

The 29th Greek Festival of Sydney proudly presents

'Wisdom in the Information Age'

'Wisdom in the Information Age' on 14th April has sold out! By popular demand new night announced -Thursday 28th April.

Philosophy Night at Ithaka Kafeneion, presented by Edward Spence.

After a few years absence from the Greek Festival program Edward Spence returns for a Philosophy night where he will talk about the origins and sources of Wisdom in ancient Greece and its contemporary relevance in the Information Age.

A performance of Edward's play Wise After the Fact accompanies the presen-



tation, exploring the relationship between wisdom, the Internet and happiness. Lively discussion will follow. A Platonic symposium of sumptuous Greek mezedes provides the setting.

Play directed by Raymond Harding, School of Communication and Creative

Industries, Charles Sturt University

Performers: Edward Spence, Centre for Applied Philosophy and Public Ethics, Charles Sturt University, Kathryn Koromilas as Ms Wise and Brendan Strobl as Mr Google.

date: Thu 14 April

time: 6.30pm

venue: Ithaka Kafeneion

13/24-30 Springfield Avenue (above Harris Farm Market)

Potts Point 2011

cost: \$35 includes Greek mezedes and entertainment

bookings essential: 02 8065 5209



Human Services Portfolio Easter and ANZAC Day arrangements

Human Services Portfolio General Manager, Hank Jongen, announced Centrelink, Medicare Australia and the Child Support Agency (CSA) have made special arrangements to ensure customers are not inconvenienced over the Easter period and ANZAC Day.

Mr Jongen said all Centrelink, Medicare and CSA offices will be closed from Friday 22 April to Tuesday 26 April. Tasmanian offices are the exception, and will be open on Tuesday 26 April.

The Centrelink, Medicare, and CSA general enquiry phone lines will also be closed during the holiday period. However, Australia's critical public and health provider services phone lines will remain open.

Online services will be available for Medicare and CSA customers. Centrelink online and phone self service will be unavailable from Friday 22 April to Monday 25 April. Mr Jongen said Centrelink customers who are due to receive a payment on a public holiday and don't need to report will be paid early to ensure their payment is not delayed. "Centrelink does not want to disrupt customers' regular budgeting patterns, so early payments will be made as close to the normal payment day as possible," Mr Jongen said. "It's important that customers understand this is not an extra payment - it's their normal payment, which will not be paid again until their next usual payday."

Mr Jongen also urged Centrelink customers who needed to lodge forms or report earnings to receive a payment to check their dates. "It's important for customers to check their reporting dates as it may be earlier than usual," Mr Jongen.

"Customers can check the reporting dates on their reporting statement, or by using on-line services or phone self service.

"As the form covers the normal assessment period, customers will need to include an estimate of their earnings for the full period. "Customers may choose to return their form after the end of the assessment period to make sure they provide correct details of their earnings. However, their payment will be delayed."

For more information about the Human Services Portfolio arrangements over Easter and ANZAC Day, visit

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www.medicareaustralia.gov.au,
and www.csa.gov.au.

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