

NEWSLETTER

18 March 2021

Learn. Care. Flourish.



Prayer

Autumn.

*We give thanks for the harvest of the heart's work;
Seeds of faith planted with faith;
Love nurtured by love;
Courage strengthened by courage.
We give thanks for the fruits of the struggling soul,
The bitter and the sweet;
For that which has grown in adversity
And for that which has flourished in
warmth and grace;
For the radiance of the spirit in autumn
And for that which must now fade and die.
We are blessed and give thanks. Amen*

Michael Leunig



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE - Dr Darren Egberts

Sacred Heart College Website

Next Tuesday 23 March, the new Sacred Heart College website (www.shckyneton.catholic.edu.au) goes live. After almost 18 months of development work by a number of Sacred Heart staff and website development company, JWAM, the new site presents a contemporary and engaging 'face' to the online world. Special thanks to Debbie Scarlett and Jennifer Baldwin who led the development and coordinated the various pages and features.



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Refurbishment of Hilary Building

This week has seen the Year 7 students move into the newly refurbished Hilary building. These works have occurred over the past eight weeks and have been completed on time by our building contractors, Raycett Constructions. The classrooms look fantastic with an increased use of glass flooding the building with natural light. Painting, new carpets, desks, chairs and lockers complete the transformation. Our builders will continue works on staff offices, as well as landscaping some outdoor learning areas adjacent to the Hilary building.

Parent Engagement Evenings

As part of the ongoing partnership between Sacred Heart College and our parents, next week we begin the first of our Parent Engagement Evenings for 2021 on Thursday 26 March. Bryan Jeffrey will be delivering a presentation on 'Understanding Anxiety & Depression'. These evenings are aimed to provide expert support to families and parents across a range of issues. Previous evenings have included focuses on mental health, autism, resilience, nurturing happy families, tertiary education options, etc. The evenings are open to the public and are free of charge. Full details on next Thursday are included in the Deputy Principal Student Wellbeing's report.

Camps, Excursions and Activities

The month of March is a very busy one for schools, with a myriad of activities for students beyond the traditional classroom:

- This week, our Year 8 students are enjoying the sun and warm weather at a water-based camp in Anglesea.
- Our Year 12 students travelled to Blampied for the important time that is the Year 12 Retreat. With so many opportunities lost due to Coronavirus in 2020, it is heartwarming to see this fundamental part of the SHC senior program returning.
- On Monday and Tuesday, we were joined by more than 150 Grade 5 students from the Macedon Ranges Catholic Education Network. The girls and boys enjoyed a range of engaging classroom activities, lunch in the College Atrium and playing games with our Year 9 & 10 Peer Support leaders.
- Congratulations to all students who participated in last Thursday's Swimming Carnival at the Sunbury Pool. The sense of House and College spirit was palpable, especially as opportunities to gather together have been so rare.
- Last Friday, a group of senior students (and one Old Collegian!) organised a major event to coincide with the Leukemia Foundation's Shave for a Cure. Aply led by Carmen Moore (12B), the event provided a fabulous chance to raise awareness and funds for cancer research. Thanks also to Sacred Heart's resident barber, Julie Matricardi-Old, whose unique skills with scissors and clippers were on full display.

As I mentioned last week, my family and I will leave next Wednesday on a two-month caravan holiday to Queensland and the Red Centre. I wish all parents, students, families and members of the Sacred Heart College community a restful and holy blessing for the upcoming Easter season, and for the school holidays to follow.

Yours in Mercy,

Dr Darren Egberts



CALENDAR DATES

- Fri 19/3 - Return of Year 8 Camp 3.30pm
- Return of Year 12 Retreat 3.30pm
- Mon 22/3 - Senior Studio Time in Buckley 3.30pm
- VET Year 1 Hospitality (B) 3.30pm
- Tues 23/3 - Year 11 Geography Fieldwork at Hanging Rock
- Lunchtime presentation - Youth Volunteering 1.30pm
- VET Year 1 Hospitality (A) 3.30pm
- Period 5 3.45pm to 5.00pm
- Wed 24/3 - LINCS Adventurous Journey - Practice Camp 24/3 and 25/3
- NMR Swimming Competition
- Year 9 Paddock to Plate Tuki Trout Farm Excursion
- Live4Life Launch
- Virtual Conversation 9.30am
- Maths Olympiad 1
- VET Year 2 Hospitality II 3.30pm
- Thur 25/3 - Morning Tea for New Families 10.00am
- Share the Love - Biggest Morning Tea for Cancer Research 10.15am
- SHC Show Band 3.45pm to 5.00pm
- Parent Engagement Partnership Bryan Jeffrey - Anxiety and Depression 7.00pm

- Fri 26/3 - VCAL Old Melbourne Gaol Visit
- Year 7 Immunisations
- Year 9 Science Werribee Open Plains Zoo
- Peer Support & Mentoring Session
- Mon 29/3 - Music Matinee Lunchtime Activity
- Senior Studio Time in Buckley 3.45pm
- VET Year 1 Hospitality II 3.30pm
- Tues 30/3 - VCAA Top Class Excursion
- VET Year 1 Hospitality II
- **STUDENT PROGRESS INTERVIEWS 5.00PM TO 7.00PM (ZOOM)**
- Wed 31/3 - **STUDENT PROGRESS INTERVIEWS 5.00PM TO 7.00PM (ZOOM)**
- VET Year 2 Hospitality II 3.30pm
- Thur 1/4 - Last Day of Term 2.30pm finish
- Fri 2/4 - Good Friday
- Sun 4/4 - Easter Sunday
- Mon 19/4 - **STUDENT PROGRESS INTERVIEWS 9.00AM TO 1.00PM (ON-SITE)**
STUDENT FREE DAY
- Tues 20/4 - First Day of Term 2
- VCE Unit 3 Drama Excursion 3.30pm to 10.30pm

DEPUTY PRINCIPAL - STUDENT WELLBEING - *Julie Mortimer*

*Sacred Heart College is committed to promoting the safety, wellbeing and inclusion of all children.
Further information about Child Safety at SHCK can be found on the College website.
<https://www.shckyneton.catholic.edu.au/our-college/child-safe/>*

The end of Term One reminds us that it is almost time to change uniform from summer to winter. This would normally happen at the beginning of Term Two, as the weather is generally still OK up until the first term break. This year, however, with the weather being a bit changeable, we will have a two week transition period, starting 22 March. This means that students may wear ALL summer uniform or ALL winter uniform, depending on the weather. Following the holidays, students will be in ALL winter uniform, with compulsory blazer. The blazer is to be worn to and from school for all students and is an important part of our uniform, making it unique in this area.

I think that it is important that we understand the value of a uniform, and the importance of wearing it correctly. It is not simply about looking good, although that is a very nice benefit. It is about understanding a dress code, being able to comply with rules and taking pride in one's appearance. A uniform is a very simple way to feel connected to a group. Worn well, it does make people feel better about themselves, in the same way as we as adults feel better when we make an effort with our appearance. When uniform is worn well, other civic behaviours such as attendance and behaviour improve, and this can be measured. Students at secondary school are old enough to be responsible for how they look and how well they wear their uniform, but support from parents in terms of having the correct uniform is vital. Our uniform is a visual statement of who we are, but it is also a visual statement of who each young person is, being a key indicator as to the state of their Wellbeing.

SHC UNIFORM COMMITTEE 2021

WOULD YOU LIKE TO JOIN THE UNIFORM COMMITTEE IN 2021?

PLEASE EMAIL JAN BOWER

email: jbower@shckyneton.catholic.edu.au by Wednesday 24 March with your expression of interest.

FIRST MEETING WILL BE HELD ON FRIDAY 30 APRIL 2021 AT 2.00 PM



UNIFORM COMMITTEE

Sacred Heart College Kyneton has a Uniform Committee which was instrumental in the design of our current uniform. Although it is only five years old we believe it to be good time to review how the current uniform is fairing. It is also an opportune time for Noone's, the uniform suppliers, who are now running the Uniform Shop, to meet the Committee and answer any questions they may have about the uniform. If you are interested in being part of this Committee, please contact Jan Bower, the Principal's PA at the College to register your interest.



ORDER YOUR SCHOOL UNIFORM ONLINE!!

Live from Monday 29 March 2021

<https://www.noone.com.au/school/sacred-heart-college>

Contact details for SHC Uniform are:

Noone's on **(03) 7020 2648**



Don't forget that the Winter Uniform & Blazers are compulsory at the beginning of Term 2.

The School Uniform shop will be open during the second week of the school holiday on Tuesday 13 April 2021 & Thursday 15 April 2021 from 12.30 pm - 4.30 pm

Due to the Uniform Shop now being managed by Noone and not SHC, please note that school accounts can no longer be used for purchasing.

BRYAN JEFFREY

As part of our Parent Engagement Program, Sacred Heart College is pleased to offer to the school community the opportunity to hear Mental Health expert, Bryan Jeffrey. Bryan has a background in Psychiatric Nursing and has extensive experience working in and speaking about Mental Health both here and in Scotland. Bryan explains the developing brain in easy to understand language. He unpacks the reasons adolescents do what they do and what can be expected from a physiological sense. As part of our COMPASS Program for Year 8, students will hear from Bryan the stages their brains are going through, the importance of looking after them, and what happens to their brain as they mature. This is the first PEP presentation for 2021, and is part of our ongoing objective of educating students, staff and parents with the same information from world renowned professionals.

Bryan will present on Thursday 25 March at 7.00pm in the Mary Moloney Theatre.

Sacred Heart College Kyneton

Understanding Anxiety & Depression

Members of the local community are invited to attend this Mental Health & Wellbeing Event.



Guest Speaker: Bryan Jeffrey

This presentation draws on Bryan's 26 years of experience as a registered psychiatric nurse in the Child and Adolescent Mental Health sector.

An engaging speaker who aims to demystify mental illness and assist attendees in utilising the information provided, either for self-care or in support of others. Further information about this event can be found on the Trybooking page (see details below).

When: Thursday 25 March

Time: 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Where: Mary Moloney Theatre

Sacred Heart College, Kyneton

Tickets: This is a free event but seats must be booked via www.trybooking.com/BOYJJ



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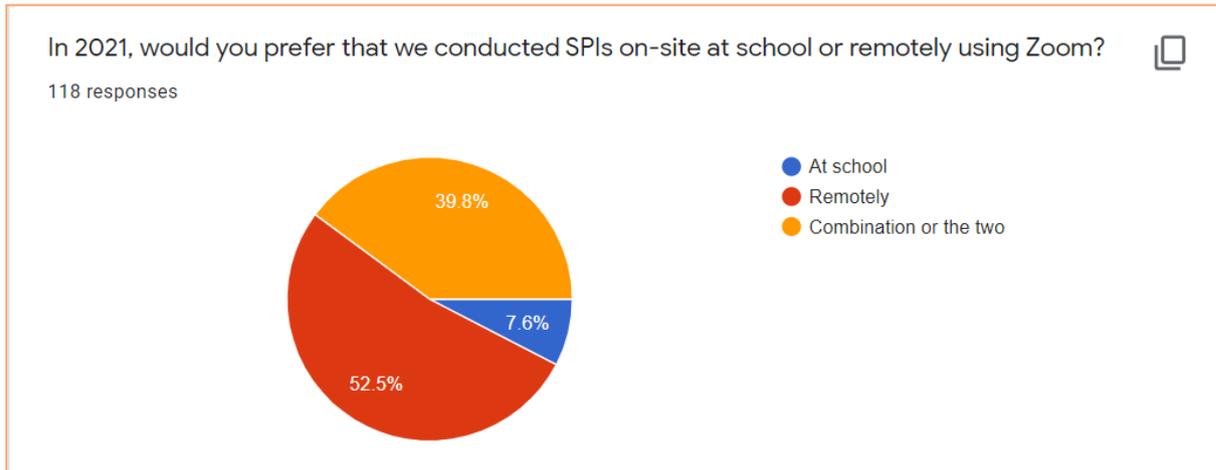
A Sacred Heart College Parent Engagement Initiative

Interim Reports

Teachers are currently completing the Interim Reports for their classes. While you are able to access PAM to see how students are tracking academically, the Interim Reports allow you to see how their work habits are developing. They will also indicate if the teachers particularly request your attendance at the upcoming Student Progress Interviews. Interim reports will be released to parents on Wednesday 24 March.

Student Progress Interviews (SPIs)

A reminder of the feedback that we received after conducting interviews through Zoom last year:



In light of the feedback that we received, our plan is to have a combination in Semester One, with just Zoom opportunities in Semester Two. Here is the SPI schedule for Semester One:

Date	Time	Location
Tuesday 30 March	5:00 – 7:00 pm	Zoom
Wednesday 31 March	5:00 – 7:00 pm	Zoom
Monday 19 April	9:00 am – 1:00 pm	Onsite at school in Quambi

The process of booking is through PAM (Parent Access Module of SIMON). When accessing the interview, you need to log into PAM and use the bookings that are generated for you. Bookings will open on Wednesday 24 March.

Zoom interviews: Simply click on the booking and you will access the teacher waiting room for Zoom interviews. The teacher will admit you once they have completed the formalities with the previous parents and student. The interviews will be 7 minutes in length, and this will be controlled by the teacher.

Onsite interviews: You will be able to generate a list of the interviews once you have selected them on PAM. Teachers will be seated in alphabetical order in Quambi. A bell will sound every 7 minutes to signal the end of the interview time.

Please remember that if you have concerns regarding your son or daughter, you are welcome to email the subject teacher at any time to arrange a phone call or Zoom meeting. You do not have to wait until the SPIs to speak to them.

NAPLAN – Years 7 and 9

On Thursday 25 March we are conducting our readiness test for NAPLAN. This test is to ensure that our systems work as required, and it also gives students an opportunity to familiarise themselves with the online NAPLAN formats.

Students need to bring their headphones to fully trial the software that they will be accessing in May for their NAPLAN tests. We have conducted our tests online several times now and have found the process to be very efficient. The adaptive nature of online testing means that we are able to get a much better idea of students’ abilities, which then enables us to make sure that we are tailoring our programs appropriately. More on NAPLAN next Term.

Project Compassion: Online Fundraising in 2021

Each year during the Season of Lent, we turn our hearts towards those members of our human family experiencing vulnerability in all corners of our common home, as we take part in Caritas Australia's annual fundraising campaign: Project Compassion. When we participate in Project Compassion, we denounce economic poverty as an unnecessary social evil – and we offer to the world a model of care and contribution that is grounded in deep compassion for our sisters and brothers around the globe.

Each year, the Project Compassion campaign adopts a different theme. In 2021, Caritas has drawn upon the wisdom and courage of Saint Oscar Romero, and his declaration that we should “aspire not to have more, but to be more”. This encouragement to “be more” calls us towards being our best selves at all times. To “be more” mindful of how we treat ourselves, and how we treat others. To “be more” aware of the many blessings that arise to greet us each day. To “be more” conscious of the role we each play in creating communities that are sustainable, welcoming, and just.

In past years, you may have been used to dropping some coins into the little Project Compassion boxes as your contribution to the campaign. This year, we still have some of the traditional collection boxes around the school, but they are no longer our main source of fundraising. Instead, we have moved our fundraising efforts online.

This has enabled us to accept cashless contributions more readily, and allow us to spread the influence of our fundraising efforts further, as we invite your extended families and community circles to participate.

You can donate directly to our Sacred Heart fundraising page via this link:

<https://lent.caritas.org.au/t/shck>

Please consider sharing the link with your own wider community, as we seek to join Caritas in their mission to “End poverty, promote justice, and uphold dignity”.



National day of action against Bullying and Violence

Jessica Wheeler (Senior Wellbeing leader) on behalf of Meg Shurey (Junior Wellbeing leader)

On Monday 15 March, we acknowledged the National day of action against Bullying and Violence. Along with some Homeroom activities, we also held a fun kahoot at lunchtime in the Theatre.

On behalf of myself, Meg and the Wellbeing Team, we would like to say a big thank you for all the students that attended. It was so lovely to see the students have some fun participating in the quiz to help raise awareness, and put a stop to bullying and violence in our school, and wider community. Well done to our top three winners!

Thank you, also, to all the staff who helped support both Meg and I to organise this day, some of those include the Wellbeing team staff, Ms Meldrum and Ms Wattie as well as Ms Matricardi-Old, Mrs Challis and I.T. Department who helped support at lunchtime.



Commissioning of Year 7 Students - *Dr Darren Egberts*

With the challenges of Covid-19 density limits continuing to restrict gatherings for the College, the annual commissioning of our Year 7 students was held yesterday as a Year Level assembly. The commissioning itself was led by members of the Junior Cabinet with students receiving a SHC candle, school crest and Junior School badge. The newest students to the College were generously welcomed by the Year 9 students in their roles as the leaders of the Junior School.



Year 7 Social - *Haley Galloway, Year 7 Leader*

The Year 7 Social was a lit up by flashing lights, neon colours and so much tulle! Students danced, laughed, snacked and played games to a soundtrack of awesome 80s tunes that reminded me of the joyful final scene of *Footloose*.

Sacred Heart's Senior VCAL team hosted a seamless event, organising sponsors, party treats and hilarious games – all of which gave our Year 7 students a night of memories and laughs they will take with them through the years. It was clear to all in attendance that Lucas Varga had found his calling in life as Hype-man Extraordinaire. He wielded the mic and lifted the party into a frenzy of dancing.

Special mention to the staff who graciously gave up their time to supervise, and particularly to those staff who gave it their all in the costume department, with Ms Alexis Epstein garnering a well deserved sash as the best dressed teacher. Finally, to the VCAL team, and particularly to Mrs Marika Payne and Ms Helen Campbell, thank you for all your efforts with the VCAL class and for bringing this event to our Year 7 cohort each year.



News from Year 12 Retreat

It is great to be back at Rutherford Park at Blampied.

A wonderful start to Year 12 Retreat. We are looking forward to three great days of reflection, prayer and fun.

Full report next Newsletter.



World's Greatest Shave

Every day, 47 Australians are diagnosed with blood cancer- that is one person every 31 minutes. The Leukaemia Foundation uses funds raised by shavers to provide accommodation and support for the families of people facing blood cancer, so they can be together during treatment, and to further cancer research.

Our hair will also be donated to Sustainable Salons, where it will either be used to make a wig, or to mop up oil spills in the oceans. I feel so grateful to be where I am when so many people's lives are disrupted by cancer. Through fundraising, we can show our solidarity and make a difference to the lives of these people and their families.

Please sponsor me and the group - every dollar counts!

<http://my.leukaemiafoundation.org.au/carmenmoore>



SPORTS REPORT

Interschool Year 8 Volleyball - Viv Penney

Sacred Heart College sent two teams of enthusiastic Year 8 boys and girls to the volleyball in Epping at the YMCA Leisure Centre on Tuesday 2 March.

A great day of games against Edgars Creek SC, Craigieburn SC, and Hume Grammar saw both of our teams come third for the day.

We all learned new skills and had a wonderful time.



Interschool Year 7 Tennis - Mila Pereira 7F

On Friday 26 February, a group of Year 7 tennis players headed down to RMIT Bundoora to play tennis against Elevation Secondary College and Edgars Creek Secondary College.

The boys' team of Gabe, Hayden, Peter and Koby had a successful day, winning a majority of their games. The girls' team which included Stella, Matilda, Zara, Lily and Mila also had a very successful day winning all but one game. A big thank you to Miss Epstein who accompanied us on the day, as well Mr Zanic for organising the round.

We wait to hear whether we are going through to the next round of competition.





HOUSE SWIMMING CARNIVAL

2021 College Swimming Carnival Report – Mikayla Tunley: Senior Sports Captain

This year's College Swimming Carnival was held on Thursday 11 March at the Sunbury Aquatic Centre, and the weather couldn't have been better. There were many events for students to choose from and, after COVID, it was great to be outside after a year of no sport! I feel proud to say that the College community really came together to participate, show encouragement and enthusiastic house spirit, competitive racing, sportsmanship and, of course, fantastic fun.

The traditional Swimming events included 50m freestyle, butterfly, breaststroke and backstroke. There were some very close races and I'd like to congratulate everyone on their efforts. The age champions were:

Age Champions

YEAR	PLACE	MALE	FEMALE
Year 7	1 st	Liam Durrant	Catherine Mahony
	2 nd	Dominic Zylan	Melia Hayes
	3 rd	Cody Eve	Sae Tsuya
Year 8	1 st	Angus Mills	Trea Harkin
	2 nd	Thomas Rutledge	Lucie Cousins
	3 rd	William Eshuys	Chevette Muir
Year 9	1 st	Patrick Trist	Kiera Cooper
	2 nd	Alton Bracken	Hana Tsuya
	3 rd	Jacob Slater	Frida Foerster
Year 10	1 st	Harrison Sheahan	Madeleine Holford
	2 nd	Harry Lawson	Poppy Mills
	3 rd	Jack Clough	Chloe Cameron
Year 11	1 st	Harry Knox	Aoife Harkin
	2 nd	Cormac Sutton	Paige Koliba
	3 rd	Hunter Daw	Prudence Higgins
Year 12	1 st	Jake Hannah	Medbh Harkin
	2 nd	Lincoln Roberts	Georgia Waddington
	3 rd	Ethan Daw	Mikayla Tunley

[Click here for Records Set at this Event](#)

The novelty events were a lot of fun providing plenty of smiles and laughter. The Volleyball competition was closely contested with lots of students taking part. One of my highlights was the teacher and student tube races. It was brilliant seeing the teachers and students working together to win some house points. Not to mention the spectators excitedly cheering from the side lines! What a fantastic way to show teamwork and team spirit!

And of course, the Caritas fund raising for Project Compassion continued all day with students carrying water around the aquatic centre grounds. This raised much needed funds.

As well as congratulating Chisholm on winning the carnival, I'd like say a BIG thank you to Mr Zanic for organising the day, and every teacher who provided their support to make sure that the 2021 swimming carnival went ahead. We're very grateful!



Finally, a quick shout out to all of the year 12's. Your colour, costumes, and enthusiasm was outstanding. Well done for getting involved in your final swimming carnival at Sacred Heart!



House Points

Chisholm 2499

McAuley 1978

O'Neill 1972

Nightingale 1538



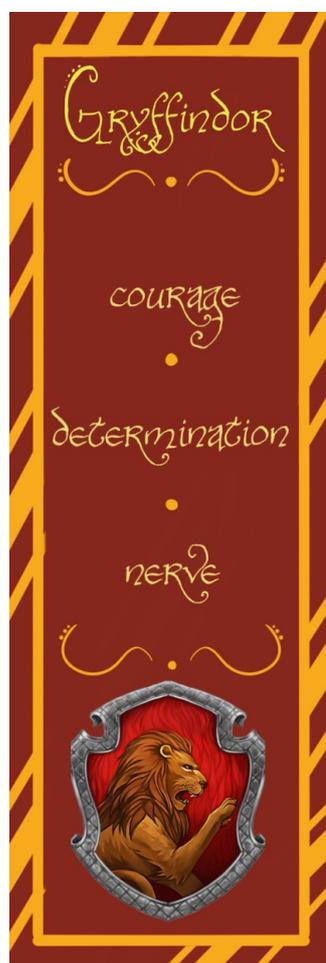


We were so thrilled to welcome our feeder school Grade 5s into the Library this week. Groups had a ball creating bookmarks and exploring the Library through a Jenga block-book stacker adventure! It was great to see students working as a team and learning to navigate our beautiful library space. We hope they had as much fun as we did!



Our students have been busy at lunchtime as well. Check out these amazing Harry Potter creations by Year 8 student Cimella Drinis.

If you would like to create your own bookmarks, come and see library staff and we can provide you with some materials to help you get creative at lunchtimes.



On 25 February and 3 March, the two Animal Studies classes of Sacred Heart travelled to Lancefeild to have a tour around Edgar's Mission. Edgar's mission is a rescue sanctuary for mistreated farm animals who have been living in inhumane environments.

Upon arrival at the Mission, we were greeted by one of the many volunteers, Meg, who took us through and around the farm to see the animals and gain a greater knowledge on how the organisation nurses the animals back to good health. We were introduced to the four wanderers; three goats and one sheep who walked around the farm. Each wanderer had a background of being in slaughterhouses and trucks and we heard how they came to be at the sanctuary. Meg told us about the unfair treatment of farm animals and the effects of commercial farming. She also contrasted this with what they try to achieve, which is safety and quality of life for the animals.

Meg made a statement that Edgar's Mission attempted to give the animals quality of life over quantity. Their message also states that they want to ensure that every animal both big and small deserves to be treated with respect and not used for human purposes. Meg also stated the importance of allowing the animals to be animals in the sense that they need the right land, food and encouragement to live a fulfilled life.

In each enclosure or paddock we visited, Meg enlightened us about all the animals' history and the stories of how they got to be at the farm. We were fortunate enough to feed and spend time with both the paddock of sheep, as well as the big yard of chickens and roosters, before making our way around to visit the cows, pigs, and rehabilitation yard for sheep and lambs. This is where we truly got an insight into just how much these volunteers do to help all their rescued animals, and the journey they take back to a happy and harm free lifestyle for each animal.

Edgar's Mission strives to educate and inform the public about the treatment of farm animals and the neglect they face. As Meg says "If we could live happy and healthy lives without harming others, why wouldn't we?"



Year 8 Camp

First photos in from Camp - Full report next Newsletter



FROM THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT - *Matthew Shaw, Director of Business*

School Fees Direct Debit and Discount Reminder

A reminder to families that Sacred Heart College offers Direct Debit payment plans. Please contact the Finance Office for details, or to arrange a plan.

CSEF Applications (Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund)

Families holding a valid means-tested concession card or are temporary foster parents are eligible to apply. This applies to families who hold a Current Veterans Affairs Gold Card, a Health Care Card or a Pensioner Concession Card.

The government will pay \$225 directly to the College, and the College will match this amount. A total of \$450 will be credited to your Family School Fee account for each student. This form is available on the College website under 'Enrol with Us then Fees and Expenses' - [Financial Assistance Form](#)

Alternatively you can contact the College Accounts Department for any queries relating to the CSEF.

Closing Date 25/6/2021



**FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
INFORMATION FOR PARENTS**

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

ACU Presentation - It was wonderful to see so many senior students attend the ACU lunchtime presentation this week. It was very informative with lots of change happening at ACU for 2021!



skillsone CHANNELS TV GUIDE EVENTS

DIGITAL PARENTS SHOWCASE SKILLS AND THRILLS

CONTENT FOR PARENTS TO HELP SUPPORT YOUR CHILD MAKE INFORMED CAREER CHOICES

THE DIGITAL PARENTS SHOWCASE IS BACK FOR 2021!

The Skills and Thrills Digital Parents Showcase is a 30 minute video available (FREE) to all parents, with most benefit to parents of high school aged students.

This video resource will only be available from **March 03rd to May 31st 2021**, we encourage it to be watched in this time.

The video will cover the following information:

1. Industry trends for the next 5-15 years
2. Industry trends post Covid-19 impacts
3. Apprenticeships
4. Traineeships
5. School Based Apprenticeships and Traineeships (SBATs)
6. Opportunities in the vocational education and training sector (VET)
7. How to support your child to make informed career choices

The video can be accessed here: <https://www.skillsone.com.au/digital-parents-showcase/>

**** SkillsOne requests assistance from schools to share this information with your parent cohort****

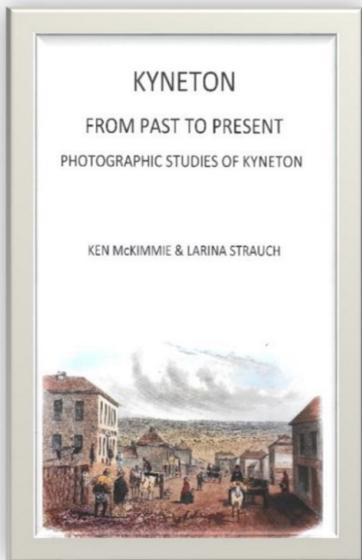
SkillsOne will additionally be hosting a video panel discussion with industry representatives and ambassadors on **Tuesday 11th May (evening)**. Parents can pre submit questions to be addressed on the evening via info@skillsone.com.au.

The Digital Parents Showcase is supported by the NSW Government.

KYNETON HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC

PRE ORDER BOOK FORM

The Kyneton Historical Society in 2021 is celebrating its 70th Anniversary and plans several events to mark this momentous occasion. The first one is a Book Launch in conjunction with the Kyneton Museum who will celebrate its belated 50 years of operation. Both these groups have a link to each other and is the perfect platform to launch the latest history book on Kyneton.



**The Book is called “Kyneton From Past to Present”
By Ken McKimmie & Larina Strauch.**

The book is 300 pages and contains 420 images both black and white and coloured and covers 41 chapters.

The book is not meant to be a comprehensive history of Kyneton and district but snapshots of features or buildings. Each study was built around the earliest image and later images used in sequence to depict how the scene or area has changed over time. Each image is accompanied by detailed explanation and interpretation.

Retail Price \$47.00 (pick up only).

The society are taking pre-orders of the book and the opportunity for purchasers to become subscribers by issuing numbers (1-100) that will secure your name or group. Details below of how you can pre-order your copy for inclusion in the book.

✂ **Please Fill in your details below and either post or email: Lst21865@bigpond.net.au**

Name/Group Name: Steven Haby/PMI Victorian History Library

Phone 95103393 Mobile 0432 012 118

Number of copies purchasing: 1 *Number Preference 54

***Please note that if a number is already taken an alternative number will be issued.**

Payment Methods:

1. By Cheque payable to Kyneton Historical Society and mail to **P.O. Box 466, Kyneton, Victoria, 3444.**
2. Direct Deposit to: **Commonwealth Bank Kyneton.
BSB 06 3517
Account No: 10032044
Kyneton Historical Society Inc**

Please mark 'Book' in the memo or reference field.

Malmsbury Baseball

If there is anyone looking to play Baseball, there is a new club starting up in Malmsbury. The Junior season begins on 27 March and the Senior season starts on 16 April. Junior matches are played on Sunday morning and seniors on Sunday afternoon. Age groups include under 10s, 12s, 14s and 16s, plus a mixed competition and a division one and two for the seniors. Enquiries to Club President Jenny Ganim on 0439 988 168.

