

A CALL TO PEACE:

ANZAC EVE PEACE VIGIL 2015

Promoting peace at the Anzac Centenary

FRIDAY
24 APRIL
2015

Join at one of these places
(see over for details):

5.30 pm: top of Mt Ainslie

6.45 pm: Remembrance Nature Park, Campbell

7.15 pm: Australian War Memorial Forecourt



If you yearn to take part in a remembrance of all the dead and maimed of all wars, including the Australian frontier wars; if you want to give voice to lament and the longing to reorient our nation's attitudes towards war, join us for the fifth annual lantern-lit Anzac Eve Peace Vigil.

Come and bear light with us. Come sing and share stories with us. Come help us seek and find the common ground of lament and promote peace.

www.anzacvigil.org

Master Lantern Maker, Graeme Dunstan 0407 951 688 · www.peacebus.com

Graeme plans a volunteer lantern making workshop in Canberra during March–April. Accessible to young and old, individuals and groups. Call him.

Music by A Chorus of Women and others · www.chorusofwomen.org

PROGRAM:

Kindling the Peace Fire

from 5.30 pm at top of Mt Ainslie

Meet at the top of Mt Ainslie at sunset to light peace lanterns, welcome to country, community singing and a ceremonial smoking at the entrance to the mountain path.

Walking into darkness

departing 6.15 pm from on top of Mt Ainslie

Lantern lit procession down the mountain track. A shared meditative walk. Not for everyone – only the sure-footed.

Candle-lit lanterns provided.

Gathering the people

about 6.45 pm at Remembrance Nature Park,
Treloar Crescent, Campbell

Lantern walkers will pause and gather with others in some community singing before proceeding with the lanterns into the Australian War Memorial precinct.

...MAIN EVENT...

Sharing the Peace Fire, Sharing Lament

about 7.15 pm at the forecourt,
Australian War Memorial

The lantern procession will join with others in the Australian War Memorial forecourt. With song, poetry and storytelling, we will reimagine Anzac; seek, find and share our common ground of lament for all the dead and maimed of all wars.

Night Vigil around the Peace Fire

from about 8.30 pm at the lake end
of Anzac Parade (outside West Block)

Stories, poetry, singing and conversation.

Warming soup will be offered. BYO mug, rug and chair.

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