

# Senior News

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## Principals Report

### Year 9 - 10 Information Evening

Come along to the Wodonga Senior Secondary College Information evening to be held on Thursday July 27th. The first session will begin at 6:00pm and the second at 7:00pm. These sessions are held in the Lecture Theatre, accessible via the Brockley street entrance.

For more information contact the College on: (02) 6043 7500

### Pupil Free Day - Friday July 28th

This Friday July 28th will be a pupil free day and students are not required to attend school. This day will be used by teaching and education support staff to attend the Wodonga Federation of Government Schools inaugural conference which will be held here at the College.

### Wodonga Federation of Government Schools Conference

The Wodonga Federation of Government Schools Board is conducting an inaugural Conference. It is an exciting time for government schools in Wodonga as the culture of collaboration is taken to the next level for the benefit of our students. Last year, eight Wodonga Government schools, made a commitment to each other, to collaborate and share the responsibility of providing a strong and vibrant public education system within the City of Wodonga. To support this, a Community Board was established to tap into local leaders with strong governance and leadership expertise.

### Year 10 Semester 2 Book Orders

Further to our letter of 26th June 2017 to you advising that your student will commence their VCE/VCAL program in Semester 2 2017 (17th July 2017). Please visit our website for further information.

Book orders for Semester 2 need to be placed via the School Portal now:  
<https://sims.wssc.vic.edu.au/>



VCAL Students working with Wodonga Primary School students

**Vern Hilditch**  
*Principal*

**Issue No: 22**

**Monday 24th July  
2017**

## Calendar

**Thursday 27th July**  
Information Evening

**Friday 28th July**  
Pupil Free Day

**Thursday 10th  
August**  
Subject Information  
Evening

## Term Dates

**Term 2**  
18th April - 30th June

**Term 3**  
17th July - 22nd  
September

**Term 4**  
9th October - 22nd  
December

## 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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## Constitutional Convention

Around one hundred Year's 10, 11 and 12 students joined in on the debate and had their say today at the inaugural constitutional convention. The Sociology Legal Studies and History students learnt about current Human Rights issues in Australia and had an opportunity to work collaboratively to come up with solutions for these issues.



Cathy McGowan MP pictured with convention presenters and Sociology Students

The students heard from Member for Indi Cathy McGowan MP, Dr Bec Strating (Latrobe University Lecturer in International Politics) and Darran Stonehouse (Latrobe University Lecturer in Social Work/Human Rights/Law and Ethics).



**Lachlan Pinder**  
*Legal Studies Teacher*

## Uniform Policy

The College has conducted a review of the current school uniform. Students, parents and staff have expressed concerns about the uniform. As such we have made some changes. Please see the attached uniform policy that will be enforced from day 1 of term 3. The uniform policy outline can be seen below:

### Appropriate Uniform

- WSSC polo shirt
- WSSC jumper
- Navy blue weatherproof jacket
- WSSC skirt (Navy/black tights/stockings)
- WSSC dress (Navy/black tights/stockings)
- Navy/black pants or shorts
- Navy/black track suit pant
- Navy or black hat/beanie (outside only)
- Navy blue, white or teal scarf
- Fully enclosed footwear
- College council approved jumpers – eg: FFC and year 12 jumpers



- College Jumper, Windcheater, Navy V-neck
- College Shirt
- Navy or Black Pants
- Enclosed Footwear



- College Jumper, Windcheater, Navy V-neck
- College Shirt
- Long Skirt
- Enclosed Footwear



- College Jumper, Windcheater, Navy V-neck
- College Shirt
- Navy, Grey or Black Pants
- Enclosed Footwear

**Matt Moylan**  
*Assistant Principal*

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