

St. Arnaud Secondary College Newsletter

Issue 26

Term 3
Week 26
26th August 2022



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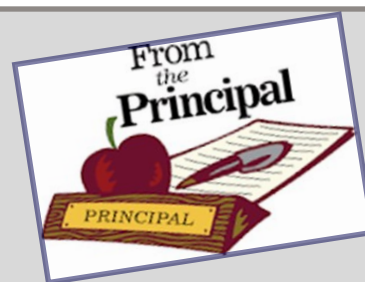


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Assistant Principal: Vanessa McCormick

Principal's report



Parent Teacher Interviews

Thanks to the many parents who attended Parent Teacher Interviews on Monday. If you were unable to attend the interviews but would still like to talk to a teacher or Year Level Coordinator, please contact the College.

College Captains 2023

Next Monday, our five nominees for College Captain will be presenting a speech to the student body and staff. I would like to wish Keegan Amos, Amy Greenaway, Izzy Hand, Rogan Hando and Phoebe Hendy all the very best of luck. Following the presentations, students and staff will be voting on their preferred Captains.

Student interaction

On Tuesday morning, I spoke to all the students about being respectful in their interactions and responses to staff. We are currently experiencing a higher than normal level of familiarity from a very wide range of students and I have reminded them that while they are at school, staff should be referred to and addressed by their proper name – e.g. Mr. Hand.

Year 12 Holiday Classes

I have included a copy of a timetable of classes for Year 12 students which be running over the upcoming September school holidays. While it is recommended that students be focussing on school work for both weeks during these holidays, we also thought it was important that if students or families wanted to get away during the two week break, we did not want to have classes spread over both weeks, making it impossible for students to get away with their families etc. While not all classes are running, we strongly encourage students to attend the classes that are running for their subjects. The classes that are definitely running are highlighted.

	Monday 26/09	Tuesday 27/09	Wednesday 28/09	Thursday 29/09	Friday 30/09
1	HHD BSW	English CTA	HHD BSW	Hist TDE	Out.Ed BKN
2	Legal TDE		Legal TDE	Math M TJA	
3	E.I. CTA	Out.Ed BKN	Hist TDE	English CTA	E.I. CTA
4	F Math BKN	S. ART STE Psych BAL French HBO	E.I. CTA F Math BKN	HHD BSW Legal TDE	F Math BKN
5		Hist TDE	S. ART STE	S. ART STE	
6	Out.Ed BKN	Math M TJA	Psych BAL French HBO	Psych BAL French HBO	English CTA

Principal's report continued

Changes to the Canteen

We have been informed that Parkview Bakery, who operates our school canteen, will not be able to staff the canteen at recess and lunchtimes from Friday. This will create some changes to our service but we are aiming to minimise the impact on students.

Students will be required to submit lunch orders in the morning during Home Group. We are aiming to run a 'normal' recess service where students can purchase the items they currently do. The lunchtime service will be just to distribute lunch orders that were placed in the morning.

This will take a little adjusting – but we are sure that we can make it work.

Mobile Phone Use

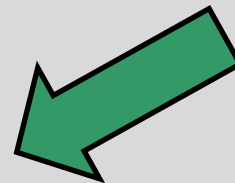
A reminder to families that St. Arnaud Secondary College follows the Department of Education Mobile Phone Policy.

Students are not allowed to use phones during the school day between 8.50am and 3.20pm.

Following a rise in incidents both in and out of schools being filmed, the Department has asked all schools to reinforce this policy. It is suggested that students leave their phones at home, but if they must bring them, they are to be handed in to Home Group Teachers in the morning and picked up at the end of the day.

I would also like to remind parents and carers that the forwarding of inappropriate material and incidences will, as per school and DET policy, be forwarded to the police for following up.

We would ask all parents and carers to ensure they discuss this with their children, by working together the best achievements occur.



Friday 26 August – Wear It Purple Day

Wednesday 31 August – Year 5 and 6 Information session

Monday 5 September – Year 9 Enviro Week

Wednesday 7 September – Year 12 GAT

Monday 12 September – Year 10 Work Experience Week

Friday 16 September – Last Day Term 3

Tony Hand
Principal

2023 Year 7 Information Evening



St. Arnaud Secondary College

Year 7 2023: Information Evening

Parents and students are invited to the Year 7 2023 Information evening hosted at St. Arnaud Secondary College. The evening will be on August 31st at 5.30pm. There will be a short tour of our excellent facilities followed by a brief overview by the Principal, Mr Tony Hand. Enrolment packs will be available on the evening.

Please do not hesitate to contact the College on 5495 1811.



Respect.

Responsibility.

Resilience.

Year 12 Studio Art



On the 18th August Year 12 Studio Art attended the Bendigo Art Gallery Exhibition focus day in Bendigo. The day did not get off to a great start in the Ford Focus as it poured with rain and the wind screen wipers were well and truly not doing their job. Ms Tehan battled on. Entertainment was Justin and Ms. Tehan mock interviewing Rogan in preparation for his school Captain interview the whole way to Bendigo.

The point of the day was to collect information to complete our Art Industry contexts SAC. We must attend two art exhibitions and compare the preparation, presentation, promotion, and conservation of each exhibition.

When we arrived at La Trobe Art Institute, we listened to presentations from each of the exhibition curators. A curator is a person that designs an exhibition. We then had an opportunity to visit each exhibition. The first at La Trobe Art Institute was called Personal Mythologies and was a guest curated group exhibition from 6 artists with Asian backgrounds. The different artworks explored Asian heritage and its influence on their identity. The second exhibition, at Bendigo Art Gallery, was The Paul Guest Memorial Drawing prize. This exhibition was a drawing competition with a \$15,000 prize with over 40 artworks. Both exhibitions were very, very different which was a good thing as we were to compare them for our SAC.

We ended the day with a very big lunch at Cortile – very big hamburgers and milkshakes. Big mention to the Loddon-Campaspe Student Excursion program that fully funded the transport and meant that the entire excursion was free.

Thank you very much.



Yr. 11 Food Studies



This week in Year 11 Food Studies the students made 'Meatball and Tomato Soup'. In this recipe the capsicum was roasted in the oven to develop its flavour, soften the texture and make the skin easy to remove. The onion and garlic were shallowly fried to develop the flavour and create a soft texture. The vegetables were simmered to blend the flavours of the soup and cook the pasta. The meatballs were browned and then simmered in the soup to cook the proteins and ensure that they retained their shape. Troy, Rogan and Lachlan all enjoyed the soup and either ate it all during the day for lunch, or took it home for tea. Nathan did not like the meatballs but enjoyed the tomato flavour and pasta. Ryan was not extremely hungry so only tried a little bit but was the only one who took a copy of the recipe home.



Yr. 7 & 7/8 Food Technology

This week the students worked in fours to make a Spanish Omelette and Apple Sponge. Although several students indicating that they didn't like eggs or onions, there were no left overs!

I try to encourage all students to at least try what they have made before deciding that they don't like what they have made. In the theory class we started looking at the design process, with 6 steps in the process, that we will look at over the next few weeks.



Science Week

What's your favourite Australian native tree? It's time to vote on the top 10

ABC Science



The mountain ash, ghost gum, boab and snowgum are among the 10 trees remaining in the search for Australia's favourite. (Getty Images)

To vote on your favourite Australian tree go to:
https://www.abc.net.au/news/science/2022-07-29/vote-for-your-favourite-australian-native-tree/101210764?utm_campaign=abc_news_web&utm_content=link&utm_medium=content_shared&utm_source=abc_news_web



Bunnings Horsham graciously donated a wheelbarrow to our Hands on Learning Program and this was a great opportunity for the team to put it together. Other members of the team started on designing our H.O.L. tiles with which we will be doing some colourful mosaic work.

We were also working on our banner, which the students are hand-sewing on buttons to make the letters of “Hands on Learning”. Sewing is a skill many didn’t think they could do, but they are all feeling proud as they complete their letters.

Using the big tools.

Our local Land Care Manager, Andrew Borg, has generously donated some marine plywood, so that our Hands on Learning students can make some possum boxes. When these are completed, we will go back to visit his possum colony and put these finished boxes up into the selected trees.





The school has a new mower !!!

You couldn't wipe the smile from our wonderful groundskeeper and all round maintenance man's face. He couldn't wait to use the new mower to cut all of the school's grassed areas.

Thanks for all your hard work Burkey.



Office News

All camps and excursions are required to be paid prior to attendance unless payment plans have been approved.

Parent Payment Policy Arrangements in 2022

Parent Payment information has been mailed to families – please contact the school if you require any further details.

The Department of Education and Training has sought to clarify the Parent Payments Policy for 2022. Schools can request contributions from parents under three categories.

- Curriculum Contributions – contributions for curriculum items and activities which the school deems necessary for students to learn the Curriculum e.g., textbook use, consumable materials, paper
- Other Contributions – Voluntary financial contributions for non-curriculum items and activities that relate to the school's functions and objectives e.g., school building enhancements
- Extra-Curricular Items and Activities – Items and activities that enhance or broaden the schooling experience of students and are above and beyond what the school provides for free to deliver the Curriculum. These are provided on a user-pays basis. e.g., Optional Year level camps

Webpage: <https://www.starnaudsc.vic.edu.au/page/229/2022-Parent-Payment-Policy>

DET Parent Payment Policy : <https://www2.education.vic.gov.au/pal/parent-payment/policy>

BYOD LWT Portal : <https://sasc.orderportal.com.au/>



Office News

Parent Payment Arrangements and Options:

- Parents will be provided with early notification of annual payment requests and reasonable notice will be given for any other payment requests during the year (i.e., excursions, camps)
- The College offers Parents the option to make payment by instalments. Please contact Kerrie Swanton, Business Manager, to make these arrangements.
- Methods of payment are BPAY, EFTPOS, cash, or cheque.
- Eligible families that receive Camps, Sport & Excursion Funds can allocate these funds for sports travel, camps, and excursions only.
- The payment for Optional Items including camps and excursions must be paid by the specified due date prior to departure. Other payments for Optional Items including Food Technology must be paid in week 2 of each Term, or by negotiated instalments.
- When making payment via BPAY, please note the receipt number on the returned permission slip or email paid items to st.arnaud.sc@education.vic.gov.au
- New families to the school who do not have Family BPay details, please contact the school for these details.

Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund applications

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps, and sporting activities. Applications for the Camps, Sports, and Excursions Fund (CSEF) close 24/06/2022

If you have a valid means-tested concession card, such as a Veterans Affairs Gold Card, Centrelink Health Care Card, or Pensioner Concession Card, or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible.

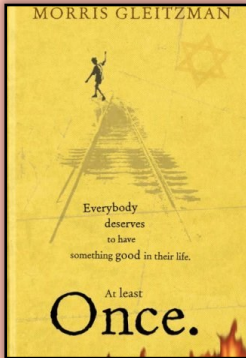
Payment amounts this year are \$225 for eligible secondary school students. Payments are made direct to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions, and sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

If you applied for CSEF through our school last year, you do not need to complete an application form this year, unless there has been a change in your family circumstances.

If you would like to apply for the first time, please contact the school office on 5495 1811 and ask for an application form.

Business Manager – Kerrie Swanton
Student Administration – Elisha O'Donnell
Office Hours: 8.30 am – 4.30pm
Phone 03 5495 1811
Email: st.arnaud.sc@education.vic.gov.au

The G.H. Edwards Library



Once

by Morris Gleitzman

The story of a young Jewish boy who is determined to escape the orphanage he lives in to save his Jewish parents from the Nazis in the occupied Poland of the Second World War.

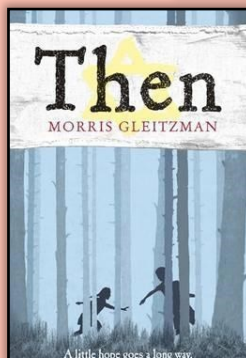
Everybody deserves to have something good in their life. At least Once.

Once I escaped from an orphanage to find Mum and Dad.

Once I saved a girl called Zelda from a burning house.

Once I made a Nazi with a toothache laugh.

My name is Felix. This is my story.



Then

By Morris Gleitzman's

This heartbreaking children's novel set during the Nazi occupation of Poland during the Second World War - Jewish orphan Felix and his best friend Zelda have been captured and are on the way to a concentration camp, unless they manage to escape .

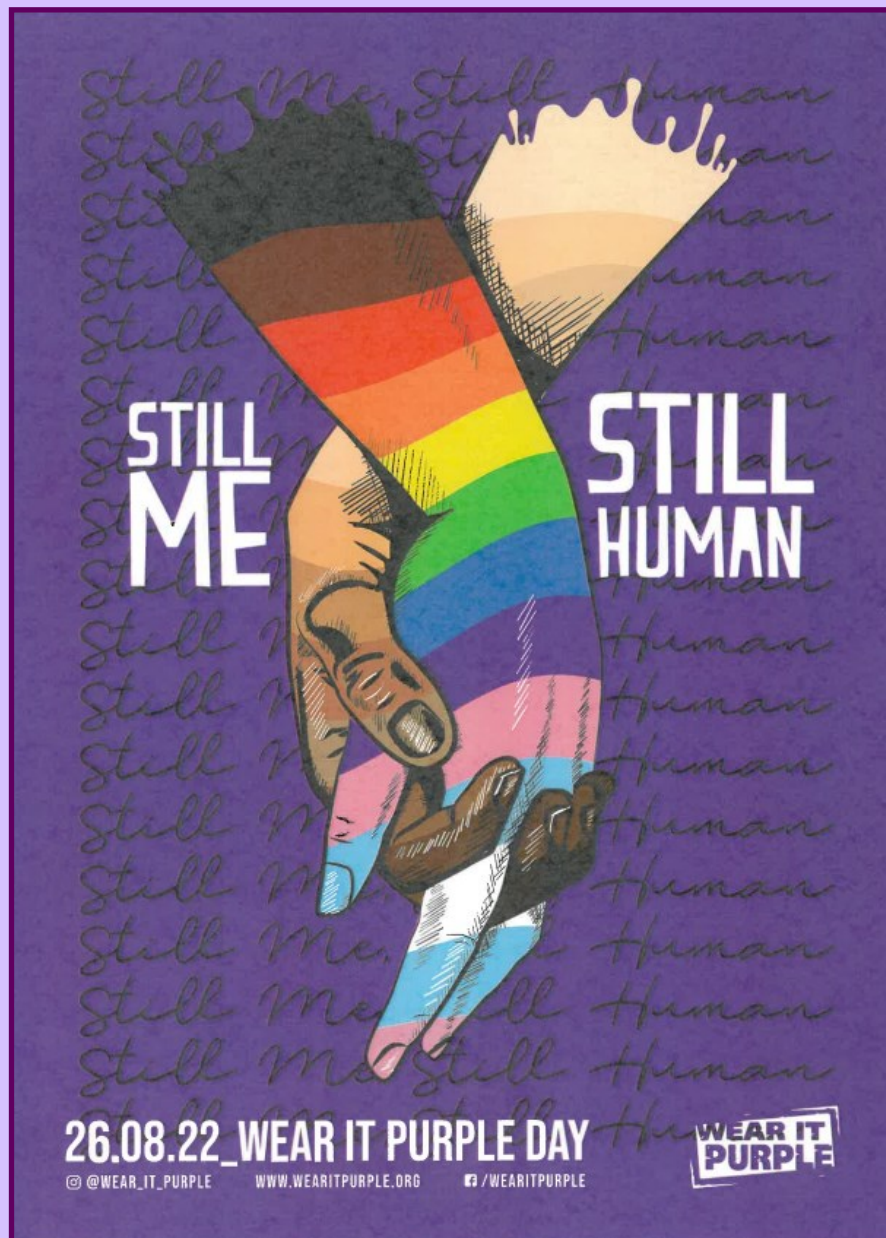
A little hope goes a long way.

I had a plan for me and Zelda. Pretend to be someone else. Find new parents, be safe forever.

Then the Nazis came.

My name is Felix. This is my story.

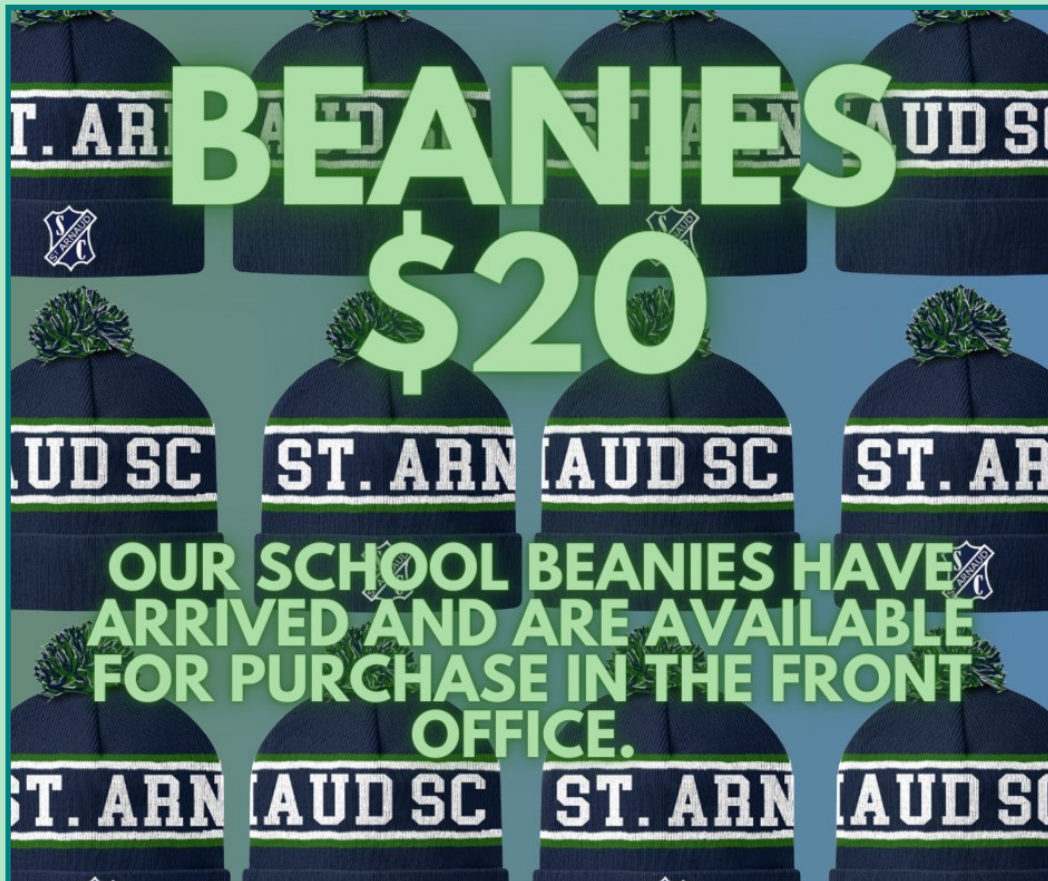
Purple Day



Purple Day- FRIDAY 26th AUGUST 2022
Supporting and accepting of all diversity
within our community.

“You change the world by Being yourself”
Students will be running a cake stall at recess. Items will be
between \$1.00-\$3.00

SRC Fundraiser—School Beanies



Primary School Need Our Help



Cereal Box Dominos

The St. Arnaud Primary School have asked us to help them make the longest cereal box dominos possible and WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!

On the last day for term, we will be doing cereal box dominos with the primary school. We are asking for anyone to donate boxes of unopened cereal.

There will be a donation tub at the office for anyone who has some unopened cereal to donate to this fun activity.

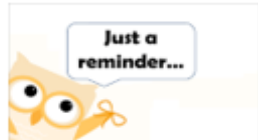
The cereal will then be donated to charity!

We will also be inviting the Early Learning Centre and McCallum Disability Services to this fun event.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to ask your SRC representatives 😊

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Reminders: Year 12 Students



EARLY ENTRY PROGRAMS

- Charles Sturt Advantage** – Close 4th September
- Latrobe ASPIRE** – Close 16th September
- RMIT Early Entry** – Close 18th September
- ACU Guarantee** – Close 23rd September
- Deakin Regional access** – Close 30th September
- Swinburne Early Entry** – Close 6th October
- Victoria University** – Close 7th October
- Federation Uni Early Offer** – Close 12th December

VTAC COURSE, SEAS, & SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATIONS

Open Now

www.vtac.edu.au

YOUTHRIVE SCHOLARSHIPS

UNIVERSITY - Open 30th June – Close 26th August

www.youthrivevictoria.org.au/scholarships/university-scholarships/



Open Days This Weekend

Saturday 27th August

CQ University (online)

Collarts – Melbourne Campus

Sunday 28th August

Deakin University – Burwood Campus

Latrobe University – Bendigo Campus

For a list of 2022 Open Days Visit:

www.vtac.edu.au/opendays.html

NIDA | Stage and Screen School, Melbourne

National Institute
of Dramatic Art

NIDA

Mon. 19th–Thurs. 22nd September 10am– 5pm

Abbotsford Convent

Spend a week exploring performance for both stage and screen in this practical introduction to acting. Develop skills in improvisation, text analysis and script work then apply these skills to an on-screen performance. Present live and recorded scenes at the end of the week for your NIDA friends. This school holiday class is suitable for students in Grades 7-10.

Find out more:

www.open.nida.edu.au/course/OHSSS710

RMIT | Tech & Trades Experience Day



Wednesday 28th September, 9:30am – 2:30pm

RMIT University, Melbourne City Campus

All year 10, 11 and 12s are welcome to come and experience hands-on workshops, tour facilities, talk with teachers and current students, ask us any questions, prizes on offer and have lunch on us. Learn more about RMIT's vocational education courses in the following areas:

*Advanced Manufacturing, Building Design,
Carpentry, Cyber Security, Engineering,
Information Technology,
Plumbing, Surveying, Web Programming*

Find out more:

www.rmit.edu.au/events/2022/September/tech-and-trades-experience-day

University of Melbourne | Discover Melbourne at Dookie



Sunday 11th September 2022, 10am – 2pm

Discover the University of Melbourne at our Dookie campus on Sunday 11th September. At Melbourne, you'll join a thriving and diverse community that supports you to follow your passions.

Find out more:

<https://study.unimelb.edu.au/connect-with-us/events-for-future-students/discover-melbourne-at-dookie>

Careers in Tech Program



Commonwealth Bank

Learn what a career in technology might look like with one of Australia's leading financial institutions. Throughout this online program, you will experience some of the tasks that people with innovation and technology careers do in their everyday job. By completing these tasks, you can see how technology can help businesses in the following ways: Design, Build, Protect, Analyse, & Automate.

Visit:

www.theforage.com/virtual-internships/prototype/wDmFytuMsWh54F97/Careers%20in%20Tech

Mrs Rebecca Reynolds
Careers Co-ordinator

Sue Clay 
Careers and Pathways
Email: s.clay@ncillen.org.au

Career—Expression of Interest



APPRENTICE PLUMBER – POSITION AVAILABLE

Hardinghams Plumbing provides quality plumbing and gas-fitting services, to Donald, Birchip, Charlton, St Arnaud.

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- **Willing to learn?**
- **Looking for a challenge?**
- **Don't mind a bit of mud?**

THEN WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU!

If you fit the criteria above, are seeking a great place to work, where you have plenty of scope to learn and work on interesting projects then please call in and see us or send your resume to:

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94 Woods Street
Donald Vic 3480
03 54971464

Or: plumbing@hardinghams.com.au

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Experience Outdoor and Sustainability Education

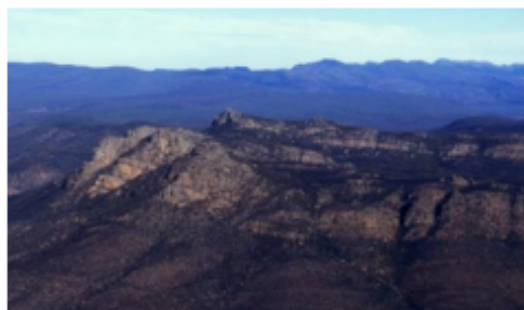
Spring Programme | 26th - 30th September 2022

Love the outdoors?

Are you in year 10, 11 or 12?

Join us for a significant experience that might alter your future directions.

With the Outdoor & Sustainability Education @ La Trobe Spring Programme, you will experience the natural environment of Gariwerd (Grampians), bushwalking over several days and nights.



Making important decisions about your future can be challenging, especially if you don't fully understand how a university course can help you achieve your goals.

Experience what it's like to be an Outdoor and Sustainability Education student at La Trobe University through our Spring Programme in the September school holidays.

Meet current university students and other secondary students from across the nation.

Learn how our courses can help you find out more about yourself and can start a rewarding career.

La Trobe University's Outdoor & Sustainability Education is internationally recognised for its innovative approaches to education, teaching and research.

Located at the Bendigo campus, Outdoor & Sustainability Education provides a unique, well-supported learning community in a beautiful natural setting.

The Outdoor & Sustainability Education programme is designed so that students can combine outdoor educational experiences with an environmental & sustainability knowledge base.

Join us for a 5-day bushwalk led by final-year La Trobe Outdoor & Sustainability Education students in the September school holidays.

Interested? For further details, contact:

Hannah Stewart, Outdoor & Sustainability Education
La Trobe University, Bendigo, Victoria 3552, Australia
E: h.stewart@latrobe.edu.au

TO EXPRESS INTEREST: <https://forms.gle/Hd7DJF6iG1rpqKPr5>

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Menzies Oration Series presents

DO I HAVE A FUTURE?

A better deal for young people in Australia

Leading in to the 2022 Federal Government's Jobs and Skills Summit, we ask that priority be given to Australian youth - how do we build pathways for our young people to thrive?

WEDNESDAY 24 AUG, 2022
5:45PM ARRIVAL FOR 6PM START

FEDERATION UNIVERSITY, MT HELEN
CAMPUS, UNIVERSITY DRIVE, MT HELEN
(BALLARAT)

VIRTUAL OPTION
- THIS EVENT WILL BE LIVE STREAMED

REGISTER



2022 Menzies Orator

**TRAVERS
MCLEOD**

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR,
BROTHERHOOD OF ST. LAURENCE



Travers McLeod commenced as Executive Director of the Brotherhood of St. Laurence in April 2022. The Brotherhood of St. Laurence is a social justice organisation working for people experiencing disadvantage in Australia. Travers was formerly the CEO of the Centre for Policy Development, he is an Honorary Fellow of the School of Social and Political Sciences at the University of Melbourne and an Associate of the Oxford Martin School at the University of Oxford.

Moderated by Daniel Ziffer, ABC Journalist, Travers will be joined by a panel of young leaders to set a future agenda for the 'greater good'.



Careers & Pathways



Junior Engineers and ANZ Docklands Presents

DEADLY CODERS

**APP PROTOTYPING & DESIGN THINKING WORKSHOP
FOR FIRST NATIONS YOUTH AT ANZ DOCKLANDS
For students in years 9-11**

Date: 29th Aug - 31st Aug [2022]

Times: 9am - 3pm

Place: ANZ 833 Collins Street Docklands

30 spaces are available for students in upper secondary school. Fully funded by ANZ Bank. This is a fantastic opportunity for First Nations students. The 3 day program is completely aligned with the Digital Technologies Curriculum. Students will learn design thinking theory and then use the design thinking process and technology to solve real world problems.

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST TODAY

PLEASE CONTACT PARTNERSHIPS@JNRENGINEERS.COM

R U OK Day—8/9/22

**ASK
R U OK?™**
It can make a big difference

R U OK? Day-

Thursday 8th September 2022

One way we can combat suicide and mental health issues are by having genuine conversations with our families, friends, colleagues, and neighbours.

If we openly and authentically take the time to invest in others and truly listen to them, we will improve our ability to understand and support each other.

When we truly know a person, we have an opportunity to understand what is challenging them, how they manage stress, and how they can be supported.

[R U OK? Day](#) is a reminder of the importance of meaningful connections and encourages everyone to start having honest conversations about how we are feeling.

National support lines

- Kids Helpline (up to 25 years): 1800 551 800
- Lifeline: 13 11 14
- Men's Line Australia: 1300 789 978
- Beyond Blue: 1300 224 636
- Q-life LGBTQIA+: 1800 184 527
- Lifeline Text (6pm-12am): 0477 131 114
- Grief Line: 1300 845 745



Health Promotion
EAST WIMMERA HEALTH SERVICE

NATIONAL SCIENCE WEEK

13TH - 21ST AUGUST 2022

There are lots of ways you can get involved in National Science Week. Here are two simple but fun experiments you can do with items you might already have at home!

Walking Water

If you think water only runs downhill... this might change your mind!



You'll need:

- 3 to 5 small clear plastic cups
- Water
- Food colouring – several colours
- Some absorbent paper – like paper towel or toilet paper, rolled up or torn into strips

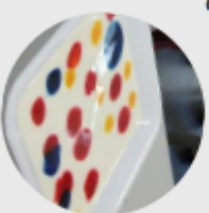
Instructions at: www.questacon.edu.au/learn-and-play/activities/walking-water

Storm in a Saucer

Have you ever wanted to control the weather? Well now you can create your very own storm in a saucer!

You'll need:

- A saucer or small plastic plate
- Full-cream milk
- Food colouring (3 colours)
- Dish-washing detergent
- A small cup
- A toothpick or cotton tip



Instructions at: www.questacon.edu.au/learn-and-play/activities/storm-in-a-saucer

Find more information and fun experiments at: www.scienceweek.net.au/ and www.questacon.edu.au/

Health & Wellbeing

GenU Mental Health Support

ARE YOU FEELING LOW?

OUT OF SORTS?

ANXIOUS?

OR JUST NOT YOURSELF?

genU

ACCESS genU'S FREE LOW INTENSITY MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT SERVICE TO HELP GET YOU BACK ON TRACK.

For Students 13 years above

Are you struggling with or concerned about your mental health?

We can help you access low intensity mental health support services if you have, or are at risk of, mild mental health conditions.

Our accessible services, delivered across Western Victoria, are evidence-based, staged services for people experiencing mild symptoms or low levels of distress for a short period of time.

Our services may assist you even if you have no mental illness risk factors, or if you have responded well to previous treatment. You may feel that you are functioning well but may have problems with motivation or engagement.

What kind of support is provided?

Face-to-face one-to-one intervention or Telehealth

Individual support for those presenting with mild/low levels of psychological distress.

8 SESSIONS ARE AVAILABLE 60 MINS IN DURATION AND AIMS TO SUPPORT AND MANAGE YOUR MENTAL HEALTH.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SET UP AN APPOINTMENT TO THIS COUNSELLING SERVICE, PLEASE MAKE CONTACT WITH SCHOOL NURSE TANIA- (AVAILABLE MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY IN SCHOOL) OR EMAIL ON: tania.scarce@education.vic.gov.au. Alternatively call the school to advise.

Health & Wellbeing

Is your child struggling at school but financially unable to access external tutoring?

WE'RE HERE TO HELP.

WHAT WE DO

- Connect students who struggle with school but are not able to afford tutoring otherwise to our dedicated volunteer tutors for free.
- Our tutors can assist Kindergarten to Year 9 students with English, Mathematics and Science, in addition to reading help for K-2 students.

OUR MISSION

eTutors Project connects students who are having learning difficulties with access to free weekly tutoring lessons to help them succeed, regardless of their financial capability.

 **eTutors Project**

To learn more about us or to enrol as a student, please visit
www.etutorsproject.org

Community Event



First Aid Courses 2022



Sunday 4th September

9am-3pm

CPR (HLTAID009)

Completed Annually — \$80 per person - Pre-class on-line work.

HLTAID011 Provide First Aid

For first time or expired certificate

\$200 per person - Pre-class on-line work.

HLTAID011—Continuous Learning (Includes CPR)

*For people with current Certificate—done every year to
keep qualification current*

(proof required) \$100 Per Person - Pre-class on-line work.

**HLTAID012—Provide First Aid in the
Education and Care Setting**

For first time or expired certificate -

*\$210 Per Person - Includes asthma and anaphylaxis
Pre-class on-line work.*

HLTAID012—Continuous Learning (Includes CPR)

*For people with current Certificate—done every year to
keep qualification current*

(proof required) \$100 Per Person - Pre-class on-line work.

Trainer: Casey Kosch

Enrol and Pay by Monday 29th August.

**Enquiries to: St Arnaud Community Resource Centre,
85 Napier St, St Arnaud. Ph: 5495 1997
9am-2:00pm Mondays to Fridays**



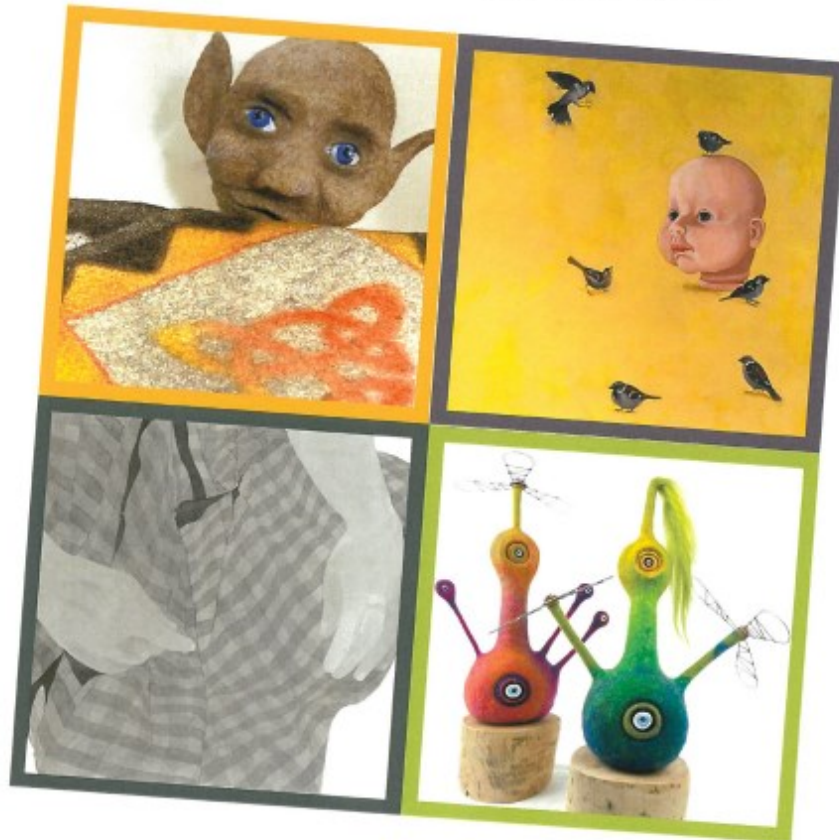
Community Event

July 22 *until* Sept 11 2022

A LITTLE BIT OFF CENTRE

NEW WORKS BY

ANNA ASHTON
TENAR DWYER
TANJA GAWIN
JAS SHALIMAR



OPEN 11-4
Friday Saturday Sunday



Queens Avenue
St Arnaud VIC 3478

Community Event



HORSHAM
REGIONAL ART GALLERY

What's On?

Open 10am - 4pm daily - Tours & worksheets available upon request.

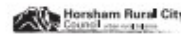


Myth Making

Kate Rohde & Troy Emery

16 July — 16 October 2022

Kate Rohde and Troy Emery present a new body of work inspired by classical European myths merged with legend and places unique to the Wimmera and Grampians region to reimagine our local landscape within the gallery aesthetics.

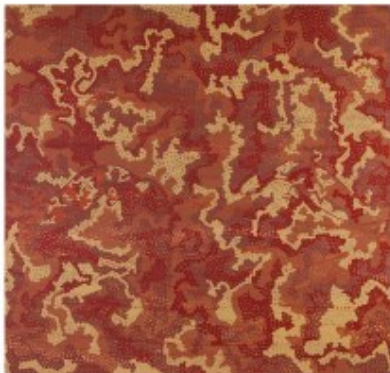


Mali marrng Mallee Sky

Belinda Eckermann & Gail Harradine

29 April — 28 August 2022

For some of us, the connection to nature is almost tangible, it influences who we are, how we connect to others and how we connect to ourselves. Mali marrng Mallee sky by Gail Harradine and Belinda Eckermann gives form to the invisible and unseen personal, familial, community narrative of connection to landscape.



Get up! Stand up! Show up!

NAIDOC Week Exhibition

3 July — 28 August 2022

Representing a diverse range of both established and emerging artists, this exhibition is a showcase of the talent, ideas and cultural heritage of the Wotjobaluk, Jaadwa, Jadawadjali, Wergaia and Jupagulk community.



Community Event



STUDENTS KICKSTART YOUR STARTUP YOUR SOCIAL IMPACT



Bring your big ideas to tackle challenges and create opportunities in food & fibre, sustainability and the circular economy. Get mentored by local partners. Apply entrepreneurship methodology to ideate, prototype and launch your initiative in this 2-day regional intensive.

SOUTH WEST VIC

13 & 14 Sep 2022

Venue: Deakin University
WARRNAMBOOL

Year Levels: Ideal for those
in years 9-11

Local Education &
Government
Partners



Food & Fibre
Partners



Sustainability &
Circular Economy
Partners



Education, Facilitation
& Funding
Partnership



Funded by the Department of Education and Training, Victorian Challenge and Breakthrough Series. The program uses industry tools to challenge and extend students, exposing them to new experiences outside the typical school curriculum. Program designed and facilitated by the Banyule Nillumbik and Whittlesea Tech Schools.

Scan to Learn More



or visit website
StudentStartup.org.au/regional

Expressions of Interest

**VSA
YG**

**Vision St Arnaud Youth
Group presents:**

A photograph of two young boys in Hogwarts-style robes sitting at a table laden with food. The boy on the left is Harry Potter, wearing his signature round glasses and a black robe. The boy on the right is also in a black robe. The table is filled with various dishes, including a large platter of fried chicken, a bowl of corn on the cob, and other food items. The background is slightly blurred, showing other people in similar attire.

DINNER PARTY

- Friday 2 September, 7 - 9pm
- Meet at Market Square
- Cost : \$5

We are going to share a delicious home cooked feast together (at the Neighbourhood House), and play pool and table tennis!

For more info contact Georgie 0433 377 592

For a chance to vote on what we eat follow us on Instagram
[@visionstarnaudyg](#)

Expressions of Interest

INFORMATION FOR CUSTOMERS

Australian Government Mobile Service Centre



Serving Regional Australia

Visit the Mobile Service Centre to find out about Australian Government payments and services for rural families, older Australians, students, job seekers, people with disability, carers, farmers and self-employed people.

Information about Department of Veterans' Affairs programs and support services for veterans and their families will also be available.

Staff can provide you with information and support. They can also help you create a myGov account. myGov is a simple and secure way to access government services online.

ST ARNAUD

Near the Town Hall, Napier Street

Thursday, 8 September 2022 9 am to 4 pm

Friday, 9 September 2022 9:00 am to 1:30 pm

For more information, go to servicesaustralia.gov.au/mobileoffice

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Expression of Interest



A Rotary District 9780 program for young Australians



DEFYING THE DRIFT!

WHAT?
DID is a program designed to empower young people to:

- Identify and explore agriculture and agribusiness career opportunities
- Build communication skills
- Develop career networks

WHO?
DID is for year 10 and year 11 students

WHY?
Because there are great, high paying professional, entrepreneurial and trade careers in agriculture that young people need to know about!

WHEN?
Tuesday September 20, 2022 to Thursday September 22, 2022

WHERE?
Longerenong Ag College, Horsham

HOW MUCH?
\$250 Early bird price - pay by July 31
\$350 per student sponsorship available.
[More information at www.defyngthedrift.org](http://www.defyngthedrift.org)

DID starts with a 3 Day residential program at Longerenong Ag College. There will be lots of new friends to make, inspiring agriculture role models to meet, places to visit and lots of fun.

The second part is a presentation by each participant at their sponsoring Rotary Club - a great chance to meet community leaders.




DEFYING THE DRIFT!

Rotary
District 9780




THERE ARE WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITIES FOR FANTASTIC, HIGH PAYING AND SECURE CAREERS IN EVERY WALK OF LIFE IN RURAL VICTORIA. WITH IT COMES A LIFESTYLE THAT CITY FOLK CAN ONLY DREAM ABOUT.

Agricultural careers have a bright future. The fact is the world's growing population needs to be fed and clothed and, with the average age of farmers approaching 60 years, young people are worth their weight in gold. Employers are screaming out for them. Jobs are often going begging.

While the traditional patterns of family farm succession are giving way to corporate style farming and land prices seem prohibitive for new entrants, there are great opportunities for careers in agriculture across the broadest range of personal skills, as well as the many professions, trades and vocations needed in every community.

With the huge interest in where our food comes from, the time is ripe for organic and innovative food production start-ups.

Since its inception in 2010 Defying the Drift has helped young people discover pathways through further education and work experience to great careers in agriculture.

Don't wait for the future - make it happen!

Early bird closing date for applications is July 31 2022. Final closing date is August 31 2022 unless all places are filled prior. The DID Committee reserves the right to limit applicants per school if the program is oversubscribed, to allow students from a greater number of locations to attend.

[More information at www.defyngthedrift.org](http://www.defyngthedrift.org)




Expression of Interest



Grampians Writers' group 2022 Short Story Competition

Theme – 'Dream' (As wide as your Imagination)

You are invited to submit entries from 1st August through to 14th October.

Nil Entry Fee.

Categories

Open (18 years and over) to 2,000 words

Secondary Students Year 10 – Year 12 to 1,500 words

Secondary Students Year 7 – Year 9 to 1,000 words

Prizes for each Category

<u>Open</u>	First	\$200.00	
	Second	\$100.00	
	Highly Commended	Certificate	
<u>Secondary Students Yr10 – Yr 12</u>	First	\$100.00	
	Second	\$ 50.00	
	Highly Commended	Certificate	
<u>Secondary Students Yr 7 – Yr 9</u>	First	\$100.00	
	Second	\$ 50.00	
	Highly Commended	Certificate	

Prizes will be selected by judges from all entries by local writers to encourage resident writers in the Grampians Region.

Winners will be awarded prizes at ceremony 19th November. Winners will be posted in the Stawell Times-News following the event. Awards ceremony will be at the Northern Grampians Shire Town Hall, Supper Room, 59 – 69 Main Street, Stawell, from 3.00pm including afternoon tea.

Enquiries and Entries can be emailed to – grampianswriters@gmail.com or posted to The Receiving Officer, GWG Competition, 522 Bunjill's Cave Road, Stawell 3380.

Funded by Northern Grampians Shire Community Events Grant



St Arnaud Secondary College

Instrumental Music: 2022 - Expression of Interest

We are pleased to be able to offer small group instrumental lessons once again this year and we would like to invite students to complete the following expression of interest form.

Lessons are held on a rotating timetable on Wednesdays and Thursdays, so that students miss part of a different period each week. Lessons are provided free of charge. The places are limited and are allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

Initially lessons will be offered in Keyboard, Voice, Guitar, Ukulele, Violin and Drums. Students interested in other instruments are asked to nominate their instrument of interest to assist with ongoing planning.
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(Please circle your choices and indicate your first and second preferences by numbering then 1 & 2)

Keyboard ____

Guitar ____

Ukulele ____

Violin ____

Drums ____

Other Instrument(s) of interest _____

Student Name _____ Yr _____

Parent / Guardian Name: _____

Parent / Guardian Mobile: _____

Parent / Guardian Email: _____

Parent / Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____ [School Use: Received: _____]

2022 Calendar

August	Mon	22nd	Parent/Teacher Interviews 9am—6.30pm Yr. 11/12 Classes running as normal
	Wed	24th	NCD Athletics
	Wed	24th	MIPS
	Fri	26th	Purple Day—Wear Purple Clothes
	Wed	31st	Grade 6 Lunch—Periods—5&6
	Wed	31st	Yr. 5/6 Info Day—5.30-6pm
September	Thurs	1st	MIPS
	Mon-Tues	5th/6th	Yr. 9 Enviro Week—Tree Planting/Overnight Stay
	Mon	5th	State Shoot
	Wed-Fri	7th-9th	VSSS Dance Rehearsal Melbourne
	Wed	7th	GAT Section A—9.30-11.45am Section B—1.15-3pm
	Thurs	8th	R U OK Day Presentation—11.30-12.30pm
	Thurs-Fri	8th/9th	Yr. 9 Enviro Week—Roadside Clean Up/Rewards Day
	Sat	9th	VSSS Concert Melbourne
	Mon	12th	MIPS
	Mon-Fri	12th-16th	Yr.10 Work Experience
	Fri	16th	LAST DAY OF TERM 3—2PM FINISH
October	Mon	3rd	TERM 4 STARTS
	Thurs	6th	LMR Athletics
	Fri	7th	Yr. 9/10 Boys Man Cave Program—All Day Yr. 9/10 Girls Flourish Program—All Day
	Thurs	13th	Yr. 11 Chem Ecoline
	Mon	17th	SSV Athletics
	Fri	21st	Yr. 12's Last Day
	Wed	26th	VCE English Exam