

# NEWSLETTER

Rainbow P-12 College is a Child Safe School

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### Príncípal's Report from Mr Coffey

## <u>End of Year Events</u>

So our school families can "pencil in" on their calendars one of our regular end of year celebrations, we can confirm that Presentation Evening will be on the evening of Tuesday the 15<sup>th</sup> of December. We hope this assists with coordinating the many events at this busy time of year. How the event will be conducted is still uncertain. It may be a wholly online event or a blend of on line and in person. We do have some interesting ideas at this stage, Stay Tuned!

## Very Good Response Rate

The 2020 Parent Survey closed last Friday with 40 of our 58 families providing us with valuable feedback, when the results are released.

Although we didn't reach our target of 100%, which we did in 2018 we did achieve almost 70%. Thank you to everyone who took the time to respond.

# <u>Stay Informed</u>

I encourage all parents and students to continue to access the Department of Health and Human Services website for the latest public health information. https://www.dhhs.vic.gov.au/coronavirus

# More Information

More information about schools and coronavirus (COVID-19) can be found on the Department's website, which will continue to be updated:

https://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/department/Pages/coronavirus.aspx

# School Council and Parents and Friends

The next School Council meeting will be held via Webex on Monday the 7<sup>th</sup> of December. Webex meeting number will be the same as previous meetings.

Parents and Friends will be holding their next meeting in February 2021. Details will be provided in 2021.





<u>VCE</u>	Exam	<u>Timetable</u>	
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	Mon 23th	Chemistry
	Tue 24th	Economics
	Thu 26th	Environmental Science



# Jump Rope for Heart – Jump Off for Junior School

<u>Date:</u> Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November, 2020 <u>Time</u>: 9.30 am <u>Place:</u> Tennis courts at the P-12 College Dress: Free Dress/Dress in red



Reminder that all fundraising needs to be online by 25<sup>th</sup> of November for the prizes to be sent out. Heart Foundation Jump Rope for Heart

Thank you for supporting the Jump Rope for Heart program!



The Rainbow Swimming Pool will be opening this

Saturday 21st November at 2pm

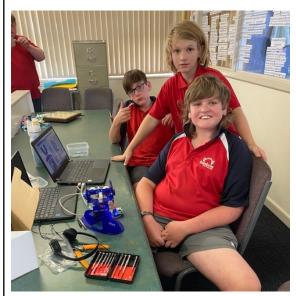


There will be a free sausage sizzle starting at 4.30pm

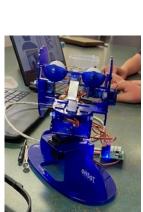


# A week in the life of Rainbow P-12 College

### DIGITECH – OH-BOT & LEGO DESIGN



Archer, Memphis & Oscar with the Oh-Bot. Oscar showed great grit and persistence to get it up and going. Well done!



The Oh-Bot



Travis & Ryder looking very serious (and proud of) their Lego design

# **VCAL INNOVATORS**



Ash working hard to get the room ready for painting.



Men at work? Lachlan D, Phoenix & Paddy showing great teamwork!



Nicole and Christian working on the frame for the ball pit



Lachie S and Gracie measuring up some plasterboard

# A DAY IN THE LIFE OF OUR PREP/ONE CLASS!

Hand writing & PMP





























# A week in the life of our 2021 Prep class





The Very Hungry Caterpillar



Tanner









Yosha









The eager crew for next year

Noah



Jurie

# <u>Hands on learning</u>

For the last two weeks Rainbow P-12 College's Hands On Learning students have been assisting Parks Victoria with works to their Western Beach campsites at Lake Albacutya.

This has involved the placement of bollards around camping areas to help campers and other visitors use designated areas properly.

Students have learnt to mix cement and to use stringlines and spirit levels.





**Hands on Learning** 

176 Tweets

Hands on Learning @handsonlearn · 23h From the #Mallee to the city, @handsonlearn #students experience purpose, #belonging and self-esteem. Even more so teaming up with @ParksVictoria to lend a hand @LakeAlbacutya. Follow

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@BreneBrown
@drkellyallen
#edutwitter
#aussieED
@AnneWebsterMP
@DanTehanWannon



### Kindergarten Additional Assistant 2021. At Rainbow Kindergarten 12 hours per week over 3 days

Leading Community Services Organisation (Uniting Wimmera) Salary packaging, and competitive sector remuneration Casual positions available in Rainbow

### About the opportunity.

We are seeking a Kindergarten Additional Assistant to join our team during school terms until the end of the school year with the option to extend depending on funding.

The Kindergarten Additional Assistant will work as a member of the team delivering a kindergarten program that is inclusive of all children in the group. The Kindergarten Additional Assistant will be employed by Uniting but may work in a service managed by another body within the Wimmera Region.

View the Position Description on Seek (or call/visit Sue W at Rainbow Kindergarten 53 951 172)

### About you.

You will require no specific qualifications, however you must hold or be willing to apply for a Working with Children Check and pass a National Police Check

### How to apply.

If this sounds like you, find out more or apply today. Please upload the following as part of your application:

- Cover Letter (1 page outlining your suitability according to the position description)
- Current Resume (no more than 3 pages)

#### Applications closes -Thursday, 26 November 2020

For more information regarding this position, please contact

#### Jenny Carter, KIS Coordinator

T: <u>03 5362 4084</u>

Applications can be made through SEEK website or directly to Jenny Carter Jenny.Carter@vt.unitimg.org

#### About Uniting.

At Uniting we are passionate about working together to inspire people, enliven communities and confront injustice. **Visit us:** unitingvictas.org.au

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# supporting young people during COVID-19

headspace Horsham in partnership with headspace National, are hosting a webinar for parents and carers of young people to support their mental health through COVID-19.

Information presented will:

- Strengthen your understanding of mental health and mental health literacy.
- Build skills and strategies to support the mental health and wellbeing of your young person, including their transition to work and study.
- Build awareness of local, state and national supports available to young people.
- Showcase local headspace centre community resources.

The webinar will consist of a presentation on youth mental health, followed by a panel with guest speakers.

#### When

Monday 23 November 2020 7 – 8.15pm AEDT

How do I register?

Click here to register via Eventbrite.

After you have registered, you will receive an email confirmation from Eventbrite which will include the Zoom meeting link to access the webinar on the evening.

### Contact

For more information email: headspaceSchools@headspace.org.au

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