

Capital Region BEC online Newsletter April 2005.

With ANZAC day nearly upon us, here are some business functions you may find valuable

2005 Budget Breakfast – at the Great Hall, Parliament House.

Hear the Hon Mal Brough MP (Minister for Revenue and Assistant Treasurer), Senator Nick Sherry (Shadow Minister for Finance and Superannuation) and Robert Gottliebsen (National Business Commentator) with Peter Leonard (as Master of Ceremonies) comment of this years Federal Budget and how it effect your business.

For further details and cost please follow the link:

<http://www.crbec.com.au/Breakfasts/Budget%20Breakfast/Budget%20Breakfast.htm>

“Smarts On Toast” – breakfast expo.

The Capital Region BEC presents an informative breakfast designed to assist innovative businesses navigate the intellectual property maze and assess sources of potential funding.

Hear expert advice from AusIndustry, IP Law specialist Davies Collison and Sylvia Tulloch, of local solar cell manufacturing success. Dyesol (owners of over 60 patents), will illustrate how appropriate IP protection can build your business.

For further details please follow the link :

<http://www.crbec.com.au/May%2005%20Breakfast%20Invite.htm>

This breakfast is part of the 2005 ICAN Festival. Canberra’s ideas & innovation festival May 2-15 2005. www.icanfestival.com.au

FREE Intellectual Property consultations.

Specialist IP law firm Davies Collison Cave will be offering free, confidential 20 minute IP consultations on May 3 at the Capital Region BEC. Please phone Fiona on 62973121 or Email admin@crbec.com.au to take up this offer as bookings for these consultations are essential.

Pricing and Costing – free CD from DSRD.

The NSW Department of State and Regional Development has produced a CD called 'Pricing and Costing' – managing for a profitable business.

Some of the topics covered are: What is cost structure, How are prices determined?, What is break-even point?, How does profit differ from cash flow?

We still have a few of these excellent CD's available. So email Fiona at the Capital Region BEC at admin@crbec.com.au and she will post you your free copy.

Visit the Capital Region BEC Website www.crbec.com.au for further items of interest to your business this month.