



Borallon's Great Race for Learn @ Work Program

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(Ipswich, Queensland) – The managers and operators of Borallon Correctional Centre Management & Training Corporation (MTC) are holding their very own "...Great Race" around Borallon for their third Learn @ Work event for their non-custodial and custodial staff members.

What is Learn at Work you ask? Learn @ Work Day is a national event that is held on the 2nd September 2005 as part of Adult Learners Week. During Learn @ Work Day individuals and organizations throughout Australia are encouraged to reflect on their learning practices and to try something new.

This year Borallon activities for Learn @ Work Day will have non-custodial staff starting at a particular location and completing questions then following clues throughout the centre. The aim is for non-custodial staff members to experience a different role at work and learn about what skills and/or knowledge is required for custodial staff members to successfully supervise and manage offenders and other related tasks.

Jenny Hanna, the Manager Human Relations and a proactive promoter of the Learn at Work Program has said "...last year the staff really took ownership of the Program that was developed for Learn at Work. This year we are promoting a learning culture and the staff have really embraced this culture and we are expecting a lot of enthusiastic participants. This is actually going to be really a great fun learning project for us at Borallon."

Each non-custodial staff member will be allocated to a team and starting point, they must complete a questionnaire and will be given a clue for their next destination. At the end of *The Great Borallon Race* each member will come out richer for learning but will also receive a rich reward!



Karen Gosselin, the Borallon Vocation Teacher and advocator of the Learn @ Work Day helping promote the Great Borallon Race.

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