# Queensland Women's Week 2017 Be involved. Lead the way.









Supported by YWCA Queensland and the Queensland Government.

Our Oakleigh State School P & C, as a result of a successful grant application, are excited to host:

# A Week of Inspiration and Empowerment

"Leaders light a fire within people." Dr Catherine Ball



### Drone Day with Dr Catherine Ball



Monday 6 March

# for Students

Tuesday 7 March

9am

Yr 5 and 6 students are invited to a panel discussion on women in leadership and STEM

Class Event We invite parents who are women in leadership to approach classroom teachers to arrange a 5 minute chat to the children about your role at some time this week.

Venue: Oakleigh State School, Buxton Street, Ashgrove

### Leadership Panel Leadership Panel for Parents

Thursday 9 March

7pm

Our parents are invited to hear from a panel of women leaders who will provide inspiring messages about how we can poport our girls to be leaders.



Includes light catering

Eventbrite bookings http://bit.ly/2kdcOGe

9am - 1pm: Sessions for Yrs 2-6

2.15pm: Whole School Assembly 3.15pm Yr 6 female students and their parents - a special afternoon tea and chat with Catherine about career pathways.



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## Catherine Ball



Catherine is a global pioneer in the drone indusry. She is a scientist, humanitarian, business woman, innovator and entrepreneur. She was recognised as the Telstra Businesswoman of the Year in 2015 and as an AFR Boss Magazine Young Executive of the Year.

Dr Catherine will be with us on Monday 6 March.



### Panel Members

**Emily** Biswell



Senior HR Business Partner -Mastercard

Currently supporting the Processing businesses across Australia and New Zealand based out of Brisbane.

She is really excited to be bringing the signature STEM initiative, Girls 4 Tech to Brisbane and to be launching it with Oakleigh State School

Both panels

#### Carolyn Snow



Partner, Corporate and Financial Services, Russells

Vice President, National Council of Women of Queensland

Parent Panel

#### Megan Houghton



Executive General Manager, Energy Solution.

Previously Director-General for the Department of Tourism, Major Events, Small Business and the Commonwealth Games with the Queensland Government

Megan is a member of Chief Executive Women, was 2010 Telstra Queensland Business Woman of the Year and has been named as an Australian Financial Revie of Influence.

#### Kellie-Anne Robinson



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Chief Operating Officer of Obzervr, a technology start-up in field service and data collection.

Obzervr is focussed on disrupting the field service management market and using technology to support field workers whilst also delivering significant efficiency and risk-reduction benefits to their organisation. She's particularly passionate about how in her role as a business leader she can contribute, influence and invest in ensuring our communities are adapting in the changing world,

Student Panel

### Jane Morgan



Anne Ozdowska



PhD Candidate - QUT Human Computer Interaction (Video Games)

When Anne started her IT degree in 1998, she was one of four girls out of 400.

She is keen to talk about the importance of mothers modelling education and

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#### Chloe Mudie



Susan Monro



parent

Program Manager, NDIS at the Mental Illness Fellowship QLD.

Susan brings her mix of technical and interpersonal skills to facilitate solutions to manage change and bring lasting business improvements.

In her current role, she is leading business

arent Panel

Emily DeLa Pena



Founder of CodingKids

Before Coding Kids Emily was as a civil engineer working on transport infrastructure planning, Manager in TransLink, a division within, Transport and Main Roads, teaching English to adults and children in Germany, digital marketing and community engagement with Gifts4Good, a social enterprise startup, and volunteering to CoderDojo. Both panels

Executive Coach and Developer of Leaders

Jane was active in the feminist movement when her daughter was a baby in the 1970s working to give all women, especially girls, equal opportunity.

She has a particular passion to equip women find their own voice as leades

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Senior Scientist in the Department of Immunology, Pathology, QLD.

Chloe studied a Bachelor of Biomedical Science and now works diagnosing many diseases and disorders including lymphoma, leukaemia, immune function diseases and autoimmune diseases.

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