

**DATES TO REMEMBER****2018****Sunday 14 October**

Working Bee

**Wednesday 17 October**

Last Day of Year 12 Classes

**Friday 19 October**

No Scheduled Classes

**Friday 26 October**

Art and Technology Exhibition Official Opening

**Sunday 14 October - Working Bee****Thursday 18 October - Year 12 Breakfast and Formal****Friday 19 October - Curriculum Day (No Scheduled Classes)****Friday 26 October - Art and Technology Exhibition Official Opening****PRINCIPAL'S REPORT****Welcome Back**

Welcome back to all students and staff for the start of Term 4. This will once again be a very busy term as we continue with our work for a positive finish to 2018 and prepare ourselves for the start of the 2019 school year.

Our Year 12 students only have one week left of school before they move into a solid period of exam preparation.

The Year 12 practice exams took place in the term break and students engaged well with them. The feedback provided to them on these exams will serve them well as they proceed with their revision program. A big thank you to all the staff and all the members of the Senior School Team who worked hard to make this a very positive experience for our students.

**Student Achievement: The RACI Victorian Branch Titration Competition**

Eltham High School get on the books with the RACI Titration Stakes. Our two teams consisting of:

Team 1: **Nathan Wall (Year 12, Stewart House), Charlie Evans (Year 12, Everard House), Ben Phillips (Year 11, Stewart House)**, and

Team 2: **Noah Field (Year 11, Andrew House), Zac Broeren (Year 11, Everard House), Paddy Leahy (Year 11, Stewart House)**, were both invited to proceed to take part in the National competition. Only 35 teams are chosen from the 322 participating teams from all over Victoria to advance to the National competition.

Our two teams completed their tasks for the National Competition and obtained the following awards:

Paddy Leahy - Silver award  
Noah Field - Silver award  
Zac Broeren - Silver award  
Nathan Wall - Gold award  
Charlie Evans - Silver award  
Ben Phillips - Silver award

Congratulations to all for such an excellent result. More details appear in the Science section of this newsletter.

**International Youth Silent Film Festival**

Congratulations to **Abigail Wilson (Year 12, Stewart House)** whose Media Studies film has been shortlisted in the finalists of the International Youth Silent Film Festival. The film is being screened at the Astor theatre on October 26. Following this screening Abigail's film has the chance to be screened in Orlando if it makes it through the Victorian regional finals.

"*Charlie and the Mavericks*" will most certainly be well received by audiences everywhere. This is an outstanding achievement for Abigail and for our school. Well done!

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## SCHOOL CALENDAR

### OCTOBER

#### Wednesday 10 - Friday 12

- Duke of Edinburgh Award Adventure Journey

#### Thursday 11

- Year 11 Exam Preparation Seminar  
ATAR Notes - Period 1

#### Friday 12

- Year 9 Pizza Day Fundraiser

#### Sunday 14

- Working Bee

#### Monday 15 - Tuesday 16

- Year 11 Outdoor Ed Otways and Bushwalking

#### Monday 15

- Year 12 Media Film Screening
- VCE Extended Investigation Oral Exams

#### Tuesday 16

- Year 8 Volleyball Round Robin
- Young Workers Outreach Program - Year 9 B, C and H - Period 1
- Young Workers Outreach Program - Year 9 A, D and K - Period 2
- Real Industry Job Interviews Program for Year 9 and 10
- Year 9 English Live Drama Performance Romeo and Juliet - Period 4

#### Wednesday 17

- Last Day of Year 12 Classes

#### Thursday 18

- Year 12 Breakfast and Valedictory Evening

#### Friday 19

- Curriculum Day (No Student Attendance)
- Inter Futsal Finals

#### Monday 22

- SSV Athletics

#### Wednesday 24

- NMR - Year 8 Girls Table Tennis

#### Thursday 25

- Hands on HEADSS Workshop

#### Friday 26

- Art and Technology Show Opening

#### Monday 29

- Year 11 Seminar - English Exam Revision - Period 4

#### Tuesday 30

### Iga Warta Experience

Iga Warta was a unique experience for twenty of our students and three staff. Congratulations to each one of them for the way in which they engaged with and took part in every aspect of the trip.

The group shared the experience with a retired teacher and his wife and this week the school received a letter of appreciation from the couple and in it Mr Doug Ward says the following: *"The students did themselves proud and were a credit to their accompanying teachers, their school and their hosts at Iga Warta."* Furthermore Mr Ward states in his letter *"Your group's fieldtrip reminded me of the positive learning experiences fieldwork provides everyone involved."*

How fantastic, that a person should take the time to write such positive feedback. Well done to everyone involved.

### New Caledonia French Study Trip

Congratulations to all our staff and students that took part in the New Caledonia Trip over the term break. Reports indicate that everyone had a wonderful time immersing themselves in the culture and the French language. Needless to say the weather was outstanding, the activities extremely engaging and the behaviour of the students faultless. Once again, the trip received 'thumbs up'. There will be a report from the group in a later edition of the newsletter.

### Sporting Precinct Development

We are on the cusp of starting the development works with relation to the Sporting Precinct Project. You may have noticed that the perimeter of the front oval is now secured by temporary fencing and the site has now become a building site. The Contractors are just waiting for the signing of a couple of documents and the work will then begin. The builder's site sheds will be delivered and located on site on Thursday, after students have arrived at school.

I informed the student body on Monday morning that the start of the work is imminent and that for the next 165 days at least, we will need to be more tolerant and accepting of one another as we move through the school. We need to be kind and understanding because about a third of our school grounds will not be available for us to move around in. There is the possibility of some congestion but I know that with the students' willingness and support, all will go well. As student numbers decrease over the next few weeks with the seniors finishing, comfort will increase for all of us who will be here until close to the end of December.

I ask parents for your support in reiterating this message to our young people. I think that we need to acknowledge that we will need to go through a little bit of discomfort in order to achieve an outstanding end product that will not only serve us well for years but also serve our community.

I will keep you informed as work progresses from week to week.

### Changes to parking on the north side of Withers way

There have been changes to the parking areas on the north side of Withers Way across the road from the entry into the school. With the completion of Leisure Centre redevelopment four parking bays have been converted into a bus-parking zone. This is to support the new entry into the Leisure Centre that has been designated a school entry. From 9:00am to 3:00pm, this area is purely a bus-parking zone. Between 8:00am and 9:00am, this area is a school drop off zone (5-minute Stop). Between 3:00pm and 4:00pm, this is a school pick up zone (5 minute Stop).

I encourage you to use the drop off and pick up zone but also to adhere to the time restriction. Council Officers have been patrolling and it would not be unusual for them to issue parking fines.

I ask you for your support on one matter relating to student safety. If you do use the drop off and pick up zone on Withers Way can you please direct your children to cross the road at the school crossing both on arrival and on their departure from school. As you well know, congestion is high at peak times and we do not want to complicate things by students, crossing the road in front of incoming cars and placing themselves at risk.

Thank you for your support with this matter.

### Planning for 2019

It is at this time of the year when I put out a request for information from parents. Due to the high demand for places at the school, we have a number of students in Year 8-12 for 2019 on waiting lists for a place in the school. Whilst we are mindful of managing student numbers, we do want to give students and families who want to be part of the Eltham High School Learning Community the opportunity to do so. However, we cannot offer a place until we are know that a vacancy exists.

- Year 9 Intermediate Volleyball Round Robin
- Year 8 Boys and Girls Northern Zone Volleyball Competition

**Wednesday 31**

- Year 7 Boys and Girls Northern Zone Volleyball Competition

**DECEMBER**

**Friday 02**

- Doctors in Schools Workshop

**Monday 19**

- Year 11 and 12 Headstart Orientation Meeting Period 1

**Wednesday 28**

- Junior and Senior Drama End of Year Performances - 5:30pm

**Thursday 29**

- Junior and Senior Drama End of Year Performances - 5:30pm

Can I ask all parents of students currently in Year 7-11 to please communicate with us if you know that your child will definitely not be attending Eltham High School in 2019, this may be because you will be moving address, possibly moving interstate, perhaps your child will be pursuing an enrolment in TAFE, etc.

Please contact the relevant person below to provide this information only if you know that your child will not be attending Eltham High School in 2019.

Junior School (Year 7 only) - Mrs Melissa Hughes – [huh@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:huh@elthamhs.vic.edu.au)

Middle School (Years 8 and 9) - Mr Ross McKinnon - [mki@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:mki@elthamhs.vic.edu.au)

Senior School (Years 10 and 11) - Mrs Anna Panas - [pan@elthamhs.vic.edu](mailto:pan@elthamhs.vic.edu)

Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

**Explore the future of Work**

It's difficult to advise young people about careers these days. As a parent you want to help them find their feet — but things have changed since you were at High School.

Explore the future of work at Melbourne Polytechnic, Greensborough October 24 from 6:20pm - 9:00pm.

Much more than a careers expo. Find Their Feet is an immersive journey through time, from our industrial past to the technologically advanced future. After reflecting on their own unique interests, skills and strengths, students will place an avatar of themselves in the future world of work — a vast landscape representing the 'Future North' made up of six distinct zones:

- People Services (Health care and Social Assistance);
- Food (Retail, Markets, etc.);
- Construction;
- Life Long Learning (Education & Training);
- Tech / Bio Tech (Professional, scientific and technical services); and
- The New Manufacturing (Trades and Manufacturing).

Future-focussed industry experts will be on hand to guide students on their journey and help with practical advice, support and next steps.

- Be surprised by the skills students already have, and how useful they will be in the future
- Transform anxiety into excitement as students see a place for themselves in the future world of work
- Be ready and able to support students take the all-important next steps.

Register NOW!

Follow us on Facebook for all the latest [news@findtheirfeet](mailto:news@findtheirfeet)

Find out more at our website [findtheirfeet.org](http://findtheirfeet.org)

These are FREE events but places are limited. Don't miss out. Register NOW

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**VINCENT SICARI, Principal**

**ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL'S REPORT**

**Student Dress Code Reminder**

As we move into a new term, I would like to remind students and families of our Student Dress Code. The following clothing items are not acceptable for school:

- Brief clothing
- Singlets or sleeveless t-shirts
- Brief skirts and shorts
- Shirts or dresses with a shoulder strap less than 6cm in width
- Bare midriff
- Exposed underwear
- Thongs are not appropriate footwear for a school environment
- Clothing with offensive messages or images

We seek your support in ensuring students come to school dressed appropriately as we move into the warmer months.



**CANTEEN**  
ROSTER & MENU

**ROSTER FOR OCTOBER 2018**

**Wednesday**

- Martha Monkman
- Jo Edwards

**Thursday**

- Michelle Mercer
- Tanya Redman

**Friday**

- Jaime Stephens
- Lucy Varley-Kean

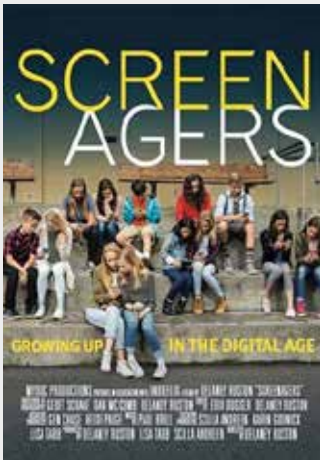
**Monday**

- Volunteer Needed

**Tuesday**

- Volunteer Needed

If you would like to volunteer for our canteen please send your email address and availabilities to our Canteen Manager, Carolina Constable at:  
[cob@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:cob@elthamhs.vic.edu.au)



**Casual Staff Wanted**

Eltham High School's Canteen is looking for casual canteen staff to assist our Canteen Manager in the daily operations of the Canteen. There are currently two regular casual shifts available on Thursday and Fridays from 10:00-2:30, as well as the opportunity for additional shifts across the year. The role requires food preparation, cleaning duties and customer service skills. Some hospitality or cookery experience is recommended and a Working with Children's Card is mandatory.

Please contact Carolina Constable, Canteen Manager, at [cob@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:cob@elthamhs.vic.edu.au) or by telephone on 9439 5122 for further information.

**FRAN MULLINS, Assistant Principal**

**JUNIOR SCHOOL**

**Screenagers**

This is an exclusive screening of this powerful documentary for Year 7 families. Younger siblings 10+ are welcome to attend.

Venue: Eltham High School

Date: 16 October 2018

Time: 7:00pm

Screenagers is the first feature documentary to explore the impact of screen technology on kids and to offer parents proven solutions that work.

American Physician and filmmaker Delaney Ruston learned that the average kid spends 6.5 hours a day looking at screens. She wondered about the impact of all this time and about the friction occurring in homes and schools around negotiating screen time—friction she knew all too well with her own daughter.

In Screenagers, Delaney takes a deeply personal approach as she probes into the vulnerable corners of family life, including her own, to explore struggles over social media, video games, academics and internet addiction. Through poignant and unexpectedly funny stories, along with surprising insights from authors, psychologists, and brain scientists, Screenagers reveals how tech time impacts kids' development and offers solutions on how adults can empower kids to best navigate the digital world and find balance.

Bookings now open at: <https://www.trybooking.com/Y SRL>

**MELISSA HUGHES, Junior School Leader**

**SENIOR SCHOOL**

**Open Days 2018**

Access the web link below to find out the scheduled days and times of the Tertiary Institution Open Days.

<http://www.vtac.edu.au/opendays.html>

Students are advised to create a shortlist of the institutions they wish to visit, access the institutions' open day programs from their website and attend the information sessions of interest.

**VTAC App**

Year 12 students are asked to download the VTAC app. on the App store or via Google play. Students will be able to search for courses, access their ATAR and offers.

**SEAS applications**

<http://www.vtac.edu.au/applying/seas.html>

If applying for Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS) students must enter one course preference to commence this process. If students are seeking a statement of support from a medical practitioner or treating specialist it is advisable to arrange the appointment. Additionally, if students will be requesting a statement of support from their respective coordinator or teacher this must be completed by the last day of Term 3 Friday, 21 September, 2018.

**ELTHAM HIGH SCHOOL CLUBS**  
**WHY NOT GET INVOLVED!**

**Drama**

When: Wednesday (Junior)  
 Thursday (Senior)  
 Location: 111 Drama Space  
 Time: 3.20pm – 5.00pm  
 George Franklin  
 Drama Teacher

**Scrambled Prince Workshops**

When: Tuesday  
 Location: 111 Drama Space  
 Time: 3.20pm – 6.00pm  
 George Franklin  
 Drama Teacher

**Interscholar Debating Team**

When: Monday Lunchtime  
 Location: Room 301  
 Madeleine Griffeth  
 Debating Coordinator

**PRISIM**

(People - Respecting - Individual's -  
 Sexuality - Identity - Movement)  
 When: Thursday Lunchtime  
 Location: Student Services  
 Louise Heathcote  
 Student Services Leader

**Tournament of Minds  
 (Year 7 - 10)**

When: Tuesday Lunchtime  
 Location: Room 154  
 Loren Clarke & Naomi Edrees  
 Tournament of Minds Coordinators

**Eltham High School Environment Group**

When: Wednesday Lunchtime  
 Location: Room 154

**Pottery Club**

When: Friday Lunchtime  
 Location: Room 602  
 Donna Ayres  
 Technology Teacher

**Language Conversation Club**

When: Friday Lunchtime  
 Indonesian Club: Room 610  
 French Club: Room 612  
 Catherine Considine  
 Languages KLA Coordinator

The closing date for applications to VTAC with supporting documentation is Friday, 12 October 2018.

**Critical dates**

Performance and Languages oral examinations and Extended Investigation oral presentations	Monday, 8 October - Sunday, 4 November 2018
Languages (CCAFL) written examinations	Tuesday, 23 October 2018
Auslan examination	Wednesday, 24 October 2018
2018 VCE written examinations	Wednesday, 31 October - Wednesday, 21 November

**ANNA PANAS, Senior School Leader**

**MUSIC**

**Second Hand Instrument Register**

If you are considering selling your instrument we will be running a second hand instrument register. The second hand instrument register process will open at the start of Term 4, 2018.

It costs \$10.00 to place your instrument on the register. Please contact Jane in the Music Office and she will arrange for the appropriate teacher to assess the instrument and advise of any repairs that need to be undertaken and its second hand value.

All instruments must be serviced before they can be placed on the register.

Please bring your instrument to the Music Office for assessment no later than Friday 30 November, 2018 along with the \$10.00 registration fee. Thank you.

**Training Band and Junior Strings Music Fees**

The third and final instalment of the Training Band and Junior Strings Music fees are due by Friday, 21 September 2018. The third instalment is for the Small Ensemble, Percussion Equipment Hire and Hired Instrument Fee (if applicable).

Payment of music fees can be made by credit card on the form included in the Resources Tab of each main ensemble, or by cash, BPay, credit card (over the phone by calling 9430 5118) or by cheque made payable to "Eltham High School". If you make a payment via BPay please ensure you email [accounts@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@elthamhs.vic.edu.au) advising that the funds paid are for music fees. If you do not email the payment may be allocated to other areas.

If you do not know your BPay reference number please contact our school's Accounts Department on 9430 5118 or email [accounts@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:accounts@elthamhs.vic.edu.au). Your prompt payment of fees is appreciated.

**After School Music Lessons available for Guitar, Electric Bass and Drumkit**

If any student is interested in lessons on guitar, electric bass or drumkit in our After School Music Program, our teachers have places available. Please contact the Music Office for more details.

**Absence from Rehearsals**

Could all parents/guardians please ensure their child's absence from a rehearsal is approved via the Compass Parent Portal. Please note if you approve a full day absence this will usually not include the ensemble rehearsal time. You will need to approve this separately. You can retrospectively approve absences.

**RICK PLUMMER, Director of Music**

**More Mudbrick Tour Volunteers Needed!**

We have five amazing Eltham Mudbrick Tour houses to show to the public on Sunday 21 October and we really need a few more volunteers to help run things on the day.

In particular:

- 12 people to help man houses during the afternoon (circa 1 – 4 pm)
- 1 extra person for a house during the morning (circa 10-1 pm)
- 2 people for the ticket desk (one morning and one afternoon)



## EXTRACURRICULAR CLASSES & TUTORIALS

### Eltham High School Swim Squad

When: Thursday

Location: Watermarc

Time: 7.00am – 8.00am

*Phil Boyd*

*Eltham High School Swimming Club  
Coordinator*

### Eltham High School Anthology

When: Tuesday

Location: Room 302

Time: Lunchtime

*Steve Ford*

*Eltham High School Anthology  
Coordinator*

### Eltham High School STEM Club

When: Every second Wednesday

Location: Room 902

Time: Lunchtime

*Anam Javed*

*Eltham High School Science  
Coordinator*

Year 9+ students are welcome to come along and help out too. Also, let us know if you can supply homemade light savory snacks for sale.

The Mudbrick Tour gives the public the opportunity to view five awesome Mudbrick houses around Eltham and is our biggest annual fundraiser. Money raised gives our students the opportunity to play an amazing range of instruments.

If you are able to help us, please contact Jane Nicholson at [nio@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:nio@elthamhs.vic.edu.au). Thanks to all who have already volunteered their time or food, you don't need to contact us again.

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### CHRIS WEALE, Friends of Music

## CAREERS

### Year 9 Work Experience 2017: Monday 10 - Friday 14 December

Students are required to complete one week of placement and can access forms through the careers website at <http://www.elthamhighcareers.com> or from outside the Careers Office. There is the standard Placement Form along with a Transport/Accommodation Form, if necessary. Forms need to be returned by Friday 30 November.

For students competing in the Australian Volleyball Schools' Cup they are able to complete their placement at another time prior to or following the scheduled week.

Students who are not 15 years old by 10 December will be restricted to placements at a kindergarten, pre-school or primary school. Alternatively private arrangements can be made by the family but please pass on the information prior to the placement.

Any queries should be directed to Ross Pringle at [pri@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:pri@elthamhs.vic.edu.au)

### Creative Arts Taster - Melbourne Polytechnic: Tuesday, 23 October

Aimed at Year 9 and 10 students who wish to try a range of Creative Arts areas. All students will participate in each of the six areas below:

- Illustration
- Music
- Photography
- Sound Production
- Sports Broadcasting
- Visual Arts

**Registrations Open at 9:00am - 9:45am with a 10:00am sharp start time.**

Final Session 1:55pm - 2:25pm

If you are interested please contact Ross Pringle at [pri@elthamhs.vic.edu.au](mailto:pri@elthamhs.vic.edu.au)

### Austin Health Work Experience Year 10 and 11 2019

<http://www.austin.org.au/HR/Workexperience/>

Applications for Work Experience in 2019 will open in early September. Please continue to monitor the Austin website and submit your application to Mr Pringle in the Careers Office.

Please be aware that only a certain number of placements are available and are therefore allocated on a "first come - first served" basis. Unfortunately not all departments are able to offer placements and not all weeks are available.

**Popular weeks book out very early (including school holidays) and all students must be over the age of 15 at the time of their placement.**

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### ROSS PRINGLE, Careers Coordinator

**PARENT  
INFORMATION**

**2018**

**Term 3:**

Starts 16 July  
Finishes 21 September

**Term 4:**

Starts 8 October  
Finishes 20 December  
(dependent on year level)

**GROUNDS COMMITTEE**

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND WORKING BEE DATES**

**2018**

**Working Bee Dates**

- 14 October 2018
- 18 November 2018

**Committee Meeting Dates**

- 8 November

**STUDENT GROWTH AND LEADERSHIP**

**Operation New Start**

Congratulations to Ryan Hoskins Year 10, Operation Newstart Graduate.

Ryan has just successfully completed and graduated from the Newstart Program in the Northern Region for term 3 2018. Ryan was also voted the most valuable leader in the program. Below is a speech that he made at the graduation ceremony:

*"Hi everyone, my name is Ryan Hoskins, I am 16 years old and am currently half way through Year 10. I would like to welcome everyone here today to celebrate our graduation from the enhanced Operation Newstart Program. Today myself and Adem will be talking to you about leadership and the four types of leadership we learnt about over the past five weeks. I will be talking about peer and delegative leadership.*

*Peer leadership each person in a group has an equal input to help solve the problem. A good example of this was the other day, we played a game called magic boots and the group had to work together to form a plan to get across the lava (the basketball court) when each person could only wear the boots once.*

*A good example of delegative leadership was white water rafting and cave diving. At the start of caving Hamid and myself led the way into and through the first section of the cave. And in white water rafting Nayhana and I led the way towards the end and let everyone know if there were any obstacles ahead.*

*Before I go I'd like to say some thank you's so first off, I'd like to thank my school, Louise Heathcote and Luke Mitchel for nominating me into the program. Last of all I'd like to thank my parents for supporting me with everything, not just the program but for all their help and support with everything out of school. I wouldn't be able to do what I do without you guys.*

*Thank you."*

**Ryan Hoskins (Year 10, Stewart House)**



**PETER TOREY, Student Growth Leader**

**SEPTEMBER**

**Thursday 20**

- Year 9 Recreational and Active Girls - Ice Skating

**SPORT**

**Australian Volleyball Schools Cup**

The Australian Volleyball Schools Cup will be held between Sunday, 9 and Friday, 14 December 2018. Eltham High School is entering all 16 teams that we had planned to enter. Thank you to all parents that paid the \$100 deposit by the due date. The balance of \$360 is required to be paid by 1 November. All details are in the information handed to students which is also available under the resources tab on the Compass event "Australian Volleyball Schools' Cup" and on the Eltham High School web page Volleyball / downloads. Teams list are also on this site under "Teams for the Australian Volleyball Schools' Cup".

Mr Thomas will be on leave during the last 2 weeks of this term.

**Volleyball Dates**

- 16 October – Year 8 Round Robin
- 30 October – Year 8 Northern Zone Finals
- 31 October – Year 7 Northern Zone Finals
- 15 November – Year 8 State volleyball Final
- 16 November – Year 7 State Volleyball Final
- 9 December – 14 December – Australian Volleyball Schools' Cup

If your child is selected in a state or national team or has a memorable sporting achievement, please let us know so we can share the good news.

**Trials For The 2019 GMVA Program**

Trials for the 2019 Program are coming up. There are multiple trial dates below, and athletes are encouraged to attend at least two trials to give themselves the best chance of selection for the new Program starting on Monday, 12 November.

GMVA has training groups for athletes from 11 years old through to 20, so chances are, we can help you with your development and reaching your goals.

Wednesday, 10 October: Girls 6pm - 7:15pm and Boys 7:30pm -8:45pm

The trials will consist of:

- Basic volleyball skills work
- Possible physical testing
- Possible match play

GMVAs athletes have achieved some fantastic results:

- 34 boys and girls playing college volleyball in the USA & Canada
- 8 athletes playing professional volleyball in Europe
- 5 male athletes and 1 coach in the Mens Volleyroos
- 2 female athletes and 2 coaches in the Womens Volleyroos
- Over half the beach and indoor state teams are GMVA athletes
- 52 athletes in National Youth and Junior beach and indoor volleyball teams

To save time and pre register go to [www.gmva.com.au/trialsrego](http://www.gmva.com.au/trialsrego) For more information please contact Luke Campbell at

[lukegmva@gmail.com](mailto:lukegmva@gmail.com) or on **0414 633 837**.

All trials are held at State Volleyball Centre, 270 Stud Road in Dandenong North. Please note there is a \$10 trial fee per trial.

**2018 Junior Girls Kick Start Program EIV**

EIV was established to identify talented athletes, with volleyball skills and/or athletic ability for the sport of volleyball, and to develop this potential to its highest level possible: school, Victorian or Australian representation. EIV is endorsed by Volleyball Victoria and Volleyball Australia. Many EIV athletes have gone on to achieve their ultimate goal of representing Australia and/or gaining a USA College scholarship.

**EIV Kick Start Program**

Come along and improve your volleyball in the lead up to Australian Volleyball Schools Cup: Tuesday evenings for seven weeks in Term 4.

**Program Details**

- Training will be from 6:00pm to 7:15pm, Tuesday evenings at Luther College, Croydon
- Dates; 23, 30 October, 13, 20 November and 4 December
- Program fee of \$85 per athlete for the six week program



## eLearning



### Registrations

- Registrations must be received no later than 1 October. Please note that the places are limited, and athletes will be accepted on a first in basis (so be quick)!
- [bill@i.net.au](mailto:bill@i.net.au) with the following details: name, date of birth, school, contact phone number and approximate t-shirt size. Registration will be acknowledged via return email
- Program fee will be payable by Tuesday, 23 October.

**Further Information:** Bill McHoul (Program Director/Head Coach) 0417 341 685 or email [bill@i.net.au](mailto:bill@i.net.au)

Any students looking for some extra training in the lead up to AVSC can look into this or training at Heidelberg Volleyball Club each Thursday 6:00 to 7:00pm at CLC in Eltham.

### Athletics

The Diamond Valley Athletic Club invites any student interested in a season of Track and Field athletics to train and compete with our club.

DVAC's home venue, Willinda Park, Greensborough is currently undergoing an upgrade, but training sessions & competition continue to be held.

Athletes will find qualified coaches on hand to assist with their preparation.

For further information, check out the club website [www.valleyaths.org](http://www.valleyaths.org) or contact DVAC Registrar Lyn Davis on 0409 005 406.

The season of competition with Athletics Victoria includes a club-based program, the AV Shield, which runs from October to March. As well, there are a range of Championship events that are offered to all age groups. Training and competition is open to women and men from Under 14's through to open age.

For further information, check out the club website [www.valleyaths.org](http://www.valleyaths.org) or contact DVAC Registrar Lyn Davis on 0409 005 406.

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### GREG THOMAS, Volleyball Coach and Sports Teacher

## DRAMA

### Mango Fundraiser

Our very own Scrambled Prince Theatre Company are once again running their amazing Mango Fundraiser. If you love Mango, here's your chance to indulge in fresh juicy Kensington Pride mangoes (direct from the farm) and support this fundraising drive to help get our students to the Adelaide Fringe Festival in 2019. The cost per 7kg tray is \$27.00.

With the term holidays almost upon us, why not start collecting orders from family and friends! Orders can be placed via the school's cashier right up until 26 October 2018. Delivery will be on a day during week commencing 10 December. With Christmas coming soon after your mango delivery, why not get creative and cook up treats like mango icecream, mango chutney, mango salsa or of course, a curry with mango!

Why not check out sites like <https://www.taste.com.au/recipes/collections/mango-recipes> Or <http://allrecipes.com.au/recipes/tag-355/mango-recipes.aspx>

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### GEORGE FRANKLIN, Drama KLA Coordinator

## ICT

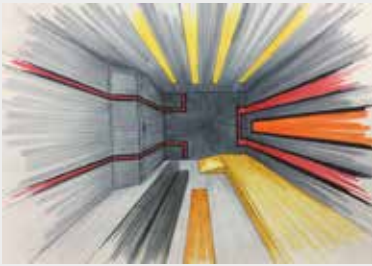
### eLearning

During Term 3 two Year 8 classes participated in a pilot with the Banyule-Nillumbik Tech School. Over three consecutive days the students grappled with a focus on the War on Waste. Using the inquiry framework and innovation process the students went from collectively identifying a problem to creating storyboards on touch-screen computers, and by the final day were using technology to create cardboard prototypes of a product, many of which were 3-D printed. Facilitated by the Tech School staff, the students appreciated the opportunity to apply an industry approach to particular problems. There will be one more class participating in this pilot program in Term 4, and in 2019 we are planning for all Year 8 classes to be involved as a part of their curriculum.

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### LUKE HERRING, ICT Coordinator

# Year 12 Artwork



Logan Skeen - Year 12  
Environmental Design -  
band rehearsal studio



Lachlan Ranken - Year 12  
Environmental Design - Retail store  
and warehouse art and music studio  
for disengaged youth  
Communication Design - Branding  
Identity - Noise Canvas

# ART



## Eltham High School Art and Technology Exhibition 2018



**Official Opening**  
Friday, 26th of October 7 pm  
RSVP by 19th of October:  
sca@elthamhs.vic.edu.au  
Guest Speaker: Tess Edwards Baldessin



**Viewing Times**  
Friday, 26th of October 6 - 8.30 pm  
Saturday, 27th of October 1 - 3 pm  
Eltham High School - Withers Way -  
Eltham 3095 - phone (03) 9430 5111

## Titration Competition



## SCIENCE

### The RACI Victorian Branch Titration Competition results – More success!

Our two teams in the competition: **Nathan Wall (Year 12, Stewart House)**, **Charlie Evans (Year 12, Everard House)**, **Ben Phillips (Year 11, Andrew House)**, and **Noah Field (Year 11, Andrew House)**, **Zac Broeren (Year 11, Everard House)**, **Paddy Leahy (Year 11, Stewart House)** were both invited to proceed to take part in the National competition, only 35 teams are chosen from the 322 participating teams from all over Victoria to advance to the National competition.

Students in this year's competition were again asked to determine the strength of a solution of ethanoic acid (acetic acid or vinegar) of unknown concentration. They first had to determine the concentration of a sodium hydroxide (caustic soda) solution by titrating it against a known volume of hydrochloric acid of known strength, and then using the caustic soda solution, to determine the strength of the acetic acid solution. Students worked in teams, and each team was given three different solutions of sodium hydroxide and ethanoic acid.

Our two teams completed their tasks for the National Competition and obtained the following awards:

- Paddy Leahy - Silver award
- Noah Field - Silver award
- Zac Broeren - Silver award
- Nathan Wall - Gold award
- Charlie Evans - Silver award
- Ben Phillips - Silver award

An excellent result for all concerned!

### eResearch Australasia

eResearch Australasia have extended an invite to any students in years 10 to 12 to participate, at no cost, in eResearch Australasia which will be held in Melbourne, between 15 – 19 October (<https://conference.eresearch.edu.au/>).

### Student Participation Options

This is an outstanding opportunity for students to learn about cutting edge research and learn how information and communication technologies help researchers to make the best possible use of their data.

Things to do:

- Explore science datasets using Virtual and Augmented Reality environments
- Meet a selection of researchers to discuss their posters and e-posters
- Watch computer animations that showcase techniques for storytelling and science communication
- Listen to conference keynotes – check out the conference homepage to see confirmed international and national invited speakers. More information will be announced soon!
- Walk the exhibition floor and speak to researchers and technology providers
- For more information see <https://conference.eresearch.edu.au/students/>

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### JULIE MCDONALD, Science Teacher

### Student Accelerator Program – Report

One of our students, Manu Ranganathan took part in the first Student Accelerator Program provided by the Banyule Nillumbik Tech School and Melbourne Innovation Centre.

Student Start-Up is multi-partner accelerator program designed to help students grow their exciting ideas into a business.

The Program provides students with access to seed funding, leading mentors, workshops, pitch events and the latest business incubation facilities at Melbourne Innovation Centre's Greensborough campus.

Manu completed the program towards the end of term 3, and gave us this insight:

*“Over the last 5 weeks, myself and group of four other students from Melbourne's North met every Monday at Melbourne Innovation centre for the start-up program. This program was led by the CEO of Melbourne Innovation centre, David Williamson, and Brett Melville, who is a successful business owner and entrepreneur. The purpose*

of the program was to turn an idea into a profitable business, and we started from the basics, all the way up to creating our first prototype, and pitching out businesses to investors and successful business owners.

I learnt heaps about business and what it takes to become a successful entrepreneur on this program. We had the opportunity to talk to many highly successful business owners, have one on one sessions with various mentors, and were given seed funding throughout the program to develop our businesses.

As mentioned before, at the end of the program, we were given the opportunity to pitch our business concepts to an audience of business owners and investors. The event was a great experience and I really gained an insight into the way successful business owners think and operate.

My pitch went really well on the night, and an investor offered me \$3000 with ongoing mentorship for 2.5% of the business.

The start-up program will most likely be open to another group next year and I would highly recommend anyone to give it a go. I will be a part of the next start-up group, returning as a program mentor."

**Manu Ranganathan (Year 9, Everard House)**

The next Student Accelerator Program will run again next year at a time yet to be decided. When details are available, they will be posted here.

**ROB COVENTRY, Science KLA Coordinator**

**CANTEEN NEWS**

Our Canteen will be transitioning from their winter menu to the new summer menu in the next couple of weeks

This week will be last week for Nachos and Garlic Bread

New introductions for next week are:

- Hash browns \$1
- Potato Wedges \$4
- Potato Wedges with Sour Cream and Sweet Chilli Sauce \$5
- Egg Muffin with tomato relish \$3.50
- Bacon and Egg Muffin with tomato relish \$4.00
- Tandoori Chicken Wraps \$5.50
- (Tandoori Chicken, lettuce, cucumber and garlic yoghurt sauce in a spinach wrap)
- Salad Jars \$8 (\$3 refundable for return of jar)

We will also be offering gluten free meat pies for lunch orders as well as on Friday Vegetarian Burgers.

Canteen Spring Menu			
Hot Food	Cool Stuff	Cool Stuff	Sandwiches and Wraps <small>(Gluten free bread available on request)</small>
Pin Wheel \$1.00	Fresh Fruit (Piece) \$1.00	Sushi \$2.00-\$3.00	BLT \$5.50
Hash Browns \$1.00	Fresh Fruit Cup \$3.00	Rice Paper Rolls \$2.00-\$3.00	Falafel Wrap \$5.50
Sweet Muffin \$2.00	Dip & Crackers \$3.00	Salad Jars (changing weekly) \$5.00	Tandoori Chicken Wraps \$5.50
Sausage Roll \$3.50	Chia Pudding (Vegan) \$4.00	Yoghurt & Muesli Cups \$3.00	Turkey & Swiss Cheese Bagel \$5.50
Meat Pie \$4.50			Chilli Chicken Wrap \$5.50
Dim Sims (2) \$2.00	Weekly Lunch Specials		Egg & Lottuce Sandwich \$4.00
Potato Wedges \$4.00	Monday	Sticky Chicken Wings (3) \$5.00	Roast Veggie Sandwich \$5.50
Potato Wedges with Sour cream & Sweet Chilli \$5.00	Tuesday	Chicken Parmigiana Roll \$5.00	Ham & Cheese Sandwich \$3.50
Vegan Pasta \$4.00	Wednesday	Lamb Souviaki \$5.00	
Napoli Pasta \$4.50	Thursday	Sushi & Rice paper rolls \$2.00-\$3.00	
Pasta Bake \$5.00	Friday	Beef, Chicken or Veggie Burgers \$5.00	
Egg Muffin with relish \$3.50			
Bacon & Egg Muffin with relish \$4.00			
Sweet Things			Hot Chocolate \$2.00
Blitz Balls \$2.00		Coffee Scroll \$3.50	Hot Coffee \$2.00
Custard Tart \$3.50		Strawberry & Chocolate Doughnut \$3.50	Hedgehog Slice \$3.50
Hot Jam Doughnut \$3.50			Caramel Slice \$3.50
			Apple Cake \$3.50
			Lamington Slice \$2.00

**CAROLINA CONSABLE, Canteen Manager**



## STUDENT SERVICES

### Spectrum Journeys North Outreach

Spectrum Journeys North Outreach are launching at the Hurstbridge Community Hub! Spectrum Journeys is a not for profit Autism service that works with carers and educators to support children on the Autism Spectrum.

The service provides carer support and education for families and education staff through the following programs and initiatives:

- Carer support groups and peer-based carer support
- Advocacy and mentoring groups
- Workshops for carers and educators
- Outreach service

### Parent Connect North

Mondays commencing 15 October with sessions on 22 and 29 October and 5, 12 and 19 November.

10:00am – 11:30am at Hurstbridge Community Hub – 50 Graysharps Road, Hurstbridge.

The sessions will explore diagnosis, change, relationships, everyday life challenges, strengths, boundaries, self-esteem and self-care facilitated by Charlinda Parsons, Occupational Therapist

To request an expression of interest form, email [info@spectrumjourneys.org.au](mailto:info@spectrumjourneys.org.au).

For more information about Spectrum Journeys' services, please view their website:

[www.spectrumjourneys.org.au](http://www.spectrumjourneys.org.au).

### SANE Forums Eating Disorders Victoria (EDV)

The SANE Lived Experience Forum on the EDV website now compliments the SANE Carers Forum that has been available on the website for some time.

I highly recommend The Lived Experience Forum as a safe, anonymous community for people living with mental illness, or people caring for someone with an eating disorder, it is moderated 24/7 by mental health professionals.

Please note these Forums do not provide crisis counselling. If you need urgent help, call Lifeline on 13 11 14 or in an emergency call 000.

<https://eatingdisorders.saneforums.org/>

### YouthFest 2018 – Calling All Young Performers

Applications for YouthFest performers are now open! YouthFest welcomes diversity in performances including spoken word artists, bands, solo artists plus more! If you'd like to apply, go to [www.banyuleyouth.com/youthfest18-performer-call-out](http://www.banyuleyouth.com/youthfest18-performer-call-out)

More info: contact Roland on 9098 8010

### Parent Information

SBS Insight aired an episode about gaming and addiction this week. This might be of interest to any parent or families due to the high number of inquiries' regarding gaming at home and school.

To see the video please see the link below.

<https://www.sbs.com.au/ondemand/video/1284354627710/insight-game-on>

### PRISIM

PRISIM is 'People Respecting Individuals Sexual Identity Movement'.

All PRISIM members are invited to our weekly meetings every Friday during lunch time in student services.

Eltham High School's LGBT+ support group. All year levels are welcome to come and join.

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**LOUISE HEATHCOTE, Student Services Leader**



# Community Announcements

**RESEARCH FIRE BRIGADE**  
**WHEELS FOR THE FIRIES**  
**SUN 14<sup>TH</sup> OCT**  
**10AM-2PM**  
**ELTHAM COLLEGE SPORTS GROUNDS**  
 1660 Main Road, Research

Coffee & Food Available  
 All proceeds go to Research CFA

Entry fee: \$15/show car, \$10/show bike, gold coin donation per spectator.  
 Contact Andrew to reserve your place: 0400 962 795 | andrew@researchcfa.com

Facebook: Wheels for the Firies



Fresh North Queensland Mangoes  
 Direct from the farm to you!

## Support Our Mango Fundraiser

If you *love mangoes*, here's your chance to indulge in fresh juicy Kensington Pride mangoes and support this fundraising drive for our unique drama programme and Eltham High School's Scrambled Prince Theatre Company

Cost per 7kg tray is: \$27  
 Minimum 12 large to maximum 23 small mangoes per tray

Place your order by: Friday 26<sup>th</sup> October  
 Order forms will be sent home via drama students and are also available from the Eltham High School front office.

For further information contact:  
 Anita Sigmund: scrambledprincetheatre@gmail.com

## ELTHAM MUDBRICK TOUR 2018

SUNDAY OCTOBER 21, OPEN HOUSE 10AM-4PM

Join us on a tour of five beautiful and individual mudbrick houses in the Eltham area.

Nillumbik's mudbrick houses, always unique architecturally, are part of an alternative housing movement ahead of its time built with environmentally sustainable and recycled materials in natural harmony with the bush landscape.

The tour maintains a 60+ year tradition pioneered by Alister Knox and is run by Eltham High School community volunteers to help support its renowned music program, with major sponsor Nillumbik Shire Council and other Nillumbik community sponsors. Eltham High School ensemble musicians will perform in The Jam Gallery at Montsalvat on the day between 10am and noon.

This year's Eltham Mudbrick tour showcases a selection of mudbrick houses designed, built, extended, or renovated between 1973 and 2010 by mudbrick house professionals including Alister Knox, John Pizzit and Mark Sinciac, and owner builders including artists, a doctor and a local postman. All of the households have artists, artisans, from professional potters and artists to passionate leadlighters, mosaic artists, and musicians. Natural bush gardens include the work of local native landscaper Sam Cox and green-fingered householders, with many fun and beautiful artworks, sculptures and outbuildings.

Tickets at [www.trybooking.com](http://www.trybooking.com)  
 Adults: \$25 (Children under 10 free)  
 Concession: Retirees/Students/Health card (\$20)  
 Photo ID required on the day.

For more information:  
[www.elthammudbricktour.org](http://www.elthammudbricktour.org)  
 Facebook: Eltham Mudbrick Tour

- Tour starts from Montsalvat, 7 Hillcrest Avenue, Eltham
- Free parking and regular shuttle buses between the houses
- Enjoy homemade cakes and drinks at one house
- Allow three to four hours; some walking is required.

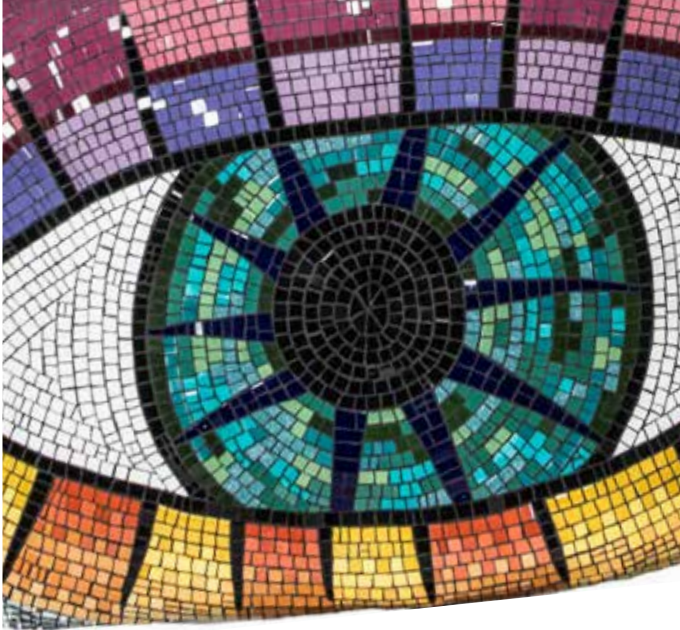


2018-19  
**Arts & Culture Projects**  
**Annual Grants Open**  
 20 September - 18 October 2018

Visit:- Nillumbik Community Fund



## Community Announcements



### You're invited to help inform Nillumbik's regional gallery feasibility study

**Thursday 18 October 7pm-9pm**  
Eltham Community and Reception Centre  
801 Main Road, Eltham

**Wednesday 24 October 7pm-9pm**  
Hurstbridge Community Hub  
Graysharps Road, Hurstbridge

with Outside the Square Creative Consulting

RSVP AND FURTHER INFORMATION:

[participate.nillumbik.vic.gov.au/regional-gallery](https://participate.nillumbik.vic.gov.au/regional-gallery)  
9433 3359 @ [artsinfo@nillumbik.vic.gov.au](mailto:artsinfo@nillumbik.vic.gov.au)

IMAGE:

Deborah HALPERN, *Wayfarer* (detail) 2010  
fibreglass, aluminium, steel, mirror and glass tiles  
230cm x 127cm x 50cm irregular.  
Nillumbik Shire Visual Art Collection

