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Community Road Safety Forum 2018

Melton City Council has partnered up with Victoria Police to host a community road safety forum on 30 August.

The free forum, which will be held at Melton Library and Learning Hub, aims to teach residents more about road rules and the effects of road trauma.

Guest speakers from Victoria Police, Road Trauma Support Services, Ambulance Victoria and Victims of Road Trauma Support will share insights into their experiences of dealing with the effects of road collisions.

City of Melton Mayor, Cr Bob Turner, said Council was committed to helping reduce the number of lives lost on Victorian roads.

"Road trauma has lasting effects on more than just those involved in the collisions; it affects their families, friends and communities," Cr Turner said.

"This forum is an opportunity for the community – especially our young drivers - to reflect on the importance of save driving, and the impact of their choices on the road.

"We want to help facilitate these conversations, and do our bit to one day achieve zero deaths on our roads."

The event will have guest speakers, brochures and showbags with educational material, providing plenty of information on road safety.

All residents are encouraged to attend, especially teenage drivers and their parents.

Everyone who attends will be in the draw to win free driving lessons.

To register for the free event, please visit: meltonlearning.com.au/event/community-road-safety-forum

DETAILS:
WHEN: Thursday 30 August
TIME: Welcome & registrations 6.20pm\
EVENT: 6.30pm – 9.00pm
WHERE: Melton Library (Balam Balam Seminar Room)
31 McKenzie Street, Melton

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