

# Newsletter



## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

**MS HELENE HIOTIS**

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

Every year we open our doors to the community in order to celebrate the work we are doing at Bentleigh Secondary College. We have conducted a number of school tours providing an opportunity to demonstrate our core values and strategic direction, our focus on educating the whole student and developing a love of learning in all students to achieve their personal best academically, socially and emotionally.

It is important for our prospective families to see the College at work showcasing every aspect of school life, providing a snapshot of what a student experiences at Bentleigh. During the tours, parents observe a range of engaging activities from excited students doing science experiments, to aromas emerging from the Food Technology Centre to the sounds of Japanese conversations in the Learning Centre and the thrill of hearing our students perform in ensembles. The success of the College relies upon the commitment and energy of the staff to encourage students to become active, passionate lifelong learners who establish a commitment to learning.

Every day I come to work energised by a place that is a living example of what a school should be, a place of passion and commitment where we take real pride in the work we do. Some examples of exemplary pedagogical practice these past two weeks include: Inquiry Based Learning, Senior School Play 'With These Eyes', Great Ocean Walk and the Mt Gambier Generation in Jazz Festival. This is Bentleigh Secondary College at its best.

### 5TH EDITION

24TH MAY 2016

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### IMPORTANT DATES

19 May	Year 8 IBL Intermediate House Debating Year 7 PWCTW VCE Supportive Friends Years 11 & 12 Deb Ball - 7.00pm at Brighton International
20 May	Year 8 IBL Junior House Debating Finals at lunchtime Year 7 PWCTW
23 May	Vocal Night 5.00-6.00pm in the PAC Year 8 IBL Presentation Night at 7.30pm in the Learning Centre
24 May	Year 7 PWCTW Careers in Multi-Media and the Gaming Industry Brass & Percussion Night 5.00-6.00pm in the PAC
25 May	Year 12 OES Mornington Senior House Debating at lunchtime - Library Year 7 PWCTW
26 May	Year 12 OES Mornington Year 7 PWCTW
27 May	Year 12 OES Mornington Year 7 PWCTW
30 May	PWCW Presentation Night 7.30pm in the Learning Centre
1 June	Year Junior School Exams Commence
2 June	Unit 1 and 3 Exams Junior School Exams End

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# JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWS

MR ANDREW BATCHELOR



## NAPLAN

Congratulations to all Year 7 and 9 students who participated in the NAPLAN testing last week. These tests are demanding, requiring concentration and application. They are a great way to practice exam conditions and techniques leading up to the Junior School exam period. The focus of our students was excellent. The results will be available in a number of months, and we will ensure parents receive NAPLAN feedback as soon as it is available.

## Year 7, 8 and 9 Exams

The English and Mathematics exams for all Year 7, 8 and 9 students will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday June 1, 2 and 3. The exams give our Junior School students the opportunity to understand the importance of preparing for and managing a formal exam process. It is extremely important that students have developed and are maintaining a regular home study routine in preparation for these exams.

## Year 8 Inquiry Based Learning

Inquiry Based Learning 2016 has been progressing with great excitement amongst staff and students. The unit focuses on "Change in Australia and Asia" and provides the opportunity for students to complete their *Big Question* after 'Immersion' during the first week. Students are working on their inquiry learning in their core subjects: English, Maths, Science and Humanities, completing a variety of learning activities. Inquiry Based Learning runs over three weeks culminating in a Presentation Evening for all students and parents on Monday 23rd May at 7.30pm in the Library and Learning Centre. It has been great to see our Year 8 students engaged in this fantastic learning opportunity.

## Year 7 People Who Changed the World

Over weeks 6 and 7 of this term, our Year 7 students are participating in their 'People Who Changed The World' unit. This is an engaging and inquiry based approach to their learning undertaken in their English and Humanities classes. Each student has selected one person whom they research and complete a number of structured tasks, culminating in assuming the identity and outfit of this person when they present their work to their parents, teachers and other students. The Presentation evening will be held on Monday 30th May at 7.30pm in the Library and Learning Centre. We look forward to seeing you there.

## IMPORTANT DATES

3 June	Unit 1 and 3 Exams Intermediate House Debating Final
6 June	Unit 1 and 3 Exams
7 June	GAT Test 10.00am-1.15pm
8 June	Unit 1 and 3 Exams Year 10 Exams Commence Senior Ultimate Frisbee State Competition
9 June	Unit 1 and 3 Exams Year 10 Exams End
10 June	Correction Day
13 June	Queen's Birthday
14 June	Semester Two Commences
15 June	Year 7 Bully Busters Incursion
20 June	Year 11 Central Oz Tour 20-28th June Year 10 Work Experience
21 June	Year 11 Central Oz Tour Year 10 Work Experience Final Senior House Debating - lunchtime in the Library
22 June	Year 11 Central Oz Tour Year 10 Work Experience
23 June	Year 11 Central Oz Tour Year 10 Work Experience
24 June	Year 11 Central Oz Tour Year 10 Work Experience Final of Senior Debating - 12.10pm in the Stadium Last Day of Term Two - 2.25pm Finish
11 July	Term 3 Begins



# SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

## MR MARC KOENIG

It has been an extremely busy term for our senior students here at Bentleigh Secondary College. Staff are passionate about educating our students as a whole person. This can easily be seen by how many extra curricular activities have run this term alone. They include: VCE Supportive Friends; Peer Support; Top Designs excursions; Equal Opportunity Sports; Athletics Carnival; Why Learn Japanese? Excursion; Business Management Stalls; James Lynch Interview Skills; Darren Pereira – Success Coach with Year 11, Year 12 and their parents (Year 10 coming soon); Mount Gambier Jazz Festival in South Australia; VCE Careers Expo; OES Great Ocean Walk; VCE Formal and the Senior School Play – With These Eyes. With more events coming up, highlighted by the Debutante Ball and the Year 11 Central Oz tour, our students are extremely lucky to have such dedicated staff who put in the time and effort to organise these events and build life long learning.



## Mid Year Exams

With only two weeks of coursework to go before the examination period begins, students should be actively revising and preparing for these most important examinations. All students in the Senior School have been given an examination timetable. Please support your child in preparing for this important period of the year.

## Term Two Working Bee

We need your help on Sunday, June 5 from 8.30am until 12 noon (Note the later start time). The focus of the Working Bee will be the upkeep of our award winning gardens and general maintenance. There will also be a general tidy up. It's a busy, enjoyable day and I encourage as many parents as possible, particularly those new to the college, to join the community. We will provide morning tea and a barbeque lunch. Thank you in advance.

## Success Coach – Darren Pereira

Success in the Senior School will largely be determined by students' home study and homework habits undertaken from now until the final examinations. Over the last two weeks we were fortunate to have Darren Pereira, a success coach, present strategies for achieving success in the VCE to Years 11 and 12. Students left with some valuable tools to ensure their study is as efficient as possible to improve their results in upcoming mid year exams. For the first time, we also ran a parent evening. This provided valuable parenting advice and how to deal with teenagers and support the strategies provided to the students.

## Gates

With the installation of the new gates, a reminder to parents that the exit gate in the Administration carpark opens via a sensor. Approach slowly and the gate will open automatically.

## Disabled Parking

Disabled parking in the administration car park is for students with poor mobility or injuries, not parents who do not need to leave their car. To ease congestion, I encourage parents to collect students from Chesterville Rd at the rear of the school.

## East Boundary Road

A reminder to all students to use the pedestrian lights when crossing East Boundary Road. If this could be encouraged for safety reasons by parents it would be appreciated.

## Lewis Pirrone Year 12 – My Cause Campaign

As most people know, I shaved my full head of locks in support of my Nana and neighbour who were diagnosed with a brain tumour and breast cancer. It'd been over a year since my last haircut and I wanted to raise money for research into cancer treatment. Most people don't realise the effects of cancer until it happens to someone they care about.

Lucas Rodiadis (10) and I shaved our heads as we are passionate about raising funds for further research into this disease. We'd like to thank Melissa Jane Hairdressing for donating their time and resources, and all the students, parents and staff who donated directly or online. We raised just under \$300 on the day and approximately \$900 in total for a worthy cause.



# MODEL UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY

*Dr Intha Chetty, Mindfulness Co-ordinator*



On the 30th April and the 1st of May, Adam Kanarek and Leah Currie represented Bentleigh Secondary College in the 2016 Model United Nations Assembly at Victoria's Parliament House. It was a fabulous experience and a great weekend where Adam and Leah had the incredible opportunity to learn about other countries, meet students from all over Melbourne and learn how to influence, negotiate and debate. Each school was allocated a country that sits on the UN, Bentleigh SC was allocated Ukraine. Students studied Ukraine, its culture, history, environment, politics and international position and they were coached and supported by Ms Muller, Dr Chetty and Ms Gingis.

The Bentleigh team was sponsored by Moorleigh Moorabbin Rotary Club. Adam and Leah handled the high pressure event with aplomb arguing their case with well-prepared speeches.

Forty-one teams took part representing forty-one countries from all parts of the world. Throughout the weekend, the discussion and debate of eight resolutions was fairly well balanced with no team able to dominate. The team from Blackburn High School representing Malaysia was judged the best team overall, with the team from Sacred Heart Girls' College representing Germany finishing up as the runners-up. The team of delegates for Ukraine – from Bentleigh Secondary College – won the prize for best costume.

A big thank you to Ms Gingis for finding the costumes and assisting with the final touches; thanks to Ms Lane for costume advice and the loan of some items. Most of the delegates queued up to take their photos with Adam and Leah, who looked so gorgeous - fair dinkum Ukrainian.

Students were treated to morning and afternoon teas and lunches. They also had an extensive tour of the Upper and Lower Parliament House. District 9810 MUNA Committee would like to thank all participating clubs and schools for their support.



# OES GREAT OCEAN WALK

*Mr Stuart Pearson, Outdoor & Environmental Studies Teacher*



On Monday 9th May, the Unit 1&2 Outdoor & Environmental Studies class ventured to Apollo Bay to begin their Great Ocean Walk adventure.

Despite wet and windy weather the group showed admirable resilience and teamwork. The views were as always spectacular and the students rose to the challenge of difficult hiking conditions. The Otway Lightstation tour gave the students a fascinating insight into early Indigenous culture along the Shipwreck Coast, while the Otway Fly zip line experience saw students flying through the rainforest canopy at up to 40km per hour. I would like to thank Mr. Karydis and Ms Veitch for their outstanding leadership and support throughout the trip.

Next up this class has their cross country skiing experience at Lake Mountain, while the Unit 3&4 students will venture to the Mornington Peninsula for surfing, snorkeling and an in-depth look at Indigenous and non-Indigenous relationships with the environment. Stay tuned for future reports from the Outdoor and Environmental Studies program!





# VCE FORMAL

*Mr Luke Brookman, Head of Year 12*



The VCE formal was held on Friday the 6th of May at the Southern Golf Club. It was great to see so many students dressed up in amazing outfits, and excited about the night. The venue was perfect and both students and teachers danced the night away. Thank you to all students and staff for attending and making it a memorable night. I would also like to thank the formal committee for your assistance in organising the night, and Mrs Vikki Elliott for all her hard work leading up to the event.



2016  
VCE  
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# CAREER NEWS

*Ms Kirstin Conway, Careers & Pathways Coordinator*

## Year 10 Guest Speaker – James Lynch

On Tuesday 26th April, James Lynch who is an expert in recruitment, provided Year 10 students with insight in regards to what employers are looking for when hiring an employee. James encouraged and showed students how to improve their interview and resume writing skills to ensure they stand out in a crowd and hopefully secure that job they're applying for. Overall, it was an inspiring session and a big thank you to Niko Floros who participated in the mock interview with James Lynch.

## Careers Expo

On Friday 6th May, Year 11 and 12 students attended 'The Age VCE Careers Expo' at Caulfield Racecourse. It was a jam packed expo with lots of institutions showcasing their courses in a hands-on and practical manner. Students gained great insight into the variety of opportunities available for further tertiary studies as well as prospective career options. Overall, it was a fantastic morning and the students were exceptionally well-behaved.



## PUN & PUZZLE:



**Pun: Q:** How many tickles does it take to make an octopus laugh? **A:** Ten tickles

**Puzzle:** In a family, a boy has as many sisters as he has brothers, but each sister has only half as many sisters as brothers. How many children are there in the family?

### \*\*\* SOLUTION TO LAST PUZZLE \*\*\*

Mr Driver is the gardener  
Mr Gardener is the painter  
Mr Painter is the shearer  
Mr Shearer is the driver



# MUSIC REPORT

*Mr Andrew Albanis, Head of Music*

The Intermediate and Senior Jazz bands had the wonderful opportunity to participate in the Mt Gambier Generations in Jazz Festival. Students performed to an exceptional level.

Congratulations to both Colleen Wurfel - trombone and Billy Pouki - vibes, for receiving a placing in the Division 4 Superband. This is an outstanding achievement. Well done to students and teachers for their preparation for this prestigious event.

Instrumental nights will be held in the next two weeks. Please come along and support our students. The events will start at 5.00pm, in the Performing Arts Centre.

**Vocal Night – Monday 23rd May**  
**Bass & Percussion Night – Tuesday 24th May**

Students who wish to sit an AMEB exam need to contact their instrumental teacher as soon as possible in order to secure an examination date.





# 2016 SENIOR SCHOOL PLAY - WITH THESE EYES

*Ms Jacinta Egan, Head of Performing Arts*

At The Logies this year, The Project co-host, Waleed Aly was the first Muslim-Australian to accept a Gold Logie. He dedicated his award to people with “unpronounceable names”; colleagues who choose to Westernise their names because they might not otherwise be considered for a job. ‘With These Eyes’ is an original devised work inspired by the themes in F. Scott Fitzgerald’s classic novel, *The Great Gatsby* and current conversations around ‘racial diversity’ in Australia. In the contemporary Australian context, *Gatsby*’s central themes of class, material excess, visibility and the longing for unreachable dreams can take on new and multiple meanings. In our age of technology and celebrity worship, young people have a very public platform to negotiate issues of class, identity and dreams for the future, while the future is changing. In our interpretation of this text, questions of opportunity, ‘race’ and representation were at the heart of the work. For whom was *Gatsby* written? What voices were left out of the original story? What happens when new voices are added to the picture? ‘With These Eyes’ was both a retelling and a deconstruction, and in our interpretation, we attempted to centralise voices that often get sidelined in the story. Staging this performance to simultaneously play to two opposing audiences allowed us to explore multiple perspectives and diverse voices. We wanted to encourage audiences to question their own assumptions about the ways a story like *Gatsby* could (and should) be told in the hope that a new story might be possible.

With thirty seven students from Year 10, 11 and 12, we started this process just over three months ago with little more than an initial idea. What grew from this process and what was created by these young people was nothing short of amazing. These students not only pushed themselves far out of their own comfort zone and challenged themselves every step of the way, they also never gave up in the process. In doing so they created a bond with each other that led to a tremendous amount of empathy and support being demonstrated throughout rehearsals. For anyone who’s ever been involved in theatre, you’ll know that what the audience sees onstage at the end is but a tip of the iceberg of what you’ve really achieved in rehearsals. These young people grew enormous amounts in terms of confidence, resilience and innovative thinking. When you’re encouraged to achieve the seemingly impossible, what you learn along the way will stay with you for life.

Thank you to the parents, guardians, ex-students and staff who were involved in one way or another. These things are impossible without you. Now on to our next adventure, the whole school musical,

*Seussical*. Auditions will be announced soon!





# ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2016

*Mr Nathan Rogers, Head of Sport*



The Bentleigh Secondary College annual House Athletics Carnival was held on Friday 29th April at Duncan McKinnon Athletics Track. Despite early signs of clear weather, the rain started to fall and persisted throughout the day. Luckily for us, the new stand at the track allowed students to stay dry as well as support the competitors in ideal viewing conditions. However, the weather did not deter the large number of students and staff who braved the cold and wet weather to earn points for their respective houses. Competition was fierce throughout the carnival with the final result coming down to the House relays.

In the closest of finishes, Hawker held off Wickham to win the House Athletics shield by a single point. Selected students will now make up the Bentleigh Secondary College Athletics Team for the Kingston Carnival later in the year. I would like to thank all students and staff for making it another successful carnival and despite the weather, demonstrating great resilience and motivation throughout the day.

## **Final Results:**

Hawker 1<sup>st</sup>, Wickham 2<sup>nd</sup>, Dendy 3<sup>rd</sup>, Fawknor 4<sup>th</sup>



# ATHLETICS CARNIVAL 2016



# EQUAL OPPORTUNITY DAY

*Mr Nathan Rogers, Head of Junior & House Sport*



On Wednesday 28th of April, 2016 the Intermediate Boys Netball teams played a fantastic round robin of netball. The 'Bentleigh A' team had a tough first game resulting in a draw against McKinnon. The next few games were a breeze with Adam Kanarek and Jake Haw unstoppable in the attack and shooting end. In winning their pool overall, the 'Bentleigh A' team had to play the 'Bentleigh B' team to advance into the championship final. The other Bentleigh team proved to be quick through the mid-court, however, the defence of Mitchell Baudinette and Willem Anderson was outstanding. In the championship game, we were up against the rival team, McKinnon. The game was goal for goal and with a nail biting finish, 'Bentleigh A' ended up winning the game by two goals. The 'Bentleigh B' team also finished third overall. Congratulations to all the boys for their effort and participation on the day. Good luck to the 'Bentleigh A' team who will play in the Southern Metropolitan Final on Friday the 5th of August.



**JUNIOR BOYS NETBALL**

On Wednesday 27th of April, two Junior teams participated in the Kingston division Round Robin! Both teams did exceptionally well on the day.

Well done to the boys who participated! A big thankyou to Michaela Jones for coaching on the day! Congratulations to the A team who will advance to the Southern Metropolitan Region finals which will be held on Friday August 5th 2016.





# KINGSTON ROUND ROBIN

*Miss Rosenbrock, PE Teacher*



Well done to all Senior girls who participated in the Kingston Netball Round Robin. It was a fantastic day out, with both teams finishing 4th. Thank you to Amy Bedford for also coaching on the day!

## Kingston Junior Girls AFL Champions!

On Wednesday April 27th, a group of twenty-seven junior (Years 7-9) girls competed in the AFL girls Kingston competition. Two pools totalling six schools made up the competition meaning each school played two games before the finals. After defeating McKinnon and Mordialloc Secondary Colleges in their first two games, Bentleigh faced Brighton Secondary in the Grand Final. After an even first half with Bentleigh only leading by two points at half time, a strong finish saw Bentleigh win comfortably by five goals. Bentleigh will now play in the Southern Metropolitan Region competition in late July. Well done girls!

Kingston Junior  
Girls  
AFL  
Champions!



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# YEAR 7 & 8 SOFTBALL

*Ms Sally Hudson & Mrs Annette Schout - PE Learning Area*



The Year 7 and Year 8 Softball teams competed in the Southern Metropolitan finals on Thursday 28th April.

Both teams played well all day, with some impressive batting, fielding and pitching – not to mention some excellent sportsmanship.

Both teams came runner up in the final on the day, well done girls the school is super proud of you all. As a result, both teams have been invited to play in the State finals in November – an awesome achievement!! Well done girls!! Go Bentleigh!





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## Bentleigh Secondary College



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Date: **Wednesday 15 June 2015**

Time: 6:30pm Register, Speakers from **7:00-9:00pm** (Finger Food provided)

Where: Bentleigh Secondary College – Auditorium, 4 Vivien St. Bentleigh East, 3165

Who: **All Men—Partners Welcome**

Enquiries/bookings: Bentleigh Bayside Community Health 9575 5303 RSVP 10 June

Please contact to discuss accessibility needs

Guest speakers will be joined in a Q & A panel discussion. As well as stalls from a range of local service providers.

#### Guest Speakers



**Wayne Schwass** is one of the most highly rated performers in the AFL playing 282 AFL games with the North Melbourne Football Club & Sydney Swans. He is one of the first AFL footballers to openly speak about his battle with depression and has been involved in education programs addressing depression.



**Associate Professor Craig Hassed** works at the Department of General Practice & is coordinator of mindfulness programs at Monash University. His teaching, research & clinical interests include mindfulness-based stress management, mind-body medicine, meditation, integrative medicine & medical ethics.



**Daniel Witthaus** is the founder & CEO of the National Institute for Challenging Homophobia Education (NICHE), a charity focusing on the needs of LGBTI people in rural Australia. He is currently working with 'No To Violence & the Men's Referral Service' & a past Victorian White Ribbon Day Coordinator.



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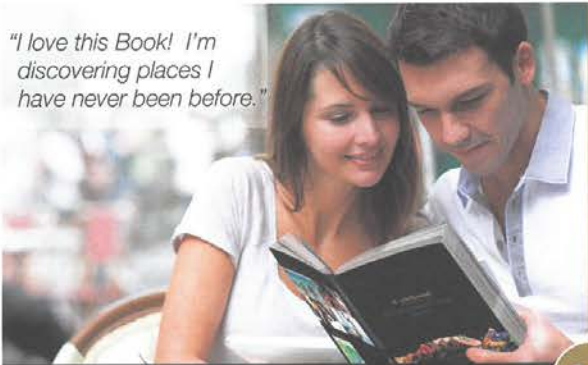


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# CAMPS, SPORTS, & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF) 2016

## 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 [www.education.vic.gov.au/csef](http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef)

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](http://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

1. 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 pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled or TAFE.

## 2015\16 - CSEF Credit

**Allocation of your CSEF credit will require the following action:**

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**Hand into the Finance Office. The Finance Office will allocate any CSEF funds to the event and mark your child as 'consent provided/paid' on Compass.**

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