Assistant Principal’s Report

Welcome back to Term 3. We hope that parents and students enjoyed some quality family time and return rejuvenated for a challenging and rewarding Term.

Transitioning to 2016

One of the key tasks for Term 3 is the planning and preparation of our 2016 Program. For students from Years 8-11, this translates to making important program and subject decisions.

To support this process, last night the College conducted Information Sessions for Year 8 into 9, Year 9 into 10, and for Year 10-11. Parents were also able to visit an Expo in the Gym which showcased our broad range of VCE, VET and VCAL programs. The focus of these events was to provide an overview for parents about the programs on offer for students, to provide details about the SSO Online System used to make subject and course selections, and to respond to general and to individual questions.

In addition to information sessions, Year 10 and 11 students have or are in the process of participating in individual counselling sessions where they develop or confirm their program for 2016. Year 9 students will be provided with an overview of the Year 10 Program, including information related to VCE, VET and Pre-CAL options, on Wednesday, July 29.

Parents and students are advised that electronic copies of year level handbooks, which provide detailed descriptions of all subjects and the rules pertaining to developing a balanced course, are available on the College Website and on Compass (under School Documentation > Resources). We hope that parents and students have benefitted from these sessions and, based on informed discussions, students are able to construct relevant and appropriate courses for 2016. Please be aware that the SSO online system closes on the following dates:

   Year 11, Monday, July 27;
   Years 9 & 10, Friday, August 7;
   Year 8, Monday, August 10.

If parents have any queries, questions or concerns, please contact the appropriate Year Level or Curriculum Leader. For students, they should seek advice and information from subject teachers as well as Year Level and Curriculum Leaders. We welcome questions and are here to provide support. Please ring 9433-2666.
**Semester One Reports**

Parents are reminded that Semester One Reports were emailed home last Friday. We have received reports of some parents experiencing difficulties in the successful transmission of the report. If this is the case, please contact the Office. If these issues persist, for some parents we will mail a hard copy of the Semester One Report.

This is the first time that we have emailed a larger report and we are working hard to resolve issues which seem to be linked to particular email providers. For Term 4 we are seeking to introduce a better system.

Semester One Reports provide an important snapshot of performance and progress over the first two terms. At this juncture the school is processing data to identify students at risk and will in the near future organise meetings with some families to discuss student progress. If you have any concerns or queries related to the Semester One Report, please contact the appropriate Year Level Coordinator.

**Parent Opinion Survey**

At this stage of the year some parents will be receiving the Parent Opinion Survey conducted annually by the Department of Education. Parents have been selected by a computer and all responses are anonymous. We value parent feedback and encourage all selected parents to complete this survey.

**Presentation Balls**

During this Term the College organises and conducts two very successful Presentation Balls. At least once a week over 40 excited debutantes and their partners are concentrating on perfecting a series of steps and dances for the Ball. With rehearsals in full swing, and many hours devoted to ensuring the purchase of the perfect dress and that pressed suits hit the right note, we wish all participants well in this Year 11 experience.

**Uniform Reminder**

The current cold weather has accentuated the need for the wearing of correct uniform. To keep warm, students do need to wear both a College jumper and a spray jacket, with the latter utilised to deflect not only the rain but also the wind chill factor. In these months students may need to consider wearing additional undergarments - singlets, spencers and/or plain white T-shirts.

The wearing of “hoodies” is not correct uniform and therefore breaches our uniform code. In this instance the garment will be confiscated and we will endeavour to find an appropriate garment of school uniform for the student to wear for that day. Students wearing hoodies and incorrect T-shirts (not white or not plain) will receive a Principal Detention for this uniform breach.
As per our uniform and appearance expectations, we request that parents ensure that uniform is neat and in good repair. In instances where this isn’t so, items will be confiscated.

Parents should note that the College has a second hand uniform shop with a broad range of quality items still in stock. Items can be purchased by contacting Louise on 0439 639 199 or by email: GREENSBOROUGHSECONDHAND@GMAIL.COM. New uniform items can be purchased on Mondays, from 3:10 to 4:30 at the Uniform Shop near Sickbay.

Whilst we regularly monitor uniform compliance, once a term we methodically focus on the wearing of school uniform at each year level. This uniform blitz will be occurring at each year level over the next 2 weeks. This advance notice offers parents the opportunity to ensure that students are in a correct and a warm uniform. We ask parents to work constructively with us and to support the College uniform and appearance code. We thank for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.

Graeme Scott
Assistant Principal

Term 3 Working Bee

Come along and help to maintain our facilities!

Our Working Bee for this Term will be held on Saturday, 1st August, 2015 from 8:30am till 12:30pm. Your support and attendance at any time would be greatly appreciated. Several tasks have been identified.

- General tidy up in the yard
- Painting
- Car Park Line Marking
- Gardening
- Light Construction Work

Thank you,

John Conway & Mal Williams
As a Journal Writing piece, 8B and 8D had to write an ending to a story. The story was called Encounter: Wolf Story by Brian Jeffrey from Bad Deeds Gang and other stories. The setting took place in a remote area of Alaska where timber wolves were common. The story was read to the class minus the last 200 words and each student was to write his/her individual ending. One student thought it would be a good idea to set up a class competition, where I would buy lunch for the student who wrote the best judged ending. The class then decided on five criteria points and voted on who they thought wrote the best ending. Congratulations to Demet-8D and Michael-8B on their winning entries. Below are the winning entries, followed by the original.

Which do/did you like best?

**Demet-8D.** I was still five hundred metres away from my house....

It was worth going through this terrifying fear knowing in the end I had the chance to be held tight by my parents. There was another side to this story but I don’t want to think about that.

Two wolves were clawing at my feet. I could feel the wolves’ saliva dripping down into my socks. My sweat was building up on my forehead as I had the urge to wipe it off, but if I made that big move I would be gone in a second. The wolves’ nails were digging into my ankles and I could feel the pressure of blood drooling out.

I could see my house and father like a drawing, so far and small but the feeling was bigger than ever. I could just imagine two hours from now being tucked up in my mother’s arms in front of the warm fire place.

In the corner of my eye I could see the details on the wolves’ fur, it was blended in with the colours of white and brown, with shades of black. Their eyes were a dark black with a blue ring around it. They were gorgeous creatures, but deadly.

My legs were aching, I had been walking for ages and the throbbing of my ankles weren’t helping. I could see a stain of dark red appearing on my pants as the wolves started licking at it. The smell of blood made my head throb.

One of the wolves started howling and in an instance I felt a sharp stab in my right thigh. The pain was intense and I didn’t have the strength to open my eyes. I could only hear gunshots and howling.
My eyes were tough to open but I forced them; with a scene of my parents’ anxious expressions.

“My baby” my mother came hugging into me. I tried getting up with a shot of pain spreading from my thigh as I fell back down to my cushioned bed.

“You got bitten badly, the doctor will have a check on you tomorrow, but for now you need to rest” my father spoke stuttering. I could see in his eyes that he hadn’t expected me to survive as my eyes fell back down to a slumber.

I woke up with my head pounding. My eye sight was blurry. Every inch of my body was aching as my nails had a stabbing feeling as I saw them get larger and sharper. I could feel my body getting bigger and heavier as my clothes shrunk and ripped to pieces. I could feel my blood rushing though my veins as my heart pumped faster. I looked up at my mirror opposite my bed with a frightening wolf staring back at me. Was that me?

Michael-88

I was still quite far away from dad, 500 metres. I looked at him and saw his face giving him the sign to fire. He lay down on the wooden slabs and put his eye to the scope. Then BANG. Dad fired but he missed the leader and hit one of the pack members. They stopped for a second and then howled. A wolf started running at me. He jumped and snapped his jaws. I put my rifle in the way and it started chewing the rifle. I kicked him and started running. I must have hurt him because he wasn’t running, but then I realised that he was signalling to the others to attack. I turned back and fired BANG. I had hit one.

I turned around and started running when I felt a sharp pain on my ankle. I looked at my foot and saw a wolf hanging off it when BANG my dad shot it. I started to hop towards the house. I was still 250 metres away. BANG my dad shot and killed another one. I reached dad and saw that we were outnumbered. We knew that this was the end.

Suddenly from out of nowhere my mum came out of the garage with our pickup truck. She was driving fast and ran over half of the pack. It was me and my dad against three more wolves. BANG. I shot one. Now it was us against two of the wolves. “Owwwwww”, screamed dad. I looked at him. There was a wolf biting his neck. I shot it. Dad was on the ground holding his neck. He said “Junior take my rifle and finish them off”. I grabbed it with tears coming out of my eyes and said “OK I’ll finish them for you”. I picked myself up with the rifle in my hand ready to kill. I saw the leader in the distance. He turned around and started running. I followed him with my scope and BANG. The bullet went straight through his head. I walked up to the corpse and skinned it. I ran to my dad. He was okay.
Debating News

The final round of Senior DAV debating is now complete and I am extremely proud of the results. The Yr 10 team was victorious in defeating Loyola College throughout a thought provoking topic. The girls skillfully debated that we SHOULD abolish trial by jury with Hannah Davison prestigiously being named Best Speaker.

The Yr 9 team had a bittersweet loss by only ONE POINT to Parade College. Their speeches were well prepared as they argued that we SHOULD teach students about a variety of religions in schools. Congratulations again to Imran Abbas for achieving the accolade of Best Speaker of the night.

That wraps up another year of debating! I strongly encourage any student who is interested in practicing public speaking, enhancing their ability to elaborate in their writing or consider themselves a master of argument to sign up for debating next year.

Junior debating training is to commence shortly and I am sure that we will produce future generations of star Greensborough debaters through this process!

Miss Iva Zuzic

Original Ending. I was still five hundred metres away. Dad didn’t dare shoot for fear of provoking an attack, and because he couldn’t be sure I’d seen the wolves. For all he knew, they could be trailing me without my knowing, as had happened to folk before. If he fired I might turn and see them, start to run and be pulled down.

So we both sweated it out, and I mean sweated. Huge beads of perspiration were rolling down my face, and my whole body felt like a wet rag inside my thick fur parka. I could see Dad only three hundred metres away now, standing motionless, rifle held at the ready. The sight of him standing there so close made me feel more afraid than I’d been during the whole ordeal. The warm, inviting house, with the anguished face of my mother pressed against the window, was so near that I almost ran for it; but I didn’t.

Ms. Maria Cerra
8B and 8D English Teacher
ART DEPARTMENT
YEAR 7 TEXTILES
**Kate’s perspective:**
This was my fourth time at the School of Rock and one of my most memorable Music moments at Greensborough College. Once again I had the privilege of playing the clarinet in the Stage Band. We brought down the house with our rendition of ‘Thriller’ by Michael Jackson. I am very proud of the Band for pulling off such a classic hit to the standard that they did. Being able to watch other high school students perform was an experience which many of our students learnt from. School of Rock, rocked my soul!

**Aneesh’s and Tom’s perspective:**
Tom – This is my first time going to the School of Rock and my rating for it is totally awesome. I would love to go again in future years. It was fun and exciting experience I learned that it doesn’t matter how good you sound, it is all about the experience you gain and how much you learned from this trip.
Aneesh – It was fun and I learned a lot from going to the School of Rock. I met many new people. I would like to go to this trip again. The bus ride was smooth and exciting.

**Olivia’s and Isabelle’s perspective:**
Isabelle – This was our first time performing in the School of Rock and we had a great time there! It was a great experience for both of us, and we hope to do it again. Watching and listening to all of the performances there was amazing. I enjoyed the schools’ performances just as much as the professional ones because they were also entertaining to watch and hear all of the things they had to offer. Definitely a great and fun experience, thank you!
Olivia – I had lots of fun performing at School of Rock and it was a great experience to be part of something like that and I would love to do it again next year. This was a really fun day out. I loved watching all the other schools doing their performances just as much as fun I had performing.
Lucita’s perspective:
This was my third time performing at the School Rock with the Choir and I was also able to solo with Cedar Boyd. The audience response was astounding and it was an experience that I will never forget. Many of the primary school students were amazed by the level of our performance. In our rendition of “Classic”, myself, Cedar and the Choir all performed at a high level, swooping the audience off their feet and making them dance. In our version of “I Wish I Was a Punk Rocker” accompanied by Jade and Ty on drums, the Choir performed well with Candice Dower producing a brilliant solo. The Choir did such a great job this year and I am very proud to be a part of it. School of Rock rocked our socks off!

Mrs Ryzhik’s perspective:
This year’s performance went off with a blast: the Choir could have gone crowd surfing, if they wanted to – so many excited kids tried to hi-five them and pull them off the stage after “Classic”. We will have a full DVD of Greensborough performance, but I suspect that most we would hear will be a roar of the excited audience. There is so much effort and preparation that shape the days like this. Instrumental Music teachers and Stage Band members had gone beyond expectations whilst training our Advanced Junior Band players. Mr Conway, yet again, proved to be a life saver with his superior tuba playing as part of the Stage Band, and by being a “one man bus and car service” not only for our musicians, but also for Macleod SC Choir with their conductor John Flanagan, who wouldn’t have made it to the School of Rock in comfort if not for the ride with us. Nico Callaghan (our Drums teacher) generously donated his time to come and assist Will Dower with his theatrical solo “Pack It!”. All of our students proved to be great ambassadors for Greensborough College. Well done everybody, bring on next year’s School of Rock!
Dear Parents/ Guardians,

As our 2015 Study Tour to Italy is rapidly approaching, the students will be busy fundraising for their upcoming trip, selling raffle tickets. Support from our local community has been phenomenal and raffle prizes include; a dining voucher, courtesy of 4 Doors, a stone based pizza maker and hampers galore.

Furthermore, we wish to invite you to Greensborough College’s Taste of Italy Fundraiser Evening, to be held at ‘4 Doors’ (28 The Link, Mill Park) on Tuesday 18th August, doors open at 6:30. Tickets will cost $40 for adults and $25 for children under 12. The menu for the evening is inclusive of; shared pizza platters, alternating chicken risotto or pumpkin gnocchi, followed by shared dessert platters. The children’s menu is a choice of Pizza, Lasagne or Nuggets. Beverages are available for purchasing at the Bar. The evening will see the students also draw the Study Tour Raffle.

This evening is the perfect opportunity for the students attending the trip to mingle and also allows parents the opportunity to get to know one another and the staff who will be attending the Tour.

If you and your family wish to attend, please fill in the ticket order form below and return it to the General Office along with your payment no later than Friday 7th August. The more tickets students are able to sell the better.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact us on 9433 2666.

Ben fatto ragazzi!

Melissa Lozanovski & Francesca Rutherford

Italian Department

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A Taste of Italy – Fundraiser Evening

Student Name: _______________________________ Home Group: ________

Number of tickets to be purchased: Adult: ________ Child: ________

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Please specify any Dietary Requirements:
Open days at Tertiary Institutions such as Universities and TAFE Colleges occur throughout the month of August. It is a perfect opportunity for students to visit the Campus they may wish to study at and to find out firsthand about courses and likely career paths. There is also the opportunity to speak to current students and course representatives.

It is important to make the time to plan your future; in fact, we encourage not only **Year 12 students to attend Open Days, but also Year 10 & 11 students** so they can start planning their future pathways. We have included a list of Open Days for Universities and TAFE Colleges.

Students who are attending Open Days should check the institutions website beforehand for details about information sessions to be held on the day so that they can maximise their experience.

All Year 12 students, who ordered their 2016 VTAC Guide, will receive it soon and in week 5 we will inform them about the process of applying for courses in 2016.

**The VTAC Guide** contains all the latest information on applying for courses at TAFE, University and Private Providers for 2016 and will also be available online at vtac.edu.au.

Year 12 Students will have **individual meetings during Term 3** with one of the Careers Team to discuss their plans and choices for the future. **Course preferences through VTAC need to be put in by 30th September 2015.** It is recommended that all students choose some courses through VTAC to keep their options open.

We will guide all Year 12 students through the VTAC process and any other pathways that they are considering.

If you have any queries regarding the process, please contact us.

**Jane Alexander, Simon Austin & Kiri Katsikis**

**Careers Team**
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<td>On <strong>Open</strong> Day, we throw open our doors to the public and showcase the very best of what we have to offer as the specialist centre for foods, tourism, hospitality and events training. Meet our passionate staff, students and industry partners and find out more about our programs, life on campus and the fun and exciting career opportunities available.</td>
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Sport News

Cross Country Champs

Last Wednesday six of our best Cross Country runners competed in the State Finals at Bundoora Park. Sarah D, Isabella G, Maddy D, Amy B, Samantha V and Bailey G gave their all to represent Greensborough College and the Banyule Division. The girls combined as a team and were placed 5th overall for the 16 years girls event and Bailey ran strongly to the finish in the 16 year boys event. All six students are to be congratulated and applauded for getting to this high level of competition. We are very proud of you.

Mrs Niclasen

Sport Co-ordinator

Netball News

On Wednesday this week the Senior Girl’s Netball competed in the Regional Finals. The girls put up an impressive show winning most of their matches and in the end were only beaten by the eventual winners. Fantastic effort on every one’s part and very well coached by Heath Hay.

Today both the Inter and Senior Boy’s Netball Teams are competing in the Regional Finals. We wish them well. Big thanks to Sarah Daley for coaching and Melissa Lozanovski for assisting with the coaching on match day. Stand by for an update in the next newsletter.

Up-Coming Sport

We have a very busy sport calendar for the next two weeks – Tuesday 28th July sees our Inter Girl’s Badminton compete in the Regional Finals and on Monday 4th August both Senior Girl’s and Senior Boy’s Basketball represent us at the Regional level. On Monday 3rd August we are sending Boys and Girls teams to the Inter Basketball, Futsal and Table Tennis Round Robins. We wish all teams the very best and great sporting memories.

Mrs Niclasen

Sports Co-ordinator

Quiet Corner

As part of the School’s on-going commitment to Positive Psychology and improving the Mindfulness of all our students, a Quiet Corner is being set up in F7. This room will be open during lunchtimes and will offer the opportunity for students to relax and be involved in activities that will benefit their mindfulness journey.

To assist in the setting up of the room I am hoping that some of you may have large cushions, bean bags or largish rugs that we could use. Please contact Sharyn Niclasen through the General Office (9433 2666) if you have something to donate.
PFA Meeting
Tuesday, 28th July between 7:00pm-8:00pm
Location: Staffroom
All welcome

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25th Anniversary School Fair
Saturday, 17th October 2015
10am-4pm

Hi all,

Our focus for the next couple of weeks for the fair is the following:

**Donations:** For raffle prizes

**Memorabilia:** Photos, stories, etc for a Greensborough College display.
These can be left at the Office or contact Margaret on 0418 146 166 to arrange collection.

Thank you to all those that have already put their hand up to help. However, a celebration this size needs more volunteers. Please contact Margaret McNicol on 0418 146 166 or dandm@people.net.au for more information.

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Collect Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers

It’s back!

We’re thrilled to invite you to participate in this year’s Woolworths Earn & Learn program. Find out how to earn educational resources for your school or Early Learning Centre in this handy flyer.

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### Upcoming Events

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| 27th July  | ♦ Yr 10: Romeo & Juliet Incursion  
♦ Presentation Ball (1) Dance Lesson  
♦ Presentation Ball (2) Dance Lesson |
| 28th July  | ♦ Maths Club @ 3.15pm  
♦ PFA Meeting |
| 29th July  | ♦ Homework Club @ 3.15pm |
| 30th July  | ♦ Yr 10 into 11 Counselling  
♦ Yr 8: ART NGV Excursion  
♦ Principal Detention |
| 1st August | ♦ Working Bee/Sat. Detention |
| 3rd August | ♦ Inter Round Robin  
♦ 7A Italian Cultural Tour—Lygon St  
♦ Presentation Ball (1) Dance Lesson  
♦ Presentation Ball (2) Dance Lesson |
| 4th August | ♦ Stepping Stones Program  
♦ Yr 10 into 11 Counselling  
♦ Principal Detention  
♦ Maths Club |
| 5th August | ♦ Snow Camp (1)  
♦ Yr 10 into 11 Counselling  
♦ Homework Club @ 3.15pm |
| 6th August | ♦ Snow Camp (1)  
♦ Principal Detention |
| 7th August | ♦ CURRICULUM DAY |
| 10th August | ♦ Yr 10 Wellbeing Session  
♦ Presentation Ball (1) Dance Lesson  
♦ Presentation Ball (2) Dance Lesson |
| 11th August | ♦ Stepping Stones Program  
♦ State School Spectacular Rehearsal  
♦ VTAC Briefing—Yr 12 VCE  
♦ Principal Detention @ 3.15pm  
♦ Maths Club @ 3.15pm  
♦ Presentation Ball (1) Special Guest Dance |
| 12th August | ♦ Snow Camp (2)  
♦ Homework Club @ 3.15pm  
♦ Presentation Ball (1) Final Rehearsal |
| 13th August | ♦ Snow Camp (2)  
♦ Principal Detention @ 3.15pm |
| 14th August | ♦ Snow Camp (2)  
♦ Presentation Ball (1) |

### General Information

**Student Absences Hotline**  
Phone: 9433 2699  
Alternatively  
Use Compass to record a student absence

**Term Dates 2015**

- **Term 1**  
  30th January to 27th March

- **Term 2**  
  13th April to 26th June

- **Term 3**  
  13th July to 18th September

- **Term 4**  
  5th October – 18th December

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AUTISM HEALTH & WELL BEING EXPO

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- Occupational Therapy
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- Anti-bullying organisations
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- Claiming and education equipment supplies
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- Community, Government and Adult support organisations
- And many more!

Competitions, special guest for the kids, a soccer clinic for teens and presentations throughout the day. A Quiet Room to retreat to when needed and there’s something for all ages, for all people whether they have autism, are carers, educators or just want to know more!

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Community Announcements

When was your child’s last Eye Exam?

Signs that could indicate a possible vision problem:
- Complaints of headaches
- Complaints of blurred or double vision
- Frequent blinking
- Difficulty concentrating
- Red or watery eyes
- One eye turns in or out while the other points straight ahead
- Covering or closing one eye
- Holding a book very close to read
- Squinting or sitting very close when watching television

The most common vision problems experienced by school-aged children are those affecting the ability to see clearly and sharply. Once recognised, these problems are usually easy to correct and can have a significant improvement on your child’s education. Other vision problems may be more difficult to detect, and require treatment by an optometrist. Early detection is the key.

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The Weekend to End Women’s Cancers benefitting Peter Mac and
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or via email daniellesimonehearn@hotmail.com

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