



# CAULFIELD JUNIOR COLLEGE

*'Internationally Accredited School'*

***Integrity, Responsibility, Respect, Harmony, Love of Learning***

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From Amanda,

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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

## **Chat with Amanda, Caroline and Rohan**

On Wednesday, Prep parents were invited to have a chat with Rohan, Caroline and myself. Parents who attended were introduced to Matthew Thompson, our Parent Committee Convenor and learnt more about the committee and how they can find out information and get involved if they would like to. Parents asked important questions about the home reading program and how to support their child to learn to read. They also asked about when to encourage children learning two languages to speak in the second language, when understanding of the language is evident. From the chat, we will ensure information and strategies teaching children to read are sent home and Caroline will investigate running a Parent Workshop in understanding bilingual language learners. Thank you to those parents who attended the 'chat', it was great to talk with you and put some things in place that will support all families.

## **Education Week**

Last week in the newsletter I wrote about how we are celebrating Education Week at Caulfield Junior College by highlighting key events for you and your family to participate in with your child/ren.



**Important dates for your calendar :**

1. Twilight Sports – Tuesday 23rd May – 4.00pm – 6.00pm

Twilight Sports is an opportunity for students to have fun teaching their families the skills they are learning in physical education as part of the Healthy Mind, Healthy Body theme of Education Week. Twilight Sports will be a lot of fun and we hope you can join in with your child/ren.

2. Grandparent and Special Friends Morning – Wednesday 24th 9.15am – 10.30am

On Wednesday during Education Week grandparents and special friends are invited to classrooms to participate in activities with their grandchild/friends. This is a memorable time for kids to share their learning and their classrooms with people who are special to them.

3. Parent Information Evening for 2018 Prep Families

This is an opportunity for families who want to learn more about the unique programs we offer at Caulfield Junior College. The Information Evening will be held at 7.00pm on 23rd May, in the BER.

### **School Council**

On Monday 8th May School Council met and the DET Annual Report to the Community 2016 was presented and office bearers positions for 2017 filled.

School Council President - Stephen Loyer

Vice President - Alice Owen

Treasurer - Andrew Brown

Convenor Buildings and Grounds – Nathalie Kemp

Convenor Policy & Development – Rohan Cooper

Convenor French Elective – Isabelle Le Boudier

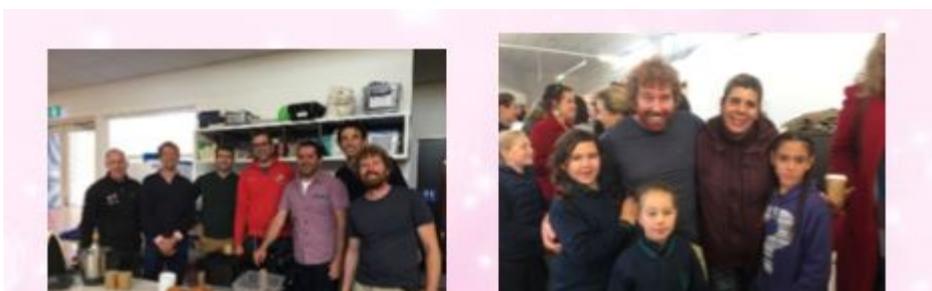
Convenor Finance – Andrew Brown

Tara Blanchy the School Council President for 2016 has decided not to stand for president this year and will give her time to the Buildings and Grounds committee to work on some important projects for our school. I would like to thank Tara for all her work as School Council president and in particular her work with the French Section Elective integration into the Department of Education and Training last year. Tara worked extensively as a member of the Integration Steering Committee and brought her expertise in business to the team. I would also like to thank Tara's family, who missed out sometimes on her time due to her commitment to the school. This is a huge ask for anyone to undertake and demonstrates Tara's commitment to wanting the best education for not only her own children, but all of the children at Caulfield Junior College. Thank you Tara.

### **Mother's Day Breakfast and Mother's Day Stall**

Thank you to Mathew Thompson and our father-volunteers for putting on a wonderful Mother's Day Breakfast. It was so good to see our community together sharing the magnificent spread of food and spending time with their children.

Thanks too, to the kind volunteers who helped out with our Mother's Day Stall. Our students were fortunate to be able to choose from an amazing array of gifts and have them personally wrapped by our dedicated helpers.





## From our Students

Letter from the Art Room.

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### Letter from the Art room

Students in Prep and Year 1 have been learning about how artist Henri Matisse has used organic shapes in his artworks. They have applied printmaking techniques to create an autumn themed artwork of leaves and organic shapes.

Year 2 students have used their imaginations and skill to create Monster prints using stencil techniques. They layered three colours and cut stencils to make their crazy monster prints. They are now beginning a mixed media collage of a habitat, which links in with their inquiry topics in the classroom.

Year 3/4 have been busy practising their drawing skills, observing objects from nature as well as participating in a detailed study of Value and Form as elements of Art. They are now beginning to work with Balsa wood with an Indigenous theme for Reconciliation week.

Our year 5/6 students have been busy designing and working on their stage props for the upcoming production 'Amity'. They have been applying a range of skills to make large sculptures and working collaboratively in groups to make artworks.





## Assembly Information

Assembly on Monday 15th May 2017

Parents are welcome to attend our whole school assembly on the oval at 9am.  
 Congratulations to next Monday's CJC Values awards recipients.

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C.J.C. Values awards recipients.

CLASS	STUDENT NAME
P1A	AMOS FAIGENBAUM
PC	CLAUDIE LANG
PD	VICTORIA BANCROFT
12A	MITCHELL LIVINGSTONE
12B	OSCAR MICMACHER
1C	CELINA SMITH
1D	MARLENE SANGEUX
2E	SABINE THOMPSON
2F	LOUIS HESSEL
34A	LEO GELFAND
34B	JAYDEN ELBERG
34C	ASHA MICMACHER
3D	MATHYS PINK
3E	EMMA DANSIN

4F	ROSE LAMY
4G	LUCILLE HUSSER
56A	NOA LEVY
5C	QUENTIN MARCH
5D	THEODORE HALAS



## Need to know !!

Dates à retenir pour le mois d'avril et mai:

Dates to remember for April and May:

Sites interactifs gratuits de ressources:

Websites:

Notices that went home this week:

Lost Property:

Updated 10/5/17

### Dates à retenir pour les mois de mai et juin :

- Le 23/05 : de 16h à 18h sport en famille pour tous les élèves et leurs parents.
- Le 24/05 : De 9h15 à 10h30 : Matinée de bienvenue aux grands parents et aux meilleurs amis.
- Le 25/05 : Excursion au zoo pour les CP et CE1.
- Le 26/05 : Excursion au zoo pour les élèves de grande section.
- Le 01/06 : Excursion à la NGV pour les élèves de CE2 et CM1.
- Le 09/06 : Récitation de la poésie du concours Berthe mouchette.
- Le 22/06 : Exposition des travaux réalisés par les élèves.
- Le 23/06 : Bulletins scolaires donnés aux parents.

### Dates to remember for May and June:

- The 23/05: From 4.00 to 6.00pm, Twilight sport for parents and students.
- The 24/05: Grandparents and Special Friends Morning from 9.15 to 10.30am.
- The 25/05: Excursion to the Zoo for Y 1/2.
- The 26/05: Excursion to the Zoo for PREP.
- The 01/06: Excursion to the NGV for Y 3/4.
- The 09/06: Berthe Mouchette Poetry recitation.
- The 22/06: Year Level Expo.
- The 23/06: Reports sent home to parents.

### Sites interactifs gratuits de ressources:

Si vous désirez proposer des activités en français à vos enfants nous vous recommandons ces sites qui vous proposent des liens vers des sites français, des exercices en ligne et des jeux éducatifs gratuits pour les élèves du préscolaire à la 6ème.

### Websites:

If you would like your child to do some activities in French we recommend the following sites which

contain a lot of links to French sites, free online exercises and educative games for students from Prep to Y6.

[www.logicieleducatif.fr](http://www.logicieleducatif.fr)

<http://soutien67.free.fr>

[www.lasouris-web.org](http://www.lasouris-web.org)

<http://languageonline.org.uk>

[www.apprendrealire.net](http://www.apprendrealire.net)

## **Notices that went home this week: week ending 12/5/17**

3-4 Van Gough exhibition – NGV

Debating comp.

District cross country.

## **Lost Property.**

Lost Property is located upstairs in the corridor of the main building.

Please ensure you label each item of your child's clothing.



**CSEF**

**Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund.**

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If you qualify for the CSEF, please ensure you submit the form before the end of Term 2.

There will be NO applications accepted after that date.

Refer below link for more information.

### **CSEF**

The Victorian Government's \$148 million initiative helps ensure all Victorian students can take part in school trips and sporting activities.

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) commenced in 2015 for four years and provides payments for eligible students to attend camps, sports and excursions.

CSEF applications for 2017 open from term one 2017. Parents or legal guardians are required to submit a CSEF application form to their child's school.

Victorian Government Year 7 and Prep students (in 2017) who are CSEF recipients are also automatically eligible for a uniform support. For more information regarding this initiative please see State Schools' Relief

### **Eligibility**

Families holding a valid means-tested concession card or temporary foster parents are eligible to apply. \$125 per year is paid for eligible primary school students, with \$225 per year paid for eligible secondary school students. A special consideration eligibility category also exists. Payments are made directly to the school and are tied to the student.

### **Criteria 1 - Eligibility**

To be eligible for the fund, a parent or legal guardian of a student attending a registered Government or non-government Victorian primary or secondary school must:

on the first day of Term one, or;

on the first day of Term two;

- a) Be an eligible beneficiary within the meaning of the State Concessions Act 2004, that is, be the holder of a Veterans Affairs Gold Card or be an eligible Centrelink Health Care Card (HCC) or Pensioner Concession Card (PCC) holder, OR
- b) Be a temporary foster parent, and
- c) Submit an application to the school by the due date.

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance on behalf of a child, or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink, are not eligible for the CSEF unless they also comply with one of (a) or (b) above.

## **Criteria 2 - Be of school age and attend a Victorian school**

School is compulsory for all Victorian children aged between six and 17 years of age.

For the purposes of CSEF, students may be eligible for assistance if they attend a Victorian registered primary or secondary school. Typically, these students are aged between five and 18 years.

CSEF is not payable to students attending pre-school, kindergarten, home schooled, or TAFE.

### **Eligibility date**

CSEF eligibility will be subject to the parent/legal guardian's concession card successfully validating with Centrelink on either the first day of term one or term two.

### **Term one validation**

If the parent/legal guardian's concession card successfully validates on the first day of term one, the application will be processed and the full annual payment will be made to the school from March, 2017.

For applications which fail the term one validation, but become valid on the first day of term two, the application will be processed and annual payment will be made to the school during term two.

### **Payment**

Payment amounts

The amount payable for eligible primary students is \$125.00.

Payment timing

The CSEF is an annual payment to the school of the eligible applicant.

The CSEF will be available for schools to enter application information into the online CSEF web system from term one each year.

CSEF payments will be processed directly to schools with the majority of payments to commence from March, 2017 onwards. The CSEF system will remain open during term one and term two for applications to be added.

CSEF payments are for the application year and cannot be claimed retrospectively for prior years.

### **How the CSEF is paid**

School administrators enter the parent/legal guardian's information from the application form into the online CSEF web system. Authorised school users can access the CSEF web system.

CSEF payments will be made directly to schools from March 2017 onwards.

Applications for parents

Parents or legal guardians

Parents or legal guardians are required to complete a CSEF application form and lodge it with their child's school for processing.

Application forms should be completed and lodged with schools as soon as possible in term one, as payments are made from March on-wards. However, schools will be able to accept and process applications up until the end of term two each year.

Application forms and further information available on this page <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/health/Pages/csef.aspx?Redirect=1>

or printed copies are available at the school office.

### **Shared custody**

The CSEF system only allows one application per student. Parents in shared custody situations are encouraged to make decisions as to who applies for the CSEF. Schools should not be put into the position of arbitrating in decisions such as this.

If the parents cannot decide between themselves who should apply, they should be encouraged to resolve the dispute through the Family Court, or contact the Department's CSEF Helpdesk for more information on 1800 060 970.



## **Community News**

EFM Membership

Glen Eira City Council - Invitation - National Reconciliation Week

Noahcode

Glen Eira College

Information updated 12/5/17

Public notices or advertisements on our website and in the newsletter are accepted in good faith but the school does not necessarily endorse the content. A charge is made for commercial advertisement.

## **EFM Membership**



**Council will be holding the following free event – National Reconciliation Week.**

**Sunday 28 May, 12pm**

Mallanbool Reserve

Crn Leila and Murrumbeena Roads, Murrumbeena

The event will include a Welcome to Country and Smoking Ceremony, Indigenous performance and guided tour of natural flora and fauna with cultural and historical insights.

*Reconciliation: Let's take the next steps.*

[www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/nrw](http://www.gleneira.vic.gov.au/nrw)

[www.reconciliation.org.au/nrw/](http://www.reconciliation.org.au/nrw/)

[Link to flyer.](#)

### **Noahcode - Coding classes after school at C.J.C.**

Grades 3 - 6

Tuesday 2nd May - 27th June

3.45 - 4.45

HTML, CSS & Javascript

[Link to flyer for details and how to register.](#)

### **Glen Eira College**

[Link to flyer](#)

### **Brighton Secondary College Information Evening:**

SEAL Entrance Exam Dates:

Year 7 2018 - Saturday 29th April 2017

Year 10 2018 - Wednesday 30th August 2017

ELHES Entrance Exam Date:

Wednesday 30th August 2017 (in zone students only)