



**Australia New Zealand
Regional Conference
April 2013**



Building Better Men
Educating for Character

Message from the Regional Vice President



The Australia New Zealand chapter of the International Boys' School Coalition is pleased to invite you to our first regional conference, to be hosted

by Christ Church Grammar School in Perth, Western Australia.

I hope that all educators focused on the development of boys will find the theme of the conference, which is about building character, of interest. I am extremely pleased to have confirmed a diverse range of speakers, and am looking forward to including an element of member schools contributing brief presentations on best practice.

Perth in April is always beautiful and we look forward to sharing some of the best of our city and the State's fine food and wine.

I hope you will join us for this exciting conference.

Best regards

Garth Wynne

Regional Vice President, Australia New Zealand ISBC
Headmaster, Christ Church Grammar School

Conference Program

Saturday 6 April

2.30pm	Registration
3.00pm	Welcome address by Garth Wynne
3.15pm	<i>Conversations on character</i> with John Inverarity
4.15pm	<i>Elements of character</i> delegate workshop facilitated by circle
5.00pm	Welcome cocktail function
7.00pm	Free evening

Sunday 7 April

10.00am	<i>The perilous world where boys become men</i> with Dr Michael Kimmel
10.45am	<i>Health and well being of young men</i> with Prof Donna Cross
11.30am	Q+A session with Prof Donna Cross and Dr Michael Kimmel
1.30pm	<i>Elements of character</i> review – circle
2.00pm	Student voice: What young men say about schools influencing character
3.15pm	Schools on character – presentations of best practice
4.00pm	<i>The character of elite performance</i> with Dr Ric Charlesworth
6.00pm	Conference dinner at Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club

Monday 8 April

9.00am	Schools on character – presentations from delegates
11.00am	Conference summation with Dr Michael Kimmel
1.00pm	School tours available until around 3.00pm

Key Speaker Profiles

Dr Michael Kimmel



Michael is among the leading researchers, writers and lecturers on men and masculinity in the world today. He has authored and edited more than 20 volumes and is known as a highly engaging

speaker. His recent book *Guyland: The Perilous World Where Boys Become Men* was a best-seller in the US, approaching the well-known boy crisis from within young men's experiences of manhood.

Dr Ric Charlesworth AM



Ric is a renowned coach and mentor, author, doctor of medicine, former Member of Parliament and former captain and coach of many gold medal winning

Australian Hockey teams. He is currently Head Coach of the Australian Men's Hockey Team and his most recent accolade was Coach of the Year in 2010. Ric is also an Old Boy of Christ Church Grammar School (1969).

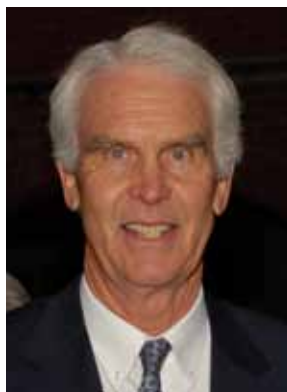
Prof Donna Cross



Donna is the Foundation Professor of Child and Adolescent Health in the School of Exercise and Health Sciences and the Founding Director of the

Child Health Promotion Research Centre at Edith Cowan University in Perth. She conducts school and family-based research addressing health and wellbeing for children and adolescents including mental health promotion, injury control and drug use prevention.

John Inverarity



John is a former test cricketer and currently the Chairman of Selectors for Cricket Australia. His leadership, both in his sporting and professional life is legendary. He is an

educator of the highest standing, with great experience and wisdom. Originally a mathematics teacher, he was influential as Vice Principal at Adelaide's Pembroke School and Headmaster of Perth's Hale School, and also as warden of St George's College, University of Western Australia.

Booking

www.trybooking.com/CBLV

Inquiries

Christ Church Grammar School
+61 8 9442 1555

Conference Fee

Early Bird Registration Rates

For delegates who book by 1 December 2012
\$300 (plus GST) for IBSC Members
\$400 (plus GST) for all others

Standard Conference Registration Rates

For delegates who book after 1 December 2012
\$350 (plus GST) for IBSC Members
\$450 (plus GST) for all others

Accommodation

Delegates are encouraged to take advantage of a special rate of \$230 per night negotiated with the Esplanade Hotel in historic and beautiful Fremantle. Bus transport will be provided from the hotel to/from Christ Church Grammar School for conference sessions. Please call +61 08 9432 4817 or email rsm@ehf.com.au and request the IBSC conference rate for your booking.

WA Member Schools



HALE SCHOOL



Sponsors

