



CEOM Student Wellbeing Drama Festival 2009



Initial Information and Expression of Interest

What is it? A drama festival to celebrate Student Wellbeing in Catholic Schools in the Archdiocese of Melbourne. Students, with the guidance of their teacher, research and develop a 10 minute performance related to an area of social and emotional wellbeing. Schools will come together in May / June 2009 and perform at the Clocktower Centre (Moonee Ponds) or the Whitehorse Centre (Nunawading).

Topics for the performance could include:

- Promoting Positive Relationships
- Resilience
- Positive-Decision Making
- Help-Seeking Behaviour

Who can enter? Any Primary (Years 3 to 6) or Secondary (Years 7 to 10) class. Not all the class has to perform; some class members can take a back stage role. The maximum number of people from any school (including all performers, backstage crew and supervising teachers) at the theatre on the day is 35.

How do you enter? Simply fill in the expression of interest form (over) and return it by **Monday 1 December 2008**. Schools will be selected after 1 December 2008 to ensure an equitable distribution across the Archdiocese.

What cost is involved? All schools will receive a small grant allocation to support the development of the event. There is no entry fee for the participation in the Drama Festival. Tickets to the performance will be available from the theatres for \$7 each and an order form for tickets will accompany the information package at the beginning of 2009.

When is it? Develop your performance during Semester 1. The festival will be held in May / June 2009 at the Clocktower Centre (Moonee Ponds) and the Whitehorse Centre (Nunawading).

How do I get more details? An information package will be sent to participating schools at the start of the 2009 school year. Information on the 2008 CEOM Student Wellbeing Drama Festival is available on the *Student Wellbeing Action Partnership (SWAP)* website at www.education.unimelb.edu.au/swap



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Expression of Interest Form

Please complete the details below and return to CEOM by Monday 1 December

School Name	
Type	<input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary
Suburb	
E Number	
Telephone	
Fax	

Contact Person	
Contact Email address	
Role of contact person	
Preferred venue	<input type="checkbox"/> Clocktower Centre (Moonee Ponds) <input type="checkbox"/> Whitehorse Centre (Nunawading)

Year level and class	
Name of teacher	
Contact Email address	

Name of Principal	
Principal's signature	
Date	

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