BAIMBRIDGE COLLEGE

ANZAC Issue 10

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Upcoming Events

Wed April 30
X Country

Friday May 2
Presentation Ball

Year 11 not required at school

Grade 5 Transition Day

Immunisations

Tuesday May 6
MCC Herald Sun Cup

Wednesday May 7
Yr 12 Uni Trip to Melbourne

Monday May 12
Bob Templeton Football Cup

Year 7 - 10 Exams

Tuesday May 13
NAPLAN

Wednesday May 14
Primary Division Cross Country

Monday May 19
Education Week

The Baimbridge College representatives at the ANZAC ceremony and march on Saturday.

Principal's Notes

Term II :
Welcome back to term II. I trust that everyone had a relaxing term I / Easter break and is now ready to complete the second half of semester I 2014. This first week of term II was a short but busy three day week with ANZAC Day services at school, ANZAC badges being sold in town and then the school's participation in ANZAC Day commemoration services on ANZAC Day itself on Friday.

Welcome :
I would like to welcome Mrs Samantha Adams and Mr Ewan McDonald to our teaching staff this term. They will be replacing Mr Shane Ryan and Mrs Judy Pekin respectively. Please make them feel welcome to our school.

ANZAC Day :
On Wednesday our students sold ANZAC badges on behalf of the Hamilton RSL. They positioned themselves around the CBD and as always our community supported their efforts very well indeed. I would like to thank all those people who purchased a badge from our students. Congratulations on assisting the RSL in raising over $2,000.

On Thursday 24th April we held our school ANZAC service in the west gymnasium. The whole school was present and we were honoured to have representatives from Legacy and the RSL present to share our service. I would like to compliment our SRC who were the organisers and drivers of the Baimbridge College ANZAC service today.

On Saturday Baimbridge College was represented in the ANZAC march and service in the town centre. Baimbridge College students also represented us at the various district services by marching and laying wreathes in their home towns. Thank you to everyone who attended on behalf of the College.

Presentation Ball :
The 2014 Presentation Ball takes place on Friday 2nd May at the Monivae stadium. The ball begins at 7.00pm and tickets are currently available from the office at school. Given this is a school function all Baimbridge College rules apply to students participating and to students who come as guests. This evening is the highlight of the social calendar at Baimbridge College and I would like to extend a warm welcome to members of our direct and extended community to come along and enjoy a night out. We have 34 couples being presented on the night and they have been preparing for most of term I. Come along and share their big night next Friday.

Hats:

Students are not required to wear hats at school during Terms 2 and 3. It is only compulsory during Terms 1 and 4 to be sunsmart.

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If you have any concerns please contact:

PRINCIPAL:

Mr Robert Vecchiet

ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS

EAST CAMPUS:

Miss Rosemary Morgan

WEST CAMPUS:

Mr John Hill

P—4 CO-ORDINATOR:

Mr John Hill

MIDDLE SCHOOL YRS 5 - 8

CO-ORDINATOR:

Mr Scott McFadden

YEAR 9 & 10 CO-ORDINATOR:

Dr Chris Allen

Yr 11 & 12 CO-ORDINATOR:

Ms Lynn Collins

VET / VCAL CO-ORDINATOR:

Mr Steven de Man

MYDEVICE & NETBOOK

CO-ORDINATOR:

Mrs Kym Dempsey

STUDENT WELLBEING:

Ms Cath McGowan

Principal's Notes Continued

Communication :

I am still talking to parents who ask me about access to the newsletter or Compass. I would like to ask parents to talk to each other and help us ensure everyone in our community realises that if they have lost the Compass password that was sent to them last year they simply need to ring us on 55722788 and ask for their password and any assistance they require to log on.

Similarly our newsletter has been electronic for almost 18 months now and can be accessed via our website or parents can be put on an email list. A very small number of paper copies are made available from the office on either campus. Please spread the word about how we communicate we need everyone to be kept up to date with what is happening and how to access information. Thank you !

Attendance :

Student attendance levels were discussed at the most recent School Council meeting. It was agreed by all council members to remind parents of the importance of attending school every day. Any absences impact the social, emotional and academic progress of students. On behalf of School Council I ask that parents only keep students out of school when absolutely necessary, especially when making appointments that could be moved outside of school hours. Small absence levels quickly add up to significant gaps in learning when added up over a few years.

Italian Visitors :

I would like to remind everyone that we will again be hosting a visit from a group of Italian students this year. They are to arrive at the beginning of term III and stay with us for 2 months. I have begun asking Year 11 students in particular to host a student. The advantages are many fold and can often lead to the offer of a stay in Italy with the family of the student that has been hosted. Please consider the advantages for your family seriously. I am currently taking names of interested families. Financial support will be available to cover increased household expenses.

Cross Country:

Our school Cross Country will be held on Wednesday at Lake Hamilton. Students will be bussed to the lake from school with town students being dismissed from the lake, bus travellers will be transported back to school by bus. Parents are welcome to come along and support your child. The following times may assist with lunch break organisation on the day:

17 & under and 20 & under students will leave Baimbridge on the bus at 1pm to enable them to return for periods 5 and 6.

15 & under and 16 & under students will leave Baimbridge on the bus at 1.15pm.

P - 4 students will be bussed to the lake at 1.15pm and will start on the far side of the lake opposite the boat shed. Nardia Foley will walk with the P - 4's.

12, 13 & 14 and under students will leave Baimbridge at 1.30pm on the bus.

All students are expected to attend, this is a compulsory school event. If you cannot run you are expected to walk.

The finish line is at the Boat Shed, we hope to see you there.

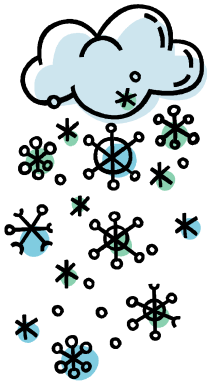
NEWSLETTER:

This issue of the newsletter has been delayed due to the ANZAC Ceremonies and wanting to encompass all of our involvement in one issue. Issue 11 will be distributed on Thursday.

SPORTS RUGBY

THE BAIMBRIDGE COLLEGE SPORTS RUGBYS ARE NOW IN STOCK AT ACCURATE CLOTHING (GRAY ST) FOR $89.95. THEY'RE EXCELLENT QUALITY AND LOOK BRILLIANT.

Music Camp 2014 will be held in May from the 22 Thursday to 24 Saturday at Halls Gap. The approximate cost is $210 per student. All choir, vocalists, Instrumentalists, band and ensemble members are encouraged to participate.



Snow Trip 2014

The 2014 Snow Trip needs committed numbers to ensure it happens this year. Please see Mr Kennett ASAP for further information. For those who have taken forms can you please return them with the $150 deposit within the next few days. There are limited places available and numbers need to be finalised to ensure we go at the peak time of the season.

Active After School

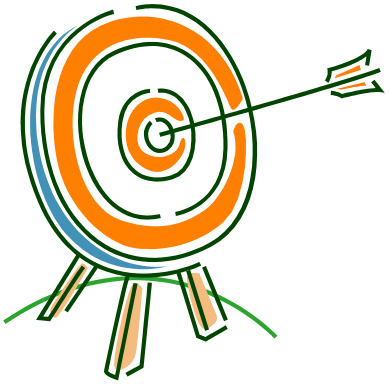
This term 10 - 15 kids from P –6 get to be a part of the Active After School FREE Archery program.

Students will be bussed to the Show Grounds after school and parents can collect them (from the Showgrounds) at 4.45pm.

There will be a total of 7 sessions with a fully qualified instructor.

Please contact Mr Knape for forms, first in best dressed.

The Active After School students will also be learning soccer this term which will lead to another Gala Day in Week 5.



Careers News

Meet Melbourne in Hamilton

Wednesday, 28 May 2014

Information session for prospective students and their families

The University of Melbourne will be visiting Hamilton to give students, teachers and parents in the area the chance to talk to our friendly staff and find out more about:

- Courses and career outcomes, including the Melbourne degrees and graduate pathways
- Unique opportunities to enrich your degree such as studying a concurrent diploma or going on exchange
- Scholarships and course costs
- Access Melbourne, our special entry and access scheme, which offers guaranteed entry to Melbourne's degrees for eligible students
- Housing options
- Information for Indigenous students

REGISTER NOW

Register your attendance online at:
futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/meetmelbourne

EVENT DETAILS

When: Wednesday, 28 May 2014
6.00pm – 8.30pm

Where: Hamilton Performing Arts Centre
113 Brown Street
Hamilton

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au
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HAMILTON SOCCER CLUB

MINIROOS

Junior Program ages 5 – 15 years

Mitchell Park

Saturday mornings

9.30am to 11am

3rd May – 13th September 2014

(except school holidays)

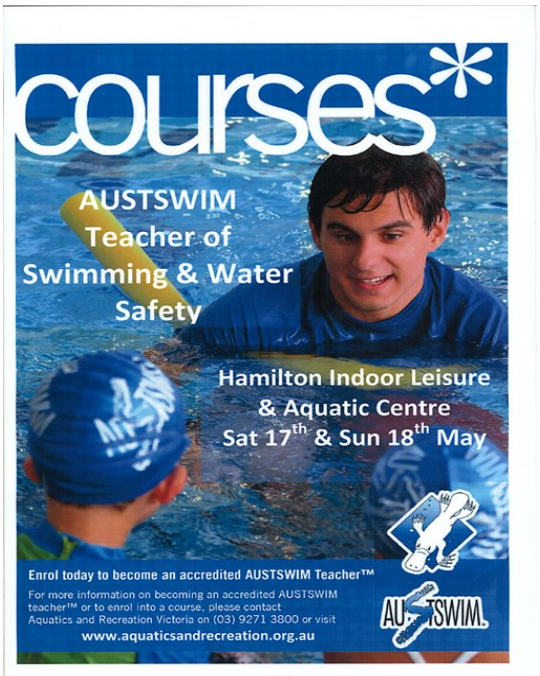
to register visit

www.myfootballclub.com.au

and click "register now" registration is $70

For further information email hamiltonsoccerclub@gmail.com or phone Julie on 0418 149 165

www.hamiltonsoccerclubinc.blogspot.com



nab AFL Auskick

NAB Hamilton Auskick will commence at Pedrina Park on Saturday 26th April at 9:00am concluding Saturday 28th June 2014. There will be no Auskick sessions on the Queen's Birthday weekend Saturday 9th June.

Go to www.aflauskick.com.au to register. All registrations must be online and no cash will be accepted. The cost is $65.00 plus credit card fees. All participants that register and pay online before Sunday 13th April 2014, are eligible for the AFL Gameday Club Connect offer of four free tickets to selected AFL games. Auskick packs will be delivered to your home addresses and no packs will be distributed at Pedrina Park.

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Canteen Roster
Term 2 2014

Starting Time 9:00 am. If unable to do duty as rostered please ring 5572 2788

DATE	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
April 21 – 25	Apr 21 Easter Monday	22 Gill Hiscock	23 Leanne Warburton	24 Sally Wheeler	25 ANZAC DAY
April 28 – May 2	28 Jody Golding	29 Kerry Goodman	30	May 01 Lyn Duncan	02 Kerry Price
May5-9	05 Kym Wood	06 Vicki Kearney	07 Glenys Downes	08 Val Peters	09 Aileen Broadbent
May 12 -16	12	13 Lisa McIntyre	14 Tracey Sartain	15 Kate Mibus	16 Jo Bennetts
May 19 – 23	19 Nicole Teasdale	20 Lyn Battista	21 AM – Dianne Evans PM –	22 Sally Wheeler	23 Janelle Tooley
May 26-30	26 Carol Titcombe	27 Genevieve Lambert	28 Leanne Warburton	29 Lyn Duncan	30 Jenny Leigh
June 2-6	02 Phyllis Speirs	03 Gill Hiscock	04 Glenys Downes	05 Val Peters	06 Kerry Price
June 9-13	09 Queens Bday Long Weekend	10 Kerry Goodman	11 Tracey Sartain	12	13 Aileen Broadbent
June 16-20	16 Phyllis Speirs	17 Vicki Kearney	18 AM- Dianne Evans PM –	19 Lyn Battista	20
June 23-27	23	24 Genevieve Lambert	25	26	27 Jenny Leigh

IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP IN ANY WAY PLEASE CONTACT ADIE.
IF UNABLE TO COME ON ALLOCATED DAY,
PLEASE FIND A REPLACEMENT

We thank you most sincerely for your support to the Canteen.
Many gaps to be filled if you can help!