PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Although next week is the last week of term, it is going to be another jam packed week for students, staff and parents. OPEN INVITATION TO ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS: Following successful forums about Communities That Care (CTC) in Myrtleford, an information evening will be held for Mount Beauty and the surrounding townships on Monday 20th June. Starting at 5.30 until 7.00pm, the meeting is being held in Room 9 at the Secondary College. The goal is to expand the Communities That Care approach across the Alpine Shire. Please come along to this information session to find out what CTC means to you, your school, your family and your community.

Ellen Sadler and the Student Executive have organised The Biggest Morning Tea for next Wednesday 22nd, in the Caf at recess, from 10.47 – 11.12am. Students are asked to bring a plate of food to share (no peanuts allowed) and a gold coin to be able to participate. All money raised will go to the Cancer Council Australia for cancer research. Parents and Grandparents are also invited to join in – please sign the visitor’s book at the General Office and bring a gold coin.

Year 7 Science classes are generally hands on so that students can see what they are learning about. 7B evaporated salt water to produce salt. They had to use Bunsen Burners and other equipment safely.

Reminder from the General Office: We would appreciate all absence notes/emails/phone calls to be directed through the General Office. Information passed to teaching staff may not always get passed on to the Office in a timely manner. Thank you.
Homework is a weekly or fortnightly task. Students are expected to hand in homework on the due date. Unsubmitted homework, after one period’s grace, will result in detention until the work is completed. It is a student’s responsibility to collect homework if you have been absent. You can ask your teacher for the task.

NB: Students may receive other homework as necessary for other subjects.

### Year 7 –
- English Rules worksheets (1 per week)
- Maths Mate Sheets (1 per week)
- Indonesian vocab words (10 weekly words)
- Weekly Food Evaluation

### Year 8 –
- HE01 – Health Articles due every Thurs by 8pm

### Year 8 – 9
- English Rules worksheets
- Maths Mate Sheet
- Indonesian vocab words
- TF03 - Weekly Food Evaluation

### Year 9 - 10
- English Weekly Sheets
- Maths Mate Weekly Sheet (Year 9)
- Indonesian vocab words
- TF06 - Weekly Food Evaluation

**All Year levels please refer to next page regarding reading of English novels.**

### COMING EVENTS

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### CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

The annual CSEF amount per student is $225 for Secondary School students.

**HOW TO APPLY**

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from [education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/health/Pages/csef.aspx](http://education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/health/Pages/csef.aspx)

Available to parents who had a valid concession card as at 27th January 2016. Forms need to be filled in each year and are due back NOW.

### ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Dear Parents,

Year 11 parents are reminded of the meeting on Wednesday 22nd June at 7pm in Room 9.

Ellen Sadler, Year 11 Co-ordinator will explain some aspects of VCE and give some tips on how to cope with the busy eighteen months ahead.

Ann Bellingham will briefly explain the pathways available to students and be around after the meeting to address individual student concerns.

Year 11 Student Reports will be available to parents and teachers will be at the meeting to answer any questions.

Next Wednesday night is also a fun night for the Year 7&8 students who have their Movie Trip to Albury. They leave for Albury at around 3.45pm. They should come to school in uniform but then get changed after school into their going out clothing. This is a school outing and clothing should be appropriate for such an occasion.

School ends next Friday 24th June at 2.30pm. Term 3 starts on July 11th.

Cheers

Rhonda Gargan

### ALPINE YOUTH AWARDS

Nominations close on Friday 22nd July 2016.

Nomination forms are available online at [www.alpineshire.vic.gov.au > Services > Youth Services > Youth Awards, or contact us at details below and we can email you a form.](http://www.alpineshire.vic.gov.au)

Youth Development Officer Jenny Corser
(03) 5755 0524 or ydo@alpineshire.vic.gov.au
Dear Parents and All Students

Just a reminder that students are expected to have read the texts booklisted for English **BEFORE** they are studied in class. These texts will be used next semester and all students will need to own copies for study and have read them.

Year 7: Two Wolves
Year 8: Follow the Rabbit Proof Fence
Year 9: The Simple Gift
Year 10: Unpolished Gem
Year 11: The Rugmaker of Mazar el-Sharif
Year 12: The View from Castle Rock (This needs to be completed as soon as possible)

The White Tiger.

Thanks from your friendly English Teachers:
Cathy Gunn, Jarrah Brennan, Ellen Sadler, Marg Trnka and Le-Anne McCraw

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**CASUAL DRESS DAY**

Friday, 24th June is our last day of Term 2 and will be a casual dress day with the theme ‘winter dress ups’. Come dressed in your most original, most colourful and best winter dress-up. Prizes will be given out for these categories and judging will take place at recess on the front steps. Could all students out of uniform bring a gold coin donation on the day to go towards our sponsor child Omi NDay Huka.

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**CSU ALLIED HEALTH MYDAY**

**WHEN:** Thursday 30 June, 2016, 9:30am – 2pm

**WHERE:** Charles Sturt University – Albury-Wodonga Campus

Elizabeth Mitchell Drive, Thuringowa

[csu.edu.au/contacts/register-for-myday](http://csu.edu.au/contacts/register-for-myday)

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**BIGGEST MORNING TEA**

Mount Beauty Secondary College will host a Biggest Morning Tea on **Wednesday June 22nd**. All students are encouraged to bring a plate of food to share. Please note the school is a peanut free zone due to allergic reactions. Food can be homemade or purchased – all food donations are gratefully accepted. If students bring food in a container which you’d like returned, please ensure it has your name on it.

The morning tea will be held at recess. Those wishing to eat morning tea are requested to make a gold coin donation to this very worthy cancer research charity. Should you have any questions regarding this fundraising event, please do not hesitate in contacting me at the college.

Ellen Sadler on behalf of Student Executives.

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**GRAVITY ENDURO NATIONAL SERIES**

Ben McIlroy travelled to Western Australia to compete in the 3rd round of the Gravity Enduro National Series Mountain Bike race on June 4th and 5th. We would like to congratulate Ben on his win in the Junior Men’s section with a time comparable to the Elite Men’s times.

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**BEACH CAMP 2016**

The beach camp is on again this year during activities week. Planning is well under way with a change of venue so that those year 10’s who went in 2014 can still have a different beach experience this year. The camp is going to be based at Torquay, camping at the Foreshore Caravan Park.

Activities will include:
- surfing, surf kayaking, bike riding between Torquay & Anglesea
- general beach activities at Torquay, Lorne and Geelong
- walking to Erskine Falls near Lorne
- explore the surf retail outlets at Torquay

The cost of the camp is reasonably high because of the activities and transport, hence the early notice so that families can start planning and saving.

**Date:** Tuesday 13th – Friday 16th December

**Cost:** $350

Numbers are capped at a maximum of 24 students. We need to know names of students as soon as possible so paperwork and planning can be completed. Anyone interested should pay a deposit of $100 by the end of July.

If you need more details please contact Ann Bellingham at school.

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**SCHOOL HOLIDAY XC SKI HIRE**

Mount Beauty Secondary College will be hiring out cross country skis for the school holidays on Friday 24th June from 2.30pm until 5.30pm.

The cost is $25 for the two weeks to be returned on Monday 11th July.

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**HOUSE KEEPING**

- Fee sheets have been sent home with students. These fees are now due and we would appreciate payments asap.
- If you have received an absence letter in the mail, please approve the late arrivals and give a reason for an absent.
**COMMUNITY NEWS**

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**FILM SCREENING:** MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

A film that inspires audiences with a sense of purpose and possibility around the future of education...

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Date: **Wednesday 22nd June**

Time: 6.30pm

Location: Mt. Beauty Neighbourhood Centre (1 Tennis Court Ave. Mt. Beauty)

Cost: $10 per adult and $5 per student / concession

Tickets: You can purchase your ticket by visiting ACRE’s website or click here to go directly to ticket sales [Buy tickets here](#) (Please note that tickets can be purchased at the door on the night)

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**Mt Beauty Swimming Club 2016 Debutante Ball**

Mt Beauty Swimming Club is seeking expressions of interest from Debs and partners, preferably Year 11 or Year 12 age, to be part of the 2016 Debutante Ball. Planning needs to begin, so we require a commitment from couples keen to be involved. The date for this year’s Debutante Ball is **Saturday 10th September 2016**. Debs must be prepared to learn ballroom dancing prior to the ball and then dress up on the night to display those dance steps in front of family and friends. An information session will be held at 7pm on **Sunday 10th July** at the Mt Beauty Community Centre. If you are not able to make it to the meeting or you have questions please do not hesitate to phone Erin Angelini on 5754 1192.

We look forward to seeing you there.

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**BIRKEBEINER NORDIC SKI CLUB**

**JUNIOR XC SKI DEVELOPMENT CAMP 2016**

**Saturday 9th – Sunday 10th July**

This camp is for YOU if you are in year 5 to year 8 and want to:

- learn to XC Ski
- improve your skiing to ski smoother and faster
- pick up some tips for the Joey Hoppet!
- have some fun in the school holidays with other Birkie juniors

The cost will be $50 (Non members $75, includes $25 student m’ship fee to BNSC)

Accommodation is at Outdoor School Bogong for Saturday night. Parents will need to arrange to meet us at Bogong at 8am or at Windy Corner, Falls Creek at 9am on Saturday morning. The camp will finish at Bogong at 3.30pm on Sunday. Meals (except Saturday lunch) will be provided and the club will provide great instruction. XC Skis can be hired from Mount Beauty Secondary College and transport will be the Bogong mini bus.

Expressions of interest and any questions can be directed to Michelle Forrer at mishforrer@gmail.com 0417206672

More information and Application forms will be posted on the BNSC website [www.birkebeiner.org.au](http://www.birkebeiner.org.au) (click programs then junior camps)
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Log on now and check it out before it is too late!!!

Go online. Explore Now. The world awaits!
WHAT’S BEEN HAPPENING?


Watch out for Radio Active Man! AKA Chris Greenhalgh, teaching the Year 11 Physics class about radiation.

When VCE exams are on, Food Technology thinks creatively as the kitchen is out of bounds (noise restrictions). 7A made coconut balls, so they could still make something.