



RSC NEWSLETTER

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WELLNESS PAVILION NEEDS YOUR VOTES

Here is your chance to help make the Wellness Pavilion
("Community mental health and resilience centre") a reality.

Since launching the project in 2015 to build a facility to support the youth in our community to be the best version of themselves, we have generated significant support from community groups, individuals and of course financial backing from Rosebud-Rye Rotary, Bendigo Bank, Commonwealth Bank and many organisations across the peninsula. We all understand the significance of the issues young people face and the importance of resilience in overcoming or preventing mental health issues.

Pick My Project is a Victorian-first community grants initiative, with at least \$1 million in funding available in each metro and regional area. Now it's time to vote!

The process to follow is to pick your three favourite project ideas in your local community and help make them a reality. You will notice that for the purposes of this grant, the project has been listed as the "Community mental health and resilience centre".

To spread the word and register votes:

Click on the link: <https://pickmyproject.vic.gov.au> , then click on 'Browse projects near you'

Select the "Community mental health and resilience centre" to add to your short list.

You will be prompted to register.

When viewing this project, click on the Facebook icon and it will enable you to share this project across your social media contacts.

Don't forget to enter your vote and share the link to the "Community mental health and resilience centre".

Thank you for your support.

WHAT'S ON AT RSC

AUGUST:

- 24: Presentation Ball
Chelsea RSL
- 27: 8B Mt Erin SC 9am-3pm
- 28: Yr 11 Studio Art NGV
- 28-29: 9B & 9E City Experience
Melbourne
- 29: Yr 7 Sport
- 30-31: 9C & 9D City Experience
Melbourne

SEPTEMBER:

- 3: Yr 10 Law
Frankston Magistrates Court
Junior Boys Netball
- 4: Yr 12 Studio Art
Manyung Gallery Sorrento
- 6: SMR Senior Boys Basketball
- 7: Yr 10 Road Smart Program
Yr 12 Studio Art
Southern Buoy Studios

- 10: PARENT TEACHER
INTERVIEWS
12noon-7pm
NO CLASSES
Bookings via COMPASS



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Absence line: Leave a message any time day/night if you know your student will be absent.

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OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY-THURSDAY, 8:00AM - 4:30PM; FRIDAY, 8:00AM - 4:00PM

At Rosebud Secondary College,
teachers are on bus duty from
8:05 to 8:30am and 3:15 to
4:00pm. The yard is supervised
from 8:20am in the morning until
3:30pm in
the afternoon



COLLEGE INFO



**We Can Save
YOUR STUDENTS MONEY**

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The end of the year is fast approaching and its time to think about calculators. Unfortunately prices have gone up but compare our prices to your booklist and you will see we can save your students money.

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UNIFORM SHOP HOURS

TUESDAYS: 8:30AM-11:30AM

THURSDAYS: 12:00PM-5:00PM

2nd HAND BOOKS....

A REMINDER TO ALL PARENTS WHO PLACED BOOKS IN THE 2ND HAND BOOKSTORE TO SELL. PLEASE CONTACT THE BOOKSHOP on 5986-8595 OR DROP IN TO COLLECT CHEQUES FOR ANY SOLD ITEMS.

HAVE YOU MOVED HOUSE OR CHANGED YOUR EMAIL?

PLEASE NOTIFY THE COLLEGE OF ANY CHANGES TO FAMILY DETAILS, OCCUPATIONS, QUALIFICATIONS, ADDRESSES, PHONE NUMBERS & EMAILS ETC.

MATHS TUTORING

Free Maths Tutoring Sessions are on after school each week from 3:00 - 4:00pm

Week 1: Wednesday Day 3 and Week 2: Thursday Day 9

Years 7-9: Room 111

Years 10-12: Room 113

Bring your homework or come to get extra help.

Any questions, please contact the Maths Department at the College.



PRINCIPAL'S NEWS



Really excited to launch our new College logo. Thankyou to all of the participants from the community that put in a design. After much consultation, this is the design that has been chosen. It was important to us that the new design honoured the past and present versions of the school logo. You will notice that the flag is the original as well as the front of the ship. Please note that this new logo will be phased in and there is absolutely no intention to change the college uniform in the near future. We will cease production of the uniform with the current logo and phase in the new logo in the coming years.

The past two weeks have been really busy and as we pass the midway point of term there is still plenty to look forward to. I hope that you were able to come along and see our production of Fame. It was a really enjoyable show and the cast and crew should be very proud of the production. I was in the audience for the opening night and felt immensely proud of the students and staff involved. I spent the remainder of the performances backstage and was extremely impressed at the professional way in which the students went about their individual roles, whether performers or crew. Watching the students work and learn together so collaboratively was an honour and I thank them for allowing me to be backstage and gain this insight.

Active Minds started this week and we enjoyed hosting over 75 Grade 4 & 5 students. This program will continue for several weeks and is supported by both our staff and current students. This week we also had some of our Year 9 students on City Experience. This is a great learning opportunity and I know that they enjoyed it. We have the remainder of the year level going on the camp next week.

Last week the Year 12 students managed to beat the RSC staff in a very tight netball game. Congratulations to the students on your win, and to the staff who managed to not injure themselves! This evening we have our annual Presentation Ball and I am sure that the Year 11 students are very excited. I look forward to seeing them showcase their newly acquired dance skills.

Last week we celebrated Science Week with a range of activities, film showings and competitions. This week we celebrated Book Week and I was lucky enough to be invited to be a member of the Living Library program.

Whilst still over two months away, I want to encourage all members of the College Community to consider entering the Arthurs Seat Challenge. The Challenge is a run/walk up Arthurs Seat, held on November 11. The money raised helps fund the Fit 2 Drive program which is delivered to secondary school students to empower them to make smart road choices. You don't need to be an Olympic athlete to enter, just keen to join #teamrsc.

Lisa Holt
Principal



COLLEGE NEWS

SCIENCE WEEK

Science Week kicked off with STEMania; a live, high energy and high impact theatrical presentation by Perform Education. Using action packed sketches with hilarious and relatable characters, and lots of student participation, Year 7 and 8 students explored how the application of the Scientific Method, using technology, design, engineering and mathematics assists in the solving of real world problems. Students laughed and wholeheartedly enjoyed the awkward journey of these very lovable characters.

The performance seamlessly incorporated this years National Science Week Theme of **'Game Changers and Change Makers'** with a particular focus on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths). The theme encouraged students to celebrate the great scientific thinking and discoveries of the past and reflect on how modern science and technology will shape our future. In our Science classes, students participated in a variety of design and thinking tasks with an particular focus on 'Change Makers'.

In addition, throughout the week, students across all year levels had the opportunity to attend a screening of selected SCINEMA films in the library. SCINEMA is the largest science film festival in the southern hemisphere showcasing the best in science cinema from around the world. Fuelled with popcorn, students enjoyed various Sci-Fi, space and biological films delivered by world renowned scientists like Brian Cox and David Attenborough. The week wrapped up with an expo of student led, design your own investigation experiments in the Science Foyer. Congratulations to **Mykayla Arnold** for winning the Science Week Quiz. The Science department would like to extend our thanks to all the teachers who assisted in the various activities, with special thanks to Ms. Brigden and library staff.

Ms Mavridis





OES NEWS

As this term's Outdoor Education camps come to a close and the lingering aches and pains fade with time, the memories of the events have been consolidated through the retelling of the stories of adventure in all the students that attended the snow camps over the last couple of weeks. The year 11 camp at Mt Baw Baw was a blast literally. All the students camped out for one night and experienced strong wind sometimes rain, snow and cold all at different times. The snow was fresh and the conditions were great for throwing snowballs of which seemed never ending.

Just a week later the year 10 OES students made their way up to Mt Baw Baw for a similar yet more comfortable experience due to the warmth of the lodge and the comfort of having a drying room to dry the snow laden clothes, again due to the copious amounts of snowballs that were being thrown all throughout our trip.



We all snowshoed out the back of the resort and beyond which included some off track sightseeing along the way. The skiing and boarding was fantastic for all apart for a small number of students that experienced the tows not running due to wind hold however we all made the most of our time on the snow where we could.

Many students had their first skiing/snowboarding experiences in both trips and the advancement in skill was dramatic to see. For all those students, the next time they visit the snow it will be with the understanding that they have already completed their first day(s) on snow and the second will be just that much easier because of it.



The snow is the best it has been for many years so if you can get out there and enjoy it while it is still around to enjoy.

Regards Mr Picot—Outdoor Education Teacher



FAME NEWS

Last week the College musical, 'FAME', wowed audiences over four huge shows. Students from year 7 to 12 were involved in all aspects of the production from dancing, singing and acting, to backstage, lighting and sound; the comradeships and friendships formed offstage were just as important as the stunning performances delivered on-stage by each and every cast member.

Nothing brings people together like a school musical and it was wonderful to see friends, family and community members filling the theatre, laughing and cheering in celebration of our students' impressive talents. Two special performances were also held for local primary schools, including a Q&A session where the audience could ask cast members questions about what it takes to be a performer. The cast did an exceptional job in representing Rosebud Secondary College, proudly showcasing what can be achieved through commitment and hard work.

As the costumes get packed away, the set dismantled and the theatre returned to a classroom space, already the question is being asked, "What musical are we doing next year???"

Congratulations cast and crew of FAME 2018 – you were outstanding!

And, don't forget, if you missed the opportunity to be involved in this year's College Production, there's always next year! Ms Mackenzie and Mrs Low—Production Coordinators

"Best show ever !! It's just so good . Can't wait to see it again and again. Talent overload."

"Absolutely amazing! Very professional & such talent!"

"An exceptional cast of talented students."





CAREER NEWS

Scholarships

●●●●● Academic Merit



Each year Federation University Australia award scholarships to the value of

\$5,000 to Year 12 students across Victoria

who enrol in a Federation University Australia course.

The scholarships are awarded on the basis of:

- Excellence/effort in your areas of study
- Contributions to the community
- Contributions to the School
- Principal's Supporting Statement

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Applications open:
6 August 2018

Applications close:
26 October 2018

For further information and how to apply please visit:

www.federation.edu.au/Year12Scholarships

Contact: **03 5327 9340** | **scholarships@federation.edu.au**

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CAREER NEWS

Victoria Police Work Experience Program 2019



Applications for the Victoria Police Work Experience Program 2019 are now open!

The Victoria Police Work Experience Program provides a fantastic opportunity for secondary school students considering a career within Victoria Police. Students are placed at police stations and department units where they will have the opportunity to observe and learn from our Police Officers, Protective Services Officers, Protective Custody Officers and VPS personnel.

Due to the limited number of work experience placements available, it is strongly advised that only students with a genuine interest in a career with Victoria Police are nominated for the program.

Key Dates: Applications will close **4:00pm Friday 31 August 2018**. No applications will be accepted after this time.

You will receive an email notification as to whether your nominated student was successful in obtaining a placement week commencing **Monday 8 October 2018**.

Application Process

Nominations are to be submitted through careers teachers only. Each school can nominate one student to participate in the program for the year. Schools with multiple campuses across various suburbs may nominate one student per campus.

Applications will only be considered if all required forms are completed correctly and signed accordingly. The consent forms are available to download via the [Victoria Police Work Experience Portal](#). These forms will need to be attached at the end of the application under the 'Attachments' section. When uploading these documents – please choose the 'Self Assessment' option for the document type. Selecting another option will not affect your application.

For more information regarding the program, please visit the [Victoria Police Careers website](#) where you can also download a [frequently asked questions fact sheet](#).

Important Information

Please be aware that there has been a change in the application process from previous years. Applications for placements occurring during Terms 1 and 2 of 2019 are to be submitted during Term 3 of 2018. Applications for Terms 3 and 4 of 2019 will be submitted during Term 1 of 2019. We will provide you with an email update in early 2019 with more information regarding Term 3 and 4 placement arrangements.

Please note that if your student is unsuccessful in obtaining a placement for Terms 1 and 2, due to the popularity of the program and to ensure fairness to all students and schools, we will be allocating students to placements based on a ballot. Students names will be randomly selected and allocated to a nominated preferred police station/department unit.

Please be advised that a nomination of a student does not automatically guarantee a placement.

Applications are not to be submitted directly to any police station or department unit; no placements will be arranged outside of this program.



SPORT NEWS

NETBALL TRIUMPH

After a massive Term 2 in the world of sport, three separate netball teams won the opportunity to compete at the Southern Metropolitan Region tournament in Dandenong. The teams put in a number of training sessions lead by some excellent staff & student coaches that definitely showed on game day. The Year 8 Girls team battled hard all day but unfortunately missed out on progressing through to the finals. The Intermediate Girls team played exceptionally well, beating tough competition to progress into the grand final. Unfortunately they came up against some super competition which meant that they finished with the runners up pennant which is a huge accomplishment. The true highlight of the three teams is our Junior Boys team who battled hard all day to take the chocolates and progress into the State Netball tournament which will take place in Glen Waverley on the 3rd of September. The boys will be training hard to be at their best for the tournament and as a college we wish them all the best.



INTERMEDIATE SPORT WRAP UP

Intermediate Sport was on the 14th of August with a large number of students signing up and joining in the fun that getting involved entails. All up we had 4 basketball teams, 2 futsal teams, a table tennis team and a hockey team. Once again we flexed our muscles against other schools in the area with strong results that consisted of two wins, three 2nds and a couple of 3rds. Reports from the students were that everyone enjoyed themselves and relished the opportunity of meeting new friends and acquiring new skills.





SPORT NEWS

INTERMEDIATE BOYS HOCKEY

Congratulations to all the boys on the inter hockey team which dominated the games this week. They remained undefeated after winning 1-0 Vs both Dromana and Mornington, and 2-1 over Mt Eliza. Every single player was a valuable addition to the team. Players deserving of a special mention are: **Josh Flanagan** and **Jack Heap**; **Jacob Sweet** for a superb deflection into goal. Thanks guys for a fantastic day. Macca





SPORT NEWS



ARTHURS
SEAT
CHALLENGE



Arthurs Seat Challenge is a 6.7km FUN run that raises valuable funds for the educational Fit2Drive road safety program that is rolled out to over 24,000 students each year. RSC always has a strong representation on the day and we are looking for more staff, students, families and community members to join in the fun. In the lead up to the run on November 11th we will be holding before school training sessions & joining up with Rosebud ParkRun to prepare for the challenge.

COMPETITION:

Mr. O'Connor & Mr. Dwyer have 8 Adult & 8 Child return tickets for The Eagle Chairlift who are great supporters of the event. To be in the draw to win a return ticket you need to sign up for the run at the link below or search for the group 'ROSEBUD SECONDARY COLLEGE' before the price increase on the 2nd of September. All names of people that are signed up and paid by this date will go into a raffle to win a ticket. To double your chances of winning, share on FB or Instagram any Arthurs Seat Challenge media that encourages people to sign up for our 'ROSEBUD SECONDARY COLLEGE' team and be sure to tag the Rosebud Secondary College FB or Instagram page.

Join up now via this link:

<https://www.registernow.com.au/secure/Register.aspx?E=30909&G=66693>





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COMMUNITY NEWS

National Superhero Week is back for 2018.

Running from **Monday 3 September - Sunday 9 September**, register your event now and join thousands of other superheroes across Australia raising funds and awareness for Muscular Dystrophy!

Register here: <https://www.mycause.com.au/events/>

SAVE THE DATE FOR...

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MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY AUSTRALIA'S NATIONAL SUPERHERO WEEK 2018!

WHEN: MONDAY SEPTEMBER 3rd - SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 9TH, 2018

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National Superhero Week - Register Now!