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New program launch in Geelong close to Director's heart

The return of the fourth school term in October will see the launch of a new after school care program commencing at St. John's Lutheran School, Geelong.

With Extend Outside School Hours Care services currently being delivered across Australia, the first Extend service to launch in Geelong is a particularly exciting one for Extend Director. "Being a local boy and an avid Geelong supporter, the first Extend service to launch practically in my own 'back yard' is quite close to my heart" admits Darren Stevenson. "I'm really proud to open up our service in Geelong to meet the needs of a school community who are from my own local area."

Extend's After School Care service will commence on the first day of term 4 for St. John's Lutheran School, and will comprise of structured activities with a focus on child safety and educational fun. Activities are tailored and planned for the entire term and include a wide range of unique themed activities incorporating arts and crafts, sport, science, cooking, dance, drama and homework club. Kids can try hovercrafts building, mosaics, parachutes, fish frenzies, crazy cricket and heaps more!

Most families will pay between \$4.56 - \$9.25 per child per session, based on Child Care Benefits (CCB) and the non-income tested 50% Child Care Rebate (CCR). "As a parent myself, if my kids are well fed after school, engaged in stimulating activities, positively interacting with other children, and above all are safe and in quality care; I think it is great value," states Darren Stevenson.

For further information on Extend or to enquire about having an Extend service delivered at your school visit www.extend.com.au. For further information on St. John's Lutheran School including enrolment information for your child in 2011, visit www.stjohns.vic.edu.au.

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