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WHAT'S WRONG WITH ANZAC?

Wine & Cheese Talk @ Manning Clark House with Dr Marilyn Lake and Dr Sue Wareham

Thursday 14 April - 5.30pm - 7.30pm

Marilyn Lake is President of the Australian Historical Association and Charles La Trobe Professor in History at La Trobe University. Her most recent books include the prize-winning Drawing the Global Colour Line: White Men's Countries and the Question of Racial Equality and the controversial *What's Wrong with Anzac?* published in 2010 by UNSW Press. The book addressed the relentless militarization of Australian history and public culture in the last 15 years and asked about the implications for understanding Australian values and the national past.

Sue Wareham is a Canberra GP who has been very active in the Medical Association for Prevention of War, of which she is the immediate past president and currently ACT Coordinator. MAPW advocates for the abolition of all weapons of mass destruction and for the prevention of armed conflict. As the devastating costs of warfare – in human, environmental and economic terms –become ever more apparent, warfare becomes increasingly counter-productive in resolving the major threats we face. Meanwhile Australia's military spending rises, and militarism is promoted in a number of other ways in our society. Dr Wareham contributed significantly to MAPW's 2010 publication "Vision 2030: An alternative approach to Australian security".

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