

Principal: Rosina Fotia Assistant Principals: Isabella Phillips/Tim Wright

Issue: 12 Volume: 20

Date: December 2020

COLLEGE CALENDAR 2021

Wednesday 27th January

College Office open (from 10 a.m.)

Friday 29th January

Students commence school for 2021

Please Note: all dates and times are subject to change

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

What a year it has been! I couldn't be prouder of what the College community has achieved in challenging circumstances. We have shown our strength and resilience by choosing to move forward and face challenges rather than stand frozen and question why. Congratulations and thanks on a job well done to all members of our College community!

Learning Focus

The final few weeks of the school year have been a time for assessment and reflection on student growth in each subject area. Senior students have completed their final exams, Year 10 and 11 students have transitioned into their 2021 classes and students from Years 7-9 have undergone diagnostic testing in preparation for the 2021 school year. Student reports have been completed and awards presented to high achieving students across the College.

End of Year Awards

Congratulations to all award winners this year. Your achievements are outstanding and should instil a sense of pride for you and your supportive families.

HONOURS STUDENT: ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE:

Year 7 Honours Student: Milo Noy
Year 8 Honours Student: James Hoogenboom
Year 9 Honours Student: Laura Dangaard
Year 10 Honours Student: Bella Theophanous-Maddison
Year 11 Honours Student: Jonah Go



PRINCIPAL AWARD: EXEMPLIFIES COLLEGE VALUES:

Year 7: Alana Brincat
Year 8: Athena Rose Marana
Year 9: Milayna de Graaw, Gemma Giambalkaris
Year 10: Bella Theophanous-Maddison
Year 11: Maisie Hennessy

Absence Hotline: 9735 7040

Email: lilydale.heights.co@education.vic.gov.au

Visit: www.lilydaleheights.vic.edu.au

We are

eSmart
Smart. Safe. Responsible.

Principal's Report (continued)....

SPECIAL AWARDS:

Kwong Lee Dow Young Scholars Award:	Satinee Phetchana
ADF Long Tan Leadership Award:	Sarah Rice
ADF Future Innovators Award:	Bailey Griffiths

Valedictory Ceremony

Congratulations to the class of 2020 on the completion of their final year of secondary education. Celebrations were held on site this month and provided an opportunity to formally farewell and acknowledge the contributions of this unique set of individuals. We wish them every success as they leave the College and take their next steps towards adulthood and independence.

SUBJECT AWARDS:

VCAL Reading and Writing:	Thomas Mathers
VCAL Oracy:	Kailum Martin
VCAL Numeracy:	Tom Mathers
VCAL Personal Development:	Kailum Martin
VCAL Work Related Skills:	Tom Mathers
Outdoor and Environmental Studies:	Sophia Clune
Physical Education:	Polly Duff-Rankine
Health & Human Development:	Jonah Go
Business Management:	Abbey Rice
Product Design & Technology:	Leilani Zainor
Food Technology:	Natasha Elliott
Biology:	Lachlan Cottier
Chemistry:	Jonah Go
Physics:	Imilia Popa-Jeske
English – Mr Chapman:	Jacinta Richards
English – Ms Steeper:	Sophia Clune
Further Maths:	Jacinta Richards
Legal Studies:	Sinead Townsley
Maths Methods:	Sean Baeko
Psychology:	Abbey Rice
Studio Arts:	Megan Lees
Theatre Studies:	Jacinta Richards
Visual Communication:	Hannah Ray
Media:	Bianca Molloy



Student Leadership Awards:

Music Captain:	Will Hudson
Sustainability Captains:	Lachlan Cottier and Imy Popa-Jeske
College Prefect:	Samuel Dahmen
College Vice Captains:	Jonah Go and Maisie Hennessy
College Captains:	Lachlan Cottier, Eden Magee and Sinead Townsley

Sports Award:	Hannah Ray
10 Year Music Contribution Award:	Will Hudson
VCAL atEast Senior Award:	Jemma Wright
Australian Defence Force Long Tan Leadership & Teamwork Award:	Eden Magee
Future Innovators:	Imilia Popa-Jeske
Duke of Edinburgh Gold Award:	Eden Magee
Josh Matthews Award:	Kiera Harvey

Principal's Report (continued)....



Orientation Day

On December 8, we welcomed the incoming Year 7 cohort for their first day as Lilydale Heights College students. The students took the opportunity to meet their peers, familiarise themselves with the College environment and begin to make connections with staff. Welcome!

In closing, I would like to wish all our students, staff and their families a very restful and safe holiday period.

Stay well,



Rosina Fotia, Principal.

Return to School Dates:

A reminder that school resumes for students on Friday January 29.

The College office will be open from 10 a.m. on Wednesday January 27.

BUILDING WORKS – UPDATE AS OF 3/12/20

Next 2 weeks

Sports Pavilion

- complete floor coating
- commission power
- install partitions
- install sanitary hardware



Town Square

- electrical fit off
- continue decks
- continue storm water variation works
- sand blasting creation story
- asphalt reinstatement



S-HUB

- install glass
- continue service fit off
- Install solar
- Install sunshades
- continue wall linings
- power change over
- install H wing junction board

Past 2 weeks

Sports Pavilion

- complete sports floor and commence coating

Town Square

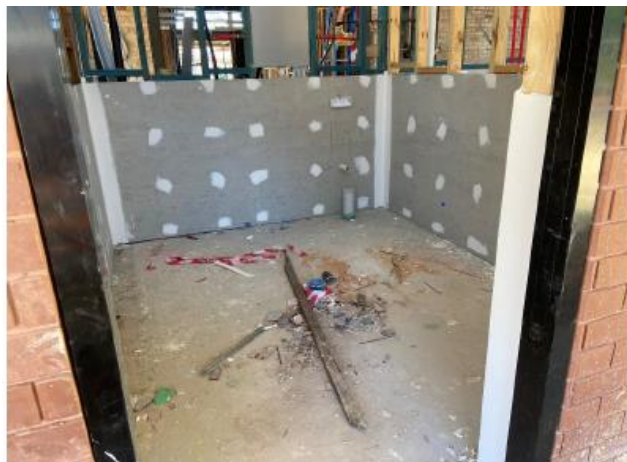
- commence pergolas
- continue decking

S-HUB

- install window frames
- sheet walls
- continue storm water works
- install and fit off switchboard



Building Works – Update as of 5/11/20 (continued)...



UNIFORM FOR 2021

Uniform can be purchased from PSW - please see uniform list below.

A reminder that as per the Lilydale Heights College Uniform Policy, facial piercings are **not** permitted. Hair colour is to be of a natural colour.

Leather/vegan leather lace-up school shoes or t-bars shoes are to be worn with the College uniform.

Years 7 and 8

Students in Years 7 and 8 are permitted to wear PE uniform on days that they have PE or Sport.



LILYDALE HEIGHTS
COLLEGE

Lilydale Heights College

Uniform Price List
Price as at: 05-10-2020

Unisex		Colour	Logo	Size	Price(\$)
1110402	S/S Polo Shirt -Stripe Collar & Armbands	White-Navy-Yellow	Embroidery	10/3XS-4XL	36.95
1101055	L/S Shirt - Stand Collar	White		10/3XS-16/S 18/M-3XL	25.95 27.95
1110255	V Neck Nylon Windcheater	Ink	Embroidery	10/3XS-2XL	42.95
1114040	Flat Front Flexiwaist Trouser	Ink	Embroidery	62-117	56.50
1113040	Flat Front Flexiwaist Short	Ink	Embroidery	62-117	46.00
Female		Colour	Logo	Size	Price(\$)
1118016	Summer Dress with Adjustable Back Tab	Navy/Royal/White/Gold Check - 8160		10G-22L	65.95
1104001	Box Pleat Skirt	500-Navy/Royal/White/Gold Check		10G-18G/12L 14L-20L	54.95 65.95
1111991	Ladies Expandable Tailored Pant	Ink	Embroidery	6L-22L	56.50
1111927	Ladies Tailored Shorts-Adjustable Waist	Ink	Embroidery	6L-22L	44.00
Sport		Colour	Logo	Size	Price(\$)
1111569	Stretch Microfibre Shorts	Ink	Embroidery	10/3XS-3XL	36.50
1111909	S/S Micromesh Polo with Contrast	Royal_Ink_Yellow	Embroidery	10/3XS-4XL	39.50
1112017	Stretch Microfibre Tracksuit Pants	Ink	Embroidery	10/3XS-2XL 3XL-3XL	51.95 52.95
1118432	Bonded Jacket-Contrast Chest	Ink-Royal-Yellow	Embroidery	10/3XS-4XL	84.95
Accessories		Colour	Logo	Size	Price(\$)
1106206	Custom Beanie With pom pom and Badge	Ink_Royal_Gold		ALL-ALL	14.50
8303200	College Backpack w Laptop Insert	Ink	Embroidery	ALL-ALL	62.00
1100593	Adjustable Mesh Bucket Hat - Contrast Pij	Royal_Yellow	Embroidery	XS-L-XL	15.00
1101919	Baseball Cap	Royal	Embroidery	ALL-ALL	15.50
2511050	Crew Socks - 3 pack	Navy		9-12-11-14	17.95
1110760	Cushion Foot Sports Socks - 3 Pack	White		9-12-11-14	17.95
2513050	Opaque Tights	Navy		MID-XTALL	9.96

MOBILE PHONES

In accordance with the Department of Education's *Mobile Phone Policy* issued by the Minister of Education, personal mobile phones **must not be used** at Lilydale Heights College during school hours. Students who choose to bring mobile phones to school must have them **switched off and securely stored during school hours. This includes before and after school.**



Wishing everyone a safe and restful holiday break.

Isabella Phillips – Assistant Principal.

CHALLENGING OUR BRONZE DUKE OF ED. STUDENTS – ASSESSMENT DAY

The students had very warm conditions to add to their challenges for the day, but they did not complain. Myself and the other staff were constantly impressed by their support of each other and their energy to complete and participate in the activities. They totally embraced the simulated hike situation, carrying their large hike packs around through the morning activities.

Students learned how to use a compass to find the direction of bearings, as well as use maps to navigate around the school searching for check points. Campcraft and practicing with the tents and cooking proved to be interesting to watch; each group cooked a different meal. I feel sure that the students would cope very well out in the bush in an overnight camp situation.

Along with these tasks, students shone through with their teamwork and their support and acceptance of each other to help them achieve their tasks throughout the day. Our Duke of Ed assessors made significant statements to let us know how impressed they were with the group's accomplishments; not only for today and their extending walk, but also for their resilience and determination to continue their individual sections of the Award throughout the lockdowns. Well done to all involved for achieving their Bronze Duke of Ed Award:-

Liam Weir, Jack McVay, Gemma Giambalkaris, Laura Dangaard, Milayna de Graauw, Katlin Ganya, Thomas Burgess, Edison McInnes, Kane Parkinson and Darcy Burke.

Clare Rayner – Duke of Ed Co-ordinator.



Challenging Our Bronze Duke of Ed. Students – Assessment Day (continued)....



CSEF 2021

If you applied for the CSEF at Lilydale Heights College in 2020 you do not need to complete an application form in 2021 unless there has been a change in your family circumstances. The school will automatically apply for the CSEF on your behalf.

You will only need to submit an application form in 2021 if any of the following changes have occurred:

- **new student enrolments:** your child has started or changed schools in 2021 or you did not apply at the same school in a previous year
- **changed family circumstances:** such as a change of custody, change of name, concession card number, or new siblings commencing at the school in 2021.

Schools are able to accept and process applications up until the end of Term 2 each year. CSEF payments are made to schools from March onwards each year. The payment is \$225 per year for eligible secondary school students. To be eligible, on the first day of Term 1 (28 January 2021) or the first day of Term 2 (19 April 2021), a parent or legal guardian of a student must be an eligible beneficiary of one of these cards:

- Centrelink Health Care Card
- Pensioner Concession Card
- Veterans Affairs Gold Card

OR they must be a temporary foster parent

Application forms are available at the General Office.

Lilydale Heights College would like to thank Bendigo Bank Mooroolbark Community Branch, for their support and sponsorship of the Duke of Edinburgh Program and our Automated External Defibrillator Device (AED).

Mooroolbark

Community Bank® Branch



Bendigo Bank

SILVER AND GOLD DUKE OF ED GROUP TRAINING

It was a special day on Friday 4th December - it was the first time all year for our current Silver and Gold groups to meet and complete some training. Despite not being able to go on a hike experience out of school we had an excellent, full on day. The students worked through a range of problem solving and initiative tasks. It was great to hear the ideas suggested by the students and especially the way they meticulously worked through the tasks. They also extended their navigation experiences, not only following maps but also developing their confidence with compass bearings.

As the afternoon continued, the students cooked on the Trangia, completed camp-craft activities and were tasked with solving some first aid scenarios. It was really good to work with the students again and I look forward to our three and four day hike experiences next term.

Well done to all Duke of Ed students – keep logging your hours!

Clare Rayner – Duke of Ed. Co-ordinator.



COMMUNITY OUTREACH WEEK – HIGH TEA

I'm so proud of this amazing group of Year 9 students, who, during Community Outreach Week, planned and prepared a gold and pink Christmas themed high tea. We were forced outside due to COVID and the students did so well to establish a beautiful outdoor space. Well done everyone. Thanks as always, to Anne too.

Sharon Francis – Foods Department.



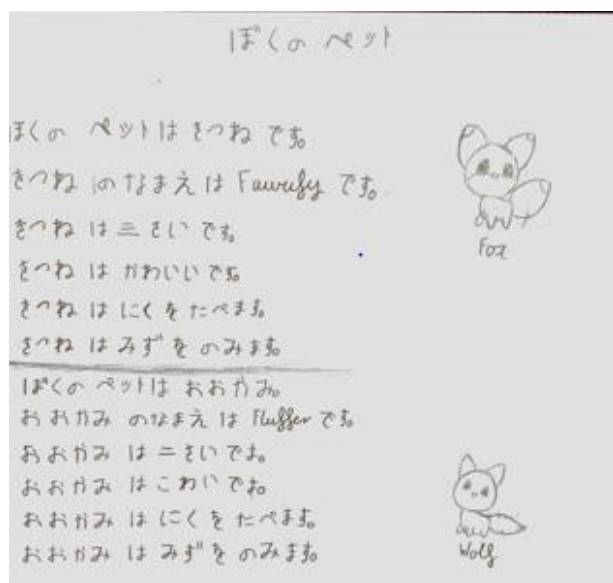
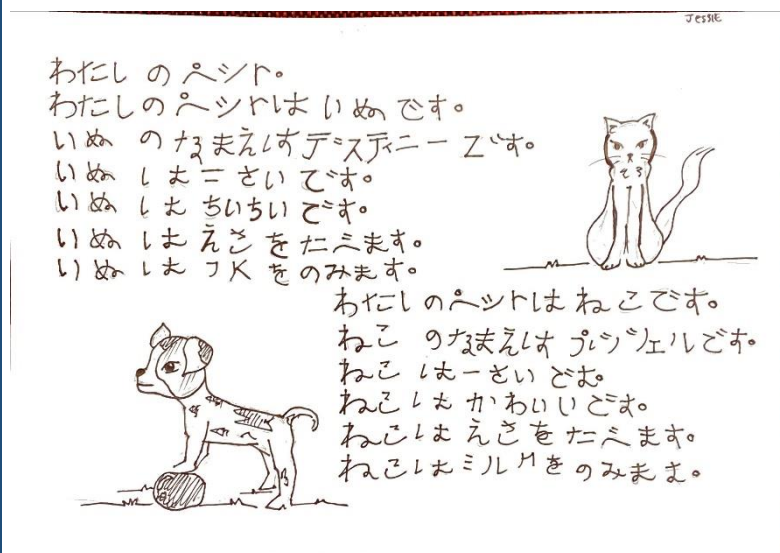
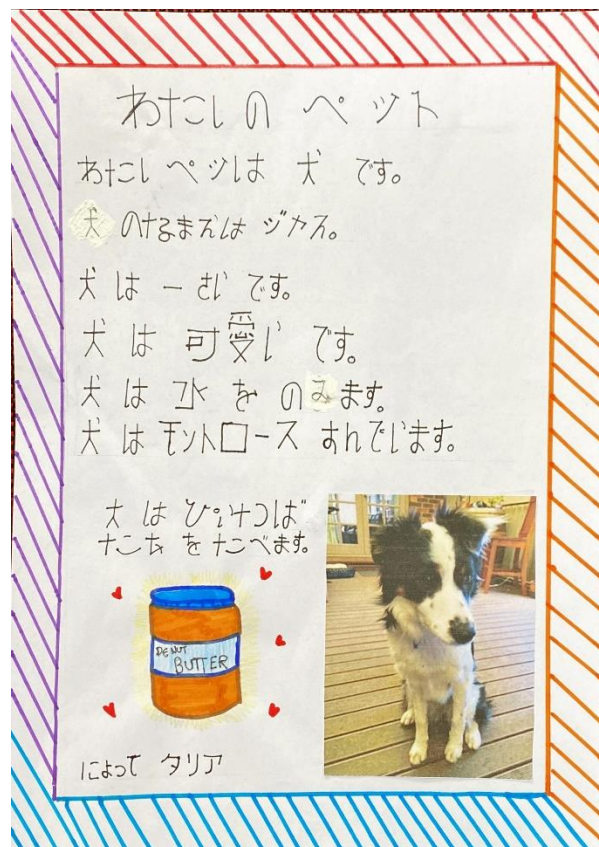
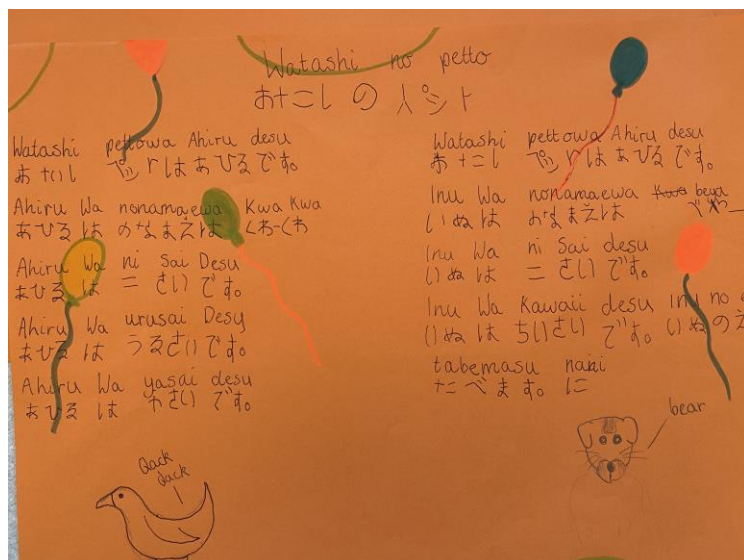
YEAR 7 JAPANESE PET POSTERS

Year 7 students have completed a unit on Pets this term in Japanese. They have been discussing what pets they have, described them using adjectives and explained what their pets eat and drink. Students also learned about pets in Japan, including Pet Cafes and the types of pets that are popular.

In their final assessment, we created a poster in Japanese where students wrote about their pets. Check out some of fantastic work they have done! Ask your Year 7 child to show you their poster!

Arigatou Gozaimasu,


Japanese Team: Evans Sensei, Takahashi-Chan Sensei, Pezzimenti Sensei and Phillips Sensei




わたしのペット

わたしのペットはうまです。
 うまのなまえはChisakoです。
 うまは二さいです。
 うまはおもしろくてはわいんです。
 うまはくさをたべます。
 うまはみずをのみます。
 うまはHealesvilleにすんでいます。

*(English)
Chisako
Hillman*





わたしのペットはいぬです。
 いぬのなまえはGypsyです。
 いぬは一さいです。
 いぬはうるさいくて
 かわいんです。
 いぬはえさをたべます。
 いぬはみずをのみます。
 いぬはMooroolbarkにすんでいます。


*(English)
Gypsy
Wan Wan*

Alana Brincat 7B

ぼくのペット

ぼくのペットはねこです。
 ねこのなまえはジョージです。
 ねこは一さいです。
 ねこはちいさくてすばらしいです。
 ねこはえさをたべます。
 ねこはみずをのみます。
 ねこはうちにすんでいます。

*(English)
George
Hillman*



*(English)
George
Hillman*

ぼくのペットはしゅぶんせんです。
 しゅぶんせんのなまえはしです。
 しゅぶんせんは一さいです。
 しゅぶんせんはおもしろくてちいさいです。
 しゅぶんせんはえさをたべます。
 しゅぶんせんはみずをのみます。
 しゅぶんせんはうちにすんでいます。

*(English)
Shibun
Hillman*

*(English)
Shibun
Hillman*

ぼくのペットはねこです。
 ねこのなまえはミミです。
 ねこは三さいです。
 ねこはかわいくてうるさい。
 ねこはとりをたべます。
 ねこはみずをのみます。
 ねこはとうとうにすんでいます。


*(English)
Mimi
Hillman*


Arasukea

わたしのペット

わたしのペットはいぬです。
 いぬのなまえはルービです。
 いぬは九さいです。
 いぬはかわいくてちいさいです。
 いぬはいぬのえさをたべます。
 いぬはみずをたべます。
 いぬはメルボルンにすんでいます。

*(English)
Ruby
Hillman*






わたしのペットはねこです。
 ねこのなまえはミリーです。
 ねこは二さいです。
 ねこはおもしろくてかわいいです。
 ねこはえさをたべます。
 ねこはみずをのみます。
 ねこはメルボルンにすんでいます。

*(English)
Milly
Hillman*

わたしのペットはとりです。
 とりのなまえはスカイです。
 とりは三さいです。
 とりはちいさくてうるさいです。
 とりはえさをたべます。
 とりはみずをのみます。
 とりはメルボルンにすんでいます。


*(English)
Sky
Hillman*




わたしのペット

わたしのペットはうまです。
 うまのなまえはちびこです。
 うまは二さいです。
 うまはちいさいです。
 うまはくさをたべます。
 うまはみずをのみます。
 うまはメルボルンにすんでいます。

*(English)
Chibi
Hillman*





わたしのペットはうまです。
 うまのなまえはちびこです。
 うまは二さいです。
 うまはおもしろいです。
 うまはくさをたべます。
 うまはみずをのみます。
 うまはメルボルンにすんでいます。

*(English)
Chibi
Hillman*

Alma K

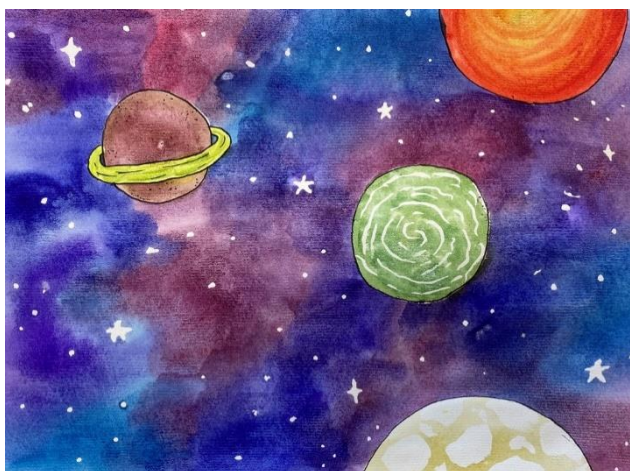
VOICE OF 8

The Year 8 cohort finished their official classes by participating in the Voice of 8 Program. This year teachers offered a diverse range of activities; game making, creative writing, nutrition, surviving in the outdoors, water colour and music. Students selected one of the activities and worked in conjunction with the teacher/s to design the curriculum for the day.

There was a great buzz in and out of the classrooms during the day and students worked really well to develop and expand their skills. Representatives from each group presented a 'snapshot' of their learning to the Year 7 and 8 students in the Performing Arts Centre to conclude the excellent program.

Thank you to the teachers who offered to run sessions for the entire day; Mr Turner, Mr Ng, Mr McKenzie, Mr Smith, Mrs Francis, Ms Boyle, Mrs Morley and Ms Scobie.

Mr Ng, Mr Denny and Mrs Sargeant.

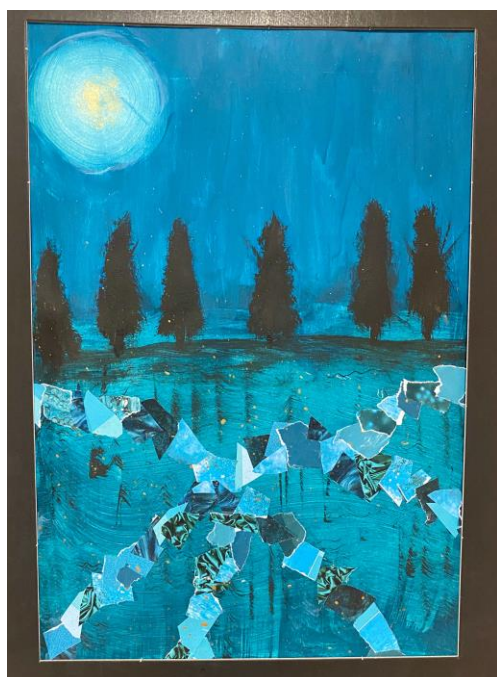


Voice of 8 (continued)....



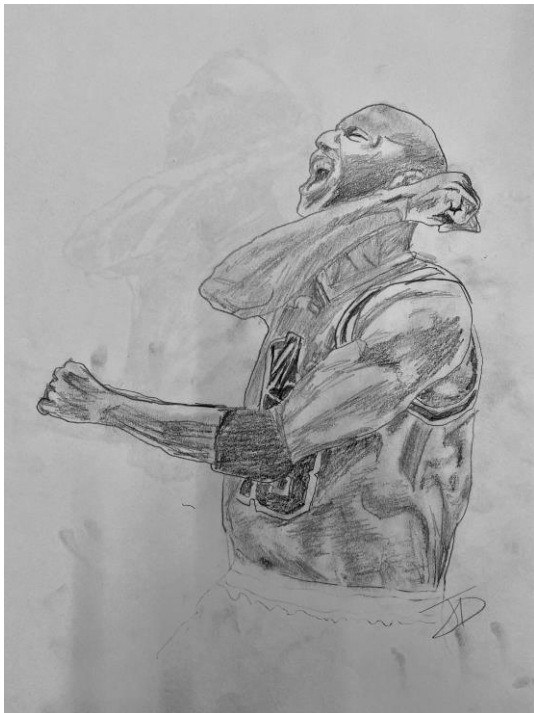
STUDENT ART WORK

Year 7



Student Art Work (continued)....

Year 7



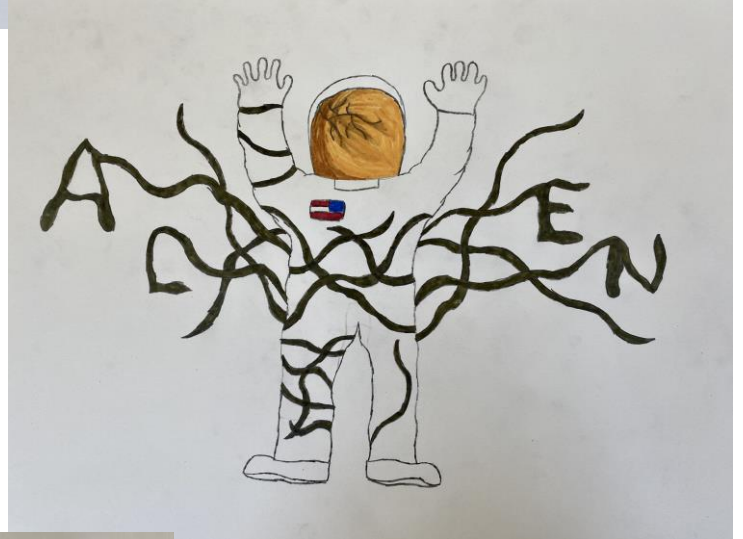
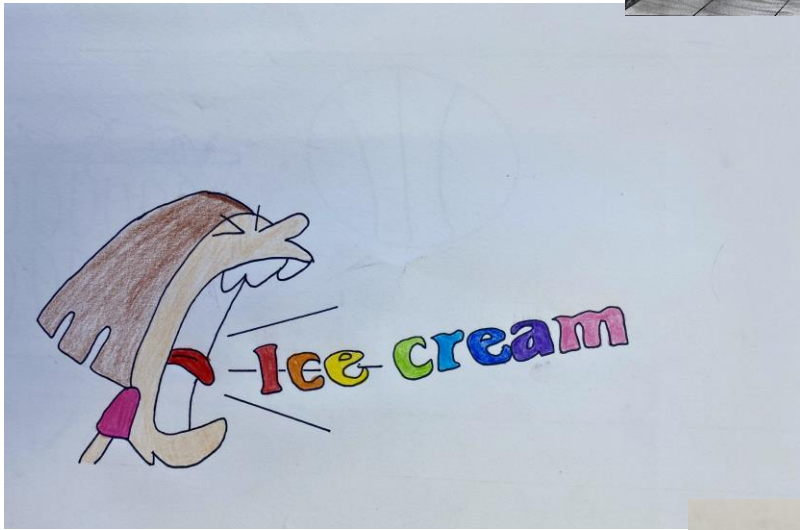
Student Art Work (continued)....

Year 7



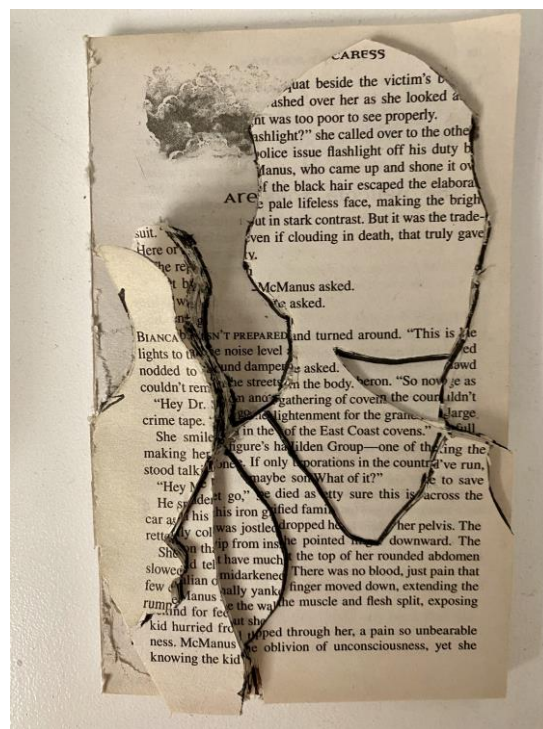
Student Art Work (continued)....

Year 8 VCD



Student Art Work (continued)...

Middle School Studio Art



Student Art Work (continued)....

Middle School Studio Art



ConnectUs.



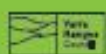
We all want our children to
be at their best.

ConnectUs is an anonymous service finder website
for young people aged 10-25 in the outer east.

Use this site to find local people and supports to
boost physical and mental health, build skills and
connect with groups and activities for your child.

You're not alone. ConnectUs can connect you.

Help your child be at **their best.**



► connectus.serviceseeker.com.au



ConnectUs.

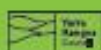
Connecting young people to the right local services and supports, at the right time.

ConnectUs is a comprehensive service finder website for young people aged 10-25 in the outer east.

Listings include services and supports to strengthen physical and mental health, build skills and connect with groups and activities.

Be sure to register your details so ConnectUs can connect young people to you.

Bringing supports for **young people** together.



► connectus.serviceseeker.com.au



ConnectUs.

Connecting you to local people to find your **best you.**

Want to find your **best you?**

Try ConnectUs, an anonymous service finder website for people aged 10-25 in the outer east.

Use this site to find local people and supports to boost your social, emotional and mental health, build your skills and connect with groups and activities.

You're not alone.

ConnectUs can connect you.

Find your **best you.**



► connectus.serviceseeker.com.au



COMMUNITY NOTICES & ADVERTISEMENTS

Please Note: Such publications do not imply College endorsement of the product or service.



LILYDALE HEIGHTS
COLLEGE

COME AND PLAY LILYDALE MONTROSE UNITED



EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION

\$75 | **ALL JUNIORS** | **2021**

includes uniform and registration



[lilydalemontrose.football](http://www.lilydalemontrose.football)

LILYDALE MONTROSE UNITED FOOTBALL

For the next season in 2021, we are offering complete season fees including uniform to juniors for only \$75. This is possible by partnering with local businesses to achieve heavily discounted fees.

We are a soccer club in Montrose run by volunteers that has a long history providing junior teams in Football Victoria leagues. All coaches/managers have working with children checks and following the regulations set by Football Victoria.

We have members from the age of 2 through to 80. Offering junior teams in almost every age group, with dedicated girls' teams from U10's and older. More information can be found on our website at <http://www.lilydalemontrose.football>

Feeling Safe: For Secondary School Students

Get the facts

This fact sheet has been designed to give you the facts about child abuse. It includes advice on what to do if you have been abused, are being abused, or are at risk of being abused. This fact sheet also provides you with advice if you know someone who has been abused, or is at risk of being abused.



What are your rights?

- Everyone has the right to feel safe and be protected from abuse.
- No one is allowed to threaten you, hurt you, or touch you in a way that makes you feel uncomfortable, unsafe or afraid.
- This includes all adults, other teenagers and children – it includes everyone from family members, coaches, teachers, to friends and strangers.
- Every relationship should be respectful.
- No one should ever involve you in sexual activity without your consent, and no one should behave in a way that makes you feel unsafe or afraid.
- You don't have to deal with abuse on your own. Talk to a trusted adult. Teachers and other adults at your school can support you to get help.

What is child abuse?

- Child abuse includes physical abuse, sexual abuse, emotional or psychological harm, neglect, and family violence.
- Child abuse can also include grooming. This is behaviour where an adult tries to establish a relationship or other emotional connection with a child, to prepare them for a sexual relationship.
- Child abuse does not have to involve physical contact or force. It can include:
 - controlling a child through threats
 - exposing a child to sexual material and sexual acts
 - exposing a child to family violence.
- Child abuse can be perpetrated by any member of a community or a family member. Abuse can impact anyone and it is never the victim's fault.

For more information on sexual abuse and sexual assault visit Youth Central:
<http://www.youthcentral.vic.gov.au/know-your-rights/sexual-assault>.

What should I do if I have been abused or I feel unsafe?

- You should talk to an adult you trust.
- If you have been abused, or feel unsafe or threatened in any way you don't have to deal with this on your own.
- Abuse is never your fault and you should tell a trusted adult so you can get the help and support you need to feel safe and protected. Talking to someone won't get you in trouble.
- You can tell a teacher or any adult at your school. They will be able to help you.

What should I do if I think someone I know has been abused or is unsafe?

- You should talk to an adult you trust. Any staff member at your school will be able to help.
- You can also help your friend by encouraging them to tell a trusted adult.

What if my friend doesn't want to tell an adult?

- You should still tell an adult you trust on your friend's behalf.
- Even if your friend has specifically asked you not to tell an adult, you still should. It is more important to make sure that your friend is helped and feels protected.

What will happen if I tell an adult at the school that I feel unsafe, or that I know someone who is unsafe?

- You will be helped.
- Teachers and other adults at your school must listen to your concerns and help you.
- The information will not be shared with the person who is making you feel unsafe.
- Information will only be shared with people who can support and protect you.
- In some cases the people helping you are required by law to tell the police, the Department of Health and Human Services' Child Protection services and/or your family to prevent any further abuse, or risk of abuse.

What if I don't feel like I can talk to anyone at my school?

- You should still find a trusted adult to talk to.
- Abuse or feeling uncomfortable is too big to deal with on your own.

There are many people who can support you to feel safe and protected. You can:

- contact eHeadspace for advice online visit: www.eheadspace.org.au/ **Call 1800 650 890**
- contact KidsHelp Line: <https://kidshelpline.com.au/teens/> (24 hour web chat) **Call 1800 55 1800**
- Call or visit your local police station or call 000.
- Talk to your doctor, psychologist, social worker, welfare officer, or another trusted adult.

