INSIDE OUT

Alexandra Secondary College

Date: 11th of August 2020



Welcome to week 4 of term 3! This weeks Inside Out will be a little different than our usual format. We will be taking a break from publishing the Principal's Report in the Inside Out for the time being. The reason for this is that Nigel is emailing out to parents each week, any information you will require during remote learning for term 3. If you haven't been receiving these emails, please contact the office so that we can double check your contact details and ensure you receive the next one.

Just a reminder, we are very aware that issues will pop up with internet access and device problems, our IT guru Keith is still on hand to help, so please don't spend your time worrying, just call the office and we can work on a solution together.

In Nigel's last email, there was an issue with the Rock Fest Link, we have attached the link in the paragraph below.

The annual "Rock Fest" competition we usually go to in Wangaratta has moved to an online video submission this year. Due to Stage 3 and 4 restrictions, the deadline for videos is into Term 4 now. One of our senior bands, "Satis Intent" has already entered a video of a song they have written themselves "Laying Awake". The category is "live one-take song", and includes a prize for most views as well as best video so please follow the link below and help them get their views up!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qik-fTphN34



The Murrindindi Historic Vehicle Register presented a cheque for ASC students for \$300 to Anne Norris. We thank the MHVR for their very kind donation that will be used to support our students to access resources that they may not have been able to otherwise. We really appreciate the kindness and hard work of people in our community who support our students to be their best, and access great opportunities for the future.

19th August Curriculum Day

Dates to Remember:

2nd September

Whole school staff professional practice day— No online classes will be held, however students will have work left on teams to continue on with.

3rd December

Year 12 Graduation

Term Dates-

Term 3: 13th July—18th Sept Term 4:- 5th Oct—18th Dec

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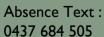
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Thank you to all of our parents who continue to contact us regarding their children's absences during remote learning, it is greatly appreciated.





OUR STUDENTS THOUGHTS ON

Returning to Remote Learning

AMANDA MCDONALD

It's a curveball and a half but it's just another chance to grow



LILY WILSON

Its really is quite annoying to be back doing school online once again but hopefully these six weeks of isolation is just what Victoria needs to bring the virus back under control. Its not ideal but it has to be done. I honestly can't complain about a little extra sleep in the mornings though!

ANTHONY LEE

It sucks not seeing everyone but its nice to be able to wear what you want.

Note from the editor....It doesn't sound all that bad, Anthony spent his lunch time building a snow man! ©

ELIZA GESLER

"I have come to a point where I have realised that school was my main source of communicating with people, I seem to have a lack of motivation to get my work done, I miss going into

groups and having discussions in class. I would do anything to come back to school!!"



STACEY ANNETTA

It is challenging, especially with internet issues, and being in year 12 I really feel like I am missing out on once in a lifetime milestones.

Being able to communicate on teams is helpful though.



Japanese Students acknowledge Peace Day

Thursday August 6th 1945 is a well known date in world history. This was the actual day 75 years ago when the first nuclear weapon on earth was detonated. The detonation occurred over Hiroshima, Japan and this event led to the surrender of Japanese forces and ultimately ended the Pacific War.

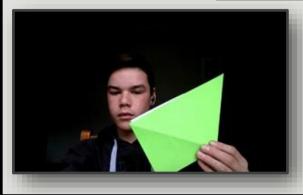
Japanese students in Year 7 were introduced to the story of Sadako and the 1,000 paper cranes. Everyone in the class tried their hand at making a paper crane, which is now used by the Japanese to symbolise their hope for world peace. Year 8 Japanese students learnt of Japanese expansionism through South-East Asia and the Manhattan Project resulting in the bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.













COOKING WITH MOOKIE

Year 7 Home Ec



Shaun Sutcliffe

They were amazing and mum loved them thanks for the recipe.

Chloe

It looks a bit weird but it tasted really good! With more practice I would probably be able to do it with out the skin breaking. Thanks for the Recipe Mookie.



VCE THEATRE STUDIES

VCE Theatre Studies

In VCE Theatre Studies last term, students entered the Australia-wide Bell Shakespeare Short Film Festival. Of the entries from ASC, **Jayden Arnett** was awarded **'Highly Recommended'** for his film, 'Macbeth At Gun Point'. Jayden acted in and directed this film, with Angus Stevenson also featuring as an actor. Jayden was entered into the 'Re-imagining' category in which students had to reinterpret Shakespearean stories into modern works. Participants were also asked to showcase their local environment, as the competition began during the first lockdown period. Here is the link to Jayden's video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OPaoBMgN5cU

*Disclaimer: The video contains dark themes and depicts a fake gun.

Keep an eye out on the ASC Facebook page and there might be more of the entries being put up!



Remote learning....its more than just a computer screen.



Our resident photographer Paddy Birtchnell took this photo at his VCAL work placement.

Maya Cobb made the most of her online learning breaks this week by creating these adorable snow men and puppies.

Crossing her curricular activities, Art and Physical education.

We encourage all of our students to try and get some fresh air, exercise and out door time away from screens on their breaks.





This week our Spotlight is on

Mr Mawson

What Subjects do you teach?

Maths, ABLE, Humanities and Computers.

What do you eat for breakfast?

Anything in range, mainly cereal though.

Are you a cat or a dog person?

A dog person who owns a cat. The ultimate pet is the axolotl.

What pets do you have and what are their names?

A cat called Morgan,

Favourite food?

A good pizza is a gift from the Gods!

Favourite dayand why?

Friday. Start of the weekend. There is the least amount of god awful reality TV on this day.

Would you rather go 30 days without your phone or your entire life without dessert?

30 days without a phone. Can I pick them? Birth to one-month old ©

Would you rather be the best player on the worst team or the worst player on the best team?

I think that I have had experience of both. Best player in worst team has more opportunity and ability to make a difference.

What is something I would never guess about you?

I asked Bob Hawke a question for a primary school newsletter when I was 10.

Who inspires you?

My Mum. She inspires me with sheer terror.

Below is a request we have recently received from Clare Hanlon of Victoria University:

I am keen to hear from girls aged 12-18 yrs on what aspects of sport uniforms do or do not make them feel confident and comfortable if or when they participate in sport and physical activity. It would be great if your daughter/s could complete an approximate 20 minute online survey. Findings will be translated into a guide targeted to schools and sport clubs to assist them when making decisions about sport uniforms. Parental consent is required prior to girls completing the survey at https://vuau.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_37rZ0AFugYNDYYI

Really appreciate your encouragement and your daughter/s' input

Thank you

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Research Fellow, Institute for Health and Sport Victoria University



ART WITH MS FITZROY



Louise Hurrey



Daisy Birtchnell



Amy Harvey



Amy Harvey



Amy Harvey



Daisy Birtchnell

Pathways and Career Opportunities

Apprenticeship and Trainee Opportunities:

For details of the currently available apprenticeships and traineeships offered supported by MEGT please visit: https://www.megt.com.au/job-board. There are currently over 340 jobs listed!

LA TROBE UNIVERSITY WEBINARS

Webinars

latrobe.edu.au/ug-webinars

Weekly webinars to give students an insight with topics that go beyond the course information led by key academics

Upcoming topics:

- ✓ Sport management
- Media and Communications
- ✓ Aspire
- Parents information session
- ✓ Business
- ✓ Finance
- More to come!

Today's birthday shout out goes to Mr Lyttle.
Happy Birthday