

## **‘Showcasing Women in Business’ Invitation**

**SEBN 2010 Breakfast Series**

### **‘A View of Success’**

**Dr Judith Slocombe**

**CEO – The Alannah and Madeline Foundation**

Dr Judith Slocombe is a remarkable woman. Her career spans many roles - veterinarian, entrepreneur, business owner, senior manager within a large corporate, director on a number of Boards and now CEO of The Alannah and Madeline Foundation!

In 2001 Judith received Australia’s most prestigious award for women in business: the Telstra Australian Business Woman of the Year. Judith graduated with an MBA from the Melbourne Business School in 2002 and in 2003 was awarded the Centenary Medal.

In 2005 Judith was appointed CEO of The Alannah and Madeline Foundation, where she has been able to apply her business skills to make a difference by caring for children who are victims of serious violence and who are often from disadvantaged situations where they suffer abuse, neglect or poverty. This children’s charity is a natural fit for Judith who is a mother of *nine* children of her own.

Judith practiced as a veterinarian both in Australia and the UK, then established her own veterinary diagnostic laboratory service working from home. Her business grew to be the largest veterinary diagnostic group in Australasia. In 2001 she sold the business and has since held a number of senior executive roles including managing a major medical pathology business operating in Australia and overseas, with a budget of over \$250m, more than 2500 staff and with laboratories throughout Australia, New Zealand, Malaysia, India and Singapore.

Judith also holds a portfolio of directorships, including Open Universities Australia, Agriculture Victoria Services, Bernard O’Brien Institute of Microsurgery, South East Water Limited, and is Chairman of the Lort Smith Animal Hospital.

Join us – and bring your colleagues – and enjoy a special morning with this extraordinary woman in business who still manages work-life balance!

**Friday 19 March 2010**

**Breakfast: 7.15 (for 7.30) – 9.00am**

***Sandown Racecourse (Committee Room)***

**Enter at Gate 15, Sandown Road off Springvale Road, Springvale or off Princes Highway, Noble Park. (Melways: Map 80 C10)**

**Cost: BREAKFAST \$45.00pp (inc GST)**

*(Corporate table of 10: \$400.00)*

**RSVP: Monday 15 March 2010**

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Please complete and return to:

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**Registration Form : 19 March 2010**

**Tax Invoice / Receipt - ABN: 41 205 538 060**

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I / we will be attending the **Showcasing WIB Breakfast Series** 'A View of Success' on **Friday, 19 March 2010** at Sandown Racecourse.

Enclosed is a cheque/credit card details for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the following attendees at \$45.00 pp inc GST. (Please make cheques payable to *City of Greater Dandenong*).

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