PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

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Every Student, Every Opportunity, Success for All

Camps, Sports & Excursions Fund (CSEF)

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund will ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities.

School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions encourage a deeper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum.

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. The allowance will be paid to the school to use towards expenses relating to camps, excursions, or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student will be:

- \$125 for primary school students
- \$225 for secondary school students.

How to Apply

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from <u>www.education.vic.gov.au/csef</u> Closing Date You should lodge a CSEF application form at the school by 26 June 2015

To read more on this topic click <u>here</u> to be taken to the page on the College Website or visit: <u>http://www.wssc.vic.edu.au/?p=24200</u>

End of Semester 1

At the conclusion of this semester, reports will be distributed to students on Wednesday 24 June. The last parent teacher, student interviews will be conducted on Thursday 25th June following the distribution of the semester reports. Parents and students are asked to reflect on the comments made in the reports as this is valuable feedback and will assist the student as they begin semester 2. If you are prepared even a short meeting can be productive. Keep a list of questions you want to discuss with the teacher.

- If you wish to discuss specific pieces of work, take them with you to the meeting
- Bring your child's most recent report
- Ask your child if there are any matters they would like to be discussed

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Woodland Street Roadworks

The roadworks at Woodland Street are almost completed, with line marking set to be completed by early next week. This will happen outside of school pick up and drop off hours. The Wodonga City Council would like to thank residents for their patience and understanding during this time. We hope you enjoy the new road.

> Vern Hilditch Principal

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CALENDAR

Monday 15th June Year 12 Practice English exam

Wednesday 24th June Semester Reports Distributed to students

Thursday 25th June Parent Teacher Interviews

Friday 26th June Term break Begin 2:30pm Finish

Tuesday 14th July Students Return

TERM DATES

Term 1 29th January - 27 th March

Term 2 13th April—26th June

Term 3 13th July—18th September

Term 4 5th October - 18th December

YEAR LEVEL COORDINATORS

Year 10 Coordinators Tim Lamb Brydie Hind Tim Bridgeman

Year 11 Coordinators Chris North Naomi Wattie

Year 12 Coordinators Matt Moylan Simon Webb

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BADMINTON

Senior Boys Badminton team flies the flag at the Upper Hume finals

On Thursday 21st May our Senior Boys Badminton team consisting of Graham Hawkins (No 1 and Captain), Ethan McDougall, Daniel Quihampton and Damien Mathey, travelled to Wangaratta to do battle with other regional schools.

Well prepared after six weeks of rigorous training, the shuttle went up to start an avalanche of wins for Wodonga Senior Secondary College. Minor point loses during the day only served to inspire our dedicated players and we swept all before us during the day.

Well played boys, and I look forward to our next challenge at the Zone finals.



TEJU CHOUHAN AT UN CONFERENCE

Teju Chouhan, a Bhutanese support worker at Wodonga Senior Secondary College has been selected as one of ten Australians to be a delegate at the UN conference in Geneva, Switzerland. Teju leaves for the conference on 21st June, he will make a presentation to the conference attendees.

CAREERS NEWS

Want to study agriculture at university?

- University of Melbourne: You can study the Bachelor of Agriculture, <u>http://bit.ly/1BWdaib</u>
- University of Tasmania: You can study Food Science and Innovation, Agriculture, Agricultural Science, and Animal Science, <u>http://bit.ly/1cleoa4</u>
- Charles Sturt University: You can study Agriculture, Agricultural Science, Agricultural Business Management, Ecological Agricultural Sys tems, and Animal Science etc.

http://bit.ly/1MkDAj6

 University of New England: You can study Agri business, Agricultural and Resource Economics, Agriculture, Agrifood Systems, Animal Science and Rural Science, <u>http://bit.ly/1KSOtZc</u>

Upcoming Events: June

- MyDays, Charles Sturt University: Communication & Creative Industries (23), Policing & Criminal Justice (29), <u>www.csu.edu.au/go/myday</u>
- Information Evenings, Monash University, various dates and locations, <u>http://tinyurl.com/n2dlulx</u>
- **19: Experience Day,** La Trobe University, Albury-Wodonga, <u>www.latrobe.edu.au/experience</u>
- **19, 20: Open Day,** Whitehouse Institute of Design, Melbourne, <u>http://tinyurl.com/7nk2vrc</u>
- 24: 2015 Environmental and Marine Careers Expo, Melbourne Aquarium, www.melbourneaquarium.com.au/schools