PRINCIPAL’S REPORT

Congratulations to everyone for making it through what often seems like the toughest term! With all of the rain and snow melt, please be aware of flooding and follow this advice from emergency services: 1) Don’t drive through flood water – 15cm is enough to lose control. 2) Drive to the conditions and be aware of road hazards. 3) Monitor Vic Traffic for road condition updates and closures. 4) Stay away from flood water – it is dangerous and can contain debris or toxins. 5) If your property is at risk of flooding, raise belongings onto tables/benches/beds. 6) Stay informed to ensure you are up-to-date with the latest conditions and watch out for your neighbours. Monitor Vic Emergency. I hope all our parents, students and staff have a restful break and come back ready for a busy Term 4. To our Year 12 students: Make sure you take a balanced approach during these holidays, as a chance to rest and study in preparation for the final few weeks next term.

Congratulations to the Debutantes of 2016, which included every girl from Year 11, and to the Mount Beauty Swim Club for organising another enjoyable evening and successful fundraising event.

From Debs and dressing up, to Physics experiments using ticker timers or little carts to look at Forces, the Year 11s get fully involved in whatever they are doing!

Thanks to all the parents and students that attended Parent-Teacher interviews. Interim Reports will be given to students on Friday to take home. If you would like to talk to your child’s teachers, please contact the Year Level Coordinators. Congratulations to Kylie Eriksson for winning the prize for completing our survey.
**HOMEWORK**

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 – 9
- English Rules worksheets
- Maths Mate Sheet
- Indonesian vocab words
- TF10 - Weekly Food Evaluation

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

### Year 9 - 10
- English Weekly Sheets
- Maths Mate Weekly Sheet (Year 9)
- Indonesian vocab words
- TF07 - Weekly Food Evaluation
- JO03 – Review 5/10

### Year 8/9/10
- COMING EVENTS

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**ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL’S REPORT**

Dear Parents,

**Interim Reports** will go home today with any students whose families were unable to attend Wednesday night Parent Teacher Interviews.

If you have any concerns with your son or daughter’s progress please contact your year level co-ordinator for advice.

An important date to put in your diaries is for:

Middle School Information night on Wednesday 12th October at 7pm.

This is an important meeting that not only helps Year 7 parents understand our middle school subject selection process but also helps Year 9 student understand their options for Year 10 and acceleration into VCE.

We would also like to wish good luck to the 5 Year 10 girls who are heading off on the 21 day Summit to Sea adventure from Mt Kosciosko to the Snowy River at Marlow. These are Emily Barnes, Sophie Hodge, Brianna Oldis, Millie Smith and Ella Gould.

These holidays are an important study time for the Year 12 students and we wish them good luck in their exams which start on Wednesday 26th October.

Thankyou
Rhonda Gargan

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**Mount Beauty Secondary College**

**VCE Art and Design Exhibition**

Dates: Thursday 13th October (opening night) 7:30 pm

Friday 14th 9:30 am to 3:30 pm
Saturday 15th 9:30 am to 1:30 pm

Venue: Jessie Hollands Studio
COUNTRY EDUCATION FOUNDATION OF AUSTRALIA (CEF) SCHOLARSHIPS

If you are a student living in a rural or remote area and will struggle to meet the financial costs associated with tertiary education, you should consider applying for a CEF scholarship. Any student who receives a CEF scholarship and enrols at Swinburne University will get an additional scholarship from the institution.

For more information, click on the following links:

KWONG LEE DOW SCHOLARSHIPS

The Kwong Lee Dow Young Scholars Program offers opportunities, such as free VCE revision sessions in Melbourne, to high-achieving students currently in year 10. Recipients are also guaranteed a place into the University of Melbourne provided their ATAR is over 90 and they are given some support to assist with the costs of settling in Melbourne for study at the university. Recipients are chosen by the University of Melbourne. For the past few years they have awarded scholarships to one male and one female student from our school. Students need to apply online and provide a response to each of the selection criteria by Monday 10th October. For more details please visit [https://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/info/school-students/kwongleedow](https://futurestudents.unimelb.edu.au/info/school-students/kwongleedow). If you are thinking of applying please see Mr Matheson. We can help with identifying your key strengths and also need to provide an endorsement for your application.

It is worth noting that one of the criteria is community involvement and participation. It is suggested that students consider undertaking some community service, such as volunteering their time with some of our local organisations, to boost their chances of receiving scholarships.

STUDENT EXCHANGE

WEP Student Exchange Early Bird Special

Year 9s! What are your plans for 2017? Spend semester two on exchange and gain memories and skills for life! WEP is offering students in year 9 a $500 discount off their student exchange program fee for programs departing in 2017! Don’t miss out! Apply before 30 November 2016!

For some of your students now may not be the best time to head overseas. Hosting an exchange student is a wonderful alternative. Hosting allows Australian families to experience another culture and language, make intercultural connections and show off their own backyard. We are currently looking for host families to welcome students arriving in Australia in February 2017. Your students can request a free information pack on our website at [wep.org.au/host](http://wep.org.au/host)

COMMUNITY NEWS

JUNIOR GOLF LESSONS TERM 4, 2016

The Mt Beauty Golf Club will run a series of 8 free golf lessons for girls and boys 6-14 years old, with members coaching.

Equipment will be provided by the club.

Come and Try day and registration is at the golf course, Tawonga Cres., on Sunday, 16th October at 10am for about 1 hour.

Lessons will be 10am -11.30am for the following 8 Sundays, finishing with a break-up bar-b-q and party on Sunday, December 4th

Enquiries to Liz Harvey 5754 4077.

SECONDARY SCHOOL GOLF TERM 4 ‘16

GOLF MONTH - Golf Competition for Secondary School Students age 13 and over.

WHEN - Sundays 10am to noon starting 16th October (for 4 weeks)
WHERE - At Mt Beauty Golf Course
COST - Free
EQUIPMENT - Will be provided if necessary.
FORMAT - To be decided when participants known. It will be supervised by golf club members. Probably shortened golf game.
EXPERIENCE - Some experience of hitting golf ball is desirable.

ENTRIES – YOU MUST LEAVE YOUR NAME WITH LIZ, OR STEVE AT TAWONGA SOUTH STORE OR SHARON AT THE OFFICE BEFORE 16TH OCT.

ENQUIRIES - Liz Harvey 57544077

MT BEAUTY TENNIS CLUB

Players wanted for Saturday morning junior tennis competition
Kiewa and District Tennis Association
Play starts at 9am, commencing early October thru to March 2017.
Contact;
Andrea Moorman
0459780079
Feeling Safe: 
For Secondary School Students

Get the facts
This fact sheet has been designed to give you the facts about child abuse. It includes advice on what to do if you have been abused, are being abused, or are at risk of being abused. This fact sheet also provides you with advice if you know someone who has been abused, or is at risk of being abused.

What are your rights?
- Everyone has the right to feel safe and be protected from abuse.
- No one is allowed to threaten you, hurt you, or touch you in a way that makes you feel uncomfortable, unsafe or afraid.
- This includes all adults, other teenagers and children – it includes everyone from family members, coaches, teachers, to friends and strangers.
- Every relationship should be respectful.
- No one should ever involve you in sexual activity without your consent, and no one should behave in a way that makes you feel unsafe or afraid.
- You don’t have to deal with abuse on your own. Talk to a trusted adult. Teachers and other adults at your school can support you to get help.

What is child abuse?
- Child abuse includes physical abuse, sexual abuse, emotional or psychological harm, neglect, and family violence.
- Child abuse can also include grooming. This is behaviour where an adult tries to establish a relationship or other emotional connection with a child, to prepare them for a sexual relationship.
- Child abuse does not have to involve physical contact or force. It can include:
  - controlling a child through threats
  - exposing a child to sexual material and sexual acts
  - exposing a child to family violence.
- Child abuse can be perpetrated by any member of a community or a family member. Abuse can impact anyone and it is never the victim’s fault.

AFL GRAND FINAL DAY

MOUNT BEAUTY UNITED CRICKET CLUB ROOMS
Saturday 1st October from 12pm
$10 Adult
$5 Teenager
Kids eat free!
BBQ & salad 12pm-2.30pm
Jumping castle, drinks at bar prices, ball games on the oval, raffles, sweeps and prizes.

LITTLE ATHLETICS

After the success of last year, Little Athletics will be running again in Mt Beauty for children aged 5 – 16 years.

Come & Try it Nights
Friday 7th & 14th October, 5-7pm
Les Peart Oval

Following this you will need to be a registered member. More info will be available at the Come and Try nights. The season will run each Friday evening during the Term 4 school term until the end of the school year. The season will be continued into Term 1, 2016.

Self-improvement, personal bests and having a go are the focus of each session.
A great social and sporting opportunity.

We can’t run without the support of parents. All children need to be supervised by an adult who is willing to support by running an event, timing, following an age group etc.
If you would like to know more please contact Kim Franzke – President or Carolyn Trott – Registrar
Email – mtbeauty@lavic.com.au
Mob – 0412 782 337

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Do you hold a full licence, have a good driving history and able to commit to a minimum of 1-2 hours per week?
Why not become an L2P mentor and assist a young person aged 16-20 years gain the 120 hours of supervised driving required to sit for their drivers licence.
call Jewel Hall 0418 736 665 or email l2p@alpineshire.vic.gov.au.

MONSTER STREET SALE

$20 $30 $40 SALE RACKS
SALE OF THE SEASON
SATURDAY 17TH & SUNDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 10-2PM
SASSY ROAD DAPPER DRIVE MT BEAUTY
The students in BI83 continued working on the Cows Create Careers Project by making informative models.

The ski day at Hotham was lots of fun and the weather managed to hold off until we were leaving. Thanks to Lucinda Wiseman, Mike Smith and Mick Grace for volunteering. Thanks also to Heath Matheson for his huge efforts to organise the ski program and to Esther Bottomley for assisting this year.

Some ceramic pieces created in AT08 Art – Mixed Media.