



30 December 2016

Dear Supporter of Dai Loong

**INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE  
2017 CHINESE NEW YEAR & MOOMBA PARADES**

We would like to invite you, your family and friends to participate in the 2017 Chinese New Year and Moomba Parades. The times and dates are:

Event:	<b>Chinese New Year</b>	<b>Moomba Parade</b>
Date:	<b>Sunday, 29 January 2017</b>	<b>Monday, 13 March 2017</b>
Time:	<b>8.45 a.m. SHARP</b>	<b>8.00 a.m. SHARP</b>

**Male** Participants to change into uniforms at ***Punt Hill Apartments in Cohen Place***, opposite the Museum in the meeting room on the Ground Floor. Must be changed and assigned position by 9.15 a.m. for the Chinese New Year Parade and 8.15 a.m. for the Moomba Parade.

**Ladies** to change on ***Level 2 at the Chinese Museum in Cohen Place***.

**Eligibility:**

Due to the Association being required to have "a duty of care" to its Participants, it restricts participation to:

- Boys & girls over 12 years to carry weapons, banners and lanterns;
- Boys & men over 16 years old to be the 'Legs' of the Dragon;
- Or if the Committee's Representatives, in their judgement, deem any applicant unsuitable to participate.

**Uniforms:**

All uniforms will be issued to all Participants (except footwear).

Please come wearing **white** runners.

**Lunch:**

Lunch will be provided free of charge to **Participants only** after the parade. Should your partners, parents or friends wish to join you in the meal, a subsidised charge of \$10.00 is payable.

We look forward to seeing you then!

Miss Eng Lim, President (Tel: 0418 589 778)  
& The Management Committee  
Melbourne Dai Loong Association Inc.

**After the Parade and your lunch, do stay back and participate in the various fun competitions that we have organised, e.g., Chicken & Chicks Painting, Chicken Eating, Dumpling Eating, Egg Eating, Egg Painting, Fortune Cookies Guessing Game, Mothers & Babies Pictures and Waitpersons' Race. Great prizes to be won!**

***We wish you a Happy New Year / Gong Xi Fa Cai / Kung Hei Fatt Choy***