

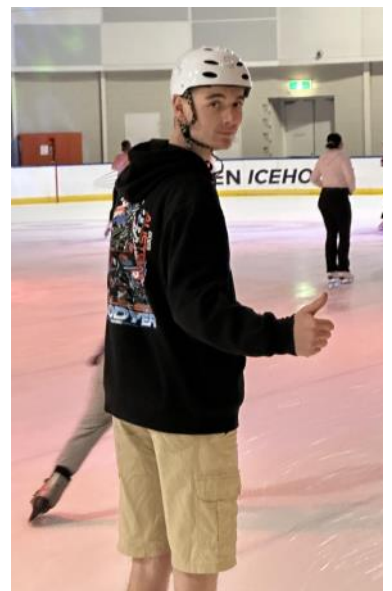


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Year 11 Camp – Melbourne

The Year 11's explored Melbourne last week on camp. The schedule was jam packed and we found ourselves hopping on and off trams to get around the city. Our adventures included; a tour of the William Angliss TAFE facility, ACMI exhibition, the LUME 'connections' exhibition, VIRI virtual reality escape rooms, a food challenge at the Vic Market, IMAX theatre, the 'Reach' foundation session, Ice skating and ARTVO. In amongst that we also got to do a spot of shopping and dining around the city. A massive thanks to all the students that attended, you gave everything a go and represented our school brilliantly. Thanks also to Penny and Aaron for accompanying me on the camp, your support of the students was amazing!

-Mrs Murnane



Principal's Report

Exams Finished

Our students can breathe a sigh of relief as they have now finished all of their exams! We are very proud of their hard work and dedication. Exams can be a busy time for students but our Year 10s, 11s and 12s handled themselves exceptionally well.

Step Up

Our 2024 Year 11 and 12 students began Step Up this week. This is an important program for our students as they prepare for next year. Step Up provides students with a head start to their studies next year and sets the tone for what they can expect classes to be like next year. It's been awesome to see students hit the ground running with some valuable lessons already.

New Office Staff– Caitlin Baird

This week we were excited to welcome Caitlin Baird to our team in the office in the Executive Assistant role. We are very excited to have Caitlin working with us. Make sure to say hello the next time that you're in the office. Brigitta has been inducting Caitlin into this role as she prepares for her commencement as a teacher at Ararat College in 2024!

Year 9 Camp is coming up

The Anglesea Camp is fast approaching. This is an exciting opportunity for our Year 9s to make lifelong memories together. Students will head off to Anglesea on the 6th of December and return on the 8th of December. They will have the opportunity to go bushwalking, cycling, surfing and swimming. The camp will be a fun and enjoyable way for the Year 9s to finish up their year.

Ellie McDougall

Principal

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WHY ATTENDANCE MATTERS



When you're child misses school they miss important opportunities to:



Learn



Build friendships



Develop life skills

Life Skills

This Week in Life skills Jacob Murphy and Caleb Breen learnt a little about Japanese Ramen.

Both boys worked hard to cook there ingredients and then when it was time they layered their noodles, broth, vegetables and Chicken.

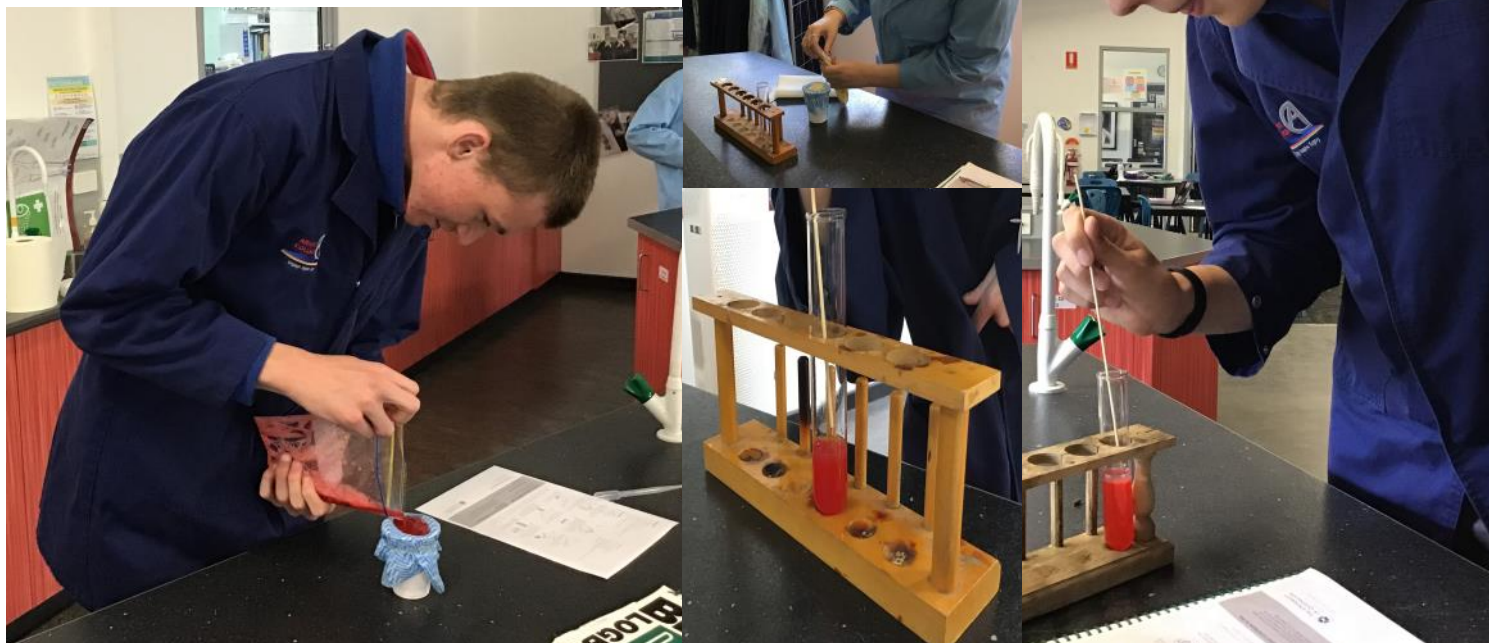
Was their first time having Ramen and both boys liked it and I had to have a taste myself and they did great.

Well done to Caleb Breen and Jacob Murphy for cooking Ramen for the first time.



Year 12 Step Up– Biology

Year 12 Biology StepUp students have commenced their Unit 3 studies exploring the structure of DNA and developing their Key Science Skills through extracting DNA from strawberries.



Term 4 2023

	Monday	27	2024 Step Up
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December		1	
	Monday	4	
		5	
		6	Year 9 Camp
		7	Year 7/8 Boy Soccer
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	Monday	11	
		12	Year 7 Transition Day
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		14	Activity Day Presentation Evening
		15	Activity Day

Gallery– Year 11 Camp

