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Issue 2

Bright P-12 College Newsletter

SWIMMING CARNIVALS

We were greeted with warm weather in Myrtleford for our Primary and Secondary Swimming Carnivals. The pool deck was filled with enthusiastic students and staff in their best red, yellow and blue outfits. Thanks to all staff who helped before, during and after these events, along with parent volunteers and spectators who added to the experience. Finally, a huge congratulations must also go to the stars of the show – our students – for their best efforts and participation throughout the day.

Bright P-12 College Age Group Champions:

9yo – Sophie J-B & River S; 10yo – Zoe C & Theo G; 11yo – Eliza W & Hudson T; 12/13yo (Primary) – Millie D & Ari P; 12/13yo (Secondary) – Phoebe N & Gabe B; 14yo – Michaela N & Otis D; 15yo – Jenna S & Isaac P; 16yo – Lexi M & Sam G; 17yo – Kira M & Owen P; 18yo – Moira G & Jarrod McC.

Age Group Champion medals will be presented at the Term 1 Celebration of Success Assembly. We look forward to our interschool swimming competitions, which will be held across the region over the next few weeks.

See pages 4 & 5 for more photos. Thanks to everyone who took photos, including our Media Studies students.



House Shield Points Update: After our swimming carnivals, we have our first points update for 2023. Points are tallied from a variety of events throughout the year to determine the overall winner of our prestigious House Shield.

Event	Buckland	Kiewa	Ovens
Primary Swimming	258	430	312
Secondary Swimming	274	356	370
TOTAL	532	786	682



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Principal's Message

Dear Students, Parents, Guardians and Carers,

The new school year is well underway and there are a lot of exciting activities for students already in progress and many others planned. Our focus is to provide opportunities for our students to engage in activities to grow their skills: academically, socially, emotionally and physically across all year levels, from Prep to Year 12. The breadth of activities showcased in this newsletter alone is something to be proud of - from our Music program to our German student exchange; from the wide range of school-based apprenticeships & traineeships we support to Year 5/6 Science experiments, students are able to pursue their interests in many areas of study.

We held the annual Badge Presentation Assembly yesterday morning, where we presented students who are taking on student leadership positions with their official badges. Student leadership is fundamental to the success of our College and I warmly congratulate all students who have elected or been elected to leadership positions for this year. It was a fantastic assembly! Congratulations to our 2023

School Captains, House Captains, Bus Captains and Student Representative Council (SRC). A huge thank you to students for your engagement in the proceedings and parents who attended.

The Swimming Carnivals were a highlight recently, with Primary and Secondary students competing in earnest, representing their houses with gusto and enjoying the fun atmosphere. Well done to all students involved and thank you to our staff and parents who helped out. For our Year 12 students, this was their last swimming carnival at Bright P-12 College and I would like to thank them for their leadership on the day and their efforts over many years in and out of the pool at our swimming carnivals.

College Council are looking for parents and students to join the team with nominations now open. College Council provides an excellent opportunity to get involved with your school and make a difference. See page 3 for more information.

Jean Olley - Principal

NOTE: ALL CALENDAR EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. PLEASE CHECK COMPASS FOR MOST UP-TO-DATE ADVICE

ALLAN J FINDLAY MEMORIAL BURSARY

This bursary has been established by the Lions Club of Bright and the Rotary Club of Bright to assist young people in continuing Allan's philosophy of selfless community contribution, and to assist them to fulfill their aspirations of giving back to their community.

A total bursary of \$1,000 is made annually to support young people with financial assistance to reach their goals and/or further their studies, expand their networks to reach out and connect with others in their area of commitment and/or concern.

It is open to students in Years 9 to 12 levels, residing in the Alpine Shire – this includes young people who school out of the area, are home-schooled, or are no longer school-based. Applications for 2023 close 24/3/2023.

For further information, please contact Jenni Sgambelloni
jennifer.sgambelloni@education.vic.gov.au



COLLEGE CALENDAR

FEBRUARY

- 27 FEB Primary O&M Swimming, Wangaratta
 27-28 FEB Yr 12 Retreat

MARCH

- 1 MAR Primary Hume Swimming, Shepparton
 2 MAR Secondary O&M Swimming, Wodonga
 3 MAR Yr 5/6 Apex walk
 6 MAR College Council nominations close
 7 MAR Yr 6 Alpine School excursion
13 MAR LABOUR DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY
 17 MAR Secondary Hume Swimming, Wodonga

**NOTE: School photos are booked for
 Thursday 4th May**

NEW STAFF

Hi, my name is Darren Wood, I moved to Bright in June 2022 with my wife Nerida and sons Cam (Year 6) and Ben (Year 4). We love being outdoors, and like many others, we were drawn to the area's natural beauty and its proximity to mountains and rivers.

I have been teaching and instructing Outdoor Education in schools since 2006. My previous role was with Wesley College as Head of their Outdoor Education facility in Healesville where together with a team of 5, we ran programs for Years 3 to 5 and 7, focused on environmental stewardship, fostering a thoughtful connection with nature and enjoying a close teaching and learning relationship with the local Wurundjeri elders and the Healesville Sanctuary.

This year I am providing Education Support for Secondary Students.



Hi Bright P-12 College students, families and community. My name is Jenni Hore and I am the new Student Wellbeing Counsellor. I have worked for various government agencies in a similar role to achieve positive outcomes. I enjoy meeting new people and providing support to help students achieve their goals. I am committed to be an approachable, fun, positive and caring team member who can contribute to the school community.

I have recently returned from a trip to Canada where I did extensive cross-country skiing in Callaghan Valley and Whistler. My other interests include running, Shinkyokushin karate, Mountain Bike riding, hiking, gym, meditation and reading. I have completed many ultramarathons and have experience as a personal trainer and fitness instructor.

As a counsellor, I have a strong emphasis on mindfulness, empathy and gratitude. I am excited to be a new member of the school community, full of energy and positivity. Thank you for your warm welcome!

Hi! My Name is Kelly and I'm incredibly excited to be the new Secondary School Nurse and member of the wellbeing team at Bright P-12 (I'm at school Mondays and Thursdays). My role is to support wellbeing programs, health education activities, and health promotion events, with the goal of enhancing wellbeing and empowering students to make informed health decisions. Students can also see me individually if they would like further information, guidance, support, or connection to other youth services.

I have been nursing for 8 years and my passion for health and wellness led me to this role. Outside of the hospital system, my nursing experience includes; Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis Camp nurse, school health promotion activities, a rural community health project in Thailand, and studying Public Health in Mexico.

I moved to the Alpine area from the Central Coast NSW in 2021 and love it. In my free time you will mostly find me in the outdoors, swimming, cycling, bushwalking, or even snorkelling in the river when I'm missing the ocean!



COLLEGE COUNCIL

College Council Nominations are open from Monday 13th February until 4pm Monday 6th March.

We are now looking for parent, secondary student and staff nominations for Bright P-12 College Council.

College Council is a fantastic way to fully engage with your child's and the community's school. The Council is the executive body of the College and assists in determining the College's priorities and strategic directions. There are also a number of College Council sub-committees which provide a diverse range of opportunities for parents to become actively involved in the College community. We encourage you to consider applying for one of these meaningful and purposeful positions.

Nomination forms (self nominated or to nominate others) and a fact sheet of Council roles and responsibilities are available from the office or request via email: bright.p12@education.vic.gov.au Nominations will close at 4pm on Monday 6th March.

For more information, view fact sheet <http://brightp12.vic.edu.au/images/documents/SchoolCouncilFS.pdf> or contact Principal, Jean Olley, jean.olley@education.vic.gov.au or 03 5755 1166

PRIMARY SWIMMING CARNIVALS



SECONDARY SWIMMING CARNIVALS



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT - MOUNTAIN BIKE RACING

Year 10 student Zac Bradley competed at Mt Baw Baw in Round 3 of the Victorian Downhill Series - he came 3rd after a stack in the final with 3.10 minutes down the hill. He got the fastest time of the day 3.02 in his seeding - faster than ALL competitors including elite riders on the day.



And Zac came away with the win at the National Championships and also came 20th overall out of 600 riders for the whole Cannonball and Auscycling events. Congratulations!



ANNUAL PRIVACY REMINDER FOR OUR SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Our school collects, uses, discloses and stores student and parent personal information for standard school functions or where permitted by law, as stated in the Schools' Privacy Policy.

Please take time to read our school's collection notice, found on our website <http://www.brightp12.vic.edu.au/index.php/collection-statements> We ask parents to also review the guidance we provide on how we use Microsoft 365/Google Workspace for Education safely at the school and what parents can do to further protect their child's information. If after reviewing the guidance, you have any questions or concerns regarding your child using Microsoft 365/Google Workspace for Education, please contact the school. For more information about privacy, refer to: Schools' Privacy Policy — information for parents. This information is also available in ten community languages:

* Amharic * Arabic * Dari * Gujarati * Mandarin * Somali * Sudanese * Turkish * Urdu * Vietnamese

MUSIC PROGRAM 2023

We are lucky at Bright P-12 College to offer an extensive instrumental program. Learning a musical instrument has been shown to provide many benefits to a child academically, personally and socially. Students who learn an instrument will be encouraged to perform at regular concerts at school and out in the community. The recommended age to start to learn an instrument would be from Year 3 and above. We have a number of very talented teachers who can teach a wide variety of instruments. Please contact your preferred teacher directly with the contact details provided below. The teacher will discuss the costs and the materials required for the lessons. The lesson time will be organised after consultation with the student's class teacher, music coordinator and deputy principal as necessary.

Ukulele. During 2023 I will be running lessons for students on the Ukulele. These lessons will take place before school and are open to any student from Prep-Secondary Level. The emphasis is on having fun and learning some basics on Ukulele. The students do not need to have a ukulele as there is a class set of these at school. They will be given photocopied sheets of the music we look at. Students who were involved last year can still come to this group as well as any new students who want to be involved. Sessions start at 8.15am on Tuesdays in Room 25, the Music Room. Depending on the level of interest in these groups and the level of proficiency of the students involved, there may be another rehearsal time during the week. I will let you know when/and if this will happen.

Primary Choirs. Choirs will practice during two lunchtimes each week. I will call the students over the loud speaker and it is up to them to meet at the designated spot for rehearsal. Students do not need to have any previous experience or audition, and participation in these groups is free. The emphasis is on having fun with singing with other people. Throughout the year there will be a number of performances for the students involved in. Prep-2 Choir sessions are held at the start of lunchtime Monday and Yr 3-6 Choir start of lunchtime on Friday. If you have any questions, please email me. Jason Campbell, Music Coordinator Jason.Campbell@education.vic.gov.au



Jason Campbell - Trumpet, Trombone, Saxophones, Clarinet, Flute, Ukulele, Drums, Beginner Guitar, Choirs, Ensembles

I am the Music Coordinator at Bright P-12 College and a fully qualified Instrumental Music Teacher, with a Bachelor of Education (Sec) (Music). I was a professional musician with the Navy for 12 years. I have experience teaching brass, woodwind and basic rock instruments over a number of years with primary and secondary aged children. Contact Jason Jason.Campbell@education.vic.gov.au

Rachel Campbell - Piano, Keyboard, Clarinet, Saxophones

I have been teaching music for over 25 years as an instrumental teacher and classroom music teacher. I teach piano from grade 1 and clarinet and saxophone from grade 3. Students can choose to take AMEB exams or simply play for pleasure. I hold Bachelor of Music (Performance – Clarinet/Bass Clarinet) and a Graduate Diploma of Education. I have professional experience as a musician having served in the Royal Australian Navy Band for 5 years. Contact Rachel on 0412 635 843. She is available on Tuesdays



Phil Stone - Guitar-Electric, Acoustic, Classical, Bass, Ukulele, Music Theory and Arranging

I have a Diploma of Music from Melba Memorial Conservatorium. I have been a guitar tutor at a number of facilities including the Murray Conservatorium and the Shanghai International School. I can teach beginner to advanced students.

I have played with famous people including Darryl Braithwaite, Rick Price, Vanetta Fields and Renee Geyer. Contact Phil on 0488 288 587

Emili Rackemann - Piano, Flute

Emili studied a Bachelor of Music at the Queensland Conservatorium of Music and has released seven albums of original classical contemporary compositions. Emili teaches both classical and contemporary piano and flute from beginner level to AMEB grade 8 in both practical and theory. Music composition classes are also available from grade 3 AMEB. Contact Emili on 0402 509 873. She is available on Thursdays from Term 2



GERMAN STUDENTS



We welcomed seven more German students and two accompanying teachers from our sister school. This group will spend 3 weeks in Bright, living with host families, attending school with their host/ buddy, participating in a wide variety of activities, visiting local sights and practising their English.

Last week, students introduced themselves at the assemblies as well as speaking about their home town in a number of German language classes, tried Lawn Bowls, been to the Bright Art Gallery to see the Buckland Riot freeze painting by Thomas Lawler, enjoyed using the Rotary Waterslide and tasted the delicious ice creams from Bright Ice creamery. They also undertook some bushwalking, up to Huggins Lookout and the Cathedral walk on Mount Buffalo as well as seeing some Australian reptiles up close during the Primary Incursion.

Our sister school relationship started back in 2005. We have hosted many groups of students as well as had many Bright P-12 students go to Germany over the years. This is a very special program that we are grateful to get going again after the restrictions of recent years.



SCHOOL-BASED APPRENTICESHIPS & TRAINEESHIPS

A school-based apprenticeship or traineeship (SBAT) gives a student paid on-the-job training while they complete secondary school. SBATs combine part-time employment with training toward a nationally recognised vocational education and training (VET) qualification. Students can receive credit for their SBAT towards the VCE, VCE Vocational Major or Victorian Pathways Certificate. The SBAT student, their parent and employer sign a training contract, and the student completes a training plan with a registered training organisation. The student's school must approve the SBAT, so the student can attend work and training during the school week.

SBAT jobs and benefits

SBATs are available in a wide range of jobs and industry areas including emerging technologies, health, hospitality, business, construction, engineering and community care.

SBATs are a unique way for students to:

- make a start on their career before finishing school
- get paid for time spent working and learning
- get hands-on training that leads to a VET qualification and provides credit towards school
- finish school with a competitive edge in the employment market.

At Bright P-12 College we currently have 11 students from Year 10-12 participating in SBATs in a variety of industries. These include: cheffing, hospitality, carpentry, plastering, retail, childcare and hairdressing. Congratulations to these students. Jane Mildren and Chris Blazek are available to discuss this option with any students who have an interest in a vocational pathway.

PRIMARY JAPANESE

This year we have a specialist language room in our Primary area. Students learning Japanese can experience Japanese-style seating with low desks and cushions (thanks for all the cushion donations). When students study a language in a more immersive environment, such as our Japanese room, it offers opportunities for language acquisition in a range of different modes. We are enjoying teaching and learning in this room this year. 楽しい。ありがとうございます。



Yr 5 PERFORMING ARTS

Year 5 students learnt some simple chords on the ukulele during this fun lesson. After learning how to make the right shapes for the chords, they strummed along to 'Best Day of My Life' by American Authors.

Some of our more confident ukulele players also had a try at singing while they played.



Yr 8 ECONOMICS

The Year 8 Economics classes are learning about entrepreneurship, and what it takes to run a business.

They were given the challenge of making an observation deck from spaghetti and other limited materials.

This teamwork exercise will give them some experience before they prepare and plan their businesses later this term.



Yr 5/6 SCIENCE

Here are some pictures from a recent Year 5 and 6 science class. We are learning about the different types of energy, solar, wind, kinetic, magnetic and many more types of energy. Here we are conducting our experiments.



STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT - LEADERSHIP

Tom Russell, a Year 10 student at Bright P-12 College was selected and completed a 3-day future leaders camp run by Tennis Victoria in Melbourne late last year. At the camp, Tom learnt about All Abilities Tennis, coaching, leadership and much more. As part of that program, he has organised a beginner junior tennis day for children ages 5-12 on the 26th of February.

A huge achievement for Tom to be selected for the program. Congratulations!

About the program: Future Leaders has been running since 2001 and over 500 participants have taken part in the program. They have given back over 21,000 hours of volunteer time to local tennis clubs across Victoria. Year 10 and 11 student participants are given the opportunity to make a difference at their local tennis club. They are required to complete a minimum of 40 hours work in completing the project and report back to Tennis Victoria. Upon completion, participants are invited to attend a graduation hosted by Tennis Victoria in recognition for all their hard work.



COMMUNITY NOTICES

Parenting Programs - Term 1 2023

*There is no cost to attend these programs



Location	Program	Duration	When	Where	Register
Wanganatta	Tuning in to Kids Emotionally intelligent parenting (2-10 years)	5 weeks	Wednesdays 1st - 29th March 10am - 12pm	Wanganatta Library 21 Dooker Street Wanganatta	Phone 02 6022 8888
Wodonga	Tuning in to Teens Emotionally intelligent parenting (10 years and over)	5 weeks	Mondays 27th February - 3rd April 6pm - 8pm	Gateway Health 155 High Street F11A & B	Phone 02 6022 8888
Wodonga	Bring Up Great Kids (5-12 years)	6 weeks	Tuesdays 28th February - 4th April 10am - 12pm	Gateway Health 155 High Street F11A & B	Phone 02 6022 8888
Wodonga	Tuning into Kids Emotionally intelligent parenting (0-10 years)	5 weeks	Fridays 3rd - 31st March 10am - 12pm	Gateway Health 155 High Street F11A & B	Phone 02 6022 8888
Wodonga	Mother Goose (0 - 2 years)	Full term	Wednesdays 8th February - 5th April 10.30am to 11.30am	Gateway Health 155 High Street F11A & B	Phone 02 6022 8888
Lavington	Mother Goose (0 - 2 years)	Full term	Fridays 3rd February - 7th April 10.30am to 11.30am	Orana Community Centre 48 Carob Drive Springdale Heights	Phone 02 6025 3988

Parenting information sessions - Term 1 2023

FREE 2 hour sessions - Bookings are essential



Adolescent Parenting	Raising Resilient Children (From the Triple P International)	Connecting with your kids Emotion Coaching
For parents and carers of children aged between 12 and 17 years	For parents and carers of children aged between 2 and 12 years	For parents and carers of children aged between 2 and 10 years
This session will provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Development of teenagers - impacts and challenges How you can support your teenager's emotions and help them build resilience Connecting with your teenager Helping to problem solve Family values 	This session will provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognising and accepting feelings and challenges Expression of feelings Building a positive outlook Developing coping skills Dealing with negative feelings Stressful life events 	This session will provide information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuning into your child's emotions to help manage behaviour Learn about emotion coaching to help your child understand and regulate emotions Help manage meltdowns Looking at child's brain development
Tuesday 28th March 7pm - 9pm Via online (Link will be provided)	Thursday 23rd February 7pm - 9pm Via online (Link will be provided)	Monday 20th March 7pm - 9pm Via online (Link will be provided)

To book your place contact Gateway Health on 02 6022 8888 or email parenting@gatewayhealth.org.au

gatewayhealth.org.au

Tuning in to Kids Emotionally intelligent parenting

For parents and carers of children aged between 2 and 10 years.

This five-week program aims to help parents and carers understand their child's experience and connect with and support their child.

This program will look at:

- managing meltdowns
- tuning in to your children's emotions to help manage behavior
- emotion coaching - helping children to understand and regulate their emotions
- problem solving and self-care
- the different styles of parenting.



Location	Date and Time	Cost
Wanganatta Library - 21 Dooker St, Wanganatta	Wednesdays 1 March to 29 March 10am to 12pm	This is a free program

Contact us

For enquiries and to register your attendance please call 02 6022 8888 or email parenting@gatewayhealth.org.au.

Bookings are essential



gatewayhealth.org.au
Please note this information applies to Term 1 2023.



BRIGHTER DAYS RAFFLE

DRAWN 6PM SUNDAY 12TH MARCH 2023

TICKETS ON SALE NOW

\$100 PER TICKET 6000 TICKETS

ALL PROCEEDS FROM THIS RAFFLE GO TO THE BRIGHTER DAYS FOUNDATION

BUY RAFFLE TICKETS ONLINE AT BRIGHTERDAYS.ORG.AU

1ST PRIZE	FORD MUSTANG FASTBACK GT 6.0L 6SP MANUAL MY24 VALUE - \$75,000 OR FORD RANGER WILDTRAIL 4X4 2.0 10SP AUTO MY23.50 VALUE \$74,388 THANKS TO BAYFORD FORD
2ND PRIZE	HARLEY-DAVIDSON SOFTAIL STANDARD +50K CUSTOMIZATION CREDIT DONATED BY HARLEY-DAVIDSON VALUE \$27,995
3RD PRIZE	TOOL ARMOUR 1003 PIECE WORKSHOP TOOL KIT DONATED BY KINCROME AUSTRALIA VALUE \$12,999
4TH PRIZE	SUZUKI U-SY ROM 800K MOTORCYCLE THANKS TO SUCORE AUSTRALIA VALUE \$6,400
5TH PRIZE	RAYVOLT RINGO BLACK E-BIKE DONATED BY RAYVOLT AUSTRALIA VALUE \$4,995
6TH PRIZE	FUEL VOUCHER DONATED BY ARROW WOOD PRODUCTS VALUE \$2,500

BRIGHTER DAYS

BIKES - CARS - MUSIC

FESTIVAL 2023

LABOUR DAY WEEKEND
10-12 MARCH

WITH PERFORMANCES BY

- JAMES REYNE
- THE SCREAMING JETS
- KATE CEBERANO
- RICHARD CLAPTON
- ELLA HOOPER (KILLING HEIDI)
- MAHALIA BARNES
- REECE MASTIN
- SCREAMIN' EAGLES
- BOB 'BONGO' STARKIE'S SKYHOOKS SHOW
- INXSIVE
- RAW DEEP

AS WELL AS KIDS ENTERTAINMENT, FOOD & ACTIVITIES ALL WEEKEND LONG

TICKETS AT:
BRIGHTERDAYS.ORG.AU

Act Now. Get \$250 in your pocket.

All Victorian households can apply for the 2023 Energy Assist program. We will support you to apply. Call Anglicare's Energy Team on 1800 531 741. Apply for your \$250 cash back today!

1. Check your eligibility
2. Have your electricity bill and bank details handy
3. Call 1800 531 741

ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Are you having difficulties paying your energy bill? We can help you with:

- Check your eligibility
- Apply for the program
- Get a cash back of up to \$250
- Get help with your energy bill
- Get help with your electricity bill
- Get help with your gas bill
- Get help with your water bill
- Get help with your council rates
- Get help with your other bills

Call Anglicare's Energy Team on 1800 531 741

lake hume Cycle Challenge

Sunday 12th March 2023

enter now

Pick a ride that suits you:

- 80km/980m Bethanga Beast
- 65km/870m Sandy Creek Loop
- 40km Tallangatta Trail Tour
- 15km Kiewa River Family Ride

FREE post-ride sausage sizzle and soft drink.

Find out more at lakehumechallenge.com.au

Photo courtesy of the Border Mail

Prudently sponsored by:

Prudently Supporting:

Bringing loads of inflatable fun and action!

Myrtleford - Memorial Park - Tuesday 28th February
Mount Beauty - Les Peart Oval - Wednesday 1st March
Bright - Oaks Lawn Pioneer Park - Thursday 2nd March

5:00pm - 7:30pm each day | Food stalls onsite | BYO Chairs & picnic rugs

EMERGENCY RECOVERY SERVICES

ALPINE SPORTS FEST

COMMUNITY NOTICES



There are now two categories. One for the fit and fast (competitive/race) and the other for those wanting to take a more leisurely approach and walk/hike around the 21km loop including summing Victoria's highest peak at 1986m. Some 30 odd spot prizes including accommodation and outdoor equipment have been kindly donated from our sponsors meaning at present there is a 1 in 3 to 4 chance of taking something home which is more than just the great stories you'll have of the day.

Cost to enter: Individual U18 \$20, Open \$30, Family \$80.

Visit: hoppet.com.au/running/conquestathon for more information and to register.



BRIGHT PHARMACY AFTER SCHOOL and/or WEEKEND MORNING POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Are you thinking of a career in a health profession? Or just interested in earning some \$\$\$? Positions exist for Junior Retail Pharmacy Assistants (both male or female, 15 years and over) commencing immediately at the Bright Pharmacy. On the job training provided.

Responsibilities

Sales and service

- Follow all correct procedures when processing cash, cheque or credit card transactions.
- Provide customers with a high level of customer service.

Pharmacy image

- Assist in maintaining a clean and tidy appearance in the pharmacy and externally.
- Convey image appropriate to pharmacy.
- Assist in maintaining stock presentation, including cleaning and shelf labelling.

Handling non-dispensary stock

- Receive and store stock as required.
- Complete all necessary stock takes.
- Other tasks in line with pharmacy services.

The remuneration for the position comes under the Pharmacy Industry Award – Casual pay rates will apply.

Please send your resume to administration@bruc robertson.com.au



PRIVATELY OWNED E-SCOOTERS

IF YOUR PRIVATELY OWNED E-SCOOTER:

- has an electric motor with a power output of greater than 200 watts; OR
- has a speed capability of greater than 10 km/h

it **does not** meet the standards of registration and therefore **cannot** be used on Victorian public roads, footpaths, shared or cycle paths, public parks, or any public areas.

Privately owned e-scooters can only legally be ridden on private property.

VICTORIA POLICE MAY ENFORCE LAWS INCLUDING:

- Unlicensed riding
- Unregistered motor vehicle
- Failing to wear a motorcycle helmet
- Riding on a footpath
- Careless riding
- Riding under the influence of alcohol or drugs - riders must be below 0.05 BAC and have zero presence of prescribed drugs

VICTORIA POLICE CAN:

- Stop riders and require them to state their name and address
- Require the driver to undergo alcohol and drug testing
- Impound privately owned e-Scooters if relevant offending is identified
- Impose on the spot fines if offending is identified
- Issue charges to appear before a court if offending is identified

Offending whilst riding a privately owned e-Scooter may result in loss of any driver licence or permit held.



For information on privately owned e-scooters and further rules refer to the VicRoads website.

OFFICIAL: Sensitive

VICPOL Public Information : E-Scooters & Other Devices

Parents, before you invest in an e-scooter for yourself or child, please read the manufactures plate for the power/speed capabilities.

- If they have a motor with power of more than 200w, or are capable of more than 10 km/h on level ground then they are classified as a motor vehicle (Motor Cycle)
- All the relevant road rules apply when using them (licence, registration, helmet, drink & drug driving).
- You can ONLY use them on private property, you cannot use them on footpaths, roads, cycle paths, shared paths... ANY public area!!

Other Devices – Some examples

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 Gyroscopic self-balancing 1 wheel skateboard / Hover Board 15km/h – 27 km/h (motor vehicle)
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 Gyroscopic self-balancing 2 wheel Hoverboard : iO Hawk: 8km/h – 27 km/h (motor vehicle)
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 Gyroscopic self-balancing 2 wheel 'scooter' or trailer skates: Kick / iPro 12-20 km/h (motor vehicle)
- 
 Gyroscopic self-balancing one wheel 'scooter': AirWheel 14km/h – 26 km/h (motor vehicle)
- 
 Electric skateboard : 14km/h – 48 km/h (motor vehicle)

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Bushfire At-Risk Register - Schools

School procedures for the bushfire season

Fire danger ratings and warnings are used in Victoria to provide clear direction on the safest options for preserving life.

Schools and children's services listed on the DET Bushfire At-Risk Register (BARR) will be closed when a Code Red fire danger rating day is determined in their Bureau of Meteorology district. **Our school has been identified as being one of those at high bushfire risk and is listed on the BARR.**



Where possible, we will provide parents with up to four days notice of a potential Code Red day closure by letter and Compass Notification. A Code Red day will be determined by the Emergency Management Commissioner no later than 1.00 pm the day before the potential closure. Once we are advised of the confirmation of the Code Red day we will provide you with advice before the end of the school day.

Once confirmed, the decision to close will not change, regardless of improvements in the weather forecast. This is to avoid confusion and help your family plan alternative care arrangements for your child. It is also important to note that:

- No staff will be on site on days where the school is closed due to a forecast Code Red day.
- School camps will be cancelled if a Code Red fire danger rating day is determined for the Bureau of Meteorology district in which the camp is located.
- As a bus co-ordinating school all bus routes will be cancelled.

On these Code Red days families are encouraged to enact their Bushfire Survival Plan – **on such days children should never be left at home or in the care of older children.**

For those of us living in a bushfire prone area, the Country Fire Authority (CFA) advises that when Code Red days are forecast, the safest option is to leave the night before or early on the morning of the Code Red day.

As part of preparing our school for potential hazards such as fire, we have updated and completed our Emergency Management Plan, reprioritised any maintenance works that may assist in preparing for the threat of fire and cleared our facility's grounds and gutters.

What can parents do?

- Make sure your family's bushfire survival plan is up-to-date and includes alternative care arrangements in the event that our school is closed.
- Ensure we have your current contact details, including your mobile phone numbers. Keep in touch with us by reading our newsletters, by checking Compass and by talking to your child's teacher or any other member of the teaching staff about our emergency management plan.
- Most importantly at this time of year, if you're planning a holiday or short stay in the bush or in a coastal area, you should check warnings in advance of travel and remain vigilant during your stay.
- If your child is old enough, talk to them about bushfires and your family's bushfire survival plan.
- You can access more information about children's services closures on the Department of Education and Training website – see <http://www.education.vic.gov.au/about/programs/health/pages/closures.aspx>

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