**IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE**

| Monday 26th May | - Year 9 CBD (26-30/5)  
- Year 8 Netball, Soccer, Boys Football | Wednesday 11th June | - GAT (no Year 11 or 12 classes)  
- Year 7 & 8 Sport Interschool  
- Immunisation - Year 7, 9 & 10 students |
|----------------|------------------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Thursday 29th May | - Divisional Cross Country  
(selected students) | Friday 13th June | - Report Writing Day – no students |
| Monday 2nd June | - Year 11 Exams (2-6/6)  
- Year 10 Exams (2-6/6) | Monday 16th June | - Year 10 Work Experience (16-20/6)  
- Regional Cross Country (selected students)  
- UNSW Writing Competition (selected students)  
- Student Leadership Fashion Parade, 7.00pm-9.30pm |
| Wednesday 4th June | - UNSW Science Competition  
(selected students) | Thursday 19th June | - Senior Basketball and Hockey  
- Table Tennis all Levels |
| Thursday 5th June | - Year 7 Boys Football, Soccer, Netball  
- Year 7 & 8 Badminton  
- PFA Meeting, 3.30pm-4.30pm | Thursday 26th June | - Term 2 last day, 2.30pm dismissal |
| Friday 6th June | - Year 12 Excursion, Monash University  
- Presentation Ball | Friday 27th June | - Term 3 first day |
| Monday 9th June | - Queen’s Birthday, Public Holiday | Friday 13th June | - Report Writing Day – no students |
| Tuesday 10th June | - PFA Meeting 7.00pm-8.00pm, McDonalds Restaurant, Endeavour Hills | Monday 14th July | - Term 3 first day |

**COLLEGE PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

**YEAR 10, 11 & VCE EXAMS**
In Week 7 of this Term, the Year 10 and 11 students will be sitting their mid-year exams from Monday 2nd to Friday 6th June. All Unit 3 & 4 students will be sitting the GAT on Wednesday, 11th June. To help prepare students for this experience they will be involved in a number of study skills and exam preparation activities throughout this Term. Students should be completing at least 2-3 hours of study each night in preparation for the exams.

**LATENESS**
Please note that students are required to be in class for Period 1 and seated by 8.30am. Students who are late to Period 1 are deemed to be late for school. Students who are late to class or attend the College after the commencement of the school day should provide a signed note from a parent or guardian. If a student is not able to attend school on a particular day, parents or guardians must notify the College Administration office by 10.00am on the day of the absence to explain the reason for the student’s absence.

Medical certificates or other explanatory notes from parents/guardians are required where a student is absent in excess of two days. Unless a valid reason exists and such reason is accompanied by documentary evidence, it is not appropriate for students to attend school late or be absent from school.

**SCHOOL CROSSINGS**
Parents are requested to remind their sons and daughters of the rules that apply to school crossings and their behaviour on and around the crossings. This request comes as a result of complaints that students are not listening to crossing supervisors’ directions and also crossing away from the dedicated crossings, making it dangerous for both students and motorists. Proper behaviour and adherence to the rules when using the crossings is a vital safety aspect.

*Sue Peddlesden, Adele Duffy, Kathie Toth & Paul Thorne*

**OUTSTANDING FEES**
Please note all outstanding Essential Education Items and Semester 2 Electives will be due by the end of Term 2, Friday 27th June. A reminder that all outstanding fees are due by Friday, 27th June. Contact the Bursar if you have any questions.

**PFA MEETING**
The upcoming PFA meetings will be held as follows: -
- Thursday, 5th June, 3.30pm-4.30pm at the College, for day time people.
- Tuesday 10th June, 7.00pm-8.00pm at McDonalds, Endeavour Hills, for evening people.

Small children welcome. If you are free to attend we’d love you to join us for a coffee and chat. The second meeting is a “repeat” of the first.
BOOK CLUB WELCOMES IT’S NEW MEMBERS
Recently all the new members of the Book Club received their badges (pictured below): Noora Chatrathy 8E, Kris Pallant 8B, John Paul Macatol 8E, Sana Dost 8H, Canis Nugroho 8E, Xenia Sanut 8E, Chamil Rajapaksa 8E, Zeenat Chandio 7G, Kavanjog Singh 7F, Xuan Vu 7E, Arushi Gupta 7E, Rachel MasQuiren 7E, Leon Pitigala 7E, Vidura Ramanayaka 7A.

LUCKY DRAW
- Yes, they won the lucky draw. Congratulations to the winners: Panna Bhatia 8M, Sneha Jagtap 8E, Jessica Dickson 8M, Kavenjog Singh 7F, Xuan Vu 7E, Arushi Gupta 7E, Rachel MasiQuiren 7E, Leon Pitigala 7E, Vidura Ramanayaka 7A.

GALLIPOLI 2015 ANZAC DAY DAWN SERVICE TOUR
DO YOU WANT TO GO?
Students from across Victoria will be selected for a five day tour to Turkey to attend the Gallipoli 2015 ANZAC Day Dawn Service on 25th April 2015. Students will be required to submit a written application, demonstrating their involvement in and commitment to community activities and how they plan to share their experiences with their school and the community. For further details see Ms Moller in the library, visit the College website or the website www.anzaccentenary.vic.gov.au/student-study-tours

2014-2015 PREMIER’S SPIRIT OF ANZAC PRIZE
Applications for the 2014-15 Premier’s Spirit of ANZAC Prize are now open to students in Years 9 and 10. Through the competition 12 students from across Victoria will travel on an overseas study tour to Gallipoli during Term 1 of the 2015 school holidays. Entry forms and further information is available on the website www.veterans.vic.gov.au. Full details are also on the College website.

CAREERS NEWS
Year 10 Work Experience Is In June
It is only four weeks to go until Year 10 Work Experience, 16th to 20th June. All students should have sent the signed copy of their work experience arrangement form to the employer and should phone their employer two or three weeks before the placement to check the arrangements for the first day.

Upcoming Career Excursions
- All Year 12 students will be visiting Monash University, Clayton for the Tertiary Information Service on Friday 6th June (please return your yellow permission slips).
- In the last week of Term, Year 10 students will have an opportunity to tour Monash University, Deakin University or Hallam Senior College during ‘Taster Week’ in preparation for Course Counselling and subject selection in Term 3.
- Year 9 students will have ‘Career Week’ from 21st - 25th July in Term 3.

Tax File Number Applications
Students in Years 9 and 10 should apply for a Tax File Number before they look for a part-time or casual job when they are 15. Please collect a form from the Careers office. The ATO will send out your Tax File Number in 5-6 weeks.

Photography Studies College Experience Day
Tuesday 1st July (during School Holidays) – spend the afternoon at Photography Studies College including a tour and tips for preparing folios and having an interview for their courses. You must book in advance, email info@psc.edu.au

RMIT University Experience Holiday Sessions (Years 10-12)
You will need to register in advance before you attend any of the following experience sessions: http://www.rmit.edu.au/experiencedays

Monday 30th June: Accounting and Finance, City campus
Monday 30th June: Trades Day, city campus (Years 9 & 10)
Tuesday 1st July: Journalism and Audio Visual day, City campus.
Tuesday 1st July: Justice courses, City campus
Tuesday 1st July: Engineering, City campus
Tuesday 1st July: Health and Medical Sciences, Bundooora campus
Wednesday 2nd July: Brunswick - Information Systems and Logistics
Thursday 3rd July: Advertising, Marketing and PR day, City campus
Thursday 3rd July: Environments, City campus
Friday 4th July: Art and Design, City campus
Friday 4th July: Science Day

Meet Certificates
Acknowledgement of Recipients
For Excellent Work In The Geometry Unit Test
Teacher: Mr Van der Westhuizen

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CAREERS ADVICE
Students in Years 9-12 are encouraged to visit Chris Wood in the Careers office at recess, lunchtime or after school for advice about VCE subject selection, planning and researching your career, choosing between VCE and VCAL, applying for jobs, writing your resume, finding apprenticeships and traineeships and choosing tertiary courses (degrees and diplomas). Students can also look up information via the Government’s Job Guide website: http://www.jobguide.thegoodguides.com.au/

Chris Wood, Careers Co-ordinator