



**Kurnai College**  
PATHWAYS TO SUCCESS

## Churchill Newsletter

Friday 5th April, 2019

### KEY DATES

- 5 Apr PARENT TEACHER CONVERSATIONS 10AM - 1PM
- 5 Apr END OF TERM 1 - STUDENTS NOT REQUIRED AT SCHOOL
- 23 Apr START TERM 2
- 25 Apr ANZAC DAY- PUBLIC HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED



## Message from our Campus Principal - Cleo Lazaris

### PARENT TEACHER CONVERSATIONS

Our first Parent/Teacher conversations for 2019 were held on Thursday, 4th April from 3.30pm to 7pm and today, 5th April from 10am to 1pm, the last two days of Term 1.

I would like to emphasise the importance of us working together to help your child be the most successful they can be.

A proven way to help students achieve their potential is for parents and carers to attend Parent Teacher Conversations, together with their child. Both parents and students can hear not just how the student has been doing at school, but what they need to do next to continue their growth and improve their achievement.

Students in Year 10 who are studying a VCE subject will be able to book an appointment through the same booking system, however the teachers are located at our University Campus.

### REFURBISHMENT OF SCIENCE ROOMS

Works will begin during the school holidays on Stage 1 of the refurbishment of our Science rooms. The project is expected to continue for all of Term 2 but will cause minimal disruption as classes will be moved to rooms currently offline. We very much look forward to rooms which will be light filled and designed to promote the use of technology, team work and collaboration. The addition of a seminar room will give access for all classes to a space specifically designed as viewing or presentation room.

#### College Principal

Anthony Rodaughan

#### Campus Principal

Cleo Lazaris

**School Hours:** 8:25am - 2:45pm

Students are supervised from 8:10am - 3pm

#### Churchill Campus

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**Attendance  
Hotline**

**5132 3711**

## Message from our Principal continues...

### AWARENESS DAY

On Tuesday, grade 5 and 6 students from our feeder primary schools spent the day at our school to experience a 'day in the life' of a Year 7 student. Students participated in a range of activities in core and non-core classes. I would like to extend my gratitude to Celeste Sanderco and her team of teachers for providing a wonderful opportunity for our Primary School students. We understand that going to high school can be an uncomfortable concept for some so we hope that our transition programs help to break down any misconceptions or concerns.

### Cuppa and Chat with Cleo

The next catch up will be Tuesday 14th May, 2019 from 9.30 -10am.



Happy  
Holidays!

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## Year 7 News .....

### ATTENDANCE

As attendance at school is the key to accessing an education, we are going to celebrate the students who have shown an outstanding attendance of 95%. Next term those who have achieved 100% attendance will be shouted a lunch on behalf of the Year 7 team. If your child is going to be away for medical reasons, we request you seek a medical certificate to be handed in at our office on the return to school. Where possible, we request appointments to be made, and holidays scheduled out of school hours, or during the school holiday break. We understand that this is not always possible, and are more than happy to arrange work for your child to catch up on.



Celeste Sanderco  
Year 7 Team Leader  
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### LEARNING BEHAVIOUR REPORTS

As you would be aware the Learning Behaviour Reports were published last week. We would like to congratulate the following students who received a result of 3.8 or above.

- Rieka Arbon
- Meg Renwick
- Andy Tyrrell
- Tahlia Runge
- Harry Townsend
- Tom Bolton
- Chris Bolton
- Ella White-Seath
- Flynn Hanson
- Bella Molinari
- Beth Mortlock
- Chloe Doller
- Daniel Bonica
- Kayla Schmidt

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### AWARENESS DAY

Tuesday we held our annual Awareness Day for our local grade 5/6 students. Kurnai hosted over 240 students, and had a successful day programing robots, playing spelling games, creating wooden boxes, exploring elements of science and a large pony express game. This days success was helped by all of the Year 7 students who attended and supported the grade 5/6 students in their groups. We cannot thank those students enough for volunteering and being prepared to display the Kurnai Pillars. Thank you.



Celeste Sanderco  
Year 7 Team Leader  
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### SCHOOL CAMP

Students who have returned camp forms, please ensure the deposit (and rest of the camp) are paid asap. If you would like assistance in this please contact our front office.

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# Year 8 News .....

## LEARNING BEHAVIOUR REPORTS

The March Learning Behaviour Reports were completed and made available to both parents/guardians and students on the 29th March. These reports show how your child has been working in their classes over the last five weeks of Term 1. These reports give parents and guardians the opportunity to have the conversation with their child about how they are working in class time. These reports do not comment on a student's academic ability, but instead the skills that are also transferrable to the work place.

## ALL-STAR AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who achieved 3.5 or higher in their March Learning Behaviour report. The All-Star Award is to acknowledge the effort and diligence that the students are showing in their classes.



Lindy Gumpold  
Year 8 Team Leader  
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William Bonnici Charlotte Bourke Travis Colson Beth Daddo Drew Ewald Alex Gore Andrew Hunt Bailey Jones	Katelin Mansfield Jenna McLauchlan Zoe Nickson Maddy Salmon Jaz Saunders Tom Walker Gemma Whykes Zoey Lenser	Danielle Richards Alyssa Dixon Lola Clifton Oriana Dale Hayden Dent Ali Flynn-Deery Owen Towers
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## MARCH ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to the follow students for achieving 100% attendance.

William Bonnici	Charlotte Bourke	Beth Daddo
Alex Gore	Andrew Hunt	Bailey Jones
Jenna McLauchlan	Joel Tactor	Tom Walker
Gemma Whykes	Leah Hughes	Zoey Lenser
Corey Xuereb	Brooklyn Bordonaro	Mitchell Jay
Gia Alkoury	Emmalee Baker	Sam Ryan

## STUDENT ABSENCES

A big thank you too all parents and guardians who are continuing to help us to keep track of student attendance. Please continue to make sure that you do let the school know, by contacting the school prior to 9am where possible if it is expected that your child will be away from school. You may leave a voice message on the absence voice mail, which can be accessed 24hours a day.

College Absence phone number - 5132 3711

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### EQUIPMENT

A reminder to students and parents that appropriate equipment needs to be brought to class. Students who are not prepared for class waste valuable learning and teaching time by leaving the classroom to collect this equipment. Students should have more than one pen, ideally a pencil case, as well as an exercise book on which to write on in class. Please make sure that your child has the necessary equipment for their classes. Students are reminded that they are not to bring bags to class, nor are students to leave bags outside classrooms, which seems to be an increasing problem. Bags found outside classrooms will be removed and placed in the Year 8 Office.



### PBS COUPONS

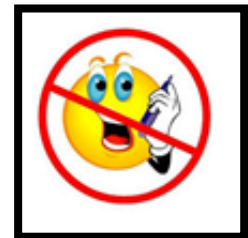
This year the students, once again, have the opportunity to exchange their PBS coupons, that they receive from Kurnai staff when they display a behaviour from the Four Pillars – Relationships, Engagement, Excellence, or Work Ethic – for a prize from the display cupboard, which is the Wellbeing Office.

A reminder to all Year 8 students that when they receive a ticket that they need to place the tickets into the PBS box, which is located in the Library.



### MOBILE PHONES

Teachers are still having to remove mobile phones from students who are not placing their phones in the mobile phone holder at the start of each class. Students are required to place their mobile phones in the phone holders which are located in all classrooms when they enter the classroom. If your child brings their phone into the classroom and does not place this in the phone holder the phone will be taken by the teacher and returned at the end of the school day. A mobile phone is not to be used instead of a laptop or calculator.



### STUDENT LAPTOPS

A reminder that students are expected to have a laptop and that students need to bring their laptop to all classes. Staff in the Year 8 team will be working to determine which students have their own laptop or will need to access a school laptop in the short term. Laptops are provided to students for short term loans when they are without a laptop as their own may require repairs. These students are issued with a laptop borrowing card. When students forget to bring their laptops to school they miss valuable class time by going to the library to borrow a laptop. If parents and guardians could support the school by checking that their child is taking their laptop to school that would assist with trying to develop good organisational habits.

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### EASY LEARNING CLUB

**When:** Wednesday afternoon

**Where:** Churchill Campus Library

**Time:** 3:00 to 4:15pm starting in Week 3

**Contact:** Mr Barrie



Lindy Gumpold  
Year 8 Team Leader  
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### NOTES

Please remember that students require notes from Parents/Guardians for the following:

- Out of uniform
- Not having PE uniform
- Being late to school
- Needing to leave school
- Not having the correct equipment
- Being sick or injured and unable to participate in certain classes.

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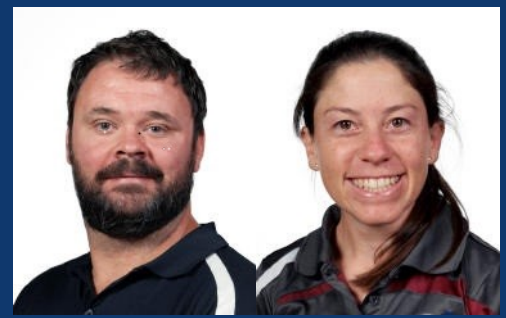
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## Year 9 News .....

What a great start to the year it has been and it is hard to believe that the Easter break has come about so quickly. The Year 9 team would like to commend the Year 9 cohort with their efforts in displaying behaviours aligned with Kurnai College's four pillars; work ethic, engagement, relationships and excellence. These behaviours have been consistently recognised throughout the term in the various areas of the school. Well done Year 9's and keep up the great work. We would like to wish all the students and their families a safe and enjoyable break.



Glen Stephenson & Mary Corponi  
Year 9 Team Leaders

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### PARENT TEACHER CONVERSATIONS

Parent Teacher Conversations were held Thursday 4th and Friday 5th of April. This was an opportunity for families to meet the teachers that work with your child and discuss any concerns or questions you might have as well as the work and growth the students have made over Term 1.

### LEARNING BEHAVIOUR REPORTS

Last week students were able to access their Learning Behaviour Reports via Compass. Students can use these reports to reflect on their learning behaviours and set themselves goals to improve their time spent in the classroom and surroundings. Congratulations to the following students who achieved a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.8 or higher. These students will receive a hot chip lunch to celebrate.

Bonnie Sykes  
Carmela Cardillo  
Alison Heffernan  
Kayley Answerth  
Tayeisha Galea

Jordyn Bryce  
Thomas Hoghton  
Jasmine Croft  
Tamsyn Walker  
Lea Chahoud

Mia Sturre  
Lance Townsend  
Bridie Byrne  
Matilda Wakefield  
Breeanna Croft

Dylan Dunstall  
Riley Franks  
Claire Irving  
Zac Schill



### TEAM TIME - TERM 2

Next term our focus for Team Time will be careers. Early in the term students will complete some testing which will be reviewed and analysed with the aim to help them discover their unique strengths, preferences, and interests to produce tailored suggestions for career areas, subject choices and educational pathways. Students will then individually meet with a careers counsellor and engage in a meeting to discuss their futures and educational opportunities. By the end of term 2, students will have begun their Career Action Plan and will use this as a guide when students will have the opportunity to attend a career job skills expo in term 3. We encourage families to take some time to discuss career aspirations as well as career pathways preferences over the up coming weeks with their child as it is valuable in creating more specific direction for students as they begin to enter the final years of their high school education.

### ABSENCES

We remind parents and guardians that if a student will not be attending school for the day to ring the Absent Hotline on 5132 3711. This line is open 24hrs a day and will be sent as a message to our administrative team to forward onto relevant teachers. If students will be away for an extended period of time, please ensure you let our administrative team know and they can forward the message to team leaders so work and support can be arranged for students to complete whilst at home.

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# Year 10 News .....

## THE TERM AHEAD

TERM TWO	TASKS
Wk 1 Apr 22-26	<b>Mon 22<sup>nd</sup></b> Public Holiday <b>Thurs 25<sup>th</sup></b> Anzac Day
Wk 2 Apr 29-May3	
Wk 3 May 6-10	<b>Tues 7<sup>th</sup></b> Fed Uni Experience Day - Business (selected students only)
Wk 4 May 13-17	<b>Churchill: Work Experience</b>
Wk 5 May 20-24	<b>Churchill: Work Experience</b>
Wk 6 May 27-31 <i>Assessment Week</i>	
Wk 7 Jun 3-7 <i>Assessment Week</i>	<b>*Year 11 &amp; Year 12 INFORMATION EVENING 5<sup>th</sup> June (2019 VCE &amp; VCAL Courses)</b>
Wk 8 Jun 10-14 <i>YR10 Exams (TBC)</i>	<b>Wed 12<sup>th</sup></b> GAT (Year 12 VCE subjects) / <b>Wed 12<sup>th</sup></b> STUDENT SUBJECT INFORMATION DAY <b>VETIS Taster Day (TBC)</b>



### WORK EXPERIENCE (Term 2 from Monday 13th to Friday 24th May)

The Year 10 team continue to work alongside your child as they prepare to embark on two weeks of work experience in Term 2. By now your child should have two potential workplace sites organised with the necessary paperwork submitted to their Team Time teacher. If this is not the case I, again, encourage you to chat with your child about their progress and options. Any concerns or questions please contact any member of the Year 10 team.

Students who are undertaking work experience within the building industry (such as building, plumbing, electrical) must attain a Construction Induction Card before commencing their placement. No person is allowed to enter constructions sites without having completed the necessary training. Students who have confirmed or indicated a work placement within the building industry have received an enrolment form. This must be returned by Friday 22nd March. The training will be undertaken on Tuesday 26th March from 8:30am at Churchill Campus.



### COURSE COUNSELLING

As soon as students return from work experience they will be launching straight into course counselling for their 2020 pathway (VCE or VCAL). Students will be made aware of all the opportunities available to them in terms of course counselling on their return.



### ATTENDANCE

Kurnai College has high expectations of all students. The Year 10 team will continually communicate to the Year 10 students and their families the expectations around attendance, behaviours and wearing correct uniform.

We appreciate your support on these matters and this week draw your attention to notifying the school if your child is absent and signing out your child from the front office if you collect your child early from school.



# Year 10 News .....

<b>CONGRATULATIONS</b> to the following students who achieved 3.5 and above for their most recent Learning Behaviour Reports:	<b>... and a HIGH FIVE</b> to the students who achieved 3 and above - you are well on your way to achieving 3.5!
Charlize DOLLER Bethany BLAKELEY Kiarna CLUDERAY Jessica HOGHTON Sophie BELLINGHAM Chloe HUIZER Hayley DONNELLY McKenzie TINGAY Brayden GILLESPIE Azriel HALGE Riley STEVENS Dylan KAMPHUIS Adam ROUGHEAD Kelly NICKSON Deklan TWYEROULD Boyd MAKEPEACE Ryan RUNGE Courtney HOWELL Oliver STURRE Shannae DUREA Christopher TERESI Zachary CARLSON Gavin RICHARDS Hayden DWYER Tige RENWICK	Amy KUIJPERS Molly SAWYER Darci KOVACEVIC Jack CHESSUM Teia ABBOTT Crystal TAYLOR Joss WARD Jazmin BRAZIER Alannah WEBSTER Breanna AMEERBEG Sophie KOOTSTRA Keihla MCKAY Matthew MCCAFFERTY Benjamin ADETIFA Lachlan BEVIS Sage PINKERTON Hayley SHAW Mya MCDONNELL Tayissa MILLER Jarrah HECKER Sophie DWYER Reece BROWN Jye WILSON Hannah MEDDINGS Tristan LEHRNER Jeremy COURTIS Kayla PARMENTER Rhys LUXFORD Courtney-Rose BAKER Liam BEEDALL Liam JONES - SULLIVAN Mitchell BRUERTON Tristen WAACK



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## Calendar of Excursions / Camps

### Year 7

Date	Excursion	Cost	Form & Payment Due Date
21-24 May	Camp Coolamatong	\$345	22/3/19

### Year 8

Date	Excursion	Cost	Form & Payment Due Date
13-17 May	Karoonda Park Camp	\$490	7/3/19

### Year 9

Date	Excursion	Cost	Form & Payment Due Date
14 May	Cloudstreet	\$45	26/4/19
7 & 21 May	Film Project	\$NIL	6/5/19

### Year 10

Date	Excursion	Cost	Form & Payment Due Date
26 Apr	Yakult Factory	\$20	2/4/19
9-13 Sep	Tasmania Camp	\$930	28/3/19

### All Years

Date	Excursion	Cost	Form & Payment Due Date
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**WE WANT OUR STUDENTS TO TELL US WHAT THEY THINK!**

We value student voice as a means to improving student engagement, wellbeing and quality instruction and are conducting a survey to find out what your child thinks of our school. The Attitudes to School Survey is an annual student survey offered by the Department of Education and Training to assist schools in gaining an understanding of students' perceptions and experience of school. Our school will use the survey results to plan programs and activities to improve your child's schooling experience.

All students from at our school will participate in the survey. Your child will complete the survey online during school hours using a purpose built secure online survey tool. It is important to note that we are not in any way "testing" your child. Your child has the right to refuse or withdraw from the survey at any point before, during, or after completion of the survey.

Your child will be provided with a unique login to complete the survey. The student login is an assigned identifier that may be used to link data for statistical and research purposes only. All responses to the survey are kept anonymous in the response file. Personal identification data will not be recorded in the survey response file. This ensures that the confidentiality of your child's responses is protected at all times.

This year the Attitudes to School survey will be conducted at our school over the period Monday 29 April to Friday 7 June. The survey only takes 20 minutes to complete and occurs during your child's class time.

The survey results will be reported back to the school before the end of term 2. All survey data that is made available in reports are for groups of students only so that no individual student can be identified. Data suppression rules are used for schools with low student numbers per year level.

If you would like more information, please speak to your child's teacher or visit: <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/teachers/management/improvement/Pages/performsurveyat.aspx>



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**ITS NOT OK TO BE AWAY**

Each campus of Kurnai College will this week be celebrating with students whose attendance was 90% or above this Term. The College is focusing on raising our attendance rates across the board so that all students are aware how important it is to be at school everyday to get the most out of their education. At Kurnai the focus of improving attendance will take many different forms from celebrating success at one end for those attending 90%+ of the time to daily phone calls home at the other end where unexplained absences are deemed to be too high.

Success at school is very closely linked to attendance. If a student is not present to hear the teacher's explanations, not there to participate in discussions, not there to learn from those around them and not there to listen to different points of view, their learning will suffer. Of course if a student is ill or there are other important family matters a student will be absent. For all these absences an explanation should be provided to the school as soon as possible after the absence.

We encourage all parents and guardians to discuss the importance of attending everyday with their student because **ITS NOT OK TO BE AWAY**.



## Kurnai College Hockey Team

Mrs Fitzpatrick and Anita Charles (parent helper) are looking to enter an under 15's Kurnai College team into the local hockey competition.

( U13s and U18s who are interested in playing can be helped to find a local team )

All under 15's games are held on Saturday morning at the Federation University field.

The season runs from April to September. Registration and club fees are approximately \$100 for the calendar year (Jan-Dec and includes social hockey over summer)

Training will be held on Thursdays at lunchtime.

All equipment can be provided but players will need to purchase their own mouthguard.

Please see Mrs Fitzpatrick in the Year 8 office if you are interested.

Players from last year's SSV teams are encouraged to join.



Beginners are welcome.

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As the new school year begins its important to keep in mind that attendance at school is compulsory for all students 17 years of age and under. Every student should be at school, in class learning from the experiences that are carefully provided for them.

Of course there will be times when a student is sick and it is unavoidable to be absent. We fully understand that from time to time illnesses will impact on attendance. So will events outside the control of the student, for example close family bereavement. If these events do occur, a parent should provide an explanation to the school through the Absence Hotline.

All studies show that the more time is spent away from school and school work is missed the more likely a student will begin to disengage and not perform to their capacity. This will affect future learning and ultimately employment prospects later on.

All parents and guardians should strongly encourage their student to attend school every day. Setting out a regular morning routine will help to make getting to school easier for your student. Remember that ITS NOT OK TO BE AWAY.

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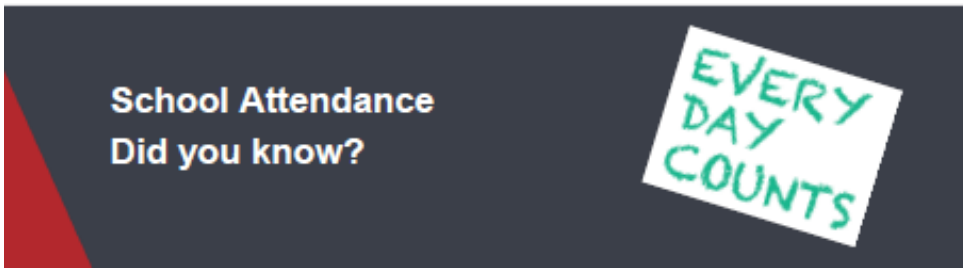
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An advertisement for 'School Camps &amp; Excursions'. At the top, a row of colorful cartoon children is shown. Below them, the text 'School Camps &amp; Excursions' is written in a blue, playful font. In the center, a large red text reads 'Time is running out to claim your \$225 per student'. On the left and right sides, cartoon characters are shown running with briefcases. At the bottom left, there is a sample 'Health Care Card' from the Australian Government, Department of Human Services. The card is green and white, with 'SAMPLE' written diagonally across it. To the right of the card is an equals sign followed by a stack of Australian \$200 banknotes. At the bottom of the advertisement, there is a dark blue box containing white text: 'If you are an eligible Health Care Card holder you may be missing out on \$225 per student CSEF money (Camps, Sports &amp; Excursion Fund). Don't delay contact Kurnai Morwell Campus ph 5165 0600 | or | Churchill Campus ph 5132 3700 | or | University Campus ph 5132 800 Forms must be completed before June 21 2019 — DON'T DELAY—IF UNSURE PHONE US'

Insert your school Logo here



	<p><b><u>Your child's attendance is on or above 95%</u></b>                  They are likely to be a "Star Performer" as well as an excellent attendee. They will almost certainly achieve the best grades for their ability and have real opportunity in further education and the world of work.</p>
	<p><b><u>Your child's attendance is 90 – 94%</u></b>                  "Green for go" for good attendance. They are likely to achieve grades that will give them real opportunities for continuing their studies and their future in the world of work.</p>
	<p><b><u>Your child's attendance is at 85 – 89%</u></b>                  "Amber Take Care!" They will be missing up to 20 days each year and this will make it difficult for them to achieve at their best level educationally.</p>
	<p><b><u>Your child's attendance is 80-85 %</u></b>                  "Red light - Be alert!" They are missing so much school that it will be very difficult for them to keep in touch with lessons or schoolwork.</p>
	<p><b><u>Your child's attendance is below 80%</u></b>                  "At Risk – immediate action needed!" They are missing so much time from school that it will be almost impossible for them to keep in touch with lessons or schoolwork.</p>

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**Attention ALL 2019 Year 11 and 12 students**

Would you like to attend the Mt Hotham Camp in 2019?

Mt Hotham is a well-known ski resort approximately 4-5 hours drive from Churchill via Omeo. The main activities undertaken on the camp will be downhill skiing and/or snowboarding.

The camp will run from Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July to Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2019. Students must be at the University Campus bus stop at 10.00am on the Sunday. We intend to return to Kurnai College (University Campus) at approximately 9.00pm on the Friday. Students will be staying at a Ski Lodge located at the top of the mountain. The total cost of the camp will be **approximately** \$1650.00 which includes:

- Resort entries
- Accommodation
- All meals
- Lift
- Lessons
- Night skiing on Wednesday evening
- Ski/Snowboard Hire including carve skis, boots and poles or board and boots
- Transport to and from Mount Hotham
- Hotham hoodie jumper

Students will need to pay a deposit of \$300 if they would like to secure a position for the camp by 1/12/2018. We have organised a payment plan in an effort to give families the opportunity to finalise the full payment by 2.00pm on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2019. While we understand this is an expensive camp we strongly believe that this is the most economical way of giving students the opportunity to participate in Alpine Snow sports. All students who participate in this camp will come home exhausted and thoroughly satisfied with their experiences, bubbling with stories of the thrills and spills they encountered.

In order for this camp to proceed, we require a minimum of 20 students to attend and will cap the attendance at 25 students. In the event of us not receiving enough interest, we will have to cancel this camp and, in this instance only, your deposit will be refunded.

Students are expected to have a good behaviour history and an average or above average fitness level. Parents will be notified if their child is in danger of losing their invitation to camp due to poor behaviour at school. These decisions will be made by the Principal, in consultation with the advocate team and Camp Coordinator.

Additional information will be provided to your child as time gets closer to ensure your child is properly equipped for the camp. Their safety and comfort will depend on this. If students don't have the required equipment they may be able to borrow a snow jacket and pants or alternatively this clothing can be hired from Mt Hotham.

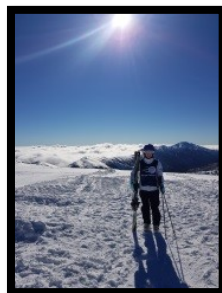
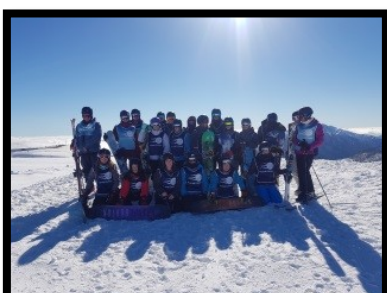
Ambulance membership is highly recommended as a trip in an ambulance from Mt Hotham can cost thousands of dollars if you are a non-member. We also recommend travel insurance for an additional cost.

If you have any further queries, please contact Mrs Candy White, the Camp Coordinator at the University Campus on 5132 3800.

The link below provides a video of students attending a camp to Mt Hotham. Please visit the below link to gain more understanding of what adventures you will get up to if you decide to attend the Mt Hotham camp in 2019.

<https://vimeo.com/143574333>

Kind regards, Candy White.

**Kurnai Pillars****Work Ethic**

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**Relationships**

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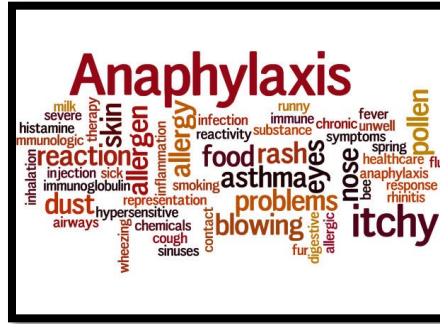
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Does your child have a current Asthma Action Plan or Anaphylaxis Management Plan?

#### Annual Update Anaphylaxis and Asthma Management Plans

Whilst your child is attending school and suffers from these medical conditions, it is your responsibility each year to supply the school with updated medical information from your family doctor. This information is retained by the school so that should a medical issue arise the correct medical treatment is administered.

Please contact your family doctor to arrange an updated Management Plan as soon as possible. Once you have the plan please ensure that the school is given this information as soon as possible.

College Principal: **Anthony Rodaughan**  
 Campus Principal: **Cleo Lazaris**  
 Homework Tutor: **Glen Stephenson & Rebecca Lynch**  
 Phone: 5132 3700



## Kurnai College

welcomes all students to  
**Churchill Campus'  
 Easy Learning Club**

**Do you need help with Mathematics, English  
 or any other subject?  
 We're here to help!**

**When: Wednesday afternoon  
 Where: Churchill Campus Library  
 Time: 3:00 to 4:15pm**

**Food Provided**

**Bring yourself. Be ready to chill and learn at your own pace.**



## Kurnai Pillars

### BREAKFAST CLUB

Each Thursday morning 7.50-8.25 in the cooking room (end of science wing)

Free food. Varies from toast, egg and bacon sandwiches, pancakes or hot milo.

Music and games to play.



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**Music Expression of Interest Form**

The following instruments can be taught at Kumai College:

- **Woodwind**
  - o Flute
  - o Clarinet
  - o Bass Clarinet
  - o Saxophone



- **Voice**



- **Brass**
  - o Trumpet/Coronet
  - o French Horn
  - o Tenor Horn
  - o Baritone
  - o Trombone
  - o Euphonium
  - o Tuba



- **Percussion**
  - o Drum Kit, Congas, Glockenspiel, Xylophone, Vibraphone, Timpani



- **Strings**
  - o Guitar
  - o Bass Guitar



- **Keyboards**
  - o Electric Keyboard/Piano



All of the above musical instruments can be hired from the College if the student does not already have an instrument. Students wanting to learn Percussion need to have their own drum sticks. Percussion, Guitars and Keyboards are not hired. Contact the Music Director if you have any queries.

Please fill in and return bottom slip to Kumai College.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Campus Attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument wanting to learn: 1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Parents/Guardians Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you learnt a musical instrument before? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, what was it? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have your own instrument? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, which instrument? \_\_\_\_\_

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# The Gippsland Youth Drama Workshop

*Established 1993*  
Over 2000 Students  
70 Original Productions  
20,000 Audience Members

**Come & Put on a Theatre Show, Learn About  
Performance, Have Fun, Gain Confidence &  
Make New Friends!!!**

*2 Production Groups Per Year*

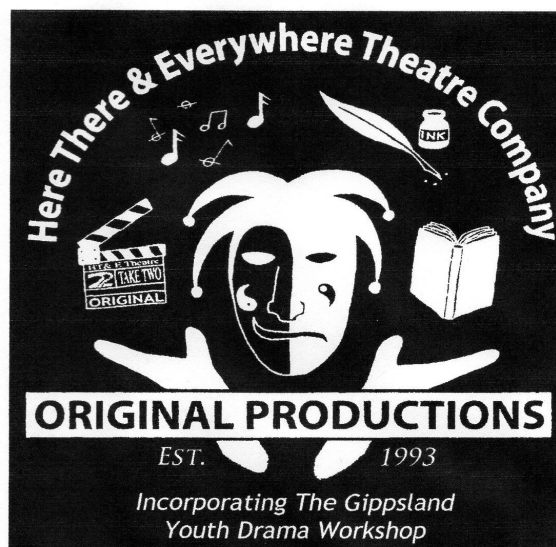
**Classes Designed for  
Solid Reading Age / Upper Primary School through to 17 Years Old**

## **Incorporating:**

- **Drama Games & Theatre  
Sports Activities for  
Confidence & Team Building**
- **Improvisations of Characters  
& Stories**
- **Writer's Workshop to Build  
an Original Show**
- **Establishing Themes & Plots**
- **Original Music**
- **Rehearsal Technique**
- **Voice Projection**
- **Final Production for Family,  
Friends & the Community**

**Wednesdays  
5 - 6:30 in Morwell**

***Cost \$20 Per Session***



**Bookings Essential / Places Limited**  
**Contact Director Phillip A Mayer**  
**on 0409 878 688**

The Director is assisted by a Dedicated & Experienced  
Crew including Technical Director, Musical Director,  
Stage Manager, Production Manager  
& other Key Supporting Production Personnel

*Gippsland's Longest Running Youth Theatre Program  
Helping Create Stars for Life*



**G & S  
TENNIS ACADEMY**

**Glen: 0408762679**  
**Sally: 0403282630**

## Come play tennis at the Churchill Tennis Club

**"HOTSHOTS Tennis"**  
A program teaching children aged 4 – 12 the basics of the game.

**"Let's Play Tennis"**  
A program for children aged 12 and above. Groups available for those that have never played before and for those that want to improve on their current skills.

**FREE 'Come and Try' Days**  
Call for times

**FREE trial lesson available for all programs.**  
**FREE junior racquet and Hotshots t-shirt for new players**  
Call now for more information

**SPECIAL 'Girls in Tennis'**  
Program for Grade 3 – 8 girls running throughout 2019. A great opportunity to learn how to play tennis in a social - girls only **FREE** tennis program.

**PROGRAMS for adults of all ages – beginners or experienced – get fit, learn/improve skills in a fun, social environment**  
**Five week Monday night competition starting Feb 4**


# Tutoring


**Mathematics**

- Primary or Secondary
- Adults
- Budgeting (no financial advice)

**Computer skills**

- Excel (Spreadsheets)
- Word
- Powerpoint



**Miriam Pickett**  
ABN 158 4818 1824  
 0427 196 223

- Private sessions
- Small groups
- If there is another area not mentioned, please ask to see if I can help

## RE: Secondary School Vaccine Program

The Secondary School Vaccine Program offers free vaccines to help make sure students and communities are protected from diseases such as diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, human papillomavirus (HPV) and meningococcal A,C,W,Y.

Local councils deliver the program and schools distribute the information and consent card booklets.

The Public Health and Wellbeing Regulations 2009 authorises secondary schools to provide their local council with student and parent/guardian contact information for any student scheduled to receive a vaccination. This information assists local councils to follow-up parents/guardians of students with incomplete or missing consent cards.

What information goes to local council?

Schools provide the following basic student and parent/guardian contact information:

Student name, gender, date of birth, year level, class, language(s) spoken at home

Parent/guardian names, phone numbers, email and postal addresses

Why do schools provide this information?

To ensure all Year 7 and 10 students are offered the opportunity to access free vaccinations at school.

To improve communication with parents/guardians regarding their child's vaccination needs

To reduce the administrative burden on school staff to follow-up consent cards

What do I need to do?

Your information will be provided to Latrobe City in March 2019. If you do not wish for your details to be provided, please advise the school in writing before 28 February 2019.

Read the information provided in your child's consent card booklet and complete all sections, regardless of whether or not you consent for your child to be vaccinated as part of the school-based program.

Detach Part A of the consent card booklet with all fields completed, and return to school.

Every day vaccination saves lives and makes it possible for Victorians to live free from the illness and disability caused by many infectious diseases. All Year 7 and 10 Victorian secondary students can receive these vaccines for free.

For further information please go to the following links:

<https://kurnaicollege.vic.edu.au/assets/files/policy/Privacy%20Policy%20V3.pdf>

<https://www.betterhealth.vic.gov.au/health/healthyliving/immunisation-in-secondary-schools>

<http://immunehero.health.vic.gov.au/immunisation-info/parents-and-guardians/>

<http://immunehero.health.vic.gov.au/immunisation-info/students/>



## Could \$500 help you with school costs?

Join Saver Plus and we'll match your savings, dollar for dollar, up to \$500 for school costs.

- |                    |                      |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| laptops & tablets  | lessons & activities |
| uniforms & shoes   | books & supplies     |
| sports fees & gear | camps & excursions   |

To join Saver Plus, you must be at least 18 years or over; have a child at school or attend vocational education yourself; have regular income from paid employment (you or your partner); have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card and be in receipt of an eligible Commonwealth social security benefit, allowance or payment\*



Contact your local Saver Plus Coordinator  
 Phone or SMS your name and postcode to 1300 610 355  
 Email [LatrobeValleySP@berrystreet.org.au](mailto:LatrobeValleySP@berrystreet.org.au)  
 Online [saverplus.org.au](http://saverplus.org.au)  
 Find us on Facebook



\*Many Central payments are eligible, please contact your local Coordinator for more information. Saver Plus is a initiative of the Department of Social Services and AGE, delivered in partnership with Berry Street, The Brotherhood of St. Lawrence and The Smith Family and other local community agencies. The program is funded by AGE and the Australian Government Department of Social Services. Go to [www.age.gov.au](http://www.age.gov.au) for more information.



Looking for a fun inclusive sport?

Looking for a friendly welcoming club?

Then Morwell Cougars baseball club is for you!

- Looking for tee ball players (under 10) as well as under 13 under 16 and seniors players
- No previous playing experience needed come have a go!
- Our first training will be April 2nd from 4:30pm with a bbq to follow

See our Morwell Cougars Facebook page for details or contact our club president Chris Happleston on 0499 459 272.

# BUSHFIRE RELIEF CONCERT

All funds raised go directly to the  
Gippsland Emergency Relief Fund

**SUNDAY 7 APRIL**

**12NOON TO 5PM**

AGL Loy Yang Power Latrobe Community  
Sound Shell Victory Park, Traralgon

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# YOUTH IN THE PARK

## FREE MOVIE, GAMES AND BBQ

Bring your mates and join us for a free and fun arvo out!

- Outdoor movie *Infinity Wars*
- Bring a blanket/rug
- Food trucks including barbecue
- Try something new: finska, kubb, dodgeball, soccer, spikeball, rock up netball
- Water provided, bring bottle

**Saturday  
6 April**

3 - 5pm activities

5 - 7pm movie

Morwell Town Common

**Free event**



For more information: Latrobe City Council Community Resilience team on 1300 367 700.



**Tango GIPPSLAND**  
STUDIO

# Learn to Tango

If you can walk - you can Tango

No Partner or Experience required

Tango Gippsland is a not for profit community activity

[www.tangogippsland.com](http://www.tangogippsland.com)  
[www.facebook.com/TangoGippsland/](https://www.facebook.com/TangoGippsland/)  
[carlos@tangogippsland.com](mailto:carlos@tangogippsland.com)  
0419 098 083

**TRARALGON - WARRAGUL**

**WHERE :** VRI Halls  
**WHEN:** Tuesdays: Traralgon, 7-9pm  
Wednesdays: Warragul, 7-9pm  
**COST:** \$6 including supper

ALL AGES, ALL ABILITIES WELCOME



# Churchill Community Market

Market is held in the  
CHURCHILL HOTEL CARPARK

**SATURDAY 6<sup>th</sup> APRIL**  
**9.30AM TO 1.30PM**

- Music from DJ Keith and the FM104 team will be there as well as great live performances by local talented duo Naomi and Barry White.
- Great food, Pancakes, Burgers, hot Chips, great Coffee & more
- Jumping Castle for the kids & other free activities
- Make a free Smoothie on the Blender bike
- Lots of new stalls selling Local products and food produce



THE MARKET IS SPONSORED BY  
THE CHURCHILL HOTEL MANAGEMENT  
&  
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For information on the Market or  
stall bookings contact  
Bob on 0408 377 781 or Bill on 0418 327 287 or  
Email [Churchill.lions@gmail.com](mailto:Churchill.lions@gmail.com)



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Churchill Junior Basketball Association Winter season 2019 April to September

**Games Nights**

**Monday**

U/12 Boys	Players Born 2008 & 2009
U/14 Boys	Players Born 2006 & 2007
U/14 Girls	Players Born 2006 & 2007
U/17 Boys	Players Born 2004 & 2005
U/17 Girls	Players Born 2004 & 2005

**Friday**

U/10 Boys	Players Born 2010, 2011 & 2012
U/10 Girls	Players Born 2010, 2011 & 2012
U/12 Girls	Players Born 2008 & 2009

Registration link can be found at  
[churchilljunior.basketball.net.au](http://churchilljunior.basketball.net.au)

Closing Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April

Enquires please contact Amanda  
0412460916