



# Campaign Media Release

## **PARLIAMENTARY SECRETARY FOR EMPLOYMENT MEMBER FOR KINGSTON**

### **Stop Abbott's Trades Training Centre cuts**

Tony Abbott will cut Trades Training Centres in Kingston and is a giant risk to the future of skills training for local young people.

Parliamentary Secretary for Employment, Jason Clare, and Member for Kingston, Amanda Rishworth, today visited Hallett Cove School where plans are underway to build a Trades Training Centre.

"A Gillard Labor Government will build more of these Trades Training Centres across the country," Jason Clare said.

"If Tony Abbott is elected other local schools will miss out on this opportunity.

"The only way to stop Tony Abbott from cutting the Trades Training Centre program is to vote for Amanda Rishworth as part of Julia Gillard's team."

Ms Rishworth said she was fighting to stop Tony Abbott's plans to cut the Trades Training Centre program.

"I want to see local students get the chance to start learning a trade at school. But Tony Abbott will take that away," Amanda Rishworth said.

"If Tony Abbott becomes Prime Minister fewer young people will be able to start an apprenticeship at school.

"This is bad news for our community and bad news for the country."

These local schools will never get the chance to apply for a Trades Training Centre if Tony Abbott is elected:

Southern Vales Christian College

Cardijn College

Christies Beach HS & Southern Vocational College

Woodcroft College

Willunga Waldorf School

Tatachilla Lutheran College