Visiting Italian Students:
I would like to thank the families who have offered to host our visiting students from Italy. Their names are Alice Rollini and Lidia Martinenghi who are staying for 3 months, Valentina Corbetta and Elena Corsiglia who are staying for 2 months and Elisa Magni and Lea del Moretto who are staying for one month. I will be contacting families by letter and phone to speak to them about the visit. The girls are all from the Milan region in Italy and are coming to stay with us during their summer holidays.

Exchange Coming to an end:
Our current exchange students Francesca Bianco and Florian Fechner are about to finish their stay with us. Both have been attending Baimbridge College for the past year or so and have been a pleasure to have in our school. I hope they return home with many happy memories and strong friendships that they will be able to call on later in life. It is easy to under estimate the contribution they have made by exposing our students to the culture of their home countries, Italy and Germany respectively. I am sure that our students and school community are richer for them having spent time with us.

Reports:
Baimbridge College staff are now beginning to conclude assessments for semester I and preparing for the reports that will be sent home in four weeks. Parents will notice that in line with government policy the new standards against which student will be assessed are called Ausvels instead of the VELs that you will have got used to over the last few years. There will be an information page attached to reports to help with the transition. Generally the Ausvels are easier to understand because they line up with the year level a student is studying. That is to say that a student at the end of Year 7 should be achieving at level 7 to be at the age appropriate level.

Queen’s Birthday weekend:
Monday 10th June is a public holiday and students are not required at school. Friday 14th June of the same week is our student free day that is set aside for the completion of report writing. Reports will be handed out at the end of term on Friday 28th June.

Year 8:
As a result of an increase in enrolments in Year 8 this year we have found it necessary to create a new Year 8 class in semester II. This will create a significant re shuffle of students in classes but will of course mean that the size of each class will be smaller in the second half of the year. We will of course keep parents and students informed of the changes as we approach the end of term.
Work Experience:
A reminder that all of our Year 10 students will be involved in the annual work experience program during the last two weeks of this term. I am sure that our Careers teacher Mr. Sheehan has been working with our students to make sure they have placements for the two weeks. I certainly have signed many permission forms for students who will be working across the district.

I would like to thank all those businesses that support Baimbridge College with work experience placements. We can only hope that the experience gives our Year 10s some insight into working life.

Glenelg District Cross Country held @ HIRL Wed 29th.
Baimbridge had a great representation at the sports with 59 students in attendance, Mrs McArthur & Ms Cogger both reported that the team performed very well and they were very proud of all of our students efforts.

Congratulations to the following place getters:
Eric Guthrie, 17&U: 1st place
Taylor Kearney, 17 &U: 2nd place
Jackie Barker, 17&U: 1st place
Damian Monaghan, 16 & U: 3rd place
Tom Hiscock, 15& U: 2nd place
Nathan Riddle, 15&U: 3rd place

Compass:
Baimbridge College has implemented an online system called Compass that enables marking of roles and messaging of parents if students are absent. We have begun the introduction of this system this term, and once we are confident that we have ‘worked out any bugs’ we will be activating the SMS system that will send an SMS to parents whose children are absent from school on that day. It is therefore crucial that family phone numbers as well as all other contact details are accurate in our school records. Any system such as this is only as good as the information that is fed into it so please let us know if you have had any changes to your contact phone numbers or address. This can be done by contacting any of our office staff on 55722788.

Access to Newsletters:
Baimbridge College produces a newsletter each week that will be distributed to parents by email or via the Baimbridge College website. To ensure you receive your newsletter please contact our front office on 55722788, so that they can be placed on our email distribution list.

If there are any questions or concerns I urge parents and guardians to contact myself, our Assistant Principals Mr. John Hill and Miss Rosemary Morgan or the relevant Co-ordinators.

REMINDER ALL YEAR 9 STUDENTS AND FAMILIES!!!
THERE IS A COMPULSORY MEETING TO DISCUSS THE UPCOMING CAMP-----MONDAY 3RD JUNE AT 6PM IN THE VCE CENTRE. LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING ALL IN ATTENDANCE....THE REMAINING BALANCE OF $330 IS DUE ON FRIDAY 7TH JUNE.
Mrs Narelle Kelly Yr 9 Co-ordinator.
**UNIFORM REQUIRED**

As you may be aware from last week's newsletter, a number of Italian students are visiting our College in coming weeks and will be here from 1-3 months.

The College is hopeful of arranging billets for these students but we would also like to help them with a College uniform each.

We are expecting 6 girls to visit and we ask our College community for donations of any uniform items that are not in use currently. Any sizes would be welcomed. We realise that some uniform items may be sold already if your daughter/s have left the school, but if there are any in the back of a cupboard, and you'd like to re-claim that space in the wardrobe, please send it to the school.

Skirts, laundered shirts, jumpers, school bags, sports uniform and shoes in good condition would be welcomed.

Ms Cath McGowan, Wellbeing.

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**BOYS RESULTS:**
- **1st**: Cuthbert - 192
- **3rd**: Fraser - 241
- **2nd**: Bradman - 221
- **4th**: Laver - 291

**GIRLS RESULTS:**
- **1st**: Cuthbert - 315
- **3rd**: Bradman - 420
- **2nd**: Laver - 401
- **4th**: Fraser - 421

**WINNERS:**
- **1st**: Cuthbert (507)
- **2nd**: Bradman (641)
- **3rd**: Fraser (662)
- **4th**: Laver (692)
Our GD Cross Country Team 2013

Grade 6 went to the supermarket, purchased their ingredients and cooked up a feast for lunch on Friday in the Junior School Kitchen, Mr Hill enjoyed his Spaghetti Bolognese and the kids loved the fruit salad and ice cream for dessert. Thanks Ms Herreen!
Guess what’s coming to Baimbridge……

“The Voice of Baimbridge” will soon hit the stands for the bargain price of 50c.

QUOTE: ‘If you could change one thing about school, what would it be?’

“The campus, the rooms closer and allow more teamwork…. ” - wonder who said that?
Find out when the first edition comes out soon!

Sheepvention Student Inventions Competition 2013

Entry Form

Class 7 Student Inventions Competition
Sponsored by NOEL’S MACHINERY P/L

SCHOOL: ____________________________
STUDENT: __________________________
PHONE: ___________________________ EMAIL: ____________________________

☐ Prep – Year 6 ☐ Year 7 – 12

INVENTION NAME: __________________________
BRIEF DESCRIPTION: __________________________

ANY SPECIAL DISPLAY REQUIREMENTS: __________________________

ENTRY FORMS TO BE RECEIVED BY 5pm, MONDAY 17 JULY at the Hamilton P & A Society Office,
Hamilton Showgrounds, Horner Street, Hamilton or PO Box 276, Hamilton or
info@sheepvention.com . Entry models to be presented for display at Sheepvention by 12pm
Sunday 4 August. Enquiries to the P & A Society Office on 03 5572 2563.

AWARDS: Ribbons to be awarded for each placegetter
Best Overall Invention: 1st Trophy & $100, 2nd $50, 3rd $20
Best Innovative Idea: 1st $50, 2nd $30, 3rd $20
Best Working Model or Program: 1st $50, 2nd $30, 3rd $20
Encouragement Award Primary: Trophy – donated by Murray & Anne Merz
Encouragement Award Secondary: Trophy – donated by Murray & Anne Merz

THANK YOU TO NOEL’S MACHINERY P/L
FOR THEIR GENEROUS SPONSORSHIP OF THESE AWARDS
Sheepvention Student Inventions Competition 2013.

To encourage student's creative thinking.

Criteria:
Innovative idea, with a working model.
Idea can be anything to do with agriculture, home and garden, computer programs, technology or environmental.
Idea can be simple, or complex.
Open to all prep to year 12 students.

Requirements:
Description of Idea, and its use. (Written)
A working model, models can be made of any material i.e. meccano, wood, steel, lego etc.

Entries
Free Entry.
Junior and Senior school sections.
A maximum of 6 entries per school per section.
Entries presented for display during Sheepvention by 12pm Sunday the 4th August.

Awards
Best overall invention 1st, 2nd and 3rd
Best Innovative idea 1st, 2nd and 3rd
Best working model, or program 1st, 2nd and 3rd
Encouragement Award Primary
Encouragement Award Secondary

For more information please contact:
Sheepvention office 55 722 559
Simon 0428722661
trade@sheepvention.com.au
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If you can kindly donate your time please ring 0355 722 788.

We have a LARGE number of vacancies.