

# FRIENDS OF STARICK NEWSLETTER

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## It takes brains to know the answers, but schutzpah to invent them!

There is no other show like Craptastic Trivia, a fun quiz night created by local comedians Sam Longley and Sean Walsh (from The Big HOO-HAA!) for people who don't know anything!

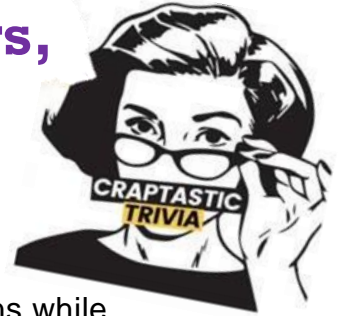
You'll have great fun making up silly answers to nonsense questions, while your quick-witted hosts serve up a night of laugh-out-loud humour. No more shrugging of shoulders, strumming of fingers or trying to remember Henry Lawson's birthdate because you make up the answers, and the sillier the better!

Craptastic Trivia will change the way you see quiz nights for ever. Even better, all proceeds support Starick's work with women and children escaping family and domestic violence.

**WHEN** Friday 8 September - 6.30 pm for a 7 pm start. [BOOK ONLINE HERE](#)

**WHERE** The Elephant & Wheelbarrow, 53 Lake Street, Northbridge.

**COST** \$25 per person, or \$20 per person if you book a table of eight.



Guest speaker Dr Jenny Brockis

A purple graphic with a white ribbon. The text reads: 'Vote for US.' in large white and yellow letters. Below it, 'With your help we could receive a \$10,000 grant.' in white. To the right, 'Click here to help us win a \$10,000 community development grant from Beyond Bank.' in yellow. Below that, 'But be quick! Voting closes on 31 August.' in yellow. At the bottom right, the 'Beyond Bank AUSTRALIA' logo is visible.

## SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL SOUTH PERTH ANNUAL FUNDRAISER BREAKFAST

With guest speaker Dr Jenny Brockis, award-winning author of  
"Future Brain: 12 Ways to Create Your High Performance Brain"

Every year, SI South Perth hosts a breakfast event and donates all profits to Starick. This year's guest speaker is Dr Jenny Brockis, whose work is based on practical neuroscience, helping individuals boost mental performance through better thinking, learning and memory.

**WHEN** 7-9 am, TUES 12 SEPTEMBER **WHERE** Royal Perth Golf Club, Labouchere Road, South Perth.

**TICKETS** \$65 per person, or \$55 if you book a table of 10. [BOOK ONLINE HERE](#)

Queries: [info@sisouthperth.com.au](mailto:info@sisouthperth.com.au) or call 0417 928 012.

## Economic empowerment project

Economic abuse is increasingly recognised as a major factor affecting women experiencing domestic violence. It impacts on a woman's ability to leave and her experience of poverty once she has left. These effects keep women in abusive relationships, and can continue long after the relationship has ended.

Starick has partnered with Curtin University, The Womens Council and Wooree Miya and Lucy Saw refuges on a project aimed at strengthening the financial resilience of women experiencing DV.

Through train-the-trainer sessions for DV workers, a pilot program, focus groups and ongoing evaluation, the project will provide a training resource for women experiencing economic abuse, to help them improve their financial literacy and develop their financial independence.



## HOW MARY'S GARDEN GROWS



Bunnings Cannington is helping us beautify the gardens at our Mary Smith refuge by donating various gardening equipment including a wheelbarrow, gardening gloves, gardening bags and hedge cutters. Pictured are Starick's Manager for Refuge Services Anna Scott (left) with Skye and Rachel from Bunnings Cannington.

## STARICK GETS WHEEL(S)

**Ascot Rotary's donation of a second vehicle made front page news in the Community News Southern Gazette. Read the full story [here](#).**

## 2017 RIDE AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



July saw Starick attend various events in support of the Ride Against Domestic Violence 2017. Starick CEO Leanne Barron (centre, in black) and Lived Experience speaker Dr Judith Congrene ((left, in lilac) are pictured with the RADV 2017 team after they rode into Armadale on the second-last leg of their ride. Starick thanks all the riders and support crew for their efforts to raise community awareness and funds for DV services and looks forward to working with RADV to grow this event.