

## The world unites to protest for



# LYME DISEASE awareness





### Patients worldwide are raising awareness and protesting to highlight the following needs:

- Recognition that Lyme disease/borreliosis can lead to serious health problems
- Awareness that transmission of tick-borne pathogens via blood transfusion is of global concern
- Agreement that Lyme should be listed as a notifiable infection
- Education of the healthcare sector regarding the accurate diagnosis and effective treatment of Lyme and other tick-borne infections
- Funding for research into transmission, testing and treatment of tick-borne diseases

#### For more info on Lyme visit:

www.karlmcmanusfoundation.org.au www.lymedisease.org.au www.lymeaustralia.com

#### Countries participating:

Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Croatia, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom and United States.

#### For more information visit:

www.worldwidelymeprotestaustralia.weebly.com

#### Victoria

Melbourne:



Federation Square - on Flinders Street

Co-ordinators:

Sue McFarlane, David Trathen Keith Hooper, Beth Fleming

Awareness Event:

Manning a table in the square, chatting to the public and handing out Lyme awareness

brochures.

Live Music, face painting, and

other fun activities!

Date & Time:

Saturday 11th May, 2013

12.00 - 4.00pm



