



Newsletter Issue 2, 26th February 2019

THURSDAY 4th APRIL EARLY FINISH 2.20pm - OH & S AUDIT
FRIDAY 5th APRIL - PUPIL FREE DAY - STAFF CURRICULUM DAY

School Council of Macleod College

Notice of Election and Call for Nominations in Parent Category

An election is being conducted for membership of the School Council of Macleod College. **Nominations opened Monday February 18th and will close at 4pm on Monday March 4th.** There are 3 parent category vacancies for a 2 year term each. Nomination forms were mailed out to all families the week beginning **February 11th** and are also available from the General Office at the school.

Nominations must be lodged at the General Office by 4.00pm on Monday March 4th 2019.

Principal's Report

Swimming Carnival

Yesterday, in ideal swimming conditions, the College held our annual swimming carnival at Northcote pool with a record number of students attending and competing.

I would like to see the same at the upcoming Athletics Carnival on Wednesday 27th March.

Results for house points at the end of the day for swimming were:-

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| Shepherd | 802 |
| Scarff | 643 |
| Carter | 566 |
| Ramsay | 524 |

The staff swim team were beaten convincingly by the students in the relay. Hopefully we can do better with tunnel ball at the athletics!

Congratulations to the following students who are going on to the Nillumbik/Banyule Divisional swimming this Friday:-

| | | |
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| Olivia Bake | Bradley Blackburn | Darcy Boxall |
| Jemima Drake | Anja Duncan | Eliza Fisher |
| Owen Gao | Blake Hocking | Tsz Ching Ip |
| Marcus Jones | Erin Maloney | Rosie Nicholl |
| Isaac Parton | Stephanie Vukmirovic | Montana Watson |

GOOD LUCK to all swimmers.



CALENDAR

March

Tuesday 5th
SCHOOL PHOTOS

Monday 11th
LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY

Wednesday 20th
6.15pm College Council

Wednesday 27th
ATHLETICS DAY

Friday 29th
Year 7 Immunisations

April

Monday 1st
EXPO NIGHT
Primary - Early Years
5.30pm - 7pm
Secondary - G Block
6.30pm - 8pm

Thursday 4th
EARLY FINISH 2.20pm
OH & S AUDIT
7pm - 10pm Jazz Night at the Austrian Club

Friday 5th
CURRICULUM DAY
PUPIL FREE
LAST DAY OF TERM

COLLEGE TOURS

Secondary
Thursday 7th March 4.30pm
Monday 18th March 10am
Tuesday 26th March 4pm

Primary
Wednesday 6th March
9.30am
Wednesday 20th March
9.30am
Wednesday 3rd April
9.30am

College Principal: Mario Panaccio

College Council President: Wayne Richards

Assistant Principal: Michelle Wallis Prep - 6 Leader: Georgina Convery

College Captains: Elly Nguyen, Ashlee Longbottom (Secondary)

Henrietta Wilson-Hoare, Jacqueline Reid (Primary)

International College Captain: Felix Chu

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German Christmas Market

Once again Macleod College will be hosting a German Christmas Market and this year it will be held on **Friday 26th July**.



It seems quite awhile away, but as you can imagine it takes a lot of preparation and organisation to hold this event and we need to get started early.

If there is any member of the Macleod College Community who would like to volunteer to help with the organisation we would be very grateful.

It would entail volunteering once a week from 10am - 2pm (on a day that suits you) starting the week beginning March 11th. Please contact the Business Manager, Nina Nigro if you are able to help.

Collings Real Estate

Macleod College would like to acknowledge Collings Real Estate, 230 Waterdale Road, Ivanhoe for their sponsorship of events at the college.

Swimming Carnival



Mario Panaccio Principal

Food Technology

A reminder to all students in Year 8, 9 & 10 that are studying food technology subjects this semester that fees are due now.

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| Year 8 | \$60 |
| Year 9 & 10 | \$90 |

Should you have any difficulty in making these payments please do not hesitate to contact the school to make an alternative arrangement.

However, if payment is not made or an alternative method of payment has not been arranged, an alternative, non-practical, theory program will be provided for students who do not contribute these fees.

Keren Fazio - Food Technology

2019 - 20 UNICEF Australia

If anybody aged between 15-24 who would like to be a UNICEF Ambassador for 2019-2020 please see Ms Dolly for information. Students under the age of 18 need parental permission.

PRIMARY NEWS

School Nursing Program

A reminder to all Prep families that the school Nursing Questionnaire needs to be returned no later than the 4th March. This is an important screening program for school entry students so please ensure that it is returned.

2019 Starting Time

The P-6 start time has changed this year. Students need to be lined up and ready by 5 minutes to 9 ready for school start at 9am.

Hats are Compulsory Terms 1 & 4

Please ensure that your child has a school wide brimmed hat to wear. Hats are compulsory for Terms 1 and 4. Please ensure that hats and all other items of clothing are clearly named. We have already had a number of lost property items which have been hard to trace the owners of. Uniform items are expensive so please ensure that all items are named.

School Photos

A reminder that school photos will be taking place on the 5th March. Please ensure that students are in full summer uniform and are neatly groomed for these important photos.

Parent Helpers

Thank you to the following members of the Macleod College Community who have volunteered to be helpers in the Primary:-

Hanna Zysnerska, Susmitha Sreekumar, Greer Fletcher, Bev Baker, Anna Hacker and Kylee White-Smith

Pupil of the Week

| Mrs Hillman | Mrs Butterworth | Ms Kankaanpaa | Mr Cameron |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Ashwika & Hazel | | Joaquin | Charlotte & Harry |

Georgina Convery Prep - 6 Leader

Italian Classes 2019



The Associazione Culturale L'Aurora cordially invites interested primary and secondary students to come and learn Italian at **St Martin of Tours, Eldorado, 3 Silk St, Rosanna**. Classes are held on **Saturdays from 1.30 pm – 4.00 pm**.

L'Associazione Culturale L'Aurora is an accredited Community Language School by DEECD that has promoted the teaching of the Italian language and culture in Melbourne for **over 40 years**.

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School Website: www.lauroraschool.com.au



PRESENTING...

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AN INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY EVENT

WOMEN SUPPORTING WOMEN

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Date: Friday 8th March 2019
Time: 11.30am – 2.00pm
Location: Banyule Community Health, Thomas Rossell Room, 21 Alamein Rd, West Heidelberg

Keynote speaker: Hon Jenny Macklin MP

This is a community event. All welcome. Please RSVP to assist with catering and planning to banyule@bchs.org.au
Join us to hear some great speakers and to share a light lunch.

International Women's Day

BANYULE Community Health

WCH is on the traditional lands of the Wurundjeri People. We pay our respects to their Elders both past and present and acknowledge all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples as the first people of this nation.

Macleod College OPEN NIGHT

Monday 1st April 2019



Prep – Grade 6: 5.30pm – 7pm
Presentation at 6.15pm

Year 7 -12: 6.30pm - 8pm
Presentation at 7.15pm

Macleod College

A State Prep – Year 12 School

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Year 7 IMAX/Melbourne Museum Excursion

Year 7s at Melbourne Museum and IMAX, learning about Melbourne's history and Egyptian mummification.



International Student Program

We extend a warm welcome to our new to country students who have arrived to undertake their 20 week Intensive English Language Course with Mrs. Karalis in B1. In the first week of term we hosted an Orientation Day for all new ISP students, parents and homestay hosts and introduced them to the aspects of life in an Australian school. This event is always well attended and we wish to thank Mrs. Cochrane, Mrs. Karalis, Mr. Panaccio and Ms. Wan for the attention and effort they put in to welcoming and ensuring everyone starts the year with all the necessary information to thrive and excel at Macleod College.

The International Student Program has relocated from G block to B Block.

- Staff Office (between B1 and B3)
- ISP Student Services (B2)
- IELC Classroom (B1)

Please come down and say hello or Nǐ hǎo or xin chào or Swāṣḍī or Halo! Our program currently includes students from China and Hong Kong, Taiwan, Vietnam, Thailand, South Africa, Mauritius, Indonesia and India and are spread across years 1-12.

We have been in contact with our 2018 School Dux, Simin (Becky) HE and can advise that her outstanding achievement in Year 12 has enabled her to accept an offer at Melbourne University to complete a double degree in Biomedical Science / Physiotherapy. Congratulations Becky, we know how hard you worked to achieve your dream. To achieve such a result a student must have the support of the school, individual teachers and her parents and homestay hosts. Congratulations to you all.

Our International Student Coordinator, Mrs. Colleen Cochrane, plays a hands on role with all aspects of the International Student Program and we wish to acknowledge the outstanding feedback we received from the *"International Student Survey 2018: Australian Schools Sector"*. *We had an 85% response rate and the questions covered the following areas; Learning, Living, Arrival & Support. Our results are to be celebrated and the whole school community deserves a pat on the back for such consistently high feedback from our international students. An overall summary is provided below:-*

| | Macleod College | Australia Schools 2018 | Australia Schools 2018 +/- | Victoria Schools 2018 | Victoria Schools 2018 +/- | Government Schools 2018 | Government Schools 2018 +/- | Metro Schools 2018 | Metro Schools 2018 +/- |
|---------------|-----------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| # Respondents | 11 | 3,392 | | 492 | | 2,608 | | 3,068 | |
| OVERALL | 100.0% | 83.1% | ▲ 16.9% | 84.5% | ▲ 15.5% | 83.1% | ▲ 16.9% | 82.2% | ▲ 17.8% |

Greta Kechayas - ISP Administration

Homestay

When looking for a homestay family we ask ourselves whether the family has, or could have, each of the following criteria in place:-

- A furnished spare bedroom with a bed, wardrobe, desk and lamp (or alternative study space)
- Provide a welcoming and caring home away from home by including the student in the family's commitments and social calendar
- Provide quality food and living standard, no extravagance required
- Encourage the student to immerse themselves in Australian culture and the English language, making networks to enhance the student's experience
- Ability to pass a Working With Children Check for all over 18's in the house
- Provide the complete package for a weekly fee of approx \$300 (personal expenses excluded)
- Is there a student that will fit with this family based on personal preferences, extracurricular activities and family composition?

Remember you don't have to commit to a lifetime of provision and you can always change your mind as your circumstances change.

Can you say yes to all of the criteria above?
Are you interested?

Please contact the International Student Program Office for a Homestay Information package OR drop by our office in B Block and we can answer any questions you might have.

Colleen Cochrane - International Student Coordinator
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IELC - Intensive English Learning Centre

Swimming Carnival

Lightning writing prompt: On Monday 25th February we had the Macleod College Swimming Carnival. It was a great day because.....

I saw many new students and blue water in the pool and many white birds fly in the sky. We sat on the grass and we wore different House colours. I heard people talk and sing and I heard music and people laughing. Today I felt happy.

Francisco Year 9

In the morning at 9 o'clock we went to the swimming centre by bus. There were many swimming games an oval. Ethan and Vanessa played card games. Ethan won and we ate chocolate ice cream.

Yanhao Year 7

I saw many students and teachers, they were very happy. I saw many birds, I like birds very much. I heard cheering, music, chatting and laughter.

Sean Year 10

All the students can socialise with each other and participate in the swimming activities. I joined the swimming competition and it was amazing. We all had fun. Some of us joined the swimming competition and some of us cheered our friends. When it was over, we cleaned up and went back to school. It was a beautiful sunny Monday and the sun did burn.

Anya Year 10

We saw many swimming activities and we played cards with our classmates. In my class, two classmates joined in the swimming competition. We sat on the grass and were very relaxed. The sun was very strong but we were excited. In the end we sang our House chant.

Yao Year 10

I got to see everybody that goes to this school. I was relaxed and played card games with my friends. Students were dressed up and looked really funny. I made new friends.

Bruce year 10

The pool was very cool and the sun was hot. It was a good day.

Vicky Year 7

Anya and Amanda joined in the swimming race and it was amazing. We talked about everything. It was too funny. We played cards and other games. We ate ice cream.

Amanda Year 9

I saw many students and teachers wear House colours. I heard laughing and the splashing of water. I heard cheering. I felt the hot sun. I enjoyed this day. I felt happy.

Yiting Year 10

It was a great day because I swam in the competition. I talked with many people. I played football with my friends. I am very happy because I met new friends like Uyen. She is very friendly. I eat lunch with Rebecca and Anya and a boy from year 11. We shared many different stories.

Amanda Year 10

This was a happy day. I watched the swimming competition with my friends Anya and Amanda. I played card games and we had a picnic. Today was a nice day.

John Year 10

Today the Macleod College students had the swimming carnival. The weather was hot but we were very happy. Anya and Amanda were swimming. They were amazing.

Eric Year 10

It was a great day because I played many card games. I win one card game only. I saw many classmates swim. I eat a lot of food.

Owen Year 7

It was a great day because I was happy. The day was hot. I was interested.

Yufan Year 10

I saw many students wear House colours for example yellow, green, red and blue. I heard music and laughing. I feel very happy and very, very, very hot. And I was interested.

Ethan Year 10

IELC/ International Students

Swimming Carnival





MCYOUTH is a cutting edge 'New Breed of Choir' for talented teens in Melbourne, rehearsing right here at Macleod College Thursday evenings 6.30PM - 7.20PM during school terms.

The group sings a mix of current hits chosen by members of the group. If you would like to sing with a live band of some of Melbourne's top muso's, record original songs and covers in a professional studio, produce professional music video's and be treated like a star at your own photo shoot, this group could be for you! The group have performed at many community events, concerts and stages across Melbourne including a performed at Fed Square last year as part of the City of Melbourne's Christmas Festival attended by thousands of locals. MCYOUTH is headed up by Melbourne's own Alinta Burnell, an accomplished professional fully qualified vocalist. If you think you've got what it takes to be a vocal artist with MCYOUTH, join this growing group of teens who love making music together.

For more information and to register for a free tryout session: <http://bit.ly/MCYOUTHTRYOUT>





Macleod Canteen

MENU

HOT FOOD

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| Egg & Bacon wrap/muffin | \$5.00 |
| Meat Pie | \$4.00 |
| Halal Pie / orders must be placed | \$5.00 |
| Sausage Roll | \$3.00 |
| Parma Roll | \$4.50 |
| Pizza Rolls – see daily specials | \$4.50 |
| Hamburger with the lot | \$6.50 |
| Chicken Roll | \$4.50 |
| Nachos | \$4.00 |
| Toasties - Cheese | \$3.00 |
| - Cheese & Ham | \$3.50 |
| Hotdog | \$3.50 |
| Halal Hotdog/orders must be placed | \$4.00 |
| Noodle cup | \$2.00 |
| Steamed dim Sim | \$1.00 |
| Oven Baked Hash Brown | \$1.00 |
| Daily pasta | \$4.00 |

ROLLS & WRAPS

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| Chicken Schnitzel, lettuce, cucumber & mayo | \$6.00 |
| Salad- lettuce, tomato, carrot, cucumber and chutney | \$5.00 |
| Roasted vegetables (seasonal) with Pesto & lettuce | \$5.00 |
| Chicken and spinach tossed in mayo | \$5.00 |
| Egg & lettuce, mayo salt & pepper | \$5.00 |
| Ham, cheese, tomato and lettuce | \$5.00 |

SALADS

Assorted Salads made fresh and to order \$5.00

TREATS

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| Popcorn | \$1.00 |
| Ginger bread person | \$2.00 |
| Slices | \$4.00 |
| Muffins | \$4.00 |
| Yoghurt | \$2.00 |
| Fruit cup | \$1.00 |
| Fresh fruit | \$1.00 |
| Frozen Pineapple | \$1.00 |
| Zooper Dooper | \$1.00 |
| Pretzels/Biscuits | .50c |
| Assorted Sauces | .30c |

DRINKS

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| Cans | \$2.50 |
| Juice | \$3.50 |
| Mineral Water | \$3.50 |
| Bottled Water | \$2.00 |
| Moo Box (juniors) | \$2.00 |
| Big Ms | \$3.50 |
| Coffee (Yr 12s) | \$3.50 |
| Hot Chocolate | \$3.50 |
| Tea | \$3.50 |

Menu Changes with different daily specials - Some items not available everyday.

Please place special orders in the morning to ensure your lunch for the day

Back to school special



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**THURSDAY & FRIDAY
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Story Club can help kids with reading and writing at primary school.

Children and their parent(s) get together weekly to have fun, make books and exhibit them.

Explore rich and exciting language and improve speaking, reading and writing.

This activity is replacing the Tuesday Homework Club at Olympic Village Primary school.

Ideal for children from prep-Grade 4 (and their brothers and sisters up to Grade 6).

Come straight from school, prepared to have fun while you learn.

Afternoon tea is provided.

Tuesdays
3:15pm – 4:45 pm
Starting 19 February 2019

In the Playroom at Banyule
Community Health Centre
21 Alamein Rd
West Heidelberg

This is a free activity
Children must be
accompanied by a
parent or carer

Call Suzanne on 0419 866 171 for more information.

