

## The Network is supported by VALID

VALID supports people with intellectual disability to speak up (that is, self-advocate) about their choices, needs and issues.

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## Self Advocacy Network

*'Strengthening our Voices'*



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**Eastern**

## Aims of the Network

- To speak up about our rights
- Assist members to develop & use their advocacy skills
- Assist members to learn new things and gain information
- To meet new people and socialise with participants from other services
- Provide a Network that the Department of Health and Humans Services & other key bodies can talk to about participant issues



## Who can Join?

The Eastern Network is open to participants from Day Programs and Accommodation Services in the Eastern Metropolitan Division.



## Meetings

Meetings are usually held on the **third Monday of the month** at the



**Maroondah Federation Estate (Room 1)**  
32 Greenwood Avenue  
Ringwood

**Time: 10.30am – 11.45am**



## Support with transport

Support can be provided with the cost of taxis. Contact us about this on **(03) 9416 4003**.



## Dates for 2020

Feb 17 <sup>th</sup>	Jul 20 <sup>th</sup>
Mar 16 <sup>th</sup>	Aug 17 <sup>th</sup>
Apr 20 <sup>th</sup>	Sep 21 <sup>st</sup>
May 18 <sup>th</sup>	Oct 19 <sup>th</sup>
Jun 15 <sup>th</sup>	Nov 16 <sup>th</sup>
Dec 7 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Break Up

