

Student Wellbeing News

Reclaim the Night

MacKillop College is again participating in the Family Violence Awareness Group's **RECLAIM THE NIGHT**. Reclaim the Night is a global women's protest against domestic violence. It is part of the international Reclaim the Night movement for a woman's right to be free from violence and to be safe. It allows people to come together to speak out against violence, celebrate strength, and to create awareness about sexual, domestic and family violence issues.

Students are invited to meet at the Machattie Park Rotunda at 5.30pm. The march will commence at 6.00pm and will be followed by a free BBQ. Please wear FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM and let's UNITE AS ONE to say NO to domestic violence!

MacKillop Sun-safe Update

Evidence suggests that childhood exposure to UV radiation contributes significantly to the development of skin cancer in later life. MacKillop College is introducing the following initiatives to address the issue of sun protection of students:

- 2 **sunscreen stations** will be installed in the coming weeks opposite the entrance to the College gym for students to use throughout the day. This will start as a trial and additional stations will be added as necessary.
- A range of **school hats** will be available at the start of 2018. Students will be able to choose from a MacKillop bucket hat or a cap, as well as the possibility of a formal hat.

Prior to the introduction of MacKillop hats, students are permitted to wear a non school hat/cap when they are out in the sun at recess or lunch. We ask that students choose an appropriate cap (i.e. sunsafe option and NO inappropriate logos please).

Have a wonderful week,



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