

INVITATION



THE OBJECTIVE OF SALUTING MONASH COUNCIL IS TO ACHIEVE THE POSTHUMOUS PROMOTION OF GENERAL SIR JOHN MONASH GCMG KCB VD TO THE RANK OF FIELD MARSHAL BY 11 NOVEMBER, 2018.

The Chairman of the Saluting Monash Council (SMC), The Hon. Tim Fischer AC, requests the pleasure of your company and that of your guest (or your representative) at

THE OFFICIAL BOOK LAUNCH OF "MONASH & CHAUVEL" BY PROF. ROLAND PERRY OAM, F. MONASH

to be held in the presence of Federal and State Members of Parliament, Senior Officers of the Australian Defence Force and supporters.

at 9:30am on Sunday 26th November, 2017

The Macquarie Room, Level 4, Royal Automobile Club Australia, 89 Macquarie Street, Sydney

Please allow 5 mins for registration at front door.

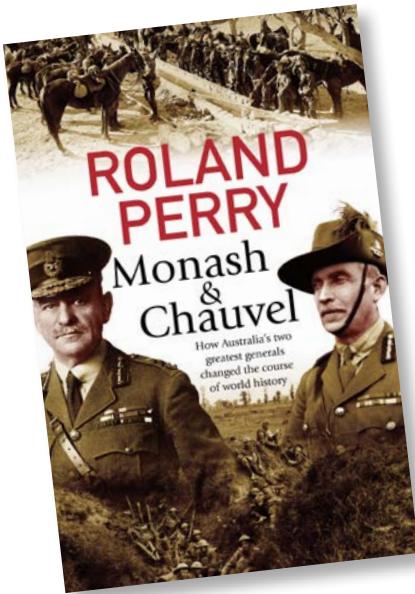
We would appreciate your assistance with a donation of \$20 per person to cover the RACA room hire charges. Each donation includes a SMC Supporters Medallion which you will be presented on the day.

Donations will be collected on arrival.

Programme:

- Formal marching in of flags and standards
- Brigadier Neale Bavington RFD ED, Chairman Reserve Forces Day Council Victoria and member of Victorian SMC - "Life Saver Extraordinaire".
- Colonel Jeff Dunn OAM RFD ED, Chairman Reserve Forces Day Council Northern Territory - "What the soldiers thought of General Sir John Monash".
- Senator Bridget McKenzie, National Senator for Victoria.
- The Hon Matt Thistlethwaite MP, ALP Member for Kingsford Smith.
- The Hon Tim Fischer AC - "Jerilderie Proposition: The case for Field Marshal Sir John Monash". Progress report for Saluting Monash Council.
- Professor Roland Perry OAM introduces "Monash & Chauvel"
- The Hon Tim Fischer AC launches "Monash & Chauvel"

Morning tea break: Raffle draw and opportunity to purchase a personally signed copy of "Monash & Chauvel" by the author. This book makes a great christmas present. Eftpos is available.



The Hon Tim Fischer AC

Formerly, an Infantry Officer in the 1st Battalion Royal Australian Regiment serving in Vietnam, Member of the NSW Parliament and Deputy Prime Minister serving with the Prime Minister, Hon John Howard MP.

From 2008 to 2012 Tim was the first Rome Resident Australian Ambassador to the Holy See.

RSVP: by Wednesday 22nd November, 2017 Dress: Serving Members: Ceremonial (no sword)

Lounge Suit/Jacket & Tie with Decorations & Medals.

Email: iemeek18@bigpond.net.au or mail completed form below

Ladies and supporters: As appropriate.

For further information, please contact Ian Meek on (02) 9451 7636 or visit www.monash4fieldmarshal.org.au



PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN BY FRIDAY 22ND NOVEMBER, 2017

Mail to: Ian Meek, Saluting Monash Council, 18 Everton Road, Belrose NSW 2085 or scan the completed form and email to: iemeek18@bigpond.net.au

The following people will be attending the Official Book Launch of *Monash and Chauvel* on Sunday 26th November, 2017.

YOUR DETAILS

Rank / Mr / Mr s/ Ms

Given Name

Surname & Post Nominals

Phone (day)

Phone (night)

Email

YOUR GUEST'S DETAILS

Rank / Mr / Mr s/ Ms

Given Name

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