



Bulletin #2. 21/08/16

27th Australian Friendship Force Conference “Waves of Change”
 Venue - Maroochy RSL, Memorial Drive, Maroochydore, Sunshine Coast

Dates	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Mon 20 Feb	Regis 12 Noon	Council 2pm	5:30 Meet & Greet, Nibbles Cash bar for drinks
Tue 21 Feb	Conference	Conference	Evening at Surf Club with dinner
Wed 22 Feb	Conference	Conference	Gala Dinner (smart casual) Conference Finishes
Thur 23 Feb	OPTIONAL day tours A-Hinterland B-Noosa both 8:30 to 4:30 approx. Your Choice		
Contact Convenor <u>Jim Haxton</u> on FFA2017conf@outlook.com or text 0407 650 950			

Transport

Daily direct flights from Sydney, Melbourne and after November from Adelaide with major airlines. If you choose to land in Brisbane it will cost you at least \$45pp for a bus fare to Maroochydore. It may be less expensive for Hobart and Perth delegates to fly through Sydney or Melbourne and connect to Sunshine Coast Airport. ConXion Shuttle do all the shuttle services to Maroochydore. Shuttle (meets every flight incl. NZ). Door to door from airport to anywhere in Maroochydore \$18 pp reducing if there are 2 or more to same address. Taxis from \$36 – 45 for above areas, max 3 pax Maxi taxis, for 6 - 8 people. ConXion from Brisbane Airport is \$58pp or \$52 pp if 2 people going to same address. All prices subject to change. ConXion prefer pre-bookings but not vital, price is still the same.

Post Conference Hosting. At this stage 3 clubs have indicated they are prepared to host. Full details later

Optional Day Tours. **Tour A** Hinterland-Maleny-Montville and **Tour B** Noosa are both on the **same day** therefore you will have to choose one only. There are many more day tours available for those who wish to stay on and enjoy the wonderful Sunshine Coast. Details will be available at Conference.

Registration. Please register early to save. Early bird is \$230 and closes on Oct 31.
 Full registration applies from Nov 1 until Jan 31 will be \$250.
 If you are bringing a partner or friend who may not be attending the conference they can attend the Gala Dinner for \$75. They may also like to do one of the tours.

Accommodation. There is a vast amount of accommodation within close proximity to the Conference Venue. Suggested areas are Maroochydore and Cotton Tree (walking distance). Alexandra Headland and Mooloolaba are only a very short drive away.

All bulletins and forms are available on the FFA web site <http://www.friendshipforce-australia.org/> and the Sunshine Coast website. <http://friendshipforcesunshinecoast.org.au/>

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