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"Thanks for all the Questions"

Keep them coming !!!

Thanks for all the questions so far (63) but we want more, more, more for the public meeting

**Wednesday February 17th at 7.00pm.
St Peters College Memorial Hall,
St Peters College, St Peters
(Enter off Hackney Rd, opposite the Botanic Gardens)
"S.A.DISABILITY SERVICES"
2010 ONWARDS
WHERE IS S.A. HEADING?**

Entry is FREE!

You need to urgently (no later than Feb 10th)

- **Send in your questions you desperately need asked of our key political leaders to disabilityspeaks@internode.on.net**
- **Questions will be presented priority based of the most commonly received versions e.g. self managed funding, education, accommodation, equipment etc**
- **Questions will be presented in a professional structured manner to facilitate the most accurate and relevant responses possible**
- **Note not all questions (received due to time constraints) including some highly amusing, rude and very funny ones will make the cut!**
- **Stick a copy of the attached PDF file on your notice boards highlighting the meeting**
- **Show up on the night and bring some friends to present a united front to those senior politicians who control the future for people with a disability in SA. It is looking like a huge night and we are expecting a large crowd!**
- **Note a number of other current SA Politicians and candidates have indicated they will also be attending including Lib Shadow Minister for**

Education David Pisoni (Member for Unley) and ALP Disability stalwart Frances Bedford ALP (Member for Florey)

Please note the ALP and Dignity 4 Disability response to the Liberal Party policy file on Education for people with a disability is attached for your interest* Please note any future distributions must be printable on only a single A4 page and in a widely accessible format . (We crashed too many computers!!!)

We have also had a number of approaches from other political groups and independent candidates wishing to present on the evening. We have apologised that this is not possible as our criteria for selection was "people or parties who currently hold a seat in the SA Parliament" with the exception of D4D who were by special invitation.

REMINDER you are also invited to the next Disability Speaks steering committee meeting at the Disability Information Resource Centre (Dirc) in Gilles Street on **Thursday Feb 11th at 12.00pm** where we will be finalizing plans for the Forum the following week . Volunteers willing to help organise the Public Meeting night will be greatly appreciated.

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