

Principal's Report from Mr Coffey



Welcome, especially to our new families for the 2019 school year. I trust everyone had a restful break and a chance to do the things they enjoy. We welcome some new students to our school community and encourage them to make the most of the opportunities the College provides.

We are extremely fortunate to be able to retain our highly professional workforce and have also been in a position to recruit two new teachers to provide more opportunities for our students. We are set to have another successful year with our 122 students and dedicated staff.

Sincerely Grateful

On behalf of all of the staff and students of our school I would like to thank all of the parents, students, staff and community members who assisted with the "Working Bee" over the Australia Day long weekend. The grounds were in excellent condition in readiness for the start of the 2019 school year. Well done to parents Allan Roberts and Peter Stasinowsky for organising the list of jobs and coordinating the project.

Visitors to the School

All parents, carers, contractors and visitors to the school, irrespective of reason, need to come to the general office to sign in or deliver goods. For safety and security purposes we need to know who is on school grounds at all times.

Stop Press

Due to staffing and timetable changes our school newsletter will be generally be distributed each Friday starting this week. The deadline for community items/articles will be Wednesday afternoon at 4.00pm so please email your articles to Leonie Clarke at clarke.leonie.g@edumail.vic.gov.au.

Pupil Free Days for 2019

Friday the 5th of April will be a pupil free day so staff can participate in the second day of professional learning on Understanding Poverty. The remaining 2 pupil free days are yet to be confirmed once professional learning sessions are finalised.

School Council/Parents & Friends

The next School Council Meeting will be Monday the 11th of February at 7:30pm and Parents & Friends will meet on Tuesday the 5th of February at 10:00 am.

Calendar Term 1 2018

February

Tue 5th Parents 7 Friends meeting at 10am
Fri 8th Elevate study skills day
Tue 12th MARC Van
Fri 15th Cluster Swim at Hopetoun (junior)
Fri 22nd P-12 Swimming Sports
Tue 26th MARC Van
Wed 28 to Yr 7 camp

March

Mon 4th LD Swim at Dimboola (senior)
Wed 6th Junior Swim at Horsham
Mon 11th Labour day holiday
Tue 12th MARC van
Fri 15th School Photo day
Fri 22nd GWR Swim at Ballarat
Tues 26th MARC Van

April

Thur 4th School finishes at 2.30pm
Fri 5th Student free day

Class Dojo in 2019

All junior staff will be using Class Dojo as a means of communication and sharing what is happening in class via the class story and student portfolios. We are requesting that all parents take up the opportunity to join their children's classes so that they can be an active participant in their child's educational journey throughout the year!



Honour Board

Rainbow P-12 College is in the process of organising a new P-12 honour board for the school. If anyone would be interested in donating or contributing to the purchase of an honour board we would be very appreciative

Canteen 2019

The canteen is open on
Monday, Wednesday and Fridays

Canteen Emergency Workers

Kim Kajewski	0448352251
Debbie Lowe	0488115973
Rebeckah Richards	53226190

Please contact the above emergency workers if you are unable to do your canteen duty.

\$20 is to be paid to the emergency worker.

Canteen Roster 2019

Below is the Canteen roster form. Please fill in and return to the college by Friday 15th February.

Canteen Roster 2019

February

Mon 4	G. O'Halloran
Wed 6	D. Huff
Fri 8	N. Eckermann/ L. Heinrich

Mon 11	K. McKenzie
Wed 13	D. Camilleri
Fri 15	S. Perkins

Mon 18	T. Bigham/A. Roberts
Wed 20	N. Leach/J. Fuller
Fri 22	N. Kruger/ E. Clarke

March

Mon 4	S. Coyne/ C. Saul
Wed 6	C. Petschel
Fri 8	B. Eckermann

Wed 13	E. Staples
Fri 15	A. Riordan

Mon 18	E. Staples
Wed 20	K. Kajewski
Fri 22	J. James

Mon	A. Gebert
Wed 27	E. Ey
Fri 28	S. Clark

Mon 1	S. Smith
Wed 3	C. Cocks
Fri 5	K. Weir/ C. Fisher

Canteen Roster Preference 2019

Name.....Phone Number.....

Have you worked on Canteen before? YES/NO

Please circle any day that you are unable to work.

Monday Wednesday Friday

Name of any parent you would prefer to be rostered on with

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I will be choosing to pay a canteen emergency worker at \$20 per day, so I have no preference which day I am rostered on.

I would like to become an emergency worker