



Victoria Branch Networking Event

PLAY DATE!

Ruffey Lake Park – Doncaster

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After a COVID enforced delay, the Victorian Branch held its first **Play Date** for 2022 (after a few years!) on 8 April at Ruffey Lake Park, Doncaster, hosted by Manningham Council. It was a great group of Play Australia Members including LGA colleagues and Industry Suppliers, who attended on a beautiful day for a walk and a talk, to discover this wonderful park.

Ruffey Lake Park is a very large regional park with three playspaces (two regional level), many walking and cycling trails, picnic areas and hills!

A unique feature is a *Disc Golf Course* that has been on trial for the last 10 years and will be redesigned and made permanent soon, as it has proved very popular. Participants on the **Play Date** were able to have a throw with some expert advice from one of our members Anthony from Melton Council, with a few near misses!

Look out for more information coming soon about the next networking opportunity for Victorian members to get together









