



**The Office of the
Hon Malcolm Turnbull MP**

LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION
MEMBER FOR WENTWORTH

The Children's Festival 2009 – Organising Committee

I am delighted to be able to provide a message of support for the Children's Festival.

There can be no more precious group in our society than our children. All of us, as individuals, and as a community, must do everything possible to protect our children and to provide a happy, healthy and safe environment in which they can learn and grow.

This is a wonderful opportunity to thank the organisers of the Children's Festival for providing a platform for children to develop an understanding of different cultures, which builds respect, tolerance and friendships across our community. The Children's Festival allows people to come together to learn and share their cultures which ensures a harmonious nation rich in diversity.

I would like to acknowledge and thank all those businesses and individuals who have given so generously of their time – whether through a donation of money, equipment or time.

On the 11th Anniversary of Children's Festival I wish you all the very best. I trust the children and families attending will have a fantastic and fun filled day.

With warmest wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Malcolm Turnbull'.

MALCOLM TURNBULL