STAYING SAFE AT MLC

GUIDELINES

Methodist Ladies’ College has implemented safe traffic guidelines for all drivers and pedestrians.

ACTIVE COMMUTING

We encourage families to encourage their girls to become active commuters.

Our College mascot, Becha Bear, has been enlisted as our Active Commuting Ambassador.

‘Becha’ is an acronym that stands for:

B – BEHAVIOUR,
E – ENVIRONMENT,
C – COMMUNITY, AND
H – HEALTHY
A – ATTITUDES

Active commuting relates to physical activity undertaken as a means of transport, and includes walking, cycling, or any other form of non-motorised transport. It also includes the use of public transport because this usually involves physical activity at either end of the journey. (UWA Schools of Population Health and Movement and Exercise research)

International studies show that girls who become active commuters improve their cardiovascular health and fitness levels, and have improved cognitive performance, especially verbal, numeric and reasoning abilities. You can follow Becha's travels in the Wyvern.

SPEED LIMIT

The speed limit on MLC grounds is 10 kilometres per hour at all times.

STIRLING HIGHWAY ENTRANCE

As you turn into the main driveway slow down to the College speed limit, but do not stop.

Pedestrians have right of way and should use the crossing outside of the Meredith Taylor Health and Sports Centre.

PARKING

Students are not permitted to park their vehicles on campus.

If you will be visiting MLC for more than two hours, parking is available in the car park adjacent to the Meredith Taylor Health and Sports Centre. Take the first turn to the left as you enter the College from Stirling Highway.

When exiting the car park do not block or impede the traffic flow on the main driveway.

Short term visitor parking is available in the Hadley Hall car park for up to two hours. This is also the main drop-off/pick-up area.

Parking in the following sections of the Hadley Hall Car Park is strictly prohibited:

- The Fire Services lane that runs along the fence line adjoining Christ Church Grammar School.
- The service lane between Hadley Hall and Christ Church Grammar School.
- The white-lined bus bay in front of the roller doors at the rear of the Meredith Taylor Health and Sports Centre.

USE OF THE HADLEY HALL DROP-OFF/PICK-UP ZONE

The drop-off zone is clearly marked and is a no parking area.

To keep the traffic flowing, parents that wish to use the drop-off zone should keep their car engines running while their children disembark or get into their car. If your child is not there when you arrive please keep the traffic flowing by moving into a parking space or by circling the car park. Stopping to wait in the drop-off/pick-up zone delays other parents and causes congestion, increasing the likelihood of accidents.
CORRY LYNN ROAD

The Corry Lynn Road slip lane is for drop-off/pick-up only. Staff are there to assist with younger children at pick-up times; be patient and do not leave your car. Your daughter's school bag will be put into the car with her.

When dropping off or picking up your daughter in Corry Lynn Road, the following should be observed:

- Move to the top end of the drop-off/pick-up zone before allowing your daughter to exit or get into your car.
- Keep traffic flowing around the drop-off/pick-up zone and roundabout.
- It is illegal to stop on the roundabout.
- Do not obstruct flow by continuously circling the roundabout.
- Do not pull into the MLC driveway off the roundabout.
- Students should not be dropped off or alight at the give-way sign at the corner of Brae and Corry Lynn Roads.
- If possible, exit by Cliff Road rather than Corry Lynn Road.

PARKING

The Claremont Council prohibits parking on the roadside or verges along Corry Lynn Road and the surrounding streets during peak times. Council officers regularly patrol the area. There is limited parking available on Corry Lynn Road.

SCHOOL DAY START AND FINISH TIMES

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Parents should not leave children at school unsupervised. Students should only be on campus before 8am if they are attending an organised event.

Teacher supervision begins at 8.15am, when classroom doors are opened, and ends at pick-up. A teacher is on duty to supervise girls being collected from the Corry Lynn slip road from 2.30pm to 3.35pm.

The Junior Years' Library will also have a staff member on duty from 8am until 4pm. Girls in Years 2 to 6 can go to the Library at 8am and in the afternoon.

Years 7 to 12 students are able to use the Walter Shepherd Resource Centre Monday to Thursday from 8am until 6pm and on Friday 8am to 4pm.

The Middle Years operates a homework club, Flourish, from 3.30pm until 5.30pm on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

The Senior Years' Academic Centre operates Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 3.30pm until 5.30pm in Connell 1.5.

Thank you for helping us to keep MLC a safe campus for all.

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