

Local Language Link-up: Dharawal and Dhurga Sharing Workshop

Sanctuary Point Youth and Community Centre,
34 Paradise Beach Rd, Sanctuary Point

May 29 and 30, 2007

Agenda

Day 1

- 9.45 Acknowledgement and Welcome to country – Helen Pussell, Mitch Martin and Wendy Brown
Introductions and welcome to the workshop - Jennifer Munro and Mari Rhydwen
- 10.00 **Learning Dharawal and Dhurga: Example lessons**
Facilitators – Helen Pussell and Susan Poetsch
- 11.15 MORNING TEA
- 11.30 **Getting a school-based Aboriginal Language program off the ground**
Presentation by Jennifer Munro
The Vincentia experience
The Broulee experience
Discussion and worksheet
- 12.30 LUNCH
- 1.30 **Bringing the country alive with language**
Introductions –Wendy Brown, Jennifer Munro and Mari Rhydwen
Jervis Bay Primary School – The Junior Ranger Program
Frances Bodkin – Seasons in a botanic garden
Vincentia HS and Broulee PS – Looking at country in the teaching program
- 2.30 Guided walk at Booderee National Park Botanical Gardens and/or community discussions with Wendy Brown

Day 2

- 9.30 Warm up activity
Susan Poetsch
- 9.45 **Curriculum issues specific to Primary & Secondary**
K-6 schools -with Jennifer Munro and Broulee PS
7-10 schools -with Mari Rhydwen, Susan Poetsch and
Vincentia HS
- 10.30 MORNING TEA
- 11.00 **What can we know about Indigenous place names?
Interpreting early sources from the Ulladulla and Moruya
areas**
Dr Harold Koch
Australian National University
- 11:45 **Bringing archival materials and community knowledge
together in language reconstruction**
Jutta Besold
Broulee PS and Vincentia HS linguist
Australian National University
- 12.30 LUNCH
- 1.15 **Singing a language alive**
Using song and dance in a language program-Jennifer Munro
Performance by the Vincentia High Dance and Didj Group
Songs from Broulee Public School
Discussion
- 2.30 Close