



**GIFTED RESOURCES NEWSLETTER
APRIL 2016 NO 1**

INDEX

Gifted Resources News	1
The In Tray	2
Parent Support Groups	2
CHIP Geelong	4
AAEGT	5
Tasmanian AGT	6
Think Club	7
TOTB	8
Dr David Ng	10
GATEWays	11
Parentzone	13
Anglicare	14
OZeLIVE	16
Interesting blogs	16
Interesting websites	17
Subscription Information	17
Disclaimer	17

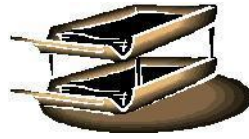
In February I posted that I have been considering only posting the newsletter on Gifted Resources website and not sending it out by email. However I know that many like to receive their monthly email and would probably not visit the home page unless they received the email prompting them.

I asked for feedback as to whether readers would be happy to visit Gifted Resources website to read the newsletter and only received a few replies.

They all expressed appreciation for the newsletter and said that they did like to receive it as an attachment to an email but would be happy to read it on the website. Unless I have many more replies to the contrary this will probably be the last time I email the newsletter.

I am also preparing the 2016 Information Pack and considering publishing it online rather than posting out hard copy versions in the post. If you would like to have brochures, flyers or business cards included in the 2016 pack please could you email them to me.





WHAT'S IN THE IN TRAY?

These items have been received recently and can be found in the In Tray which is located on the Home page of Gifted Resources Website www.giftedresources.org If you are not able to access the links here please go to the In Tray to access them.

If you would like information included in the newsletter and/or the In Tray please send to contributions@giftedresources.org

TASMANIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE GIFTED 7th Biennial State Conference
No limits... Elizabeth College North Hobart
26-28 August 2016 [PDF FLYER](#)

AAEGT 2016 National Gifted Conference, Sydney
Beyond the Boundaries in Gifted Education
29 September - 1 October 2016 [WEBSITE](#)

WCGTC 22nd WORLD CONFERENCE Sydney Australia 20-23 July 2017 [WEBSITE](#)

GIFTED SUPPORT GROUPS

GIFTED SUPPORT NETWORK INC.

Active network in Melbourne's south eastern, western and north eastern regions offering the following services to families with gifted children:

- * "Mini Minds" - activities for preschoolers
- * "Primary Minds" - activities for primary school aged children and their parents
- * "Teens & Tweens" - activities for teenagers and their parents each term
- * Information evenings with expert speakers covering issues relating to the gifted
- * Daytime and evening social events for parents to share their experience of parenting the gifted child
- * Comprehensive members' library
- * Regular email/Facebook updates on events/articles of interest to families with gifted children

For further information visit www.giftedsupport.org

P.O. Box PO Box 2808

Cheltenham, 3192

Email address is admin@giftedsupport.org

BROCHURE PDF BROCHURE

News of activities see <http://www.giftedsupport.org/news.php>

'THE BIG BANG COFFEE CLUB'

The Big Bang Coffee Club meets on the first Wednesday of the month at 9.30am (School and Public Holidays excepted) at:

The Coffee Club

Shop 49-50

Moonee Ponds Central

14-16 Hall Street

Moonee Ponds

All are welcome.

For newcomers: Moonee Ponds is well serviced by public transport. For drivers, free undercover parking for up to 3 hours is available at Moonee Ponds Central:

Enter from Mt Alexander Road, Hall Street, or Homer Street. Park your car, go through the entrance doors and take the escalator to the top floor, where you will see Kmart, and it is a few doors down from there, on the corner (Adjacent to Hall Street).

For more information please contact:

Nicole Lawrence nicole_lawrence@mailcan.com Mobile 0413 754 278

MAROONDAH GIFTED CHILDREN'S PARENTS' ASSOC.

Morning Coffee at MacDonald's, Maroondah Hwy. Croydon Vic. at 10.30 am on the first Wednesday of the month

Postal address:

c/- 13 Heathwood St

Ringwood East Vic 3135

Contact Jennifer Grant

Phone 9779 4218

ijgrant@optusnet.com.au

Louise Howe Phone 9801 2912

louise_h@tpg.com.au

BELGRAVE PARENT SUPPORT GROUP

Meetings generally monthly on Mondays

Contact Heike Reich

Phone (03) 9752 5420

Email heikemagnus@yahoo.com.au

CASTERTON AND DISTRICT AREA

Catriona Hill would like to connect with other parents of gifted children in Casterton and District area

Contact: Catriona Hill

Phone (03)55812529

Mobile 0419008734

Email: antrim@netspace.net.au

Web: <http://au.groups.yahoo.com/group/tallpoppysyndrome/>

GIFTED RESOURCE AND INFORMATION GROUP - CASEY/CARDINIA

For families with gifted children in Casey/Cardinia

Contact

Victoria Poulos

Phone 0420 286 307

Email victoriapoulos@gmail.com

CHIP GEELONG

<http://www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au/>

CHIP Family Support Group Geelong

http://www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au/?page_id=12

Future events for details see http://www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au/?page_id=63

Treasurer : Sue Bettanin

chipgeelong@gmail.com



CHIP Workshops

A fun way for gifted children to take
on new adventures with like-minded Friends

ORIENTEERING WITH GEELONG ADVENTURE SPECIALISTS

SUNDAY, 17TH APRIL, 2016 10:30AM – 12:30PM

[KURRAJONG PICNIC GROUND](#), YOU YANGS REGIONAL PARK

Enter off Branch Rd, head up the hill for 750ms, turn left into Big Rock Rd, follow for another 250m's, turn left onto Great Circle Drive (dirt road), drive 900m's, turn left into the Kurrajong Ave & the Kurrajong Mt Bike Area, drive down to the car park (see [Park Map](#))

COST: \$20 MEMBERS / \$25 NON-MEMBERS

THIS SESSION IS FOR 6 YEARS AND ABOVE.

JOIN US ON AN OUTDOOR ADVENTURE WHERE OUR CHILDREN WILL TRY ORIENTEERING AND LEARN HOW TO NAVIGATE WITH A MAP AND COMPASS. THIS ACTIVITY WILL INSTIL CONFIDENCE AND INDEPENDENCE AS THE CHILDREN WILL EXPLORE THE GREAT OUTDOORS WITHOUT FEAR OF GETTING LOST. THEY WILL BE SPLIT INTO GROUPS OF 4-5 TO BUILD 'TEAM WORK' SKILLS.

PARENTS AND SIBLINGS ARE ENCOURAGED TO EXPLORE THE YOU YANGS WHILE THE WORKSHOP IS IN PROGRESS.

WHAT TO BRING:

- COMFORTABLE SHOES
- SMALL BACKPACK, WATER BOTTLE (1L), NIBBLES
- WEATHER APPROPRIATE CLOTHING
 - HAT, SUNSCREEN, SUNNIES AND/OR RAIN JACKET/JUMPER
 - LONG SLEEVES/PANTS TO AVOID SCRATCHY VEGETATION IN THE FIELD

IN CASE OF WET WEATHER, CHECK THE CHIP WEBSITE FOR DETAILS.

ABOUT JEREMY WRIGHT FROM GAS:

JEREMY HAS OVER 20 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN THE OUTDOOR EDUCATION INDUSTRY. HE RUNS EVENTS FOR SCHOOL GROUPS AND IS A TEACHER BY TRAINING. FOR MORE INFORMATION: <http://www.geelongadventurespecialists.com.au>

REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT BY:
7 APRIL 2016
EMAIL CHIPGEELONG@GMAIL.COM



**CHIP Family
Support Group
Geelong Inc.**
A0052790T

www.chipgeelong.ingeelong.com.au

To Develop Children of High Intellectual Potential

VAGTC
<http://www.vagtc.asn.au/>
Contact VAGTC
Postal
P O Box 132
Caulfield South
Victoria 3162
Email: infolorax@vagtc.asn.au

GIFTED FAMILIES SUPPORT GROUP (NSW)
<http://www.gfsg.org.au/>

For details of coming events and activities such as GEM and Mums' dinners see
<http://www.gfsg.org.au/index.php/whatson>



<https://www.nationalgiftedconference2016.arts.unsw.edu.au/>

The theme for the conference is 'BEYOND THE BOUNDARIES IN GIFTED EDUCATION' which will incorporate academic research and practice, as well as a family-based stream.

Running parallel to the conference will be a program for children in years 3 to 6 and a Youth Forum for years 7 to 12.

A variety of sponsorship options are also available.

Refer to the website for more info:

<https://www.nationalgiftedconference2016.arts.unsw.edu.au/>

The conference welcomes all members of the gifted education community, including researchers, educators, families, health professionals, and gifted individuals.



Call for papers

for the 7th Biennial State Conference of the Tasmanian Association for the Gifted Inc.

No Limits ...

seeking approaches to educational excellence and fulfilling potential

Submission details: Interested presenters are invited to submit a 150-word abstract for either a 45-minute paper/presentation or one and a half hour workshops or panel discussion, consistent with the title/theme of the conference. We will be seeking presentations suitable for teachers, parents and psychologists that explore educational as well as the social and emotional needs of highly talented and gifted students from across all years of schooling.

Abstracts along with a 50-word biography should be emailed to tasgifted@gmail.com or sent by mail to: Conference

Manager, Tasmanian Association for the Gifted Inc., PO Box 1942, Hobart, TAS, 7001 by January 31, 2016. Please include in your submission details of your media requirements. Any commercial interests in relation to your proposed sessions must be declared in your proposal. Submission of an expression of interest is your implicit agreement that, if you are selected to present you will provide a copy of the full presentation before the conference.

The abstract and presentation will be published on TAG's website. For further information phone 0488 291 497



TAG is a non-profit, parent-based organisation dedicated to sharing information and promoting awareness of the needs of gifted children.

August 26 - 28, 2016

The conference will commence on the evening of Friday, August 26

Elizabeth College, North Hobart

Tasmanian Association for the Gifted Inc
GPO Box 1942 Hobart Tas 7001

ABN: 97 898 651 769
PHONE 0488 291 497

EMAIL tasgifted@gmail.com



13th & 14th APRIL 2016

9am – 3.30pm | Sydney Boys High School | Moore Park, Sydney

Please ensure you select a first and second workshop preference as the 1st choice cannot be guaranteed.

*Places are allocated on a 'first in' basis. **Closing date for registration is 1st APRIL 2016** (unless places are filled prior).*

Wednesday 13th April 2016 - DAY 1 Workshops

RIOTOUS ROBOTICS

Yr 1&2

Learn how to program playful LEGO designs with movement and sound using LEGO WeDo hardware and software. LEGO WeDo is also equipped with sensors that allow designs to act like real robots. Design, build and program your own creative game, or tell an imaginative and interactive story. Great day of problem solving and challenging fun! All equipment supplied.

EARLY ENGINEERS

Yr 1&2

Why do some things float and others sink? What shapes allow you to build the biggest buildings? Discover the answer to these questions and much more in a great day of engineering feats!

CREATURE KEEPERS

Yr 1&2

Calling all mini-zookeepers! Spend a day caring for REAL Australian reptiles, frogs, invertebrates, omnivores, herbivores, carnivores and ectothermic animals! Get your hands dirty alongside our trained zoo keepers and explore the habits and homes of these creatures.

CLAYMATION CREATIONS

Yr 3&4

Love 'Wallace and Gromit' or 'Shaun the Sheep'? Try your hand at making your own Claymation film. Using the stop motion / claymation process, Thinkers will story board, animate, edit and finally burn their movie onto a DVD. All material is provided. Have fun unleashing your creativity, honing your writing skills and exploring the technology behind Claymation Creations!

GEOGRAPHICAL JOURNEYS

Yr 3&4

Strap on your backpack and embark on a worldwide exploration of the TALLEST, LONGEST, DEEPEST and SMELLIEST places on our planet! Discover where they are, why they are there and how they were formed. Could you survive in some of the most challenging environments in the world?

PROGRAMMING PRODIGIES

Yr 3&4

Interested in programming? Want to create the next great computer game? Explore programming tools and algorithms in the Scratch language developed by computer engineers at MIT. As its founders say, programming enables kids "to think creatively, reason systematically, and work collaboratively". All equipment supplied.

PERCEPTIVE PUZZLERS

Yr 3&4

Do you have a passion for problems, puzzles and brain teasers? Unleash your mathematical genius as you develop a strategic approach to solving problems through a range of fun hands-on activities, games and competitions.

BRIGHT SPARKS

Yrs 4-6

Electricity & magnetism up close! Explore static and current electricity, magnetic repulsion and attraction, electromagnetism, simple circuits and renewable energies. See 100,000 volts discharged in a flash, conduct electricity through the palm of your hand and much much more!

MIND-BENDING MATHS

Yr 5&6

Expand your mind with an exciting array of mathematical problems, challenges and activities in this hands-on workshop. Share your love for all things mathematical with like-minded Thinkers as you delve into the fascinating worlds of patterns, numbers and logic.

MAGICAL MINECRAFT

Yr 5&6

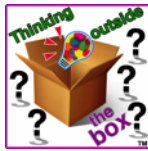
Learn how to use the 'python' programming language to create structures and features within the Minecraft environment. Learn about variables, loops and conditionals, then be connected to a special Minecraft server which runs the python code and translates that code into wonderful 3D structures. Note - this is a programming workshop, not simply playing Minecraft!

1 Workshop \$110, 2 Workshops \$210, 3 Workshops \$300, each subsequent workshop \$90

Total costs are calculated on the number of workshops booked per registration form.

REGISTER ONLINE at www.thinkclubaustralia.com

http://www.thinkclubaustralia.com/uploads/4/2/9/7/42975865/final_april2016_workshop_brochure.pdf



Thinking Outside The Box

Programs for Term 2, 2016

Grades: 1 & 2 - Maths Monster (Open-ended Mathematics)

What would it be like if the Maths Monster was EVERYWHERE? If the only way to keep the Maths Monster away was to make up and answer heaps of maths questions? You might make up questions like: How long does it take to get ready for school if it takes 10 minutes to get dressed, 15 for breakfast and 5 to brush your teeth? And how many cars do you see on the way to school if you see 7 red ones, 4 blue ones and 9 white ones? OH, NO! What if one of them is a truck? Then if the teacher puts everyone into 5 groups of 4, how many children are there? What if two children are away? How many groups could you have then? If the answer to a question is '6 ice-creams', what could the question be?

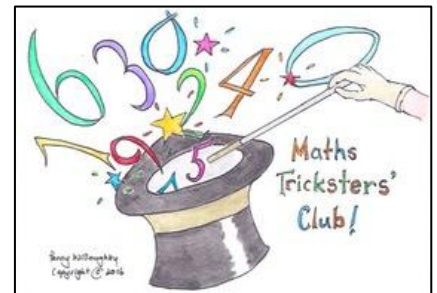
When you come to this program you will help to defeat the Maths Monster. The only way is to make up and answer as many maths questions as you can. There'll be a new theme each week. After a while the Maths Monster will begin to get tired. Can you help defeat him before the end of the term? Let's hope so!



Grades: 3 & 4 - Tricksters' Club (Mathematics)

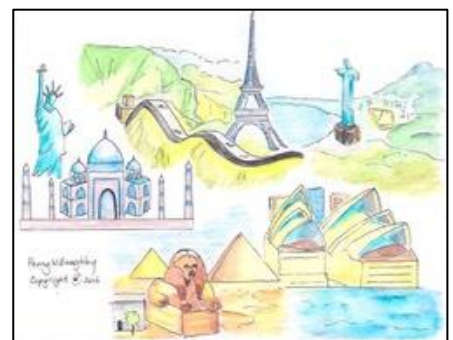
Come and join the Maths Tricksters' Club to experiment with maths tricks. Each week you will be presented with new tricks and puzzles. Can you solve them? How do they work? Can you change the trick somehow to make a new trick? Try your new trick with family, friends or classmates. They'll be amazed!

This program will appeal to you if you love playing with Maths and would like to know more about how our number system works. Sometimes you'll work by yourself and others times with a small group. This program will help you to understand Maths even better than you do now.



Grades: 3 & 4 - Seven Wonders (Geography)

Ever wondered about the 7 wonders of the world? Did you hear that on 07.07.07 a new 7 wonders were announced? Did you know there are lots of other '7 Wonders' such as the '7 Wonders of the Underwater World'? What about the '8th Wonder'? But this program isn't just about investigating the wonders. You will be given a budget to plan your world trip to visit the wonders of your choice. You can work in a small team or by yourself. Your challenge will be to plan the trip of a lifetime within the budget. In addition you'll have to research travel, accommodation, eating, languages and weather. Then there's the list of things to pack! Just in case you think that's all there is to it, don't forget there'll be a 7 Wonders Mystery to solve each week. For example, what local 'ship' building almost became one of the 7 New Wonders?

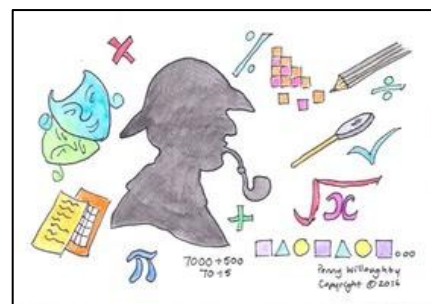


Regular bookings close on Thursday, 14 April 2016.

Please visit our website at: www.totb.com.au

Register for our newsletter to receive regular updates on our programs

Grades: 5 & 6 - Herlock Shoams (Mathematics - Problem Solving)
 Do you love Maths and think you have what it takes to succeed at the School of Mathematical Deduction? The school is run by the famous mathematics detective, Herlock Shoams, who can solve any mathematics problem by using one of his Nine Reliable Rules for Solving Impossible Problems. In this program you will attend Herlock Shoams' famous school. Every week you will be presented with a new 'impossible' mathematics problem to solve. You will learn how to use Herlock's Nine Reliable Rules to solve these problems



Venues and Dates

<p>Balwyn Primary School (\$297/program incl. GST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 1 & 2 – <u>Maths Monster</u> Thursdays (8 Weeks) 21, 28 April, 5, 19, 26 May & 2, 16, 23 June 11:30am-1pm • Grades 3 & 4 – <u>Seven Wonders of the World</u> Thursdays (6 Weeks) 21, 28 April, 5, 12, 19, 26 May 1:30pm-3:30pm 	<p>Essex Heights Primary School (\$297/program incl. GST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 3 & 4 – <u>Tricksters' Club</u> Tuesdays (8 Weeks) 19, 26 April, 10, 17, 24, 31 May & 14, 21 June 3:45pm - 5:15pm • Grades 5 & 6 – <u>Herlock Shoams</u> Thursdays (8 Weeks) 28 April, 5, 12, 19, 26 May & 2, 9, 16 June 3:45pm - 5:15pm
<p>Kallista Primary School (\$297/program incl. GST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 1 & 2 – <u>Maths Monster</u> Wednesdays (6 Weeks) 18, 25 May, 1, 8, 15, 22 June 9am-11am • Grades 3 & 4 – <u>Tricksters' Club</u> Wednesdays (6 Weeks) 18, 25 May, 1, 8, 15, 22 June 11:30am-1:30pm 	<p>Knox Gardens Primary School (\$297/program incl. GST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 3 & 4 – <u>Tricksters' Club</u> Mondays (6 Weeks) 2, 9, 16, 30 May, 6, 20 June 11:30am-1:30pm • Grades 5 & 6 – <u>Herlock Shoams</u> Mondays (6 Weeks) 2, 9, 16, 30 May, 6, 20 June 9am-11am
<p>Narre Warren North Primary School (\$297/program incl. GST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 1 & 2 – <u>Maths Monster</u> Fridays (6 Weeks) 29 April, 6, 13, 20, 27 May & 3 June 11:30am-1:30pm • Grades 3 & 4 – <u>Tricksters' Club</u> Thursdays (8 Weeks) 21, 28 April, 5, 19, 26 May & 2, 16, 23 June 9am-10:30am 	<p>Tecoma Primary School (\$297/program incl. GST)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grades 1 & 2 – <u>Maths Monster</u> Tuesdays (4 Weeks) 19, 26 April, 3, 10 May 9am-12:30pm • Grades 3 & 4 – <u>Tricksters' Club</u> Tuesdays (3 Weeks) 17, 24, 31 May 9am-1:30pm

FROM DR DAVID NG

Dear Jo,

I hope this email finds you well.

We have a great program lined up this school holiday and wonder if you could help us get the word out in your newsletter/website.

We are running two programs this holiday; a new program called 3D Makey Scratchy as well as 3D Bizkidz which we ran last holiday.

For 3D Makey Scratchy, we introduce the clever electronic board Makey Makey together with the hugely popular Scratch coding software to create very interesting music and sound recordings. Basically Makey Makey can turn anything that is somewhat conductive such as a fruit, pencil drawing, coin, and even our body into an input device. I think 3D Makey Scratchy will appeal to a younger audience (ages 6 - 10) although those who are young at heart could also enjoy it immensely, according to this [article](#).

Meanwhile, 3D BizKidz might be more suitable for those who are a little older (ages 9-12) as it is a 3-day program which involves a lot of useful information about running an online business. Children will learn about entrepreneurship and see how they can actually put their 3D creations online for sale worldwide.

Details of the events are found on our webpage, www.cnaptic.com.au/events. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you need more information about the events.

Thank you and have a great weekend.

Best regards,
David Ng, PhD, SMIEEE
www.cnaptic.com.au
0403277934
Level 1, 15-33 Alfred St., Blackburn VIC 3130





WHAT'S COMING UP



A new Brainwaves Club is commencing in Term 2 at Ryde Public School in Sydney .
Places are available in the following Clubs

- **DinoMites** : Year 1 cross curricular
- **Apprentices**: Year 2 and 3 books and writing
- **SciSpies**: Year 2 and 3 science and technology
- **Tolkiens**: Year 4, 5 and 6 books and writing
- **Einsteins**: Year 4, 5 and 6 science
- **CyberKids**: Year 4, 5 and 6 technology

To see the details please check:

<http://www.gateways.edu.au/programs/brainwaves/host-schools-dates-and-clubs>



Term 2 Eureka Program – 'Extreme Maths' NOW

ENROLLING

This two-day day program (one for lower primary and one for upper primary) runs in Term 2 throughout the Melbourne metropolitan area and interstate. The following schools will be hosting the program:

Melbourne: Aspendale PS, Tintern Schools, Southern Cross GS, Ivanhoe GGS, St Aloysius in Caulfield and Mountain Gate PS

Canberra: Canberra GS; Campbell PS

Qld: The Southport School; Anglican Church GS

Sydney: Ryde PS; Santa Sabina College; Loreto Kirribili; St Andrew's Cathedral School; Hills Adventist College; Pittwater House

Children participate in 3 related workshops over the course of the day.

Participation in these programs is by teacher selection. See details on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website.



Term 2 Round 2 Journeys –ENROLLING

FROM 11 APRIL

These 10 hour / 4 session programs are run in host schools during school time throughout the Melbourne metropolitan area. In Term 2 Round 1, programs for children from Year 1-6 will be offered at:

Woodleigh School, Frankston; Wesley College in Glen Waverley; St Thomas the Apostle in Greensborough; Boronia West PS; Donvale PS

Participation in these programs is by teacher selection. See details on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website.



Term 2 On Locations –ENROLLING

FROM 11 APRIL

In recognition that much learning takes place out of the regular classroom, G.A.T.E.WAYS has partnered with many organisations to devise and run one and two days programs in various locations. In Term 2 Round 2, On Location programs for Years 3-6 will be offered at:

Art Centre Melbourne's The Channel (formerly the Digital Learning Hub); The Australian Centre For the Moving Image; The National Gallery of Victoria, The Victorian Writers' Centre and The Australian Synchrotron

Participation in these programs is by teacher selection. See details on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website.



Mid Year Festivals

Once again G.A.T.E.WAYS WILL OFFER TWO MID YEAR Festivals as follows for Year 1-6 children:

Melbourne: hosted by Firbank GS in Brighton on June 22 and 23

Canberra: hosted by Canberra GS on June 27 and 28

Parent enrolments will open on May 11. Program and enrolment details will be available on the G.A.T.E.WAYS website late April/early May.



G.A.T.E.WAYS newsletter – The

G.A.T.E.POST

You can now subscribe to a G.A.T.E.WAYS newsletter. Go to the home page

www.gateways.edu.au

and enter your subscriber details at the bottom of the page.

TALKING TEENS



Do you want to learn how to talk so they will listen?

Support them to cope in a chaotic world?

Help them to problem solve and resolve conflict?

Stay connected to them?

Come along to these 5 sessions and share strategies, stories and take some time out for you!

WHERE: Anglicare, 666 Mountain Highway, Bayswater

WHEN: Thursday 4th August to 1st September (5 weeks)
7.00 pm – 9.00pm

WHO: Dads, Mums and Carers

COST: Free (bookings essential)

CONTACT: Helena 9735 6134 or 0488 501 204



anglicarevic.org.au



PARENTING EXPLOSIVE CHILDREN.
DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE DIFFICULTY THINKING
CLEARLY AND STAYING CALM WHEN HE OR SHE IS
FRUSTRATED OR UPSET?

A six session **FREE** parenting program for parents, grandparents and carers of children who are inclined to become easily upset and frustrated.

IS YOUR CHILD:

- + Extremely inflexible?
- + Easily frustrated?
- + Inclined to react strongly or explode if challenged or denied something they want?

COME ALONG AND TALK ABOUT HOW TO HELP THEM BE MORE CALM AND FOCUSED

Sessions draw on learnings from emotional coaching, brain development, mindfulness and solution focused parenting.

When: Thursday's 12th May to 23rd June
9.30am to 11.30am

Where: Kilsyth Primary School
Durham Road, Kilsyth

Facilitator: Julia at Parentzone
9735 6190 or 0400 866 495



1800 809 722 | anglicarevic.org.au

**BETTER
TOMORROWS**



2016 097

TUNING IN TO KIDS. EMOTIONALLY INTELLIGENT PARENTING

Would you like to learn tips and strategies to:

- ✦ Be better at talking with and understanding your child?
- ✦ Help your child learn to manage their emotions and deal with conflict?
- ✦ Help to prevent behaviour problems in your child?

Tuning in to Kids shows you how to help your child develop emotional intelligence.

Children with higher emotional intelligence:

- ✦ have greater success with making and keeping friends

- ✦ have better concentration at school
- ✦ are more able to calm down when upset or angry
- ✦ tend to have fewer childhood illnesses

A six session FREE parenting program for parents, grandparents & carers of children aged 0 – 12 years

WHERE: Mitcham Community House

WHEN: Thursdays 12th May to 16th June
7pm – 9.30pm

BOOKINGS ARE ESSENTIAL as places are limited

CONTACT: Julia at Parentzone on 9735 6190
or 0400 866 495



1800 809 722 | anglicarevic.org.au

**BETTER
TOMORROWS**



During February I participated in, volunteered to assist with and presented at the global online conference OZeLIVE <http://australianeducators.ning.com/>
It was an inspiring week of global connection and learning!
If you missed out on joining in at the time you can still listen to recordings of the sessions which can be found at <http://australianeducators.ning.com/recordings-2016>
Attendance certificates for participating in the live webinar or listening to the recording can be collected from <http://australianeducators.ning.com/certificates>
Visit Australia e-Series at: http://australianeducators.ning.com/?xg_source=msg_mes_network



SOME INTERESTING BLOGS

GTChat Blog

<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2016/03/07/enrichment-for-gifted-students/>
<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2016/03/15/does-changing-the-gifted-label-change-anything/>
<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2016/03/20/bridging-the-excellence-gap-with-guest-dr-jonathan-plucker/>
<https://globalgtchatpoweredbytagt.wordpress.com/2016/03/30/how-to-use-twitter-to-advocate-for-gifted-education/>

Hoagies Gifted Blog Hops

http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/blog_hops.htm
http://www.hoagiesgifted.org/blog_hop_gifted_groups.htm

GHF Bloggers Blog Hops

<http://giftedhomeschoolers.org/blogs/blog-hop/>
<http://giftedhomeschoolers.org/blog-hops/realize-giftedness-children-ourselves/>

SOME INTERESTING WEBSITES AND BLOG POSTS

World Gifted Conference Sydney 2017

<http://www.worldgifted2017.com/>

AAEGT Conference 2016 Abstract submissions

<https://www.nationalgiftedconference2016.arts.unsw.edu.au/node/31>

Stephanie Tolan book

<http://www.rfwp.com/book/out-of-sync-essays-on-giftedness>

Gifted Underachievers

http://www.det.act.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0009/587304/Gifted-Underachievers.pdf

Duke TIP Asynchrony

<https://tip.duke.edu/node/839>

SENG Counseling gifted adults: a case study

<http://sengifted.org/archives/articles/counseling-gifted-adults-a-case-study>

Rochester SAGE Giftedness is...

<https://rochestersage.org/2016/03/20/giftedness-is/>

April Autism Awareness Month

<http://www.goblueforautism.com.au/>

SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

You may be receiving this newsletter because someone has forwarded their copy to you. If you would like to receive your own copy please subscribe from our newsletter website at

<http://www.giftedresources.org/web/newsletter.html>

If you have been given a printout copy and would like to subscribe to the newsletter but are not able to receive email attachments you can read this newsletter online at

<http://www.giftedresources.org/web/newsletter.html>

You may also access back issues of the newsletter (from January 2005), unsubscribe or change your subscription options, from this address.

If you have news of events, conferences, lectures, workshops, children's programmes, etc. that you would like included in our newsletter please email contributions@giftedresources.org

DISCLAIMER

Gifted Resources aims to provide information about events, services and websites that could be of interest. Inclusion in Gifted Resources Newsletter does not necessarily imply any endorsement or guarantee of quality or suitability to meet your specific needs.

Kind regards, Jo Freitag

Gifted Resources

Postal

89 Third Ave

Rosebud

Victoria 3939

Phone (03) 5981 2439

Website: www.giftedresources.org

Email: jo@giftedresources.org