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From the Principal

Mr Anthony Kirley
Principal



Dear Parents/Guardians, Families, Students and Staff

We Will Remember Them

November 11, 2018 marked the 100th anniversary of the Armistice which ended the First World War (1914–18). A Remembrance Day ceremony was held at Whitefriars last Monday morning.

Prayer

God of the living and the dead, console and encourage those for whom Remembrance Day is one of profound significance. By your grace, work in the hearts and minds of men and women, who today are reliving the agony, courage and compassion of war service. Help all of us to honour those who have made so great a sacrifice, yet save us from ever glorifying the evil of war. Enable us to be peacemakers.

God of the past

There is a time for everything.

Give us wisdom to know what needs to be left behind and what needs to be carried into the future.

God of the present

Help us to celebrate the gift of now.

Thank you for sustaining us and bringing us to this moment in our journey.

God of the future

Fill us with hope that you dwell in our midst and journey with us.

Recent Events

I convey our appreciation and thanks to all those involved in the recent successful activities:

- Remembrance Day Ceremony
- College Assembly
- 'Experience Whitefriars' Day 2 - for Catholic primary feeder school students
- Mother's High Tea, held on 1 November
- Year 7 Outdoor Learning Program Information Night

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- Ensemble Performance at Blackburn RSL
- Music Performance at St Francis Xavier Primary School Fete
- Year 8 ACC Debating Competition. Whitefriars finished in first place!
- 'Remembrance Reflections' Installation launch at Whitehorse Manningham Libraries
- High Performance Athletics Sessions (before school; for current students and some future Year 7 students)
- Victorian Schools State Track and Field Championships at the Lakeside Track, Albert Park
- Year 7 2019 Parent Information Night
- Year 9 Social, held 8 November

White Ribbon Day Australia – November 23

As a community, we play a vital role in standing up, speaking out and ending all forms of violence against women, setting the standard for acceptable behaviour.

At the College Assembly, I shared the following words:

"If we can teach children from a young age about respect, this will transpire through the ages. If we can set the standard for respectful behaviour and gender equality in the community, at home and in the workplace, we can eliminate violence against women and children. We do this by standing up, speaking out and acting when it comes to violence against women. Together we can intervene and prevent violence against women and children in our community."

Funds raised go towards supporting White Ribbon's national primary prevention campaign, which aims to stop violence before it occurs, through education initiatives in schools, workplaces and the broader community. White Ribbon is committed to building an Australian community where every woman lives in safety, free from all forms of men's abuse.

More information about White Ribbon and related matters can be obtained from the website: whiteribbon.org.au

If you or someone you know is experiencing violence, call 1800 RESPECT on 1800 737 732 for advice or support. This free service providing confidential advice is open 24/7. In an emergency, call the police on 000. All incidents of violence should be reported to the police.

Student Leaders

The Special Blessing and Commissioning of 2019 Student Leaders took place at the College Assembly on Wednesday 14 November. Congratulations to all those appointed and we wish them every success in their roles. A full list of the appointments is included in this edition.

Not only the student leaders, but, in fact, all students are commissioned to fulfil responsibilities to the best of their ability, supporting our wonderful College in all that they do. They are encouraged by helpful hints such as: be who you are and say what you feel; it is courage that counts; if you are distracted, guide your mind back to what you're doing; every story you've connected with, every little accomplishment and every positive encounter is the result of taking action; set high standards; work hard to achieve them; be a messenger of peace.

Next In Fide

This year's final edition of In Fide will be published on Friday 30 November.

Bereavements

Our thoughts are with the North-Coombes family and Nathan (Year 7) who lost his paternal grandmother, Janine North-Coombes.

2019 – Start of School Year – Term 1

- Monday 21 January College Office opens
- Monday 28 January Holiday for Australia Day. College closed.
- Tuesday 29 January Staff return
- Thursday 31 January Year 7, 12 return
- Friday 1 February Year 8, 9, 10, 11 return

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Mr Anthony Kirley



2019 College Captains

College Captain	Nicholas Beltrami	Academic Captains	Captain	Vice-Captain
College Vice Captain	Ronan Oppy	Ministry Captains	Mitch Guest	Liam Jones
College Vice Captain	Alex Vander	Social Justice Captains	Julian Lanza	Joel Duggan
Middle Years Captain	TBA	Environment Captain	Liam Garlick	Noah Pryor
Middle Years Vice Captain	TBA	Art Captain	Daniel Almaraz	Noah Pryor
Avila House Captain	Patrick Daly	Chess Captain	Daniel Almaraz	
Avila House Vice Captain	Josh Hannan	Drama Captain	Liam Jones	
Brandsma House Captain	Liam Worner	Debating Captain	Joel Duggan	
Brandsma House Vice Captain	Patrick Croke	Multicultural Captain	Angelo Amato	
Corsini House Captain	Erald Mersini	Mathematics Captain	Timothy Abrahams	
Corsini House Vice Captain	Alex Dunmill	Music Captain	Dimitri Tsivelekis	
Edith Stein House Captain	Conor O'Farrell	Ensembles Captain	Daniel Almaraz	
Edith Stein House Vice Captain	Marcus Mohr	English Captain	Joel Duggan	
Lisieux House Captain	John Steward	Wellbeing Captain	Jonathan Bingley	Matthew Tapely
Lisieux House Vice Captain	Michael Silvaggi	Technology Captain	Dimitri Tsivelekis	
Mantua House Captain	Lachlan Santamaria	Tech Production Captain	Matthew Worsley	
Mantua House Vice Captain	Toby Brown	Science Captain	Tyler Kerwin	
Soreth House Captain	Callum Tokell	Humanities Captain	Jackson Weekes	
Soreth House Vice Captain	Jack Gurrie	Language Captain	Ben Jackson	Charlie Kent
Trinity House Captain	Max McLean	Commerce Captain	Dylan Wade	
Trinity House Vice Captain	Riley Blackburn	VCAL Captain	Zachariah Kornitschuk	

Sport Captains	Captain	Vice Captain	Vice Captain
Overall	Hugh Parrott	Ben Worner	
Cross Country	Joel Ferguson	James Dickinson	Liam Worner
Swimming	Marcus Agnos	William Campbell	Justin Botha
Athletics	Hugh Parrott	Patrick Daly	Ben Worner
Basketball	Nathan Aikman		
Badminton	Timothy Abrahams		
Cricket	Max McLean		
Football	Fraser Smith		
Hockey	Hugh Hassall		
Soccer	Angelo Amato		
Table Tennis	Nicholas Kinsella		



2019 College Captain

Nick Beltrami
2019 College Captain



Throughout the year, we have had the pleasure of being led by our College Captains; Joel Monteiro, Oscar Levi and Brendan Sammut. The passion that these young men have for Whitefriars is immeasurable, and there is no doubt that they have made the College a better place as a result of their service.

However, with the departure of the Year 12s, it is now the role of Ronan Oppy, Alex Vander and I to transition into the positions they have vacated. We are honoured and privileged to hold these positions, and it is an opportunity that we are extremely excited about. We feel as though we have a lot to bring to the table, and we are very optimistic about what the rest of this year and next year has in store.

We look forward to working with all of the staff and students from this point forward and we know that, with their help, we can make positive contributions to our school and wider communities. Their positivity, enthusiasm and energy make Whitefriars such a fantastic place to be around, and we will undoubtedly be drawing upon their exuberance throughout the next twelve months.

I would like to wish the outgoing Class of 2018 the very best of luck as they complete their final exams and come to the conclusion of their journey here at Whitefriars. I would also like to extend my best wishes to the rest of the student body as they prepare for their end-of-semester exams or tests.



Learning @ Whitefriars

Mr Mark Ashmore
Deputy Principal -
Learning and Teaching



Examinations

Years 9 – 11 Examinations

Students are reminded of the dates for end of year exams:

- Year 11 – Monday 26 November to Friday 30 November
- Year 10 – Wednesday 28 November to Friday 30 November
- Year 9 – Thursday 29 November to Friday 30 November

The examination schedule is accessible on Whitefriars Learn and Engage. Each student should be preparing for these examinations by revising, note taking, asking questions, and practicing written responses to questions to ensure success.

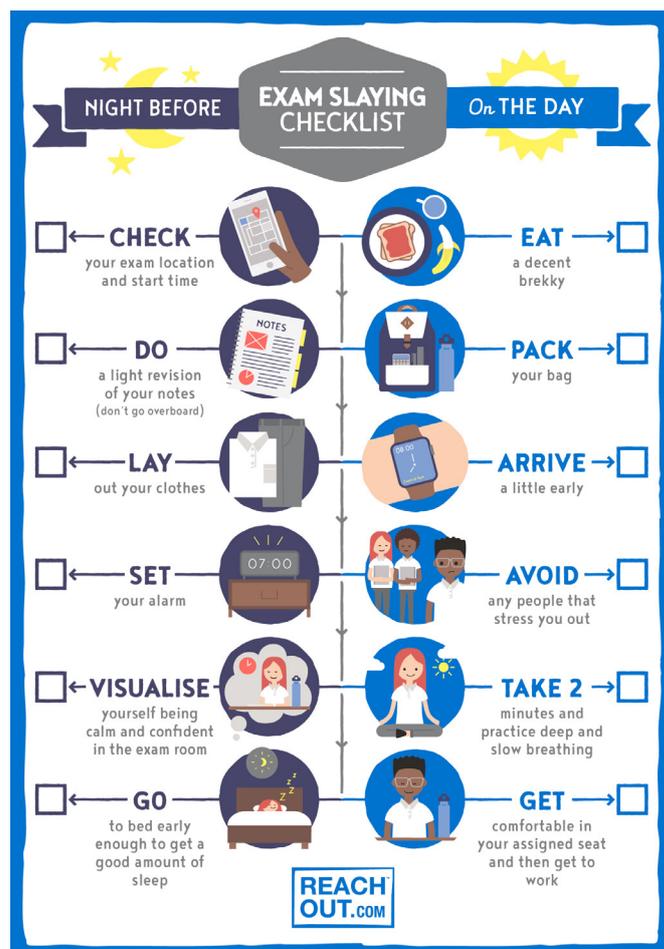
Booklists

A reminder to purchase resources for the 2019 academic year from the booklist available on Whitefriars Learn and Engage. Our diverse and enriching curriculum means that students require resources that support their learning in the classroom and at home. The College uses Campion Education's platform to view and order items from the booklist.

End of Year Dates

The curriculum and assessment has been planned and designed to finish right up to the last scheduled session for each year level. It is imperative that parents support the partnership with the school by ensuring that your son attends the required sessions up to and including the final scheduled day.

- Monday 3 December Correction Day / Student Free Day
- Friday 30 November Year 9 and 10 final scheduled day
- Wednesday 5 December Presentation Evening, 7pm at Hamer Hall
- Thursday 6 December Year 7, 8 and 11 final scheduled day
- Friday 7 December Orientation Day (Year 7 2019)





WHITEFRIARS
CATHOLIC COLLEGE FOR BOYS

Presentation Evening

Together We Celebrate

5 December 2018 7:30pm
Hamer Hall

Whitefriars College believes that student excellence, for each individual to reach their full potential, is both promoted and celebrated on a daily basis, especially at the 2018 Presentation Evening, 'Together We Celebrate'.

We invite all families to join us for the Whitefriars College Presentation Evening, to celebrate the excellence and achievements of these young men and their talents. Be it academic, community, performing arts or sporting achievements, the evening reflects and acknowledges the achievements of all.

Tickets to the evening are now available from The Arts Centre Melbourne by visiting www.artscentremelbourne.com.au/whats-on/2018/other/whitefriars-college or by phoning 1300 182 183.

There is no fee involved in booking tickets to the event.

All students from Years 7-11 are expected to be in attendance.

Students will be seated together with teachers and will not require a ticket to be booked.

All students are required to be in full academic uniform and to report to their designated House area in the Stalls Foyer at Hamer Hall at 6.30pm.

To allow ample time for students to prepare and travel to Hamer Hall for the evening, classes on Wednesday 5 December will be dismissed at lunchtime. Regular afternoon College Bus routes will be scheduled to run directly after dismissal.

Parents of students who are unable to attend due to unavoidable circumstances are to send apologies to your son's Head of House in writing by Friday 23 November.





Archives

Mrs Anne McKenna
Archivist



Request for Volunteer

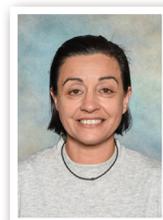
Over the past few years, many items have been located, sorted and collected covering the College history since its beginnings in the mid-1950s. This has been very exciting but it is now time to catalogue our collection to enable ready access. For the past year, inroads have been made however, it is a long task.

In 2019, I am seeking the assistance of a volunteer parent for two hours every Wednesday, during the terms. Skills required would be an understanding of Excel, and an interest in history, but in particular an interest in Whitefriars.

If you think you would be able to assist, please contact me on 9872 8316 between 8am and 3pm, Wednesday or Thursday to arrange a time for you to visit the Archives and discuss this further.

Careers

Mrs Anna Gasparini
Careers Advisor



Our Year 9 students are currently working with the Career Advisers and will complete two workshops.

Vocational Testing Program, 'Career Voyage'. Through this program they have been issued with two reports:

- **The Interest Guide Report:** This report details student's occupational interests and the broad job areas students are suited to based on the information they provided. I encourage students and parents to read this information together and if you are unsure of any of the information provided please contact us to have a discussion.
- **Job Suggestions Report:** A list of 20 or 40 suitable job suggestions for students to explore the most suitable options. Students then used the [Good Universities Career Job Guide](#) to investigate the jobs they wish to explore further.

We encourage you to discuss this information with your son and use the resources with them to assist them in this initial stage of career development. (A small number of students are still to complete this activity).

Students were also provided with information regarding the Work Experience placement they will undertake in 2019. The Work Experience dates are 24 June – 28 June. Students have completed the Occupational Health and Safety training program and gained the Certificates necessary for participation in the Work Experience program. They now have the task of determining the sort of workplace they wish to experience and to contact employers to seek placements. Students, parents and employers must complete the Work Experience Arrangement Form and return it to Mr Notting.

A reminder to Year 12 students and families that the VTAC processing fee is now do. Students can make a payment via their VTAC account. I will be sending students and families a copy of the Change of Preference Details in the next couple of weeks. Please save this file for future reference.

VCE results and ATAR App: The mobile app (version 1.0) is available now for download from the App Store or Google Play. Students can access their results via the app. Year 12 students can also access their ATAR via their VTAC account. Search for 'VCE Results and ATAR' to find the App.

[Click here for the latest Careers Newsletter](#)



Debating

Mr Andrew Wight
Assistant Learning Leader
- English



Last week, Ms Warrick, Mr Wight and the Junior Debating team set off to St Bernard's in Essendon with the ultimate goal of winning the ACC Debating Competition. After a long time of practicing and preparing for the big day, we were excited to show off our skills of persuasion on key topics.

The first debate was 'That parents should have access to children's social media accounts' and Thomas Milicevic, Chris Brand and I debated that this was in fact a breach of privacy and that children needed their independence. With very strong arguments and rebuttal from the boys, we managed to win the first debate by 5 points against St Bedes, setting up what was soon to be a successful day. At this point, we were tied equal first overall.

The second debate was 'That Australia should become a republic' and Ben Smith, Josh Adams and Luke Vanhoeven were the affirmative team. This debate was close, however with a great structure and rebuttals the boys managed to win by two points against CBC Saint Kilda. We were now in the lead against De La Salle by two points overall.

The final debate had everyone on the edge of their seats. Luke, Ben and I had 50 minutes to create our speech without devices or teacher help. De La Salle brought the heat (and it seemed like Mr Wight was cracking under pressure) but we remained strong and came through with a 1 point victory.

Thank you to Mr Lennon for supporting us in the lead up to the event and to Ms Warrick for coming on the day to help us. Most of all, thank you to Mr Wight for giving up so much of your time so that we could practise and your rendition of *We are the Champions* on the way home in the Maxi Taxi.

I highly recommend this competition to any 2019 Year 8s!

Marc Cordeiro, Year 8





Library

Mrs Jenny Corbin
Library Leader



Ms Claire Vella
Teacher Librarian



Remembrance Reflections Launch

Congratulations to six students who represented the College on Saturday 10 November at the 'Remembrance Reflections' Installation launch at Whitehorse Manningham Libraries.

James Key, David Minahan, Rhys Phelan, Oskar Stapelfeldt, Pearson Woodman, Lachlan Fox (Year 10) and families attended the launch, which saw the culmination of a project started in May. These six students represented the 21 Year 10s who attended a journalism workshop, and then interviewed local WWII Veterans and families, to create audio interviews, which will be part on an exhibition at the Whitehorse Manningham Libraries.

At the launch, James Key gave a very eloquent reflection from the student perspective of the project. Most of the veterans and families involved in the project attended, and a veteran's son gave an insightful reflection.

The students who participated in the project to interview the Veterans and families were: Oscar Bourke, Luke Corda, Patrick Croke, Jackson Emery, Lachlan Fox, Will Hardiman, Jackson Hasler, Jordan Katsaros, Harrison Magner, David Minahan, Rhys Phelan, Luke Pirzas, Blake Ritchie, Max Rogers, Oskar Stapelfeldt, Ethan Stone, Thomas Thorn, Sacha Tuson, Joshua Van Kuyk, Pearson Woodman, James Key.

It was a very rewarding experience for all.



Manga Meetups

A group of students interested in Manga (a type of Japanese comic book) have been meeting fortnightly for Manga Meetups in the library to discuss popular reads and share recommendations

Celebration of Stan Lee

Book Club students have celebrated the works of Stan Lee this week by exploring the many varied graphic novels and comics from Marvel.



Thank you to Parent Helpers

Thank you to the parent helpers who have been very generous with their time, covering and processing books in the library.

Book Returns

All library books need to be returned by 30 November. Parent support in reminding students is appreciated.

Library opening hours

Monday - Thursday 8am – 4.30pm

Friday 8am – 3.30pm

librarystaff@whitefriars.vic.edu.au or 9872 8320



Middle Years

Mr Trent Collins
Middle Years Coordinator



Year 7 Outdoor Learning Program Camp

Year 7 students will soon be participating in their first Outdoor Learning Program camp, or 'OLP Experience'. The OLP program is an extremely important part of College life, aimed at providing opportunities to learn valuable life-skills. We believe that learning by doing is a powerful and effective way of learning and our focus on life-skills aims to equip pupils with skills that allow them to make positive life decisions in an ever-changing world.

WHO	All Year 7 students, College staff and Outdoor Education Group staff
WHERE	Camp Jungai
WHAT	Introduction to basic outdoor skills and concepts while beginning the journey of self-learning
WHEN	Camp #1 – Avila, Brandsma, Corsini and Stein <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrive at school: Monday 26 November – 7.30am (Depart for camp 7.45am)• Expected return time: Wednesday 28 November – 4pm Camp #2 – Lisieux, Mantua, Soreth and Trinity <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Arrive at school: Wednesday 28 November – 7.30am (Depart for camp 7.45am)• Expected return time: Friday 30 November – 4pm

Students will attend regular school classes when not on camp.

More information including program outline and comprehensive gear lists can be found at:

VISIT	oeg.edu.au
CLICK ON	Schools Login
TYPE	Whitefriars
PASSWORD	friars

It will likely ask you to sign in twice as OEG are moving to a new website platform. Once logged in, please follow the prompts to the Year 7 program. Program outlines, equipment lists and much more can be located on the website. I encourage you all to visit the website as there is a wealth of information that will assist in the preparation for the camp.

This is an exciting time for the Year 7 students as they finish off a big first year at Whitefriars and we are sure their Outdoor Experience will be a memorable one.



Performing Arts

Ms Nathalie Fox

Learning Leader - Performing Arts



Treasure Island

All aboard for a fun night of pirate hi jinx and shenanigans featuring 28 of our most talented buccaneers. Join them as they take a rollicking adventure on the high seas hunting for lost treasure! Performances are scheduled for Thursday 22 and Friday 23 November at 7pm in our Healy Wilson Theatre and tickets may be booked using the following link: trybooking.com/YTFR

Piano recital

Our Piano recital on Monday night was a great success with the largest number of pianists performing at Whitefriars in recent memory, including our first organists. Congratulations to all involved for a great effort and many thanks to Mr Hynes for his tutelage of the performers and facilitating of the event.

Remembrance Day Ceremony

On Sunday 11 November, the choir performed an arrangement of songs at the Blackburn RSL memorial service. It was an enjoyable and memorable experience. We sang some old classics that the veterans really enjoyed such as Pack Up Your Troubles. Not only were the audience singing along but a few tears were shed as well. Thanks to Ms Neilson and Mr Hynes for giving us this opportunity that I am sure will become an annual event.

Ben Costello, Year 9

St Francis Xavier Fete

Many ensembles performed at the above event last Saturday including all our Guitar ensembles, some rock groups as well as String Fusion. It was a fun day, beautiful weather and all the boys represented our College admirably, as we knew they would. Thanks to the students involved and to Mr Bello and Mr Maloney.

Congratulations to Alastair Capell, Giles de Simone and Thanassi Komninos for their participation in Jam 'n Jive. All boys earned 2nd place in their performance divisions.

Year 7 Classroom Music concert

All Year 7 Avila, Brandsma, Mantua and Lisieux students will be presenting a showcase performance of their work in the Music classroom. Our Year 7 Classroom Music concert will be held in the Healy Wilson Theatre on Wednesday 21 November at 7pm. Our Junior Concert Band and Stage Band will support them. Bookings are essential via the following link trybooking.com/ZKEC and we ask that everyone limits their tickets to four or less.

Presentation Night

Information on Presentation Night performances will be forthcoming with most of our ensembles involved. Ensemble students are asked to confirm their availability with their ensemble director.

Upcoming Events

21 November	Year 7 classroom music concert
22 – 23 November	Middle Years Production – Treasure Island
5 December	Presentation Night
9 December	Holy Spirit Parish Carols by Candlelight





Whitefriars College 2018 Middle Years Production



Treasure Island

A Pantomime

By Adrian Barradell & Gareth Preston



Thursday and Friday, November 22 & 23

7 pm Healy-Wilson Theatre

Whitefriars College

Tickets

Adults \$10, Children \$8, Family of four \$35

trybooking.com/YTFR



By Arrangement with Lazy Bee Scripts



School procedures for the bushfire season



The 2019 bushfire season is of strong concern to our College. As a community we live and study in a bushfire prone area and are therefore subject to the implications of such events. We may be impacted directly or indirectly by bushfire events.

We encourage all families to make sure they have an effective fire safety plan that they have practiced.

As a College we have our own plans and procedures leading up to the fire season (prevention measures and consultation) during the fire season (ongoing monitoring of conditions) and during a bushfire event (Bushfire Procedures). These specific bushfire procedures are tested in terms 1 and 4. During times of heightened bushfire danger, the school leadership evaluated the available information (including weather forecasts and liaison with Emergency Services) to determine the safety of students on campus. Where conditions are such that it is unsafe for students and staff to be on campus (e.g. confirmed fire threatening the area) the leadership will communicate site closure with the college community via:

- The School Website
- SMS / Email
- ABC and local radio
- Letters for students to take home

Management of the site during these times can be a burden, therefore in response to outgoing communication, we request that parents, staff and students only contact the College through the following designated means:

- Whitefriars Engage (Parent Portal)
- Email – info@whitefriars.vic.edu.au
- Phone 03 9872 8200

Please note that if the school has been evacuated no one will be on site to take your call and other forms of communication or access to devices may be impacted by the emergency. Staff will endeavour to deal with the incident, so please do not distract them from seeing to the safety of the students.

If parents and guardians have provided their children with mobile phones, they should not call them. Making contact with parents and guardians may distract students from listening to instructions from staff and endanger their safety. Students will be advised by their teachers when they can safely use their mobiles to make contact.

If parents and guardians are on the phone with their child during an incident, they should provide them comfort and assurance. Students may become agitated and panicked if they hear fear in the parent or guardian's voice and this may hamper staff in ensuring discipline.

For further information, [please click here](#) or contact Glenn Aspinall (Business Manager and Chair of Emergency Planning Committee) or Pablo Pizzuto (Risk and Compliance Manager).



Science

Apology

Congratulations to Anthony Brand who played a pivotal part of the team who claimed the RUNNERS UP prize in the National Science and Engineering contest held at Taminin college, Darwin NT. The story was published in the last In Fide but due to an error, his name was not included. *Our apologies again Anthony. Eds.*

Unit 2 Chemistry Incursion at the WFC Wetlands and Mullum Mullum Creek

On Thursday 8 November, Unit 2 Chemistry students participated in an incursion at the WFC wetlands and Mullum Mullum creek focused on water sampling, monitoring, and quality. Guest speaker Nigel Philpot – Environmental Education Officer from Manningham Council imparted his expert knowledge of the area and provided insight into the ongoing monitoring and strategies council have employed to monitor the health of the Mullum Mullum Creek. Students completed a range of onsite physical chemistry qualitative and quantitative analysis of water obtained at one of the WFC wetland settling ponds. Mrs. Menzies outlined details of the National Water Bug Blitz program demonstrating that bugs found in and around a body of water can be great indicators of water quality. Thank you to Nigel Philpot and Jo Menzies for taking the time to impart their knowledge and practical skills with our students

Mrs Daniela Carboon



Intro to Physics class seeing stars

During October, three Year 10 introduction Physics Classes enjoyed an OzGrav incursion. Students collaborated to create a model of a stellar evolution by collecting and analysing data from a virtual trip to nearby stars. Students used the laws of physics and the freedom of virtual reality to learn about how stars change over time and the tools scientists can use to study stars.

Miss Angela Wang

I'd never expect to have been able to use Virtual Reality (VR) headsets at school, but thanks to the Australian astronomy company OzGrav, our Year 10 Intro to Physics classes were able to experience space in VR. It was an immersive experience; teams worked together to see up close different stars along with their sizes and weights all through the headset.

Through this program, the Physics classes gained a better understanding of space and stars in particular. This way of learning was much more enjoyable than the classic textbook method and showed us learning Physics is not always difficult. Even the calculations that were made from the data we collected through the VR headsets proved to be much more enjoyable than a normal classroom activity.

James Key, Year 10





Science Enrichment

Mr Ashley Payne
Academic Enrichment Coordinator



ICAS Science

This year students in Years 9 to 10 had the opportunity to participate in the annual ICAS Science Competition for 2018. Organised and coordinated by Dr Stephen Goodall (Science Enrichment), the ICAS Science competition is skill-based and includes subject contexts of Earth and Beyond, Energy and Change, Life and Living, Natural and Processed Materials and assesses skills in interpreting data, applying data and higher order skills.

I am pleased to announce that the results for this competition were creditable with a number of students receiving a credit award. A summary of results are presented below. Well done boys!

ICAS Science Competition

Year	Name	Awards
9	LUCAS D'COSTA	Participation
9	ALEXANDER DODDS	Participation
9	LIAM DOWNIE	Credit
9	HAYDEN GUEST	Credit
9	FYNN JONES	Credit
9	EDWARD LEVI	Participation
9	WITTON LIANG	Credit
9	ALEXANDER PISOTEK	Credit
10	JAYDEN BARDRICK	Distinction
10	DANIEL BORG	Credit
10	BENJAMIN CLARKE	Credit
10	VINCENT KONYNENBURG	Credit



ICAS Digital Technologies Competition

In Term 2, all students had the opportunity to participate in the annual ICAS (International Competitions and Assessment for Schools) Digital Technologies Competition for 2018. Coordinated by Dr Stephen Goodall, the ICAS Digital Technologies competition assesses skills and knowledge in the areas of databases, graphics, multimedia, operating systems & computer hardware and programming. Results are now available and I am pleased to announce some fantastic performances. Of particular note was the outstanding performance of Jayden Bardrick of Year 10. His score of 42/45 not only placed him in the top 1% of all participants but he also received the highest score in Victoria and as such won the UNSW Medal; this is a wonderful achievement for Jayden and due recognition for his ongoing endeavor in the field of Digital Technologies at the College. A summary of the results are provided below.

ICAS Digital Technologies

Year	Name	Award
7	AIDAN FINLAY	Credit
8	MARC CORDEIRO	Participation
8	DAVID DUNLOP	Credit
8	ETHAN HOOI	Credit
8	DANNY PHUNG	Participation
9	SEAMUS O'NEILL	Credit
10	JAYDEN BARDRICK	High Distinction
10	DANIEL BORG	Credit
10	BENJAMIN CLARKE	Credit



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Science Enrichment cont...

Rio Tinto Science Competition

Also part of the Science Enrichment Program, students from Years 7 to 9 were invited to participate in the Rio Tinto Big Science Competition earlier this year.

This competition was targeted toward the Juniors and more than 19 students competed in the challenge. The response from the students for this competition was overwhelmingly positive and I hope those students continue to develop their love for science as they move into their middle years of schooling. A summary of the results is below. I would also like to thank Dr Stephen Goodall for his coordination and organisation and Mr Kristan Height for his drive and support of the Science Enrichment Program over a number of years.

Rio Tinto Science Competition

Year	Name	Award
9	PETER ANDRIKOPOULOS	Participation
8	XAVIER BERTON	High Distinction
9	LUCAS D'COSTA	Distinction
9	LIAM DOWNIE	Credit
8	DAVID DUNLOP	Participation
8	MICK GIGLIUTO	Credit
7	AMIN KHATIBI YEKTA	Participation
9	SEAMUS O'NEILL	Credit
9	LACHIE PARROT	Participation
8	DANNY PHUNG	Participation





Sustainability and Environment Team (SET) News

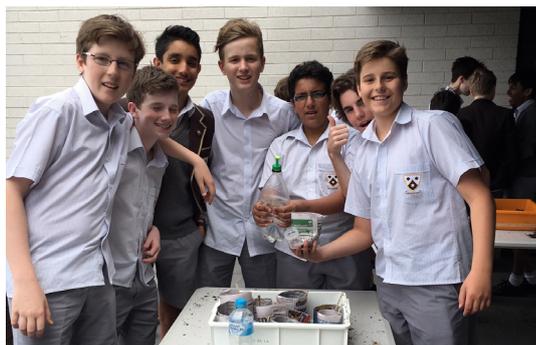
Ms Jo Menzies
SET Facilitator



Happy National Recycle Week!

The Sustainability and Environment Team are proud of the continued College recycling actions. The College started recording their waste usage in 2014 through the Sustainability Victoria initiative Recycle Smart Schools program. In the last four years, college recycling has doubled. This reduction equates to 7,022 rubbish bins or 702 trailers of waste being diverted from landfill or 716 benches being produced from landfill. Recycling actions at the college include:

- Paper Recycling bins in all offices and classrooms
- Outside Recycle bins for co-mingled rubbish
- Cardboard skip introduced at the start of the year
- Compost bin on canteen deck for students
- Compost bins in staff room, LOTE, Science, Food Tech and Performing Arts office
- Ink Cartridges, batteries and fluorescent globe recycling
- Metals and electronic recycling from maintenance department
- Curriculum activities
- Staff Op – Shop during National Recycle Week
- Outdoor Learning Centre recycling materials only – red gum sleepers for new veggie beds
- Soft plastics recycling in Science Lab Tech Rooms, Performing Arts and Science Office
- Worm farm in Performing Arts learning area
- Green canteen waste for Br Sean's and beloved chickens
- Shredded paper for compost
- Woodwork sawdust waste to be used in briquette activity
- Newspapers to be used as pots for food tech produce



Recycling Confusion

Soft Plastics

Although there is much to celebrate, the recycling habits need effort, motivation and education for many. A recent Guardian newspaper article explained that 97% of Australians want to recycle but many are still not doing it properly. The main issue is putting soft plastics into recycle bins. If you are not sure, do the "Scrunch Test". If you can scrunch the plastic waste into a ball, then you can put it into a REDcycle bin located at Coles or Woolworths. If you cannot scrunch the waste, check for the PET label 1 – 7 and put it in a recycle bin.

REDcycle bins accept bread bags, biscuit packets and wrappers, paper goods packaging, pasta and rice bags, frozen food and veggie bags, confectionary bags, plastic bags, old green bags and cereal box liners. For more information go to redcycle.net.au/what-to-redcycle/

General Recycling

For more information on what to put in what bin, visit or download app:

- manningham.vic.gov.au/a-z-waste-and-recycling-guide
- sustainability.vic.gov.au/You-and-Your-Home/Waste-and-recycling/Recycling/How-recycling-works

Your school:

Whitefriars College Inc

2014

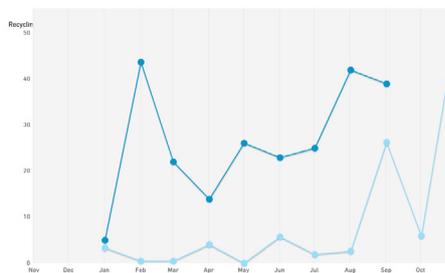
YEAR

111 M³

Current

Nov 2017 - Oct 2018

240 M³



This equates to the following reductions

Whitefriars College Inc



Equal to 7,022 rubbish bins of waste diverted from landfill.

351 M³ of waste



Equal to 702 trailer loads of waste diverted from landfill.

351 M³ of waste



Equal to 716 recycled benches could be produced

351 M³ of waste



Star Student

Well done Ben Costello!

Ben was recently awarded the 'Australian Scout Medallion' the highest award that can be achieved as a Scout. It included months of work and over 40km of hiking over two days - permits, eperubs, tidal times, food, water, emergency routes and to scale topical mapping along with many, many hours of work all arranged entirely by Ben for group of inexperienced hikers.



This is a massive achievement in the Scouting movement and should be congratulated for his efforts!

From St Anne's to Valedictory

Thank you to Sharon who emailed the school this image taken at the Valedictory Dinner.

"These boys started Prep together at St Anne's Primary School in 2006 and have now completed Year 12 in 2018!"





College Services

*Mrs Marie Cameron
College Services Coordinator*



Mother's Christmas Mass and Thank You Dinner

This event will be held on Thursday 22 November with Mass commencing from 6.30pm in the College Chapel. Dinner will be served on the Cameron Centre Decking.

Please RSVP to Nola on 9872 8308 or email mcameron@whitefriars.vic.edu.au

Donations of a gift for a boy or girl (clearly marked) are accepted and donated to St. Vincent de Paul.

Uniform Exchange

Melissa has a room full of College uniforms for sale. Please visit on Tuesday's from 12.30pm to 2pm. The Exchange will be open on Orientation Day (7 December) and Saturday 1 December from 9-11 am.

This is a great time to shop as we have excellent stock in all sizes.

If you have a uniform for sale, please drop it to my office or the Canteen at any time. Please have it drycleaned and leave the tag on.

Lost Property

We have a number of lost books in our cupboard. Please have your son's check their books.

2019 Offers of Assistance

Please remember to return your Offer of Assistance as soon as possible as we are always looking for help in the Canteen or College Services. Thank you in anticipation.



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BOWMORE AVE

9am-1pm

17th NOV

OVER 45 STALLS

FOOD | FRESH PRODUCE | PLANTS

JEWELLERY | COFFEE

KIDS PLAY





Explore unlimited possibilities.

Book a tour and visit our
Eltham campus to discover
the CLC advantage

Final tour for 2018
Wednesday, 28 November
9:00 am

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Soccer Enrichment Program

Term 4 2018

Three week after school program for Grade 4 and 5 students (boys and girls) of all playing levels. Beginners welcome!

Monday afternoons on the college oval:
19 November / 26 November / 3 December.

\$25 per student for the complete program and includes afternoon tea.

Places are limited to 25 students - book early to avoid disappointment.

Bookings at: trybooking.com/YMNP

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