



BROADFORD SECONDARY COLLEGE NEWSLETTER

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COMING EVENTS

August

Mon 7th—Tue 8th
Production Camp

Thur 10th
Production Night 1

Fri 11th
Production Night 2

Round Robin

Sat 12th
Production Night 3

Tues 15th
Pupil Free Day

Fri 18th
Yr 7 Splash Excursion

Fri 25th
Out Of Uniform—Book
Character Theme

Thur 31st
Koori Bushwalk

September

Fri 1st
Yr 8 Broadlands Stalls

Fathers Day Breakfast

Thur 7th
SR Athletics (Shepparton)

Fri 8th
Yr 8 Broadlands Stalls

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Congratulations to Mark Boland and Lisa Hanson for 35 years of service to public education. Both Mark and Lisa attended a ceremony acknowledging their work, last week in Shepparton. Well done to you both, 35 years is an extraordinary effort.

Last week we held our Mid-Year awards ceremony at a full school assembly. It was great to see so many families attend and I'm always very proud to acknowledge the great work of our students. The assembly allowed all staff and students to be a part of the ceremony. This was the first time the College has held this event during the day and we welcome any feedback.

We wish Natasha Beggs all the very best with the upcoming arrival of her baby. Natasha has commenced maternity leave and is replaced by Brett Groves.

Each year all schools are asked to conduct a Parent Opinion Survey. This survey will be sent home to randomly selected families and helps the school in future planning. If you are requested to undertake the survey, please support the college by spending 10 minutes giving constructive feedback.

Last week the College held its annual "Creating My Footprint" event, which supports students moving from Years 9 & 10 into Years 10 & 11 respectively. Parents attended an information session, to begin with, and could view displays of different faculties and VET courses, along with a one-on-one course counselling interview to support subject selection for 2024. It was great to see so many families in attendance and the feedback has been extremely positive. We aim to ensure all students are studying the subjects that will support their chosen future pathway. If you have any further questions related to this day or course selection, please contact Deb Boyd (Careers/Pathways Manager) or Ashley Mann (Acting Senior School Manager). Congratulations to Ashley for being the successful applicant for the Acting Senior School Manager's role, Jason Stradella will backfill Ashley's role as a Learning Specialist for E-Learning.

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Principal: Ms Tania Pearson

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT CONTINUED

Thank you to all the families who volunteered to host our visiting Japanese students. By all reports, they had a fabulous time and will go home with lifelong memories of their experience in Australia. Many other students were keen to spend time with the Japanese students to practice their language skills. Thank you to Steph Paton for her work in organising this, Steph is our staff member of the month for going above and beyond with this event.

Last week I had the privilege to attend the Term 2 Community Pride celebrations, acknowledging the great care and kindness for others shown by our students. Thanks again to our Wellbeing team and NEXUS Health for supporting this event each term and thank you to our families who took the time to attend.

Ms Tania Pearson

Principal

Happy Principals Day

Tania Pearson, Mark Boland, Cathy Coppinger and Matthew Willison enjoying morning tea in recognition for their hard work and dedication on Principals Day.



PARENTS / CAREGIVERS / GUARDIANS SURVEY.

The Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey is an annual survey offered by the Department of Education that is designed to assist schools in gaining an understanding of families' perceptions of school climate, student behaviour, and student engagement. A random sample of parents will receive an invitation to participate in the survey. The survey is optional but we encourage all families chosen to participate.

Our school will use the survey results to help inform and direct future school planning and improvement strategies.

The Parent / Caregiver / Guardian Opinion Survey will be open from Monday 7 August to Friday 8 September 2023. Information about accessing the survey will be distributed via Compass closer to the survey data.

The survey will be conducted online, only takes 20 minutes to complete, and can be accessed at any convenient time within the survey period on desktop computers, laptops, tablets or smartphones. The online survey will be available in English and 10 other languages including Arabic, Greek, Hakha Chin, Hindi, Japanese, Punjabi, Simplified Chinese, Somali, Turkish, and Vietnamese.

Mark Boland

Assistant Principal



Lockers

All students are allocated a locker when they begin at Broadford Secondary College.

Students are also allocated a combination padlock to use during their time at the College.

If by chance the lock will not open due to mechanical error we will replace it with another lock, but any lock that is damaged due to misuse or misadventure or is lost by the student will incur a \$15 replacement fee.

Students are also expected to remain in their allocated locker within their House area.

Student Locker locations are also rotated on a yearly basis.

PE NEWS



Year 9 SEPEP – Term 3

In Year 9 PE this term, all classes are participating in an exciting SEPEP Sporting Competition. SEPEP stands for Sport Education in a Physical Education Program, where students take on various roles like coach, captain, team manager, scorer, timekeeper, organiser, umpire, and reporter to run a round-robin sporting competition within a team environment.

As part of their responsibilities, students are required to serve as reporters. In this role, they observe and write match reports on the games that take place during their PE lessons. These reports are then shared in the school newsletter or on the school's Facebook page. Today, we have decided to showcase some of the excellent match reports that students have written during their time on duty!

Year 9 A&B and Year 10 Girls SEPEP

Friday the 28th of July were the first few dodgeball matches that were played. Each game went for a total of 10 minutes. This game was between 'Wolf Pack' and 'Karate Goats', with the team 'Bad Girls' on duty. Right as the game starts, Wolf Pack manages to get 2 players out. As the game continues Wolf Pack has only 4 players left on the court but still gets a cone knocked down on Karate Goats court. Wolf Pack scores a point as all Karate Goats players are out. On the next round, Wolf Pack uses good strategy as it begins by knocking any other spare dodgeballs back. The game gets intense with all players getting quite competitive. Kieran is able to knock over the opposite team's cone, while Brodie catches a ball, that Riley threw.

Karate goats also snuck in a point, just a couple of minutes before the timer goes off. Both teams played very well!

By Ava, 9B

The date is the 31st of July and the teams that played were the Pookie Bears and the Karate Goats. Our best players were Riley and Alyssa. The team that won, was the Karate Goats Stevie, 9A

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9 C&D SEPEP

On Wednesday the 2nd of August, the Bigfoot Babes and the Bin Chickens played against each other in a game of dodgeball. At the end of the first game, the timer went off with only 3 players left on each team and all the cones still standing – so this game resulted in a draw. In the second game, the Bin Chickens got 2 of the Bigfoot Babe's best players out quite quickly, Renz and Brayden. After this, the Bin Chickens still had none of their players out and had eliminated 5 of the Bigfoot Babes. Bin Chickens won this game with no one on their team out and had eliminated all of the Bigfoot Babes. In the third game resulted in a draw as teams were unable to get a result before time had gone.

Charlie, 9D

On the 28th of July, Outback Pingers and Bin Chickens played. First game Bin Chickens won. It seemed like a pretty easy win since one player knocked down a cone. Second game after their win, Outback Pingers were back in the lead as both cones were gone from the Bin Chickens. Now they are equal on wins. It is now a reset so they start again. With 4 minutes left on the clock, the winners are whoever has more team members on the court. Bin Chickens won with more players on than the Outback Pingers who only had one.

Takara, 9C

On Friday the 28th of July, Broadford Bears versed Bigfoot Babes in a hardworking game of dodgeball. Bigfoot Babes showed great defence, the Bears shows good attacking at first but their numbers began to dwindle as the Bigfoot Babes focuses on their attack. Bigfoot Babes won the first round. Brayden Foo showed persistence throughout the games, followed by Marcel Samani from the opposing team. Round two ended with an intense win from the Bigfoot Babes. Bigfoot Babes ended round three with more people on the court totaling with all 3 wins.

Grace, 9D

Cara Fiebig
HPE Teacher

KGI REAL Year 7 & 8 Program



**FRIDAY 22nd
SEPTEMBER**



Get involved

This is the first stage in our REAL journey and an introduction to the three key pillars of KGI – Leadership, Social and Emotional Wellbeing and Culture

Scan the QR code to register
or email
bcooper@richmondsc.com.au

LIBRARY NEWS

Book Week - *Read, Grow, Inspire*

Book Week will be celebrated in the library during Week 7 of this term.

To celebrate the Book Week theme “Read, Grow, Inspire” we have collaborated with some of the faculties to run a couple of inspiring activities in the library.

Book Week Schedule:

Monday 21st August: Human Robot

Tuesday 22nd August: Drawing optical illusions

Wednesday 23rd August: Viking Battleships

Thursday 24th August: Book Selfies

Friday 25th August: Paper Cranes

**Friday 25th Aug,
Book themed
dress-up day!**



Japanese book display

The library currently has a Japanese book display to celebrate our visitors at the school. Please come in to browse our collection and borrow the ones that you are interested in.

New Signs for the Library

There are new category signs in the library. Alphabet signs in the Fiction section and Dewey Decimal headings for the Non-Fiction books.



See you in the library. Ms. Slater.



Book Week 2023

Week 7, 21st to 25th August

Activities during 1st lunch break :

Monday: Human Robot

Tuesday: Drawing optical illusions

Wednesday: Viking Battleships


Thursday: Book Selfies

Friday: Paper Cranes

**Fri 25th Aug,
Book themed dress-up day**

Read. Grow. Inspire.





national science week
12 - 20 AUGUST 2023 - AUSTRALIA WIDE

INNOVATION
POWERING FUTURE INDUSTRIES

Science Week 2023

Theme: "Innovation: Powering Future Industries"

12-20 August

Join in the fun daily Lunch 2 activities in S2. Enter the Daily Quiz Questions (Innovation themed) to win some cool Science prizes!

Date	Activity
Monday 14 th Aug.	Origami Science Models
Tuesday 15 th Aug.	Physics activity
Wednesday 16 th Aug.	Sphero Robot Challenge (using app)
Thursday 17 th Aug.	Eye Dissection
Friday 18 th Aug.	Making Ice Cream

VET News

On Wednesday 26th July students studying Active Volunteering engaged in an industry tour where they were required to follow Work Health & Safety procedures. The industry tour aligns with the VET Certificate II in Active Volunteering, unit 2 Participate in Workplace Health & Safety (HLTWHS001) & Recognise Extremely Short & Simple Workplace Signs & Symbols (FSKRDG001). Students attended the Industry Tour to develop knowledge of how safe work practices are implemented in terms of procedures and instructions, incident and injury reporting and safe housekeeping practices in various work areas. Students were provided with hands-on experiences at both organisations. The students visited Titanium Caravans in Campbellfield & Wolf Fabrication in Coolaroo.



Broadford Secondary College
Production of

 **SHREK**
THE MUSICAL JR.

Where: Broadford Secondary College Hall

When: Thursday, 10th August

Friday, 11th August

Saturday, 12th August

Doors open 7.00pm for a 7:30 start

Tickets: \$15 Tickets available on Try Booking



Based on the DreamWorks Animation Motion Picture
and the Book by William Steig

BROADWAY JUNIOR COLLECTION®

Book and Lyrics by
David Lindsay-Abaire
Music by
Jeanine Tesori

Originally produced on Broadway by DreamWorks Theatricals and Neal Street Productions
Original Production Directed by Jason Moore and Rob Ashford
"I'm a Believer" by Neil Diamond

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ATTENDANCE

If you require your student to depart school early can you please provide a signed note that they can hand to their teacher to enable them to leave the classroom and make their way to the General Office.

Parents are asked to collect their student from the General office and sign them out via the Compass Kiosk.

Can parents ensure that all attendance be added to Compass as soon as practically possible.

Late arrivals need to enter via the General office and sign themselves in on the Compass Kiosk, we ask that you provide a written note to explain why your student is late.

All Notes and Medical Certificates should be handed to the Attendance officer in the General Office.

CONVEYANCE ALLOWANCE

The conveyance allowance is a form of financial assistance to help families in rural and regional Victoria with the cost of transporting their children to their nearest appropriate school/campus. The conveyance allowance is available to eligible students travelling by public transport, private car and private bus. The conveyance allowance is also available to eligible students whose nearest school is not serviced by a free school bus.

Eligibility criteria:

The eligibility criteria varies depending on the type of school attended and where it is located.

Students attending a government or non-government school must:

- Attend their nearest government or non-government school/campus appropriate to their year level at which admission is permissible
- be enrolled at a school/campus outside Melbourne's metropolitan conveyance boundary
- reside 4.8km or more by the shortest practicable route from that school/campus attended
- be of school age (5 to 18 years old at time of application) and reside in Victoria.

Closing Dates: Term 1 – 17 March 2023

Term 2 – 02 June 2023

Term 3 – 25 August 2023

Term 4 – 24 November 2023

1st Broadford Scouts

3 for Free

3 Sessions | No Cost | No Obligation

Mon - Venturers Age 15 - 17

Tues - Cubs Age 8 - 10

Wed - Joey's Age 5 - 7

Thurs - Scouts Age 11 -14

Come and give Scouts a try !

For more information -

Group Leader- Mr Craig Waters

Ph - 0408571560

Email - gl.1stbroadford@scoutsvictoria.com.au



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Homework Club

**Do you need to complete work for your classes?
Would you like help from an available teacher?**

Why not consider attending Homework Club!

When: Mondays Lunchtime 1:15pm – 2:00pm

Mondays After School 3:30pm – 4:30pm (with Ms Reid)

Where: Library (no school bags or food)

Contact Mrs Beedall if you have any questions.



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SCHOOL-WIDE POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR EXPECTATIONS

LEARNING AREAS OUT IN THE YARD IN THE COMMUNITY ALL SETTINGS DIGITAL SPACE

- Be on time for class with your equipment
- Do your best work and take pride in your work
- Be prepared to have a go

BRING YOUR BEST

- Being responsible for the school environment
- Be inclusive of others
- Going to class when the bell sounds

- Represent the school with pride
- Offering to help members of our community

- Wear uniform with pride
- Model the school values
- Call out poor behaviour

- Use the internet as a learning resource
- Submitting work via Compass by the due date
- Having our devices charged and ready each day

- Be safe when moving around the class
- Use furniture correctly

BE SAFE

- Play safely with others
- Play games in appropriate spaces
- Remain on the school grounds

- Listen to trusted adults
- Be aware around roads and public transport

- Be mindful of ourselves and our surroundings
- Follow and observe the school rules
- Report bullying to teachers

- Informing a trusted adult if we have trouble online
- Keep passwords secure

- Follow teacher's instructions
- Respecting the learning space
- Respect others right to learn

BE RESPECTFUL

- Showing friendly attitudes toward others
- Standing up for others

- Be mindful of the needs of people in the community
- Use appropriate language on public transport
- Respect the law

- Address everybody with respect
- Use respectful language
- Being respectful of others right to learn

- Take care of devices
- Report cyber-bullying to an adult
- Make positive contributions about others

BROADFORD CRICKET CLUB

2023 / 24 Junior Cricket Season

Broadford Cricket Club is looking forward to welcoming new and returning junior players for the 2023/24 season.

Our club provides a pathway for boys and girls to learn the game, through our Junior Blasters and Junior Cricket Program.

Located at Harley Hammond Reserve, our club has access to excellent facilities to train and play at.

To assist in the preparation for the 23/24 Season we are looking for expressions of interest for Junior Players (New and returning)

We are aiming to field sides in all age groups (Under 11s, 13s, 15s & 17s) along with our Woolworths Blast Program (5-8 years old)

The Season will commence in Mid October, with training to begin in September

If your child has an interest in playing cricket this upcoming season, can you please get in touch with our Junior Development Officer or Club President, via the contact details below or the club via our Facebook Page (search: Broadford Cricket Club) or via the QR code

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