

31st May, 2018

educating for *eternity*

Principal's Piece

We are blessed with a fantastic community. Recent events are a real tribute to the nature of our community. Last week, we had a working bee at the College. We prepared several plots for plants that students will be planting over the coming months.

I'd like to thank those who came along to the Grandparents Day. This was another great community event.

Today we had the biggest Morning Tea, for lunch. This is a fundraising event for the Cancer Council. Well done to all involved. These are great examples of the how fantastic our community is.

There have been several sports events happening over recent weeks, with interschool sports, senior (yr 9-12) and junior (yr 7 & 8) interschool winter sports days. As always, our students do us proud both with their achievements, but more so through their behaviour and sportsmanship. There is more information about these events later in this newsletter.

Next week is exam week, which sees our year 7-11 students complete semester tests and exams. These assessments are important and we want our students to do their best. At the same time, I want to reiterate that exams and tests do not define the value or worth of any person. They are simply one of many mechanisms for evaluating student learning. Each of our young people is special and valued for the unique person they were created to be.

In the area of staffing, I would like to thank and acknowledge Mrs Robyn Appo for her work with our college over the past few years as a learning support officer. She is finishing up with us this week as she and her husband move to Canberra. We welcome Mrs Lyndal McGowan to our team to replace Mrs Appo in the area of learning support.

We serve a great God. As we journey through life, it is important to stop and take notice of all the ways God has blessed each one of us. We have a great community, staff and parents. Most importantly, we have an amazing bunch of young people in our school. They have great energy and enthusiasm for life.

Upcoming Events

June

Fri 1	GMDSSV Division Cross Country
Mon 4 - Thu 7	End of Semester Tests Yr 7 - 8 Exam Week - Yr 9 - 11
Fri 8	Report Writing Day - Student Free
Mon 11	Queens Birthday Holiday - No School
Wed 13	GAT Exams - Unit 3/4 VCE
Wed 20	Primary & Sec Hume Reg Cross Country Tuition Soiree
Fri 29	Term 2 - End (2:15pm Dismissal) Reports emailed out

July

Sun 8 - Fri 20	Thailand Mission Trip
Wed 18	Term 3 Begins

As an adult, I sometimes think about how much I can learn from the attitude of our children. They take joy in the little things. They are generous. They show love without fear or favour.

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Matthew 19:14 (NIV)

Our children are a blessing from God. It is an honour to be working in educating our young people, helping



Tax Deductible Donations

Shepparton Christian College is approved by the ATO to be a Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR) for voluntary donations made to our Shepparton Christian College Building Fund

Note: The compulsory building fee levy that is charged is not tax deductible and is for the provision and maintenance of buildings.

Any gift to the Building Fund of over \$2 is fully tax-deductible, and funds raised will go directly into new buildings, extensions and upgrades to our facilities.

We would like you to consider giving a donation prior to June 30 2018 as it can be claimed as a tax deduction in your tax return. Donations can be made in any of the following ways:

Cheques to be made out to Shepparton Christian College Building Fund

Direct Debit : BSB: 063-876
 Acct: 10235981
 Ref: *Your Name*

Cash or Credit Card at the admin office

2017 Annual Report

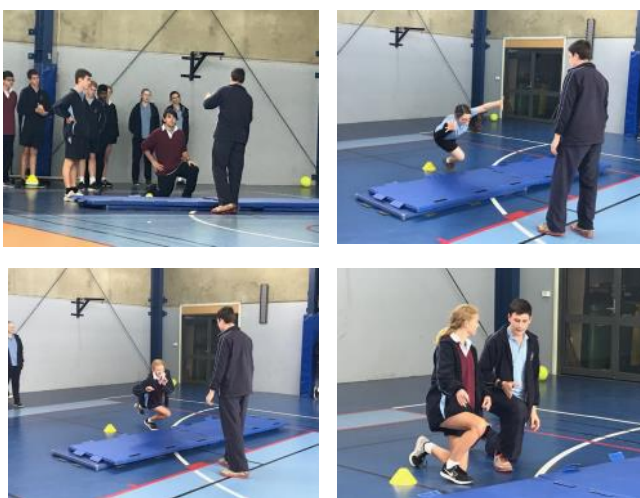
Our 2017 Annual Report is now available on our website:

<http://scc.vic.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/Annual-Report-2017.pdf>

Hard copies can also be requested at the office.

Yr 9/10 Body Systems & Biomechanics

In the past few weeks, the 9/10 Body Systems & Biomechanics students have taken over the teaching. They each chose a sport and a specific skill to break down and teach to the rest of the class. Skills such as golf swings, diving for a soccer ball, frisbee throwing, basketball defending and many other skills were taught. The students prepared skill lesson plans and led the class through a variety of activities. The class has enjoyed each session and had the opportunity to improve on a range of sporting skills.



School uniforms for sale:

5 Boys Navy Long pants: size 16, \$10–\$15 each

1 Boys Secondary Navy Sports pants: size 14Y, \$5

2 Boys Secondary Sports Jacket: size 14Y, \$10 each (great condition, but missing zipper pulley)

3 Boys Secondary Navy Sports Shorts: x1 size 14Y - \$5, x2 size 16Y - \$5

2 Boys Midford Secondary Navy Shorts: size 16 - \$10, Men's size 4 - \$10

1 Boys Secondary Summer white cotton shirt with logo: size 14, \$10

Please contact Ruth on 0448 902 432.

Responsible Pet Ownership P - 3

On Tuesday 22nd, all the Prep to Grade Threes went into the L.O.T.E. room and Stacy (the owner of Spice the dog) told us about Responsible Pet Ownership. She told us what to do if an angry dog or a scared dog comes towards you. A few students went to pat the dog, Spice. We had to ask if we could pat the dog. We showed our fists to the dog, so it could sniff our fists. We then walked to the side of Spice and patted her. I enjoyed patting Spice and the talk. By Gracie Lloyd

On Tuesday 22nd of May we went to the Responsible Pet Ownership talk. They taught us to not touch dogs that are tied up. I got to act like a dog to teach the class not to touch dogs. Stacy said I did good. I had a good time.
By Victoria Richardson

Dental visit

How to Brush Your Teeth.

This is how you brush your teeth. First you get your tooth brush, then you put tooth paste on it and then you brush your teeth. Then you wash your mouth with water and a towel. You should brush your teeth twice a day. By Hadassah Scanlan



On Friday 18th May we had the dentist come to Shepparton Christian College. We talked about what we should eat every day and what we should only eat sometimes by playing a game with little picture cards that have magnets on the back of them. We had to put the cards in the correct spot on the whiteboard. We also got to brush a toy dinosaur's teeth with a toothbrush. His name was Fang. We had lots of fun with the dentist playing games and learning about teeth. Afterwards we got bags with little things to help us brush our teeth. I really loved it. By Willow Peric.

GV Water Visit

GV water came to the Shepparton Christian College. It was on Friday the 18th of May. They told us about the sugar in drinks. Some drinks have a lot of sugar and we should not drink them. Water was the only drink with no sugar. I really enjoyed it.
By Lilly Jamieson.

GV Water came on Friday the 18th of May. They told us that there is a lot of sugar in energy drinks, coke, juice and soft drink. Water is the best drink to drink. I got to help with the demonstrations. It was fun.
By John Masilang

On Friday the 18th of May my class, Grade 2/3, went to a GV Water talk. It was exciting. We learnt that if you are dehydrated you will have dark yellow wee and if you're hydrated your wee will be clear. We also learnt not to drink a soft drink every day and water is the best drink for your life. I really enjoyed listening to them.

By Oran Caiafa



SCHOOL NEWS

Grandparents & Special Friends Day

We would like to thank everyone who came along to support Grandparents Day. Both students and teachers really enjoyed the sessions and learnt some amazing things. We particularly would like to thank Noah Moore's great grandmother, Rosemary, who is 82 years old and Holly Collin's grandmother Stella Collins, who travelled from Adelaide to be with us. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Lyndell King Grade 2/3 Teacher.

On Grandparent Day, the 29th of May, in the grade 5/6 room, we learnt how to make ceramics.

Mrs Rice taught us how to make ceramics but we didn't make the ceramics. Mrs Rice said we needed a mould to make the ceramics. After that you need to shape the mould to the shape you like. Then you need to heat up the mould. You need to colour it but you need to rub it on a paper until there's hardly any paint left. You paint the mould then wait for half of the day. If you want to make it shiny you need to paint it with shiny paint and then heat it again. You colour the mould with the normal paint, and then for the last bit you heat it then wait.

We saw three ceramics. One was the knight with the horse. He took the longest of all to make, he needed five firings. There was also a dragon too. He was one that needed three firings. The easiest of all to make was Tommy the Turtle. We all thanked Mrs Rice and clapped. We all want another Grandparent Day in the future. I enjoyed it. By Yi-Reh Tay.

On Tuesday the 29th of May, Shepparton Christian College had Grandparents Day. We were put into different groups and walked around the school and went into different classrooms. We saw things like a puppet man, he had a puppet that your hand disappeared up its back. You would move your hand around however you want and it will move however you want it to. He made the puppet talk and he made a tiny high pitch voice. It was funny I had a lot of fun. By Willow Peric



Nanna came to 'Show and Tell' an old record player and old fashion photos of furniture. I also saw a painted ceramic turtle.

By Holly Collins

At Grandparents Day, my Grandparents came and played with me at school. We listened to the people teaching us about an old record player and a camera. My Grandparents ate with me. I liked playing with my Grandparents.

By Sophia Cullen



Senior Winter Sports

Clay Target Shooting

We had a group of 17 students in the Interschool Clay Target Shooting. The students enjoyed the event, improving their aim and skills. The overall results showed 2 students winning awards. Ben Green scored the highest for the year 9 competition, and Toby King scored the highest for the year 12 competition. Well done to all involved.



Badminton

We had a fantastic time at the junior winter sports, participating in badminton at the Shepparton Stadium. We lost the games but we had a great time and all students tried their best. We are proud of our students and the way they showed great sportsmanship.



Netball

The senior netball girls remained in great spirits and tried their best, despite not getting a win on the board. Excellent teamwork and a positive attitude throughout. The girls helped with set up and pack down of the courts, with our school responsible for convening the day. A great day out overall!!



Junior Winter Sports

Netball

The Yr 8 girls played well against Wanganui 10 - 6, winning the game by 4. Unfortunately the girls lost with the other teams, however tried really hard. It was a great day.

Badminton

We entered two badminton teams this year in the GMDSSV Badminton Competition at the Shepparton Stadium. Both Yr 8 teams played against each other and against Cobram Anglican College. Great competitive games with all showing great sportsmanship and competitive spirit. Well done to Noah Stevens, Alwin Isaac, Alex Aiton, and Joel Stephens who managed to win both of their games to earn first place and a ticket to the regional competition next term.

Clay Target

For Winter Sports, we took a fantastic group of five boys along to the Clay Target Shoot, put on by the Shepparton Field and Game club. After some instruction on firearms safety and some guided practice shots, the group proceeded through a set of courses that consisted of clays being launched in different directions where they had one shot to take down each clay. Our boys had a great day with Christiaan Buys and Richard Peircy doing particularly well. While we didn't take any



Whole School Athletics

Congratulations once again to all students involved in the athletics. Pictured below are the age champions for Primary and Secondary along with the overall house winner by 1 point, **McGowan.**



SOCCER NEWS

Under 10 Team

Shepparton Christian College

Date: 19/05/18
Game: Shepp Christian v Shepp South
Result: Loss 1 - 9
Captain: Jackson Evans
Encouragement: Gregory Job
Player of Game: Isaac Kehinde

Although we lost it was an exciting game, just ask the parents!!



Date: 26/05/18
Game: Shepp Christian v Shepp United
Result: Draw 4 all
Captain: Isaac Kehinde
Encouragement: Finn Reinhardt
Player of Game: Ye Reh Tay



Under 12 Team

Orrvale /Shepparton Christian College

Date: 19/05/18
Game: Shepp Christian v St Brendan's Saints
Result: Loss 3 - 5

Carlo Seabrook and Liam Caiafa both scoring a goal for their team. Great effort by the team.



Under 7 Highlight

John Masilang from Shepparton Christian College was playing for St Mel's Under 7 on the weekend. Keep up the great work!



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CHOOSING THE RIGHT TERTIARY INSTITUTION



Compare important data between education institutions: Choosing the education institution that is right for you is crucial. Not only will it increase your chances of completing your course, it makes good economic sense to thoroughly research your options.

The Quality Indicators of Teaching and Learning (QILT) website enables students and families to compare data between universities, private providers and TAFE institutes in course areas they are interested in taken from current students and recent graduates of the institutions. Measures include:

Overall quality of education experience

Teacher quality

Learner engagement

Access to learning resources

Access to student support

Experience of newly qualified graduates

Teaching scale

Skills scale

Employment outcomes

To access the website, go to www.qilt.edu.au/



This is a fantastic occupation for those who are passionate about working with animals. Veterinary Nurses assist Veterinarians in all aspect of animal patient care, including surgical procedures, laboratory testing, medical treatment, and consultations.

To become a qualified Veterinary Nurse, you usually have to study the Certificate IV in Veterinary Nursing whilst undertaking paid employment in a Vet clinic. This can be completed through a traineeship or online study. Once qualified, you can undertake further study to specialise in dental, surgical or emergency and critical care. For information on this occupation, go to <https://bit.ly/2IRNcv0>

You may also consider studying a paraprofessional qualification at the university level:

Bachelor of Veterinary Nursing, La Trobe University: This is the first paraprofessional veterinary nursing qualification of its type in Australia, <https://bit.ly/2IRKaH8>

Bachelor of Veterinary Technology, Charles Sturt University: this course can be undertaken at the Wagga Wagga campus or online, <http://bit.ly/1BCc1w4>

INTERESTED IN VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING (VET)?

This includes – apprenticeships, traineeships and TAFE study. Did you know that 77% of VET graduates secure employment after training? VET is one of the most progressive forms of education available to school leavers. It's in touch with the realities of the current and future employment market – because it's entirely driven by the employment market. If you would like to learn more about VET and why you should consider gaining a VET qualification after school, go to <https://bit.ly/2xiZBTf> to check out the 'VET. It's Right Now' video initiative.

UPCOMING CAREER EVENTS

JUNE

- 1: Experience Clever Day**, La Trobe University, Albury Wodonga, <https://bit.ly/2JrjI8f>
- 5 – 27: My Melbourne Future online seminars**, The University of Melbourne, Arts (5), Information Technology (5), Design (12), Music (13), Commerce (14), Agriculture & Veterinary Medicine (14), Education (19), Science (20), Law (20), Engineering (26), Fine Arts (27), <https://bit.ly/2FOer3d>
- 6, 20, 21: Inside Monash Seminars**, Monash University, Nursing & Midwifery (6), Psychology (20), Business (21), <http://bit.ly/2ki2NYw>
- 8: UMAT & Undergraduate Pathways into Medicine Information Session**, National Institute of Education, Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2jT2Nvf>
- 26: Animal Careers Discovery Day**, RSPCA, Burwood East facility, <https://bit.ly/2KGpb7a>
- 27: MyDay**, Charles Sturt University, Albury Wodonga, <https://bit.ly/2k9nTpk>

JULY

- 1: Global Career Hotel Experience**, The Hotel School Melbourne, <https://bit.ly/2KgD4bp>
- 3, 5: Australian Catholic University Experience Days**, Melbourne (3), Ballarat (5), <https://bit.ly/2pb23CK>
- 3, 5: DeakInspire Day**, Deakin University, Melbourne Burwood (3), Geelong Waurin Ponds (5), <http://bit.ly/2rOrbh5>
- 4, 6: Experience Clever**, La Trobe University, Bendigo (4), Melbourne (6), <http://bit.ly/2rOrbh5>
- 18 - 25: Health Information Sessions**, Deakin University, <https://bit.ly/2qHNIHe>



		<u>Term 2 Options</u>	
Chicken Burger (lettuce & mayo)	\$3.50	25 May	Pizzas
Chicken Burger (with salad)	\$4.00		Chicken Burgers
Pizza –Ham & Pineapple	\$2.00		Drinks
Pizza –Cheese & Bacon	\$2.00	1 June	No Lunch Orders
Sausage Roll	\$2.00	8 June	Report Writing Day
Pies	\$2.00	15 June	Pies
Hot Dogs	\$2.00		Sausage Rolls
Dim Sims	50 cents each		Chicken Burgers
Drinks			Drinks
Orange Juice	\$2.00	22 June	Hot Dogs
Mr D's Cola	\$2.00		Dim Sims
			Chicken Burgers
			Drinks
		29 June	No Lunch Orders
			(SRC BBQ)

Please write your order on a brown paper bag with your child's name and classroom clearly marked on the front. Place the correct amount of money inside the bag. For primary, please place bags in the tub provided in each classroom. For secondary, please place bag in the tub provided in the office BEFORE SCHOOL.

"A Taste of African Cultures"
St Paul's African House.
54 Poplar Ave Shepparton


2pm -8pm Saturday 23rd June 2018


Free Entry
Family Festival


- Dereb the Ambassador
- Kofi Kunkpe & The Afro Diaspora
- Burundian drummers
- Many multi- talented African performers :
 - Dancers
 - Singers
 - Choirs
- Drumming workshops
- African cultural fashion parade
- Cultural displays & activities
- Traditional food
- Hand made goods and more...


This is an alcohol free event

Experience and celebrate the traditional rhythms, sounds, colours, flavours, and hospitality of a diverse range of African Cultures


St Paul's African House


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