This year, Camperdown College had the opportunity to send ten students to the Bogong Outdoor Education School for their winter program from Monday 25th – Friday 29th July. The students who attended were: Andrew Anderson, Ethan Coates, Paddy Mitchell, Olivia Henzen, Annabel Lucas, Guy Faber, Riley Helmore, Amie Smith, Taylah Best and Amelia Kempton.

On the Monday morning, the students set off on a six hour drive to Bogong Village (half way between Mount Beauty and Falls Creek) with staff, Nicole McLennan and Kathryn Robertson. The long bus trip provided a great opportunity for the students, to get to know each other a little better. For the majority of students, the trip up the mount to Falls Creek, was the first time they had seen snow. By the end of three full days on the slopes, these students could have been mistaken for regulars. Students participated in a full day of cross country skiing and two full days of downhill skiing. Every student came away from the week having made huge progress and it was always fantastic to see huge smiles on their faces, even if they did spend some time on their backsides. Along with great improvements in their skiing abilities, students positively engaged with the sustainability practices of the school and learnt many valuable lessons. A great week was had by all!

Nicole McLennan, Year 7 – 12 Teacher
From the Principal’s Desk...

I am very pleased to advise that Camperdown College has been allocated positions for three boys and three girls to attend the Snowy River (Marlo) Campus of the Year 9 School for Student Leadership in Term 3, 2017. Our students will join approximately 40 students from around the state in a nine week residential program that focuses on self-development and leadership. Processes will soon commence to select the team of students, based on our school based School for Student Leadership policy guidelines. This is a wonderful opportunity that all of our current Year 8 students and families are encouraged to consider.

NAPLAN results were released this week and the school has received detailed reports on our Year 3, 5, 7 and 9 students’ performance on these annual Literacy and Numeracy tests. The assessment information from NAPLAN will be used by our teaching teams to supplement the classroom assessment and observational data that informs our planning. The school receives detailed information about the skills each child was able to demonstrate on the testing in May, and how much progress they have made since they participated in NAPLAN testing two years ago. It is important to note that while your child’s score for a particular test might be low, they may actually have made more than expected progress over the two years. Students’ individual NAPLAN reports are being mailed to parents today and you are welcome to make contact with class teachers to discuss any aspects of your child’s NAPLAN report.

In this newsletter you will see a copy of the College’s Community Grievance Policy and our Camperdown College Mutual Accountabilities document. A strong and mutually respectful school – home partnership is a key to your child’s happiness and success at school. Please continue to raise any issues or concerns with school staff using the channels outlined in these documents, which are designed to achieve positive outcomes for all. Conversations about how we can work together to support your child’s immediate and longer term needs are always welcomed. Staff will continue to reinforce the message with students that social media is not a helpful or productive place to air personal grievances and we appreciate parents’ efforts to model safe and considerate use of social media at home.

Students, staff and families were recently invited to provide feedback via Survey Monkey about the changes to our canteen menu and this feedback will be collated next week. We have kept the survey open until Friday to obtain as many views as possible, particularly from students. If you would like to take part in the survey, it can be found at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CamperdownCollegeCanteen.

The installation date for our new Junior Campus playground has been confirmed for the week beginning Monday 5th September. The process to remove old equipment and prepare the site will commence this weekend and we are very grateful to Tony Heath and Sam Walsh who are volunteering their services here. Congratulations to our Parents & Friends Association and our wider school community on the tremendous fundraising effort that has enabled this project to come to fruition. Our Junior Campus students are still busy fundraising through the Silver Challenge and are well placed to fund a cubby in the vicinity of the new playground equipment. Meanwhile, our VCE Product and Design students are designing and constructing a wooden play piece for the Junior Campus playground, which will enable imaginative play around a vehicle theme. A great team effort from the Camperdown College community!

Ms Cherie Kilpatrick, Principal

Calendar of Events

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Our Mission:

Camperdown College will provide exemplary teaching and learning programs within excellent facilities which foster school pride, aspiration and persistence to achieve high levels of learning for all students.
Senior Campus News

Congratulations:
- To Molly Hedrick who was runner up in the Hampden Netball Under 14’s Best and Fairest Award.
- To Khris Clementson and Tim Fagan who participated in the Victorian School Cycling Championships yesterday.

Welcome:
We welcome Fauziah Amalia to our school. Fauziah is from Indonesia, on a scout exchange and is staying with Ellie Walsh. Fauziah is participating in our Year 10 program for three weeks and we hope that she enjoys her time with us.

Progress Reports:
Six week progress reports have been sent home with students today. These reports provide additional information to parents (from mid-cycle and end of cycle feedback) on learning attributes of persistence, behaviour, preparation and organisation and progress. Interviews will be held next Wednesday 24th August from 3.30pm – 6.30pm in the AG Daws Hall and parents and students are strongly encouraged to attend. Bookings for interviews are to be made through Compass. To access the booking system, click on the two heads icon (community). Then click on Parent/Student Teacher conferences. If you have any problems with the bookings or would like to book over the phone, please make contact with the Senior Campus Office. Please keep in mind that those parents who make an appointment have priority over those who do not have pre-booked appointments.

VSSS Rehearsals:
It is not long to go now and our VSSS students will be up on the big stage at Hisense Arena. The students participated in their final group rehearsal yesterday with schools from throughout the district. Thanks to the Pickles’ family for the donating the huge sign that proudly displays to the community that we are a Victorian State Schools Spectacular school.

Year 11 History Vietnam Veterans Day:
Originally known as Long Tan Day, Vietnam Veterans Day is commemorated on 18th August every year. The date was chosen to commemorate the men of D Company, 6RAR who fought in the battle of Long Tan in 1966. This year we commemorate the 50th Anniversary of the Battle of Long Tan. Our Year 11 History students today had the wonderful opportunity to experience this commemoration. They attended the commemoration at the Shrine of Remembrance in Melbourne and then took a tour of the Shrine with a guide who is a family friend of the McIlveen’s.

Later Years Information Session:
Students in Year 9/10 participated in a Later Years Information session earlier this week where they looked at the different programs on offer for their later years of schooling. Students should be discussing these options at home and with parents and further exploring options during MIPs (Managed Individual Pathways) interviews that commenced this week for Year 10 students with Mrs Maskell. Key dates for course selection are:

- Year 11 – 12 (2017): Subject selections due tomorrow
- Year 10 – 11 (VCE/VCAL): Choice and initial subject selections due Friday 26th August
- Year 9 – 10 (interest in VETIs, SBA or Step Up to VCE): Subject to be expressed by end of term.

Vicki Angus, Senior Campus Assistant Principal

Junior Campus News

Sporting Schools Program:
This term, participants are learning the skills of gymnastics and putting them into practise under the guidance of coach, Kate Gay. A reminder to parents that it is an expectation that students attend each week, unless they are absent from school. Sally Sutterby does a fabulous job coordinating this very successful program, providing students with an opportunity to enjoy structured physical activity.

Year 3/4 Hooptime:
Last week, Mr Attrill and two teams of Year 3/4 Rookies participated in the Hooptime competition at the Terang Sports Stadium. Mr Attrill reported that the students thoroughly enjoyed the day, demonstrating excellent team work and sportsmanship in each of their games.

First Aid:
All students in Prep – Year 6 participated in the St John’s Ambulance First Aid in Schools Program last Thursday. Our junior students learnt about how to identify when there is an emergency, keeping themselves safe and how to call an ambulance. Senior students learnt about delivering CPR and the things they can do to assist in an emergency.

Student Leadership Day:
Our Year 4 students attended a leadership day at the Gnurad-Gundidj campus of the School for Student Leadership in Glenormiston yesterday. Students participated in several workshops with the common theme What makes a good leader? Students enjoyed all aspects of the day and I look forward to watching the students put their new knowledge and skills into practise.

School Uniform:
Unfortunately our school pride award has not been able to be presented at assembly for the past three weeks. Students are consistently wearing the incorrect shoes and jumpers to school. I ask all parents to endeavour to ensure that your child is wearing full school uniform each day, including black shoes. Runners are only permitted on sports days and when students are in their full sports uniform. Please familiarise yourself with the extract from our uniform policy ‘on designated sports days, students at the Junior Campus may wear their full sports uniform and sneakers to school instead of regular school uniform. Sneakers may not be worn to school with Excellence ~ Respect ~ Responsibility ~ Caring ~ Honesty
regular school uniform on sports days. On the day of their designated Physical Education class, students at the Junior Campus must wear their full school uniform to school, but may bring sneakers to change into during PE.” I ask all parents to support the policy and if your child is out of uniform, a reasonable note of explanation is provided through the student organiser.

Olympics in a Day:
Tomorrow we will hold the Camperdown College Olympics in a Day. All students have been placed in a country and are asked to wear either colours of the country’s flag or something that symbolises the country. The opening ceremony commences at 11.15am followed by the team events. All students have had an opportunity to order golden chicken nuggets for lunch. After lunch there will be relay events followed by the closing ceremony. All families are most welcome to come along and join in the fun. Thanks to Judy Downie and Julie Nelson for coordinating this event.

Year 5/6 Sovereign Hill Camp:
At the time of writing this article I am enjoying spending time with our Year 5/6 students who are on camp in Ballarat. Students have gone back in time and are role playing the life of school children in the 1850’s. Our students have attended the costume school for two days and have been exposed to the vast differences between schooling on the goldfields and education today. On Monday night, we all braved the chilling weather of Ballarat to view the sound and light show Blood on the Southern Cross. On Tuesday evening it was time to down tools and head to La Porchetta for dinner (I have never witnessed so many pizzas being consumed in such a short time frame!) followed by a swim at the Ballarat Sports and Aquatic Centre. On the final day, students will visit the Gold Museum and Lake Wendouree for lunch before making the journey home. All students represented our College proudly and their behaviour was exemplary. A huge thank you to Graeme Bennett, Michelle Norton, Adam Walker, Ange Brown, Dom Adlam and Cherie Kilpatrick for giving up personal time to attend the camp.

Kindergarten Transition:
Our Kindergarten students took part in their third and final transition visit today, participating in a Science lesson. The students learnt lots about the weather, clouds in particular. They finished off the lesson by creating their own cloud mobile. Thank you to Mrs Tolland for her excellent coordination of our transition program which has been thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Clare Monk, Junior Campus Assistant Principal

| Junior Campus communication sent to parents this week: |
| J70 | Canteen Survey |
| J71 | Prep – Year 2 Parent Information |
| J72 | Prep Hospital Visit |

| Senior Campus communication sent to parents this week: |
| S34 | Canteen Survey |
| S35 | Reading Skills |
| S36 | Study in 2017 |

Can you help?
Next term we will be looking for a parent volunteer to help in the canteen every Wednesday morning for one hour (9am – 10am), to prepare the fresh fruit for fruit salad. If you are interested in this volunteering opportunity please make contact with either campus office as soon as possible. We are very grateful for the many ways in which our parents help to make Camperdown College a great place to be!
Our Year 10 students have recently completed two weeks of work experience. Students worked in a variety of industries including horse management, electrical, music, hairdressing, education, fitness, building and hospitality. Henry Hocking had a great week with the Essendon Football Club and was exposed to all aspects of working with an elite sports team. Once again I have been impressed with the positive employer evaluations. Students always enjoy the opportunity to experience life in the workforce and congratulations to them on how they represented the College.

Sue Maskell, Careers Coordinator

Junior Campus Olympics in a Day, tomorrow, Friday 19th August.

Each student has been placed in a country and is encouraged to dress up in the national colours of their country tomorrow. The day will begin with an opening ceremony at 11.15am. Students will compete in a variety of Olympic activities before taking part in the closing ceremony just before our Junior Campus Assembly at 2.45pm. Parents are more than welcome to come and cheer on our athletes from 11.15am. Just a reminder that all Fun Run forms and money is due on Wednesday 31st August. All proceeds raised will go towards the Junior Campus Playground.

Soup of the Week:
Pea & Ham Soup $2.50
With dinner roll $3.00
(Vegetable soup available from Wednesday 25th August)

College CAFE
Each Tuesday lunchtime
@ the Senior Campus

Menu
Hot Dogs with tomato sauce, mustard sauce and cheese $2.50
Milkshakes $3.00
Honey Joys $2.00

Breakfast
On Friday 2nd September from 7.30am – 8.30am @ the Junior Campus.
All fathers/special people are invited to attend with their children.
Bacon & egg sandwiches, cereal, juice, fruit, yoghurt, tea and coffee will be available for $4.00 per head.
To assist with catering, please indicate how many people will be attending:

Parents & Friends Father’s Day Breakfast
Friday 2nd September from 7.30am – 8.30am @ the Junior Campus

Family Name:........................................................................................................... Number of people attending:...............
FATHER’S DAY STALL

It’s that time of year again and we are asking parents/guardians to please make a small donation to this year’s Father’s Day Stall which will be held at the Junior Campus on Friday 2nd September.

Paper bags for you to place your donated item/s in were sent home today and we would appreciate if all gifts were brought into the Junior Campus Office by Monday 29th August. All gifts will cost $3 on the day, please feel free to contact the Junior Campus Office if you have any queries.

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Thank you to those who have signed up to Compass. It is not too late to sign up or to have new information about how to sign up sent home to you, so please just call Christine or Amy.

Senior Campus parents who haven’t signed up will find details in the Progress Report envelopes sent home today.

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Booking Parent Teacher Interviews:
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Vicki Angus, Assistant Principal

Year 3/4 Hooptime

On Friday 5th August, two teams of Year 3/4 Rookies competed at the Hooptime basketball competition in Terang. The most important part of the day was the student’s willingness to have a go.

Many of the students had never played basketball in a competitive environment and they were able to try their best and come home with some wins on the board. Hooptime helps the students develop their teamwork skills, which improved with each game, allowing all students to feel like a part of the team.

Warren Attrill, Prep – Year 6 Sport Coordinator

National Support Staff Week

15-19 August 2016

August is Education Support month and we are very pleased to showcase our wonderful Camperdown College ES team in this newsletter.

We have many support staff who work tirelessly to ensure that our students have access to the very best opportunities, facilities and educational programs. Thank you to our administration team comprising Mardi Johnson, Amy Stephenson and Christine Esh; our classroom helpers and integration aides Jenny O’Neil, Sally Sutterby, Bill McGann, Dave Wilkinson, Dom Adlam, Kerrie Hill, Dianne Blackley and Kathryn Robertson; and our specialist support team comprising Marc Heffernan, Linda Morgan, Ros Sullivan, Pauline VanDijk, Sharyn Arnold, Ange Brown, Fiona Pugh and Don Dowell. Our teachers and students are very fortunate to be supported by such a dedicated and capable team!

Cherie Kilpatrick, Principal

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Vicki Angus, Assistant Principal
Camperdown College Uniform Shop opening hours:
Wednesdays from 3.15pm – 4.00pm
Fridays from 8.30am – 9.15am and 3.15pm – 4.00pm
With the exception of new families, we are unable to open the Uniform Shop outside of these hours.
We thank you for your understanding.

Prep Hospital Visit
Yesterday, the Prep students embarked on a visit to our local Camperdown Hospital to meet some of our community personnel who help us when we are in need. As part of the Prep’s exploration of Our Local Community in Integrated Studies this term, students were able to meet and see doctors, nurses, radiographers and pathology practitioners in action in the setting of our local hospital. Students explored the many areas of the hospital, including the emergency area, pathology, baby nursery, radiography and patient rooms. They were also given the opportunity to don a surgery hair net and bandage each other and some teddy friends. Highlights also included exploring a variety of x-rays and listening to their friend’s heartbeat with a stethoscope. A very big thankyou to Jocelyn Clark who organised the visit and was a knowledgeable and helpful guide as we were shown through the hospital environment.

Jacinta Tolland
Prep Teacher

Camperdown College Policies
As part of the regular cycle of policy review, School Council is presently reviewing the Camps and Excursions and Sponsorship and Advertising policies and would welcome your feedback. You will find these policies on the College website (www.camperdowncoll.vic.edu.au) and also our Skoolbag App or it can be collected from either campus office.

You are welcome to read the policy and contribute feedback by either writing it onto the document and returning it to either campus office, or by emailing your feedback to (camperdown.co@edumail.vic.gov.au) with the policy name as the subject. The Policy sub-committee will collect and consider all feedback prior to making recommendations to School Council.

Please submit your feedback by Friday 29th August.

Looking for Host Families...
In 2017, Camperdown College is very fortunate to be hosting a language assistant from Indonesia. Suci Maharani, a graduate teacher, will arrive in February and will be working with all Indonesian classes for the whole year. She will complement the Indonesian program by providing students with her native language skills as well as her wealth of knowledge of Indonesian culture.

An added benefit of Suci’s visit is that several Camperdown College families will have the opportunity for a cross cultural exchange by hosting Suci in their homes for an extended period of time (approximately 10 weeks). Host families would receive a financial contribution towards household costs and meals.

Suci is 24 years old. Her hobbies and interests include listening to music, reading online news and travelling to new places. One of her favourite foods is pizza.

If your family is interested in hosting Suci, please complete the form below and return it to the Junior or Senior Campus Office by Friday 16th September. If you have any questions about hosting Suci, please contact Cherie Kilpatrick at the College.

Expression of Interest to Host Language Assistant Suci Maharani

I/we would be interested in hosting Suci Maharani for an extended period of time in 2017.

Family name: .................................................................

Preferred time period: .................................................................

Contact number: .................................................................

Signature: .................................................................

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Parents & Friends will require volunteers at the Mow Down to help with their barbeque and refreshments stall.

If you are able to volunteer some time, please contact Parents & Friends representative Kim Helmore on 5593 2818.
Footy Tipping Competition

Only two rounds left! It could still go either way! Keep up the good tipping. You are playing for the following prizes: 1st $100, 2nd $40, 3rd $20.

1. Simon Tolland  133
2. Michelle Norton  132
3. Grant Fleming  131
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13. Riley Helmore  108
14. Robbie Fleming  105
15. Riley Stephenson  101
16. Zoe Wilkinson  100
17. Sam Tolland  91
18. Jacinta Tolland  89
19. Chase Fleming  81
20. Jack Helmore  76

Friday 5th August: Hayden Light, Reagan Collins, Nathan Wiffen, Riley Stephenson, Dylan Robertson, Riley McGillivray, Jayavi Senarah.

Friday 12th August 2016: Amy Prout, Lachlan Baulch, Manaia Blanchette, Phoebe Irish, Nalani Blanchette, Amuli Ingham, Taylah Blake and Dustin Moloney.
1. REMAINING OPEN DAY DATES:
   - Sun 14 Aug – Australian Catholic University (Melbourne), La Trobe University (Bendigo); RMIT University; William Angliss Institute
   - Sun 21 Aug – Box Hill (Lilydale campus); Deakin University (Waterfront & Waurn Ponds); University of Melbourne; Monash (Parkville – Pharmacy)
   - Sun 28 Aug – ACU (Ballarat); Box Hill Institute (Box Hill); Deakin University (Burwood); Federation University; Victoria University (Footscray campus)

2. YEAR 10 AND 11 NEWS – For students in Year 10 who will enter VCE next year and for Year 11 students considering subjects for 2017, go to www.vtac.edu.au and then find Explore Course Options under the heading Search for Courses. You will be able to enter an entire proposed VCE program and discover what tertiary courses are available to you (ie courses for which you have the prerequisite VCE subjects) or find out whether you need a particular VCE subject for a course you are considering. ALL YEAR 10 and 11 students are advised to use this EXCELLENT facility.

3. NEW SELECTION TEST INTO TEACHING COURSES The Commonwealth Government now requires all students undertaking Initial Teacher Education courses in Australia to pass a literacy and numeracy test in order to obtain their degree. These tests will ensure all new teachers have the literacy and numeracy skills required to meet the demands of teaching. Information and sample questions: www.studentsfirst.gov.au/teacher-quality.

4. CAREERS IN PSYCHOLOGY SEMINAR – Interested in studying psychology at university? Would you like to find out about specialist areas of psychology? Each year the Student Committee of the Australian Psychological Society (APS) runs a careers seminar for aspiring psychologists. This is an opportunity for you to get your questions answered.
   - When: 6:00-9:00pm, Wed 24 August; Where: Cathedral Hall, Australian Catholic University (ACU), 20 Brunswick St, Fitzroy. For more information and to register your attendance: www.psychology.org.au/Events/EventView.aspx?ID=16940.

5. LOTS OF YEAR 12 NEWS -
   REMINDER: applications for courses for 2017 are open on the VTAC website. You will need your VCAA student number to create an account, the first step in the application process. Timely applications close on 29 September (cost $32.00). Late applications cost $100.00. Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS) applications are also open and can be completed after a VTAC course application (close 4 October). Scholarship applications through VTAC close on 14 October. You can change your VTAC course application as much as you wish at no extra charge.

   UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE NEWS FOR YEAR 12’s
   ➢ HOW CAN I ACCESS THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE? Students from a rural or isolated area or who have a disadvantaged financial background could be eligible for a guaranteed place at Melbourne by applying through ACCESS MELBOURNE – even if your ATAR is below the Clearly-in Rank.
   Eligibility checklist:
   + student must have completed an Australian Year 12 (or IB) in 2016
   + student is eligible for consideration in one or both of the categories ‘disadvantaged financial background’ and ‘from a rural or isolated area’
   + the student satisfies the prerequisite subjects for their chosen course
   + achieved an ATAR or notional ATAR of 78 or more for Design or Science, 80 or more for Arts, 88 or more for Commerce and 95 or more for Biomedicine. See: https://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/admissions/access_melbourne_and_equity_programs

   MONASH UNIVERSITY NEWS -
   ➢ MONASH GUARANTEE NEW CATEGORY – As mentioned previously, Monash University offers guaranteed places in certain circumstances relating to where your school is located and to your financial circumstances. You will now be eligible for a guaranteed place at Monash if:
   + you live in a low socio-economic area or
   + your school is a Monash under-represented school or
   + you have experienced financial disadvantage or
   + you are an Indigenous Australian.
   You can enter your address into the Monash online calculator to find out if you qualify. See: www.study.monash/how-to-apply/entry-schemes/the-monash-guarantee.
Camperdown College:
We're all in this together!

Students can expect to:
- Have access to the best education possible
- Be valued as individual learners and critical thinkers
- Feel safe at school
- Learn without disruptions
- Exercise choice
- Be treated fairly and be spoken to respectfully
- Learn in a comfortable environment with the best available resources

Parents can expect to:
- Feel welcome and be involved in their child’s education
- Know how their child is progressing and receive communication from the school
- Know their child is learning and engaged at school
- Know how teachers teach
- Be heard
- Advocate for their students
- Contribute to decision making
- Access affordable school uniform

Staff can expect to:
- Work in a safe and supportive environment
- Collaborate and learn from each other
- Enforce the school rules and consequences
- Receive respect from students
- Receive support from parents
- Further their own education
- Make decisions in support of individual students
**Students should be expected to:**
- Attend school every day, on time, ready to learn and participate
- Take responsibility for their learning
- Complete homework and submit it on time
- Ask for help if needed
- Build positive relationships with other members of the school community
- Respect the school rules and values and follow teacher instructions
- Wear full, clean, tidy school uniform
- Maintain Camperdown College's positive reputation
- Complete Year 12 or equivalent

**Parents should be expected to:**
- Stay involved with their child’s educational journey and work in partnership with the school
- Ensure their children attend school every day, on time, ready to learn and participate
- Support their children through the successes and challenges of school
- Encourage excellence in schoolwork
- Contribute to decision making and provide constructive feedback
- Reinforce and support school policies and rules and support their children to take responsibility for their actions
- Communicate with the school and use the correct channels to share problems
- Read and return correspondence on time
- Model respectful behaviour

**Staff should be expected to:**
- Know the content and plan and implement well organised, engaging learning programs in line with current curriculum and knowledge about how students learn
- Make learning accessible and challenging for different types of learners
- Provide an enjoyable and supportive classroom environment
- Be a role model for students and model behaviour that is expected
- Know and consistently enforce school policies and rules
- Believe in, motivate and support all students and help them to feel accepted
- Communicate with parents and give and receive feedback to/from students
- Remain professional and well presented at all times

**Our Mutual Accountabilities**

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Camperdown College
Community Grievance Policy

Background / Rationale:

In order to provide students with the best possible learning environment, the school will use positive, clear and effective processes for resolving grievances raised by members of the school community. While it is not always possible to resolve an issue to the complete satisfaction of all parties, all grievance processes will focus on developing a fair and satisfactory outcome.

Aims:

- To provide clear, positive and fair processes that allow grievances to be aired and resolved in a timely and effective manner.
- To encourage parents to raise grievances directly with the school rather than in the wider community.
- To contribute to the building of strong relationships and increased understanding between school and home.

Implementation:

- To prevent unnecessary confusion or anxiety, Camperdown College will make every effort to provide clear, consultative and open communication to the school community. Members of the school community also have an obligation to read notices and newsletters, attend information sessions and seek clarification when required.
- The school will provide families with a copy of this Community Grievance Policy and the DEECD guidelines regarding parent complaints if requested.
- Members of the school community are encouraged to raise concerns directly with the College in order that steps can be taken to address such concerns.
- All grievances are to be kept confidential and away from social media.
- The beginning of the school day is not generally a suitable time for parents to raise concerns with teachers.
- Parents wishing to raise a concern should allow sufficient time for the matter to be discussed with the relevant staff member/s, as follows:
  - If the matter involves your child or a classroom related matter, write a note to the classroom teacher outlining your concerns or make an appointment to speak with the classroom teacher on the phone or in person.
  - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved, make an appointment to see the team leader, Year Level Co-ordinator Campus Assistant Principal. In serious cases, the team leader, Year Level Co-ordinator or Assistant Principal may refer the matter directly to the Principal.
  - If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved, or the matter is of extreme concern, make an appointment to see the Principal.
  - If the matter involves issues beyond your child’s classroom, concerns about staff or issues of serious concern, outline your concerns in a letter to the Campus Assistant Principal or make an appointment to see the Campus Assistant Principal in person.

References:
• If the matter is not satisfactorily resolved, or the matter is of extreme concern, make an
appointment to see the Principal.
• If the matter is in relation to issues of school policy, the concern should be outlined in writing to
the Principal or School Council President.
• While ‘in principle’ support may be sought through Parents and Friends Association or School
Council, neither group is a conduit for community complaints. PFA and School Council will not
become involved in classroom, confidential or personal issues, and will refer specific grievances
about individuals to the appropriate channels for raising a grievance.
• There is provision for a student to raise a concern or lodge a grievance directly with their classroom
teacher, then with the team leader or Campus Assistant Principal if the matter is not satisfactorily
resolved.
• Participants attending a meeting to discuss a concern are able to be accompanied by another
person in a support role.
• All formal discussions and processes involving grievances will be documented.
• The Principal and School Council President will use their judgement to determine whether they will
act on anonymous complaints.
• If a parent believes that their complaint has not been addressed satisfactorily through these
channels, or wishes to raise a concern regarding the Principal, they are able to contact the
Community Liaison Officer at the Regional Office.

Evaluation:

• This policy will be reviewed by the Policy and Development sub-committee of School Council as
part of the school’s three year review cycle.

This policy was last ratified by School Council in August 2015.

Appendix (updated February 2016):

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2017 Kindergarten Enrolments
Enrolments are now being taken for both 3yo and 4yo Kinder in 2017. Enrolment forms can be collected
at either Kinder or by phoning 5593 1936. Enrolments close tomorrow, Friday 19th August.
Camperdown Amateur Basketball Association Inc.

It’s time to register for the upcoming 2016/17 season!

Registrations are being taken online for all grades from now until Friday 9th September. To register, visit the Camperdown Amateur Basketball Association’s website and follow the links:

(www.foxsportsacore.com/assoc_page.cgi?c=1-10252-0-0-0)

Individual registrations are taken for our Midget and Junior grades whilst we accept both names and teams for our Senior Men & Women’s competitions. If you only submit your name, we will endeavour to find you a team. If you have a team, please email the association your team name and list of players once all players have registered online.

Fees are payable online when you register:

- Midgets $75
- Juniors $85
- Seniors $95

Children must be 7 years of age as at 31st December 2016 to register.

Family discount still available:

If you have three or more family members playing, each player will have court fees for two games paid at the beginning of the season.

If you have any queries or concerns, please contact President Gary O’Neil on 0419 302 436, Secretary Amy Stephenson on 0417 013 962 or Treasurer Mel Micallef on 0408 672 294.

E: cabatca@online.net.au

You’re invited to
Shaz & Nick’s
BIG GREEK WEDDING

Saturday, July 30 | 7.00pm
Five Star Function Centre, Camperdown

Saturday, August 6 | 7.00pm
Noorat Community Centre, Noorat

Saturday, August 13 | 7.00pm
Camperdown Golf Club, Camperdown

Saturday, August 20 | 7.00pm
Cobden Golf Club, Cobden

Saturday, August 27 | 7.00pm
Five Star Function Centre, Camperdown

Tickets $50
Includes show and 3 course meal. Drinks at bar prices.

Tickets available at:
Laffs 163 Manifold St, Camperdown
Ph 5593 1469 or online at
www.camperdowntheatrecompany.com.au


Presents:
“Staying Sane”
Positive Parenting Program
A program for parents of children aged 2 to 8 yrs

Are you on the right track? Do you need some help, tips or ideas? Does your child have challenging behaviour?

There is no one right way to be a parent, but the Positive Parenting Program offers information, support and practical answers to everyday parenting concerns.

The Positive Parenting Program is for parents of children aged 2-8 years. It involves 4 weeks of group work (2 hours per week) and up to 4 follow-up phone calls (10-15 min per call).

The program looks at:

- positive parent/child relationships
- negotiating everyday challenges
- managing common behavioural difficulties
- teaching new skills/behaviours
- encouraging desirable behaviour

Cost
$20 or $15.50 conc.

Dates
Tuesday 16th, 23rd, 30th August and 6th September 2016

Time
10.45am – 12.45pm

Location
Terang Children’s Centre
02 Dow St, Terang

For bookings and more information please contact Jennifer Goode at Corangamite Shire Council

Phone
5593 7151

Email
Jennifer.goode@corangamite.vic.gov.au

Southwest Legendary Ladies
present

“It’s time to feel good!”
a ladies luncheon with guest speaker

Dr Sally Feelgood

Date: Tuesday 6 September 2016
Time: 11.00am - 3.00pm
Venue: Noorat Football Club, Mackinnon Bridge Rd, Noorat
Cost: $25
RSVP: Monday 29 August 2016

With special thanks to the following sponsors:

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LEGENDARY

Please book your seat or a table of 10, contact Amanda at WestVic Dairy on (03) 6097 1000 or email
amanda@westvicedairy.com.au
by August 29.
Come along and participate in our Lake 2 Lake fun run and walk. ALL proceeds going to Camperdown Hospital.

SUNDAY 9th October
4km run/walk and 8km run
Registrations 8:15
9 am start
@Camperdown Golf club
$5 entry fee
Prizes to be won
ALL ages recommended
Major Sponsor

Nick Ouse Fitness

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South West Dairy
“FREE Family Fun Day”

Come to Cobden to have a FREE family fun day at the Cobden Miniature Railway and Mini Golf Park.
Train rides and Mini Golf will be FREE for dairy farming families.
TV Magician Tim Mason will perform a Magic Show.
Lots of rides and activities for the Kids & Adults
There will also be a FREE BBQ Lunch

WHEN: 10am to 4pm Sunday 18th September
WHERE: Cobden Miniature Railway & Mini Golf Park
COST: FREE for Dairy Farming Families

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Community social dinner

The Port Campbell dairy discussion group invites the whole community to a social dinner.
Come along and hear from Ian Cover & Greg Champion from The Goodaboom Champions.
Kids entertainment including The Colour Angel face painter and balloonist, as well as kids movies.

WHEN: Saturday 27th August. Doors open 6.30pm, pre-dinner entertainment from 7.00pm, dinner served at 7.30pm
WHERE: Timboon Hall, Bailey Street, Timboon
COST: $10 per adult, $4 per child (Under 12). BYO drinks
RSVP and payment essential by COB Monday 22nd August for catering. Contact Amanda, West Vic Dairy (03) 5507 1000. No payment at the door