

# Families Getting NDIS Ready

**A free workshop for families to kick-start their NDIS preparation and make the most of the NDIS for their family member with disability**

Hear from a parent and a participant about their NDIS journey

Find out how and why they self manage NDIS supports

Explore strategies for creative planning

Ask your questions of an NDIS representative

Learn tools for advocacy in a changing support environment



**Bomaderry**

**Wednesday 24 May 2017**

**Bomaderry Bowling Club**

**Wollongong**

**Thursday 25 May 2017**

**Sage Hotel**

**Miranda**

**Friday 26 May 2017**

**Diggers Miranda RSL**

To register call **1800 774 764**  
or email **[info@resourcingfamilies.org.au](mailto:info@resourcingfamilies.org.au)**

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**9:30 AM - 2:00 PM**

**Registrations from 9:00 AM - morning tea and light lunch provided**

**Jan and Jack Kruger** are from the ACT where Jack is a participant in the NDIS. Jack's family have always had a vision that Jack would lead a typical life in the community full of the opportunities and experiences that his older sisters have. Jack is now 14 and eager to share what is happening in his life around the things that matter to him.

Jan is the Director and cofounder of [Imagine More](#), a family led organisation based in Canberra that aims to strengthen family leadership and advocacy for people with a disability to get the good things in life.

Jan and her family view the NDIS as a means to an end. Paid support is welcome and needed for some things but only if it facilitates Jack's continuous development, community connections and valued social roles at home, school and in the community. Jack's family self manage his NDIS supports to maximise the goals they have for a meaningful, valued and fully inclusive life.



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**Family Advocacy** is an independent and impartial advocacy organisation that works with families across NSW to promote and defend the rights and interests of people who have a developmental disability\*. Our aim is to achieve positive social roles for people with disability through the development of advocacy by families and by strengthening the knowledge, role and influence of the family.

**Resourcing Families** is an initiative of Family Advocacy that works with families who have a family member with developmental disability\*. We provide information, ideas and resources about developing a positive vision, building informal supports, establishing networks, creating community connections and self directing supports.

\*Developmental disability includes but is not limited to: autism, intellectual disability, cerebral palsy, spina bifida and multiple disability.

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