2015 DSC SKI CAMP

From left: Abbey, Ceilidh, Katie and Mia

Three perfect fun days at Mt Bulla experiencing success
Skiing and Boarding

COMING EVENTS
Reminder: Curriculum Day – Student Free Day tomorrow 21 August
DSC Production – 3, 4, 10, & 11 September
Parent Teacher Interviews – 17 & 18 September
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- VCE Writing Workshop 3.30 – 4.30 in S1.
- Maths After School Help - in B4 from 3:30pm to 4:30pm.
- Senior Study Sessions after school in Senior Centre. Science Help, lunchtime A8

**21st August**
- Curriculum Day/Student Free Day

**21st August**
- NAPLAN results posted to Years 7 & 9 families

**1st September**
- DSC Production Matinee

**3rd September**
- DSC Production - 7.30pm

**4th September**
- Our School Raffle tickets money, ticket stubs and unsold books to be returned to the general office

**10th - 11th September**
- DSC Production – 7.30pm

**17th September**
- Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews 4pm – 6.30pm after school

**18th September**
- Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews 9am – 12 noon

**October**
- Parent Forum – 7pm to 8pm

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If you have any questions please contact the office.

Thank you.

CURRICULUM DAY
Friday 21 August - Student Free Day

Students are not required to attend school tomorrow

Sale of DSC “Olivia” Production Tickets

Tickets can be purchased from

Monday 24 August

at the School General Office

(Adults $15.00 Concession $10.00 and Family $35.00)
2015 DSC Production

Daylesford Secondary College
Presents -

"Olivia!"
By Malcolm Sircom

'OLIVIA! A female Oliver!

As the name suggests, "Olivia" is based on a favourite character from children's fiction-the orphan Oliver. However, not only does this musical substitute the lovable boy character for a girl, but it also entwines other familiar faces such as Eliza Doolittle, Ebenezer Scrooge, George Bernard Shaw, Sherlock Holmes and Dr Watson.

This brilliant and innovative show, set in Victorian times, traces the steps of Olivia, from downtrodden orphan to star of the stage. On her journey to the bright lights of London, she is befriended by Eliza Doolittle [from "My Fair Lady"] and, after a series of adventures, becomes a singer in a new Gilbert and Sullivan show, thanks to the unlikely assistance of Fagin and The Artful Dodger [from "Oliver!"].

Dates:
Thursday 3rd September
Friday 4th September
Thursday, 10th September
Friday, 11th September

Time: 7.30 pm

Venue: Daylesford Secondary College Theatre

Tickets:
Adults $15.00
Concession $10.00
Family $35.00

Available at the General Office from 24th August.

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Video Recording of the DSC Production

Previously, College friend Ivor Bowen has made a video recording of each production with his commercial grade video camera. Sadly, Ivor has since passed away and the existing College video facilities are not quite up to the desired standard. So if you are a parent or supporter and have a commercial or semi commercial grade video camera that you could loan to the College for one night of recording, we would love to hear from you. Contact Brendan Murray at the College if you might be able to help.

ARTS
Visual Communication

Calling all budding artists and designers!
Entries are now open for the 2015 School Magazine Cover Design Competition. Cover designs can be created, using any materials, in either an A4 or A3 format. Entries can be left at the office or submitted directly to either Ms Penaluna or Ms James by the end of this term. The winner will not only win a fabulous prize, they will also have their talents showcased on the cover of this year’s school magazine!

Don’t miss out – get your entries in NOW!

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students,

Every year we publish our school magazine highlighting the year’s events, student achievements, class photos and other memorable items. To ensure that your child receives a copy we need to receive a payment of $15.00 by the end of this term. Payments can be made at the general office or by phone on 53482367.

Kind regards,
Jenny Penaluna and Amelia James
Magazine Coordinators

School Magazine
Visit to the Jewish Holocaust Centre

Year 11 History student Seydonie with Holocaust survivors Jack Fogel and Abe Goldberg.

Recently, the Year 11 History class had the opportunity to visit the Jewish Holocaust Centre in Elsternwick. The visit proved to be a profound and impacting experience for the students. Jack Fogel, a sprightly ninety year old survivor of the Auschwitz extermination camp and the Nazi death marches, had the students mesmerized with his powerful and moving story of persistence and will to survive.

The students also toured the Holocaust Museum and had further access to Jack and another ninety year old survivor, Abe Goldberg. Our students were enormously grateful for the privilege of having such close access to these two incredible men.

On their return to school, the students wrote reflective pieces about their experience. These are some of their comments:

“Hearing Jack’s story brought tears to my eyes.”
“Jack truly inspired me…he told us to be tolerant of other people because in the end we are all human beings and we should all look out for each other.”
“After visiting the Holocaust Museum I realised that this is something that no one should ever joke about, but remember all of the terrible acts that occurred.”
“It would take 60 MCG’s to accommodate the Jews that died during WWII.”
“Hearing just one person’s story was so sad, inspiring and world changing.”

2015 SKI Trip

Ski Camp 2015

We enjoyed three perfect days on the slopes – it snowed throughout Wednesday, we had fresh snow for skiing and boarding on Thursday and the sun shone for us on Friday. Whilst a few minor injuries occurred, there were no major incidences (though some of our juniors did get to ride down the mountain on a skidoo) and all our first timers were experiencing success by the end of their lessons on the second day.

Students enjoyed free time on the mountain practicing what they had learnt in their lessons and several students perfected the art of snowman building.

Thank you to all those who attended ski camp this year. Your behavior, time management and organisational skills were exceptional; the gratitude expressed by many of you and your parents has been overwhelmingly appreciated.

To help us improve the ski camp experience, we encourage you to provide us with feedback by completing the survey which you can find on the Student Quick Links page of the DSC website.

Left: Mia, Abbey, teacher Ms Erin Low & Katie
The semi-finals of the Royal South Street/ACU debating challenge were held on Monday. We had teams in all divisions and every debater was excellent.

In the junior division, Antigone, Chiquita and Holly (with emergency Angie) debated Clarendon in the topic that bribery is sometimes acceptable. We took the negative.

In the middle school section, Annie, Mia and Eve (with Chloe as emergency and researcher) took the affirmative against Loreto in the debate that this year’s ANZAC commemorations were overdone.

At the senior level, teams were not given the topics until 45 minutes before the debate. Both debates were against Clarendon and both were again on the theme of ANZAC.
Jade Callan and Lotus

Congratulations to Katie, Maya and Dywana, and Jade, Lotus and Callan.

Two teams have won through to the grand final. Annie, Mia, Eve and Chloe are arguing the negative in the debate that our politicians are failing us, while Jade, Lotus and Callan are also negative, with the topic being that happiness is no laughing matter.

Congratulations to our awesome debaters.

Helen Robinson - Debating Coordinator.

LOTE - Italian News

We have once again been very busy in our Italian corner of the school. July 24th saw us hosting Italian students from Liceo Curiel in Padua and the students from Belmont High School who went to Italy earlier in the year with seven of our students. It was a wonderful day where we got to showcase the local area and the legacy of the Swiss and Italian immigrants. Students enjoyed the water of the mineral spa and participated in a walking tour of Hepburn.

They stopped at Villa Pama, Bellinzona Guest House, The Savoia Hotel and The Old Macaroni Factory. At each of these locations DSC students of Italian acted as tour guides and gave some insight into the Swiss and Italian stories behind these buildings both in English and Italian.

DSC, Belmont High School & Liceo Curiel

A smile for the camera after a ‘Meet and ‘Greet in C-Wing

As photos show above, students also visited the Old Macaroni Factory which they loved as the visiting Italian students had watched the film, “Love’s Brother” the day before.

Jenny and I would like to thank parent, Greg Michael who treated the staff to lunch at Clify’s Emporium. Greg wanted to meet the teachers from Italy and Belmont and shout us all lunch as a gesture of his appreciation. We thank Greg for his hospitality and the visiting staff really loved the food and ambience of Clify’s.

When asking one of the Italian students whether he had enjoyed the day he said, “Si, molto” and that it was “Strabello”, meaning extra beautiful. The day was also a great opportunity for the students who did not go to Italy to meet with the Italian students and in a small way, be part of the exchange.

For the students who went to Italy the day did not end there. They hopped on the Belmont bus and continued on to Geelong where they were hosted Friday night by Geelong families and Saturday and Sunday we all took part in an overnight camp at Tanybryn in the Otway Ranges.
The exchange with Belmont and Curiel has been a wonderful experience for our students and the friendships that have been formed are strong and continue. One Year 10 student tells me that she writes to her Italian host asking for homework clarification from time to time. “Strabello!”

Maria Mazzitelli - Italian KLA Leader

**Italian Day at Hepburn Primary School**

Last Thursday a group of Years 8, 9 and 10 students were invited to Hepburn Primary School to take part in their Italian Day activities. On arrival we were treated to a wonderful Italian lunch, including a choice of pasta, garlic bread, cordial and red, white and green marshmallow, custard and cream deserts, prepared and served by Hepburn Primary School parents.

After lunch our students got dressed in their costumes and practised their plays or mixed with the Hepburn Primary School students in their playground. This was also a chance for some of our students to say hello to old teachers or play with younger brothers, sisters and friends. After the lunch break our Years 9 and 10 students performed two comic Italian plays. Our student performances were excellent and the primary school students enjoyed them very much.

Finally, a group of Year 8 boys and girls performed the Tarantella on stage then taught everyone in the audience how to do it. It was a great to see our students teaching the younger students and everyone having lots of fun.

We would like to thank Hepburn Primary School Italian teacher, Fiona Cooper, for inviting us to share their Italian Day, and the parents who gave us a warm and generous welcoming lunch. Last but not least thank you to HPS students for sharing your day with us and to DSC students who participated on the day. Once again, you were a credit to our school.
LOTE Italian teacher, Ms Maria Mazzitelli with her Year 9 Class

Right: Rubi

The students worked one on one with the grade 1’s and 2’s to improve their motor skill development and also look at the different coaching styles appropriate for the age group.

Jese enjoying working one on one with a younger student

SPORTS

Year 11 Physical Education: Sports Coaching

Last week our Year 11 PE students had the pleasure and experience of coaching students from St. Michael's Primary School.

Left: Seydonie coach two young St. Michaels Primary School students

Left: Robbie coaching a young student.
**Year 7 & 8 Eureka Basketball**

Last week at the Miner Dome the Year 7 and 8 teams competed in Eureka Basketball competitions. The Year 7 Boys team and the Year 8 Girls teams finished 2nd overall, winning 3 out of the 4 games while the other 2 teams also played extremely well on the day. Thanks to the coaches – Adam Raak, Harrison Nevill and Alex Hitchman for their time and effort.

**Alex Hitchman coaches Year 8 Girls for a win**

**Year 7 Girls Basketball Team**

**Year 8 Boys Basketball – Ned shoots for goal**

**Defying the Drift - Rotary Program for Year 10 & 11**

**Defying the Drift**

A Rotary program for year 10 & 11 secondary students interested in rural careers and lifestyles.

Includes 3 day residential course at Marcus Oldham College: Mon 28th - Wed 30th September 2015.

Closing date for applications: 31st August, 2015

For more information visit: [www.rualsupport.org](http://www.rualsupport.org)
Thank you to the Hepburn Shire Council for providing a bacon and egg breakfast to staff and students on Tuesday. We appreciate the support of Hepburn Shire Council for our monthly community breakfast program.

‘DSC Students enjoying a hot breakfast’

Above: Damon and below Redford

Above: Marlin and below: Harper

Schoolies Living Consciously Retreat

Schoolies with a Difference

29 Nov - 6 Dec  $200 Enrol (includes all food and standard accommodation & yoga classes)

"Here’s a way to let go and step out of all the academic work and intensity experienced over the last year. Take a break.

You can experience deep relaxation and find stillness and peace within which will carry over into your everyday life. This is an opportunity to learn from your experience and to gain tools which you have for life."

Along with classes in yoga postures, relaxation and meditation The Living Consciously program includes: twice daily group discussions and integrating the mindfulness yoga philosophy subjects into the daily ashram sustainable lifestyle. The cultivation of mindfulness brings steady focus and concentration, develops lasting tools to create and maintain balance and harmony in life, no matter what circumstances are being experienced.

The Schoolies Living Consciously program provides a systematic framework wherein you can share lifestyle skills, community living, develop skills in self-observation, awareness in the power of choice, and learn how to make lasting positive personal and professional choices for your next exciting options in life:
observe and become conscious of physical actions and sense experiences;
• become aware of your thoughts, emotions, energy and its effects on the mind, and attitudes of positivity and negativity in daily life;

Read more... Schoolies Living Consciously Retreat

Senior Learning Community

Year 12 Practice Exams 2015
During the September holidays, we plan to run practice exams for several courses on Thursday 24th and Friday 25th September. At this point, we are hoping to hold the practice exams at The Daylesford Inn, however, this is yet to be confirmed as it will depend on how many students are interested.
The following subjects are offering formal practice exams:
  o English - Thursday 9:00 -12:15pm
  o Revolutions - Thursday 12:45 - 3.00pm
  o Psychology - Thursday 3:30 -5:45pm
  o Philosophy - Friday 9:00 -11:45am
  o Literature - Friday 12:15 -3.00pm
  o Specialist Maths - Friday 3:30 - 5:45pm

Students who wish to attend should complete the online form which can be found on Student Quick Links.
Response must be in no later than Thursday 27th August 2015. Students will be notified of the outcome via email.

Ace Your Exams Session:
All students in a Units 3 & 4 subject must attend the Elevate Education ‘Ace Your Exams’ session on Friday 4th September from 12 – 1pm in C1 & C2. This will be free session aimed at assisting students to gain skills to prepare for their exams. Students should ensure they arrive promptly and have a pen to take notes with.

VCE Exam Period:
Students and their families should familiarise themselves with their exam timetable. More important information regarding exams will follow in coming newsletters.

The exam timetable can be found at http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/Pages/vce/exams/timetable.aspx

Driving to School:
Students who wish to drive to and from school should make an appointment to see Mr Holmes to discuss this prior to beginning to drive to school.

Natalie Kirby
Senior Learning Community Manager

Mastering the VCE Exams tsfx Program
To assist students in their preparations for their Year 11 and/or VCE examinations, tsfx is running an examination skills program “Mastering the Exams”. This program has been designed to provide students with beneficial skills that will help optimize examination performance, as well as strategies that will maximize concentration and learning. Many of the skills and techniques that will be addressed have been proven to cut down on study time and significantly improve marks, but are not known (or practiced) by the majority of students. Valued over $200 Mastering the Exams lecture is free of charge. We do, however, require that students participating in this program make a minimum $10 donation to “The Fred Hollows Foundation” charity representatives that will be in attendance on the day. Please refer to the flier below for further information or www.tsfx.com.au ph: 03 9663 3311

Absences
Congratulations to the many students who are managing to maintain a high rate of attendance. There are many coughs, colds and chills around at present so if you are unwell, stay home, otherwise, continue to maintain maximum attendance.

School Uniform
School Council is currently considering the introduction of a rugby jumper for our sports program. It is anticipated that the rugby top will be based on school colours and will be an optional part of our school uniform.
Student Support at Lunch Time and After School

**SCIENCE Help Tuesdays**

If you need a bit of help with any Science homework or classwork come along to a catch up and help session every Tuesday lunchtime in A8. *Bring your lunch and whatever you need help with of a science nature.*

**After School MATHS Help**

Maths teachers are available to help students with their homework or other maths work after school every **Tuesday 3:30 to 4:30**. Students should bring their maths work and necessary equipment to **B4**.

**Tuesday Night SENIOR STUDY Sessions**

Senior students are invited to attend our senior school study nights on Tuesdays after school. Some senior staff will be available to assist students with their study during this time.

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**MIPS & Careers Update**

**Week 4 Term 3 2015**

**Careers News** - Daylesford Secondary College visits **Federation University** Last Friday Marg Cattanach accompanied a group of Year 10 students to Fed Uni’s Outreach session.

**Above:** Annamieke, Sharni & Jacki Investigating *‘Earth’s Aliens’*

**Right:** Harrison leaps high

**Below right:** Ethan, Reuben and Harrison building their racing car

**Left:** Aidan and Sophie selecting materials

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**Year 9 – 2016 Work Experience - Policing**

Any students interested in applying for the Victoria Police Work Experience Program should make a careers appointment **immediately** to register their interest.

**Years 10, 11 & 12 - OPEN DAYS continue**

- Sun 23 Aug – **Box Hill Institute; Deakin** (Burwood); **Victoria** (Footscray)
- Sun 30 Aug – **ACU** (Ballarat); **Federation** (Ballarat & Gippsland)

**And - OPEN DAY at Burnley Campus** – find out about **horticultural courses** (accredited and non-award), and learn about sustainable gardening and horticultural practice at Melbourne’s Burnley campus. **When:** 10am-4pm, Sat 5 Sept; **Info:** [http://events.unimelb.edu.au/events/2332-burnley-open-day](http://events.unimelb.edu.au/events/2332-burnley-open-day).

**General Reminders:**

- **RMIT September Holiday Short Courses** – Live Music, Audio Production, Production, Lighting, Photography; **Information:** 9925 8111, enquiries@rmit.edu.au and [www.shortcourses.rmit.edu.au](http://www.shortcourses.rmit.edu.au).
- **RMIT Flight Training Day** – at Point Cook. Meet flight instructors and learn about careers; 10am-4pm, Sun 23 Aug at RAAF Williams Base, Point Cook.

Year 12 Students Reminders:
If you wish to apply for some Fine Arts specialisations at the University of Melbourne (VCA), applications close early - 28 Aug. They are: animation, dance, film and television and screenwriting. Also note the early closing date for La Trobe University’s ASPIRE scheme. - 31 August 2015.

Difficult circumstances, Disadvantaged financial background or Disability or medical condition
All students making SEAS applications (other than Category 1) should ensure they make a Careers appointment within the next week. Appointments are available during lunchtime and after school.

National Institute of Circus Arts
NICA is accepting applications for auditions for its accredited courses for 2016. These are: Bachelor of Circus Arts, Certificate IV in Circus Arts and Certificate III in Circus Arts.

Horticulture Apprenticeship – Ballarat
A Ballarat, well-established Horticulture business is seeking a person to undertake a gardening apprenticeship. Applicants would need to be fit and active and keen to learn all aspects of the industry. This position is open to males or females and the employer would prefer someone who either has their driver’s license or is close to gaining it. Whilst this position would preferably start in September the employer is flexible and would allow applicants to complete their school year. Interested persons should send their applications to itrigg@vecci.org.au

Automotive Modern Apprenticeship Program
Vantage Automotive P/L is a provider of government funded vocational learning and outsourced services to major vehicle manufacturers with an extensive client list across Australia. Applications are now being sought from students interested in the motor industry as an automotive technician or parts advisor. For information: www.vantageautomotive.com or email reception@vantageautomotive.com or ph. (02) 8014 8990. Successful applicants will be offered employment at a dealership close to their home.

University of Melbourne
A degree that offers multiple employment options - Bachelor of Agriculture
Agriculture is a sector where productivity growth is booming and it contributes significantly to the national economy. The University of Melbourne has consulted widely with industry, employers and graduates to develop the new Bachelor of Agriculture. You will study soil science, plant science and animal care, and learn to work in teams to improve animal production and welfare through to addressing climate change and food sustainability. There are MANY career opportunities available for graduates, and positions are often difficult to fill due to a shortage of applicants. NOTE: the B. Agriculture is a possible pathway into studying veterinary science at the University of Melbourne.

Music at Melbourne – Melbourne Conservatorium of Music (MCM) has the most comprehensive range of music courses in Australia, an offering enhanced next year by new specialisations as part of the Bachelor of Music. Students can already choose to specialise in Music Performance, Composition and Musicology/Ethnomusicology but in 2016 they will have the option of Jazz & Improvisation or Interactive Composition as two new specialisations. These two specialisations currently sit within the BFA (Contemporary Music) at the Victorian College of the Arts (VCA) but will move across to the MCM. Learn more: http://mcm.unimelb.edu.au.

New Bachelor of Engineering at La Trobe University
La Trobe is introducing an innovative new B. Engineering (Honours) degree in 2016. Designed to meet the changing needs of industry and to boost graduates’ job prospects, the new degree is unique in Australia and follows international trends offering:

• Multidisciplinary focus – robotics, electrical, manufacturing and mechanical engineering
• Two common years, followed by multidisciplinary engineering or civil engineering
• Engineering-specific business units – developing commercially-minded engineers
• Design units – developing engineers who have a holistic view of projects and management
• Six months Work Integrated Learning placement opportunity embedded into the degree, supported by a $10,000 scholarship – guaranteed for students at the Bendigo campus with limited places available for Melbourne (Bundoora) students.
Graduates will be prepared for new roles in emerging industries, will be well positioned for roles as engineers, project managers and engineering consultants in manufacturing, resources, infrastructure development, healthcare, consulting, and the government sector.

**Take a Tour of Victoria University (Vu) by Video**

See virtual tours of VU's Footscray, Flinders St, Queen St, St Albans and Sunshine campuses, completed using Steadicam and drone technology; soar over Flemington Racecourse and Footscray Park, see a sport science lab in action, take a seat in a live moot court, step inside a construction site, explore an anatomy lab and more.

See it on the Victoria University YouTube channel: [www.youtube.com/VictoriaUniversity](http://www.youtube.com/VictoriaUniversity)

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**COMMUNITY NEWS**

**Invitation to Romsey Primary School 150th Anniversary Open Day**

**Romsey Primary School 150th Anniversary Open Day**

**Saturday October 24th**

from 10.00am – 4.00pm

All past students, families and staff of Romsey Primary School are invited to our 150th celebration at the current school site in Station Street, Romsey. Visits to the old school will be available, and there will be displays, demonstrations, a mini market day, and gourmet bar-b-cue lunch on the day. An official ceremony will be held at 2.30pm. Other activities in Romsey over that weekend include a special screening of Dusty at the Mechanics Institute with an old time supper afterwards on Saturday evening, a special World Children’s Day activity program at Sydney Seymour Cottage (hosted by the Romsey Lancefield Historical Society) on Sunday and a family picnic day at the old school site also on Sunday. Some of the local cafes, restaurants and hotels will be offering special deals for those attending the Open Day at Romsey. All good reasons to come along and catch up with old acquaintances!

For further information visit the Romsey Primary school website [www.romseyps.vic.edu.au](http://www.romseyps.vic.edu.au) or call 03 5429 5099. Email your attendance to romsey.ps@edumail.vic.gov.au

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**MATHS Help**

Ms Arndt is available for help with maths. Call her on 5476 4420 to discuss your needs.

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**ENGLISH Help**

Experienced English and VCE English tutor available Monday or Friday daytime (if you have study periods) at the Daylesford Library, or Monday and Friday evenings from 4pm at the Daylesford Neighbourhood House. Call or text Cate for details and bookings on 0450 413 540.
WANTED – CASUAL STAFF

Trentham IGA Country Grocers is on the look out for capable and reliable staff members to join our team. We are after people that are able to work across all areas of the store. Applicants must be able to:

- be available for weekday night shifts (4pm – 7pm) and weekend shifts (times vary)
- be physically capable of lifting heavy things and doing it repetitively
- have an RSA if over 18yo (or be able to obtain one within 3 months of employment if over 18)
- be able to use basic maths to operate scales and cash registers
- be reliable and able to work within a team environment
- must have a great work ethic

Either see Pam with your resume or email it to trentham@countrygrocers.com.au

Pocket Astrophysics

Tomorrow Night!
Friday 21 August - 7pm

Daylesford Town Hall

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Pocket Astrophysics with Professor Orsola De Marco of Macquarie University, Sydney on Friday 21 August. DSC students have a wonderful opportunity to be involved in the Words in Winter Festival in August.