



Thursday 22 November 2007

A SPECIAL DAY IN WONDERLAND

24 children with physical disabilities will spend the morning laughing and playing in wonderland.

Westfield Strathpine is hosting a "Special Day in Wonderland" for 24 children with physical disabilities and their parents on Saturday 24 and Sunday 25 November 2007. The day involves a shopping spree with each child receiving a \$50 gift voucher from Westfield, a chat with Santa Claus, crafts and entertainment.

Darrel Bourke, CEO of MontroseAccess said "Our clients and their families face many challenges everyday; "A Special Day in Wonderland", hosted by Westfield Strathpine, is an amazing opportunity for our clients and their parents to have a day of fun, meet other families, and let their imagination run wild in Wonderland."

The children attending the Special Day in Wonderland are clients from MontroseAccess from the Pine Rivers region. The recently opened MontroseAccess office at Strathpine, provides support and therapy services to local children and young adults with physical disabilities. The support of the local community is integral to the organisation's mission of assisting clients to reach their maximum individual potential within the community.

"It often poses many difficulties for our clients to participate in the festivities of Christmas in their local community – particularly shopping. "A Special Day in Wonderland" recognises these difficulties and creates a festive and friendly atmosphere for these young people to enjoy this time of year" said Mr Bourke.

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Where: Westfield Strathpine
295 Gympie Road Qld 4500
When: 24 and 25 November 2007
Time: 9am – 12 noon