

Media Release

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MAGGIE BEER FOUNDATION'S 'CREATING AN APPETITE FOR LIFE' EDUCATION PROGRAM RETURNS TO THE BAROSSA VALLEY

The Maggie Beer Foundation's pioneering program, Creating An Appetite for Life, returns to where it all began, on Maggie's home ground in the beautiful Barossa Valley, from Sunday 20 - Tuesday 22 August, 2017.

Once again, Maggie Beer Foundation is sending out an invitation to passionate aged care cooks and chefs to engage in an Education Program that has proven the strength of its impact with participants around the country. Because Maggie has limited the program to only 30 cooks and chefs, this is very much a hands-on experience for everyone taking part; a chance to ask as many questions as you have pop into your head, trouble-shoot the stumbling blocks of cooking in aged care homes, put some fresh thinking around nutritious ingredients, food budgeting, supplier relationships, aged care specific recipes, menus and dining room management.

As always, Maggie has pulled together her A-Team to ensure important ground is covered in a most delicious manner. Amongst the leading experts joining Maggie for the presentations, will be Peter Morgan-Jones, well known to many in his role as HammondCare's Executive Chef. Peter will be discussing texture modified foods and cooking for those with dementia, along with information from specialised aged care dieticians and food safety experts.

All work and no play is far from Maggie's ideal learning environment, so in true Barossa style, she has organised a beautiful home cooked dinner for the night participants arrive in the Valley. That might just be reason alone to make sure you're on the list!

Please note that tickets are based on a 'first in best fed' policy, and are only for those who fulfil the criteria of a chef or cook in aged care, Australia-wide. Maggie Beer Foundation is particularly excited to announce a generous offer of 10 fully paid scholarships supported by the IOOF Foundation.

CEO and managers in aged care will also be invited to attend a special workshop on Wednesday 23 August in Adelaide.

WHEN: SUNDAY 20 (WELCOME EVENING), MONDAY 21 AND TUESDAY 22 AUGUST 2017

WHERE: BAROSSA VALLEY, SOUTH AUSTRALIA

PRICE: \$2,530.00 (INCLUDES ALL FEES AND GST)

INCLUDES ACCOMMODATION IN THE BAROSSA, BAROSSA ON-GROUND TRANSFERS, MEALS AND THE PROGRAM

[TICKET SALES OPEN: JUNE 2ND, 2017](#)

TICKET SALES CLOSE: JULY 3RD, 2017

SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP POSITIONS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY 10 JULY, 2017.

Media invited to attend – please contact Stephanie Busch, Marketing Executive –
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