

# Day for Daniel



Dear Principal,

As you may be aware our son Daniel Morcombe, then 13-years-old, was abducted from a bus stop on Sunday, December 7, 2003. Since that day many people have supported us in our mission to find Daniel and those responsible for his abduction and suspected murder.

Last year we established the Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc and our objectives are; to continue in the search for our son, to give back to the community by way of promoting personal safety awareness for children of all ages and to support other victims of crime particularly where children are involved.

The Foundation to date has set up a trust account to aid Child Victims of Crime and started a safety awareness programme for schools whereby we are personally visiting schools and speaking to students on Personal Safety matters. We are in the process of producing a DVD to assist schools in this important awareness initiative.

The Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc consists of a dedicated committee comprising us, two serving police officers and a number of committed community minded people. Our Patron is Kay McGrath, Channel 7 News Presenter.

We appreciate there are many demands made on schools, however we are sending this note to you for your consideration of a project we are planning.



We would like to enlist as many schools as possible to participate in our annual; "Day for Daniel", to be held on **Tuesday, 31st October 2006.**

Late last year many schools participated in a free dress day or themed day titled; 'Day for Daniel.' The children were encouraged to wear something red, a colour we have identified closely with Daniel as he was last seen wearing a red t-shirt. This gesture also provided schools with an opportunity to talk about personal safety, to encourage children to be observant of their surroundings and to look out for each other.

Some schools generously donated the student's "Free Dress" coin collection to the Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc. Though not expected it is very welcome.

This year, for those schools who would like to participate in any way they chose, the committee has a supply of wristbands that are very popular with children and can be purchased to support the Foundation.



Bearing the message, "Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc - Child Safety Awareness", these wristbands come in 2 sizes:

- Small (19cm) - generally suitable for females of all ages and male students to 13 y.o.
- Large (21cm) - generally suitable for males over 13 y.o.

Should you wish to participate in this initiative we would be able to send to your school our Corporate Brochure, which may be useful for a class project plus the following:



Wristbands	\$2.00 (No payment until after the Day for Daniel)
Stickers	No Charge
Tattoos (temporary)	No Charge

If you decided this is something your school would like to participate in, could you please let us know and also if you would like any wristbands, the size and the number required. We can also send stickers and tattoos to give away to the children to put on books etc.

Participating schools will also receive a certificate of thanks from the Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc.

We are grateful for the continued community support that has been shown to us and this gives us the strength to honour our son and hopefully prevent this happening again.

Whether or not your school is able to be involved with this particular event we would like to extend our thanks for taking the time to consider our proposal.



Yours sincerely

*Denise Morcombe*  
*Bruce Morcombe*

Denise and Bruce Morcombe  
Daniel Morcombe Foundation Inc



If you were willing to support this cause it would be appreciated if a contact person's details and a mailing address for your school be included on a return email to [danielfd@bigpond.net.au](mailto:danielfd@bigpond.net.au) by 1st September 2006. See Following.

**Please complete and return this sheet prior to 1st September 2006.**

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

School Postal Address:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Contact Person's Name:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Contact Persons phone number:  
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Order requirements:

Items	Cost	Numbers Required
<b>Corporate Brochures</b>	<b>Free</b>	
<b>Wristbands – small (19cm)</b>	<b>\$2.00*</b>	
<b>Wristbands – large (21cm)</b>	<b>\$2.00*</b>	
<b>Stickers</b>	<b>Free</b>	
<b>Temporary Tattoos</b>	<b>Free</b>	

\*NB: Payment is only required after the Day for Daniel.

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