

# Senior News

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## Principals Report

### Year 12 Practice Exams

The week beginning Monday 26th September, which is the second week of the school holidays, Year 12 students will be undertaking practice exams. The rationale behind this change is to enable more exam preparation teaching time in term 4 as requested by teaching staff. These exams will be supervised by external exam supervisors.

- All students going for their ATAR will be expected to attend these exams
- Parents will be asked not to plan holidays during this time period for their children
- Intended dates - beginning 26th September (week beginning)
- More information to follow during Term 2

### Study Skills for May

Ever leave your assignments until the last minute? Well here are 2 reasons to start work on your assignments immediately:

**Get your brain thinking about the topic** - At the very least, read through the requirements of the assignment on the day you get your assignment. Even if you are not thinking about it directly, your subconscious will be hard at work.

**Discover other resources** - You could also ask your local librarian for any additional direction on where to look for resource material for your assignment. Librarians know how to help people access relevant information, in books, journals

For more information and study skills, visit the College website:  
<http://www.wssc.vic.edu.au/?p=25711>

### Teacher Appreciation Day

World Teacher Appreciation Day is on this Tuesday, celebrating great teaching and learning is at the heart of what we do 365 days a year.

This day is a time to acknowledge best practices of the passionate and positive change-makers like teachers at WSSC – people who are making a difference for students each and every day. Without your unwavering commitment to transform education, there would be no WSSC. So a big “THANK YOU” for everything you do.



**Vern Hilditch**  
*Principal*

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**Monday 2nd  
May 2016**

## Calendar

**Thursday 12th May**  
Upper Hume Athletics

**Thursday 12th May**  
VCAA Exam Timetables released

**Monday 30th May**  
Year level assemblies

**Monday 13th June**  
Queen's Birthday Holiday

## Term Dates

**Term 1**  
27th January - 24th March

**Term 2**  
11th April - 24th June

**Term 3**  
11th July - 16th September

**Term 4**  
3rd October - 20th December

## Coordinators

**Year 10**  
Tim Lamb  
Tim Bridgeman  
Naomi Wattie

**Year 11**  
Brydie Hind  
Alex Nelson

**Year 12**  
Simon Webb  
Sheri Parkhouse

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## WSSC Football Clinic

Students from Wodonga's federation of government schools have been participating in soccer and football clinics at the College. The events have run on Thursday afternoons over the past two weeks.

Students learnt football and soccer skills from Wodonga Senior Secondary College students.

In total 410 students attended the event over the two sessions, the schools included Wodonga Primary School and Wodonga South Primary School. The event was run by the Wodonga Senior Secondary College VET sport students as part of their studies.

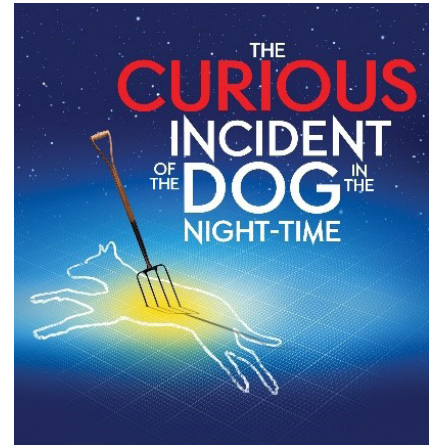


**Tim Lamb**  
*HPE Teacher &  
Year 10 Coordinator*

## Theatre Studies Performance

"My name is Christopher John Francis Boone. I know all the countries of the world and their capital cities and every prime number up to 7,507."

Fifteen-year-old Christopher likes maths, outer space, looking after his pet rat Toby, and is out to solve a most curious mystery. The dog next door has been killed with a garden fork and he is determined to find the culprit. He begins an investigation and starts asking questions that lead him to the end of his street and beyond. As one question leads to another, unforeseen answers emerge, taking Christopher on a frightening journey that will change his once familiar world.



Come along to WSSC's theatrical adaptation of the best-selling novel by Mark Haddon, *The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time* and see your world differently.

**Where:** WSSC Performing Arts Centre


**When:** Thursday 19th and Friday 20th May – 7PM start

**Cost:** \$10 – Adults, \$5 – Students/Pensioners


Tickets are now available from the College front office

**Sharon O'Neill**  
*Theatre Studies Teacher*

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