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Gladstone munitions factory explosion



Wednesday 9th April 7pm for 7:30pm

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On the 9th May 2006, a massive explosion at the munitions factory near the small town of Gladstone in South Australia's mid north claimed the life of three workers and injured two others. The blast levelled almost everything within a 100 metre radius and was heard up to 70km away. In 2010, the operators of the factory, Quin Investments was fined for breaching workplace safety law. Come and hear our three expert speakers give their first hand accounts of the challenges that the scene presented and the findings of the SafeWork SA investigation into the cause of the explosion.

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