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## Upcoming Dates SEPTEMBER

4th Remote learning

7th Remote learning

8th Remote learning

9th Remote learning

10th Remote learning

11th Remote learning

WEDNESDAY 16th

Subject Selections Due in today

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Capital Works Program—Inside the soon-to-be-built Block B building

## From the Principal

### Congratulations Victoria B!!!

Mrs Maxted has just very excitedly stepped into my office before this goes to print and informed me that Victoria B in year 11 has been accepted into the National Youth Science Forum which is to take place in Canberra in January 2021. We are so happy for you Victoria!!!

### Fire Services Work

The first stage of the temporary fire-services upgrade has been completed this week, with further works to be completed shortly. As you enter the college you will see the upgrades that have been made. See below also -



### Likely Change To Raywood Bus Route

As of the beginning of term 4, the Raywood bus route is likely to change slightly. This will impact on minimal families and those affected will be contacted by the college. We are awaiting confirmation from PTV, which we hope to have by the end of this term.

### Almost There Everyone...

Once again I would like to extend thanks to all families for doing the very best they can to get through these remote and flexible learning times. I do not want these thank-you notes to become tokenistic, as we really do appreciate the sacrifice families are making to keep everyone as safe as possible and as mentally and physically well as possible.

With only a couple of weeks to go until the end of term, we expect to hear of updates to schooling arrangements shortly and will promptly convey these to the school community after clear directives are

provided by the Department of Education and Training.

### LED Lighting Upgrade & Decanting

The college are currently having a full upgrade of all lighting, with LED being installed in every room including the gymnasium. This work should be completed by the end of next week. We have also been working hard to decant from spaces that will be demolished at the end of this year and this has led to the removal and relocation of a great deal of items. Check out Mr Wilkinson's section of the newsletter again today for some great bargains...

### On-Site Supervision

For students to be considered for on-site supervision, families must fill in the departments 'On-Site Learning Request' form and submit it to myself by no later than 3:30pm each Thursday of the week prior to required supervision days. I will then respond by the end of the following day. Please understand that we are endeavouring to keep numbers of people onsite as minimal as possible and for student's to be provided with supervision, they must fit one of four specific criteria.

### Yarn Bombing and Terrific Twin Pics...

Thanks are extended once again to all who have continued to provide pictures of our physically distanced 'terrific twins'. These have been great to view and have provided a little bit of enjoyment during remote learning time. Mrs Cutting has included a couple of these images later in the newsletter.

I am also hoping that a few families are getting on-board with Rebeka G's VCAL project, which will see families 'bombing' their front fence or letterbox etc etc. Rebeka has also done very well in organising some terrific prizes for this great initiative.

Please continue to look after yourself, your family and friends and stay safe everyone!

Happy father's day to all of our dad's and positive male role-models. Enjoy Sunday!

Regards, Steve Leed

### Numeracy

#### Helping your child with Maths

Continuing with the information shared last week, here are some tips for how to support your child at home.



#### 3. ASK QUESTIONS

You don't have to know the answers! Nor do you have to know how to get there. Just ask questions and let your child think it through. Here are some of our favourites:

- What thinking did you use to get this far?
- What else could you try, is there another way?
- What could a next step be?
- How could you find out more about what to do?
- Do you think others may do something different?

### School for Student Leadership

We are fortunate to have been offered a place at the new Don Valley Campus of the School for Student Leadership in Term 1, 2021! Two boys and two girls from our current Year 8 class will have the opportunity to join in on this amazing experience. More info to come soon.

Holly S and Libby C are also preparing to attend the Snowy River campus in the second half of Term 4 this year.

Sarah Clare  
Curriculum Learning Specialist



...melamine shelving units....Make us an offer . We've got about 15 sections like this that lock together neatly. Buy one or more, or the lot. Between 800 + 1200mm wide.

**Kitchenette!** Would suit a granny flat or holiday home. Workers quarters etc, 3 cupboards, 4 drawers and a sink. Make an offer and when restrictions ease, you can come get it.



**Just purchased a kitchenette??** Maybe you're after a small standalone electric oven. Excellent condition, hardly used.



Shyann and Macey's woodfired pizza and Cassie's crusty smile of approval.

We've got a bit more stuff for sale again as promised last week.

This week we're a little less musical. We have oodles of melamine storage units and also adjustable shelving that might be really handy shed storage. Its getting turfed at the end of the year so don't be scared to put an offer in. We wont be insulted. Also the kitchenette and oven pictured are

up for grabs.

Last Friday Shyann and Macey made a good go at their first Pizzeria. Ham and pineapple and also vegemite pizzas were the go, with beautiful weather to match. All staff and students who were lucky enough to be on site slept it off for the afternoon.

Lunchtime soccer has also been high on the agenda on site. Matches between students have

been closely contested on the central lawn. Tegan and Macey V have defended with a wall Mr Trump would be proud of.

The term has only 2 weeks to run. Hopefully next week we can show pics of our temp library for 2021.

Ring 54368300 to express interest in any items above.



## Sub-School Updates

### Junior

#### Hang in there

We're right in the thick of the remote learning period and it is increasingly important to remember to look after yourself and your families. Student motivation levels tend to dwindle even in the middle of a regular school term - this is normal! Try to mix things up a little bit and put your own twist on learning activities. As always, remember to praise your children for the good work they're doing.

#### P-4 Humanities

This week students are making a time capsule as part of their Humanities project. How interesting will it be to look into a time capsule in a decade or so and see masks, hand sanitiser and toilet paper!

#### Stunning Bush Fires.

Well done on your science project, Darcie.



### Terrific Twins Where are they?



Collecting the eggs

### Middle

This week I encouraged all middle years students to keep active! So get outside and get the heart rate up.

The benefits of keeping active will help you both physically and mentally and effect how you feel, sleep and concentrate on your school work!

Our Year 8's have been learning to juggle with Mr. Young and Jake Smith has been

doing some very steep hill climbs with the left over dirt from his new in-ground trampoline.



I am interested to hear and see what others are doing to keep active so send through some pictures.



Terrific twins eating our Terrific Twins.

### Remote Learning photo



Layla H doing some Yoga

### Senior



#### Online resources

<https://sites.google.com/education.vic.gov.au/nevr-rural-revision-lectures/home>

This link is for revision lectures provided from VCE examiners through our government funding. Students can access these at any time.

There is also some useful wellbeing advice and webinars for students and parents/families

too. Please take the time to check out these great resources. Images attached are from the website.

#### Year 11 Practice Exams

Friday 27th of Nov to Friday 4th of Dec.

#### Year 10 Practice Exams

Monday 30th of Nov to Wednesday 2nd of Dec

#### Subject selections due Wed 16th of Sep

Congrats Year 9 students for completing their Morrisby Profiling last week.

**So proud** of students, families and staff. Please keep supporting each other and reaching out for help as you need it through this challenging time. Wishing all the Dad's out there a Happy Fathers Day. Take care.

## GETTING TO KNOW YOUR STAFF



Miss Pay was previously teaching at St Joseph's College in Echuca for the past three years. When asked what attracted her to East Loddon P-12 College she said she had been living in Dingee for the past few years and was keen to be a part of our College community. I think it was because of all the good things she kept hearing about East Loddon and maybe something to do with a nice young man in the area too.

Miss Pay has always lived in small towns and attended rural schools such as Quambatook and Boort. Before teaching Miss Pay spent some time working a few part-time jobs whilst at school and uni such as working at a café, life-guarding and netball umpiring. She's a handy netballer, so it was great having her in the staff team earlier in the year for the Turkish fundraiser competition. She enjoys playing sport in her free time, playing Netball at Mitiamo Football, Netball Club and Tennis at Dingee.

Miss Pay's advice during these challenging covid times is to do the best you can and focus on the important things in life.



## Natural handcrafted pine coffee tables for sale (limited)

-Nicholas Verley

-For my VCAL P.D project I have chosen to do something that I enjoy which is working with my hands and creating something I'm proud of.

-The size of the table is 1m long and 50cm tall and 50cm wide, or you can contact me and I can make it smaller to your liking.

-The price is \$150 since all the materials cost me a fortune to buy and a fair bit of time to make.

If you're interested or have any questions text me on-

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