### BENTLEIGH SECONDARY COLLEGE

# Newsletter





### Ms Helene Hiotis

Bentleigh Secondary College places great emphasis on students working to achieve their very best, and on students challenging themselves.

### **Welcome Back**

I hope everyone had a safe, relaxing and enjoyable holiday. I look forward to another exciting and productive year of teaching and learning at Bentleigh Secondary College. A very warm welcome to all the new students and their families. You are embarking on a wonderful learning journey which will be enhanced by always trying your personal best. Our college provides you with facilities and resources which are yours to use to maximise your learning opportunities. In May last year, the Premier of Victoria, Mr Daniel Andrews, Education Minister, Mr James Merlino and local Member of Parliament Mr Nick Staikos officially announced that \$9.6 million had been allocated to Bentleigh Secondary College as part of the School Infrastructure Program. We have now appointed architects to assist in the commencement of the planning and construction of the new buildings and refurbishment which will begin this year. I am pleased to report that the college continues to build upon our successes. Our enrolments in 2016 have continued to increase and we welcomed 195 Year 7 students to our College. Our 2015 VCE results were excellent and we congratulate all the students. Our results with an median study score of 30, demonstrates our commitment to continual improvement. I would like to acknowledge the exemplary work by all teachers and educational support staff to ensure the school is recognised as a provider of exemplary government education characterised as a hub of educators, learners and leaders. We also congratulate our College Dux, Nicola Davis who received an ATAR score of 96.45



### **IMPORTANT DATES**

"Being the best you can be"

The right to learn.

The right to be treated with respect.

The right to be safe.

### TERM 1 2016

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11 Feb	SRC Training Day 9.00am - 1.37pm	
15 Feb	Choir Incursion 11.15am - 6.00pm	
16 Feb	Year 12 Chemistry Workshop at Melbourne University 7.00am - 1.30pm	
16 Feb	School Council 7.00pm	
17 to 19 Feb	Year 7 Camp at Rumbug	
19 Feb	Year 12 English/EAL Mabo Excursion at ACMI 9.00am - 3.15pm	
22 to 26 Feb	City Search Camp Year 9.6 and 9.7 8.30am - 3.30pm	
29 Feb to 4 Mar	City Search Camp Year 9.2 and 9.3 8.30am - 3.30pm	

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### **VCE (Baccalaureate)**

2015 was the second year the VCAA awarded the VCE (Baccalaureate) to students. This award recognises students who have completed a language and higher level mathematics. The following two students from Bentleigh Secondary College received this award and also achieved outstanding ATAR scores: **Courtland Gavan-Glover** and **Ziwei Ren (Vicky).** Congratulations to both students.

### **New Staff**

It is with great pleasure that I introduce the new staff joining our College:

Rohanna Anderson — English/Art

Felicity Campbell – English/Humanities
Deb Cigonini – Science/Maths/Bus Man
Christine Coldbeck – English/Legal Studies

Scott Godinagh – Japanese Michael Lyristis – Maths/Science Rachael Rosenbrock – PE/Health

Taylor Veitch – Humanities/Psychology



### **Service Award**

We have great teachers and support staff here at the college who are extremely dedicated and caring. At the end of last year we recognised another staff member who received an award recognising her years of service to the college. I would like to congratulate Mrs Yvonne Sirianos for 20 years of service and for her ongoing commitment to the college. Mrs Sirianos is a valued member of our teaching staff.



### **Contacting the Sub Schools**

Bentleigh Secondary College has a commitment to provide all the care and support necessary for each student to do their best and achieve the highest possible learning outcomes. It is important that when families have concerns about their children they contact the relevant staff members immediately to ensure a quick supportive response. The most appropriate staff members to talk to when you have specific concerns are the classroom teachers, then the Heads of Year Levels, then Head of Junior or Senior School prior to contacting one of the Assistant Principals. Below are the staff members you can contact who have a thorough understanding of the needs of the students in their care:

### Junior Sub School: Assistant Principal

Mr Andrew Batchelor

### **Head of Junior School**

Mr Chris Christofidis

**Year 7** Mrs Sue Blackmore

7.2, 7.4 7.6, 7.8

Ms Deb Cigognini 7.1, 7.3, 7.5, 7.7

**Year 8** Mrs Natalie Cumming 8.1, 8.2, 8.3, 8.4

Ms Kylie Dark 8.5, 8.6, 8.7

**Year 9** Mr Yianni Georgiou 9.1, 9.2, 9.3, 9.6

Ms Christine Coldbeck 9.4, 9.5, 9.7

Junior Wellbeing Mr Wayne Davis

Senior Sub School: Assistant Principal Mr Marc Koeniq

Head of Senior School

Ms Claire Keep

**Year 10** Mrs Dimi Charalambous A - K Surnames

Mr John Karydis L- Z Surnames



























Year 11 Mrs Tana O'Hara A - K Surnames



**Gay Pride March** Alana Smith - Respect Captain Mrs Jenny Muir - Adolescent Health Nurse

Mr Robbie McLauchlan L - Z Surnames



On a very hot Sunday the 30th of January, the annual Gay Pride March took place in St Kilda. The Safe Schools Coalition was marching and invited students to participate with them. Students from Bentleigh Secondary College proudly marched carrying our school banner. We were joined by Mrs Joanne Antcliff our School Council President, past and present students, Ms Watt and Pam Muldeary from Bentleigh Bayside Community Health Service. We carried the banner with pride and were often acknowledged by the

Year 12 Mrs Vikki Elliot A - K Surnames



Mr Luke Brookman L - Z Surnames



crowd. It was a great deal of fun! Well done everyone!



Ms Julie Yelland







## **Senior Wellbeing**



### Have a go at this Puzzle

Using only 3c and 8c stamps, how many different ways can you make a total of 73c?

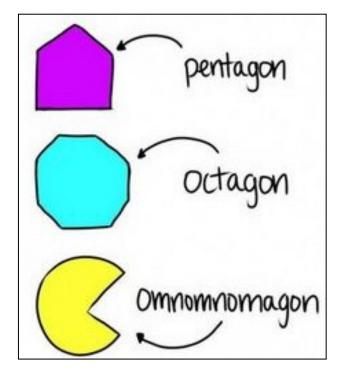
### Senior Maths Years 10, 11 and 12

Dr Wendy Taylor - Head of Mathematics Learning Area

Parents and students are reminded that students need a CAS TI-Nspire calculator for Maths in the Senior School. The models have changed over the years and on the booklist we have the latest version, CAS TI-Nspire CX. Staff at the college will have these calculators however, the earlier versions you may have which are TI-Nspire CAS touchpad or TI-Nspire CAS (grey) versions are fine to use. Assessment Tasks will be set this year requiring students to use the CAS calculator. Please ensure students have the calculator for classes.

### **Solution to last puzzle:**

Fill the 3 litre container from the tap. Empty the contents of the 3 litre container into the 5 litre container. Fill the 3 litre container from the tap. Empty the contents of the 3 litre container into the 5 litre container. Pour away the contents of the 5 litre container. Pour the 1 litre from the 3 litre container into the 5 litre can. Fill the three litre container and add it to the 1 litre in the 5 litre container.



### **SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTION 2016**

The Department of Education and Training has approved the commencement of the electoral process for the election of School Councillors for 2016.

### 1. Membership

Our School Council consists of six parents, five members of staff, including the Principal, four community members.

### 2. Terms of Office

The term of office is for two years with half of the members retiring each year but eligible for re-election. Three parents and two staff representatives end their term of office at the start of 2016.

### 3. Retiring School Councillors

The following members of School Council, while eligible for re-election, retire at the end of this month:

Parents: Mrs Anna Rodaughan, Mr Malcolm Guy

& Mrs Mandy Lindsey

Staff: Mr Marc Koenig & Mr Robbie McLauchlan

### 4. Proposed Timeline for Elections

Friday 12 February Call for nominees

Friday 19 February Nominations close 4.00pm

Wednesday 24 February Nominations displayed at

school

Election held if required

**Wednesday 9 March** Close of ballot 4.00pm

Votes counted

**Tuesday 15 March** School Council AGM, followed

by School Council Meeting.

### 5. Voting

If the number of nominations exceeds the vacancies in either the parent or staff electorates, an election will be necessary. All parents are entitled to vote for parent representatives and DET employees can vote for staff representatives.

### 6. Methods of Voting

There are two ways in which you can record your vote on the official voting form during the period Wednesday 24 February until Wednesday 9 March at 4.00pm.

- (a) Post your vote to school to arrive by 4.00pm on Wednesday 9 March;
- (b) Vote in person at school at the General Office, between 8.00am and 4.00pm during the period Tuesday 24 February Wednesday 9 March.

### 7. Nominations of Candidates

There are two distinct categories of elected members of School Council parents and DET employees.

### 8. Parent Member Category

Parents of a student(s) at the school, who are DET employees, are now eligible for election to this category.

However, there is a limit on the number of DET parent members for a given School Council configuration. (The total of DET employee members and DET parent members must be less than half of the total number of School Council.)

### 9. DET Employee Member Category

To be eligible for election to this category, a person must be a DET employee and either: a parent of a student at the school, and/or employed to work at or for the school.

### 10. Role of School Councillors

School Councillors currently play an important role in decision making and the management of our school. They donate many hours to the sub-committees of Council; finance, facilities and Strategic Plan implementation. Councillors belong to one sub-committee, they also attend monthly council meetings and represent the college at many functions.

### **SCHEDULE 4**

Notice of Election and Call for Nominations

An election is to be conducted for members of School
Council of Bentleigh Secondary College
The ballot will close at 4.00pm on
Wednesday 9 March, 2016

Nomination forms may be obtained from the school and must be lodged by **4.00pm** on **Friday 19 February, 2016** 

Following the closing of nominations, a list of the nominations received will be posted at the school. The terms of office, membership categories and number of positions in each membership category open for election are as follows:

Membership	Term of Office	Number of Positions
Parent Member	15 March 2016 to 15 March 2018	3
DET	15 March 2016 to 15 March 2018	2
Employee Memb	per	

If the number of nominations is less than the number of vacancies, a notice to that effect and calling for further nominations will be posted in a prominent position at the school.

Helene E. Hiotis Principal

### **Sport News**

Mr Nathan Rogers - Head of Sports

### **House Swimming Carnival**

On Wednesday 3 February, Bentleigh Secondary College held its annual House Swimming Carnival. Despite the early wet weather, the day cleared allowing the students to show off their swimming abilities and house spirit in the chase for points to win the House shield. With points being accumulated from swimming, diving, novelty and volleyball events, it allowed all students to contribute to their House score.

At the completion of the carnival, each house had a chance to win last minute points by cheering their House chant. In the end, Dendy house were victorious taking home the shield. Congratulations!

### **Final Scores:**

Dendy - 628 Wickham - 464 Hawker - 436 Fawkner - 304













### JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

MR ANDREW BATCHELOR

### Welcome to 2016

A warm welcome back to all students, parents and staff to the 2016 school year at Bentleigh Secondary College, in particular, to all new students and families commencing at the college, including our new Year 7 students. We look forward to a great start to the year!



**Khy Rasmussen Junior School Captain** 



Rania Pappas **Junior School Captain** 



Sam Boontjes **Deputy Junior School Captain** 



**Hannah Flower Deputy Junior School Captain** 

### **Year 7 Music Recruitment Night**

We held our Year 7 Recruitment Night in the Performing Arts CFA last night Monday 8 February. It was a great opportunity for our new students to come and see the large array of musical instruments to choose from. Thank you to Mr Andrew Albanis, the Head of Music, for organising and running this night, and to all of the music staff and students who help make our music program great.

### **Year 7 Camp Rumbug**

Camp Rumbug is Wednesday 17 to Friday 19 February. Please make sure all camp and medical forms have been filled out and returned to the General Office.

### **School Photograph Packages**

School photos were taken on Monday, 1st February 2016 for all students, including Student Leadership Groups. Please contact MSP Photography directly on: (03) 9466 7331 if the photo envelope was not handed in on the day.

### **Bringing Personal Goods to School**

We have again been asked by the Department of Education and Training (DET) to remind students, parents and staff that schools and DET do not hold insurance for personal property bought to school.

There is no capacity to pay for any loss or damage to property such as mobile phones, calculators, sporting goods etc. Families will need to organise private insurance to cover the loss or damage of any private property brought to school. If students are bringing large sums of money to school for payment, these payments should be made before school from 8:30am.

### **Student Accident Insurance**

The Department of Education and Training (DET) does not provide personal accident insurance for students. Parents and guardians are generally responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including transport costs. Student accident insurance policies are available from private insurance companies. These cover a range of medical expenses not covered by Medicare.

### **Junior Maths Enrichment Camp**

Dr Wendy Taylor - Head of Mathematics Learning Area

Over four days during Early Commencement, twenty Junior School students, seven University of Melbourne trainee teachers, Dr Binge and I were involved in the Junior Maths Enrichment Camp. It was held in the Meditation Centre and students worked on multiplication and division strategies, real world worded questions, investigations and enjoyed an afternoon of maths games. The students' daily reflections were telling of the great leaps they were making in their learning and confidence. The University helpers were incredible, continuously adapting the program to cater for individuals maximising the impact of the program. Dr Binge's excellent organisation ensured the program ran smoothly and her small group work always pushed students to the next level. I thank Ms Helene Hiotis for suggesting the idea and her constant support of the program, Mr Bill Thomas for the photos and Mrs Jane Kramer for keeping us well fed! A super big thank you to the students involved - their efforts, engagement and commitment to learning was exceptional!

I enjoyed the learning multiplication skills, Kon:

because there were some skills I didn't know

but now I do.

Kosta:

I got better at times tables and division and Dean:

enjoyed the worded questions.

I learnt things I could never do, like Zac:

multiplication and I ong division in my head. I enjoyed the arrays and moving the counters

around, they helped me multiply.



## SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S REPORT MR MARC KOENIG

## Parents of VCE Students: Online courses & notes to help your child study

**Edrolo** is again available at Bentleigh Secondary College! With a successful year of usage last year, our VCE students have unlimited access to this fantastic online resource that is VCE-specific and includes video lessons, quiz questions, exam-style questions, downloadable/printable study notes and more! It's also mobile-friendly! Each VCE student has their own personal account ready and waiting to be used. Our VCE students simply have to follow these two steps:

**Step 1:** Claim your account by following the instructions at Edrolo.com.au/bentleigh

**Step 2:** Use your Edrolo account 24/7! You can login anytime from Edrolo.com.au using your email address & the password you chose when completing Step 1.

If you know that there are any issues with the subjects you're enrolled in, please let Ms Keep know.

### **2015 VCE Results and Tertiary Success**

We would like to congratulate the class of 2015 on their outstanding VCE results. The cohort had a median study score of 30 with 5.4% of scores 40+. This is our highest in recent history and compared favourably with like for like schools. We had some excellent achievements with our students going on to tertiary studies. There were 96 VTAC applications (students who applied for tertiary places), 88 of those students received offers which represents 94.19% of the applicants. The college would like to recognise the efforts of these young people, the hard work and dedication of our teachers and the support of you, the families. Without this partnership, students will not achieve their potential so let's work together to make 2016 a great year for our students.

### **Senior School Handbook**

All senior students have received their handbook. It contains policies, dates and advice for students of Senior School studies in 2016. It has been compiled from school policies and the guidelines set out in the VCE Administration Handbook 2016 published by VCAA. I suggest all students and their parents/guardians read through it carefully.

### **Term 1 Working Bee**

The Term 1 Working Bee is to be held on Sunday 28 February and provides our school community with optimum conditions for tree planting. Parent, student and teacher involvement in working bees has not only created a very strong community spirit at Bentleigh SC, but has led to the establishment of an urban forest, Year 7 harvest garden, VCE garden, Japanese garden and Wetland precinct. The numerous awards we have received are a direct attribute to the work you have done in working bees. We look forward to seeing a record attendance at our Term 1 Working Bee. Morning tea and a barbeque will be provided. The working bee starts at 8:00am and finishes at 12 noon. Any time you are able to give will be greatly appreciated.

### **Facilities**

The college is fortunate to have Nick Tzovaras in charge of maintenance. He had a busy job completing and managing numerous works, including the new fence, over the holidays. His hard work is always appreciated. We also have twenty one new TVs being installed around the college to assist in more dynamic teaching and learning.

### Slow Down, School's Back!

School speed limits apply outside every school in Victoria to increase the safety for our most vulnerable road users -children. Speed limits are reduced to either 40km/h or 60km/h outside schools in the morning from 8.00am to 9.30am and in the afternoon from 2.30pm to 4.00pm. For information on school speed zones, visit the VicRoads website. While you're there, check out their fun and informative road safety apps.

### **Dropping Off and Picking Up Students**

To avoid traffic congestion and the associated increased risks to student safety, it would be appreciated if you could use the alternative Chesterville Road entrance for dropping off and picking up family members.

Under no circumstances should parents use the administration car park unless they have a disabled child and can display the appropriate pass.

Please note you may drop off/pick up for a period **not** exceeding two minutes on the western side of Vivien Street and the southern side of Clarence Street. Residents' driveways should not be obstructed. Parking officers are in the area regularly taking photos and booking drivers who double park even for a moment.

### **Brainy Cake**

Sarah Cermak of Year 11 made this incredible brain cake made out of red velvet cake with jam and fondant rolled into tubes, for a Year 11 Units 1 and 2 Psychology assignment. Those who were game enough had fun eating the cake. Sarah is pictured below with Lovina Peate holding her brain cake.



### **Student Leadership**

The college received a record number of applications for student leadership positions in 2016. Students submitted a written application followed by an interview if they were shortlisted. Congratulations to all students who applied. I would now like to take this opportunity to introduce our student leaders.



Nathan Guy College Captain



Madelyn Boustead College Captain



Natalie Ben-Natan Sustainability Captain



Alana Smith Respect Captain



Yash Kamjula Deputy College Captain



Emily Nelson Deputy College Captain



Chandler Eliezer-Sutterby Dendy House Captain



Jessica Escares Dendy House Captain



Monica Gan-Wilcox Music Captain



Max Edema Music Captain



**Genevieve Barns-Dunne Fawkner House Captain** 



Ashley Becker Fawkner House



Helen Constantinou Drama Captain



Chelsea Karpel Drama Captain



Billy Floros Hawker House Captain



Stephanie Spitzer Hawker House



Angela Jeffrey Sports Captain



Travis Scotland Sports Captain



George Galiatsatos Wickham House Captain



Renee Trakas Wickham House

### **Year 12 Motivation Day**

Mr Luke Brookman and Mrs Vikki Elliott - Heads of Year 12

On Friday 29 January, all Year 12 students attended 'Motivation Day' at Bentleigh Secondary College. The day had a host of guest speakers and activities, and even included a one hour presentation by Tristan Miller. Tristan is renowned for completing 52 marathons in 52 consecutive weeks, and delivered an inspirational speech about resilience, goal setting, and pushing yourself beyond your abilities. The key strategies for VCE success mentioned throughout the day included:

- **Free sitting** sit near students who will encourage your learning
- Goal setting when doing an assignment write the grade you want to achieve at the top of the page and strive to achieve it. Study goals should be learning key concepts not time related. A concept may take ten minutes or an hour to learn, time is irrelevant.
- **Organisation** make the most of class time by prereading and working until the bell goes.
- Networking create a network of experts you can get help from for each of your subjects.

### **New Puppy**

Mrs Linda Richardson - Laboratory Technician

The first day of school saw us with a new recruit in the form of a ten week old Golden Labrador named Silky. She is the ninth puppy the school has had enrolled for the duration of her 'L' plates before going in for formal training at Seeing Eye Dogs Australia. We still has Allie (now 11 months) as her mentor and assistant trainer to help her get into the school routine. Last week both puppies visited the school swimming carnival for a short while to experience the atmosphere and cheer on the students in the pool. They were disappointed there was no 'Doggie Paddle' so that they could have joined in. Silky has settled in well and with approximately fifty new students on the roster to meet and play with at recess and lunch time they are extremely happy little girls. Today they are attending their first whole school assembly and Silky will experience her first musical performance. Let's hope she enjoys it.



### **Careers News**

Ms Kirstin Conway - Careers and Pathways Coordinator

## Australian Air Force Cadets 417 (City of Bayside) Information Evening and Open Day

Interested students and their parents were encouraged to go visit and see some of the range of activities the cadets undertake at the Recruitment Information Evening which was held on Monday 8th of February between 6:30 and 8pm.

The Open Day is on Saturday 13 of February between 10.00am and 4.00pm at Labuan Barracks, 67 Royal Avenue Sandringham. More information is available from the Australian Air Force Cadets website at <a href="https://www.aafc.org.au">www.aafc.org.au</a>.

### **Tax File Number (TFN)**

Students require a tax file number when they gain employment and all students planning on a tertiary education require one when they start.

Importantly, current Year 12 students are reminded that they will need the TFN when they enrol in a CSP (Commonwealth Support Place) course at university, so it is worthwhile getting an application submitted early.

Students must apply for a TFN online and have their identity verified through an interview at a participating Australia Post office. To apply and also to find out about participating Post Offices, visit TFN Application on <a href="http://auspost.com.au/travel-id/tax-file-number-applications.html">http://auspost.com.au/travel-id/tax-file-number-applications.html</a>.

### **Year 10 Work Experience**

Year 10 students are encouraged to finalise their Work Experience placement by no later than the end of Term 1. Once this has been organised, please ensure the placement form has been completed by all parties and returned to the college ASAP.

## Year 12 Undergraduate Medicine and Health Sciences Admission Test (UMAT) 2016

Year 12 students should note that applications to sit the UMAT 2016 are now open and registrations close on Friday 3 June 2016 at 5.00pm sharp! The UMAT2016 will be held on Wednesday 27 July 2016, and the results will be available late September 2016. Students should also note that results from UMAT 2016 can only be used for undergraduate medicine or health science courses beginning in 2017 but not 2018. Students should not register for UMAT2016 unless they are planning to apply for a course commencing in 2017 and they meet the eligibility criteria specified in the UMAT2016 Information Booklet. For more information, and/ or to apply visit UMAT 2016 or call (03) 8508 7643.

## Camps, Sports, & Excursions Fund (CSEF) 2015 & 2016

### 2015 - CSEF credit

Allocation of your CSEF credit will require the following action:

- Print off and complete the Compass event consent form and include the notation 'Please use CSEF' under your signature.
- Hand into the General Office. The Finance Office will allocate any CSEF funds to the event and mark your child as 'consent provided' on Compass. The Finance Office will inform you when your CSEF credit has been used and normal payment and consent through Compass will then be required.
- DO NOT PAY via Compass until your CSEF funds have been fully allocated.

### 2016 Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF)

CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school excursions, camps and sporting activities. If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. The allowance will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions, or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student will be:

\$225 for secondary school students.

### **How to Apply**

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from <a href="https://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef">www.education.vic.gov.au/csef</a>

### **Closing Date**

You should lodge a CSEF application form at the school by 3 June 2016. For more information about the CSEF visit www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

### **CSEF** eligibility

Below is the criteria used to determine a student's eligibility for the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF).

### Criteria 1 - Eligibility

To be eligible for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

- on the first day of Term one, or
- on the first day of Term two
- Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, be a holder of Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) holder or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
- 2. Be a temporary foster parent, and;
- 3. Submit an application to the school by the due date.

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (1) or (2) above.

### Criteria 2 - School age and attend school in Victoria

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and seventeen years of age inclusive. For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and eighteen years inclusive. CSEF is not payable to students attending preschool, kindergarten, home schooled or TAFE.

### Eligibility Date

CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card being successfully validated with Centrelink on the first day of either Term 1 (27 January 2016) or Term 2 (11 April 2016).

CSEF payments will be processed directly to schools with the majority of payments to commence from March, 2016 onwards. The CSEF system will remain open during Term 1 and Term 2 for applications to be added.



### **MUSIC NOTES**

Mr Andrew Albanis - Head of Music Program

We welcome two new Instrumental Music staff for Semester 1, Ms Mary Farrow - Clarinet & Oboe, Ms Serena Thean - Clarinet and Saxophone.

Ensembles begin rehearsing this week so please make sure that times and days are checked as there are changes to the ensemble timetable.

### **Recruitment Night**

Recruitment Night was a huge success last Monday night with many enthusiastic Year 7 students trying the various instruments we have on offer at the college.

The Choir incursion will be on Monday 15 February. Rehearsals and workshops will run from period 3 until period 6. There will be a performance at 5:00pm for family and friends.

### **World Champion Speed Stacker**

Mrs Sue Blackmore - Head of Year 7

Will Mounter, a Year 7 student will be heading to Germany in March to represent Australia in the World Championships of Speed Stacking. He became the Under 12 Australian Champion in October 2015. This is a fantastic opportunity for Will who, unfortunately needed to give up contact sport due to a medical condition and became immersed in something that he found he was good at as well as it being the best therapy.

The Stackaroo is not sponsored, so in order for Will to get to the Championships his family is looking to raise funds through a Go Fund Page. Will's Go Fund me page link is: www.qofundme.com/sidkzm5c

It would be great to see that we as a community could assist Will and his family with the costs of participating in these Championships.

## BENTLEIGH CANTEEN MENU

HOT FOOD	
Pinwheels	50¢
Nuggets	50¢
Hash Browns	\$1
Potato Cakes	\$1
Dim Sims (Steamed or Fried)	\$1
South Melbourne Dim Sims	\$2
Chicken Strips	\$2
Spicy Chicken/Spinach & Ricotta Sausage Rolls	\$2.50
Bakery Sausage Roll	\$3
Chips	\$3.50
Pizza	\$3.50
Chicken Wraps (Sweet Chilli or Mayo)	\$3.50
Hot Dogs	\$3.50
Egg & Bacon Sandwich	\$3.50
Calamari Tub	\$3.50
Croissants	\$4
Nachos	\$4
Egg & Bacon Roll	\$4
Burgers (Chicken or Cheese)	\$4.50
Pies	\$4.50
Wedges (WITH SOUR CREAM)	\$4 (\$4.50)
Pasta	\$4.50

16
\$1.20
\$2.50
\$3
\$3.20
\$3.50

### BREAD

We have Gluten Free Bread available as well as White & Wholemeal

Juice Box	\$1.50
Water	\$2
300ml (SMALL) Flavoured Oaks	\$2
Slushie	\$2.50
Pepsi Max & Sprite Zero	\$2.50
Ice Break (SMALL)	\$3
600ml (LARGE) Flavoured Oaks	\$3
Smart Water	\$3.50
Ice Break (LARGE)	\$4
Real Iced Tea	\$4
Gatorade	\$4
Vitamin Water	\$4

SANDWICHES, ROLLS	, WRAPS & FOCACCIAS
Made	to Order
	&
Daily	Specials
Wraps	\$3.50
Sandwiches	\$4.50
Rolls	\$5.50
Focaccia	\$5.50
Chicken Parma Roll	\$5.50

CEASER SALAD \$4.50

- SEE BOARDS FOR DAILY SPECAILS
- LUNCH ORDERS (ORDER AT RECESS ONLY) STUDENTS
- OPEN RECESS & LUNCH EVERYDAY
- \* TEACHERS CAN EMAIL THROUGH ORDERS

canteen@bentleighsc.vic.edu.au

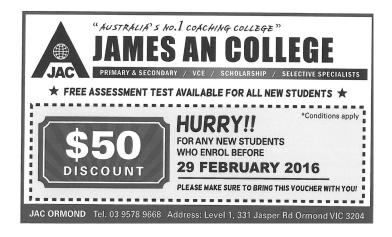


## FEMALE NETBALL PLAYERS TURNING 15 OR 16 NEEDED!

Diamonds of Oakleigh South Netball Club is looking for 2 to 4 girls turning 15 or 16 this year. We train Wednesdays 4.45 to 6pm in

Oakleigh South and we play for fun and fitness. Games are Saturdays mid-morning at Duncan McKinnon Reserve, cnr North & Murrumbeena Rds.

You can check out the club at <a href="mailto:osnc.com.au">osnc.com.au</a> and if you're interested please call Ruth Ryan, Oakleigh South Netball Club, on 0432 907 679, or email the club at <a href="mailto:osnc@osnc.com.au">osnc@osnc.com.au</a>









### **Feedback**

We have changed the front cover of the newsletter please forward any feedback to Jane Kramer bentleigh.sc@edumail.vic.gov.au

We will be updating the newsletter in the upcoming weeks to make it easier to read on digital devices.



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