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

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