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UPDATE: Growing Gorgeous Boys into Good Men Nowra Workshop

Due to unprecedented demand, additional seating is now available for the Growing Gorgeous Boys into Good men workshop in Nowra.

Shoalhaven Council in partnership with the Community Drug Action Team will host a presentation by well known social commentator and bestselling author Celia Lashlie.

This free presentation to be held on the 1st of June at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre in Nowra.

Demand for this workshop has been overwhelming. The response from interested people has meant the workshop has been relocated from the smaller Studio Theatre to the Main Auditorium at the Entertainment Centre. This will mean that no one will miss out on this rare opportunity to hear Celia Lashlie speak.

Celia, who spent 15 years as a prison officer has seen firsthand the consequences of men making the wrong choices in life.

A mother herself, she has also experienced the fear and concern for the adolescent male as he navigates his way through a sometimes tough and steep learning environment.

The aim of Celia's workshops are to give parents the tools to help understand our boys, and to lead and support them into the future so they become strong, caring and valued men in society.

Her ideas are sometimes challenging, but give food for thought and plenty of tips on how to work effectively with teenage boys.

The constant distractions and temptations out there in our fast paced world can seem to pull our young men into what can be difficult and dangerous situations.

Celia brings an insight into the world of young men and their feelings that will not only benefit parents, but other relatives, educators, and youth workers.

Council's Community Development Officer, Mr. Alan Blackshaw is pleased to be involved in the presentation. "Celia is well known and respected for her work in the field of adolescent males. I'm sure the audience will benefit from her workshop and be able to take some valuable skills and ideas out into their own situations" he said.

The Nowra workshop will be held at the Shoalhaven Entertainment Centre, Bridge Road, Nowra on 1st June from 2-4pm.

Bookings can be made by phoning Di Woods on 42238349 or emailing Dianne.woods@sesiahs.health.nsw.gov.au

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