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- Xavier Davies – Respect
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**Healthy Lunch Box Tips**

Top a fresh tomato pizza base with sliced cabanossi, chopped cherry tomatoes and sliced button mushrooms. Sprinkle with reduced fat mozzarella cheese. Bake in preheated 220 C oven for 10 minutes. Cut into wedges. Wrap slices in plastic wrap and freeze. Pack pizza wedge in a chilled lunch box with a crunchy salad.

Pack a small bunch of seedless grapes into a snap lock bag. In another bag pack a few cubes of reduced fat tasty cheese and a few jatz biscuits.

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**A tennis program designed for children aged 3 to 7 years.**

- Held at the Moulden Park Primary School Assembly Hall on Sunday mornings from 8.30am.
- Fun indoor classes that develop motor skills, hand and eye co-ordination, physical fitness, confidence and social skills.
- Run by an experienced Tennis Australian Club Professional and assistant.
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- Contact us to register your interest today!!!!

**School HATS**

School hats will be available from

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**Foster Carers Autumn Expo 2014**

- Open to the public
- Everyone is welcome!
- Free entry
- Saturday, 30 August
- Darwin Community Centre 29 Donkin Street, Darwin
- Support services and programs for carers and children & young people in care.

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**SCHOOL CARE ENTRANCE**

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