

# Cardinia Primary Newsletter



## Newsletter No. 25

Thursday 17th August 2023

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## DATES TO REMEMBER



### TERM 3

#### August

Friday 18th	Artwork Fundraiser orders close
Tuesday 22nd	Transition Session 1 for Foundation 2024 students - 2:30pm - 3:30pm
Wednesday 23rd	Father's and Special Person's Day stall - Students to bring \$5 for gift
Thursday 24th	Art Show and Science Fair. 3:00pm - 6:00pm, gold coin donation
Friday 25th	Show Day and Talent Show - Free Dress day - more information on page 6
Tuesday 29th	District Athletics - Years 3-6
Wednesday 30th	School Council Meeting - 4pm in the staffroom

#### September

Friday 1st	Father's and Special Person's Day Breakfast - From 7am - Gold coin donation
Friday 1st	Footy/Sports dress up day - Gold coin donation
Thursday 14th	School Sleepover
Friday 15th	End of Term 3 - <b>1:30pm finish</b>

#### Other Dates

3rd November	Colour Fun Run
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### GRADE 6 FUNDRAISER

The Grade 6 students are raising money for their end of year celebration. To help with this they are running a raffle with a chance to win a jar of lollies. Tickets are \$1 each and will be sold in the BER during the break at 12.30pm this week and on Monday. Students are able to purchase multiple tickets. The raffle will be drawn on Monday at our assembly.

School Values:

Resilience

Respect

Working Together

Personal Best

Caring

# PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

17th August, 2023

Dear Parents and friends, you are an important part of our community. We value your thoughts about our school and use the information that you provide to improve, maintain, and further build the connections that we have between home and school. This relationship helps us to keep a safe and welcoming environment in which our students are learning.

Last week all parents were emailed an invitation to do our Parent Opinion Survey.

There is still time to complete this survey. We would love to hear from you.

## To complete the survey, simply:

1. Click on the link below, or copy and paste the text into your browser. This link will take you directly to the survey.

<https://www.orima.com.au/parent>

2. Select the School and Campus name below.

School Name: **Cardinia Primary School**

3. Enter the School PIN below. **242533**

Please keep checking XUNO and the newsletter for school updates.

What has been happening around our school?



This week we had a Curriculum Day on Monday.

The day was spent on the moderation and assessment of student writing. Teachers then continued the work that they were doing in group meetings after school.

Our Educational Support and Specialist Staff spent the morning with Tracie Jones and Allyson McDonald who are experienced teachers and behavioural coaches from the Student Outreach Service. They presented a number of strategies and ideas of how to make further adjustments to better support students at risk of disengagement from schooling. The diagram below shows some of the many different learning needs that were covered.



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## Other News

We are so excited. Our first Transition for Foundation 2024 is very soon. We are looking forward to welcoming them all to our Cardinia family on Tuesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of August at 2.30pm.

Each year since 1945 the CBCA has brought children and books together across Australia through Children's Book Week®. During this time schools and public libraries spend one glorious week celebrating books and Australian children's authors and illustrators.

This year's theme is **Read, Grow, Inspire**

Our classroom teachers will be celebrating this literature throughout the week. A number of books have been purchased to support this across the school. We also encourage you at home to share a book with your child this week that Inspires them or you.

Students and teachers have worked hard in visual arts this term to have inspired pieces ready for the Art and Science Show which is being held next Thursday night.

Students have worked with their buddies to put together side shows for their Show Day on Friday. This is a free dress day (costume is optional). They have also had the opportunity to audition for the talent quest.

## Something to try at home with your children.

### Read, Grow, Inspire



- Get them to write a letter to their favourite author, telling them why they love their book and ask them a question.
- Brainstorm together all the things you could do if you had a magic book that could transport you to new places.
- Choose a book that you both have enjoyed and design a new cover for it.
- Get them to pot or make their own plant and think of a magical tale that goes with it.

Trudie Esler  
Acting Principal



## From the Office

- ♦ **PERMISSION FORMS** - Please return any permission forms as soon as possible.
- ♦ **Meal Deal** - If your child is absent on any meal deal day, please let the office know by **10:00am** if you wish to organise a credit for the next meal deal.
- ♦ **Artwork Fundraiser** - Turn your child's art into gifts. Orders close Friday 18th August.



### FATHER'S DAY/SPECIAL PERSON'S DAY STALL



Our Father's and Special Person's Day stall will be held on **Wednesday 23rd August**. We have received some beautiful gifts for the children to shop for those special people in their lives. Nikita T is raring to go with her team to run the stall and we thank them for their support.

**A Gift will cost \$5.**

We will be running this as a stall so the children will be required to bring \$5 cash on the day and pay directly to the stall. The children enjoy this element of fun, as by bringing cash they feel like they are really shopping for their special person themselves.

### Father's and Special Person's Day at Cardinia Primary

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> September**

We welcome all Dads and Special People to join us for a bacon & egg rolls for breakfast! We will be open for business from 7.00am and we are asking for a gold coin donation for each item consumed.



In addition to this, the Junior School Council will be leading a footy kick competition down at the oval from 8:45am. Junior School Council will announce a winner for the longest kick at 9am.

After this you are all invited to see our footy/sports parade just after 9am.

### For the students:



To celebrate Footy/Sports Day on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> of September, all students are encouraged to wear any merchandise or colours of a sporting team they support, this could be a jersey, a scarf or even just dress in the colours of a team they support. Please bring along a gold coin for dressing up!

At assembly the following Monday (4<sup>th</sup> of September), a winner for the "Design a Jersey" competition will be announced for "Most Creative" and "Best Colouring" criteria.



## MEAL DEAL



# MEAL DEAL

Meal Deal for Friday 25th August, 2023

**Spaghetti Bolognese (\$5) and Chocolate Crackles (\$1)**

**Place your order via QKR application**

Or write your child's name and grade on a brown paper bag with correct money inside and hand in at the office.

\*Payment due by no later than 9:00am Wednesday 23rd August, 2023

**\*\*No late orders can be accepted as ordering of food will take place on Wednesday**

## Scholastic Book Club

### **BOOK CLUB NEWS**

The Scholastic Book Club brochures have been received and delivered to students.

If you would like to order items from this catalogue, please ensure any orders placed are ordered online by close of business **Monday, 28th August.**

This will ensure that orders are placed with Scholastic by their due date and are delivered to the school quickly.

Visit [scholastic.com.au/LOOP](https://www.scholastic.com.au/LOOP) or  
download the LOOP app to pay by  
credit card



# SHOW DAY & TALENT SHOW

SHOW DAY IS FAST APPROACHING. THIS IS A FUN DAY FOR BUDDIES TO WORK TOGETHER AND CREATE THEIR OWN STALL- THIS COULD BE A GAME, A CONTEST, ETC. THERE WILL BE LOTS OF FUN ACTIVITIES FOR STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN.

EACH STUDENT WILL BE TASKED TO BRING SOMETHING FOR THEIR GROUP- IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE ASK CLASSROOM TEACHERS.

AT 1.40 PARENTS ARE INVITED TO COME AND WATCH OUR TALENT SHOW AT THE BASKETBALL COURT!

THIS WILL BE A FREE DRESS DAY FOR STUDENTS

**WHEN:**  
**FRIDAY 25TH OF AUGUST**

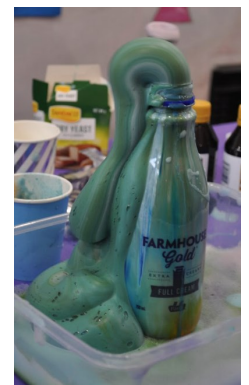
# Art Show and Science Fair

The Art Show and Science Fair is fast approaching. We are really looking forward to displaying the fantastic work of our students (in Art and Science) on **Thursday 24th August** from 3:00pm.

Traditionally we organise a fundraising raffle as part of the Art Show and we are currently seeking donations of prizes from our wonderful school community. If you have any contacts with local businesses that might be interested in supporting our school with a prize donation, we would LOVE to hear from you. If you are in a position where you can donate some goods or services as prizes, that would be amazing!

Thank you so much for your support – it is deeply appreciated.

Emma Parker and Robyn Masters (Art Show/Science Fair Co-ordinators)



## DONATIONS WANTED

We are looking for donations of odd socks. We have a student preparing their exhibit for the Science Fair (on upcycling) and they need some clean odd socks to convert into some super cool hand puppets. Socks can be dropped off in the Science Room or in the office. Thank you for your help 😊







### Book Week is all about exploring books and the imagination!

Book Week is an exciting time at our school. This year we are encouraged by the words *Read, Grow and Inspire*. Here are a few questions to help you think about your own reading experiences:

- Who are your favourite book characters? Do they inspire you? Do you see yourself in some of the books you read? Do you learn about people that are different from you?
- Do you like to choose your own books to read? What kind of stories do you usually pick? Are they about sports that interest you, or magical adventures to escape into other worlds; or perhaps you like fact books about animals and the environment? Why do you think you choose these kinds of stories?
- How do you think reading helps you grow? Do you feel like you've learned something about the world after reading a book? Do you feel relaxed after reading? Do you feel like you understand your own emotions a bit better?
- How will you continue the Book Week celebrations at home? Think of some ways to keep reading exciting. Perhaps you could set up a book nook filled with your favourite books. Look through Book Club to see what's new and interesting to you!

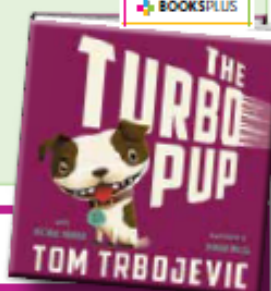


BOOKSPUS



#### AGES 3+

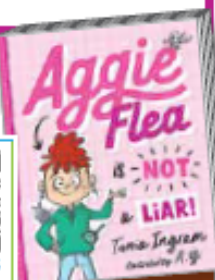
THE TURBO PUP  
ITEM 010



CJ is small, this much is true, but there is something special this puppy can do ... CJ the pup is mocked by the bigger dogs for his size. But when the town is in danger, can the super speedy puppy save the day? Written by rugby league star, Tom Trbojevic.

#### AGES 7+

AGGIE FLEA IS NOT A LIAR!  
ITEM 007



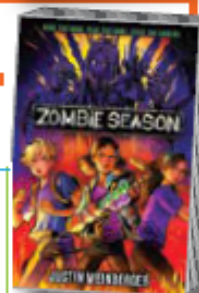
Meet Aggie Flea – a girl with a BIG imagination ... that lands her in even BIGGER trouble! When a mysterious new neighbour arrives in the middle of the night, Aggie's convinced he's a VAMPIRE! Can she prove it? Or will everyone think she's a LIAR?



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#### AGES 8+

ZOMBIE SEASON  
ITEM 023



No one is ever ready for zombie season. Joulé refuses to evacuate with her mum. She can't leave town while her dad's still missing. But what if he's not just lost? What if he's become what she most fears? Regina is proud of her scientist parents for working on a weapon to stop the zombies. That is until she learns that the weapon that's supposed to help the humans might be doing just the opposite. Something has changed, and time is running out ...



BOOKSPUS

Don't forget to scan BooksPlus QR Code to discover more about the titles shown. →

SCHOLASTIC

MAKE SURE YOU GET YOUR  
ORDERS BACK TO SCHOOL BY:

Monday 28th August



## Art Fundraiser

Help us to raise funds for our school by turning your child's school artwork into keepsakes such as calendars, tote bags, greeting cards, tea towels, pillowcases, diaries, notebooks and sketchbooks. Why not be super organised for Christmas - these would make fantastic gifts for family and friends.



Each student will have produced a piece of artwork during their Art lessons (see examples for each year level below). If they were absent, don't worry, they will be able to choose another piece they have completed.

Orders can be placed online using the QR code on the order form or fill out and return the order form along with payment. Orders close on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August.

Orders will be delivered early in term 4.

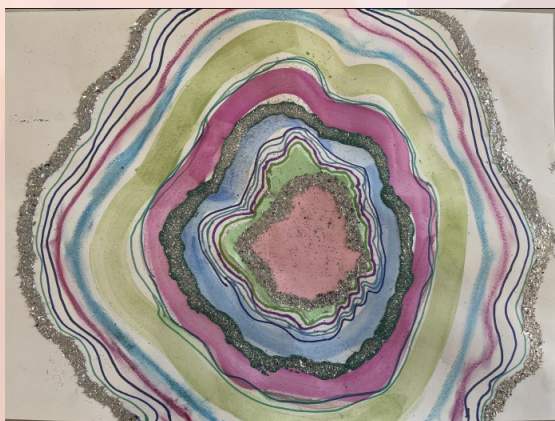
Please contact Lisa in the office if you have any questions.



Foundation Example - Fish



Grade 1/2 Example - Rabbit



Grade 3/4 Example - Geode

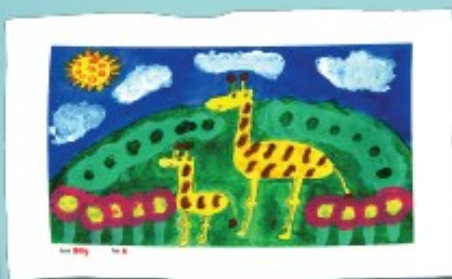


grade 5/6 Example - Dragon Eye



# Cardinia Primary School

-Order keepsakes featuring your child's artwork-



ORDERS CLOSE  
Friday  
18th  
August

Celebrate your child's creativity by ordering keepsakes you'll treasure forever!

Order Online

or

Order at School

Order keepsakes featuring your child's artwork at:



[www.crazycamel.com.au/12017](http://www.crazycamel.com.au/12017)

All orders will be processed and sent to the school after the closing date.

Child's details entered during purchasing will determine which artwork has been ordered.

Every purchase benefits your school!



Please return this form filled out with payment.

Product	Qty	Cost	Total
Calendars		\$15	
Greeting Cards		\$15	
Diaries		\$20	
Notebooks		\$20	
Sketchbooks		\$20	
Pillowcases		\$25	
Tea Towels		\$25	
Tote Bags		\$25	
Total			

Child's name:

Classroom name/number:

Parent's name:

Parent's number:

## Calendars

- A cherished reminder of your child's artistic achievement featuring one laminated artwork, wire bound with 12 tear off months on quality silk paper.
- School term and public holiday dates, activity stickers along with plenty of room for noting special occasions.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork along with the School/Centre name and/or Logo - photo calendars do not show name or age.
- Printed artwork A4 (300 x 210mm) with A4 calendar attached below.

## Greeting Cards

- Beautifully presented quality A6 (155 x 110 mm) cards featuring your child's artwork per pack of 8 cards.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed on the back of art cards along with the School/Centre name and/or Logo.
- Blank inside for your personalised message.
- Shrink wrapped in packs of 8 including red envelopes.

## Diaries, Notebooks & Sketchbooks

- Convenient A5 (210 x 150mm) featuring your child's artwork, printed and laminated on a hard cover wire bound book designed to lie flat and stay open.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed on the front inside cover.
- Diaries have a view of the week at a glance, each double sided page displays a full week and includes public holiday and school term dates along with a year planner.
- Notebooks have 150 ruled pages.
- Sketch Pads have 150 blank pages.

## Pillowcases

- Quality pillowcase featuring either an individual artwork.
- Pillowcases are 760 x 500mm with the image size up to 500 x 400mm on 100% cotton.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork.

## Tea Towels

- Fantastic tea towel featuring either an individual artwork or group artwork.
- Tea towels are 700 x 500mm with the image size up to 500 x 400mm digitally printed on 100% cotton.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork.

## Tote Bags

- Amazing tote bag featuring either an individual artwork or group artwork.
- Tote bags are 100% Cotton Calico. 370 x 420mm, 100mm gusset, with 550mm Handles.
- Practicable library bag, shopping bag, or day bag.
- Name and age as created by the artist is printed under the artwork.

**"every child is an artist"**  
PABLO PICASSO

**FOR MORE INFORMATION FREECALL 1800 141 239**

**[www.crazycamel.com.au](http://www.crazycamel.com.au)**





## From the Office



**XUNO** is your parent portal to view news and events, book parent teacher interviews, check your child's live attendance, mark absences, view reports, and more. Please contact the office if you have any problems or questions about setting up, and signing in to your account.



**Qkr!** Is the app that the school is using to accept any payments, such as: Parent Contributions, excursions, Meal Deals and second hand uniform (and more!) We are also trying to reduce the amount of paper used so most permission forms will be available on the app. Of course, if you require a hard copy, one can be collected from the office. Please see the office staff if you need more information about using Qkr!

### Breakfast Club

Breakfast club runs each Friday between 8:30-8:45am in the Science Room. This program is government funded and open to all students.

Food available may be Weetbix, muesli, toast with Vegemite or honey, baked beans, spaghetti and fruit cups. Please let us know when dropping off your child if there are any allergies we need to be aware of.

Children are welcome to come to the Science Room from 8:30am. Please do not drop your child off any earlier than this. We welcome any parents who would like to come once a month (or less if we get enough help) to serve and tidy up.



### Before and After School Care

At Cardinia Primary School, Before & After School Care is offered by Windermere.

Monday to Friday: Before School Care from 6:30am - 8:45am

After School Care from 3:30pm - 6:30pm

Website: <https://www.windermere.org.au/childcare/cardinia-ps-oshc-family-resources>

Email: [enrolmentOSHC@windermere.org.au](mailto:enrolmentOSHC@windermere.org.au)

Phone: 0499 190 055 - Luke



### 2023 Term Dates

Term 1: Monday 30th January (Students) - Thursday 6th April

Term 2: Monday 24th April - Friday 23rd June

Term 3: Monday 10th July - Friday 15th September

Term 4: Monday 2nd October - Wednesday 20th December

Dear School Community,

**Winter Trading Hours for our Pakenham Store**

Please be advised that our Pakenham store will be operating to reduced 'Winter Trading Hours' from Monday 14<sup>th</sup> of August. Trading will remain to these hours for the rest of term 3.

Please see our Winter Trading Hours below:

*Monday:* 9:30AM TO 4:30PM

*Tuesday:* 9:30AM TO 4:30PM

*Wednesday:* 9:30AM TO 4:30PM

*Thursday\*:* 9:30AM TO 4:30PM

*Friday:* 9:30AM TO 4:30PM

*Saturday:* 10:00AM TO 1:00PM

*Sunday:* **CLOSED**

\*See attached calendar

We'll return to standard trading hours as of Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September.

We'd like to apologise for any inconvenience this change may cause and thank you for your understanding.

Kind regards,

Beleza School Uniforms

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Ph: (03) 9702 3218 Fax: (03) 9702 3193 | Email: [beleza@beleza.com.au](mailto:beleza@beleza.com.au)



Limited  
Spots Available  
Enrolments  
close:  
1 September

Program  
Hours:  
7.30am to  
6.30pm

# Spring School Holiday Program at St John the Baptist Primary School

Join our exciting two week holiday program at the school premises:  
172 Station Street, **Koo Wee Rup** (access via Salmon Street). The program  
is action packed with fun activities for you and your friends.

## Monday 18 September

***Spring is here so let's: Build a birdhouse***

Test your DIY skills to make your own creation.



## Tuesday 19 September

***Taco Tuesday and Mexican theme***

It's a fiesta with delicious Tacos for lunch and traditional  
Mexican games like Smash the Pinata.



## Wednesday 20 September

***Bunnings sustainability project. Paint a pot and plant***

Bunnings experts will be there to help you decorate your own pot  
and pot your plant.

Activity will commence at 10am



## Thursday 21 September

***Silent Disco 4 Kids*** Play numeracy games and test your  
coordination, collaboration, vocal confidence, and memory and  
listening skills. Heaps of fun and games complete with lasers, a  
smoke machine and Party Higher's exclusive Light up Limbo Bar.

Incursion Day: commences 10am - \$94



## Friday 22 September

***Games and Talent Day:***  
***Burn off some energy and have lots of fun***

Play old fashioned games such as egg and spoon race, sack race,  
three-legged race and more. Get creative with face painting and  
crazy hair and feast on party food.



Call our friendly team on 1300 946 337

[www.windermere.org.au](http://www.windermere.org.au)





# Spring School Holiday Program at St John the Baptist Primary School

Limited  
Spots Available  
Enrolments  
close:  
1 September

Program  
Hours:  
7.30am to  
6.30pm

**Monday 25 September**

***Craft it up***

Put your imagination to work and get crafty with recycled materials. Try your hand at making friendship bracelets.



**Tuesday 26 September**

***Myuna Farm Animal Nursery***

Meet 25 to 30 baby animals and spend the day interacting, cuddling and feeding them.

**Incursion Day 10am -1pm \$94**



**Wednesday 27 September**

***Clay sculpture creations***

A sculpture is a three-dimensional artwork with height, width and depth. Bring out the sculptor in you!



**Thursday 28 September**

***Footy Finals Frenzy***

Come dressed in your favourite footy colours to enjoy footy games and craft activities. Look forward to a sausage sizzle and party pies for lunch.



**Friday 29 September**

***Public holiday: no service***

**Key Dates:** Enrolments close: 1 September 2023.

Call our friendly team on 1300 946 337

[www.windermere.org.au](http://www.windermere.org.au)

## Fees

Daily fee of \$76

Fee after max CCS\* \$15.20 per day

Incursion day fee of \$94

Fee after max CCS\* \$20.00

The additional cost of \$18 for incursion days will be charged per child even if your child doesn't participate.

\* The amount of CCS you can get depends on your circumstances and the hourly rate cap set by the Government. To find out if you are eligible, simply log into your MyGov and complete your CCS Assessment.

*Please note: Child/ren must attend the first and last day of care in order to receive CCS.*

## How to book

1. Read through [fee and cancellation policy](#)
2. Complete [Enrolment, Booking and Payment form](#)

NOTE If your child has a medical condition they can only attend the Holiday Program if the Action Plan, Risk Minimisation Plan and Communication have been completed and submitted prior to attendance. Any medication associated with the action plans must be brought to the program each day they attend. If medication is not supplied on the day, the child may not attend the program. This rule applies for all diagnosed medical conditions.

## Absences

All bookings are charged prior to attendance. This secures your child's spot in the Holiday Program. Staffing is based on attendance. If your child is sick or not attending a booked session, please call and notify the program before 8.30am. Please review the cancellation policy with regards to if a credit can be applied, as in some instances credit may not be able to be applied.

## Age to attend

To qualify for enrolment in Windermere's Holiday Program children must be attending primary school (in that year).

## Priority of access

Windermere's Holiday Program is offered to the general community.

Priority of Access will be given to:

1. Children at risk of serious abuse or neglect and families in crisis.
2. Children of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families.
3. Children attending the host school and other Windermere OSHC Schools.
4. Children residing within the LGA.

## Your safety and COVID-19

Please help us keep the program safe by:

Keeping any children who are sick at home, if anyone in your household is unwell and awaiting a COVID test result we ask you keep children at home (even if they are not displaying any symptoms). The children/child can attend the program once a negative test result has been confirmed and if they have a booking.

We will keep you COVID safe by:

We have developed COVIDSafe plan and risk assessment that encourages social distancing of staff, consistent staffing where possible, increased cleaning and disinfecting and signing children in and out of the program.

## For more information:

Call our friendly team on 1300 946 337

[www.windermere.org.au](http://www.windermere.org.au)





## PROACTIVE PARENTING

### PARENTS BUILDING SOLUTIONS

#### PARENTING IS REALLY DIFFICULT JOB!

These sessions will help your family with the following:

- Communication
- Setting rules and consequences
- Managing emotions
- Building strong relationships with each other

The program will be designed based on what topics parents ask for.



[anglicarevic.org.au](http://anglicarevic.org.au)

**DATE:** Wednesday, 9th August, 16th August, 23rd August and 30th August

**TIME:** 10.30 a.m. - 11.30 a.m.

**WHERE:** Bounce Back at Mayonne-bulluk  
Mayonne-Bulluk Family and  
Community Centre  
66 Bradman Drive, Cranbourne West

**COST:** FREE!

For more information, contact:

Carey Cole - 0437 428 281  
[carey.cole@anglicarevic.org.au](mailto:carey.cole@anglicarevic.org.au)  
OR  
Marie Marzovilla - 0432 263 538  
[marie@wellspringsforwomen.com](mailto:marie@wellspringsforwomen.com)

# PARENTZONE





## TRAUMA-RESPONSIVE PARENTING PARENTS BUILDING SOLUTIONS

**THIS IS A PROGRAM FOR PARENTS WHO HAVE EXPERIENCED FAMILY VIOLENCE**

Would it be helpful to explore strategies to respond in a trauma-informed way to your child(ren)'s challenging behaviours?

Would you like to:

- Re-establish trust in your family?
- Improve your relationship with your children?
- Improve communication in your family?
- Explore strategies for responding to big feelings?
- Help your children understand rules and establish boundaries?
- Explore strategies to respond to other parenting challenges?

The program will be co-designed with participating parents, based upon your parenting goals and challenges.

*The program is open to parents of all genders who have experienced family violence.*

*It is appropriate for parents who have been unable to access Parentzone's Beyond the Violence program.*

**DID YOU KNOW:** You can take time off work to attend under the new Family Violence leave entitlements?

**DATE:** Thursdays, 10th August to 14th September (inclusive)

**TIME:** 12.00 p.m. - 2.00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Pakenham location  
Address will be provided on registration

**COST:** FREE!

For more information, and to register, contact:

Carey Cole  
0437 428 281  
carey.cole@anglicarevic.org.au

[anglicarevic.org.au](http://anglicarevic.org.au)

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