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ALEXANDRA SECONDARY COLLEGE

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TERM 3 WEEK 1

Year 12's have a Top Time at 'Top Arts' Exhibition.



Results are in for 2022 Australian Geography Competition, and we could not be more proud of our amazing students.

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Dates to Remember

- Thursday 28th July*
School Production Premiere
- Friday 22nd July* - Mount Buller Ski Day
- Wednesday 10th of August* - College Open Night
- Wednesday 17th August* - Curriculum Day

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Welcome back to Term 3 to all of our amazing Students and Families.

Principal's Report

It has been nice to welcome our students back to learning this week.

We had eleven students competing at the State Cross Country in Yarra Glen yesterday. This is a sensational achievement in its own right. We are very proud of our students' efforts yesterday, Shaun Sutcliffe was our best performer, finishing 30th. Thanks to Bec Clark for coming along and being our "team manager" at the event.

Our Cross Country ski team hit the trails of Lake Mountain on Wednesday. It is great to see one of our flagship programs back up and running after two years of a covid-enforced hiatus. It sounds like the snow was fantastic for our first outing. Thanks to George Nadj, who does a great job with our skiers.

Thanks to Donna FitzRoy and Shannon Draper for taking our students to the "Top Arts" Exhibition yesterday. This exhibition highlights the very best of last year's VCE student art work, showing the level and technique that examiners are after.

Do yourself a favour and book a ticket to the College Production of "Ogres are like onions" in two weeks time. The talent on display will blow you away.

The advertisement in "Inside Out" gives a tempting glimpse of the quality of our production. You will love the costumes, music, acting and singing. So many wonderful people in our College and wider community have donated their time and skill to bring us this year's production. You can book tickets through the front office.

It bears repeating that it is incredibly important students communicate with their teachers. Of course, students can feel at times awkward or embarrassed to speak with their teachers in class, for various reasons. If students feel this way we want them to consider other ways of communication. Using "Teams" is a popular way of doing this. Emailing teachers is another great way. All teachers' emails are available on our website <http://www.asc.vic.edu.au/staff.html>.

Every day of learning has a positive effect on your life. We have 228 students with a perfect start to the term. That's 68% of our student population.

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WE NEED YOU!

ALEXANDRA SECONDARY COLLEGE PRESENTS

OGRES ARE LIKE ONIONS

A 2022 #42EX Themed Production

THURSDAY 28 JULY | FRIDAY 29 JULY | SATURDAY 30 JULY

DONATIONS OF CAKES, BISCUITS, SANDWICHES AND PIES (anything sweet or savoury that can be eaten without cutlery!) DROP OFF AT THE SCHOOL or ARRANGE COLLECTION

Please reply to Simone Russell (Parents & Friends) simone_hooper@yahoo.com or 0417395469

3-4 HELPERS NEEDED IN THE KITCHEN FOR EACH NIGHT OF THE SHOW

Our Parent's group are a small group of committed people who ask very little of our school community and families. **They really need our support** to assist with providing supper for each evening of the production.

Please show them your support by donating something for supper, or putting your hand up to help on the night., we promise you will have a great time!

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2022 Australian Geography Competition Results

Geography students from Alexandra Secondary College tested their geographical skills and knowledge against students from all around Australia in the 2022 Australian Geography Competition.

Nearly 70,000 students entered this competition, so the results give us an external benchmark as to how our students are going in certain aspects of Geography.

Geography is such an important subject as it brings together the physical and human dimensions of our environment, helping students to develop a deeper understanding of our world and the challenges it faces.

We are delighted that eight of our students were awarded certificates of merit.

Ollie Gelbert and Makenna Hedger from Year 8, and Rose Hurrey and Noah Campbell from Year 9 were awarded Credit Certificates.

Fergus Morrison from Year 7, and Jackson Carruthers from Year 10, were awarded Certificates of Distinction.

Year 8 student, Stuart Thompson was awarded a High Distinction. Stuart performed in the top 7% of Australia.

Year 9 student, Danielle Nadj was also awarded a High Distinction. Danielle performed in the top 3% of Australia.

We extend our congratulations to all students who participated, and celebrate the exceptional achievements of those who were awarded certificates of merit.



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ALEXANDRA SECONDARY COLLEGE PRESENTS



OGRES ARE LIKE ONIONS

A 2022 SHREK Themed Production

THURSDAY 28 JULY | FRIDAY 29 JULY | SATURDAY 30 JULY

DOORS OPEN 6:15PM | SHOW STARTS 6:30PM

ASC SCHOOL HALL

TICKETS ON SALE NOW FROM THE SCHOOL'S
FRONT OFFICE. [5770 2000](tel:57702000)

This is a drug, alcohol and smoke free event for all ages, made possible with support from Murrindindi Shire Council's Youth Services and the Victorian Government FReeZA program.



Tickets

Adult: \$20

Child/Student: \$10

Family: \$50

Our students thoughts on ...

What subject in Term 3 they are looking forward to the most...

I am really looking forward to "Foods" because we make lots of different things, and try things we haven't tried before.

Emma Whitehead



I am really enjoying Graphics, when we get our work completed we are allowed free time.

Eva Twitchett



I am really looking forward to my Sheet Metal Classes

Xavier Keenan



I am looking forward to Woodwork, I find it more entertaining than Maths and English.

Will Clark

I'm enjoying being creative in Woodwork. I also like having Con for a Teacher.

Coen Miljkovic



Roving Reporter Ruby Russell



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Australian
Mathematics
Competition
Friday 5th of August.
REGISTRATION!

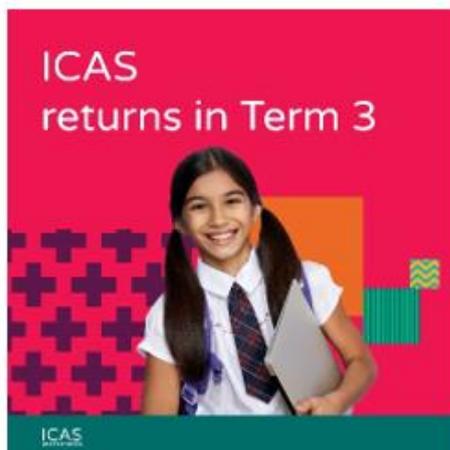
This years competition will be fully online in the library.

Please speak to Mrs Marchetti or your Maths teacher to get your name on the list! Cost is \$7.50.

Enrolments cut off July 29th.

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ICAS ASSESSMENTS



ICAS will return to Alexandra Secondary College this year. We encourage you to consider entering your child in ICAS. This fantastic assessment program allows students to challenge themselves and be recognised for their academic efforts. The assessment is now fully online and sitting dates will commence in Term 3. Students can enrol in tests for English, Mathematics, Digital Technologies and Science.

You can now pay for ICAS online! To confirm your child's participation:

1. Visit shop.icasassessments.com/pages/pps
2. Enter our unique school code RWV467
3. Make a direct payment to ICAS Assessments.

Online payment closing date is Monday August 1st. Learn more by visiting icasassessments.com.

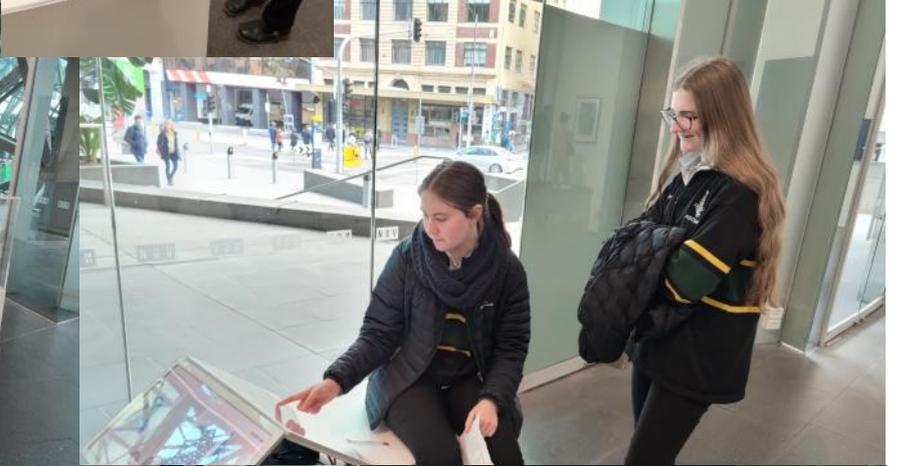
And the end of term award goes to.....



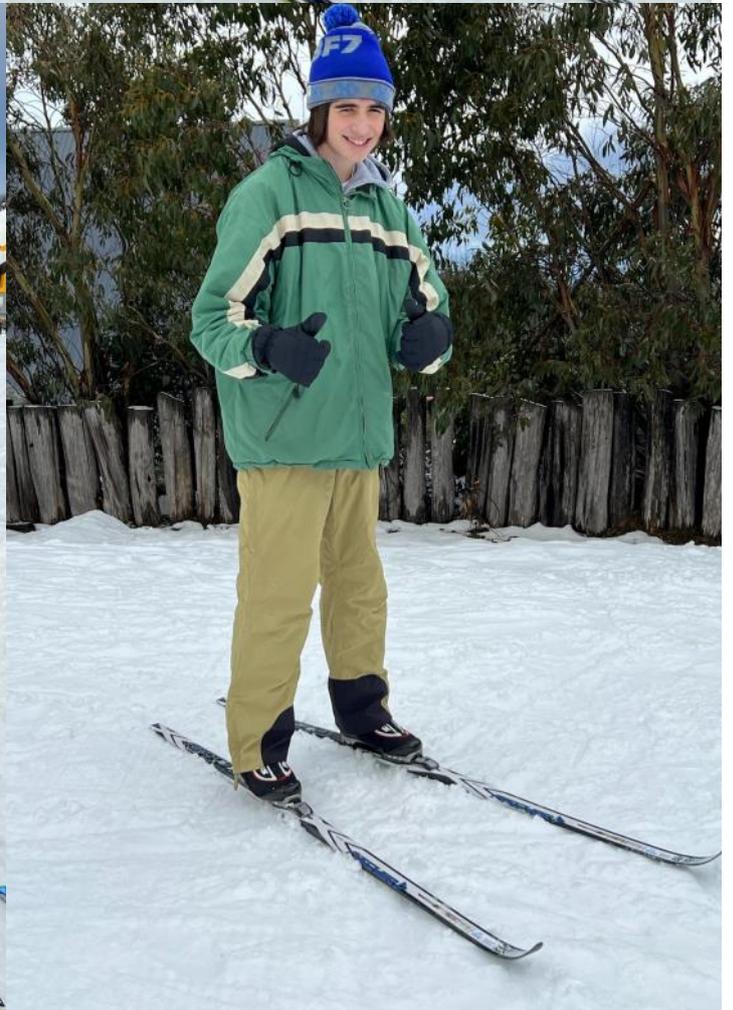
At the end of last term Mrs Van rewarded her year 9 students who had the most positive incidences combined with the best attendance. Well done Mia, Millie, Ruby, Mikaela, Rosie and Danielle.



Top Arts Excursion



Ski Squad - back on the trails...



State Cross Country



**Well done Team
You have done us Proud!**



Year 10 Work Experience



Last Term our Year 10 students completed their work experience program...here are a few photos of their adventures.



