

Law Week 1998

11-18 May

Public Program

Daily

Displays in public libraries

Monday 11 May

Breakfast in the Mall and Tug of War Launch 8am - 9am. Join lawyers for a free Breakfast in the Mall and watch lawyers compete for the highly prized Tug of War trophy as Law Week is launched.

Tuesday 12 May and Wednesday 13 May

Staff from NTLAC will provide FREE legal information to members of the public at a booth in the Mall from 12 - 2pm.

Saturday 16 May

Public Information Session *HOW TO RUN A SMALL CLAIM* - a seminar/workshop on dealing in the Small Claims Court will be provided by the Northern Territory Young Lawyers' Association. Darwin Magistrates' Court 11 am

Sunday 17 May

Dramatised Trials, *TRIALS THROUGH TIME*

Northern Territory Women Lawyers' Association. One night only! Discover how it feels to be:

- burned for your beliefs
- condemned in silence
- flightless and fighting

Three readings from the trials of Joan of Arc, Tuckiar and Wardley Brown's Mart, 7pm

For Lawyers & Legal Office Staff

Breakfast Launch

Time again to front up with muscles rippling for the Tug of War in a light-hearted effort to launch Law Week and show the human face of the legal profession. Monday 11 May, 8am, Raintree Park, Darwin. Details of registration are included in the Law Week kit. Practitioners, paralegals and office staff are invited to enter, join or come along to support a team.

Blood Rush

All staff of legal offices in Darwin and Alice Springs are encouraged to make a blood donation to the Red Cross during Law Week. Details on how, when and where are included in the Law Week kit which has been sent to all offices.

The Law Week Lunch

The Alice Springs Law Week Lunch will be held on Wednesday 13 May at *Ristorante Puccini*. Parliament House Dining Room will again provide the venue for the Darwin lunch, to be held on the Friday of Law Week - 15 May.

Dr Stan Ross, a well-known legal academic from the University of NSW will address the luncheon on *Whistle-Blowing for Lawyers & Law Students*.

Dr Ross is best known throughout the legal community for his work in the area of legal ethics. Members will be aware of the respect in which his research and publication in this field are held and will recall his regular column in the *Australian Lawyer*. Dr Ross's most recent book is *The Joke's On ...Lawyers* - an analysis of historical and present day attacks and jokes about lawyers.

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