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(See page 2 for more important dates)

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From the Principal

College Sports Day Pics

Due to an email glitch, I was not able to access the terrific photo's that Jamie Columbus took on his drone at our recent sports day. I have now downloaded them and they will be displayed on our office TV for the next little while. Once again, the pics are terrific and they show a great birds-eye view of the college. Thanks Jamie!

John Basarin visit

The college was very fortunate on Monday with OAM Dr John Basarin and his lovely wife Hatice paying a visit to the college. John is chairman of the FOGI (Friends of Gallipoli Inc) and attended the college to award 4 prizes to year 7—10 students who recently participated in a writing competition. John and Hatice also spent the evening dining with our 2020 Turkey Trip participants.

Staffing Update—Interviews

Staffing for 2020 continues to progress and move closer to finalisation after the appointment of a new Maths and Physics teacher last week. The college is conducting interviews today for 2 Ongoing Primary Generalist positions and will shortly advertise the remainder of any unfilled vacancies for 2020. This is an exciting, but busy time of the year where important decisions are made in an effort to continue to provide a high-level education to our student body. Further announcements and updates will be forwarded to the community as they come to hand.

Upcoming College Review

I attended a Principal workshop at the BA-STOW Leadership Institute in Melbourne last Friday to receive information regarding our next college review. I will find out shortly the exact timing of the review, however, it is very likely that the review will take place in term 1 of 2020. I will be speaking further with the college leadership team on Tuesday afternoon about this, but it is likely that I will be looking to run a couple of parent workshops towards the end of this year, to gather feedback on the college's efforts across the last 4 years.

3 questions that I would be keen to receive early feedback on would be -

- What makes ELP-12 College a good school?
- What would make ELP-12 College a better school?
- If you were Principal for a day, what would you change at ELP-12 College?

Please email any responses to myself at leed.steven.a@edumail.vic.gov.au or anonymously drop your feedback into the college office.

I hope you have a great week!

Regards, Steve Leed

Literacy & Numeracy

Outdoor Classroom Day

Today many of our classes braved the cool weather to participate in Outdoor Classroom Day.

We've seen students reading and writing outdoors for English and Humanities, and getting active for PE and German.

With the oncoming sunny Spring weather, why not encourage your child to get outdoors more?



Real life maths

In the last two weeks, volunteers have helped to dig a trench so we can install a new watering system at the East Loddon Remembers memorial.

When we needed to figure out how much water pressure there was, Mr Smith gladly ran an activity with his Grade 3 class. Alexis S explained the process to me:

"First we ran the water into the bucket for ten seconds. Then we measured how many litres of water were in the bucket. Lastly, we multiplied the litres by six. This told us how many litres of water per minute were coming out of the tap."

She was excited to tell me that the tap near the sandpit had better pressure than the one at the back of Mr Smith's room.

I was reminded of how often we use maths as adults. Can we as parents involve our children in the process? These Grade 3s were certainly passionate and had learned a lot!

Sarah Clare
Curriculum Learning Specialist



Turkey Update

John Basarin Chairman of Friends of Gallipoli pictured with students travelling to Turkey in 2020

Turkey 2020 Update

The Turkey group has had a busy few weeks again! Thanks to everyone that came along to the trivia night and silent auction – it was a lot of fun and we were thrilled to raise just over \$3000! We also ran a Scholastic book fair and served supper at the 'Loddon Ladies Night In' last Wednesday and then had a 'Bake Sale' stall at the Inglewood Alive Festival on Sunday, which made nearly \$1000. On Monday, we had the pleasure of a visit from Dr John Basarin, Chairman of Friends of Gallipoli, and his wife, Hatice. Dr Basarin presented prizes to the winners of the 'Other Side of

the Trenches' writing competition, sponsored by Friends of Gallipoli, and then joined the Turkey group and their families for dinner at the Bendigo RSL. Congratulations to Rory C and Molly M, who came 1st and 2nd in the Year 9&10 division, and Josh D and Bridget V, who came 1st and 2nd in the Year 7&8 division.



Notices

Important Dates 2019	
Dates	Activity
11 th - 21 st Nov	Year 10/11 Exams
20 th Nov	Year 12's Celebration day
21 st Nov	Year 12 Valedictory Dinner 6.30pm
22 nd Nov	Year 10 Road Smart
25 th - 29 th Nov	Year 5/6 Canberra Camp
26 th - 29 th Nov	Year 9/10- Moggs Creek Camp
2 nd - 3 rd Dec	Year 10 Driver Ed
9 th - 13 th Dec	P-12 Step Up Week
10 th Dec	Prep 2020 Transition Morning
9 th - 11 th Dec	Year 3/ 4 Anglesea Camp
19 th Dec	Presentation Assembly 10am

KFC - Kids Friday Club - Term 4 2019



KFC is set to start tomorrow Friday Nov 8th and continue on Nov 15th, 22nd and 29th - with our break up as part of the Community Christmas BBQ and Carols on Sunday - Dec 1st.

All prep to Year 6 children welcome.

A KFC newsletter was distributed last week with more details and available from the office.

Please fill in the bus note below and send to the office.

Kids - remember to bring a gold coin, a snack to share (nothing with nuts) and a smile.

Contacts for enquiries - Robyn Falls 0429368242, Leanne Welsh 0447689309, Judy Mountjoy 0488379222, Wendy Twigg 0427807124, Anne Baker 0429368453

Permission & Bus sign out note for KFC Term 4 2019

My child/children.....have permission to attend KFC on Friday November 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th. Can you please take their name(s) off the bus roll, I will arrange private transport for them to be taken home at 5.00pm following sign out from KFC.

Nominated person to sign out.....

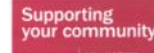
Parent/Guardian name.....

Parent/Guardian signature.....

Parent/Guardian phone no.....

Date.....

Thanks to the following **GOLD** sponsors of our 'Anzacs Overseas' trip to Vietnam and Turkey





Junior

Walk to school

Our walk to school program ran throughout October to promote healthy lifestyles. Well done to all students who participated.

Relay for life

Students took part in the Relay for Life activities last week in honour of those who have been affected by cancer. Students were asked to create silhouettes and walk a few laps of the central lawn.

English Moderation

Teachers of English from Prep to Grade 6 spent Wednesday cross marking student writing and reading samples as well as develop our teaching and learning models. This is a very important part of ensuring that students are receiving high quality instruction, fair assessment and consistency. We are very impressed with the high quality of work that our students have produced this year. Thank you to our hard working teachers and families that work together to get the best outcomes for all of our students.

Middle

Last week, the Yr 8's went on



Melbourne camp and had a great experience of what it's like to live in the city. Thank you also to Mr Ferguson and Ms Colville for taking some Year 5's on the Kids Teaching Kids conference. Tuesday was Melbourne cup day so we all had a day off for that. Poppies will be coming around to your classrooms on Friday and Monday that you can buy for Remembrance Day. Josh and Gemma

Camps

Year 5/6 parents, the Canberra Camp is under three weeks away now. Please contact Mr Ferguson or Mrs Gladman if you have any questions.

Speaking of camps, here's a photo from the Year 8 Melbourne Camp:



Senior

Ciaran, Montana and Trista Alpine School Update

Our three brave Year 9 students are now over a third of the way through their 9 week Alpine experience. They have been busy meeting new people, making friends, completing a food handlers course, mountain bike riding, selling ducks to teachers, building bridges, swimming, seeing snow (yes snow), hiking and much more.

Year 9 & 10 Elective Preferences

The forms were due last Monday, I am now compiling class lists and checking students preferences. I will finalise these next week and let students know.

Year 10 Driver Ed

The payment and consent forms are due Monday 11th of November.

College Captains for 2020

Potential College Captains will meet with myself and Mr Leed on Monday for an interview before making their election speeches in our sub-school assembly Friday 15th of November.

Exams continue; our Year 12's are doing us proud, gradually completing their exams.

Year 10 & 11 students received their exam timetable on Friday. Keep up the great work.

AROUND ELP

Reminder Dates

12th Tuesday

Christmas Hampers to go home on buses.

19th Year 7/8 Big Picture Market Day

When: lunchtime

Where: Tiger Turf

Look for Pre-order forms which will be distributed tomorrow.



SPORTS

ATHLETICS RECORDS:

We had 42 records set in this year's Athletics!:

Jasmine C. broke 7 records.

Bridget V. / Logan W. both set 4 new records each and Jayde C. set 3 records

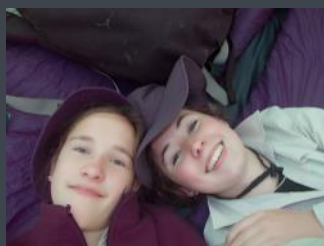


2020 Sports Dates will be available soon!



The Alpine School students have had an exciting week. After enjoying a Halloween dress up party last week, they were kept busy packing and preparing for their first expedition or 'expo'.

They've spent two days hiking and camping on expo and have just returned. Montana said it snowed while they were camping out. Trista's highlight was making a snowman with Ciaran. She also enjoyed making stronger friendships.



Canteen Roster

Fri 8th	Bec Cullen Shannon Ralphs	2019 OCT/ NOV	
Mon 11th	Leanne Welsh	Mon 18th	Kia Hooke Nessie Wiltshire
Tues 12th	Sue Pickles	Tues 19th	Sue Pickles
Wed 13th	Nicky Lawry	Wed 20th	Karolyn Campbell
Thurs 14th	Sue Pickles	Thurs 21st	Sue Pickles
Fri 15th	Kate Duncan Natalie Rose	Fri 22nd	Michelle Balic Miranda Smith

Calendar

Mon 11th	Tues 12th	Wed 13th	Thurs 14th	Fri 15th
Year 10 /11 Exams begin	Christmas Hampers to go home on buses			KFC
Mon 18th	Tues 19th	Wed 20th	Thurs 21st	Fri 22nd
	Year 7/8 Big Picture Market Day Lunchtime Pre order forms given out tomorrow	Last Day Celebrations Year 12	Valedictory Dinner 6.30pm Year 10/11 Exams finish	Year 10 Road Smart Period 3 & 4 KFC
Mon 25th	Tues 26th	Wed 27th	Thurs 28th	Fri 29th
Year 5/6 Canberra Camp begins	Year 9/10 Moggs Creek Camp begins			Year 5/6 Canberra Camp return Year 9/10 Moggs Creek Camp returns KFC
Mon 2nd Dec	Tues 3rd Dec	Wed 4th Dec	Thurs 5th	Fri 6th
Year 10 Driver Education	Year 10 Driver Education		Year 1 / 2 Sleepover	