

Principal's Report

Welcome back to Term 3! I trust that everyone enjoyed the mid-winter break and is ready for what promises to be a busy term.

Over the past few weeks there have been some minor staff changes. We have farewelled John Plucinski to retirement after 34 years in public education. We welcome back Shannon Sargeant from family leave, Claire Gilder to the Mathematics and Science Department and Clare Raynor into the Outdoor Education Teacher role.

Camps and events

Central Australia Tour

Welcome back to the Central Australia travellers and thank you to all the students and staff involved in making the trip so successful and memorable.

Junior School Music Camp

I had the pleasure of visiting the Junior School Music Camp held in Healesville during week one of this term. This camp focused on intensive band rehearsal for the junior ensembles in preparation for upcoming state competitions. The camp was well attended and culminated in a mini concert for parents, families and friends on the final afternoon. The College would like to acknowledge the support of all families and students involved as well as the work of Mr Tim Veevers and the Instrumental Music team. Their commitment and effort is "instrumental" to the success of the program.

We also wish the Senior Music students all the very best for their upcoming tour to Geelong.

COLLEGE CALENDAR 2016

3 August	Tasmania Tour Info Night, 5:30—6:30 pm
17 August	Student free day
22-26 August	Tasmania Tour
2 September	Debutante Ball, 6:00-11:00pm
5 September	Year 7 2017 Info Night, 6:30-8:00pm
7 September	Japan Tour departs, 3:30pm
12-16 September	School Production
16 September	Last day of Term 3

Please note: all dates and times are subject to change



Girls Learning to Lead Leadership Program

During the term break, three of our students were invited to participate in a “Girls’ Leadership Program” facilitated by the Girl Guides Association of Victoria. This program was being trialled in the area and is looking to expand. Hannah Ray, Abbey Rice and Hannah Smith all represented the College and reported that they enjoyed the experience, opportunity to make new friends and access to different speakers. Well done to all three of our young female leaders!!

Year 10 Formal

I had the pleasure of attending the annual Year 10 Formal held at Chateau Wyuna last week. The event, organised and supported by the Middle School Team and led by Mrs Sue Hancock was a wonderful success. Attendance was high; the students looked wonderful and relished the opportunity to dress up in formal attire. A great night was had by all!!



Curriculum Day

Planning is well underway for transition to the new Victorian Curriculum in 2017. Teachers have been working in teams to audit, document and plan units of work in readiness for next year. In order to support this work, the College has scheduled a curriculum day for Wednesday August 17. **Wednesday, August 17, will be a pupil free day. No students will be required at school on this day.**

Lilydale Lakeside Technical School (Yarra Ranges Tech)

Our College is involved in an exciting project for the region which will see the establishment of a Yarra Ranges Tech School, at Box Hill Institute, servicing twenty local schools with education programs focused on connecting students to their futures. Due to open in 2017, the learning centre is one of ten which are part of the Victorian Government's \$128 million Tech School initiative.

Over 11,000 local students will have access to high tech learning at Yarra Ranges cutting edge Tech School, a shared learning centre being established by a partnership of local schools, industry partners, higher education providers and other stakeholders in the region.

Over the last year, I along with other local secondary principals and leaders from Box Hill Institute, Yarra Ranges Council and other local leaders have been collaborating on developing the shared learning centre.

The Tech School will provide innovative Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) based learning and 21st Century skills using leading edge technology. It will offer students crucial insights into employment skills and pathways into higher education and training. The Tech School will expose our teachers and students to critical and creative thinking and practical problem solving, in an innovative learning environment.

The partnership approach between education, industry and government will ensure the education program is linked to high growth and emerging industries, equipping students with the skills they will need for future jobs.

Subject Selection 2017

Term 3 is a very busy time in terms of subject selections and career planning for our senior and middle school students. Information sessions and appointments are being scheduled with all students, in order to assist students and families with decision making in this area. Please do not hesitate to contact your child's relevant Learning Leader if you have any questions or queries regarding the subject selection process.

Best wishes to everyone for the term!!

Rosina Fotia

Principal



Hedgend Maze Visit



Hedgend Maze Visit continued...



Take the Lead

Girls in Leadership Program

On Sunday, 10th July, Hannah Ray, Abbey Rice and I were invited to the 'Take the Lead' program run by the Girl Guides. The program was designed to provide girls with grounding in communication, leadership and problem solving skills. In total, five girls from the district arrived at this event along with the Girl Scouts. It was a great day full of games, laughs and lessons in leadership. Through this, we got to know one another better. We spoke about the importance of networks and their impacts on our social lives. We all enjoyed ourselves throughout the day. It was a great day.

Hannah Smith, Year 9

On 10th July, we went to the 'Take The Lead' development day at the Mooroolbark Girl Guide Centre to represent LHC. It was run by young women. On the day, we looked at how to communicate better with others and how to problem solve. We also learnt about different networks people have within their communities. After we learnt about different sorts of leadership qualities, we used our knowledge and put that into games and activities. The day was very long but we learnt some new things. We met some other girls from Mooroolbark College and Billanook. Overall it was a good and educational day.

Hannah Ray & Abbey Rice, Year 8

Amazing Race



Amazing Race continued...



Languages Cultural Day

- Tuesday 9 August
- All Year 7 & 8 students
- Middle School Language students

Indonesian Theme:

Indonesian Independence

Mr Moningka has organised a range of cultural activities relating to Indonesian Independence Day celebrated on 17th August.

Japanese Theme:

Hobbies & Interests

Mrs Barrett has organised a range of traditional and modern cultural activities, such as Calligraphy, Sumo, Kendo, Karaoke, Cooking & Manga.

Kerry Barrett

Languages Co-ordinator



Tree Planting Day



Athletics Update

Due to the Athletics Carnival washout, the remainder of the Athletics events will be held during:

ATHLETICS WEEK – August 8–11, in conjunction with the start of the *Rio Olympics*.

Events will be held as per the list below.

Reminders will be on the Daily News and lists will be posted on the new Sport Noticeboard outside the Library.

Monday August 8

Javelin

Female U21

Female/Male U14, U15, U16

Shotput

Male U16, Female U14

Female/Male U17, U21

Discus

Female U17

Female/Male U13, U14, U21

Tuesday August 9

Long Jump

Female/Male U15, U16, U17

Triple Jump

Female/Male U13, U14, U15

Female U16

Wednesday August 10

High Jump

Female/Male U13, Male U17, U21

Thursday August 11

200m U14–U21

400m U13–U21

Remember that points will be awarded to all participants, going towards Age Group Champions as well as House points.

House Group of the Year is still up for grabs!

Careers News

Term 3 is a very busy time of year for a Careers Advisor!

We have just finished Year 10 Work Experience; it will be introduced to current Year 9s for 2017 soon!

Not to forget Middle and Senior School information nights; parent VTAC information session; VCAL careers display; Careers Expo at Lilydale Lakeside - Box Hill Institute; career plans for students Years 7-9 and VTAC applications open for Year 12 students.

Year 12

APPLYING FOR UNIVERSITY/TAFE AND SPECIAL CONSIDERATION (SEAS)

In July/August, VTAC applications open for you to begin putting your preferences for Uni and TAFE together. Before you start, I will take you through the registration process and how to do it. But, there is another aspect of applying which some of you may need to think about now and that is a SEAS application (Special Entry Access Scheme). As you all attend an underrepresented school at Universities, you will ALL put in an application for this category. However, you may also have other hardships that occur over the year which may have affected your study. This could include illness to you or close family/friend, financial hardship, or difficult circumstances. If you intend to apply for one of these categories, you **NEED TO GATHER EVIDENCE**. This might be doctor's appointments/letter from relevant professional, evidence of financial situation with Centrelink or dates and documentation of difficult circumstances. Please see Ms Byrne or Mr Wright for details.

WAYS INTO UNIVERSITY

- This year, again, we are part of SNAP (School Network Access Program) at RMIT where we, the school, can nominate students who we think deserve a place in a course at RMIT but their ATAR might not reach what is expected. Students can receive a significant bonus (up to 20 ATAR points) if nominated and a priority access to degrees and diplomas and to equity scholarships.
- Latrobe Uni has the Aspire program and ACU has the Early Achievers' program. This is where, if you do volunteer work in the community and you are accepted, you can get priority access and entry into courses. There's a separate application form through the uni's as well as your VTAC application. So if you do any of the following (to name a few):
 - School leadership positions
 - St John's
 - Regularly participate in fundraising activities
 - Scouts or Girl Guides
 - Youth groups
 - Music Groups
 - Volunteer for fire brigade, mentoring, aged care, sporting club
 - Assist people with disabilitiesYou may be eligible to apply! See flyers or websites for more details.

Careers Expo and Open Days

- Lakeside Box Hill will be having a Careers Expo in August. Flyers soon.
- July 31st and August is the month for Uni and TAFE open days so keep this in mind. Dates will be posted later.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS?

- Do you wish you could ask someone about **their university experience**? Would you like to know about **employment outcomes**? What about the **quality of learning resources** available? With QILT you can do side by side comparisons of the quality of the higher education institutions and the study areas that interest you. QILT results are based on thousands of **annual surveys** completed by students across Australia, and are well worth a look. See: www.qilt.edu.au.

Careers Appointments/Survey

- I will be making appointments with all of you in the next few weeks to touch base about future pathways based on a survey you will complete.

Other Careers News

Year 10 Work Experience 2016

Almost all of our year 10 students completed one week of work experience in the last week of term two. Future Directions teachers rang all employers to check on the progress of the students and the feedback was extremely positive. Students organized their work experience at a variety of places which was great to see. Some students were offered a part time/casual job as they were so impressive! Well done to all students who worked hard used work experience as a valuable time of learning. Those who have yet to organize it need to do so in term 3.

Now, to start organizing the year 9 students for 2017.

Open Days 2016

INSTITUTION	DATE	TIME	CONTACT DETAILS
Australian Catholic University Melbourne Campus Ballarat Campus	Sun 14 August Sun 28 August	10am – 4pm 10am – 3pm	1300 ASK ACU Email: opendayvic@acu.edu.au http://www.acu.edu.au/study_at_acu/future_students/undergraduate/experience_uni_before_you_start/open_day
Australian College of Applied Psychology	Sun 14 August	10am – 2pm	1800 061 199 http://www.acap.edu.au/
Australian National University	Sat 27 August	9am – 4pm	http://www.anu.edu.au/study/events/anu-open-day-2016
Blue Mountains Hotel School (Leura Campus)	Sat 3 September	10am – 2pm	https://www.bluemountains.edu.au/open-day2016/
Bond University	Sat 23 July	2pm – 6pm	1800 074 074 https://bond.edu.au/event/47613/2016-open-day-experience-bond-different-light
Box Hill Institute of TAFE Lilydale Campus Box Hill Campus	Sun 21 August Sun 28 August	10am – 3pm	1300 269 445 www.boxhillinstitute.edu.au
Deakin University & Deakin College Warrnambool Campus Geelong Campus (Waurn Ponds & Waterfront) Melbourne (Burwood) Campus	Sun 7 August Sun 21 August Sun 28 August	9am – 3pm 9am – 3pm 9am – 4pm	1800 334 733 http://openday.deakin.edu.au/
Federation University of Australia Mount Helen Campus; SMB	Sun 28 August	10am – 3pm	1800 333 864 http://federation.edu.au/future-students/study-at-feduni/open-day
Holmesglen Institute Open Thursday's – all campuses	11 August 15 September 27 October 15 December	Various times	1300 MY FUTURE http://www.holmesglen.edu.au/open
La Trobe University & La Trobe Melbourne Shepparton Campus Melbourne (Bundoora) Campus Bendigo Campus Mildura Campus	Fri 5 August Sun 7 August Sun 14 August Sun 17 August	4pm – 7pm 3.30pm – 7.30pm 10am – 3pm 10am – 4pm	1300 135 045 http://www.latrobe.edu.au/openday
Monash University Peninsula Campus Clayton & Caulfield Campuses Parkville Campus (Pharmacy Focus)	Sat 6 August Sun 7 August Sun 21 August	10am – 3pm 10am – 4pm 10am – 3pm	1800 666 274 www.monash.edu.au/openday
Photographic Studies College	Sun 14 August	10am – 3pm	9682 3191 https://www.psc.edu.au/
Navitas College of Public Safety 123 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne CBD	Sun 14 August	10am – 2pm	1800 783 661 www.ncps.edu.au
RMIT City, Bundoora & Brunswick Campuses	Sun 14 August	10am – 4pm	9925 2260 www.rmit.edu.au/openday
Swinburne University Hawthorn	Sun 31 July	10am – 4pm	1300 SWINBURNE www.swinburne.edu.au/openday
University of Melbourne Parkville & Southbank Campuses	Sun 21 August	9am – 4pm	1800 801 662 https://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/explore/events/victoria_and_interstate/victoria/university_of_melbourne_open_day
Victoria University Footscray Park campus	Sun 28 August	10am – 3pm	1300 VIC UNI www.vu.edu.au/open-day
William Angliss Institute of TAFE	Sun 14 August	10am – 4pm	1300 ANGLISS http://www.angliss.edu.au

Open Day Hints & Tips

Who can attend?

Anybody can attend Open Day, and it's important to remember that you don't have to wait until Year 12 to go along. You might be in a lower year level at the moment and just beginning to consider university in the future - this is a great time to get a head start on finding out more about higher education and the study options available.

Open Days are also a great chance for parents/ guardians to find out more about their child's future study options.

What happens at Open Day?

Universities run tours of their campuses, have staff and student representatives from different courses and faculties to talk about what they do and have information available about all different study services.

Among the presentations, activities, food and fun, you also have an opportunity to talk informally with students who are studying in the courses you are considering.

Open Days also give you a chance to soak up the culture of university life while you're still deciding your options for future study.

While you are there, you can take the opportunity to ask questions about courses, facilities and your future plans, as well as exploring campuses, from teaching and learning areas to libraries, cafes, social spaces and accommodation.

"Must do" items to tick off

- Visit the areas such as students support services and student lounges to check out what it's like to be a student. Does the campus feel like a place you'd like to belong?
- Go on a campus tour and see what facilities and resources are available on campus.
- Don't just talk to university staff: make sure you chat with some current students of the institution. They are experts on what it's like to study there, and have recently gone through the process of selecting and getting into their course.
- Bring someone along with you. Parents/ guardians are a great option as they may have information they want to find out too. A friend or other family member can also be helpful and make you feel comfortable making your first trip onto campus.
- Watch out for student clubs and societies who will be around on the day. These can be an exciting addition to university life and cover a huge range of interests, often creating lots of social opportunities and freebies.

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LILYDALE HEIGHTS
COLLEGE

Mooroolbark Cricket Club

Junior Cricket

Registration Days:

Wednesday 20th July 5.30-6.30pm @ Kiloran Reserve, Hawthory Road, Kilsyth
Wednesday 10th Aug 5.30-6.30pm @ Kiloran Reserve, Hawthory Road, Kilsyth
Thursday 11th Aug 5.30-6.30pm @ Kiloran Reserve, Hawthory Road, Kilsyth
Sat 27th Aug 11am - 2pm @ Heights Reserve, Longfellow Ave, Mooroolbark
Sausage Sizzle and Merchandise available on 27th August



Register early to ensure your place in the 2016/17 season. Discounts apply if registered & paid by 31st July.

Milo: In2Cricket (5 to 8 yrs)
Under 10's - Under 16's

We are also looking to field an all girls side for the first time.

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