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ABOVE: Foundation Directors (Left to Right) Ted Graham (Chairman) Keith Rowe, Bob Trotter, Glenys McDonald and Patron Rear Admiral David Holthouse, RAN (Ret'd), and Crew HMAS Sydney IV

TIMELINE

19TH NOVEMBER 1941
HMAS SYDNEY II SUNK, 645 CREW LOST



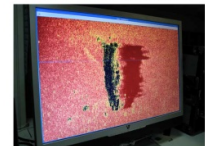
\$4.2M FUNDING AGREEMENT
OCTOBER 2007



SV GEOSOUNDER SAILS
FRI 29TH FEBRUARY 2008



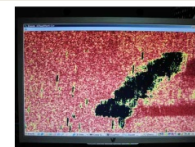
HMAS SYDNEY II FOUND
SUN 16TH MARCH 2008



HMAS SYDNEY II LAUNCHED
22ND SEP 1934



FINDING SYDNEY FOUNDATION
JULY 2001



HSK KORMORAN FOUND
WED 12TH MARCH 2008

WHAT COMES NEXT

- Vessel demobilisation of the Williamson Sonar Spread in progress
- Mobilisation of an ROV team and specialist deepwater camera and lighting equipment commenced
- SV Geosounder expected to depart Geraldton late Easter weekend
- Imagery of the HMAS Sydney II and HSK Kormoran expected late next week
- High Resolution Images available at <http://presspass.findingsydney.com> for registered media outlets

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