

Sonya Karras – Communication & Safe Partying for teens & creator of ‘Whole New World’

Dr Simon Crisp – pioneer of the ‘Wilderness Adventure Therapy’ at Austin Hospital in 1992 and awarded a Churchill Fellowship in 1996

Ian Dalton – Executive Director of the Australian Parents Council; effective partnerships to maximise schooling outcomes

Kirsten Cleland & Matt Dale - Headspace, South Melbourne

2013 at Brighton Grammar School

Glenda Strong – Executive Director at Royal Children’s Hospital Education Institute spoke on learning whilst in the RCH

Dr Craig Hassard – GP and senior lecturer at Monash University, spoke on Mindfulness

Dr Evelyn Field – practicing psychologist, bestselling author, media commentator spoke on school & workplace bullying

Caz Bosch – President of Australian Parents Council

Sally-Anne Melke – Senior Program Officer Department of Education and Early Childhood Development, Pathways and Participation Division and Higher Education and Skills Group spoke on parents becoming the career allies for their children and the development of career pathways

2014 at Caulfield Grammar School, Caulfield

Emma Scott & Summer Howarth – Learning Frontiers; Deepening Student and Parent Engagement in Learning.

Caitlin Faiman & Sharonne Blum – Developing a culture of thinking at Bialik College

Maree Crabbe – Pornography, young people and sexuality

2015 at Scotch College

Donna Sirmais – Project officer Family-School & Community Partnerships, spoke on redefining the framework and building the understanding of these connections

Catherine Gerhardt – Director Kidproof, spoke on family education programs

Martine Oglethorpe – Parent Educator and Counsellor, spoke on Parenting in a digital age and creating safe and savvy digital kids

2016 at Xavier College

Carol Kelly - Executive Director, Wellbeing Health and Engagement Division

Early Childhood and School Education Group, Department of Education and Training

Lisa Winneke-The Joy Solution; Eating Disorders, what are signs and how can you help your child to heal.

Chris Varney- I Can Networks rethink of Autism

Gemma Sisia and Dorice Livingstone-Abel – The School of St Jude; Fighting poverty through education

2017 at Brighton Grammar School “Mental Health and Wellbeing in the digital age”- Seminar

Tim Wilson - is the federal Liberal Member for Goldstein and Australia’s former Human Rights Commissioner.

Dr Glenn Melvin - Senior Lecturer and Clinical Psychologist at Monash University’s Centre for Developmental Psychiatry & Psychology, presentation about SUICIDE PREVENTION APP he developed together with Beyond-blue.

Kylie Warry - Practical strategies for parents / carers to assist students develop resilience and optimistic thinking

Martine Oglethorpe - “Digital resilience and beyond”

Josh Reid Jones - Just Be Nice – “Tools for parents and communities”

Casper Pieters - “Digital Citizenship “

Christine Ireland- “Social Emotional issues facing gifted and talented students”

2018 at Brighton Grammar School

Michael Carr Gregg - 'What parents need to know about mental health issues for young people' July 2018

VPC Parent, School and Community Engagement in Student Learning – August 2018

2019 Celebrating 60 - Years Anniversary

At Melbourne University: Caz Batson - Parent Engagement practices in school communities, Melbourne Graduate School of Education June 2019

At Independent Schools Victoria, ISV Caz Batson - Parent Engagement throughout schooling, June 2019

At Brighton Grammar School Dr Simon Rice - "Promoting a healthy masculinity" - positive masculinity is integral to young men’s mental health Oct 2019

at Scotch College

Steve Biddulph – Celebrating 60 years of service, an evening with Steve Biddulph “Raising Boys” Oct 2019

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