

## Communities for Children Community Partners

### INSPIRE CONNECTIONS

Equine facilitated learning program at Broadmarsh which provides a multi-sensory hands-on approach to support the development of self-awareness and personal growth through a structured and experiential based program with horses, focussing on identifying and regulating emotions, communication, and skills for social interaction. Aimed at middle to upper primary school children with current needs which may result from ADHD, anxiety, ASD or learning challenges caused by complex and developmental trauma, identified by parents, school staff, social workers, and service providers (incl CfC CPs). 4 x 5 week programs during Terms 1 and 2 2024.

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### PLAYGROUP TAS

Inclusive playgroup program for families and their children birth - 5 years both with and without disabilities which encourages community participation by designing developmentally and culturally appropriate sessions based around themes and activities in partnership with attending families – taking the lead from the children and empowering their voices. Families (particularly those with disability) are supported to transition into community playgroups or other universal services that meet the needs of individual families, when and if this need is identified. Runs for a 1.5 hr session once a week during school term. Also provides participants with a soft entry into other services with information and referrals.

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### UNITING TAS

- Family and Community Support Worker based in Bridgewater.
- Aboriginal Family and Community Support Worker based in Bridgewater.
- School Holiday Program team, works 1 on 1 with families, links with other Aboriginal services, connects/ networks to ensure any gaps and transitions are smooth.
- Additionally, the team can utilise evidence-based programs as raised by families and in network and community communications.

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### NAVIGATE FAMILY SERVICES

Based at Kempton, servicing the families of Kempton, Broadmarsh, Mangalore, Bagdad and Dysart Mondays – Thursdays; counselling, mental health supports, brief intervention and case management, referrals to other allied health professionals, therapy for anxious and/or dysregulated individuals, community enrichment and mentoring programs.

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### HOBART CITY MISSION

A multi-purpose community hub in Oatlands which collaborates with other services, hosting a range of activities and services reflecting local need including early intervention for families and children to address physical and mental health, wellbeing, social isolation, nutrition, ER, and advice and information. Also after school activities during school terms and school holiday events.

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### FAMILY PLANNING TAS

All programs delivered annually.

- Growing Up Program delivered in schools Kinder – Year 6 and issue-based sessions to address issues identified by school communities:
  - Glenora, Ouse, Bothwell and Westerway schools.
  - Bridgewater, Gagebrook and Herdsmans Cove schools.
  - Bagdad, Campania and Oatlands schools.
  - New Norfolk and Fairview Primary schools.
- 1 on 1 Relationship Sexuality Education for Young People with additional needs and their supports – referral from schools, Education, Justice and local community organisations.
- SoSAFE program for adults who support, educate and/or care for children with disabilities and/or additional needs.

**ALL 4 REGIONS**

### KIDS IN THE VALLEY

- Provides resilience, strengths and evidence-based programs and a range of opportunities in schools, after school and during school holidays – 6 – 12 year olds.
- School transitioning from primary to high school program utilising evidence-based programs at Glenora, Molesworth, Fairview and New Norfolk Primary schools.
- Parent support groups in person and online.

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