

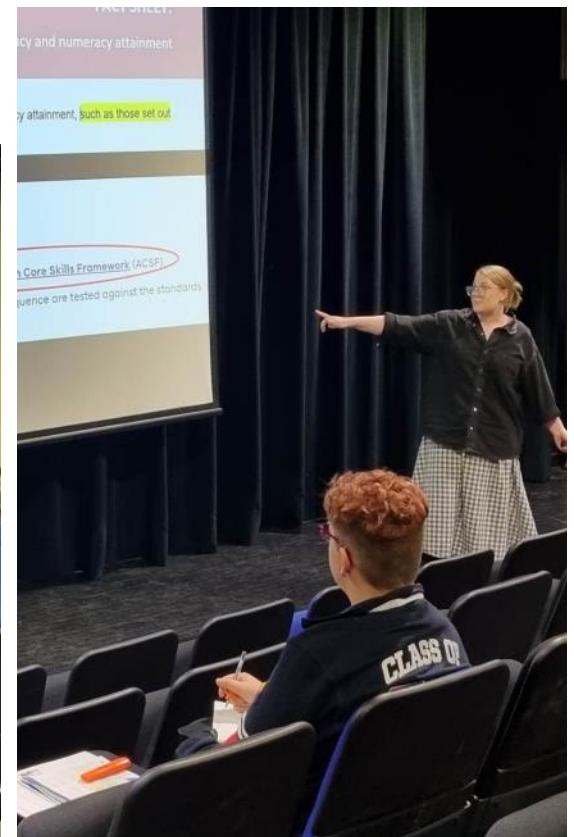
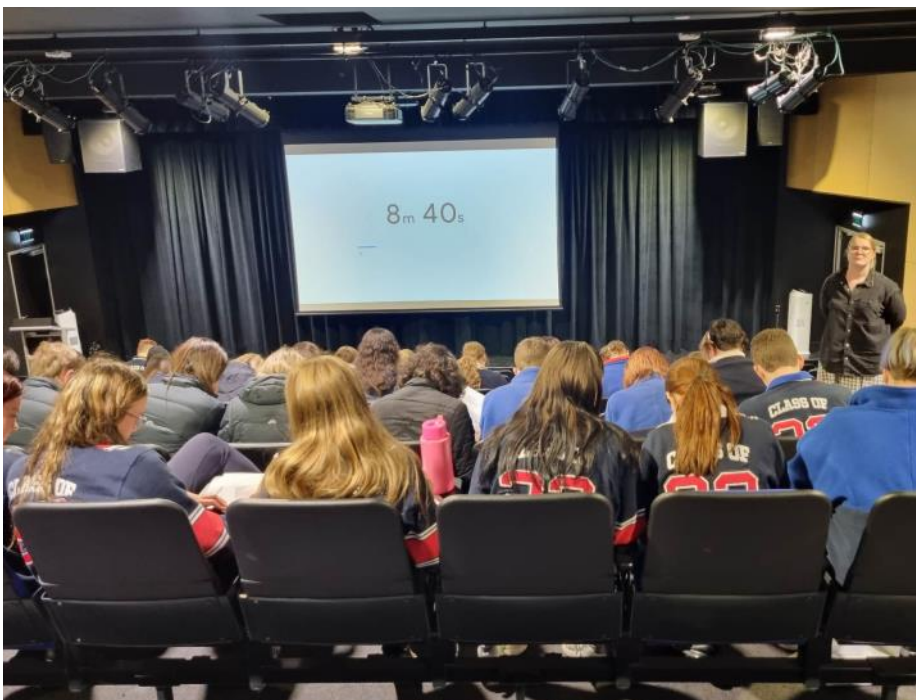


## GAT Preparation

On Thursday 1st June, we visited Mt. Rowan secondary school to take part in a GAT preparation day. This cohort has not participated in an exam style assessment since year 7 (thanks to Covid!) So it was a great opportunity to prepare students for the exam and how to approach answering the questions. Huge thanks to our English teacher Kim Konisberry for delivering the literacy section and former Ararat College teacher Ms Kat Pace for delivering the numeracy section. Thanks also to Mt. Rowan College for hosting us and providing a delicious lunch at their canteen. We also participated in laughing yoga, which was very amusing and a great way to de-stress!

**Ms. Murnane**

**Acting Senior School Principal**



# A Message from the Principal

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## Year 11 Exams

Our Year 11 students sat down for their first round of exams this year! We are so proud to see you all having a go and putting your hard work to the test! We know exam time can be stressful for students and parents and it was excellent to see everyone put their best foot forward.

## Mural Project

Students continued work on their mural this week. A big thanks once again goes to First Nations artist Emma Stenhouse who helped our students tell the story of our school and local community. This was a fantastic opportunity for students to learn about cultural art styles in Australia and the appropriate use of Aboriginal iconography.

Students finalised the murals this week, and all of the staff were very impressed by how well they turned out. We very much look forward to seeing these artworks digitised, enlarged, printed, and then displayed around the school. Congratulations to all students who worked on these murals!



## GAT

The GAT is coming up this Thursday, the 15th of June, and we are very grateful to the staff who organised for our Year 12 students to attend a GAT Preparation Day at Mount Rowan College. Providing students with a insight into how the GAT will work and allowing them to prepare will no doubt benefit them greatly! We wish students the best of luck and encourage them to have a go and do their very best.

## Year 10 Snow Camp Information Night

Parents of students who are attending the Year 10 Snow Camp in July are invited to attend an information session tomorrow night the 14th of June. This will be held in the **Trade Training Centre** at **5:30pm**. This Information Night offers parents and students the opportunity to get any questions you might have answered and to have a thorough understanding about where your children will be going and what they will be doing. We look forward to seeing you there tomorrow!

**Emma Henry**  
**Acting Principal**

# ***Behaviour Management Policy Changes***

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Please be aware of the following changes to our behaviour management policy as of week 8:

- If a student is exited to a timeout room, a message will be sent to the student's parents to inform them of the student's behaviour.
- If a student is exited from the same class twice in a week, this will result in an automatic after school detention.

The following consequences remain in place:

- A lunch detention will follow for a student exited for the first or second time in a week (if they are not exited from the same class).
- An after school detention will follow for any student exited three times in a week.
- A suspension may follow for any student exited four or more times in a week.

Please contact the college office on 5352 4177 if you have any questions or concerns.

## ***Attendance***

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School attendance is important and we have included a brief overview of our requirements. Please contact the college office if you have any concerns with this process.

All students are expected to attend school every day and arrive at all scheduled lessons and activities on time. Rolls are marked electronically by all staff for each lesson of the day. Parents can monitor their attendance live via the Xuno parent portal.

Students are expected to remain in the college grounds during the school day, unless they have written permission from a parent or guardian to attend an appointment.

- **All** students must sign in or out via the General Office if they are late to school or need to leave early.
- Students **will not** be given permission to go down the street for the sole purpose of buying lunch.

**The Department of Education requires a valid reason be given to the school for ALL student absences.**

If your child is absent an SMS will be sent to your mobile phone asking for an explanation.

This can be given:

- via attendance notification in the parent portal
- via a return SMS
- via a phone call to the College
- via written note explaining an absence (blank notes are in the diary) on the day your child returns.

**“It’s Not Okay to Be Away”**

# Positive Behaviour Awards

This week we had our final assembly for the term. We were lucky enough to have Martha Haylett in attendance. Martha came to celebrate our recent government grant to upgrade our school facilities! She stayed to observe our assembly and witnessed the following students receive Positive Behaviour Awards.



**Stephanie Ibbeson**

**Stella McAdie**

**Lacey Farrington**

**Gorica Goranovic**

**Ryan McAdie**

**Marcus Jerram**

## Respect

ARCH Abigail	10B	FARRINGTON Eliza	10G	MCKINNIS Elizabeth	07B
BEAL Joshua	10B	FENN Cohan	10G	MCKINNON Ethan	100
BELCHER Patty	08R	FIEGERT Bella	12	MCKINNON Owen	07G
BILLET T Milly	11V	FITZPATRICK Peter	07R	MELLORS Wilh	07G
BIRTLES Talisha	11V	GIOVANNIELLO Leah	110	MOYLE Tamika	12
BOXER Alex	08G	HART Liana	08B	O'DONNELL Lilli	07G
BRADY Jake	11V	HULL Jye	08G	PURNELL Mary	08R
BRASSER Chace	07B	HUMPHRIES Zac	10B	REYNOLDS Oliver	08G
BREEN Caleb	07B	IBBESON Stephanie	07G	RICHARDS Rhiarna	110
BURGER Liam	10B	JOHNSTONE Charlotte	09B	ROBERTS Kaylee	08G
BURTON Jade	09G	JONES Bella	07B	ROBINSON Connor	100
CANE Tyra	08G	KEILAR Rhys	08G	ROSE Olympia	07B
CAVANAGH Arie	11V	KENNEDY Emma	08G	SARGENT Larni	08G
CLARK Ella	08G	KETTLE Tamsyn	10G	SOULE-SCHOTT Lithi	07B
CLARKE Victoria	09G	LATRONICO Bella	11V	STACEY Harry	08G
CLEARY Dylan	10B	LOW David	11V	STARICK Maxi	100
CLEARY Logan	10B	MACE Makayla	07G	TONER Patrick	100
COX Willow	10B	MACMILLAN Flynn	08G	TOWNSEND Alyssa	08G
CUSACK Lilly	11V			WOOLLEY Tyler	11R
DOWSETT Hannah	08G	MANGELSDORF	100	YLSTRA Hunter	08R
EUSTACE-BROCK Jacob	07R	MAXWELL Sevahn	110		
EVANS Ruby	110	MCADIE Ryan	100		

# Responsibility

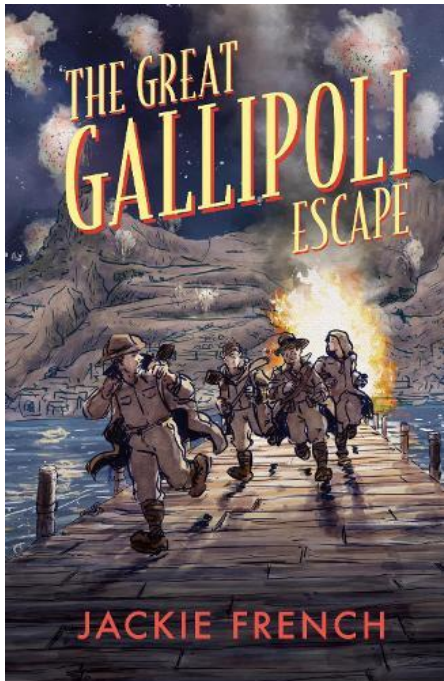
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ANDERSON Ryan	09B	FENN Cohan	10G	MONCRIEFF Jed	12V
ANDURKAR Harshita	09B	FENN Lainey	09B	MORRISON Tiffany	08R
BARRIE Connar	10B	FERGUSON Madison	10G	MORTON-COLEMAN	
BEAL Joshua	10B	FIEGERT Bella	12	Kate	08B
BELCHER Harry	10B	FITZPATRICK Josh	09B	MOYLE Tamika	12
BELCHER Patty	08R	FLAVELL Aiden	12	O'DONNELL Lilli	07G
BENSON Seb	09B	FORD Rilley	09G	PRIMMER Kodi	100
BILLETT Ruby	10B	GARDINER Mia	09B	PURNELL Mary	08R
BIRTLES Talisha	11V	GIOVANNIELLO Leah	110	PYKE Lilly	09G
BOXER Alex	08G	GORANOVIC Gorica	12	RAMSEY Arlie	100
BRADY Jake	11V			REYNOLDS Oliver	08G
BROWN Declan	08R	GRAHAM-	12	RICHARDS Rhiarna	110
BURTON Jade	09G	HART Liana	08B	RIDD Hayley	100
BURTON Jamie-Lee	09G	IBBESON Stephanie	07G	ROBERTS Kaylee	08G
CAMERON Holly	09B	JACKSON Lane	10G	ROBERTSON Charlotte	08B
CANE Tyra	08G	JERRAM Marcus	12	ROBINSON Connor	100
CAVANAGH Arie	11V	JOHNSON Mackenzie	08B	SARGENT Larni	08G
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CLARKE Victoria	09G	KENNEDY Emma	08G	SHANMUGALINGM	
CLEARY Dylan	10B	KETTLE Tamsyn	10G	Meenu	12
CLEARY Logan	10B	KNEALE Jordan	12	SHERWELL Miami	08R
COCKMAN Lily	10G	KRISS Isacc Benn	09B	SMITH Kassandra	09G
COLEMAN Chloe	10B	LATRONICO Bella	11V	STACEY Harry	08G
COOPER Jakobi	09G	LAVERY Emma	12	STARICK Maxi	100
CUSACK Lilly	11V	MACMILLAN Flynn	08G	TONER Patrick	100
DALTON Taylah	09B	MARR Jenae	12	TONER Poppy	08B
DAWSON Ellie	10B	MAXWELL Sevahn	110	TOWNSEND Alyssa	08G
DAWSON Molly	08B	MCADIE Max	07R	VANDERWAAL Ethan	09B
DAY Kieren	10B	MCADIE Ryan	100	WILSON Emilee	08B
DOWSETT Hannah	08G	MCKINNON Ethan	100	WILSON Xavier	07G
ETTLES Jacinta	10G	MCKINNON Owen	07G	WOODFINE Sienna	08G
EVANS Ruby	110	MELLORS Wilh	07G	WOOLLEY Tyler	11R
FARRINGTON Eliza	10G	MERRICK Acacia	08R	YLSTRA Hunter	08R
FARRINGTON Lacey	08R	MILL Braiden	12		

# Excellence

ANDERSON Ryan	09B	FITZPATRICK Josh	09B	MCKINNON Ethan	100
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CAMILLERI Liv	07G	JACKSON Lily	09G	RAMSEY Arlie	100
CANE Tyra	08G	JACKSON Ruby	07B	REID Lily	08R
CARTWRIGHT Tyson	110	JENKINS Billy	07B	RETI Taimana	08R
CAVANAGH Arie	11V	JOHNSON Mackenzie	08B	REYNOLDS Oliver	08G
CLARK Ella	08G	JOHNSTONE Charlotte	09B	RICHARDS Rhiarna	110
CLARKE Victoria	09G	JONES Ashlyn	110	RICHARDS Shontai	08R
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DEBONO Jayla	110	MACE Makayla	07G	SHERWELL Olivia	110
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These new novels both focus on the theme of war and are now available in the library,



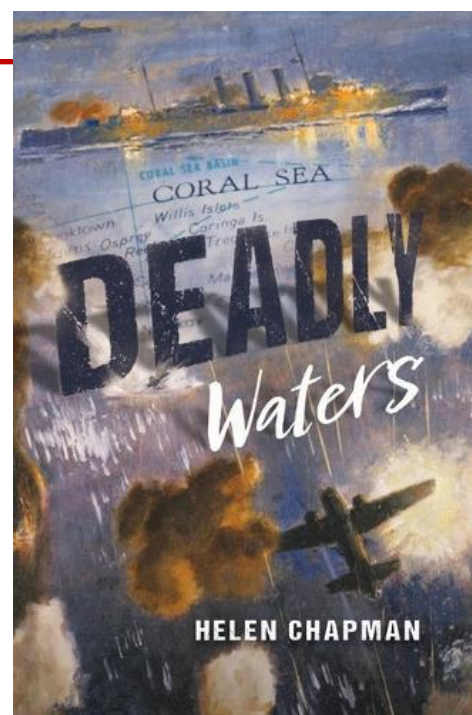
Renowned for her historical fiction titles, Jackie French now tells the story of the brilliant and famous evacuation of Gallipoli. Sixteen-year-old Nipper and his Gallipoli mates Lanky, Spud, Bluey and Wallaby Joe are starving, freezing and ill-equipped. By November 1915 they know that there is more to winning a war than courage. The Gallipoli campaign has been lost. Nipper has played cricket with the Turks in the opposing dugout, dodged rocket fire and rescued desperate and drowning men when the blizzard snow melted. He is one of the few trusted with the secret kept from even most of the officers: how an entire army will vanish from the Peninsula over three impeccably planned nights. Based on first-hand

accounts of those extraordinary last weeks of the Gallipoli campaign, this is the fascinating 'lost story' of how 150,000 men - and their horses and equipment - were secretly moved to waiting ships without a single life lost. An unforgettable story told through the eyes of a boy who lied about his age to defend his country.

'You could see the pilot as he came past, immobile, seconds to eternity.' As a teenager, Cliff dreams that one day he will play cricket for Australia, but when war comes he changes cricket whites for a navy uniform.

Leaving everything he knows behind, he faces new horrors every day, from exploding mines and submarine attacks to deliberate suicide attacks by kamikaze pilots, never knowing if he will see his sweetheart, Marie, again.

But amongst all the tragedy of war, Cliff finds something he never thought possible amidst all the fear and devastation ... hope.





# Combine training with on the job experience and get paid to learn



## APPRENTICE CARPENTER

### Full Time Opportunity

East Grampians Health Service is seeking applicants for an Apprentice Carpenter position to join our Maintenance team working across our Ararat and Willaura campuses.

The services provided include general maintenance and building for departments located on both sites.

An exciting opportunity exists for an enthusiastic person passionate about building and looking for a long term career as a Carpenter. This apprenticeship requires candidates to work and study up to 4 years in the workplace to develop highly sought after skills.

This qualification will provide the successful applicant with the underpinning knowledge and practical skills required to safely and effectively perform the entry level roles and responsibilities of a Carpenter.

You will be trained under the supervision of our Maintenance Coordinator in varied aspects of building and maintenance including opportunities to be involved in on site capital development projects.

East Grampians Health Service offer:

- A career start as a 1st year apprentice carpenter
- Pathway to trade qualification
- Salary packaging
- Excellent working conditions
- Release to attend trade school
- Ongoing support and development
- Great team environment

#### WHY ARARAT

- Ararat is the gateway to the Grampians and the Pyrenees
- Wineries, local boutique cafes and eateries
- Affordable living in a friendly rural environment
- Direct rail line to Ballarat and Melbourne
- Many sporting clubs: football, tennis, netball, basketball, dancing
- Outdoor activities: bushwalking, mountain biking, rock climbing, camping

#### POSITION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for the position must be able to demonstrate the following:

- self reliance, motivation and ability to work in a team
- a commitment of up to 4 years
- attendance at trade school
- ability to work a weekly schedule of 40 hours per week

#### TO APPLY

To apply for this position go to [www.eghs.net.au/employment](http://www.eghs.net.au/employment) and submit the following:

- Application letter
- Resume with 2 referees
- Document detailing responses to the selection criteria (see Position Description)

Closing date for applications:

**Thursday 22nd June 2023**

#### CONTACT DETAILS

Maintenance Coordinator

Bart James

**P:** (03) 5352 9350

**E:** [bart.james@eghs.net.au](mailto:bart.james@eghs.net.au)

For more information visit  
**[eghs.net.au](http://eghs.net.au)**



# Pathway To Success

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Congratulations on successfully getting a School Based Apprenticeship



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Carpentry  
with Andrew McDougall  
Building



Jaydah  
Hairdressing  
with The Stag

## Employers want **YOU**



Employers are very keen to take students for work experience in Plumbing, Childcare, Mechanics, Engineering & Hairdressing and sometimes offer a school-based apprenticeship or traineeship.

If this interests you HeadStart is at your school to help.

If you or your child would like to learn more about HeadStart, please contact Danielle 0427 316 423 or Andrew in Careers

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## Term 2 2023

	<b>Monday</b>	<b>12</b>	King's Birthday—Public Holiday
	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>13</b>	Pupil Free Day—Report Writing Day
	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>14</b>	Year 10 Snow Camp Information Session
	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>15</b>	GAT Exam
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>16</b>	
	<b>Monday</b>	<b>19</b>	
	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>20</b>	WASM Careers Expo
	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>21</b>	
	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>22</b>	
	<b>Friday</b>	<b>23</b>	Last Day of Term

### ***Camps Sports and Excursions Fund Reminder***

Ararat College would like to remind parents and families that the cut off for CSEF applications is the 23rd of June.

Eligible secondary school students can receive \$225 up to the age of 18 years to be used specifically for students to undertake Camps and Excursions. Payments will go directly to the school and be tied to the student.

#### **Who is eligible?**

- Families holding one or more of the eligible financially means test cards **OR** be a temporary foster parent

#### **Special Considerations**

- Families on a bridging visa, temporary protection visa, in community detention or are asylum seeker families
- Students in temporary out of home care arrangements, including statutory kinship care

If you feel you are eligible to receive the above payment and have not made a claim yet, please contact the college office and we will happily assist you.

### ***Food Bank***

In order to support families during these difficult times, small packs of groceries consisting of mainly dry goods and canned food, (fruit, casseroles, soups etc.) are now available to families 'on request' to the front office or the administrative team. Please do not hesitate to make contact if you require assistance, or if you know of a family who may benefit from a little extra help. Please be assured that all enquiries are treated with complete confidentiality.

We are deeply grateful to Foodbank Victoria for their support across our Government Schools during these 'unprecedented' times and encourage families to access resources if needed.