

## **Parenting Information Forum**

Supporting Parents, Grandparents and Carers



## **EFFECTS OF ONLINE GAMING ON OUR CHILDREN & YOUTH (8-18 YEARS)**

What are the parenting strategies that optimise the online opportunities for children while minimising online risks?

Join Steven Dupon, Founder of the Institute of Games and www.videogames.org.au for a discussion on how to keep our children safe and healthy in a world that is rapidly changing.

Expect to learn more about

 Parenting strategies to balance screen time in the home.

- When to seek professional help
- Violence and other inappropriate content for children
- Online gambling in online worlds
- How to create positive gaming experiences

Steven has developed resources for parents and professionals on how to better manage gaming at home including: *Parent's Guide to Gaming* and the *Parent's workbook for Dealing with Gaming Issues at Home*.

Steven is a passionate and experienced speaker.



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TIME

VENUE

**BOOKINGS** 

COST

OTHER INFORMATION

Tuesday 14 May

Registration and tea and coffee from 7pm. Information session commences at 7.30pm sharp

Whitehorse Centre, 397 Whitehorse Road, Nunawading (rear of Nunawading Library)

Registering your attendance is essential. Please book online at www.whitehorse.vic.gov.au/ Parenting-Information-Forum-Program.html

\$2 gold coin donation payable on the night.

- To request additional access support including interpreting please contact Council's Parenting Resource Officer on 9262 6175 or parentresource@whitehorse.vic.gov.au
- Please note that we are unable to accommodate children

