



The Belmont News

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Belmont
High School

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Car parking around Belmont High School continues to be difficult and we ask that parents parking in Rotherham Street carefully observe the parking restrictions and be aware of the safety of students in the immediate vicinity of the school. Parents are also requested to respect the local residents and their right to safely enter/exit their property.

The progress of our students is continually monitored, and students are given continual feedback on the development of their skills and knowledge, as they learn in each of their units of study. During the past two weeks, our students have completed their Common Assessment Tasks during class time. Teachers will be reporting student progress in the upcoming Parent Teacher interviews that will be held on Monday 18 September from 12 noon till 7.00pm. There will be no set classes on this day, however, we would like all students to attend the interviews with their parents or carers. Bookings to be made on Compass.

Belmont High School is a busy place. Besides the obvious learning that occurs in the classroom, students are given the opportunity to work on their teamwork, interpersonal and leadership skills by being involved in a number of extra curricular events. Again, I commend the number of staff that have supported our students to participate in these this fortnight.

Tournament of Minds

During the last week of August, a group of our students participated in the Tournament of Minds held at Deakin University. Students and teachers attended the Sunday competition and achieved First Place in the regional competition, which means that they will attend the Victorian Finals held in Melbourne this month. Well done to all the students who demonstrated excellent teamwork and skill. This opportunity and positive experience does not happen without perseverance from the team, who worked together and practiced throughout the term during their break time, and the amazing support and encouragement from our Belmont staff, who ensured that students were given these wonderful opportunities.

Upstart Challenge

Our two students Sam and Tara Nolan made it to the upstart pitching Showdown on Monday 28 August. This prestigious event celebrated the ideas of our young people in Geelong. Congratulations to Sam and Tara for inspiring so many other students and the audience as they heard about their idea. Thank you to Ms Rosetta Pugh who had encouraged and supported the students through this wonderful experience.

School Production—Chicago

The cast of Chicago have been practicing as often as possible as they prepare for their opening of the School Production Chicago, next week at Shenton Performing Arts Centre. There has been a great deal of time and commitment given by the students and the many teachers that have helped prepare our students for the performance. I am very proud of the dedication shown by all the cast and teachers in organising our School Production. A piece of the cast performed one song at our General Assembly, which gave our school community a taste of the wonderful singing and acting that the audience will be experiencing. I am looking forward to being part of the audience and thank the many parents, students and teachers involved.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2017

Monday 11 September WEEK A

Term 3 Reports published on Compass, 4pm
Parent/Teacher interview bookings open on Compass, 4pm

Tuesday 12 September

School Council meeting, 6pm
Year 9 into 10 Subject Selection Information Evening, 6.30pm, Red Learning Centre

Wednesday 13 September

Belmont Breakfast Program, 7.45-8.35am, LC9
VET—Fishing, Queenscliff Harbour
Yr 11 History—Geelong History Roadshow
VCAL Yr 12 Community Service
Staff v Student Basketball match, 12.45pm

Thursday 14 September

RUOK/International Day, lunchtime celebrations

Friday 15 September

Purple House 10 Pin Bowling
School Production—Chicago, Sept 15, 16, 17, Shenton

Monday 18 September WEEK B

Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews—no classes

Tuesday 19 September

Out of Uniform Day/neat casual dress in footy colours, gold coin donation
Yr 7 Immunisations

Wednesday 20 September

Belmont Breakfast Program, 7.45-8.35am, LC9
Yr 9 Strive—Elevate workshop

Thursday 21 September

WMR Athletics—Moonee Valley

Friday 22 September

End of Term 3—Students dismissed at 12.45pm
Term 4 begins Monday October 9

END OF TERM 3

Students will be dismissed at **12.45pm** on
Friday 22nd September.

TERM 3 REPORTS

Published on COMPASS 11th September, 4pm

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

18th September, 12.00-7.00pm (no classes)
Bookings made through COMPASS/Community/Conferences

PUBLIC HOLIDAY—GEELONG CUP

Wednesday 25th October

24 hr STUDENT ABSENCE LINE

5241 0090

Parents only to call to report student's name, house/form,
reason for absence, and date.

Absences can also be entered on
COMPASS by parents/guardians.

Unsung Heroes

Mango House organised our community to acknowledge students from their House for showing our values. There were many nominations made by students and teachers and it was great to see that positive behaviours and acts of kindness and goodwill were acknowledged and celebrated.

Sandra Eglezos, Principal

GREEN NEWS!

The past fortnight has seen a lot happening in Green House. I would like to thank **Ms Emma Horne**, who has welcomed me as the new Green House Leader. Her ability to support students in our House has been appreciated by students, parents and staff and these skills will continue to be relied upon as part of our House teaching staff.

Well done to a number of our students who competed in the Year 9 Basketball Competition. **Krystl Bonney, Emma Ristovski, Ethan Coffey, Corey Przystek, Jackson Turner** and **Will Palmer-Brennan** represented Green House well and were gracious in defeat to a strong Silver House opponent.

Is Trump fit to be president? That is what our House debaters had to argue in the school's inter-house debating competition. Congratulations to **Jesse Thomas, Isaac Sims, Nick Thomas, Andre Joubert, Imogen Hair, Alex Barnes** and **Mehakpreet Kaur** for what was a convincing argument on delivery.

Recently our Year 7s and Year 12s ran a photo booth fundraiser which saw them raise money for Green House's chosen charity; Cottage by the Sea. Well done to all involved. Our Year 8s and Year 11s are currently collecting items (food and new clothes) to donate to the same charity, with Year 9s and Year 10s holding a cupcake stall later this term to support.

I look forward to developing my relationships with the Green House community further in the weeks to come!

Jess Watson, Green House Leader

GOLD HOUSE NEWS

What a busy few weeks we are having in GOLD House! We welcomed **Mr. Scott Mackenzie** as our new Assistant GOLD House Leader as Miss Watson has capably stepped into the role of GREEN House Leader. Mr. Mackenzie is well known to our GOLD students and has taken on this role with the professional and enthusiastic approach that is so appreciated.

The House Debating competition is in full flight and our GOLD House team has made it through to the Grand Final to be held next Tuesday, 12th September at lunchtime. **Tash Walker, Clancy Conron, Beau Attard** and **Bridget O'Keeffe** put on an amazing display of skill and intellect to professionally get across the argument that "Donald Trump is not fit to be President" last week, then backed this performance up again on Tuesday winning the argument that "Teachers are paid too much". There were a few uncomfortable moments for the teachers during this debate! A huge thank you to **Gwyn Roberts** who stepped in replace Beau Attard who was on a Music excursion but had prepared his notes for Gwyn. What a fantastic team effort with thanks also going to **Miss De Bruyn, Nathan McGlynn** and **Maisie Hill** for supporting the debating team through their many lunchtimes of preparation.

At our House Assembly on Monday 4th September, the celebration and acknowledgement of our students were fast flowing. From the debating team to the Year 9 GOLD House Basketball team who won their first round of the lunchtime basketball competition. We wished them luck for their semi-final (held on Thursday 7th Sept). News broke that **Deborah Walker** (11G) has been successful in gaining a place in the 2018 National Youth Science Forum and will be the only representative from the Geelong region. We acknowledged **Ella McCartney** and **Clancy Conron** who were busy all term with Wakakirri and we wished **Ella, Oscar Hudson** and **Ben Harris** all the very best for their participation in the school production Chicago. We had ten students participate in the Writers Workshop and our Year 12's recently shared a nice hot lunch and began their planning for their Valedictory Dinner to be held on Wednesday October 18th.

Our House Assembly also provided some friendly competition with representatives from each class participating in trying to eat a (dry) weetbix in one minute and then having a massive bucket head competition with everyone throwing ping pong balls into buckets held on students heads!

We are excited about our GOLD House fun event at Oz Ten Pin Bowls held on Thursday 7th September and look forward to sharing many of the highlights of this night in our next newsletter. It has been an action packed Term in GOLD House and I'm sure things won't slow down at all! I look forward to meeting with many parents and students in our upcoming Parent/Teacher conferences.

Linda Jennings, GOLD House Leader

MANGO HOUSE

Music Competition: Mango House is still excited about the wonderful performance at the House Music Competition where we were placed 2nd overall. The songs were expertly executed, with excellent involvement from year 7's right through to our leaders, the Year 12's. Thanks go to **Laura Firipis** 12 Mango, who coordinated the rehearsals and to the teachers to assisted; **Mr McAndrew, Mr Pugh** and **Ms McKenzie**. A wonderful all round performance.

House Debating: Mango won the first round debate against Silver House. Our team was made up of; **Issy Peter, Nate Mitchell, Emily Davidson** and **Max Adam**. It was a tight tussle with excellent speakers on both sides presenting very clear, persuasive arguments. In the next round Mango lost against Purple House in a very closely fought debate. The team supported each other and had fantastic arguments. A shout out and massive thanks to every debater, as well as **Cody Funston** for being at all the meetings, supporting team mates and helping organise arguments. Thanks also to **Ms Condello** for her support and contributions. Great to see such team work across year levels and Mango House spirit!

House Basketball – Year 9: Mango lost the first game against Ebony House. We played well and were leading in the first half. Congratulations to our team who did well under the coaching eye of Mr Vos.

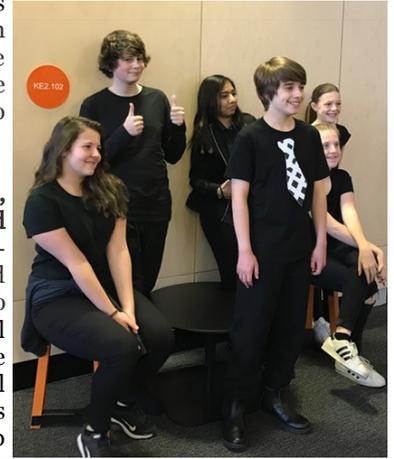
D Ayres, Assistant Mango House Leader

TOURNAMENT OF MINDS

On Sunday 27th August six very enthusiastic BHS students attended the Tournament of Minds (TOM) presentation day at Deakin University, Waurin Ponds. The tournament is a problem solving program for teams of students from both primary and secondary years. They are required to solve demanding, open-ended challenges – one is a spontaneous challenge and the other is a long-term challenge. Our students worked for 6 weeks, almost every lunchtime to prepare their long-term challenge.



Our team of **Ned Parker, Will Jones, Charley Russell, Zoe Slee, Erika Logan and Diya Patel** presented a Social Science long-term challenge. The challenge was titled **INSPIRE – ational**. The students had to select two countries to pair for a trial colonisation. They had to show five features, e.g. icons, language, and cultural aspects, which had merged to support this new connection. The team had to develop a promotional presentation on the success of their colony for INSPIRE to use as they develop more islands.



Our congratulations go out to our TOM team on being awarded First Place at the 2017 Regional Tournament! Our team is now invited to attend the Victorian Final, to be held on Sunday 10th September 2017 at La Trobe University, Bundoora. Go Team!

Lea Purdy

PAT TESTING

In the first three weeks of Term 4, all students in Years 7-10 will undergo testing in Literacy – reading comprehension and grammar/punctuation and Numeracy using Progressive Achievement Tests (PAT) using their computers.

Why do students do PAT?

PAT is the measure through which teachers can determine whether our students are meeting important educational outcomes in literacy and numeracy.

The tests provide an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests. They also provide the school with information about how education programs are working and what areas need to be improved.

PAT are one aspect of a school's assessment and reporting process; they do not replace the extensive ongoing assessments made by teachers about each student's performance. The results are combined with other forms of testing such as NAPLAN, Common Assessment Tasks (CAT), and teacher judgements to produce individual learning profiles for each student.

Who will run the tests?

PAT are conducted at school and administered by their classroom teachers.

How is ACER performance measured?

Individual student performance is shown on a national achievement scale for each test.

How are PAT results used?

- Schools use results to identify strengths and weaknesses in teaching programs and to set goals in literacy and numeracy.
- School systems use results to review programs and support offered to schools.
- Teachers use results to help them better identify students who require greater challenges or additional support.
- Produce individual learning profiles in both literacy and numeracy for students, which allows teachers to better prepare for their classes learning needs.

Tara Robertson

Data Manager

STUDENT HEALTH INFORMATION

To ensure the health and safety of students at all times and to ensure that staff have necessary medical information, parents/ carers are responsible, in relation to their children for:

- Keeping the school informed of any medical conditions, treatments and medical contact details.
- Providing staff with appropriate information and instruction, where medical conditions require specialised treatment.
- Updating the school on any changes in medical conditions and/or required treatments.

For Students diagnosed with Asthma, Allergy, Anaphylaxis, Diabetes and Epilepsy: Parents must provide the school with an Action Plan and management plan completed by the student's medical practitioner.

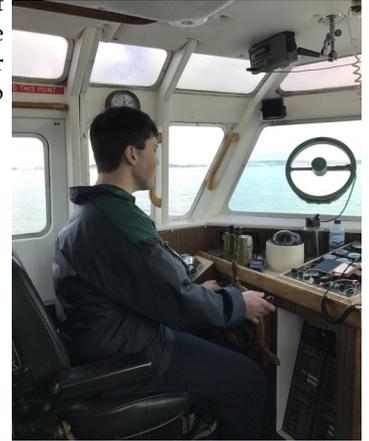
Individual management plan: Parents of the student's diagnosed with anaphylaxis/allergy are required to make an appointment with the School Nurse to organise an individual management plan.

Student health support plan: Students diagnosed with asthma and any other medical condition (requiring support at school) are required to make an appointment with the school nurse to organise a health support plan. *This Plan is to be completed by the principal or nominee in collaboration with the parent/carer and student.*

Anchi Sherpa

VCAL NEWS

On Monday 28th August, the VCAL Intermediate students visited AMOSC, Corio Quay, as part of the Port of Geelong Industry tour. Amanda Stirrat, Port of Geelong representative, explained the history and the purpose of the Port. She also provided information about the various career opportunities available, on land and on board ships. The students were then treated to a trip around the bay on a pilot boat visiting the surrounding piers.



It was the annual VCAL/Intergenerational Footy Tipping Party held at KALKEE Community Centre on Wednesday 6th September. This event is a celebration of the 2017 football tipping that the residents participate in each week. The winner was Rachel, who unfortunately passed away last Friday aged 88, Julie came second and Jessie came third. The students also organised a footy quiz and a handball competition, followed by a morning tea. VCAL would like to thank KALKEE for their valued partnership throughout the year.



SPORT REPORT

As we are coming to the end of the term, and winter sport season and the final rounds of inter school sport are coming up, with the Western Metropolitan Region Athletics on the 21st September, at Moonee Valley.

Looking towards the next term, sign ups for junior and intermediate summer sports (basketball, table tennis, cricket, softball baseball and tennis) are currently underway; please see Simone in P9 for enquiries. Students can also see Simone in regards to nominations for Age Group Champions and Team of the Year. Applications for the award will be available from Simone term 4.

Alice O'Keeffe 12G
Sport Captain

MUSIC NEWS

The last few weeks have been extremely busy with performances and rehearsals. On Friday 25th August, Intermediate Jazz and Jazz Syndicate travelled to Melbourne to participate in the jazz section of the Victorian Schools Music Festival. Both groups performed very well, Intermediate Jazz receiving a Bronze shield, and Jazz Syndicate receiving a Gold Shield.



Students participated in an improvisation workshop, and were able to hear bands from across Victoria during the day. Many thanks to **Amanda Linton** for her work with the Intermediate Jazz, and for helping to make the day run smoothly.

Last Tuesday, Junior Jazz headed out to Bellaire, Highton and Montpellier Primary Schools on their first tour. It hailed, it rained and it poured, and the students worked around this with great humour and stoicism. After thawing out with hot chips back in the bandroom at lunchtime, we returned to the tour with renewed energy to give a great last performance at Montpellier after lunch. Congratulations To **Rohan Laird** for his organisation of the tour, and to all the students who were so professional both in performance and in their set up and pack up during the day.

Next week our school show, Chicago is deep in rehearsal at Geelong High's Shenton Theatre, so there will be no instrumental music lessons from Monday 11 Sept – Friday 15th Sept. Thanks to our Senior Band Sydney 2018 fundraisers, who are running snack sales before and during the interval of the show each night.

Jazz Syndicate head to Torquay after school on Thursday October 12th to play at the Swing into Seniors Festival launch, so if you qualify as a Senior and live on the Surf coast, head to the Torquay Senior Citizens centre in Price St and dance along to the big band sound of Jazz Syndicate.

Our Spring Concert is coming up on Tuesday 17th October, so please keep the date free! All school ensembles will be performing at the concert.

Intermediate Band will be heading to the Geelong Show on Thursday 19th October to compete in the School band competition, and we wish them luck in the competition.

Our VET music students have their performance exams on this day in the bandroom, so there will be no instrumental music lessons running on this day.

A reminder to chat with your instrumental teacher regarding instrument purchase if you haven't already done so. Music staff will be available for parent teacher interviews, so please book in a time if you would like to discuss your child's progress this year, or have any questions regarding instrument purchase.

Rose Humphrey
Director of Music

YEAR 9 INTO 10 2018 SUBJECT SELECTION INFORMATION EVENING

When: Tuesday 12th September
Time: 6.30pm
Where: Red Learning Centre (LC8)

Mr Masters, Careers and Pathways Coordinator, will run through the subject selections and options available for students in 2018. These include subject options, acceleration, VET, SBAT and much more. The session is designed for both students and parents/guardians.

(Please note this does **not** include students and parents of 9P ALP.)

YEAR 12—Event Dates

Term 3

Tuesday 12th September: *Graduation Dinner Package handed out to students at Year 12 Form Assembly in the Gym*

Wednesday 13th September: *Ticket sales open*

22nd September: *End Term 3:*

Term 4

Wednesday 11 October-17th October: *Revision Lectures at BHS*

Monday 23 October: *Final day of classes for Year 12 students*

Tuesday 24 October: *Celebration day*

Friday 27 October: *Graduation ticket sales close*

Wednesday 1 November: *Exams start*

Tuesday 28 November: *Graduation Dinner at 6:00pm, Simonds Stadium*

2017 Graduation Dinner

The Graduation Dinner will be held on Tuesday 28th November, at Simonds Stadium. Doors will open at 6pm. There will be a three course dinner, with drinks served on arrival and during meal service. Drinks will also be available for purchase at bar prices following dinner. Tickets will be on sale from the school office from 13th September until 27 October. There is no maximum number of tickets, with tables seating 10-12 people. Entry is by ticket only. The night is one of celebration for students, families and staff to acknowledge the achievements of the past 6 years.

Students will receive a Graduation Package on Tuesday 12th September which will provide further details and costs.

JOHN MCANDREW

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LECTURES RUN FROM 11TH—17TH OCTOBER, AT BELMONT HIGH SCHOOL.

COST: \$30 EACH (\$25 EACH IF ATTENDING 4 OR MORE SESSIONS)

FURTHER DETAILS—SCHOOL OFFICE



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LECTURES 2017

SATURDAY 23 - SUNDAY 24 SEPTEMBER

GIVE YOUR VCE STUDIES
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IN GEELONG & DISTRICT

Lectures cover exam technique, sample exam questions and course overviews.
Detailed lecture notes will be provided.

Cost: \$35 per Lecture

Lectures are held at St Joseph's College Geelong, 135 Aphrasia Street, Newtown.

Book your sessions online: www.trybooking.com/RVWF

Bookings must be finalised by: **Wednesday 13 September 2017**

For further information contact St Joseph's College, Phone: (03) 5226 8100

LECTURES AVAILABLE & SCHEDULE

Saturday

23 September

LEGAL STUDIES

9:00am-12:00pm

PHYSICS

9:00am-12:00pm

Sunday

24 September

FURTHER MATHS

9:00am-12:00pm

SPECIALIST MATHS

9:00am-12:00pm

PHYSICAL

EDUCATION

12:30pm-3:30pm

HISTORY

REVOLUTIONS

(French & Russian)

12:30pm-3:30pm

CHEMISTRY

2:00pm-5:00pm

COMPASSION INNOVATION INTEGRITY WWW.SJC.VIC.EDU.AU

BOOK REVIEW

Karen McManus' "One of us is lying"

Sometimes we buy books for the library based on other people's reviews and they're not as great as we'd hoped they'd be. THIS IS NOT ONE OF THOSE BOOKS!! We bought this because the cover and blurb were amazing and because readers on goodreads.com had given it an average of 4.14 / 5 which is REALLY impressive. It is the author's first novel and it is a superb mystery suspense real life drama.

Five high school students go to an after school detention. One dies. The other four immediately become murder suspects. At first glance, the four have nothing in common: a nerdy girl, a sporty guy, a drug-dealing bad boy and the prom queen! However, all had secrets which the dead boy, Simon, knew. Perhaps one or more of them were prepared to silence Simon before he could reveal all on his school gossip app?

Told from the viewpoints of all four suspects, this book is incredibly well-written. The characters are very believable and the secrets they are so keen to keep secret are all too believable.

A must-read if you love suspenseful thrillers.

COME PLAY CRICKET FOR HIGHTON IN
2017/18!!!

The Highton Cricket Club encourages all new and returning players to attend its junior sign on night on Friday the 15th of September at the McDonalds Reserve clubrooms from 4.30-6.30pm

All age groups welcome!

- Milo in 2 cricket
- Under 11's
- Under 13's
- Under 15's
- Under 17's
- Senior's

Alternatively, online registration is simple and takes just 3 easy steps:

1. Head over to www.playcricket.com.au
2. Click 'where can I play?' and search for 'Highton'
3. Choose your membership package and register. Its that simple!

HCC Sign on night

- Membership Discounts
- Eftpos Facilities
- Wide range of apparel available



For all inquiries please contact Joel Haynes - 0406 848 664

WOOLWORTHS EARN AND LEARN

Belmont High School is once again participating in the Woolworths Earn and Learn program. Students and parents are encouraged to put stickers in the collection box in the general office or the Woolworths store in Highton. This will earn the school valuable resources. Thank you.



YEAR 8 READERS' CUP

Year 8 Readers' Cup has started.

Congratulations to the following team members;

Teams can consist of up to 4 competing members and up to two emergencies.

PURPLE:

Zoe Slee Captain
Sahra Hardiman
Perri Jordan
Jacquill Peirce

BLUE

Mia Thomson
Bella Bennett
Hannah Cameron Captain
Blake Gottwaltz

EBONY:

Abby Livesay Captain
Diya Patel
Bailey Round vice captain
Toby Lyons

MANGO

Asha James
Claire Breakey
Emily Davidson
Alister Mitchell

GOLD

Theo Zhou
Vincent Dang
Jack Linke Captain
Caitlyn Matthews
Gwyn Roberts
Sam Phelps

SILVER

Will Herni
Will Baxandall
Riley Eddy

RED

Kai Cassar
Aiden Kruhlak
Meg Pendock Captain
Tone Viljoen
Bardot Benson (emergency)
Flynn Mackay

GREEN

D'Art Reed-Broekman
Ruby Harris
Ruby Warmisham
Makayla Lake

Each person in the team must read the three set novels (Skeleton Creek, The Giver and Don't call me Ishmael) and work together on some video footage connected with Skeleton Creek. The team will collaborate in a trivia style competition that is scheduled to be held on the morning of Friday 8th of December.

If parents would like more information they can contact Rennai McCarthy or Lee Suter (Teacher-librarians)

Visiting author Phillip Gwynne

The library hosted Australian author Phillip Gwynne on the 24th August. Phillip shared his path to becoming an author and his passion for writing with all our year 9 students. His laid back manner and his willingness to share his personal story ensured students were engaged and open to hearing about how to write. Phillip also ran a writing workshop for 30 keen budding authors who ranged from year 7 to year 10. Here is what some of them had to say about the workshop.

"Phillip inspired me to give all of my characters more personality"

"One thing I got out of Phillip's visit was a different type of story planning"

Phillip really opened my eyes to capturing the essence of a character and evolving them to change and understand their true nature at the end of a series of problems. I was inspired by his enthusiasm and similar process of writing"

"He made me consider aspects of writing a story that I hadn't thought of before, such as how much small can actually affect someone, and how much pressure can expose the true thoughts of a character"

All agreed that they learned a lot of practical writing tips and were eager to put them to good use in their own writing.

We have several of Phillip's novels in the library for anyone interested in borrowing.

Ms McCarthy and Ms Suter

Photo – some of the students participating in the writing workshop.



UPSTART PROGRAM

On Monday 28th August 2017, a fantastic celebration of the region's young entrepreneurs at the Upstart Pitching Showdown was held at The Pier. With over 230 guests attending it was an opportunity for students, staff, parents, sponsors and the community to come together and celebrate the best and brightest of the Geelong region.

Congratulations to Belmont High School students **Sam & Tara Nolan** on doing a fantastic pitch for their business idea 'Pay as you Throw' a business idea to reduce the amount of waste Australian produce.



Rosetta Pugh

CHANGES TO PUBLIC BUS ROUTES

On Sunday 27 August, new public bus timetables for Geelong, the Bellarine and Surfcoast came into effect.

As there are many students who catch public buses to school, it is imperative that bus travellers become familiar with the new timetables to ensure they don't miss their bus.

Details of the changes can be found on McHarry's webpage (link below), or by contacting the McHarry's Buslines office for assistance.

<http://www.mcharrys.com.au/newtimetables.html> or Phone 03 5223 2111.

Change to Bus Route 43 from Highton, Buckley Falls and Province Estate:

Due to passenger loadings PTV can no longer justify a dedicated school service from the Highton, Buckley Falls and Province Estate area. However, alternative arrangements have been made to assist students from these areas in getting to school.

Specific trips on the Route 43 service will make a deviation to drop and pick up students from Roslyn Road (close to Belmont High School). The new service will travel via Mt Pleasant Road, right into Morris Street, and right into Roslyn Road where it will use the bus stop just before the primary school. It will then turn right into Roberts Road and continue on the normal route. It will travel in the same direction morning and afternoon, so that students will not have to cross Roslyn Road.

Details of the services which will deviate are listed below.

Route 43 - AM Service

Deakin University (Waurm Ponds Campus)	7:40am
Barrabool Road/Scenic Road	7:46am
Grantham Drive/Province Boulevard	7:50am
The Ridge	7:53am
Scenic Road/Buckley Falls Road	7:56am
Scenic Road/Mt Pleasant Road	8:00am
Shannon Avenue/Barrabool Road	8:03am
Roslyn Road Belmont High School	8:06am
Shannon Avenue/Barrabool Road	8:11am
Aberdeen Street/Pakington Street	8:19am
Moorabool Street Bus Interchange	8:24am
Geelong Railway Station	8:28am

Route 43 - PM Service

Geelong Railway Station	3:37pm
Moorabool Street Bus Interchange	3:41pm
Aberdeen Street/Pakington Street	3:46pm
Shannon Avenue/Barrabool Road	3:54pm
Roslyn Road Belmont High School	3:57pm
Shannon Avenue/Barrabool Road	4:03pm
Scenic Road/Mt Pleasant Road	4:06pm
Scenic Road/Buckley Falls Road	4:10pm
The Ridge	4:13pm
Grantham Drive/Province Boulevard	4:16pm
Barrabool Road/Scenic Road	4:20pm
Deakin University (Waurm Ponds Campus)	4:26pm

These changes commenced on Monday, 28th August 2017.

If you have further questions you can contact CDC Geelong on 5240 5000.

BELMONT HIGH SCHOOL PRESENTS

A stylized poster for the musical Chicago. The background is black with vertical white bars. In the center, a red silhouette of a woman in a high-heeled dress is dancing. Behind her are two black silhouettes of men in suits. The word "CHICAGO" is written in large, bold, black letters across the middle, with a white glow effect.

CHICAGO

Tickets: www.trybooking.com/RBBC

14th, 15th, 16th September

Venue: Shenton Performing Arts Centre Ryrie Street

Book by Fred Ebb & Bob Fosse Music by John Kander Lyrics by Fred Ebb Based on the play Chicago by Maurine Dallas Watkins
Script adaptation by David Thompson BY ARRANGEMENT WITH ORIGIN™ THEATRICAL ON BEHALF OF SAMUEL FRENCH LTD



HUMANS IN GEELONG EXPO 2017

FREE Workshops, Uplifting Speakers, Activities and Face Painting for kids, Live Music, PRIZES, Fun for all ages!

**Sunday 8th October 10am-3pm
Deakin Waterfront, Geelong
CAFE OPEN, Gold Coin Entry**

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Wallington Cricket Club Sign Up Day!!

Cricket is back!

Come join us at Wallington Cricket Club for our information and sign up day.

Joeys- Age 5+ fun skill building sessions for boys and girls

Juniors- U11's, U13's, U15's, U17's (Boys and Girls)

Seniors- All ages and abilities catered for

SUNDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER 10AM- 2PM

At WCC we pride ourselves on being an inclusive family orientated club. We may be small but our spirit and club pride is plenty!

Pre-season seniors training underway- Every Tuesday

Coach- Daniel 0434 232 823 or President- Sean 0413 035 302

BAYCATS BASEBALL

The Geelong Baycats Baseball club Little League competition is available for boys and girls aged 5 to 14. The competition is part of Little League International and its motto is "Character, Courage & Loyalty." We teach our players the skills of our game, along with the values of our motto.

We are a growing sport and offer a fantastic experience for all participants and their families.

Our come and try days are Wednesday September 13 and Wednesday September 20 at the Geelong Baseball Centre Pioneer Rd Waurnd Ponds.

Games start mid-October.

For details, email Grant Dew at grant.dew@optusnet.com.au

TRACK & FIELD ATHLETICS

Athletics Chilwell is currently welcoming new athletes to join the club for the upcoming 2017/18 track and field season.

Competition is held on Saturday afternoons at Landy Field, commencing on Saturday 7th October 2017 until March 2018. Senior athletes aged from under 14 to Veterans are welcome to participate.

Coaching is available in all disciplines, eg. sprints, middle/long distance running, throws and jumps.

For further information, please contact **Mary McDonald** on 5229 3920 or email: athletics.chilwell@gmail.com.

21st Century School Holiday Skills

Join one of our 'Silicon Valley' School Holiday Bootcamps
 Your 21st-century students are invited to participate in some ultra cool coding bootcamp experiences these SEPT/OCT school holidays. Prepare your 21st century future with us!
 4th October—Coding and Web Applications, ages 12+
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 If you have questions please email sally.browner@coderacademy.edu.au
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Join the *River's Gift* - SOS running group and receive professional training in a supportive team environment for the 6km or 12km events on Sunday 19 November 2017.

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We cook



We try new things

September School Holidays
25th September - 6th October 2017

IMPORTANT DATES:

Registrations/bookings open: 21st August, 2017
 Registration/bookings close: 11th September, 2017
 Cancellations (without charges) by: 18th September, 2017



For further information contact **KIMBERLEY MAHER** kimberley.maher@ymca.org.au
YMCA Geelong Newtown Stadium 25 Riversdale Road, Newtown 3220

(03) 5223 2714 geelong@ymca.org.au [facebook.com/YmcaGeelong](https://www.facebook.com/YmcaGeelong) www.geelong.ymca.org.au

EAST BELMONT CRICKET CLUB

Junior registration day, Sunday 10th September, 11am-1pm, everyone welcome.

Free BBQ and activities.

Junior registration fee \$80 includes a shirt, cap and drink bottle. Female players welcome.

Call Darren Brockett—Jnr Coordinator

0413 371 805

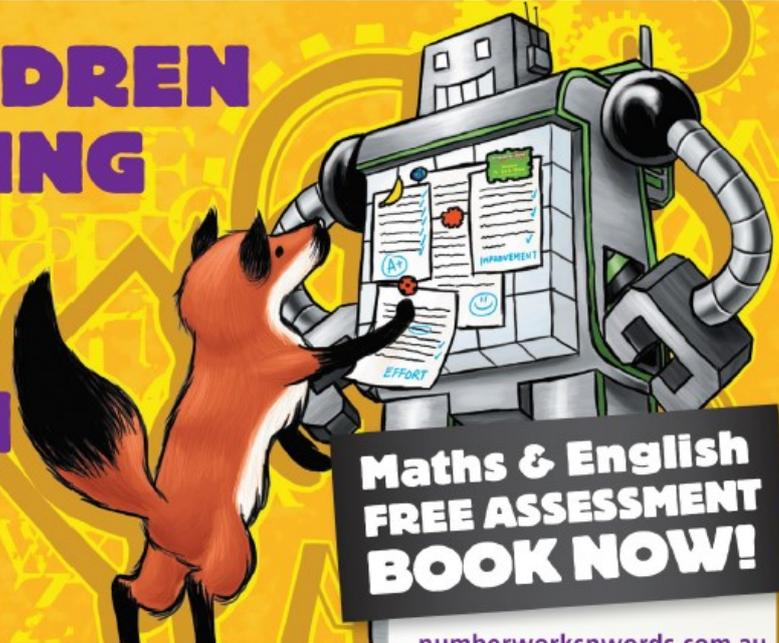
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