## **HMA Events Calendar 2025 (1 March to 30 June)**

MONTH	DATE/TIME	LOCATION	EVENTS
March	<b>Mon, 3 Mar</b> (9 am – 3:30 pm)	Australian Hearing Hub 16 University Ave, NSW 2109	2025 World Hearing Day –  "Changing Mindsets: Empower yourself to make ear and hearing care a reality for all!"  Welcome everyone to participate in the activities on the day. There will be lots of exciting events and exhibits. Full program is available HERE (bit.ly/WHD2025) and register HERE (https://event.mq.edu.au/whd25/registration/Site/Register) to participate!
March	<b>Tues, 11 Mar</b> (9:30 am – 12 pm)	Shepherds Bay Community Centre 3A Bay Drive, Meadowbank NSW 2114	Outreach Program: Relationships Australia NSW – Meadowbank Grandparents Chinese Group Help Desk Peer Support Session on hearing loss awareness and hearing loss management tips available in English, Mandarin, and Cantonese.
March	<b>Wed, 12 Mar</b> (10 am – 12 pm)	Turramurra Uniting Church 10 Turramurra Ave, Turramurra, NSW 2074	Outreach Program: Ku-ring-gai Seniors Festival – Everything for Seniors Day  HMA will have a table at the seniors' festival to provide information and peer support about hearing health and hearing loss management.
March	<b>Tues, 25 Mar</b> (10am – 12pm)	HMA Office Ground Floor, Suite 650, Australian Hearing Hub, 16 University Ave NSW 2109	Café and Chat RSVP*  Guest Speaker: Pat Fulton, HMA Committee member will talk about challenges that people with hearing loss face in an aged care facility, discuss self-help tips and things can be easily done to support aged care residents.
April	<b>Tues, 29 Apr</b> (10am – 12pm)	HMA Office Ground Floor, Suite 650, Australian Hearing Hub, 16 University Ave NSW 2109	Peer Support Open Day – Technology Session RSVP* Theme: Alerts and Alarms for daily living, including hands-on tips and demonstrations. Guest speaker: Andrew Stewart from Hearing Connections, HMA Life Member and Libby Harricks Achievement Awardee
May	<b>Wed, 21 May</b> (10am – 12pm)	HMA Office Ground Floor, Suite 650, Australian Hearing Hub, 16 University Ave NSW 2109	Café and Chat RSVP*  Guest Speaker: Professor Philip Newall, HMA Committee member will share his experience about Hearing Therapists in the UK. Hearing Therapists provided advice and counselling, habilitation and support for adults and children who have a hearing loss.
June	<b>Wed, 25 Jun</b> (10am - 12pm)	HMA Office Ground Floor, Suite 650, Australian Hearing Hub, 16 University Ave NSW 2109	Café and Chat RSVP*  Guest Speaker: Dr. William Martens, a perceptual psychologist, cochlear implant (CI) recipient, HMA Committee member, and Senior Research Scientist from NAL, will share his lived experience and interesting highlights from his past and current hearing research in relation to hearing matters and hearing health.

**RSVP\* event:** please RSVP your attendance at least three days in advance at admin@hearingmattersaustralia.org or 0477 785 525 to assist us in making seating and catering arrangements. If you are interested in volunteering at our events, please reach out for more details.