



Australian Indonesian Association of SA

Save the date
2019 Indofest – Adelaide
Sunday, 28 April 2019
Victoria Square
(South side)

Credit: Multicultural Affairs, Department of Premier and Cabinet

Message from the Committee

A VISIT TO PARLIAMENT HOUSE

On February 7th, 2019, the Honourable Jing Lee, MLC, kindly hosted AIASA members and 2019 Indofest volunteers to a reception and tour of the South Australian Parliament House. It was a great tour, learning about the Lower and Upper House Chambers. Most importantly, we had the pleasure to meet with and introduce ourselves to the Hon. Jing Lee and briefly discuss our roles in the community. We also expressed our greatest gratitude for the Office of Multicultural Affairs for its generous support of Indofest 2019. In particular, thanking the Hon. Jing Lee for her past and continued support for AIASA and Indofest.

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As the President of AIASA, I would like to thank the participants of this special event:

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Olivia Atmadja-Sharp – AIASA Treasurer and Indofest 2019 Logistic + Vendor Coordinator
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Rini Budiyanti – Chair of Diaspora SA and AIASA member
Ninin Davis – AIASA member and Indopeduli Committee
Hannah Brimstone – President AIYA SA
Anna Mann – AIASA member

Project Reports

Project Reports consist of implemented projects that the AIASA have delivered or participated in and what these projects mean to the broader community.

YAYASAN PEDULI KASIH ANAK KEBUTUHAN KHUSUS

As a demonstration of our commitment to supporting children with disabilities, the Australian-Indonesian Association of South Australia (AIASA) sent a donation to Yayasan Peduli Kasih Anak Kebutuhan Khusus (YPKABK), an NGO located in Surabaya, Indonesia, that focuses on the empowerment of families of children with special needs.

According to YPKABK’s Chairman, Dr. Sawitri Retno Hadiati, donations like these greatly benefit the independence of parents and children alike. “Parents of children with special needs, require additional support. With help from donations, we are supporting them by opening a store where they can sell artworks and other goods as a way to supplement their own income.” he added.



AIASA made a donation of AU\$1000.00 to be used to purchase showcases, cooler boxes, bamboo display shelves and clothes hangers for a shop to be run and operated by the ABK community. Additionally, books were provided to add to the collection for the ABK community library, as were office materials - integral in supporting day-to-day organisational operations.

YPKABK hope that donations such as this can become a routine that invites awareness and involvement by other parties.

Photo Credit: Yayasan Peduli Kasih Anak Kebutuhan Khusus

NONTON BERSAMA: ACEH BEYOND THE TSUNAMI

“Nonton Bersama/watching movie together” was a fundraising event organised by the Australia Indonesia Youth Association (AIYA) and the Australian-Indonesian Association of South Australia (AIASA). The movie shown was ‘Aceh: beyond the tsunami’. This movie is a documentary exploring the extraordinary stories of survivors of the 2004 Indian Ocean tsunami in the province of Aceh, Indonesia, where approximately 170,000 lives were lost. Through vivid recollections and stunning imagery, ten tsunami survivors reflect on their decade long journey of grieving, healing and rebuilding with support from Australia and the international community. The documentary sheds a unique light on the resilience of the human spirit and reveals the complexities of a rapidly modernising

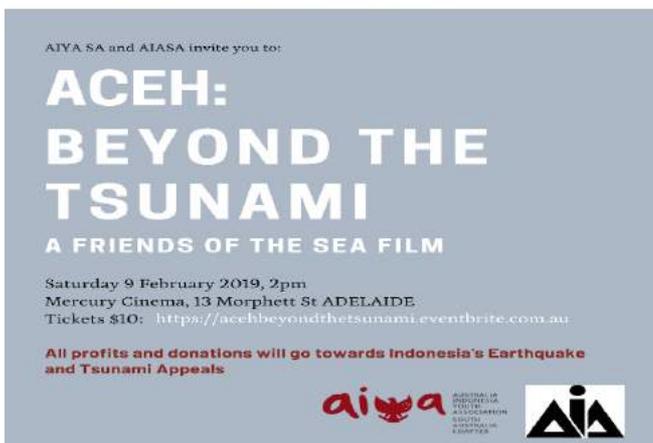


society in Indonesia’s most religious province. The movie screening was held in the Mercury cinema on Saturday, 9th February 2019 at 2:30pm. Approximately 69 tickets were sold and two donation boxes were filled by the audience. All money will be donated to Earthquake and Tsunami victims in Banten & Lampung Indonesia.

We would like to express our gratitude to AIYA and AIASA members, Indopeduli and everyone who supported this event.

Hannah Brimstone, AIYA President/nonton bersama coordinator

Juliana Christina, AIASA committee/nonton bersama coordinator



AUSTRALIA DAY PARADE 2019

The AIASA once again joined the celebration of Australia Day in 2019 with close to 60 people participating in the parade in the city. A mix of Australian and Indonesian community including children, Indonesian international students, and Indonesian permanent residents. Unlike previous years, 2019 did not present Ondel Ondel as the main attraction. Rather, the parade presented wedding costumes as the main attraction, such as those from Central Java and Bali. Musical instruments were also used in the parade, lead by the West Javanese traditional drum and ending with the Balinese Bleganjur.



The community's response to AIASA's invitation to participate in the celebration of Australia Day was great. Their enthusiasm and feedback received after the celebration suggest that we should participate again next year. If you would like to join AIASA in the Australia Day Parade 2020, please contact us by email on membership@aiasa.org.au or info@aiasa.org.au.

KUNINGAN AND GALUNGAN 2019

Galungan and Kuningan, which span over 10 days, are two of the most important events celebrated by the Hindu communities in Bali, Indonesia. Galungan, which symbolises the victory of Dharma (Good) over Adharma (Evil) is celebrated every 210 days according to the Hindu Saka Calendar.



More specifically, it carries our wish to embrace Dharma over Adharma in our inner struggle between the two as an individual.

The Balinese create traditional offerings (called Banten) using a variety of fruits, flowers and leaves. Creation of Banten is a symbol of our gratitude to God for all that he has provided for us. In Bali, tall bamboo poles, called Penjor, are also set up at the entrance of every home during this period. During Galungan, a ceremony known as Ngelawang is performed in every village, which acts to expel evil spirits. In Bali, this ceremony usually involves the infamous “barong” - a mythical beast believed to be a divine protector – travelling around the village to restore the good over the evil. The final day of the ten-day festival is termed Kuningan, and it is believed that on this day, the Supreme God Sang Hyang Widi, blesses all of the people.

The most recent Galungan and Kuningan celebrations were held on the 26th of December 2018 and the 5th of January 2019, respectively. In Adelaide, both of these events were celebrated collectively by the Balinese Society of South Australia (Banjar Dharma Acintya) on Saturday the 5th of January 2019 at the home of Ibu Kencana Dharmapatni and Pak I Gusti Darmawan.



The celebration was attended by over one hundred people. In addition to the Balinese community, attendees included many Australians, as well as other Indonesians and some AIASA committee members. The day began with a short prologue (dharmawacana) to remind members of the meaning of the celebration. The prayer was complemented by various colourful and vibrant offerings (banten) made by banjar members. The remaining celebrations in the afternoon included a wonderful lunch of many exotic and mouth-watering traditional Balinese foods, such as Babi Guling, a.k.a. suckling pig, lawar, ayam betutu, sayur urap, sambal matah etc. brought by each family to share. The celebration was even more glorious with some traditional dance and music performances such as a Balinese welcoming dance panyembrama and the Balinese music concert, the Bleganjur. At the end of the celebration, raffle ticket prize winners were announced and an auction of Balinese paintings was held to raise funds for the Balinese Society for the purchase of dance costumes, instruments and other necessities in the future. It was a beautiful day filled with positive vibes that reflects the harmony between the members of Balinese community, and also between the Balinese community with other communities.

TOWARDS INDOFEST 2019

INDONESIAN FOOD APPRECIATION

Hosted by the AIASA, Indonesian Food Demonstrations will be at Foodland Pasadena, 11am-1.30/2pm, on the last Friday of February, March and April in the lead up to IndoFest 2019.

On Friday the 22nd February, Chef Dessy Brooks cooked nasi goreng. We all know how delicious Indonesian fried rice is; the plate arrives before you, colourful, fragrant and inviting, but do you know how to cook it at home to perfection? Come along to our food appreciation demonstrations teaching you authentic cooking methods and promoting diverse Indonesian cuisine and find the recipe below.

Nasi Goreng (Indonesian Fried Rice)

Ingredients

100 gr raw jasmine rice, cooked and cooled then set aside
100g chicken, finely chopped
2 eggs
2 shallots, chopped,
2 cloves of garlic, chopped
1 red chilli, chopped (optional)
50 gr Cabbage, chopped
1 small carrots, chopped,
1 spring onions, chopped
1 tbsp sweet soy sauce (kecap manis)
2 tbsp cooking oil
Salt and pepper
½ teaspoon Shrimp paste (optional)



Method:

1. Heat oil in a pan, add shallot and garlic, shrimp paste once the onion turns golden, add chicken to the pan. Stirring for a minute, beat egg into the pan, add a handful of all the vegetables including chilies and keep stirring.
2. Add the cooked rice then sweet soya sauce, salt and pepper, mixing all really well on a low flame.
3. Serve while it's hot. Serve 1-2



Upcoming Date	Cook/Chef
Friday, 29th March	TBA
Friday, 26th April	TBA

If you are interested in participating as a Chef/Cook, please email us at info@aiasa.org.au or just be there on the dates to taste delicious Indonesian cuisine.

Upcoming AIASA Event: Indofest 2019

2019 Indofest “Together in Harmony”

Main Stage	Performers
Indonesian Morning Breakfast Show	Host and speakers TBC
Opening Ceremony	Tari Oleg Kecak by Balinese Society of South Australia Dharma Acintya
Western Pop Music	JC Entertainment
Ja'l traditional dance	Flobamora
Saman Dance	Diah Tarin & Friends
Sape ensemble	Koleh & Friends
The legend of Sigale-gale & Tortor	Parbasa
Graceful Girls, Calisthenics SA	Jovanka & Tamara
Indonesian music entertainment	Rhythmnesia Band
Dewi Robot contemporary dance	Dewi Mulyana
Indonesian Australian Senior Award	AIASA Committee
Sulawesi traditional dance	Sanggar Nusantara Sydney
Rebana music	El Musafir
Sundanese traditional dance	Tenny Charlesworth
Raffle ticket & Kampung Nusantara Award	Ivonne Callow
Balinese Topeng Dance	Made Gunaksa
Closing & Line Dance	2019 Indofest Program Coordinators
Melanglang Indonesia	
Posters and video of 2018 Indofest School Program	The Heights School
Kids' music entertainment	Rhythmnesia Junior
Ular naga /congklak Indonesian traditional games	Volunteers
Graceful girls, Calisthenics SA	Tamara & Jovanka
Prizes	Volunteers
Face painting	Ratih & Nora
Closing at Main Stage	
Alun – Alun	
Climate change art panel (Indonesian and Australian artists responding to climate change through their work)	ActNow Theatre led by Ben Brooker
Interactive Bahasa Indonesia Language Sessions	Flinders University
Batik fashion show	Batik House by Murti Cramp
Ja'l dance workshop	Flobamora
Closing at Main Stage	

Cooking Demo supported by City of Adelaide	
Sumatra authentic cuisine	Parbasa
Javanese authentic cuisine	Yuni Becker
Eastern Indonesia cuisine	Feiby Studley
Closing at Main Stage	
Kampung Nusantara	
Kampung Sumatera	Parbasa
Kampung Jawa (incl. Batik making and blangkong making workshops)	Javanese community TBC
Kampung Bali & Lombok	Balinese Society of South Australia Dharma Acintya
Kampung Kalimantan & Sulawesi	Kalimantan & Sulawesi community
Kampung Indonesia Timur / NTT	Flobamora
Prize for the best Kampung at 2019 Indofest	Led by Berry Lukman

2019 Indofest Coordinating Committee

Chair	Mei Turnip
Co-Chair	Priyambudi Sulistiyanto
Logistic-Vendor Team	Olivia Atmadja-Sharp (Logistic-Vendor Coordinator) Chadiyah Ali (Logistic Co-Coordinator) Dessy Brooks (Logistic & Vendor) Yuni Duncan (Vendor Co-Coordinator)
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Treasurer	Prilavita Adi Putra
Opening Ceremony & VIP	Rita Soemarno
Raffle tickets Coordinator	Ivonne Callow
Security, Health & Safety	Derek Hutchins
Volunteer Team	Muhamad Hidayat (Coordinator) Jen Richardson



Some of the 2019 Indofest team: (Back L-R) Diana, Olivia, Amalia, Yuni, Jen, Chadijah, Prilavita, Rita, Ivonne, Dessy, (Front L-R) Muhamad Hidayat, Priyambudi, Berry..

See you all at 2019 Indofest, Sunday 28 April 2019 Victoria Square (South Side).

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AIASA Committee Members 2019



Amalia Sosrodiredjo, President

Amalia has Bachelor of Law Degree from Parahyangan University and accomplished Master of Sustainability from the University of Adelaide. For the last couple of years, she has been focusing her works in Carbon Management area to assist communities, public and private sectors to shift their operations to low-carbon intensity. Previously, she worked with European Non-Governmental Organisations back in Indonesia to manage and lead various projects to support democracy, education for disabled children, and 2004 Tsunami and earthquake survivors. Amalia is co-Founder and Managing Director of Decorum Group Pty Ltd, an environmental management and integrity compliance services corporation based in Adelaide.



Prilavita Adi Putra, Vice President Indonesia

Vita accomplished Bachelor of Commerce degree from University of South Australia. Previously, she worked in an IT company back in Indonesia and has been working in the accounting area and hospitality here in Adelaide.



Olivia Atmadja-Sharp, Treasurer

Olivia has a degree in Psychology from the University of Wales Swansea, recently returned to Adelaide after 10 years away. During her previous residency in Adelaide (2002 to 2006) she was actively involved within the Indonesian community, a committee member of AIA, Rindang and a part time employee of the Honorary Consulate of Indonesia. She has extensive experience in event organizing and has always helped others to settle in new countries. Ranged from; Vendor Coordinator for the British Women Association, Designers Coordinator for BWA Fashion Show 2008, Vendors Coordinator for British (International) Jakarta School 2006-2010, Sponsorship Coordinator for British (International) Jakarta School Fair 2008-2010, Chair of British (International) School Jakarta PTA 2010-2011. Her working experience covers areas from security, wine making and hospitality.



Rita Soemarno, Secretary

Rita has been involved in not-for-profit organisations since 2010, both in professional and voluntary capacity, and she was AIASA's committee member in 2015 and 2016. She has a Bachelor of Business degree from UniSA, and she has enjoyment working in the administrative support role in the last 20 years. Rita has an excellent organisational skills and loves working on projects, both professional and community based.



Anthony Cramp, Assistant Secretary & Membership Officer

Anthony has lived in Adelaide since 1999. He is married with Murti and they have a daughter, Yasmin, born in 2016. Anthony, Murti and Yasmin travel to Indonesia at least once per year with most of their time spent with family in Depok, but they have also travelled to Yogyakarta, Solo, Pandeglang, Purwokerto, Bandung, Denpasar and Ubud. Anthony works for the Commonwealth of Australia as a Research Scientist focusing on software and simulation technologies and has a PhD in Computer Science from the University of Adelaide. Anthony is a native speaker of English with some understanding of Indonesian. In addition to his full-time employment, Anthony provides research services to postgraduate students in the form of editing, proof reading and custom software development. Anthony has been a member of the AIASA for many years.



Berry Luqman Jatnika, Committee Member

Berry has been living in South Australia since 2011. He used to live and work in ‘Hard Rock Hotel & Casino’, Biloxi, Mississippi, USA as an event organiser staff in Casino Area. Currently, apart from doing his daily work, he manages “iroquistore”; an Indonesian Social Culture Community Network, and “Rhythmnesia”; an Indonesian Music entertainment in Adelaide, SA. Music is his life. He has been playing piano since he was little.



Juliana Christina, Committee Member

Juliana a.k.a Julie has a master’s degree in nursing from Flinders University. She is a nurse educator and clinical researcher. Her research interests are cancer management and nursing education development. Currently she is working on a research project related to breast cancer treatment to complete her PhD milestone. She loves cooking, dancing and regularly playing piano specifically in classical music. She joins AIASA to contribute and engage in Indonesia- Australia community activities in SA.



Mei Turnip, Committee Member

Mei was born in Tanjungkarang, Lampung. She lived in Jakarta and studied Master of Business Management at Prasetya Mulya Business School, before she came to Australia to study education at Charles Darwin University. She has been living in Australia for 8 years, and now works as an Indonesian teacher at a private school in Adelaide. She was a secretary for Indofest in 2017 and the Indofest School Program Coordinator in 2018. She actively delivers workshop and professional development in Indonesian teaching and learning and this year she won the CEASA Teacher supporting Teacher Award 2018.



Kencana Dharmapatni, Committee Member

Kencana obtained her MBBS degree at the University of Udayana, Bali and worked as a physician in both primary health centres and central hospital settings in Bali. She was also appointed as a lecturer in the discipline of clinical pathology at the medical faculty within Udayana University before coming to Australia to undertake her MSc in the department of Immunology, Allergy and Arthritis, at Flinders University. Later on, she completed her PhD at the University of Adelaide and has since become an academic to pursue her passion in teaching and research at the Adelaide University Medical School in the faculty of Health Sciences.



Darren Davis, Committee Member

Darren had 25 years mining career in different places around Australia. Within that time, he became the father of 3 beautiful children and was lucky to meet a lovely Indonesian wife who has opened his life up to another world. Ninin is a fantastic mother and wife and as a bonus, it just so happens she's a great cook too! He gave up the FIFO mining life a couple of years ago and is enjoying being home each night with his family. He had some rough times in his life and went through a lot of severe depression. Luckily enough, he had some amazing relief from his emotional problems he was harbouring for years. He was so impressed with the results that he trained to become a therapist

himself and have been helping others resolve emotional problems since 2006. He also has another satisfying business, where he helps everyday people and small to medium businesses save money on their essential services.



Mira Srikandi-Sulistiyanto, Committee Member

Mira is completing her Bachelor of Psychological Science at the University of Adelaide with a Diploma of Languages from Flinders University. She is an alumna of the New Colombo Plan Scholarship, through which she completed an exchange program at Gadjah Mada University and intensive language training. She has had the privilege to intern with Rifka Annisa Women's Crisis Center, KAPAL Perempuan, and The Australian Consulate-General in Makassar. Mira maintains an active volunteer role in all things Indonesia-related in South Australia and has been a committee member of the Australia Indonesia Youth Association in both Yogyakarta and South Australia. With family in both Java and South Australia, Mira's dedication to the Indonesian-Australian relationship is driven in

equal part by personal and professional motivations.

AIA-SA Newsletter

The AIASA Newsletter Committee welcomes submissions! No matter what your writing background is we encourage all forms of work: essays, short stories, interviews, poetry or other contributions. Submissions must be under 1000 words and may include up to 3 images. **Please email a.dharmapatni@adelaide.edu.au or mira.sulistiyanto@gmail.com or contact info@aiasa.org.au**

THE NEWSLETTER COMMITTEE

Kencana Dharmapatni obtained her MBBS degree at the University of Udayana, Bali and worked as a physician in both primary health centres and central hospital settings in Bali. Later, she completed her PhD at the University of Adelaide and has since become an academic to pursue her passion in teaching and research at the Adelaide University Medical School in the faculty of Health and Medical Sciences. She is a committee member of AIASA and the secretary of the Balinese Society of South Australia.

Mira is completing her Bachelor of Psychological Science at the University of Adelaide with a Diploma of Languages from Flinders University and is an alumnus of the New Colombo Plan Scholarship, through which she completed an exchange program at Gadjah Mada University. With family in both Java and South Australia, Mira's dedication to the Indonesian-Australian relationship is driven in equal part by personal and professional motivations. Formerly the secretary of AIYA's Jogjakarta Chapter, Mira is now a committee member of AIASA.

Who we are

AIASA is a community-based organisation. Our values are respect, integrity, inclusiveness and ensuring a collaborative working environment. The organisation comprises 12 Committee Members, occasional sub-committees, and volunteers who run and organise events on behalf of AIASA. We always appreciate the valuable time and effort invested by our members (every one of you), both individuals and organisations, in helping us help others to achieve our goals.

Annual Membership

Individual : \$20

Family : \$30 This membership gives two people from a family full membership rights

Corporate : \$40

Concession : \$18

To join, download the Membership Form from <http://indofest.com.au/join-aiasa/>, complete and return with details of your bank transfer to info@aiasa.org.au

Direct Deposit to Commonwealth Bank account:

Account Name : Australian-Indonesian Assoc of South Australia Inc – Indofest

BSB Number : 065-150

Account Number : 10423827

When making the direct deposit, please ensure to include your name as payer, if technical skills allow, please include also a scanned copy of the payment receipt with your email.

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