

# FAMILY FIRST

Some things are worth fighting for

WA Family First Newsletter

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Hi.

As we are near to the call of the Federal election I thought I would resend the newsletter that went out over Christmas to again remind us how important FAMILY FIRST is at this time.

We are all about family, our seniors, safety, life, marriage, schooling, youth and employment. These issues are important to everyday Australians and our family life.

Please visit our website and get involved.

We are in challenging times and now is the time to stand up.

I am fighting for the things YOU believe in.



Linda Rose  
LEAD SENATE CANDIDATE WA



Are you a member of an organisation that might like to meet Linda and find out more about why Australia needs to get behind FAMILY FIRST?  
Call 0417 933 263

## Our policies in a nutshell

**Family** The health of family is a powerful barometer for the health of society. Strengthening, encouraging and promoting family life is at the very heart of what **Family First** stands for.

**Marriage** Marriage is exclusively between a man and a woman. At **Family First** we are committed to promoting and preserving marriage as the essential foundation of our nation.

**Life** The most basic human right is the right to life. In Australia this right is denied to the unborn. The right to life is also under threat for the aged and vulnerable with a growing chorus advocating for euthanasia.

**Housing** Home ownership is the principal means through which Australians take a tangible stake in the economic life of our nation. At **Family First** we are committed to keeping the Great Australian Dream alive.

**Schooling** Parents increasingly choose to send their children to schools that reflect the values that are important to them. At **Family First** we are committed to choice in education.

**Employment** People of all ages and abilities should have the opportunity to contribute to the economic life of our nation and to earn an income. We are committed to reducing barriers to entry to getting a job.

**Youth** Young Australians want their lives to have meaning. They are concerned about the way the world is headed and seek to make sense of the world. **Family First** offers hope and a belief in values.

The URGENT needs include:

- CANDIDATES in every Lower House seat - 15 in all
- POLLING BOOTH captains—get your friends to help
- BOOTH HELPERS—easy handing out HTV flyers. FUN!
- FINANCIAL SUPPORT—campaigns cost, every \$ helps.

*Will you help me get into the Senate?*

## FAMILY FIRST is making a difference

It's been another hectic year on the Federal political front and **FAMILY FIRST** has demonstrated the importance of sharing the balance of power. Shame the WA media doesn't tell us about it!

Did you know, for instance, that your party has introduced ten pieces of legislation into the parliament...

- Keeping Banks Accountable Bill 2009
- Removal of Excessive Super Bill 2009
- Easy Comparison of Grocery Prices Bill 2008
- Poker Machine Harm Minimisation Bill 2008
- Poker Machine Harm Reduction Tax Bill 2008
- Alcohol Toll Reduction Bill 2007
- Restoring Family Work Balance Bill 2007
- Fair Bank and Credit Card Fees Bill 2007
- Predatory Pricing Bill 2007
- Creeping Acquisitions 2007 Bill

**FAMILY FIRST has successfully negotiated wins on the following:**

- Jobs for the unemployed
- Slashing the alcohol toll [www.caan.adf.org.au/familyfirstbill.html](http://www.caan.adf.org.au/familyfirstbill.html)
- More money for pensioners
- Competitive grocery prices through unit pricing
- Protecting refugees' right
- Protecting our apple farmers
- Securing Gippsland farmers water rights

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Want to know more about FAMILY FIRST and our policies?  
Check out [www.familyfirst.org.au](http://www.familyfirst.org.au)