promotion of General Sir John Monash to the rank of Field Marshal by 11 November 2018 with a donation of \$10 per person to cover some Parliament House charges. Donations will be collected on arrival.

Speakers include:

- Michael Bennett, General Sir John Monash's great grandson - "Recollections of the Monash Family".
- Peter Fitzsimons AM - "Sir John Monash - the man, the impact".
- Via video - Professor Roland Perry OAM - "Monash: The Outsider Who Won a War, an update".
- Bridget McKenzie, National Senator for Victoria
- Hon Matt Thistlethwaite MP, ALP Member for Kingsford Smith
- Grantlee Kieza, journalist and author
- The Hon Tim Fischer AC - "Jerrilderie Proposition: The case for Field Marshal Sir John Monash".

Invitations to speak have been sent to a member of The Nationals/Liberal Party and ALP.

Dress: Serving Members: Ceremonial (no sword)
Lounge Suit/Jacket & Tie
with Decorations & Medals.

Ladies and supporters: As appropriate.

RSVP by Monday 27th February, 2017

Email: iemeek18@bigpond.net.au
or
mail completed form below

For further information, please contact Ian Meek on (02) 9451 7636
or visit www.monash4fieldmarshal.org.au



PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN BY MONDAY 27TH FEBRUARY, 2017

Mail to: Ian Meek, Saluting Monash Council, 18 Everton Road, Belrose NSW 2085

or scan the completed form and email to: iemeek18@bigpond.net.au

The following people will be attending the NSW Launch of Saluting Monash Council at NSW Parliament House, Macquarie Street, Sydney on Wednesday 8th March 2017.

YOUR DETAILS

Rank / Mr / Mrs/ Ms

Given Name

Surname & Post Nominals

Phone (day)

Phone (night)

Email

**On RSVP email please note that
you are from OTU**

YOUR GUEST'S DETAILS

Rank / Mr / Mrs/ Ms

Given Name

Surname & Post Nominals

Phone (day)

Phone (night)

Email

Signature

Date