

Senior News

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Principals Report

Subject Open Night - Wednesday 15th March 5 to 7pm

This event is for students currently in Year 10.

The Senior College provides the widest range of subject options, in both academic and vocational education, together with career counselling, to build pathways through life. Take the opportunity to meet teachers and discuss subject and career options. If you are interested in starting VCE in July, enrolment enquiries on the night are welcomed.

The Wodonga Senior Secondary College Open Night commences at *5 pm and finishes at 7 pm on March 15th*, in the Trade Training Centre, enter via Brockley Street.

Changes to Bell Times

Following a review of our practices in relation to recess and lunch times, the College will be rolling out some changes.

Bell times: From Tuesday 14th the warning bells in the morning and at the end of recess and lunch will be 7 minutes prior to the commencement of classes. The reasoning behind this to create some urgency amongst the students.

Alumni Program

Are you a graduate of Wodonga Senior College? Visit our website to register as a College Alumni or contact the College to find out where Wodonga Senior Secondary College can take you.

By submitting your details you may be contacted by the College to arrange reunions and Alumni profiles. Check out the Facebook page for more info and to stay up to date with WSSC Alumni News:

[Facebook.com/WodongaSeniorSCAlumni/](https://www.facebook.com/WodongaSeniorSCAlumni/)



Vern Hilditch
Principal

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**Tuesday 14th
March 2017**

Calendar

Wednesday March 15th
Open Night

Thursday March 16th
Subject Selection for
Year 10 into 11

Thursday March 23rd
Multicultural Day

Wednesday March 29th
Student Progress
Interviews

Term Dates

Term 1
30 January - 31 March

Term 2
18th April - 30th June

Term 3
17th July - 22nd
September

Coordinators

Year 10
Tim Lamb
Cynthia McFarland
Tim Bridgeman

Year 11
Chris North
Naomi Wattie

Year 12
Brydie Hind
Paul McMullen

VCAL
Mark Smit
Sarah Maybury

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Physics At Luna Park

Year 12 VCE Physics students travelled to Luna Park in Melbourne last week to experience the forces that they had been discussing in the classroom first hand.

Students went on many of the rides at the park as a part of an exclusive event open to Victorian Physics students, studying Units 3 & 4.



Michael Rosenbrock
Maths & Science Coordinator

Melbourne Japanese Festival

Students travelled to Melbourne to participate in the Japanese Summer Festival. An early rise to catch the train saw the students soon playing UNO aboard the train and sharing their knowledge of the Japanese culture with fellow passengers. Arriving at Federation square students were introduced to a variety of vocabulary that came up as we saw things or needed directions. Students enjoyed eating yakitori, watching a variety of performances including shamisen (traditional Japanese 3 stringed banjo-type instrument), Taiko (drums) and both traditional obon dancing (done during Obon which is a Japanese Buddhist custom to honour the spirits of one's ancestors) and modern dance groups performing popular Japanese and western tunes. There were a variety of stalls selling kanji fans and prints, dolls for the recent Hina Matsuri festival (also called Doll's Day or Girls' Day, a special day in Japan. Celebrated each year on March 3rd.)



Lana Thorpe
Japanese Teacher

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