



## T.O.S. news

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### Dates for your diary

All interested people are invited to attend the **planning meetings** which are held quarterly from 10.00 to 11:30 am in the T.S. rooms. Remaining meeting dates in 2017 are:

- Saturday 2 September and
- Saturday 2 December (AGM).

### Donations for this financial year

The Brisbane TOS has provided the following donations, totaling \$7,650, to support TOS projects internationally and locally.

- \$2,000 for the Syrian Refugee Program conducted by the TOS in Italy
- \$1,100 for our literacy home-school in Pakistan
- \$300 for two Pakistan Educational Sponsorships
- \$1,000 for the Golden Link College in the Philippines, via the TOS in America to gain the Kern Foundation matching grant
- \$750 for the Assam TOS's mobility aids project
- \$750 for the Olcott Memorial School Trust Fund
- \$750 for the Animal Dispensary in Adyar
- \$700 to *Bushkids*, Queensland for its programs to support rural families
- \$300 to the Red Cross Queensland Refugee Program

### Thank you for supporting our fundraising for local refugee programs

The social afternoon of book browsing in June to benefit local refugees was most enjoyable. The Annerley Community Bookshop is a warm and welcoming place with comfortable

seating and a wealth of fascinating books to browse through.

The funds raised were donated to the Queensland Red Cross's program that provides advocacy, counselling, English classes, practical help with accommodation and support through matched volunteers with adjusting to Australian life.



### Dates for your diaries to support our Altruistic Projects

#### Concert to benefit the Home-schools in Pakistan .....

Sunday 17 September at 2:30 pm.

See the advertisement below for details.

#### Concert to benefit the Golden Link College .....

Sunday 5 November at 2:30 pm.

The Golden Link College was established by the TOS in the Philippines to provide an education, based on theosophical principles, for disadvantaged children from the slums of Manila.



You are invited to

## Music for Sunday Afternoon



We are delighted to present the newly formed ROMALEA TRIO in their debut concert. Experience three of the finest Brisbane musicians with a program of Beethoven, Haydn and more:

Margaret Connolly – Violin  
Robert Manley – Cello, Piano and Recorder  
Leanne Warne – Piano

**When:** Sunday 17 September at 2:30 pm

**Where:** The Theosophical Society Auditorium, 355 Wickham Tce., Brisbane

**Cost:** Adults: \$25, concession \$20 (afternoon tea included)

**Tickets:** available from TOS members and at the door