



# LIBERATION PRISON PROJECT

*Open Day Saturday 10 February 2018, 10am - 4pm*

**10:30**

Our MC for the Day Tracy Mann - Australian Actress  
Welcome to Country  
Welcome to the Liberation Exhibition of Prisoner Artwork and Poetry with Ven. Thubten Chökyi  
- Buddhist Nun & Director of Liberation Prison Project  
My Orphan Experience with Gyalten Drolkar - LPP Mentor  
Live Musical Interlude

**11:30**

**POETRY READING**

Reading by Robert Adamson, Australian Poet & First CAL Chair of Poetry at University of Technology Sydney.

**12:00**

**REFRESHMENTS & EXHIBITION VIEWING**

**13:00**

**FILM SCREENING**

THE DHAMMA BROTHERS (76 mins) tells a dramatic tale of human potential and transformation as it closely documents the stories of a group of prison inmates who enter into an intensive 10-day silent meditation program. This inspiring film challenges assumptions about the nature of prisons as places of punishment rather than rehabilitation and raises the question: Is it possible for these men, some of whom have committed horrendous crimes, to change?

**14:30**

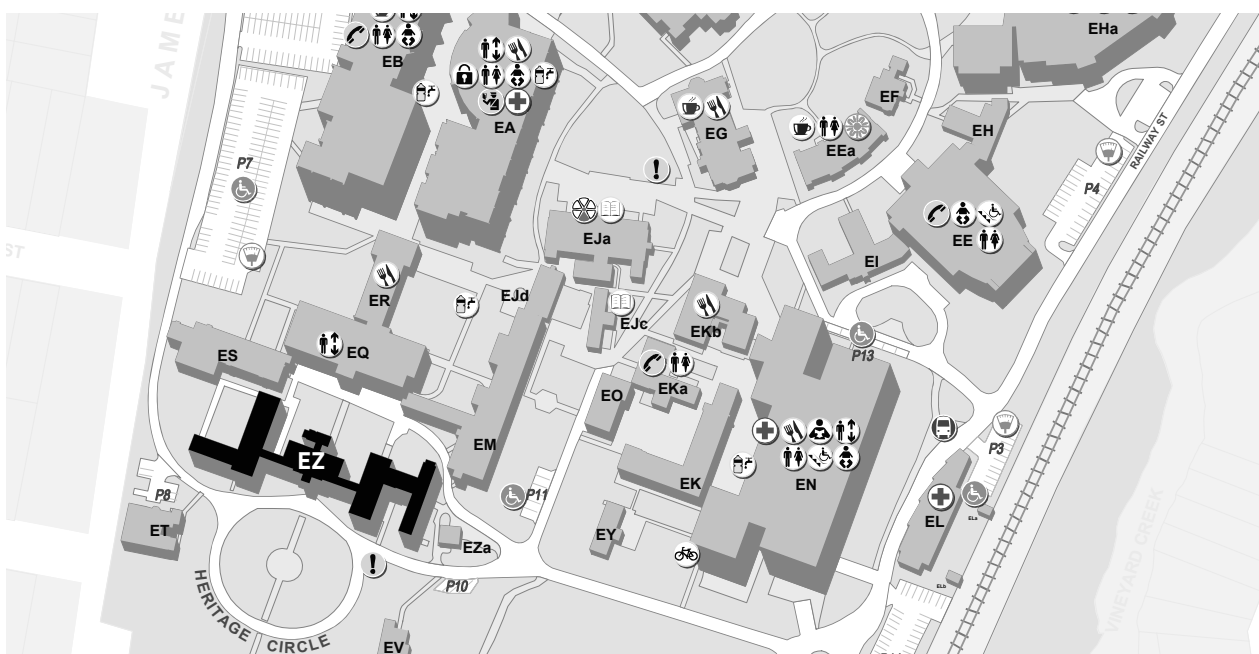
**Q&A - PRISONERS DOIN' IT FOR THEMSELVES**

A panel of post-release LPP students discuss the value of meditation inside the prison walls.

**GIFT STALL OPEN 10:00 - 16:00**

All proceeds from the sale of artwork go toward the important work of Liberation Prison Project.

*All events free of charge - Donations Welcome*



**WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY - PARRAMATTA SOUTH CAMPUS**

Margaret Whitlam Galleries, Female Orphan School Building EZ

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