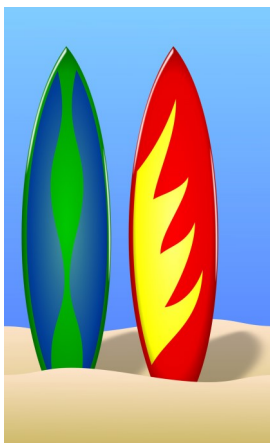


## *Principal's Report from Mr. Coffey*

### **Year 7/8 Surf Camp**

I was fortunate enough to attend the Year 7/8 Angahook Surf Camp earlier this week. All students who were available to attend did so and most participated in all of the activities on offer. The three day program included body boarding, kayaking, surfing, fishing and the giant swing. It was also nice to receive positive feedback from instructors and other members of the public on the behaviour and enthusiasm with which our students conducted themselves. A special thank you to Miss Schumann for the excellent organisation of the camp. Along with Miss Schumann and I was our German Language Assistant Jonas Witthoeff who helped with the supervision and encouragement of the students to maximise the opportunities they were provided.



### **Last and First Days**

The last day of school this year for all students from Prep to Year 9 is Friday the **20<sup>th</sup> of December** and the first day for students is Wednesday the **29<sup>th</sup> of January**.

### **Tidying Up Loose Ends**

As a school we strive to keep the expenses for Parent Payments for our families to a minimum.

Each year the Parents & Friends group, through their volunteer work, generate additional funds to improve the opportunities for **ALL** of the students at our school. Unfortunately each year we have approximately the same amount outstanding as unpaid fees for Essential Learning items by a small number of our families and these costs are paid to our creditors from school funds.

If you have not paid your fees for this year, we are seeking your cooperation to contact Michelle in the office to arrange payment of those fees or to negotiate a suitable payment plan.

### **Calendar 2019 – Term 4**

#### **DECEMBER**

##### **Week 10**

Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	Activities week starts
Tue 10 <sup>th</sup>	School Council
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup>	Transition day (Statewide)
Thu 12 <sup>th</sup>	Music concert @ 1.30pm
	Silo Trail trip

##### **Week 11**

Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	Parents & Friends meeting @10am
	Yr 12 Graduation dinner
	Hopetoun Lake trip
Tue 17 <sup>th</sup>	Presentation night
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	Whole school lunch
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup>	School finishes @ 1.30pm

### **Upcoming Meetings**

The next School Council meeting will be held on

Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> of December at 7:30pm.

The next Parents & Friends Meeting will be held on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> of December at 10:00am. in the multi-purpose building.

Junior SRC will be selling icy poles for 50c

Dates: 13<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> of December

Where: Junior School Verandah

The money will be going towards the future SRC to make the school a better place.

## Students of the week



Junior school- Seth, Emma & Clancy



November award winners  
Erin & Breanna

## Reasons for this week's awards

Seth for showing determination and organisation towards school, and particularly, his reading.

Emma for extending herself with extra maths challenges

Clancy for always trying his best and kicking massive goals!!

## Yr 12 Dinner– Help Wanted

The Parents & friends are catering for the dinner on Monday 16th December.

Workers are required in the afternoon to prepare the meal and at night time to cook and serve the meal.

Waiters and waitresses are also required. If you are able to assist can you please phone the College on 53951063

## BOOKLISTS 2020

Booklists and Summary Payment Forms have been handed out. Booklist forms need to be returned to the office by Friday 13th December please. **Payment is not required until February 2020.** Any queries please contact the general office on 53951063.

## BYOD Computers

Bring your own device computers have arrived and been formatted for use. If you wish to pick up your computer now it must be paid for before collection. Thank you.

## Edrolo 2020 Forms

Edrolo forms for 2020 classes are now overdue. Payment is required as soon as possible. All students completing a VCE subject in 2020 have been given a form, if you require another one please see Miss Wedding.

## Activities Week Information

**Clothing:** For the last two weeks of school, during Activities Weeks, students can come in casual clothing.

They will be participating in activities such as cooking, cleaning, arts and craft

**School Uniform:** The only time full school uniform is required will be on the whole school Silo Art Excursion on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December, and Presentation Night on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December.

**Silo Art Trail Excursion:** Permission forms have gone out to all students for the Silo Art Excursion on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December. **Full uniform is to be worn.** All information is included on the permission form, however if you have any questions please contact the College.

## **Excursions & activities money MUST be paid for by Monday 9th December**

### **Cost - Junior School:**

- \$5 for the two weeks to cover all arts, crafts and cooking sessions
- \$15 for the Silo Art Trail Excursion

### **Cost – Senior School:**

- \$5 per session – arts/craft or cooking
- \$10 Hopetoun Lake Day Excursion
- \$15 for the Silo Art Trail Excursion

## Whole School Christmas Lunch

We will continue our tradition of a whole school Christmas lunch on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December. For this day, it would be amazing if everyone could dress up in a Christmas costume. The fancier and more creative, the better. So students have between now and the 18<sup>th</sup> to come up with a fantastic Christmas lunch costume. If there is any more information you require, or if you have any questions, please contact the College. Thank you.

# A week in the life of Rainbow P-12 College

A visual summary of some of the events from this week



Glad to see Aiden was watching!



Santa strawberries



This is a bit of a worry!



Look at the concentration of Chantelle & Kayden



Yummy Christmas plate



Does Wilbur look a tad guilty?



Sally was very protective of her strawberries



Caleb has obviously inherited his mum's love of photos..nice job in the corner Lilly!



The Year 9 crew camped out at school on Thursday night to fulfil the qualifying adventure for their Duke of Ed Bronze level. During the day they did some volunteer gardening at the Rainbow Motel, went to the pool and cooked a

Enjoying the entrée which included cheesy garlic bread and a satay dipping sauce



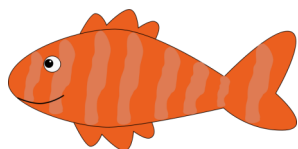
Not sure if that is happiness or fear on Mr Glover's face



## Surf Camp Highlights



Fishing with the Bellarine Light Game &  
Fishing Club Members



On the Beach



Catching a wave

## Highlights from the students

*Lachie - Body Boarding,  
Dylan - Seeing all of the sights,  
Emma - Body Boarding,  
Celie – Surfing, Natalie - eating McDonalds  
Marty – Surfing, Flynn - Fishing with my mates  
Clarissa - Learning to surf and standing up  
Jess - we convinced Mr. Coffey to get on the swing  
Jaime - the whole camp but learning to surf was fun  
Mitchell - Having a good time with my friends  
Shekinah - McDonalds stops, the music war and catching a fish  
Heidi - standing up on the surfboard  
Lewis - Surfing and the high quality instructors  
Shanae - shopping, listening to music and saying goodnight to “Mum” (Miss Schumann)  
Monique - spending quality time with “Mum” and “Dad” (Miss Schumann and Mr. Coffey)  
Ayla - when “Mum” said “No” I went to “Dad” and he said “Yes”*



We all certainly will remember the good times we had together

## Calling all Budding Gardeners- from Debbie Broughton -School Chaplin

Are you interested in establishing a gardening club within the school, focusing on sustainable gardening and recycling?

If this is something you would like to be involved in, could you please let me know. We will plan an initial meeting to discuss ideas before the school year finishes. If you would like to be involved please leave a message for me at the front office.



## **Canteen Roster**

### **TERM 4**

#### **Dec**

Mon 9	C. Saul/ S. Coyne
Wed 11	J. Keller
Fri 13	A. Riordan

**NO CANTEEN LAST WEEK OF SCHOOL**

### **Term 1 2020**

#### **Jan**

Wed 29	C. Roll
Fri 31	K. Kajewski

#### **Feb**

Mon 3	G. O'Halloran
Wed 5	K. Preston
Fri 7	C. Fisher/ K. Weir
Mon 10	B. Eckermann
Wed 12	E. Ey
Fri 14	Swimming sports

## **Wanted for end of year activities**

Wanted cardboard rolls eg from gladwrap, paper towel etc (not toilet rolls) to be used to make decorations. If you can assist please drop them into the office



## **Absences**

If your child/children are going to be absent or have been absent can parents/carers ***please*** use the skoolbag app, send a note or phone the

College office on 53951063.

***Please do not contact the class teacher re absences by phone, text or class dojo***

If no contact is made a phone call will be made to you if your children are absent.

Our absence co-ordinator Leonie Clarke is then able to enter the absence details.

### **Canteen Emergency Workers**

Lauren Heinrich	(Wed & Fri only)	0459363319
Kim Kajewski		0448352251
Debbie Lowe		0488115973

Please contact the above emergency workers if you are unable to do your canteen duty or arrange a swap with another person on the roster.



**Shake  
Rattle  
and READ**

**December 9th Playgroup  
December 16th SRR**



**Yaapeet Primary School**

**Presents**

**The Lorax**

**2019**

**Thursday 12th December at 7.30pm**

**At the Yaapeet Community Centre**

**Please bring a plate of supper to share**

**Gold coin donation**

## **Stop Press**

Today we had a phone call to say that Heidi and Angel had received honourable mentions from Emma Kealy for their Christmas Card entries.

Over 800 students in the Lowan Electorate entered. We were fortunate to have Emma drive up from Horsham to present the girls with their awards.

Emma was impressed with all the entries from our College.



Pictured are Mr Coffey, Heidi, Angel & Emma

## **Canteen Roster 2019**

Please fill in and return to the college by Friday 7th February 2020  
Monday's and Wednesday's only require 1 person and Fridays 2 people if possible

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. (please tick)

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I would like to become an emergency worker (please tick if interested)

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