

**COPY OF EMAIL SENT 1/05/21 AT 3.30PM TO CONTACT EMAIL FOR THOSE WHO REGISTERED FOR NYLD PERTH 2021.**

Dear <Name>,

After having to postpone the National Young Leaders Day last week, we are pleased to confirm that it will now be held on **TUESDAY 18th MAY**.

To keep it simple, you do not need to re-register or contact us. Your registration for the original date is automatically carried over to the new date.

**What next?**

- Please confirm that you have received this date notification by adding your school name to our list [CLICK HERE](#).
- You can download an updated copy of the excursion info sheet with the new date listed [CLICK HERE](#).

**What if our school cannot come to the rescheduled date?**

It is an enormous undertaking for us to hold the postponed alternative so we genuinely hope that your school can join us. We respectfully ask that you reconsider any requests for refunds. Halogen is a tiny organisation with no paid staff members and we receive no government funding or assistance. Because the original date was cancelled by the government with less than 24 hours notice we incurred thousands of dollars in costs having our team travel to Perth and pre-paying many of the event expenses which won't be refunded to us. We already know that we will need to pay many of these costs all over again so holding this event will cost much more than originally planned. If we also need to issue refunds to some schools then it may be impossible for our tiny organisation to survive. Premier Mark McGowan indicated (in a media conference on 29th April 2021) that the government would soon announce a financial relief program for organisations who suffered financially from the effects of the recently imposed restrictions. If your school wishes to seek compensation then you may be eligible to apply for this assistance program directly to the WA Government, but no details of eligibility or application process have been advised as yet.

We understand that some schools may still have questions. Please understand that in most cases we do not have answers, because this situation is forced on us like it is on you, with little communication. Naturally we want to be helpful, so will respond to all email enquiries in a timely manner (our office phone is unattended at this time).

Thanks for your understanding and cooperation. It is our sincere hope that we can provide your students with the amazing experience that we had originally planned.

Regards,

Rachel Leggott

Registrations Team  
**Halogen Australia**