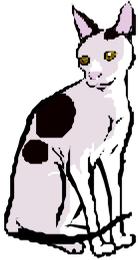


### **Blessing of the Animals**

The Anglican Parish of St Stephen and St Luke invites you all to join them on Sunday 30 September as they celebrate World Animal Day with two services of *Blessing of the Animals*.

9.00 am St Luke's Church  
10.45 am St Stephen's Church

Your pets, of course, are welcome.  
Toy animals welcome too!!



### **Mindmatters**

Just prior to the end of Term 2 (Moderation Day) the Year 9 and 10 Hutchins students took part in an in-service day. During the day, students participated in two **Mindmatters** sessions. The sessions explored coping strategies, help-seeking and discrimination. These sessions were part of a wide project within the School.

**Mindmatters** refers to the national resource package, which promotes whole-school strategies to improve the health and well-being of students. Social and emotional well-being have been linked to young people's schooling outcomes, their social development, their capacity to contribute to the workforce and the community, and the rate of youth suicide. **Mindmatters** aims to enhance the development of school environments where young people feel safe, valued, engaged and purposeful.

Hutchins has a **Mindmatters** committee, which facilitates individual initiatives and co-ordinates the whole school implementation of the **Mindmatters** resource. Initiatives this year have included staff in-service implementation of the **Mindmatters** resources in the Middle School Tutor groups, Mental Health sessions with Years 9 and 10, networking with other schools and working closely with the Health and Physical Education Faculty in the development of the new drug policy and parent evenings.

Importantly, Hutchins needs the support and contribution from the wider school community in this key initiative. If you would like to be part of the **Mindmatters** Committee or like to enquire about the **Mindmatters** resource, please contact Mr Ken Kingston or Mrs Jo Cook at the Centre for Excellence on 6221 4266. It is our hope that through an active committee we can successfully build a more supportive school environment and create resilient, caring and connected young adults.

## **Mothers' Dinner**

**Tuesday 16 October 2001**

**7.00 for 7.30 pm start**

***Newlands***  
**4 Toorak Ave Lenah Valley**



**Cost: \$55 includes Dinner and Drinks**

The annual Hutchins Mothers' Dinner will be held at the beautiful Newlands House in Lenah Valley on Tuesday 16 October. This is a great occasion and allows all Hutchins mothers and their friends to catch up with each other—and as our sons grow older we seem to do this less often than we used to! For mothers new to Hutchins, or non-Hutchins mums, it is an opportunity to make new friends and perhaps to meet mothers with boys in their son's class.

Numbers are limited. Money must be paid by Thursday 10 October to Mrs Pam Daly in the Development Office.

Organise a table or allow us to place you on a table with other fun-loving guests.

# Oysters in the Cloisters

... closer to heaven with St David



**Date:** Friday, 12 October

**Time:** 6.00 – 8.00 pm

**Place:** St David's Cathedral, Macquarie St entrance

*Featuring:*

- ✂ Beer, wine, juice, soft drink
- ✂ Oysters and other fine foods
- ✂ Entertainment involving choral music, strings and bellringing

**Ticket:** \$22

Available from the Development Office now.

**Hutchins Race Day**  
**Saturday 27 October**

**Hutchins Golf Day**  
**Sunday 18 November**



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## A Day at the Races

Featuring the WS Cox Plate at Moonee Valley and a full card of local races

**Saturday 27 October 2001**

Elwick Racecourse

12 for 12.30 pm

Dress: Jacket and Tie



**\$40 per person donation for**

- ? A complimentary glass of champagne
- ? Lunch in a private dining room, with a dedicated Tote Terminal
- ? A complimentary race book
- ? All day racecourse entry
- ? Access to members' enclosure
- ? Lucky door prizes
- ? A great day of fun – even for racing novices!

For more information contact Ann Reimer 6221 4270 or  
[are@hutchins.tas.edu.au](mailto:are@hutchins.tas.edu.au)

All funds raised to benefit The Hutchins School



**Limited Seating**  
Tickets available from  
The Hutchins School Development Office

