

NZ FORUM ON THE FAMILY



SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER
LYLE SHELTON

GALA CELEBRATION DINNER
Thursday 4th July 6.30pm – 9.30pm

Support the work of Family First and meet our international conference speakers over a sumptuous 3-course banquet dinner.

\$149 PER HEAD

PROTECTING THE NEXT GENERATION – 2024



CHLOE COLE (USA)

Chloe Cole (19) began transitioning to be a boy at 12 and detransitioned at 16 after having undergone treatment which included puberty blockers at 13, testosterone, and a

double mastectomy at age 15. She opposes gender-affirming care for minors and supports bans on such care. Chloe has lobbied with US politicians who are concerned with the effect of gender ideology on young people, and has appeared in the media supporting and advocating for such bans.

TOPIC: A Detransitioner Fights To Protect Her Generation



MELISSA OHDEN (USA)

Melissa is the survivor of a failed saline infusion abortion, and the author of the award winning book featuring her life story, "You Carried Me: A Daughter's Memoir" and

"Abortion Survivors Break Their Silence", released in January 2024. She is the Founder and Director of The Abortion Survivors Network, the only healing and advocacy organization for abortion survivors and their families worldwide. She has testified before Congressional committees numerous times.

TOPIC: Making Abortion Unthinkable



MAGGIE HAMILTON (AUSTRALIA)

Writer, researcher and story teller Maggie Hamilton is the author of "What Men Don't Talk About", "What's Happening to Our Girls?", "What's Happening to

Our Boys?" and "When We Become Strangers – How loneliness leaks into our lives, and what we can do about it". Her new book is "What Happens to Our Kids When We Fail to Grow Up? – How to equip ourselves for a better future". Maggie last spoke at the Forum on the Family in 2014 and is back by popular demand!

TOPIC: Understanding Youth Anxiety, Isolation & Entitlement



KATY FAUST (USA)

Katy Faust is founder and President of Them Before Us, a global movement defending the right of children to their mother and father. She publishes and speaks widely on why marriage and family

are matters of justice for children. In 2021 she co-wrote "Them Before Us: Why We Need a Global Children's Rights Movement". She has detailed her philosophy of worldview transmission in her latest book, "Raising Conservative Kids in a Woke City". She's a mum on a mission against the progressive overreach!

TOPIC: Why Redefining The Family Violates The Children's Rights



JONATHAN HAIDT (USA)

VIA ZOOM INTERVIEW

Dr Jonathan Haidt is a social psychologist at New York University's Stern School of Business. Haidt is the author of the New York Times bestsellers

"The Righteous Mind" (2012) and "The Coddling of the American Mind" (2018). Since 2018 he has been studying the contributions of social media to the decline of teen mental health and the rise of political dysfunction. His new book is "The Anxious Generation: How the Great Rewiring of Childhood is Causing an Epidemic of Mental Illness" (2024).

TOPIC: Overprotecting Children In The Real World. Underprotecting Them In The Virtual World

GALA DINNER SPEAKER



LYLE SHELTON (AUSTRALIA)

Lyle Shelton is National Director of the recently re-birthed Family First political party. He was previously head of the Australian Christian Lobby. During the 2017

same-sex marriage plebiscite he was spokesperson for the Coalition for Marriage. In 2016 his office in Canberra was car-bombed. In 2020, for warning Australian parents about drag queens being dangerous role models for children, Lyle was dragged before the Queensland Human Rights Commission under their anti-vilification laws. The case is ongoing. He is the author of "I Kid You Not – Notes from 20 Years in the Trenches of the Culture Wars".

TOPIC: Courage On The Frontlines

BRENDAN MALONE: LifeNET ALEX PENK: Ethos Alliance Other speakers to be announced

Register online at: ForumOnTheFamily.nz

WHAT

The 16th annual New Zealand **Forum on the Family** will bring together a national network of family-focused organisations, scholars, leaders and individuals who are part of a movement for social change to bring NZ to a point where families are strengthened, marriage is honoured, life is protected, and religious freedom is upheld.

WHERE

Due Drop Events Centre
770 Great South Rd, Manukau City

WHEN

GALA CELEBRATION DINNER:
Thursday 4th July 2024 6.30pm – 9.30pm

ALL-DAY CONFERENCE:
Friday 5th July 2024 8.45am – 4.30pm



REGISTRATION

Friday: All-day conference

\$99 Individual
\$175 Married couple
\$69 Special Student Rate (with ID)
Cost includes lunch and morning tea.

Thursday: Gala Celebration Dinner

\$149 per person
Cost includes 3-course banquet dinner. Cash bar.

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