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Victorian Parents Council reserves the right to alter any of the arrangements for events as stated on this website, either before or during the event and this may include cancelling or terminating an event.

# **Event Cancellation**

In the unusual event that an event is cancelled only the event registration fee will be refunded. Victorian Parents Council will not refund travel, accommodation or other expenses incurred in connection with the cancelled event. Registrants should bear this in mind when making travel arrangements.

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- keep your password secure and protected;
- keep only one record of your password;
- do not tell any unauthorised person your password;
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