IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE

| Tuesday 8th September | - Parent Teacher Interviews, 1.00pm-8.00pm (no classes for students) | Monday 5th October | - Term 4, first day |
| Thursday 10th September | - Year 11 Legal Excursion  
- Schools On Stage | Tuesday 6th October | - Year 7, 2016, 1:1 Laptop Information Night, 7.00pm the Shed |
| Friday 11th September | - Year 10 Studio Arts Excursion | Wednesday 7th October | - Year 10, 2016 1:1 Laptop Information Night, 7.00pm the Shed |
| Monday 14th September | - VCE Health & Human Development Exam Seminar | Thursday 8th October | - SMR Athletics (selected students) |
| Thursday 17th September | - Year 10,11 & 12 EAL/RAMP Excursion  
- SERV Intermediate Concert Band, the Shed | Monday 12th October | - Gleneagles Cup  
- Year 7 Art Excursion |
| Friday 18th September | - Year 12 Legal Studies Excursion  
- Term 3, last day, 2.30pm dismissal | Tuesday 13th October | - Year 10 Holocaust Museum Excursion (13-14/10) |

COLLEGE PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

INTERIM REPORTS
Parents should have received the Interim Report for Year 7 to 10 students or the Mentor Report for Year 11 and 12 that were posted recently to students’ home addresses. These reports have been sent to all for preparation for the Parent Teacher Interviews on Tuesday, 8th September 2015. Students in Years 7, 8, 9 also received details regarding the 2015 End of Year Activities Program.

PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS, TUESDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER 2015
The Parent Teacher Interviews are quickly approaching and will be held on Tuesday 8th September 2015, 1.00pm-8.00pm. We are continuing to use an electronic booking system which will allow parents/guardians to directly book interviews using the internet. The online booking system was activated on Tuesday, 1st September 2015 at 12 noon. You will need to click on the “Parent Teacher Interviews” heading in the Quick Links section on the left side of the screen on the Gleneagles website. You will then be taken to the booking system. Please refer to the information sheet included with your child’s interim or Mentor Report for more detailed instructions on how to access the booking system as well as your login details. Should you not have access to the internet, please give your instructions to your child and they can use one of the school computers to implement your booking requests and print off a hard copy for you to bring on the afternoon/evening. A reminder to parents/guardians that there are no classes on Tuesday, 8th September 2015.

NAPLAN REPORTS
NAPLAN reports for Year 7 and 9 students arrived at the College recently. Parents can collect their child’s NAPLAN report during Parent Teacher interviews on Tuesday, 8th September 2015, or parents can collect the report from the school office after that date.

PARKING
The City of Casey have advised the College that their officers will be monitoring parental parking outside the College both at the commencement and conclusion of the school day. They will particularly target vehicles illegally parked, double parked, parked on nature strips, across driveways and crossings and impeding buses. Fines will be issued to offending vehicles.

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)
The Department of Education & Training has extended the date to Friday 18th September 2015 for applications for eligible Concession Card Holders. Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF) will be provided by the Victorian Government to assist eligible families to cover the costs of school trips, camps and sporting activities. Please contact the College office to obtain a CSEF Application Form or download from the College website or www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

Sue Peddlesden, Adele Duffy, Kathie Toth & Rhonda Greelish

ALLERGIES
As Spring has arrived, not only does it bring warmer weather it also brings with it pollen. For some Hayfever sufferers this can be very uncomfortable. If your child suffers from Hayfever you can provide your child with the appropriate medication which must then kept in the school office until required. All medication must be clearly named and labelled.

Debbie Collard, Admin/First Aid

THE PERFORMING AND VISUAL ARTS EXPO

Gleneagles presented “The Performing and Visual Arts Expo” on Wednesday 26th August 2015. The night was a showcase of the talent at our school. The Arts Department featured an Expo of work from a range of classes which was open to view prior to the evening’s musical entertainment and also at the conclusion of the night. The Arts Expo was followed by the Performing Arts which featured a variety of performances of solo and small groups, the school choir, junior and senior bands and dance items. The evening also premiered the performance of Gleneagles’ entry for the Casey Schools on Stage competition which is taking place on Thursday, 10th September 2015. A special mention to all of the instrumental teachers who prepared our musical items – Kim Ball, Nicole McAlister, Sally McKenzie, Mark Dipnall, Paul Dunn and Mauro Perez and our parent volunteer Jeff Riley who assisted with the technical sound and lighting.

The Performing and Visual Arts Expo was well attended and proved to be a very memorable night for performers and the audience. The art works, drama and musical numbers were appreciated by all who attended and provided many opportunities for discussion amongst the audience. We look forward to sharing more of these events with friends and families at Gleneagles future events.

Picture below are: Davin, Guillaume, Josh, John, Sally McKenzie, Annabelle, Caitlin, Etana, Shaniah, Josh and Andre

CAREERS NEWS

Year 10 Work Experience Photos

Here are some more photos of our Year 10 students at work.

Goldie at Toys R Us, Sakina at Bestway Supermarket, Ben at Hewstone Hair, Soumya at COAD Architects

Chisholm Institute School Holiday Workshops

Our local TAFE Chisholm Institute is offering a huge range of school holiday workshops from 21st September to 1st October 2015, only $20 per person, 10.00am to 2.00pm and includes lunch. Book on-line at www.chisholm.edu.au/workshops

Workshops include Computer gaming, cabinet making, tiling, carpentry, photography, automotive, plumbing, hair and makeup.

Victoria Police Work Experience For 2016

Attention Year 9 2015 students

Please see Chris Wood in the Careers office urgently if you are interested in Victoria Police Work Experience for 2016. Applications close in September 2015. We can only nominate one student. Be quick or you will miss out.

Chris Wood, Careers Co-ordinator

Ms Horvat Instrumental Music Director
Ms Thompson Performing Arts Director