### Macleod P - 12 College



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FRIDAY 20th SEPTEMBER LAST DAY OF TERM 3 - 2.20pm FINISH PUPIL FREE DAY MONDAY 7th OCTOBER

ALL STUDENTS DOING A UNIT 3/4 SUBJECT ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND PRACTICE EXAMS MONDAY 23rd SEPTEMBER - WEDNESDAY 25th SEPTEMBER

STUDENTS RESUME TERM 4 TUESDAY 8th OCTOBER

#### **Principal's Report** Parent/ Teacher Interviews

Thank you to the large number of parents & guardians that attended Parent/Teacher/Student conferences last week. If you were unable to attend there is another session from 4pm - 6.50pm tomorrow Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September (bookings on COMPASS) for Year Prep Year 12 students or you can email your child(ren)'s teachers if you have any concerns.



#### **College Uniform**

Summer or winter uniform is permitted to be worn for the last three weeks of Term 3. SUMMER UNIFORM is COMPULSORY from the beginning of Term 4.

Our planning for 2020 is well underway. Our budget next year is based on the number of students enrolled at each year level and it is very important that the figures we use for our calculations are as accurate as possible.

If your child is not returning to Macleod College in 2020 to continue their education, I would ask that you contact the following staff members:-

- Karen Butterworth (Prep Year 6)
- Michelle Wallis (Year 7 12)

or email the college macleod.co@edumail.vic.gov.au

#### **Unit 3/4 Practice Exams**

For all students studying a unit 3/4 subject this year attendance is COMPULSORY at the practice exams on the first 3 days of the holidays September 23<sup>rd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>. Students will be given a timetable in the coming weeks and we ask parents to ensure that their child attends these practice exams.

Staff Professional Development Day - Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October Staff will be involved in Professional Development on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October. Students will resume on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October for Term 4.

#### **Mario Panaccio Principal**

College Principal: Mario Panaccio College Council President: Wayne Richards **Assistant Principal: Michelle Wallis** College Captains: Elly Nguyen, Ashlee Longbottom (Secondary)

Henrietta Wilson-Hoare, Jacqueline Reid (Primary) International College Captain: Felix Chu

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#### **CALENDAR**

September

Tuesday 3rd Year Prep - 12 Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews 4pm - 6.50pm

Thursday 12th 6pm 2020 Germany/Austria **Study Tour Information Night** 

Friday 13th Out of Uniform - Footy Day **RUOK Day Activities** PaFM BBQ and Movie Night

Wednesday 18th 6.15pm College Council

Friday 20th **Last Day of Term** 2.20pm finish

October

Monday 7th **Pupil Free - Staff Professional Development** 

Tuesday 8th Term 4 begins 6.30pm 2020 VET Enrolment **Information Evening** 

Friday 18th Last day of Year 12 Classes -Students finish at 11am Valedictory Dinner @ Macleod

Sunday 20th Class of '69 Reunion 2pm - 5pm - G Block Year 12 Sleepover Upper **Plenty Conference Centre** 

Monday 21st 10am Year 12 Final Assembly

Wednesday 30th Year 12 Exams begin 7.30pm 2019/2020 Leadership Inauguration

#### COLLINGS

**Collings Real Estate -**Ivanhoe & Northcote **Proudly Supporting** Macleod College

#### Community

Rosanna Library Wednesday, September 4, 2019

10.00am - 8.30pm

### The Indigenous Literacy Foundation Great Book Swap

Celebrate the UNESCO International Year of Indigenous Languages by swapping your favourite book for a gold coin donation. Funds will go to purchase books for children who need them most.

(If you don't have a swap, you can still take a book for a donation).

Come along and swap your book and make a Crocodile Craft.

#### **Rosanna Library**

Wednesday, September 4, 2019 3.45pm - 4.45pm

#### **Virtual & Augmented Reality**

Dinosaurs in the library? Planets orbiting inside? Caves to explore? Come and see what is possible without leaving the building.

Bookings required. Ages 7+

#### **Barista Basics**

Introduction to the world of espresso coffee making. Learn how to prepare espresso coffee using a commercial espresso machine.

Days & Dates: 10 October - 28 November, Thursdays,

9:30am - 3:30pm Duration: 8 sessions

Location: Thomastown Neighbourhood House 52 Main

Street, Thomastown

Cost: Concession & Full: \$50 + Service & Amenities

Fee Student to supply own apron.

Ring PRACE on 9462 6077 or visit our web-

site: www.prace.vic.edu.au

#### Lauren Rizzacasa Marketing Coordinator

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#### Out Loud Poetry competition

Macleod College had 2 teams performing in the Out Loud Poetry competition on Wednesday14<sup>th</sup> August.

The Year 9 team included Caleb Adekoya, Caleb Lipman, Rosie Nicholls & Bianca Gribic and the Year 9/10 team Clarissa Indranads, Anastaija Duvnjak, Rhea Singh and Metissa Ayria.

Both teams represented our school with dignity, respect and excellence.

Helen Spanos - Curriculum Leader

#### Reunions

To our former
Macleod High Classmates
Form 1 (1964) to Form 6 (1969)

It's been 50 years since we left school and we thought it was time to catch up with each other.

We would also like to invite any students from the previous year (1963) or the year after (1965)

We are having a reunion on:
Date: Sunday October 20<sup>th</sup> 2019

Time: 2.00pm to 5.00pm

Venue: Macleod College Enter building from left end of carpark as you arrive (signs will direct )

We would like your help in contacting any old classmates you might know of to pass the word along. Afternoon tea will be supplied.

Entry Fee will be \$5 to cover costs, anything leftover will be donated to the school.

#### RSVP: 13<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Looking forward to hearing from and catching up with you on the day.

Contact Anne Holla

Anne Holland (Williams) anneholland1@bigpond.com Faye Smith (Crichton) smith281@optusnet.com.au

#### **Primary**

#### Pupil of the Week 5

Ms Nguyen	Mrs Butterworth	Mr Cameron	Ms Kankaanpaa
Mia R Simon F-J		Kushi D Saida H-A	Evony L Mayah S

#### Pupil of the Week 6

Ms Nguyen	Mrs Butterworth	Mr Cameron	Ms Kankaanpaa
Jaafar H	Luci F-J	Matilda W-H	Max D



Free Breakfast Everyone Welcome
Breakfast Club every
Tuesday and Thursday
8am - 8:45am in G Block
Come along and enjoy some
cereal, fruit, toast and milo.

## Primary WARATAH BAY BEACH CAMP

Year 4/5/6/ August 2019

On the second day of camp, everyone was looking forward to breakfast. Group two had breakfast duty. For breakfast we had cereal for the first course and bacon and eggs for the second course. After breakfast we went on a long walk to the rock pool. We found plenty of underwater creatures including a dead starfish, crabs and lots of seaweed. Then we headed back to camp to do some activities: Treasure Island, Dolphin Dodge, Rock Wall, Nitro Crossing, Spider Web, Caterpillar Crawl and Giant Swing.

Camp was amazing! There were loads of activities to do. But my personal favourite is the flying fish. It was a combination of fun and frightening. It was a swing that went quite high up and went down quite fast.

Tanya G

On the second night of camp we roasted marshmallows. The camp leader gave us marshmallows and large wire forks. We roasted them over a big camp fire and then ate them. They were sticky, gooey, burnt and warm. They tasted so good! After that we went for a night walk. We turned on our torches so we could see the path. When we got to the platform above the beach we turned the torches off and we could see the stars in the dark. There were so many of them. It was lots of fun!

Dea L

On Wednesday the 21st of August the Year 4/5/6 reached Waratah Bay Camp! On the very first day we did 4 activities: Aero Ball, Obstacle Course, Volleyball and Bugs Underneath the Microscope. My favourite activity was Aero Ball. We had lots of fun jumping on the trampoline and scoring points. We are looking forward to going back to Waratah Bay again!

Meghna T































# GERMANY/AUSTRIA STUDY TOUR 2020 Information Evening Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September 6pm – 7pm G Block

Parents of students interested in going on the Macleod College Study Tour to Germany and Austria in November 2020 are warmly invited to an information session in G Block from roughly 6 - 7 pm on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September.

Claudia Liebner from Doppelgänger Educational Tours will be presenting an itinerary to us and of course can answer any questions you may have.

See you there!

Kylie Wallace, German Exchange Co-ordinator



Fresh North Queensland Mangoes Direct from the farm to you!

Order Form - \$30 per tray

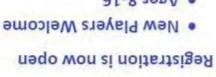
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- Remember to offer this to your family, co-workers, friends and neighbours.
- Please return this form with completed details and payment to: Macleod College General Office Attn: Karen Egan (Library)

- By: Friday 28th October, 2019
- Mango delivery should be ready for collection on 6th December, 2019. (This date may vary slightly depending on the mangoes ripening).
- We will make announcements regarding delivery via email, the website and newsletters to confirm arrival date.
- NOTE: ORDERS MUST BE PAID WHEN ORDERING.

# MACLEOD JUNIOR CRICKET The 2019/20 Cricket Season is HERE!!



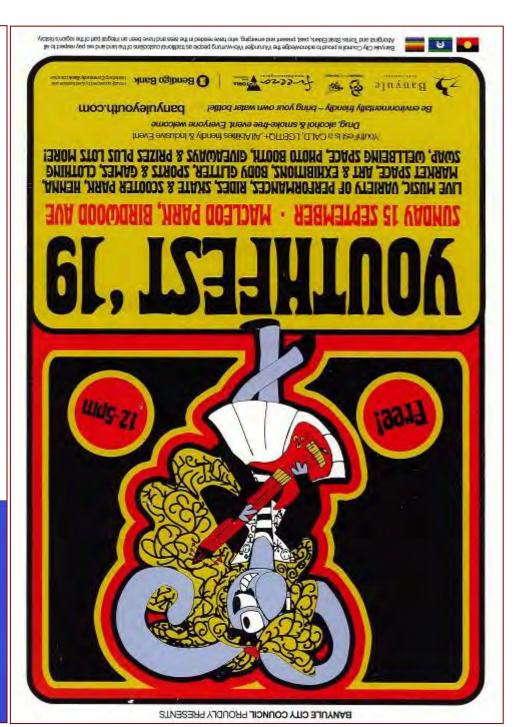
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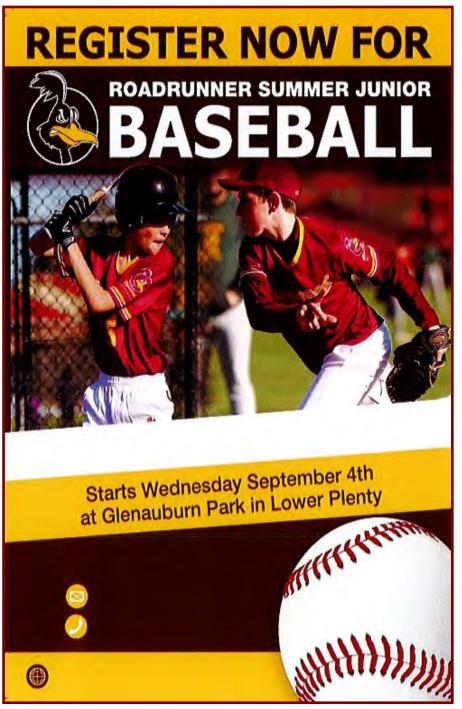
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Enquiries to: macleodcricketjc@gmail.com

Find us on





# Diamond Valley Community Market 4th Saturday of the Month 10-00 - 2:00

Set up from 8.30 – Pack up by 3.30 2019 Dates

September 28th

October 26th

November 23rd

\*December 14th

No Market January

**2020 Dates** 

February 22nd

March 28th

April 25th

May 30th

No Market June - August

**Enquiries to:** 

Nada Jones

nadas61@hotmail.com

www.diamondvalleycommunity market.com/

Diamond Valley Baptist Church 309 Diamond Creek Rd, Plenty (near corner of Yan Yean Rd) Sustainable Macleod & the



#### This week's offer

#### In the Community Garden

We planted a southernwood hedge and moved the red sage. We also emptied, moved and refilled one of the corrugated round beds, and added soil and compost to another, and the asparagus bed.

On the construction front, progress has been made on the solar installation.

The next lot of compost is ready and the compost bays and bins are filled again.

A thorough clean up of the garden has been completed, mulch spread on paths and the burnt poker sign revamped and sealed.

#### Tip of the Week: Backyard bush tucker Murnong or yam daisy



Grow: In a pot that catches at least half a day of sunlight. Plant April to September, water every other day in summer and once a week in winter. Harvest in November,

Eat: Raw or roasted, ideal with vegetable salads or a roast.

Tastes: Starchy, sweet, earthy, like coconut and parsnip.

#### Real Time Events: Two for One!

. Saturday 31 August 2pm anward 'Garden tool maintenance, sharpening and repairs'. Bring your tools.
Free to members, \$15 non-members
Saturday 7 September 11.30 - 1pm Helen Chen and friends resume Chinese Vegetarian Cooking. demonstration and tasting. Free to members, \$15 non-members

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