



*** DATES TO REMEMBER 2016**

Monday, 25 April:

ANZAC Day: Public Holiday

Wednesday, 27 April:

Athletics Carnival

Friday, 13 May:

Student Free Day

Monday 2 May - Friday 6 May

Year 10 Work Experience

Open Day/Evening for Prospective Families:

Thursday, 21 April

ANZAC Day Service:

Friday, 22 April

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Student Achievement:

I congratulate **Marianna Saille-Dilnot (Year 10, Stewart House)** who has been selected to represent Australia in the Thailand Volleyball Championships. Marianna will be competing with the Under 20 Australian Team. This is a wonderful opportunity for Marianna and I wish her all the very best as she engages with this challenge. I also congratulate Marianna for having been nominated as a Diamond Valley Leader Junior Sports Star.

Concert Band Tour:

I wish all members of the Concert Band and their Director Mr Ed Fairley all the very best as they venture off on Wednesday on their tour around the State. The Band will be touring and performing in a range of places including primary schools and community events. I am certain that they will have a wonderful time and a great experience.

Anthology Launch:

The 2015 Anthology "*Forged in the Fires of Society*" was launched on Tuesday 19 April. The student Anthology is a collection of student writings and art works, edited by a student led committee, which are brought together into a wonderful publication. This compilation of works is both shared with our community and used as a teaching and learning resource within the school.

I congratulate the 2015 Anthology Committee for its work throughout the year and for the wonderful publication that it produced. I also congratulate all the students who submitted work to the Committee for selection. In addition to the published works in the Anthology, other student works can be found on the Anthology Website, <http://www.elthamhighanthology.com/> I strongly encourage you to visit the site and experience some of our students' creativity.

I wish to thank our special guest, Nicole Hayes (professional author) for being with us at the launch and for sharing with us her story as a writer. I also thank **Ivan Moore (Year 12, Stewart House)** and **Will Healy (Year 12, Everard House)** for sharing the MC role. Furthermore I acknowledge the work of Mr Stephen Ford in providing support to the Anthology Committee and Editors. It was a very enjoyable morning!

Information Night for Prospective Year 7 Parents and Students 2017:

On Thursday 21 April we will be holding our School Open Morning with student led tours departing at 9:15; 9:30 and 9:45am and morning tea starting at 10:00 am. At 7:00 pm that same evening we will be running our Information Evening Starting in the Performance Centre. The two events focus on prospective Year 7 parents and students, however if there are families who are considering an enrolment in the later

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SCHOOL CALENDAR

APRIL 2016

Wed, 20

- Edendale Farm Sustainability Program (7EFG)
- Year 8 Medieval Montsalvat (8C,E,G,J,K)
- Year 11 Supreme & County Court Excursion
- Year 12 Business Management - CUB & Ikea
- School Council Meeting (7:00pm)
- Concert Band Tour (Wed 20 April - Fri 22 April)
- SSV - Diving - NMR & State Finals

Thurs, 21

- Edendale Farm Sustainability Program (7HJK)
- Unit 3 (Studio Arts, Photography, VCD & VID) "Copyright" Seminar
- Year 7 (2017) and Prospective Families Open Day/ Info Evening
- Intermediate Boys & Girls NorthernZone Volleyball
- Symphonic Band Performance for Year 7 Information Evening

Fri 22

- ANZAC Day Service (10.50am)
- Top Designs - Year 12 Systems, Yr 11 Product Design & Technology
- Year 11 OES - Lower Yarra

Thurs, 28

- TOP ARTS
- Unit 3 LOTE Seminar - Oral Skills

Fri, 29

- Year 7 Girls Tennis - NMR
- Year 7 Boys Baseball - NMR
- Boroondara Eisteddford

MAY 2016

Mon, 2

- Year 10 Work Experience (Mon 2 - Fri 6 May)
- Yr 11 OES - Upper Yarra - Warburton Camp (Mon 2 May - Tues 3 May)
- Assembly - Tutorial (Group B)

Tues, 3

- Iga Warta Camp: Flinders Ranges (Sun 8 May - Sat 14 May)
- Yr 11 OES - Upper Yarra Warburton Camp (Tues 3 May - Wed 4 May)
- Jazz Night

years of schooling this day may also be beneficial to them.

Whilst both sessions have been publicised in the local paper and through the primary schools, I do ask you for your support to spread the word. If you know of any family that is considering and enrolment for a Year 7 student please remind them of these events. Staff will be available to speak with parents at the Information Evening and procedures for applying for an enrolment will be outlined. We hope to have lots of people through the school both on the tours and on the Information Evening.

ANZAC DAY Commemorative Ceremony:

We will be holding our ANZAC Day Commemorative service on Friday 22 April starting at 10:50 am in the Central Courtyard of the school. I extend a warm invitation to all members of our community who wish to join us on this occasion. Please RSVP to Mrs Kate Scalzo (sca@elthamhs.vic.edu.au or 9430 5111) so that we can accommodate you. Anyone wishing to attend will be most welcome.

Eltham Dawn Service:

A number of our students will be attending the Dawn Service organised by the Montmorency/Eltham RSL on Monday 25 April. **Ruby Zogopoulos (Year 12, Andrew House); Brock Manson (Year 12, Everard House); Liam Samat (Year 12, Andrew House) and Nick Perichon (Year 11, Andrew House)** will be offering a wreath on behalf of the school community as a mark of regard and respect for all the men and women that we commemorate on this day. **Maddie Vincent-Gilmartin (Year 11, Andrew House)** has once again been called to play "The Last Post" and "Reveille" and members of the Jazz band will also be performing. A big thank you to our students and the Music Department for their representation of our school community at this event.

Eltham Mud Brick Tour:

I draw your attention to a later section of this newsletter that calls for volunteers in support for the running of the 2016 Eltham Mud Brick Tour. This is the major fundraising event for our Music Program and planning for this will begin shortly. I strongly encourage anyone who is able to contribute to join the organising committee.

School Council 2016:

It is with pleasure that I introduce to you the 2016-2017 School Council.

There are 15 Voting Members in the School Council Constitution (the two students under the Community Category, constitute one vote).

Member	Category	Office held
Nicki Hauser	Parent	President
Joanne Kesteren	Parent	
David Svent	Parent	
Karin Steinkrug	Parent	
Linda Lee	Parent	Vice President
Andrew Vincent	Parent	
Hilary Cantwell	Parent	
Ron Wilson	Community	
Ian Temby	Community	
Danielle di Petta	Community (Student)	
Abigail Wilson	Community (Student)	
Vincent Sicari	Department of Education and Training (DET)	
Darren Squires	DET	Treasurer
Loren Clarke	DET	
Kathleen Hannan	DET	
Fran Mullins	DET	

I take this opportunity to acknowledge all of our retiring Councillors for their hard work and dedication to the work of School Council. Their spirit of volunteerism and their contribution to our school is highly valued: Andrew Evans, Deanne Jones, Glenn Eaton, Nathan Jetson, Sybille Bouzanquet and Katie Reed.

Thurs, 5

- GAT Student Information Session
- Year 8 Indonesian Zoo Excursion

Fri, 6

- Student Free Day
- Generations in Jazz - Mt Gambier (Fri 6 May - Sun 8 May)

Sun, 8

- Understanding Iga Warta Experience (Sun 8 May - Sat 14 May)

Tues, 10

- Naplan Testing (Tue 10 May - Thur 12 May)

Thurs, 12

- Yr 11 Mathematics Seminar - "Calculators & Exams"

Mon, 16

- Year 9 Camp/Activities Week (Mon 16 May - Fri 20 May)
- Assembly - Tutorial (Group C)

Wed, 18

- Year 7 Immunisations
- School Council Meeting: 7.30pm

Thurs, 19

- Year 11 Assembly: Period 1
- French Crepe Day

Fri, 20

- Active for Life: Squash

Mon, 23

- Alliance Francaise - 2016 Junior/ Middle Berthe Mouchette Competition

Thur 26 May

- Intermediate Band Tour (Thur 26 May - Fri 27 May)

Eltham High School Building Project:

The meeting with the Department Contractors that took place on Friday 15 April resulted in the approval of the design and development stage of the redevelopment of the Maths block which faces Ely Street. We will be going out to tender by the end of May. Approximately six weeks after this a builder will be appointed to do the work scheduled for completion by the end of the 2016 school year. I will keep you informed as work progresses.

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VINCENT SICARI, Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL**Skateboard Storage**

New skateboard storage is in the process of being finalised and will be based in the Bike Shed. From the beginning of Term 2 students will be required to store their skateboards in the Bike Shed instead of in the Junior School Office.

Skateboards will be able to be stored securely using a combination padlock that can be used to lock the skateboard to the rack. Students will be able to leave the lock attached to the skateboard rack.

As of Term 2 students will not be able to store their skateboards in the Junior School Office. To ensure that they can store their skateboard securely, students will be required to supply a combination lock for their personal use.

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FRAN MULLINS, Assistant Principal

FIRST AID**Chicken Pox**

Please be advised that a case of Chicken Pox has been diagnosed in the Junior School. If you are concerned about your child, please contact your GP.

According to the Department of Education's *School Exclusion Table*, students must be excluded from school until all blisters have dried. For further information, please visit:

<http://ideas.health.vic.gov.au/guidelines/school-exclusion-table.asp>

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MARNIE WADSWORTH, First Aid Attendant

**CANTEEN
ROSTER & MENU**

ROSTER FOR APRIL 2016

Wed 20

- Kay Jones
- Martha Monkmon

Thurs 21

- Bec Faldon
- Marianne Sparks

Fri 22

- Keryn Johnson
- Marie Scotson

Mon 25

- Sharon Alexander
- Debra Gregg

Tues 26

- Evie Longhurst
- Volunteer Needed



****EFTPOS facilities are now available****

UPCOMING MENU

- Wed: Lamb Souvlaki
- Thurs: Warm Chicken Salad
- Fri: Hamburgers
- Mon: Fried Rice
- Tues: Chicken Schnitzel & Coleslaw Roll

ART

VCE Studio Art (Arts) TOP Arts Excursion

On Tuesday 12 April Studio Arts (Arts) students visited the National Gallery of Victoria and the Top Arts – Start-up exhibition.

The Top Arts exhibition at the Ian Potter Gallery shows outstanding artworks by students who have completed Art or Studio Arts studies in the previous year's Victorian Certificate of Education program and provides insight into the artist's ideas, thinking and creative practices. Amongst the works on show was a monumental photograph by former student **Artek Halpern (Class of 2015)** who was one of 43 students selected to exhibit in this exhibition. The Top Art exhibition is one of the most visited exhibitions on the NGV calendar.



Eltham High students attended a seminar about the exhibition and found out how to prepare for Top Arts. They could view the folios of this year's exhibiting artists and gain ideas, inspiration and motivation.

Students could experience best practice by their contemporary fellow emerging artists and put their own work in context. It was a rich experience for all and a fun day out.

Request for Donations

The Arts department is currently looking for donations of any kind of tape (rolls of masking tape, duct tape, electrical tape, brown tape, clear tape, band aid etc.) and continues to look for musical instruments that are beyond repair.

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UTE LEINER, Art Teacher

LANGUAGES

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ELTHAM HS CLUBS WHY NOT GET INVOLVED!

Drama

When: Wednesday (**Junior**)

Thursday (**Senior**)

Location: 111 Drama Space

Time: 3.20pm – 5.00pm

George Franklin

Drama/Coach Critical & Creative Thinking

Scrambled Prince Workshops

When: Tuesday

Location: 111 Drama Space

Time: 3.20pm – 6.00pm

George Franklin

Drama/Coach Critical & Creative Thinking

EHS Swimming Club

When: Thursday

Location: Eltham Leisure Centre

Time: 7.00am – 8.00am

Phil Boyd

EHS Swimming Club Coordinator

Interschool Debating Team

When: Monday

Location: Room 301

Time: Lunchtime

Adaline Tallarida

Debating Coordinator

Photography, Visual Design & Creativity Club

When: TBC

Location: Room 601

Time: Lunchtime

Artek Halpern-Laurence

Ex-Student

PRISIM

(People - Respecting - Individual's - Sexuality - Identity - Movement)

When: Tuesday

Location: Room 156

Time: Lunchtime

Louise Heathcote

Student Services Leader

Tournament of Minds (Starts Term 2)

When: Tuesday (Year 7 - 10)

Location: Room 154

Time: Lunchtime

Loren Clarke

Tournament of Minds Coordinator

CAREERS

New Eltham High Careers Website

At Eltham High School Pathways and Transition is an important part of your child's educational experience.

As such I would like to announce the creation of an Eltham High School web based career support site.

It can be accessed at www.elthamhighcareers.com with the majority of menu links open access. However, there is also a dedicated student area where your child can create an account and take advantage of various activities and production tasks. In there you will find interest and occupations quizzes, a resume format, digital portfolio access and many more useful tools. When your child creates their account have them use their school email address and a password will be generated for them.

The site has information for all year levels with the full functionality of the site becoming more appropriate as students move into Year 9. The student account remains accessible across the life of your child's high school life.

I would encourage you to have a look at the site and if there are any questions regarding its use please feel free to contact me on 9430 5113 or at pri@elthamhs.vic.edu.au

Year 10

Year 10 Work Experience 2016: Monday, 2 - Friday, 6 May 2016:

All students are required to organise an appropriate placement for this time, with the emphasis being on a career related interest.

Students can access the required forms via the intranet under the Senior School link or obtain them from outside the Careers office.

Please make an early start on the placement and be aware that this is compulsory program that replaces all classes including Year 11 enhancement.

MUSICAL NOTES

Jazz Night

This will be a great evening of Jazz featuring the students in Junior Jazz Band, Jazz Band, Stage Band and Jazz Choir, performing their repertoire for the upcoming 'Generations in Jazz' National Stage Band Awards. We are also very fortunate to have the *Paul Williamson Trio* as our guest performers!

There will be the opportunity to either sit at designated tables or individual seating. If you want to book a table (10 persons to each) or want to be part of seating at a table, you must book ahead by emailing Jane Nicholson, Music Secretary, asap at:

nio@elthamhs.vic.edu.au

Once you have made your booking, you will then purchase tickets at the door on the evening: \$10 adult, \$5 child.

When: Tuesday, 3 May

Location: Drama Space (Room 111)

Time: 7.00pm – 10.00pm

Eltham Mudbrick House Tour 2016 – Community Call for Assistance!

First a bit of History ...

In 1964 the very first Eltham Mudbrick House Tour was organised by Alistair Knox (the renowned mudbrick builder) and Brian Howe (subsequently deputy Prime Minister of Australia) as a fund raising event for Oxfam. It was a great success and over 500 people turned up to see what all that mudbrick architecture was about.

Every year since then, with the exception of 2009, there has been a Mudbrick house tour in Nillumbik celebrating the architectural heritage embodied in over 1200 mudbrick homes built since the late 1940s throughout the Shire.

Following the Kinglake fires in 2009 the Pantom Hill Preschool, who had run the tour

EXTRA CURRICULAR CLASSES & TUTORIALS

Extra Maths Help

When: Tuesday
Location: Room 706
Time: 3.10pm – 4.00pm

Briony Turner
Maths KLA Coordinator

Homework Club - Year 7

When: Thursday
Location: Room 142
Time: Lunchtime

Ashlea Oates
English/Integration Studies Teacher

IT Support - Year 7

Get to know your surface Pro 3

When: Thursday
Location: Room 140
Time: Lunchtime

Katie Reed
ICT Leader

Smart not Scattered - Year 7

A group for Year 7 students wishing to get on top of their time management, goal setting and organisation.

When: Thursday
Location: Room 142
Time: Lunchtime

Ashlea Oates
English/Integration Studies Teacher

since 1976, handed it over to us at Eltham High School, and we have been the custodians of this cultural tradition since 2010. Last year over \$10,000 dollars was raised with the assistance of local businesses, the Nillumbik Shire Council and the Nillumbik Mudbrick Association. The money raised forms part of the EHS Friends of Music fundraising that is used to purchase new instruments for our Music Program.

On our watch, the tour has the form of a one day open house inspection 10 am – 4 pm. Five newly selected unique mud brick houses are serviced by shuttle buses leaving from Montsalvat every quarter hour from 10 am till 4 pm. Visitors park their own cars at Montsalvat, listen to a program of EHS bands, ensembles and VCE soloists, playing in The Barn and take a shuttle to see the houses.

Now to Organisation! There is a lot to do, and we immediately need to form a new committee to prepare and run the event on 16 October, 2016.

What we need right now is an infusion of new blood! Passionate community minded people to join a core of old hands to literally get this year's show on the road!

There are all kinds of jobs and skills needed to plan the event: sponsorship management, insurance, Council liaison, event promotion, timetabling, website development, social media, graphic design, accounting, event planning, photography, ticket sales; and on the day, volunteers for bus driving, route marking, crowd control, parking attendants, catering, and more.

If you can help with organising this year's event, please contact: Tim Natoli EHS Assistant Principal 9430 5111, nao@elthamhs.vic.edu.au. The first meeting to establish the new committee and roles will be held on Monday 2 May 2016.

Check out <https://www.facebook.com/ElthamMudbrickTour/>

Generations in Jazz

The *Generations in Jazz Festival* is on again this year: 6 to 8 May 2016. This annual event is a very important aspect of the Music Program. It gives the students valuable performance opportunities as well as the opportunity to see many great performers. This year's artists include Kate Cebrano, The One O'Clock Lab Band, Jeff Clayton, James Morrison, Ross Irwin, Matt Jodrell, Troy Roberts and many more. Students have been given consent forms. Please ensure all forms are returned by no later than Friday 22 April 2016 (even if there are no medical or dietary requirements). Please ensure the event is paid for by no later than Monday 2 May 2016. More details are available on Compass.

Unit 1 Music Performance Recitals

VCE students both contemporary and classical will be performing at Eltham High School on Monday 23 May and Tuesday 24 May 2016 between 7:00pm and 9:30pm in the Drama Space (Room 111). Everyone is welcome to attend and enjoy these great performances.

2016 Instrumental Music Program Fees

The fees are payable in three instalments; the first being due on 5 February, then 18 April, 2016 and 16 June, 2016. Or for the Training Band and Junior Strings, the fees are due on 17 March, 2016, 12 May 2016 and 21 July 2016. The Instrumental lesson fee is the first instalment due by 5 February 2016, the Ensemble program fee is the second instalment due by 18 April 2016. The third instalment is due by 16 June 2016 and will be for any other fees i.e. instrument hire, percussion equipment fee etc. You can pay via BPay, over the telephone (Tel: 9430 5118) or direct to our cashier in the General Office.

Please note, as the Eltham High School Music Program is a self-funded program, and in order to meet the commitment to staff, if a student withdraws from the Music Program anytime during the year, full yearly fees are payable. If you have any queries about the Music Program, please contact the Music Office on 9430 5127 or email Jane, our Music Secretary, at nio@elthamhs.vic.edu.au

Singing Lessons

If any student is interested in signing lessons on a Monday or Wednesday afterschool, our new voice teacher has places available. Please contact the Music Office for more details.

Jazz Choir

Our Jazz Choir is looking for new members. They meet on a Monday from 3.30pm to 4.30pm. If you are interested in joining the Jazz Choir please contact the Music Office.

PARENT INFORMATION

Compass Parent Portal

Log into for Information on:

- Junior (Years 7, 8 & 9) Football Tryouts
- Eltham Mubdbrick Tour: Volunteers Needed
- Year 9 & 10 Boys Badminton Tryouts
- Interboys Footy Training
- Year 7 Edendale Farm Excursion

School Term Dates

2016

TERM 2:

Starts Monday, 11 April

Finishes Friday, 24 June at 2.30pm

ELTHAM SPORTS TIMETABLE

APRIL 2016

Wed, 20 April

- SSV - Diving - NMR & State Finals

Thurs, 21 April

- Intermediate Boys and Girls Northern Zone Volleyball

Fri, 20 April

- Year 7 Boys Baseball - NMR
- Year 7 Girls Tennis - NMR

SPORT

2016 House Athletics Day

The 2016 EHS House Athletics Day will take place next Wednesday 27 April at Rieschiecks Reserve, Doncaster. Students are not required to 'sign-up' for events prior to the day. Simply marshal for any event on the day.

If you have any questions, please come and see the PE staff

Eltham High School Volleyball

2016 Volleyball Dates:

19 May:	Intermediate State Volleyball Final
20 May:	Senior State Volleyball Final
29 – 31 July:	Volleyball Victoria Schools' Cup
11 October:	Year 8 Volleyball Round Robin
25 October:	Year 8 Northern Zone Volleyball
26 October:	Year 7 Northern Zone Volleyball
26 October:	Intermediate 2017 Round Robin
22 November:	Year 8 State Volleyball
23 November:	Year 7 State Volleyball
4 – 9 December:	Australian Volleyball Schools' Cup

If your child has a unique sporting moment or is selected in a State or National team please let us know so we can share the good news. Email tho@elthamhs.vic.edu.au

GREG THOMAS, Volleyball/Elite Sports Coordinator 7 Girls Tennis Triumph

GROUNDS COMMITTEE: WORKING BEE

The Grounds Committee has scheduled the first Working Bee for Term 2 on Sunday, 1 May from 9:00am until 12.30pm, with both morning tea and a barbeque lunch provided. With over 50 volunteers at the last Working Bee in March and all tasks addressed, we are looking forward to a new host of activities, as well as another supportive turnout. Listed below are a number of tasks identified as a priority for the this Working Bee:

- The U-shaped sleeper sitting wall constructed at the last Working Bee needs to have sitting tops trimmed and affixed;
- 150 new plants will be provided with new homes in a range of locations around the campus, primarily in the central courtyard and on the north side of the 400s block. These plants need to be staked and bagged;
- 2m³ of soil needs to be spread in the triangular shaped garden in the central courtyard, as well as a garden adjacent to Room 807;
- Pruning and weeding needs to be completed on the south side of the 400s block, as well as a garden bed adjacent to Room 615 and 616;
- Brushcutting and mowing needs to occur in a range of locations across the campus precinct;
- Paving needs to be completed around one of the box gardens adjacent to the Stadium;
- The bamboo between the Library and the 300s block needs to be pruned;
- The Environmental area adjacent to the tennis courts needs a cleanup with weeds to be removed.

If you are a volunteer for the Working Bee, please park your vehicle on the hard courts adjacent to the Library. Follow the directional signage to the area adjacent to the Canteen where you will be signed in by a member of the Grounds Committee and assigned to an appropriate task. Please remember to bring protective clothing, gloves, sunscreen, hat and your water bottle on the day. The Grounds Committee looks forward to your support.

JOHN COATES, On behalf of the Eltham High School Grounds Committee



Eltham
High School



OPEN DAY

**See our school
in action**

Thursday 21 April 2016

**Open Morning &
Information Evening**

- Tours commencing at 9.15am, 9.30am, 9.45am
- Information Presentation 7pm



*Weekly tours commencing at 9.30 am,
see our website for further details.*

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL



Withers Way, Eltham | T 9430 5111 | eltham.hs@edumail.vic.edu.au | www.elthamhs.vic.edu.au

Community Announcements



NWM 2016 Geelong After Dark Program

Friday 6 May 2016 6-10pm. This is a free event!

Fantastical things happen at the National Wool Museum when the sun goes down and the lights dim.

Classic silent films and prowls by amber light with Gertie the Dinosaur, The Ghost of Slumber Mountain and creatures of the Dead Zoo lurking nearby.

Drop in for a moment or stay for a while; complimentary popcorn.

Visit <http://www.geelongafterdark.com.au/> for more information and to see the Geelong After Dark 2016 program or call 5272 4701

MEET YOU AFTER DARK.

Geelong After Dark is Central Geelong's pop up night of arts: the annual multi-award winning event transforming the streets, laneways and venues of Geelong's CBD.

Explore the city and be surprised by a jam-packed program of exciting and unique pop up performances, installations and arts experiences. For one night only.

Meet you after dark.

Community Announcements

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Do you want to play AFL Football ?

Eltham Junior Football Club

Are looking for New Players in the following age groups:

Boys – U12

Girls – U12 & U14

Auskick – Boys & Girls Kinder and up

Want to play Footy at a great family club?

We are always open for new players. Whether you are new to footy or just want a change of environment, you will be welcome at our club

EJFC is a values based club that places a particular emphasis on player development and participation, for both boys and girls.

If you are interested in giving it a try, please contact Roslyn McCormick on either dav.ros@blgpond.com or 0419 305 814

Eltham Junior Football Club

Panther Place, Eltham

Susan St, Eltham

Community Announcements



Teenage Aggression Responding Assertively (T.A.R.A.)

Northern Region

A one-day workshop for parents of adolescents who are behaving with aggression and violence



Please join us to discuss the impact of challenging behaviours and violence on families and relationships and to consider the role adolescent development, styles of communication and patterns of relating have in family relationships.

Our intention is that parents feel less alone, better equipped, more hopeful and confident in their ability to respond to challenging behaviours in a way that promotes safety, trust and connection for all family members.

Thursday April 28th 9.30am - 4.00pm

- Handouts and refreshments provided for the day.
- Open to parents and caregivers from Whittlesea, Banyule, Nillumbik & Darebin.

To confirm your attendance please contact:

T.A.R.A Program on **(03) 9450 4700**

Berry Street, 677 The Boulevard, Eaglemont VIC 308

Community Announcements



About the scholarship program

Over 105,000 young people in Victoria are believed to have significant care responsibilities. They may support their mother, father, sister, brother or grandparent at home because of a disability or illness. Many are at risk of dropping out of school, or have difficulty establishing social networks and participating in activities that their peers enjoy.

Carers Victoria's Young Carer scholarships give young carers attending secondary school the opportunity to be acknowledged for their contributions to their family and the community and to participate in school or community based activities that enhance their skills, educational achievement and abilities, or that help them to participate more fully in their community.

Scholarships of up to \$500 are awarded to successful applicants.

Who can apply

Young Carer Scholarships are open to secondary school students who live in Victoria and provide care and support to a family member with an illness or disability. Please note those who receive a Young Carer Bursary will not be eligible.

How to apply

Please read the guidelines for full terms and conditions and complete the Young Carer Scholarship application form. For further information see our website:

<http://www.carersvictoria.org.au/how-we-help/young-carers/young-carer-scholarships>.

Please mail your completed application to:

Carers Victoria
Young Carer Scholarship
PO Box 2204
Footscray VIC 3011

Completed applications must be received by 5pm Friday 22 April 2016.

When will you be notified?

Applicants will receive notification regarding the success of their application for a Young Carers Scholarship in late May 2016.

Questions

If you have any questions regarding Young Carer Scholarships or how your school can support young carers please call 1800 242 636 or email membership@carersvictoria.org.au



Australian Plants Society Yarra Yarra Autumn Native Plant Sale

Corner Brougham and Main Road, Eltham

Sunday 1 May 2016: 10am - 3pm

Tubestock to advanced plants, idigenous and grafted stock
Further information email apsyarrayarra@gmail.com
or telephone 9439 7228

Tuning in to Teens

Emotionally Intelligent Parenting

**A six-session parenting program
for parents of adolescents aged from 10-16 years**

Would you like to learn how to:

- be better at talking with your teen?
- be better at understanding your teen?
- help your teen learn to manage their emotions?
- help to prevent behaviour problems in your teen?
- teach your teen to deal with conflict?

Tuning in to Teens

shows you how to help your teen develop *Emotional Intelligence*.

Adolescents with higher Emotional Intelligence:

- are more aware, assertive and strong in situations of peer pressure
- have greater success with making friends and are more able to manage conflict with peers
- are more able to cope when upset or angry
- have fewer mental health and substance abuse difficulties
- have more stable and satisfying relationships as adults
- have greater career success –
- Emotional intelligence may be a better predictor of academic and career success than IQ!

Where: Eltham High School
30-60 Withers Way, Eltham

When: Tuesdays 10 May - 21 June 2016
7.00 - 9.00pm (no session 31 May)

Cost: \$140 / \$220 couples for 6 x 2hr sessions

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Community Announcements



Victoria Aboriginal Community,

The Koorie Youth Council (KYC) are hosting the 3rd Koorie Youth Summit (Summit) on the 20 & 21 April at Mantra Bell City in Preston. To see this year's program please click [here](#).

The Summit is a gathering of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people from around the state to connect with each other, celebrate our culture, discuss issues in our community, and share ideas to create change and a future we want. Our Summit this year will focus on ideas aimed at breaking down barriers to health and wellbeing which leave too many feeling isolated, disconnected and vulnerable.

Over the 2 days we'll be having important conversations in four areas: Resilience in Identity, Getting help to feel OK, Connecting to Someone Important, Having Our Voices Heard, and presenting our recommendations to the Minister for Youth Affairs, the Hon Jenny Mikakos MP. The Summit also includes: guest speakers Adam Goodes (AFL Champion) and Millie Telford (National Director of SEED); cultural activities throughout; traditional wellness programs; expo hubs; and the Ricci Marks Award Gala Ceremony.

The KYC welcomes any Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young person, between 16-28 years of age, and living in Victoria, to register and attend.

1. To register young people over the age of 18, please click on this link. (Scholarship options are available, contact Jirra Harvey below).
2. To register a young person under the age of 18, please contact Jessica on 0498 67 44 99 or jessica@korieyouth.org.au

All delegates under the age of 18 will need to be accompanied by a parent, guardian or support worker.

If you have any questions or need any more information, please contact our event manager, Jirra Harvey at Kalinya Communications on 0475 230 880 or jirra@kalinya.org.au.

Greg Kennedy
State Manager
Koorie Youth Council

**Eltham High School's Jazz Band performing at
Bennett's Lane Jazz Club**

