

RACISM. IT STOPS WITH ME

3 March 2015

Supporter of the month

We'd like to congratulate campaign supporter Fred Hollows for their great work in promoting the campaign through our pledge competition, which closed on 28 February. It was great to see Fred Hollows staff making personal pledges to speak up against racism.



We'd also like to thank all of you who submitted individual pledges. We were delighted with the response!

We'll decide upon and contact the winners shortly and will announce the winning pledges in our next newsletter.

Supporter activities

A shout out to campaign supporter, Moonee Valley City Council, for their great work promoting the campaign! Take a look at their adshells being displayed at various local bus stops.



Need a speaker?

We've been building a network of volunteer speakers who are eager to share their knowledge and passion to help spread the anti-racism message to schools, businesses and other organisations.

If you're holding an event and want a speaker, why not try and source one of our volunteers?

[Get in touch](#) with details about your event and we'll try and connect you with a volunteer speaker in your area.

If you're based in Victoria, you can also check out the Centre for Multicultural Youth's 'Shout Out' service. Take a look at [their website](#) for more info.



Harmony Day 2015 – what are you planning?

As many of you know, Harmony Day falls annually on 21 March, coinciding with the United Nations' International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination.

Every year, supporter organisations plan various events on or around this day to celebrate Australia's cultural diversity, and this year is no exception.

We'd like to help you promote your activities, so [send us an email](#) to let us know what you're planning. We'll be sending a dedicated 'Harmony Day' newsletter in mid-March to publicise the various events and will also promote through social media.



Launch of 'Report Racism'

The Victorian Equal Opportunity and Human Rights Commission is currently trialling the 'Report Racism' tool. This tool was developed to help members of the Victorian Aboriginal community report incidents of racially motivated crime, vilification or discrimination through a third party, rather than directly to police.

Find out more about the tool and [here](#), or watch the clip below.



Discover Diversity

Check out the [Discover Diversity website](#) to see some great videos showcasing the contribution of Australia's diverse workforce to the success and prosperity of many leading Australian companies.

The website was created as part of the Migration Council of Australia's 'Discover Diversity' campaign, which was launched earlier this month.

Remember to [keep us updated](#) about your activities if you'd like to feature in our next supporter newsletter.
