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## **Snowy Hydro SouthCare Celebrates with the Canberra Aru Padai Murugan Temple**

On Sunday January 31, 2010 between 11am and 2pm the Indian and Sri Lankan Canberra community will be celebrating their Vegetarian Food Fair at the Canberra Aru Padai Murugan Temple and will be donating the proceeds to the Snowy Hydro SouthCare Rescue Helicopter.

The Snowy Hydro SouthCare Rescue Helicopter relies on community support to keep the helicopter in the air, savings lives and Canberran's are urged to support this local Vegetarian Food Fair . "The generous actions of the Canberra Aru Padai Murugan Temple are greatly appreciated with all proceeds from the day going directly to the helicopter, and directly saving lives" says Snowy Hydro SouthCare CEO Steve Gregory.

The Canberra Aru Padai Murugan Temple is one of Australia's largest traditional Hindu temples and has been constructed according to Agamas and Shastras. During the building of the temple holy materials were brought from other famous temples around the world to sanctify the temple. Guests will be treated to an array of traditional Indian and Sri Lankan vegetarian dishes – a great day out for the whole family.

"Our supporters come from all walks of life, all races and all religions. We are so very proud that the local Indian and Sri Lankan community has decided to get behind its local rescue helicopter service in such a tangible way" says Mr Gregory.

The Canberra Aru Padai Murugan Temple is located in Pearce and the entrance can be approached from either 89 Batchelor St or 151 Beasley Street.

For further information about the festival please head to the Snowy Hydro SouthCare Events page: [www.snowyhydrosouthcare.com.au](http://www.snowyhydrosouthcare.com.au) or contact Mano from the Canberra Aru Padai Murugan Temple on 0412 261 728.

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**NB: Please note that our full registered business name is Snowy Hydro SouthCare, please ensure you use the correct terminology when reporting. Many thanks.**

*The Snowy Hydro SouthCare Rescue Helicopter Service was established in 1998 as the primary provider of aero-medical and rescue helicopter services in the Australian Capital Territory and southeastern New South Wales. Call (02) 6205 1582 or visit [www.snowyhydrosouthcare.com.au](http://www.snowyhydrosouthcare.com.au) for more information.*