



Junior Health Champions

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Undergoing rapid development and population growth



Congested roads, disconnected footpaths and no access to train services.

‘Leadership for Walking’ workshop
delivered in partnership
with Victoria Walks



Barriers to active travel



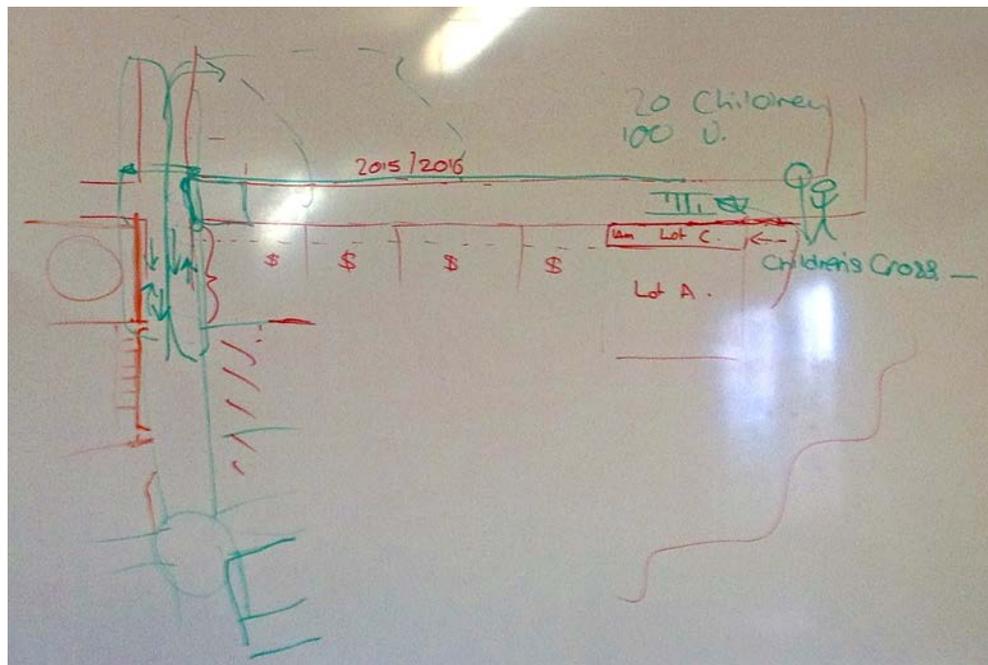
*“There have been numerous road accidents near the school, parents are scared to let their kids walk” - **Al Siraat College Principal***

Junior Health Champions present to Council



“These students are great advocates for improving the health of their community by highlighting the need for improved transport infrastructure in Epping North”.

- Whittlesea Mayor Mary Lalios



NORTH

Moreland Leader Leader Leader
Hume Leader Leader Leader
Sunbury Leader Leader Leader

Access Denied gains St Mary of the Cross MacKillop Catholic Parish Primary School support

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St Mary of the Cross MacKillop Catholic Parish Primary School students Jocelyn, Chiara and Agnes. Picture: Carmelo Bazzano

THE Access Denied campaign has been embraced by St Mary of the Cross MacKillop Catholic Parish Primary School.

Students have created a video on the perils of walking to school due to bustling traffic on High St. Epping North, as part of its participation in the Whittlesea Healthy Futures project.

Access Denied calls on the party that wins the November state election to build an interchange at the Hume Freeway/O'Herns Rd overpass and extend Edgars Rd to alleviate traffic congestion on High and Cooper streets.

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Principal Geraldine Dalton said students liaised with Whittlesea Council community development officers to find out more about the campaign.

Ms Dalton said Access Denied had been discussed widely by students' parents who were



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