



## REGIONAL SUPPORT GROUP DATES 2017

### BENDIGO

Held at 27 Myrtle Street, Bendigo

2.00 – 4.00pm

For **Adult Adopted Persons Only**: (Adoptees 18 years and over)

**11<sup>th</sup> February, 8<sup>th</sup> April, 10<sup>th</sup> June, 12<sup>th</sup> August, 14<sup>th</sup> October, 9<sup>th</sup> December**

For **Mothers Only**: (also referred to as Natural Mothers)

**11<sup>th</sup> March, 13<sup>th</sup> May, 8<sup>th</sup> July, 9<sup>th</sup> September, 11<sup>th</sup> November**

### TRARALGON

Held at Traralgon Neighbourhood Learning House, 11/13 Breed Street, Traralgon

2.00 – 4.00pm

**Mixed Group**: (for Adopted Persons, Natural Parents and Adoptive Parents)

**18<sup>th</sup> February, 20<sup>th</sup> May, 19<sup>th</sup> August, 18<sup>th</sup> November**

For **Mothers Only**: (also referred to as Natural Mothers) – facilitated by ARMS Vic

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**April (Contact VANISH for further information), 15<sup>th</sup> July, 21<sup>st</sup> October**

### ALBURY-WODONGA

Held at Glen Echo Neighbourhood House, 949 Burrows Road, Glenroy, Albury

10.30am – 12.30pm

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## **BALLARAT**

Held at Eastwood Leisure Complex, 20 Eastwood Street, Ballarat

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**Mixed Group**: (for Adopted Persons, Natural Parents and Adoptive Parents)

**22<sup>nd</sup> April, 15<sup>th</sup> July, 21<sup>st</sup> October**

## **MILDURA**

Held at Sunraysia Disability Resource Centre, 159 Langtree Avenue, Mildura

**2.00 – 4.00pm**

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## **FORGOTTEN AUSTRALIAN'S SOCIAL & SUPPORT GROUP**

There are 12 Social and Support Groups (S&SGs) throughout Victoria.

These groups meet monthly

**Check the website for support groups in your area plus other activities**

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