

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT



Wunman Njinde. The end of Term Three already!

Year 12

The end of Term Three is a key time for our Year 12 VCE students. They have completed all assessment tasks and will start Term Four with a series of practise exams. Following these exams, they will spend the next few weeks revising coursework and preparing for the final exams. The first of these is the English exam to take place on Tuesday 29th October.

The VCE Vocational Major students do not have exams. They will be spending the first few weeks of Term Four finalising tasks and preparing to join the workforce. These students have demonstrated that they are ready to begin the next phase of their life and have developed skills and knowledge that will help them succeed in their chosen careers.

Next term is extremely busy for all our Year 12 students. We encourage them to take some time to refresh but be sure to also spend some time working hard to prepare for the final weeks of secondary school.

Transition for our 2025 Grade Prep class

As exciting as it is for our Year 12 students who are finishing their 13 years of formal schooling, it is equally exciting for our 2025 Grade Preps who have spent the last few Fridays getting used to the routines of school. Thanks to all the parents who have brought their children along to these informal transition sessions. It was obvious to all how their confidence grew over the weeks. By the time we've finished our formal transition sessions in December, we hope that they will all be 'school-ready.' If any parents have questions about these sessions, or about Grade Prep in 2025, please don't hesitate to contact Kelly Scott at school.

Arnold Street

Thanks to Mr Walker for his work with East Gippsland Shire Council to help improve the drop-off and pick-up zone in Arnold Street. We know that this is not yet a finished product. To help improve this zone, particularly at drop-off and pick-up times, we are working with the shire to have a designated crossing installed. In the meantime, we ask that parents try to drop their children off on the school side of Arnold Street, so they do not have to cross the road. If you want to enter the school to collect your child, or speak with teachers, we ask that you please park in the car park opposite the school and escort your child across the road.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call Mr Walker.

Continued

Parent Feedback

Thanks to all parents who completed the Parent Opinion Surveys over recent weeks. The feedback provided helps us to make improvements to how we operate as a school. One of the key areas for improvement is in our communication with parents. As a new school, our relationships and communication processes are still developing. However, our main way of communicating about student progress with parents and families is through Compass. We would like to ensure all parents are accessing Interim Reports, End of Semester Reports and Learning Task Feedback through Compass. By doing this, parents will be able to check their child's progress regularly. If you are unsure how to access this information on Compass, please contact us at school and we'll give you a hand.

Although our school is a little larger, phone calls are still a very effective way of getting in touch with us and we are also happy to make appointments and facilitate face-to-face meetings when required. Please feel free to contact us in the manner that you find easiest and most efficient, and we'll aim to respond as soon as possible.

Peter Seal
Principal

TERM THREE VALUES CARD WINNERS

Week 9—Campbell Edlington, Tojoe Martin, Angus Joiner, Kitty Millward, Lyle Hof, Toby Herbert

Week 10—Evie Crofts, Arthur Clementine, Lachlan Carey, Holly Hanratty, Lily Gardam, Belle Healey



The School Production was, once again, a huge success. The many hours of rehearsals resulted in a very enjoyable evening of entertainment for those who attended.

Student Awards Term 3

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

CHARLIE OWEN—PREP
EDEN EASTON—GRADE 1
SADIE LINDFIELD—GRADE 2
FLETCHER REYNOLDS—GRADE 3
JOE MILLWARD—GRADE 4
CHAD ROGERS—GRADE 5
CHEVY YOUNG—GRADE 6
PEPPAH EVANS-BOMMER—YEAR 7
ZACH OWEN—YEAR 8
LILY GARDAM—YEAR 9
NICHOLAS HENSGEN—YEAR 10
TYSON BILLS—YEAR 11
CAITLIN SCHAFFER—YEAR 12

STUDENT OF THE TERM AWARDS

WESTON GIOVE—PREP
LILY SMITH—GRADE 1
SKYE ROJAS—GRADE 2
BECKY MARTIN—GRADE 3
ELSIE FREEMAN—GRADE 4
RUBY FAITHFULL—GRADE 5
JASPER ANDERSON—GRADE 6
KAYLEY ROBINSON—YEAR 7
ASHA MILLIKEN—YEAR 8
JESSICA HEARL—YEAR 9
FLETCHER KLEINITZ—YEAR 10
MYLES MCKERLIE—YEAR 11
TOBY HERBERT—YEAR 12

ATTENDANCE AWARDS—for students with 100% attendance in Terms 1-3

ROMAN THOMAS—PREP
ALEXANDER HORNER—GRADE 3
HUGH BARNES—YEAR 12



THE PRIMARY
SCHOOL TEAM
AT THE
REGIONAL
ATHLETICS

MUSIC

On Tuesday morning 3rd September, the band 'I Hold the Lion's Paw', performed their show 'Imagination Exploration' at OCC Hall, for an enthusiastic audience. Students attending were Middle School Music (Year 8), Instrumental students, and all OCC Primary students. During Term 3, all primary specialist music classes have prepared by completing activities in improvisation, pitch mapping and composition. Middle school students have also studied improvisation and composition which was the theme of the show. The band involved the students in the performance, with body percussion and even taught the students to count in 2 and 3 at the same time! (Polyrhythm). The music was mostly in 'free jazz' and 'funk' style and actively engaged the audience in music making. Thanks to Musica Viva for subsidising quality music in educational settings.



Secondary regional athletics carnival

On Tuesday 10 September, a small but strong OCC team headed to the Joe Carmody Athletics Track in Newborough to compete in the Secondary Regional Athletics Carnival.

Although our team was hit hard by injury and illness, we competed well on the day . We had numerous students winning medal for high placings (listed below) as well as many other s who put in strong performances in 4th and 5th placings.

Medal winners

- **Jemma Martin—Bronze—1500m**
- **Lara Seal—Bronze 1500m**
- **Daniel Martin—Silver—Discus and Bronze—400m**
- **Harriet Freeman—Bronze—Shot Put**



BOOK CLUBS

In English Years 7 - 9 this term, we gathered together and created Book Clubs.

We got to have a say in what books we had to choose.

We read, got into groups and talked about the book. We did notes for our Book Club and shared them with our group. In Year 7 we studied how characters are made, in Year 8 we studied Historical Fiction and in Year 9 we studied Dystopian novels. We studied Book Clubs to help us read better and work together.

By: Charlie



Advance program

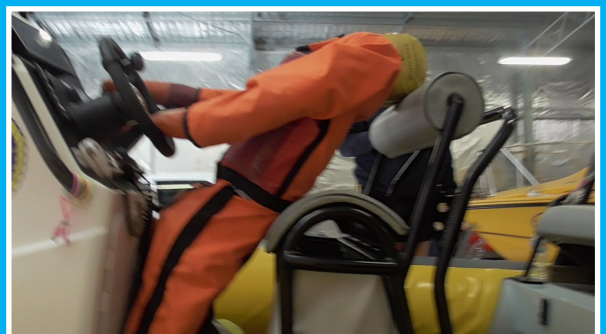
On Monday, Advance went to visit the Marlo Coastguard.

When we were there we played on the boats and jet ski.

We were playing with the practise dummies, one of them was heavy and one was a child, so it was light. It would be hard trying to rescue someone in the water. Afterwards, we went to Robby's house to look at the abalone boat and equipment. It was very interesting .



This page contributed by Laura Light from the School Magazine class.



Beanie Day

On the 2nd of August OCC students and staff participated in a fundraiser for the research of curing brain cancer.

To support the event, everyone wore a beanie and brought a gold coin donation.

The SRC organised and advertised this event for us.

Students thought it was great to see support to help people that have brain cancer.



Submitted by Rose and Allaura from the School Magazine class

Cup cake fundraiser— Wednesday



The Year 7 and Middle School Food classes and the VET Hospitality students combined their efforts to bake hundreds of cupcakes to sell as a fundraiser to support the RSPCA.

They were incredibly popular and the cakes were decorated to perfection! \$335 was made.



CANTEEN MENUS AND PRICE LISTS

OCC CANTEEN MENU 2024 P-6 LUNCH ORDERS

SANDWICHES, ROLLS, WRAPS AND SALADS

1 FILLING OF CHOICE	\$3.50
2 FILLINGS OF CHOICE	\$4.00
3 FILLINGS OF CHOICE	\$4.50
SALAD	\$5.50
HAM/CHICKEN & SALAD	\$6.50
GLUTEN FREE BREAD EXTRA	\$1.00

*FILLINGS: HAM, CHICKEN, TUNA, LETTUCE,
TOMATO, CARROT, CUCUMBER, BEETROOT,
CHEESE*

TOASTIES

CHICKEN & CHEESE	\$4.50
HAM & CHEESE	\$4.50
HAM, CHEESE & TOMATO	\$5.00

SALADS

SUSHI BOWL	\$6.00
ADD POACHED CHICKEN	\$7.00
ADD CHICKEN SCHNITZEL	\$8.00

HOT FOOD

PLAIN MEAT PIE	\$6.00
SAUSAGE ROLL	\$5.00
PARTY PIE	\$1.50
VEGGIE PASTIE	\$6.00
BACON & CHEESE FOCACCIA	\$5.00
HERB FOCACCIA	\$5.00
DIM SIMS	\$1.50
CHICKEN BURGER	\$7.00

Lettuce, tomato, mayo

SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN TENDER
\$2 each OR 3 FOR \$5

NACHOS \$6.00

(corn chips, mild salsa, melted cheese,
sour cream & guacamole)

SAUCE Tomato or BBQ 50c

CAKES AND SLICES

HEDGEHOG	\$4.50
MUFFINS (choc or blueberry)	\$3.50
CHOCOLATE OR CARROT CAKE	\$3.00
ICED FRUIT BUN	\$3.50
DONUT ICED	\$2.50
CINNAMON DONUT	\$2.20
FRUIT SALAD	\$4.50

PACKETS OF CHIPS

LARGE (honey soy, Smith's chicken, Thins original, bal-
samic vinegar) GF \$2.50

SMALL (honey soy, sea salt) \$1.50

DRINKS

OAK FLAVOURED MILK LRG \$4.70

(choc, coffee,)

OAK FLAVOURED MILK SML \$2.50

(Choc, Straw)

NIPPY'S FLAVOURED MILK 375 ML \$3.50

(Choc, Coffee, Honeycomb)

JUICES \$3.50

PUMP FLAVOURED WATER \$4.50

MOUNT FRANKLIN WATER \$3.00

POP TOPS \$2.80

**PLEASE PLACE ORDERS IN CLASSROOM
TUBS BY 9AM**

**IN BROWN PAPER OR ZIPLOCK BAG WITH CORRECT
MONEY**

OCC CANTEEN MENU 2024
RECESS – 10.15AM TO 10.35AM LUNCH – 1.15PM TO 1.45 PM

SANDWICHES, ROLLS, WRAPS AND SALADS

1 FILLING OF CHOICE	\$3.50
2 FILLINGS OF CHOICE	\$4.00
3 FILLINGS OF CHOICE	\$4.50
SALAD	\$5.50
HAM/CHICKEN & SALAD	\$6.50
GLUTEN FREE BREAD EXTRA	\$1.00

FILLINGS: HAM, CHICKEN, TUNA, LETTUCE, TOMATO, CARROT, CUCUMBER, BEETROOT, CHEESE

SALADS

SUSHI BOWL	\$6.00
ADD POACHED CHICKEN	\$7.00
ADD CHICKEN SCHNITZEL	\$8.00

HOT FOOD

PLAIN MEAT PIE	\$6.00
SAUSAGE ROLL	\$5.00
VEGGIE PASTIE	\$6.00
BACON & CHEESE FOCACCIA	\$5.00
HERB FOCACCIA	\$5.00
DIM SIMS	\$1.50
CHICKEN BURGER	\$7.00

Lettuce, tomato, mayo
 SWEET CHILLI CHICKEN TENDER
 \$2 each OR 3 FOR \$5

NACHOS	\$6.00
(corn chips, mild salsa, melted cheese, sour cream & guacamole)	

SAUCE Tomato or BBQ	50c
----------------------------	-----

TUESDAYS ONLY

MINI PIZZA: SUPREME, MEAT LOVERS, VEGETARIAN, HAWAIIAN \$5.00

WEDNESDAYS ONLY

SUSHI – vegetarian, sweet chilli	
chicken, poached chicken	\$3.00

CAKES AND SLICES

HEDGEHOG	\$4.50
MUFFINS (choc or blueberry)	\$3.50
CHOCOLATE OR CARROT CAKE	\$3.00
ICED FRUIT BUN	\$3.50

FRUIT SALAD	\$4.50
--------------------	---------------

PACKETS OF CHIPS

LARGE (honey soy, Smith's chicken, Thins original, balsamic vinegar) GF \$2.50

SMALL (honey soy, sea salt) \$1.50

DRINKS

OAK FLAVOURED MILK LRG	\$4.70
OAK FLAVOURED MILK SML	\$2.50
NIPPY'S FLAVOURED MILK 375 ML	\$3.50
JUICES	\$3.50
PUMP FLAVOURED WATER	\$4.50
MOUNT FRANKLIN WATER	\$3.00
POP TOPS	\$2.80

ICE CREAMS

CALIPPO	\$1.40
ICY TWIST	\$1.60
CYCLONE	\$2.60
MILO SCOOP SHAKE	\$3.50
YOGHURT TWIST	\$2.50

PLEASE PLACE ORDERS AT OFFICE BEFORE 9AM SO YOU DON'T MISS OUT

ONLY A LIMITED SELECTION DURING RECESS AND LUNCH

CALENDAR DATES—SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER

TERM 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
23 SEPT-4 OCTOBER	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TWO WEEKS	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TWO WEEKS	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TWO WEEKS	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TWO WEEKS	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS TWO WEEKS
7-11 OCTOBER	UNIT 3 & 4 PRACTISE EXAMS	UNIT 3 & 4 PRACTISE EXAMS	UNIT 3 & 4 PRACTISE EXAMS	YEAR 12 CAMP	YEAR 12 CAMP
14—18 OCTOBER					YEARS 7 & 10 IMMUNISATIONS
21—25 OCTOBER			GRADE 5/6 BEECHWORTH CAMP YEAR 12 LAST DAY OF CLASSES	GRADE 5/6 BEECHWORTH CAMP	GRADE 5/6 BEECHWORTH CAMP

UPCOMING EVENTS: 29 OCTOBER—ENGLISH EXAM
 30 OCTOBER—SOLOS NIGHT
 30 OCTOBER—INDIGENOUS GAMES WITH SWIFTS CREEK
 1 NOVEMBER—GLASSES FOR KIDS PREP TO GRADE 3



PO BOX 270
ORBOST VIC 3888

POSTAGE PAID ORBOST
