



Macleod P - 12 College

Newsletter Issue 8, 13th June 2017



Year 7 Girls Soccer Team

IMPORTANT DATES:

FRIDAY 16th JUNE
WHOLE SCHOOL PUPIL FREE DAY - CORRECTION DAY

MONDAY 17th JULY
WHOLE SCHOOL PUPIL FREE DAY - CURRICULUM DAY

TUESDAY 18th JULY
SCHOOL RESUMES FOR TERM 3

Principal's Report

Exams

Exams are currently being held for Years 10 & 11 and practice exams for Year 12. Students studying VCE Units 3 & 4 will also be taking part in the GAT tomorrow 14th June. Over the next two weeks staff will be busy correcting all the exams.



College Principal: Mario Panaccio
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CALENDAR

JUNE

14th & 15th
YEAR 10 EXAMS

WEDNESDAY 14th
GAT 10am - 1.15pm

THURSDAY 15th
YEAR 11 EXAMS &
YEAR 12 PRACTICE EXAMS

FRIDAY 16th
WHOLE SCHOOL PUPIL
FREE - CORRECTION DAY

MONDAY 19th - FRIDAY 30th
YEAR 10
WORK EXPERIENCE

WEDNESDAY 28th
STUDENT REPORTS
AVAILABLE ON COMPASS

FRIDAY 30th
2.20PM FINISH -
END OF TERM 2

JULY

MONDAY 17th
WHOLE SCHOOL PUPIL
FREE - CURRICULUM DAY

TUESDAY 18th
SCHOOL RESUMES FOR
TERM 3

If your child is absent from school please record their absence by:
calling 9457-0207
or emailing
absence@macleod.vic.edu.au

Year 10 Work Experience

All Year 10 students begin work experience for two weeks next Monday 19th June until the end of term. I trust that students will enjoy the experience in their chosen fields. During their work experience staff members will be visiting them.

Prep - 6 Parent Information Evening

I would like to thank the parents who recently attended this information evening. They received some very helpful information sheets and if anyone would like copies, they are available from Ms Butterworth.

Music Working Bee

Thank you to everyone who attended the Music working bee, many outstanding jobs were completed.



Mario Panaccio Principal

German Christmas Market

A dedicated team of students and staff are currently organising a German Christmas Market for Friday 11th August from 5pm until 9pm. We would like to invite the Macleod College community to get involved in this event, and there are lots of ways for you to do this.

You might like to:

- donate clothes, books and toys that are in good condition, to be sold at one of our stalls
- donating other goods through your businesses or contacts
- help out with making canvas carry bags, etc
- approaching our team, to organise a stall of your own (a small cost will be involved)
- donate your time to assist with set up or selling at one of our stalls

Please feel free to contact Fab Nigro or Frances Holl

Year 7 Girl's Soccer

Last Tuesday the Year 7 girls played against Charles La Trobe and Viewbank College in interschool sport. We were successful in winning both our games 2-0.

Goal kickers were Amelia Marsicovetere, Salma Abdi, Saskia Rose and Khadija Hussein. The defence did a great job of keeping most of the play out of the oppositions half. Well done girls.

Next game is the Northern Metropolitan on the 10th August. Thank you to our wonderful parent Oscar Magrina who helped coach the team.

Team: Rayna Letson-Gaff, Amelie Gillette, Amelia Mariscovetere, Salma Abdi, Saskia Rose, Khadija Hussein, Bogdana Saveski (keeper), Eleanor Wilson-Hoare, Natasha Lowe, Deqo Abdlahi, Batoul Hamie, Ella Maynard and Samia Ali.

Sharyn Moussa - PE Co-ordinator

Discover Germany Tour 2018

Planning for the Discover Germany Tour 2018 is well underway, and we are excited to be offering another action packed program for the successful applicants. As the term draws to a close we would like to remind students and their families that applications are now being accepted. If you need an application form or would like any additional information, please contact the German Team.

We are also seeking enthusiastic and welcoming host families for the 22 German students arriving in March 2018 and attending Macleod College for approximately 2 weeks. If you have a spare room, a spare bed or even a mattress, and you might be willing to open your home to one of our German students, please contact:-

Tamara Macanovic

(macanovic.tamara.t@edumail.vic.gov.au) or

Frances Holl

(holl.frances.l@edumail.vic.gov.au)

2018 Charles Hawker Scholarships

The late Liliias Needham, in memory of her brother, established the Charles Hawker Scholarship Trust. C.A.S. Hawker Scholarships, valued at up to \$50,000.00 over three years, are amongst the most generous privately funded residential scholarships available to Australian undergraduate and postgraduate students.

There are a number of scholarships awarded each year. The Trustees offer them to capable students of principle and character, who have demonstrated a committed to the wider community. Selection is based on personal qualities as well as academic ability.

Applications for the **2018 Charles Hawker Scholarships** open on December 4th 2017 and close on January 5th 2018. An application form and further information about C.A.S. Hawker and the scholarship is available from www.hawkerscholarship.org or by contacting the secretary to the Trustees in Adelaide on 08 8127 1654.

Ian Doyle B Ec. Dip Ed

School Coordinator

C.A.S. Hawker Scholarship

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Parents & Friends of Macleod (PaFM)

Parents & Friends would like to welcome all new & old members

WHATS COMING UP IN TERM 2:

TERM 2 ACTIVITY – PRIMARY IN SCHOOL DISCO

Wednesday 28th June

– Lunch & Period 5

PARENTS & FRIENDS NEEDS YOU!

If you are able to be a part of the Parents & Friends Committee please do come along to our next meeting (*details below*). While we have a great bunch of committed parents and friends we really would love some more fresh faces on the committee to help fulfil all we hope to.

Parents & Friends Committee want to know if you would come to the meetings and be involved if we also held evening meetings as we know not everyone can make daytime meetings? Please contact us via our contact details below to give us your feedback on this.

CONTACT US:

Please add us on Facebook search for:

Macleod College Parents and Friends

Email us: parentsandfriends@macleod.vic.edu.au

NEXT MEETING MONDAY 19th June – at 9.30am (after primary school assembly in the staff room behind Mrs Butterworth's office in primary school building)

**PARENTS & FRIENDS FROM
PRIMARY AND SECONDARY
ARE ALL WELCOME**

Sustainable Macleod & the
**Macleod Organic
Community Garden**
presents...



This week's offer

Repot potted fruit trees every 2 years

Fruit trees in pots need fresh potting mix and a larger pot every 2 years (or a trim of the roots if you need to keep them in the same pots). As the potting mix breaks down it deprives the roots of oxygen which can result in either a too dry or too wet mix both of which are detrimental to the roots and therefore the tree.



We Have a Tiny Library!

Three new copies of the Garden Clubs of Australia magazine are now in the Tiny Library for borrowing.

Also: Other books and magazines to borrow or keep, seeds and DVDs on gardening

This just one small benefit of a subscription

The **Macleod Organic Community Garden** is open
Wednesdays, 1 – 3pm and Saturdays, 1 – 5pm
Entrance Somers Ave (Rear of Macleod College)
New members welcome!
For more information, contact
sustainablemacleod@gmail.com

Community

Certificate III in Education Support - June 2017 (Whittlesea) -CHC30213

This qualification will give you the skills and knowledge to provide assistance and support to teachers and students in a range of educational settings. This includes early childhood education, as well as Primary, Secondary and Special schools.

Graduates work as education assistants/teacher aides and support workers (working with children with disabilities).

Location: Whittlesea TBC

Days: Tuesdays

Time: 10.00am —3.00pm

Dates: Tues 13th June to 19th Dec. (Classroom 2017)

6th Feb. to 27th Mar. (Classroom 2018)

[Includes 2 Assessment Workshops]

16/8/17—9/3/2018 (Practical Placement)

Duration: 24 sessions, 2 workshops + 100 hour practical placement. (Excludes: Public & School Holi-days.)

Cost: Concession: \$180 Full: \$900 Fee For Service: \$2,685 (Concession- Limited Places) + Service & Amenities Fee

FREE Course

Social Media-Business Marketing

Are you wanting to gain knowledge about online marketing?

This program will cover basic skills to use Social Media platforms as a marketing and promotional tool?

Content will include:

- Identifying Social Media Apps
- Setting up Social Media Profiles
- Understanding the difference between personal and business Social Media accounts
- Uploading photos
- Sharing and commenting on Facebook posts
- Scheduling posts

Managing an online profile

Please note: Participants will need to provide their own device

Location: Thomastown Neighbourhood House

Days: Thursday

Dates & Times:

20th July, 27th July, 3rd August, 10th August:

10am - 1pm

17th August: 10am - 2pm

Duration: 5 weeks

Cost: FREE

For more details please ring PRACE on 9462 6077 or visit our website: www.prace.vic.edu.au