



# Macleod P - 12 College

Newsletter Issue 10, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2021

## WELCOME BACK TO STUDENTS

### COLLEGE UNIFORM

Summer uniform is compulsory from the beginning of Term 4.  
Blazers must be worn to and from school.

**MONDAY 1<sup>st</sup> NOVEMBER- PUPIL FREE**

**TUESDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> MELBOURNE CUP HOLIDAY**

### Principal's Report

At the beginning of Term 4 we welcomed back Year 12 students and they have been busy with the GAT, lessons and practice exams.

Last Friday, 15 October, we were fortunate enough to hold a small ceremony (socially distanced and masked up) for the Year 12's to receive their farewell package. Outgoing Leaders were also presented with their plaques.

Students begin their VCE exams on Wednesday 27 November and I know that you join with me in wishing them all the best for their exams and for the future.

They have been resilient in this most trying two final years of their secondary education. A big thank you to Swati Julka, VCE Coordinator, VCE teachers and parents who have supported them wonderfully through the various phases of remote and on site learning.



### Class of 2021



College Principal: Mario Panaccio

Assistant Principal: Michelle Wallis

College Council President: Mark Lipman

College Captains: Rhea Singh & Clarissa Indranada (Secondary)  
Dea Lulo & Meghna Thomas (Primary)

International College Captains: Uyen Danh & Anya Sariddisuk

Music Captain: Angus Campbell-Burns

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## CALENDAR

### OCTOBER

#### BOOK WEEK

18<sup>th</sup> October - 29<sup>th</sup> October

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup>

Last day VCAL

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>

VCE Exams begin

Friday 29<sup>th</sup>

Halloween Dress Up Day

### NOVEMBER

Monday 1<sup>st</sup>

PUPIL FREE

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup>

Melbourne Cup Day

Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup>

2021 - 2022

Leadership Inauguration

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup>

2022 Year 7 Information

Evening - Information Video  
on the website

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>

6.15pm College Council

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> - Friday 26<sup>th</sup>

Year 11 Exams

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> - Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> December

Year 11 2022 Head Start  
(Current Year 10)

Mon 29<sup>th</sup> - Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> December

Year 12 2022 Head Start  
(Current Year 11)

Please note:

Depending on COVID rules a scheduled incursion, excursion or activity could be cancelled or postponed.

COLLINGS

Collings Real Estate -  
Ivanhoe & Northcote  
Proudly Supporting  
Macleod College

### **Year Prep - 11 Students**

It is wonderful to see some year levels back at school at the moment and look forward to having all students on site together on Friday 5 November.

### **Leadership**

I would like to thank College Captains Rhea Singh and Clarissa Indranada and the outgoing college student leadership team for their outstanding involvement and commitment to Macleod College during 2020/2021.

They have performed their roles admirably during a very different school environment this year and have been solid advocates for the entire student population.

We look forward to announcing our 2021/2022 student leadership team shortly.

**Student leaders are the heart and soul of the College, supporting staff and students and leading many College events.**

### **Exams**

Year 11 exams are being held from Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> October - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November.

### **Head Start**

Current Year 11 students will have one week of Head Start from Monday 29<sup>th</sup> November - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Last day for 2021 Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

Current Year 10 students will have two weeks of Head Start from Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> November - 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Last day for 2021 Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

### **Prep - Year 9 Last Day**

A reminder that all Year Prep - Year 9 students are expected to remain at school until Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December. We will, however, be finishing at 11am on that day.

### **Awards Night**

Unfortunately, once again, we will not be able to hold our Annual Awards Night. However, there will still be awards given to students from years Prep - 11 and small assemblies will be held for presentations.

At this time, due to the Department of Education and Training COVID regulations parents/carers will not be able to attend, but we will include photos of recipients in the upcoming newsletters.

You will be advised if there are any changes to visitors on site.

### **Year 7 2022 Orientation Program**

We had hoped to have a 2-day orientation program but due to COVID and the return to on-site learning we will only be holding a one day orientation on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> December from 9.30am – 3pm.

In the event that the Department of Education & Training cancels all December Year 7 Orientation Programs, you will be advised accordingly and Macleod College will include orientation into its transition program at the beginning of 2022.

### **Year 7 2022 Scholarship Interviews**

A reminder that applications via <https://forms.gle/hnUPRiAptB9qXjN79> close on Friday 5 November.

Virtual Scholarship interviews will be held from 3.30pm on Wednesday 8 December, applicants will be notified of their online interview times.

### **College Building Upgrade**

Workers are now back on site after their COVID 2-week ban. More photos next newsletter.

### **Digital Sign**

Last Thursday the Macleod College Digital sign was installed at the edge of the ANZAC GARDEN opposite the May Street/Aberdeen Road intersection. Once it is connected to electricity supplies it will be up and running.

## **Mario Panaccio Principal**

### **Macleod College Wellbeing Team**

*The Wellbeing Team works to promote and maintain the health and wellbeing of students.*

If you are concerned about your child's wellbeing or mental health, please get in touch with the Wellbeing Team. Our Wellbeing Team can provide professional and confidential support to individual students and their families. This includes individual counselling, group programs and workshops, as well as referral to a wide range of external services.

To arrange a confidential discussion, please email:

Royce Light (Wellbeing Leader)

[royce.light@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:royce.light@education.vic.gov.au) or Kasi Bird

(Wellbeing Counsellor) [kasi.bird@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:kasi.bird@education.vic.gov.au)

**Banyule City Council** invites community members to help re-imagine and upgrade the **Olympic Leisure Centre**.

- Council is asking Heidelberg West community members to nominate to be part of a Re-imagine OLC Co-Design Team to build on all the previous feedback and to work with Council, and key stakeholders to help shape a re-imagined facility.
- The Co-Design Team will meet four times between November and February, with draft concept plan developed for the centre in March 2022.

Expressions of interest are now open via <https://shaping.banyule.vic.gov.au/OLC> and will close 24 October 2021. Please help us to spread the word to families within your school community.

If you have questions or want to learn more about the project please contact Ruth Robles McColl 8582 9507 or email [ruth.robles@banyule.vic.gov.au](mailto:ruth.robles@banyule.vic.gov.au).

## **Markets at Macleod College**



DIAMOND VALLEY  
community support

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> October & Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November.

### **Macleod College Student Representative Council**

The Student Representative Council of Macleod College are hoping to hold a "Trash'n'Treasure' stall on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November depending on the current guidelines of the Department of Education & Training at that time.

## Year 12 Final Assembly

Performance by Year 12 students.



## 2020/2021 Outgoing Leadership



## 2021 Year 12 Subject Awards

<b>Accounting</b>	Abdul Abdulahi	<b>Literature</b>	Prenah Paddia
<b>Applied Computing - Data Analytics</b>	Dylan Parton	<b>Maths Methods</b>	Mohamed Hassan Ahmed
<b>Art</b>	Isabel Sharp	<b>Music Investigation</b>	Hugh Planigale
<b>Biology</b>	Alex Lin	<b>Music Performance</b>	Angus Campbell Burns
<b>Business Management</b>	Rebecca Hoang	<b>Physical Education</b>	Maddison Voykovic
<b>Chemistry</b>	Clarissa Indranada	<b>Physics</b>	Sam Walker
<b>English as an Additional Language</b>	Anya Sariddisuk	<b>Psychology</b>	Stephanie Port
<b>English</b>	Aeishveyn Saravanan	<b>Specialist Maths</b>	Uyen Danh
<b>Further Maths</b>	Cole Zimmermann	<b>VET</b>	Joanna Pappas
<b>German</b>	Ana Duvnjak	<b>VCAL</b>	Eddie Lee
<b>Legal</b>	Rhea Singh		

## Australian Defence Force Awards

2021 Year 12 Long Tan Leadership & Teamwork Award Rhea Singh  
 2021 Year 12 Future Innovators Award Clarissa Indranada

Principal's Speech (including yo-yo tricks)

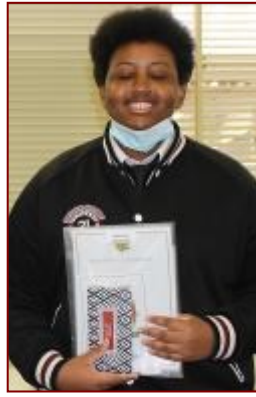
Mr Panaccio & Aldwin



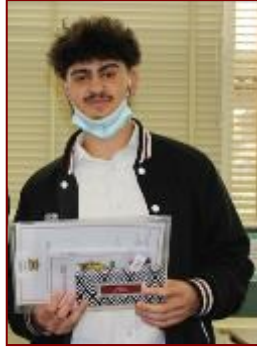
Year 12 Speech - Harry Singh & Ana Duvnjak



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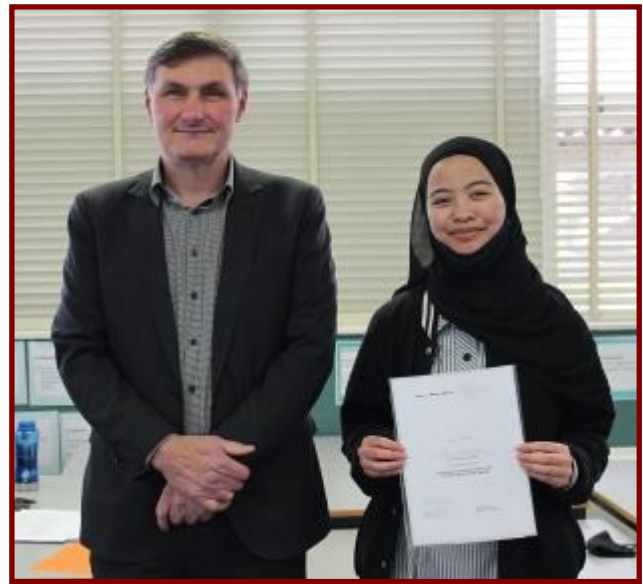
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### 2021 Australian Defence Force Awards

**Long Tan Youth Leadership & Teamwork Award**  
Rhea Singh

**Future Innovators Award**  
Clarissa Indranada



### Departing Year 12 International Students





**Join Us!**

**Come and Try Baseball (ages 8-16)**

**Wednesday 27 October, 5:30-7pm**

**Glenauburn Park, Lower Plenty**

**Register at [join.juniorbaseball.com.au](http://join.juniorbaseball.com.au)**



**Come and Try T-Ball (ages 5-9 years)**

**Wednesday 27 October 5:30pm-7pm**

**Glenauburn Park, Lower Plenty**

**Register at [join.juniorbaseball.com.au](http://join.juniorbaseball.com.au)**



## Certificate III

# Education Support

Code: CHC30213

Education Support is a flexible and rewarding career where you can make a meaningful impact on the lives of children with special needs.

This industry driven and dynamic learning experience will ensure you are job-ready with the skills employers are looking for. You will learn with the guidance of expert teachers in a friendly and supportive classroom.

Graduates are in demand and work in a range of educational settings including; primary, secondary & special schools as well as areas of early childhood education.

## PATHWAYS

Graduates work as Education Assistants, Teacher's Aides and Support Workers.

## ENROLMENTS

Call 9462 6077 to book a pre-enrolment interview.

## CONTACT PRACE

Merrilands Community Centre  
35 Sturdee Street, Reservoir, VIC  
9462 6077 | office@prace.vic.edu.au  
prace.vic.edu.au



\*Course commencement is subject to variation, sufficient enrolments and eligibility requirements.  
PRACE encourages individuals with disabilities to participate in its programs and activities.  
This training is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth government funding.

## LOCATION

Merrilands Community Centre  
35 Sturdee Street,  
Reservoir

## COURSE DATES\*

1 Nov to 13 Dec 2021 &  
7 Feb to 11 July 2022  
(Plus Wed 16 March, 27 April  
& 15 June 2022 (rec))

\*Please note change in dates

## HOURS

Mondays  
9.15am - 3.15pm (rec)

## DURATION

24 sessions, 2 workshops &  
100 hour placement.  
(Excl. Public & School Holidays)

## STUDY MODE

Classroom & remote/mixed mode classes, self-directed offsite tasks & research, practical placement and industry/assessment workshops.

## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Moderate computer and internet and email skills.  
English LLN skills at an industry entry standard.

## FEES

Gov. subsidised:  
Concession \$180  
Full \$900  
Fee for service (Non VSFP):  
Concession \$3541.50  
Full \$4,722

Services & amenities fee applies.  
TOD 4036



## connecting & communicating with your young person: parent / carer webinar

headspace National, are presenting a webinar for parents and carers of young people.

**When:** Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> November  
7pm AEDT  
**Where:** online via zoom

### How do I register?

**Click here** to register via Eventbrite, or copy the following URL into your web browser: <https://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/green-sborough-parent-carer-webinar-communicating-with-youth-registration-189413339397>

After you have registered, you will receive an email confirmation from Eventbrite which will include the Zoom meeting link to access the webinar. *Please note this webinar will not be recorded.*

All those who register will receive a digital information pack, after the webinar, that includes key messages as well as links to resources & support services.

### Contact

For more information email:  
[programsupport@headspace.org.au](mailto:programsupport@headspace.org.au)

### Information presented will cover:

- Understanding your young person, and recognising mental health difficulties
- Managing the challenges of parenting young people today
- Having better conversations with your young person
- Connecting your young person with the right help and support

The webinar will consist of a presentation on mental health, with a focus on noticing mental health difficulties in young people and supporting them to open up and communicate with you about their challenges, in order to seek help if needed.

headspace National Youth Mental Health Foundation is funded by the Australian Government Department of Health