

*NEUROSURGICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION*  
*Neurosurgical Research Awareness Month - April 2004*  
*NRF Celebrates 40 years in 2004*  
*The April Appeal and What's On and how you can help!*

**The Appeal:** **Neurosurgical Research Awareness Month April 2004 - National**  
Neurosurgical disorders affect many people in all walks of life and in all ages, young and old; tomorrow it could be your life saved or your loved ones. This is why we hold annually a Neurosurgical Research Awareness Month (NRAM) to raise the awareness of neurosurgical disorders and to raise funds for the Neurosurgical Research Foundation (NRF) to continue funding life saving neurosurgical research specifically into brain injury and brain disease. The objective of the NRF is directed towards research into the cause, diagnosis, prevention and treatment of disease or malfunction of the brain, spine and nervous system.

*Every Medical Wonder is the result of Medical Research*

*The Events:*

**April 2004:** **Neurosurgical Research Awareness Display in the Adelaide South Australian Museum. Open during Museum opening times.**

The NRF established and working from Adelaide, for 40 years, funds National breakthrough research in Neurosurgery. The display highlights the Research funded by the NRF since 1963 and the major developments in Neurosurgical practices as a result of this research. Especially highlighting the numerous lives saved today because of these developments.

**FRIDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> April:** **NRF 40<sup>th</sup> Gala Celebration Dinner** **Adelaide**

Venue: ASO Grainger Studios – Generously Donated Time: 7pm,  
Ticket Cost: \$99.00 inc.GST, Ticket includes: Entertainment: etypejazz  
Catering: Ayers House – 3 Course Meal plus Drinks: sparkling wine, wine and beer.

**April 2004:** **Favourites for the NRF Foundation** **National**

We are calling on all companies, organisations, and schools throughout Australia to make a difference and save lives now. It's easy; host a "Favourites" Casual Day, or have a "Favourites" Morning Tea and take a Gold Coin Collection. Register now for April or support the NRF any time during 2004.

**EASTER 2004:** **Easter Road Safety Campaign** **National**

Peter Brock, AM Vice Patron.

Collisions are responsible for more than 50% of head injuries. The impact upon families, friend and relatives can be devastating. I implore you, as drivers and road users to consider the consequences and slow down. The message is that no one is exempt, it can happen to any one.

**THURSDAY 8<sup>th</sup> April:** **City Collection Day– VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**  
**Donate your cash or your time!** **Adelaide**

The NRF are holding their city collection day. We are looking for people to volunteer and come out and collect in Adelaide. It is fun! If you can just spare a couple hours. Don't forget to donate on the day. Or why not order a collection tin for your work.

**To Book or Register for any of the above Events please contact:**

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