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16 February 2024

Dear Parents

RESILIENT KIDS PROGRAM – CENTACARE

Walcha Central School and Centacare New England North West will be running a Resilient Kids program during school hours for students in 5/6G.

The Resilient Kids program has been delivered in schools for the past 10 years with positive outcomes.

The program aims to:

- Develop resilience
- Increase self-esteem
- Increase ability to cope
- Enhance communication skills

Resilient Kids is a free 5-week program which covers the topics of:

- 1. Resilience
- 2. Self-Esteem and Strengths
- 3. Feelings
- 4. Communication
- 5. Problem Solving

For your child to be a part of this opportunity for skills development, please complete the attached Request for Service form from Centacare.

If this form is not completed, your child will unfortunately not be allowed to participate.

If you have any questions about the Resilient Kids program, please don't hesitate to contact the school on 6777 2777.

Your sincerely

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AGENCY Form: Request for Service / DSS Data Collection – Schools (RSRP)

CHILD / YOUNG PERSON	S INFORMATION:	Client No:	
Surname:	First Name:	D.O.B:	Gender::
Address:	ddress: Postcode:		
Home Phone:	Mobile		
Country of Birth:	14		
Does the child/young person identify as Aboriginal?			🗋 Yes 🗌 No
Does the child/young person identify as Torres Strait Islander?			🗌 Yes 📋 No
If Yes, do they require an ATSI Liaison Officer?			🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Does the child/young person identify as being from a Cultural Linguistically Diverse background?			🗌 Yes 🗌 No
If Yes, do they require a CALD Liaison Officer?			🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Main language spoken at h	ome:		
Does the child/young perso have any one or more of th following impairments?	e	 Intellectual Learning Sensory Speech None 	 Psychiatric Physical/Diverse
If Yes, please provide detai	IS:		
Are any of your children un	der the care of the Minister?	Yes No	
If Yes, please provide deta		5?	Yes No
Parent/Caregiver Informa	ition:		
Surname:	First Name:	D.O.B;	
Address:		Postcode:	
Home Phone:	Mobile		
Relationship to child/young	person:		
Do you identify as Aborigin	al?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Do you identify as Torres S	Strait Islander?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
If Yes, do you require an A	TSI Liaison Officer?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Do you identify as being from a Cultural Linguistically Diverse background?			🗌 Yes 🗌 No
If Yes, do you require a CA	LD Liaison Officer?		🗌 Yes 🗌 No
Does the parent/ caregive any one or more of the fo impairments?		 Intellectual Learning Sensory Speech None 	 Psychiatric Physical/Diverse
Current Court Orders:] Yes 📋 No	Current AVO:	🗌 Yes 🗌 No
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Rural Schools Resilience Programs (RSRP)

is designed to increase resilience and wellbeing amongst students, families, the school and the wider community.

The program is delivered face to face and support growth in:

- Resiliency ۲
- Trauma and Grief Recovery
- **Emotional Regulation** •
- Anxiety
- **Personal Wellbeing**
- **Problem solving** ۲
- Building self esteem
- Strengthening relationships •



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Centacare NENW acknowledges the traditional custodians of this land and pays respects to the elders both past and present



Rural Schools Resilience Program (RSRP)

Provides Individual Support, Groups and Counselling to





Centacare NENW is a social services agency delivering mental health and wellbeing supports across New England North West region. Through the delivery of these services, a gap has been identified with smaller remote schools often missing service provision that is readily available in the larger regional centres.

The aim of the program is to increase resiliency amongst students, increase mental health and emotional wellbeing of students, the wider family, the school and wider community.

The program will involve a mix of counselling, tailored groups for

A Counsellor will work alongside the facilitators and deliver counselling sessions to students, staff and identified family members.

A focus of this position will also be working with teachers to increase their ability to apply therapeutic approaches for students who may have experienced trauma.

The following programs are available to rural remote schools:

Seasons for Growth

Seasons for Growth is a grief and loss program that uses the imagery of the seasons to illustrate the experience of grief. It explores the impact of change and learn new ways to respond to these changes and runs for 8 weeks.

Resilient Kids (6-12years)

Resilient Kids aims to develop resilience, increase ability to cope with change, provide opportunities for self-expression, increase self-esteem, reduce feelings of isolation and enhance kids' communication abilities. It

RAGE (Re-navigating Anger and Guilt Emotions) (11-17 years)

RAGE is a 6-week strengths based course that aims to develop a young person's ability to manage overwhelming emotions such as anger and guilt.

Rules in Relationships Rules in

Relationships was created in response to the growing concerns of teenage relationship abuse directed toward women and young girls. The course is an early intervention consisting of 8 modules with fun activities and discussions designed to equip adolescent males with the knowledge and skills to abstain from relationship abuse.

Fusion

Is a fun interactive team building program which highlights qualities to strengthen relationships, As a group we will navigate through games using problem solving, leadership and power of teamwork <u>Stormbirds currently unavailable</u> Stormbirds is a small group program aimed at managing the changes