



## 'Our leaders of tomorrow'

This official photograph was taken in the Speaker's Garden of NSW Parliament House and commemorates last week's Visit of Ryde's Young Leaders.

Ryde MP Victor Dominello (right) said he was honoured to welcome the Young Leaders from Eastwood Heights, Kent Road and St Anthony's Primary schools to Australia's oldest Parliament and to the Legislative Assembly where he was their host MP.

The students were accompanied by their families and their school principals on a tour of Parliament House and Mr Dominello said a highlight was watching Question Time from the public gallery.

The group then joined Mr Dominello MP in the Speaker's Garden for afternoon tea where the students were recognised for their leadership roles.

"These young people are our leaders of tomorrow ... and we must recognise and assist with their development as much as we can."

Ryde student leaders presented with Leadership Certificates were Isabella Ross, Joshua Dodsworth, Ophelia Phraphone, Riku Kojo, Montarna Caudell-Preedy, Yeomin Jung, Won Choi, Jesika McLeod, Ashleigh Thomson, Matthew Fu, Alex Swanson and Laetitia Mooney

## Grandparents' Day launch

Grandparents are the unsung heroes in TWT territory and Ryde MP Victor Dominello said the inaugural Grandparents' Day on Sunday, May 30 is the time to tell grandparents how much we appreciate them.

The creation of Grandparents' Day is an initiative of the new State Government which hopes it will prove popular and take its place alongside Mother's Day and Father's Day.

"This is an opportunity to recognise all the hard work grandparents do for their families," Mr Dominello said.

The NSW Government has committed \$1 million to promote Grandparents' Day which also recognises their economic contribution to the community.

"The role of grandparents are now more varied and diverse than ever before, with an increasing number acting as full-time carers for loved ones," Mr Dominello said.

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