

The VINE

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From the Principal

Dear Friends,

Not surprisingly, this introduction will focus some attention on the 2019 graduating class. We are so impressed by these delightful few weeks of Term 4 that have included Soirées, VCE Unit 4 Drama performances, Unit 4 VCD Exhibition and Unit 4 Music Performances. I congratulate our students and staff involved in these events. This editorial follows on from the Year 12 Valedictory Dinner and final assembly where students featured in music, readings, speeches and prayers. All of this was capped by another action-packed and enjoyable final day of a concert, celebrations and sports events as our students made the most of lovely weather.

To the obviously close knit group of students, I simply say it has been a privilege as we honour your commitments to completing the year and preparation for the examinations. Congratulations. We commit you to God's absolute generosity of grace and pray that you will complete a delightful year and move into new experiences next year with great confidence.

Our Junior School has also been very active in sports, performances and Soirées well attended by family and friends. The Years 5 and 6 Market Day raised in excess of \$2,500 for Amari, which is an outstanding result. Congratulations to these students on a remarkable effort.

In recent weeks, our community has contributed shoebox gifts to Operation Christmas Child under the guiding verses of Psalm 1. Heavily paraphrased, they read; *Happy are those who delight in the Lord; they are like trees planted by streams of water which yield their fruit in season.* Thank you to families who contributed so generously to this project so that others less fortunate may share a sense of Christmas. Hundreds of shoeboxes were donated which is a great effort. Congratulations to everyone who contributed.

Meanwhile, our new buildings plan has been submitted to Council for planning approval. This exciting project will replace all relocatable buildings and set aside distinct locations for the Junior and Middle Schools. We know that students will have to accommodate a change to their daily routines while the building project is under way, but I am sure the end result will make up for all that has to be endured in the short term. Your prayers over this entire project would be greatly appreciated, especially for planning approval, financial planning and safety as the building phase gets under way. Our plans have been previously posted in the Parent Portal of the College website.

Warm regards
Douglas Peck



"I am the vine; you are the branches". John 15:5a

Devotion

Bittersweet

Bittersweet: containing a mixture of sadness and happiness.

It has come to the time of year when Year 12s begin to say farewell to high school and close a chapter in their lives.

For us, there is a mix of emotions right now; excitement, nervousness, even anticipation. However, the overriding emotion for most Year 12s is a bittersweet feeling. With many final events taking place, there is a realisation that the end is drawing near. Soon everything we are accustomed to will change and a new chapter will begin.

Finishing high school allows for new opportunities and experiences, as well as the prospect of having more freedom and choice in exactly what we would like to do with our lives. This is really exciting and something to look forward to, although finishing school also leaves behind opportunities, like seeing friends five days a week, having teachers who deeply care for us, and being in a safe, secure place where you know so many people. The thought of all these things soon becoming a thing of the past, leaves feelings of sadness.

Endings are hard. Saying goodbye to something that has been part of your life for a long time, along with many strong connections, is no easy task. With so many memories and experiences along the way, it feels strange to say farewell and move towards the exam period. This, for me, has led to a strong bittersweet feeling throughout the last few weeks. The celebrations of finishing school are fun and exciting, but there's also a looming feeling that once all the events are finished, school is done. Forever. Exams will come and go, and many of us will go our separate ways towards new, exciting prospects and experiences. It is truly a bittersweet time.

The bittersweet feeling has led me to think of how Jesus must have felt knowing He was going to be crucified on the cross, to redeem the world from sin. While leaving school cannot even begin to measure

up to Jesus' experience, I can see some connections in what the Year 12s are currently facing.

In Matthew 26:36–46 it tells us of Jesus praying to God in the garden of Gethsemane before he was to be crucified on the cross. In chapter 39, Jesus begins to pray, *My Father! If it is possible, let this cup of suffering be taken away from me. Yet I want Your Will to be done, not mine.* Here we can see Jesus experiencing a real time of distress and sadness, asking God if there is any other way that doesn't have to be such a challenge. In that time, I can imagine Jesus would be feeling bittersweet. He knows that dying on the cross brings about a positive outcome for the world and it is what the Lord has planned for Him. However, He also knows that what He is about to experience is going to be painful, leading Him to feel a mix of happiness and acceptance, along with feelings of sadness.

It is evident through Jesus' experience that although bittersweet endings can be challenging to navigate, God uses them for new beginnings, a fresh chapter in life.

Although the end of this chapter may bring about many mixed emotions, it is important for us to remember that God is with us. Take heart in Jesus and His experience, though He endured the ultimate trial and experienced a range of emotions, God had a plan for Him, and I believe He has a plan for every Year 12 student as well.

As we finish our high school journey and step out to the unknown, one thing is certain; He is there through it all and promises that even though one chapter ends, there is a new chapter to embark on. We just need to trust Him and seek His Will, just as Jesus did.

Proverbs 3:6 *Seek His Will in all you do, and He will show you which path to take.*

Georgia Gellert (12.7)
Student Leader, Class 2019



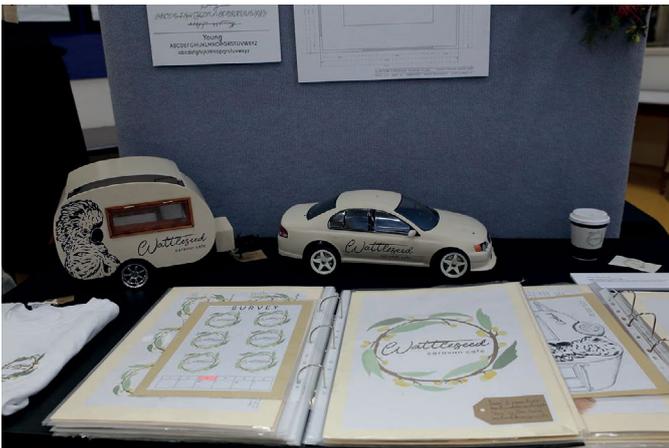
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Proverbs 3:6

Senior School

Thank you to those who attended the Year 9 into 10 Subject Selection Evening. Choosing Year 10 subjects, and perhaps the first VCE subject for students desiring to fast track, can be complex and challenging. We appreciate the opportunity to demystify the choices and provide assistance as students are promoted from Middle Years. A hearty thank you to our speakers for the night, Principal Dr Peck, Careers Coordinator Mrs Sien, Year 11 Coordinator Mrs Doblin, together with many others who ensured the evening was a great success.

The first week back also featured some excellent displays, of both fine and performing arts. Early Friday evening the VCE Visual Arts Exhibition was held in the Senior Art Building. Individual artworks and detailed folios of design showcased the talents of our VCE Art and Visual Communication Design students. The student-written commentaries on individual pieces provided insight into the inspiration and intent of the items and revealed the talents of the person who created the artwork. Well done to Mrs Liney, Mr Knee and the Art Faculty for helping students to achieve such high standards.



One sample of the high calibre work produced by our students

Simultaneously, Unit 3/4 Drama students were adding the final refinements to their solo performances, to be displayed later in the evening to a large audience in the BPAC. We were privileged to witness the penultimate delivery of each seven minute piece, based on a character and performance focus, a key dramatic element and other criteria.



Each act was an intense collage of characters played by a lone individual on stage, which represented the culmination of months of drafting, scripting, editing and refining under the talented leadership of Miss Hogan.

Excitement continued to mount in the second week of term with two Junior and two Senior Soirees resounding in the BPAC. Over 100 performers played a plethora of instruments, with a range of classical and contemporary musical items. Ivories were tickled, brass was sounded and percussion was struck as tunes from Ravel, Neil Diamond, Mozart and Stevie Wonder reverberated through the auditorium. Congratulations to all who played and took part, whether for the first time or the last. Music is an amazing gift from God and it was delightful to hear it played so well and enjoyed by so many.

The highly awaited Valedictory Dinner was held at Bramleigh Estate in Warrandyte on Friday 18 October. The splendid views were complemented by top quality food, excellent entertainment and superb company. Guests were welcomed in a variety of languages by **Mandy Cheng (12.8)**, **Caleb Sang (12.8)**, **Sema Akan (12.10)**, **Larry Li (12.9)** and **Zachary Steer (12.10)**. **Brittany Jacinto-Garcia (12.8)** performed an original piece she penned especially for the evening, a septet of students and teachers delivered an extended mix of *Yesterday*, **Isaac Lantry (12.7)** moved the crowd with *My Way*, and our Music Captains **Chloe Sansom (12.8)** and **Hina Sasuga (12.10)** performed *Graduation Medley*. For more photos of the night, turn to page 8.



The valediction concluded with the entire crowd singing along to *No Longer Slaves*, a song penned by Jonathan and Melissa Helser, which recounts God's love for His children by opening up the Red Sea to allow escape from the Egyptians, compared to the same endless love He has for each of us. We read of the amazing breadth of God's love in numerous places in the Bible, including John 1:12 where He adopts us as His own, *Yet to all who did receive Him, to those who believed in His name, He gave the right to become children of God.* This is our sincere desire for our Year 12 students as they leave school to travel the unique journeys that God has prepared for them. At Oxley Christian College, we know we have been truly blessed to walk part of this road with each student in the cohort of 2019.

Greg Barker
Deputy Principal – Head of Senior School

Junior School

At the time of writing, we have enjoyed the exciting celebrations that mark Year 12 Final Day. Starting with the whole school gathering to be entertained by Senior students and staff, we have laughed, clapped and cheered with all our might! Junior students also found joy in riding on the Wild Chairs and Hurricane (too scary for me!) and clambering over the jumping castle and slide. We pray a blessing over our Year 12 students as they now prepare for their examinations and the future that lies before them.

With summer fast approaching, becoming water wise is a vital skill. Our Prep – Year 2 students relished their swimming lessons last week at Kingswim, working hard on stroke development and building confidence in the water. Thanks to our staff and parent volunteers who assisted with this invaluable program.

We have enjoyed welcoming our Prep 2020 students to the 'Step into Prep' Transition sessions, which assist preschoolers to make a successful transition to the school environment. It is exciting that, with the increase to three Prep classes next year, we have more wonderful students joining our learning community. During these sessions, students meet our staff, participate in activities in the Prep classrooms and meet future classmates. We look forward to meeting Prep 2020 parents at our Prep Information Evening, Thursday 7 November, commencing at 7.00pm in the Staff Room.

Prep – Year 2 students have been busily and enthusiastically preparing for the Athletics event to be held on the main oval on Friday 25 October from 9.00am. It is always a delight to see the eagerness of each student to compete and earn points for their house. We look forward to welcoming parents to cheer and encourage all participants.

As the end of the year approaches, we also move into our assessment and reporting period. It brings us such pride and joy to celebrate the unique learning journey of every student at Oxley. We also look forward to celebrations such as the Prep Nativity, Year 6 Graduation, Final Junior Assembly and the Parent Volunteers Morning Tea. We will enjoy warmly welcoming our parent community to these functions. Please see the calendar in The Vine for key dates and place these in your diary!

Student Free Days – Just a reminder that Monday 4 and Tuesday 5 November (Melbourne Cup Day) are student free days. We trust that all families will enjoy this mid-term break. In addition, Friday 22 (Correction Day) and Monday 25 November (Report Writing Day) are also student free days. Parents will need to organise alternate care for their children on student free days.

Your love has given me great joy and encouragement, because you, brother, have refreshed the hearts of the Lord's people. Philemon 1:7

Sharee Gaiser
Head of Junior School

What Did You Do at School Today?

Prep

This term, we are learning about Living Things and what they need to stay healthy and alive. On Thursday 10 October, we went on an excursion to Healesville Sanctuary. It was exciting to take a bus ride and we enjoyed participating in the Aussie Animal Adventures program. During our adventure, we learnt about the Australian animals that make our country unique and discovered how to become a wildlife hero who helps save wildlife. In small groups, we explored the Sanctuary, experiencing Aboriginal culture, close up encounters with animals and feature shows.



Year 1

What a week of swimming! It was tricky to put on our stretchy blue caps, but we had lots of fun extending our swimming skills with our friends. We are looking forward to Grandparent's Day on Thursday 21 November, where we will host a special Chapel service at LMC from 1.30pm and enjoy afternoon tea together. We created a survey to interview a grandparent about life when they were a child. It's been interesting how lifestyles have changed over time.

Years 2 and 3

Wow! We had an INCREDIBLE start to Term 4! Last Thursday, we had the opportunity to participate in a late night experience at the Enviro Barn. There was an amazing range of activities for us to take part in, including planting native seedlings, a scavenger hunt, making damper with Mrs Gaschk, landscape drawing and an Australian animal incursion.

During our incursion, we held snakes, lizards, frogs and a baby wallaby. Being up close and personal with a range of amazing animals reminded us of the beauty of God's creation. Each animal is unique and purposefully designed. The black headed python was one of our favourite animals to see and touch. Our presenter, Kate, told us it weighed over 15 kilograms! That's heavy!

After a delicious feast of hamburgers and ice-cream, students had a sing-a-long around the camp fire with Mr Kunst and toasted marshmallows. Yum! We all had a wonderful evening building friendships and engaging in new learning experiences!



Students enjoying the activities at the Year 2 and 3 Late Night

Year 4

Did you know that a eucalypt is a fast-growing evergreen tree that is valued for its timber, oil, gum and resin? Year 4 has been investigating the properties of eucalypt trees and have discovered that gum nuts are actually fruit that contain seeds. As scientists, we have closely studied eucalypts in our playground, identifying and comparing their observable features. We cannot wait to go on our excursion to the Royal Botanic Gardens.

Year 5

It has been an amazing fortnight of learning. Our Multi Genre Writing Project is a wonderful celebration of our learning in writing this year. Our narratives include outstanding descriptions of setting and characters, as well as exciting plot twists and turns. We are so excited to publish and share our writing with our family

and friends later this year. In Christian Studies, we are learning about the Holy Spirit and how He leads us to live the life God planned. The Junior School Market Day was an amazing celebration of spreading God's love in our school community, while raising much needed funds for Amari. Whether we ran a stall or shopped, we all contributed. We were so thrilled to begin our leadership training with Mrs Gaiser, as we look forward to Year 6 with anticipation.

Year 6

Wow, we have had an exciting week! In English, we have been working hard on publishing our narratives for our Multi Genre Writing Projects. We cannot wait to present our brilliant work to our families! We have learnt so much in Maths. We know all about 3D shapes, their faces, vertices and edges. CAUTION! We have geniuses in the making! In Science, we geniuses are learning all about electricity and how to create a full circuit with a light bulb, two wires and a battery. We will never forget the amazing time we shared with the Year 12 students on their final day at school. We enjoyed watching the Year 12 Final Assembly and going on the hair-raising rides that shook us to the bone. Good luck for your exams Year 12!

by Sienna Dyason (6K) and Gabriella Swyny (6K)

Junior School Market Day

Market Day was a great success and we enjoyed supporting Amari through this project initiated by the Student Forum. It was so exciting to see people buying things, eating food, selling items and working together to share the love of God. The food was scrumdiddlyumptious, the artwork was breathtaking and the games were enjoyable. Some people went crazy over scrunchies and others over slime.

We want to thank everybody for their support and contribution to the day. Knowing we did this for a good cause made it worthwhile.

by Shiloh, Charlotte and James of the Student Forum



Radha and Enya



Elijah, Blake and James

- Monday 25 November due to Report Writing Day. Banking will resume on Monday 2 December.

Any wallets and money received on any other day will be sent home according to Commonwealth Bank Policy. Please note, the final day of banking for 2019 is Monday 2 December.

Year 8 Geography Excursion to Kinglake and Marysville

On Friday 11 October, students stepped outside the classroom to experience the mountain environment of Kinglake. Students could smell, hear and taste the sounds and life of the mountain and enjoyed sketching and collecting information on how the mountain has healed after the devastating fires of 2009.

We were very grateful for favourable weather on the day for being able to enjoy each other's company. We thank God for His awesome creation and His call for us to be responsible stewards of this creation.

We are looking forward to continuing our out-of-class teaching and learning experiences in the future

Rufane Smith
Geography Teacher



Subomi being served by Miranda



Elena, Abby and Anna



Regeneration of the forest

School Banking



A reminder that there will be no banking on the following days:

- Monday 4 November due to the Mid-term break, which is a student free day. Banking will resume on Monday 11 November.



Students do a sketch map of the natural features of the environment



Students gather information about Fauna and Flora

Australian Mathematics Competition

Oxley students performed very well in this year's Australian Mathematics competition. A high distinction is awarded to students in the top 3% of each year level and a distinction is awarded to students in the top 20% of each year level throughout Australia.

The following students received a distinction:

Year 7	Max Broadley-Thomson (7.17), Chloe Skipworth (7.17), Une Geisler (7.16), Alex Lai (7.16), Joshua Bakhtiar (7.15), William Armstrong (7.17), Anita Qin (7.16), Daniella Hupertz (7.15), Raymond Luo (7.14), Thomas Collins (7.17), Eric Hong (7.14), Ruan Rademeyer (7.15), Ella King (7.16)
Year 8	Eloise Jeffries (8.24), Bailey Groves (8.23), Ashley Thomas (8.24)
Year 9	James Love (9.19), Mattias Talpan (9.20), Lana Frid (9.20), Isabella Wildish (9.19)
Year 10	Jeremy Tam (10.4), Jerry Xu (10.4), Marcus Pallaghy (10.3), Charlotte McGregor (10.2), Angus Hubbard (10.2), Jake Ivey (10.1), Jenson Zhou (10.4), Mingya Cao (10.2), Michael Xu (10.4), Emily Spratt (10.1)

The following students received a high distinction:

Year 7	Micah Barlow (7.17), Zhijie Sha (7.17), Mary Spratt (7.17), Sing-Nam Wan (7.17)
Year 8	Hayden Ma (8.24), Joshua Fife (8.24), Thomas Steuart (8.23)
Year 10	Jae-Young Kim (10.1)

Hayden Ma also received the *Best in School* award which is given to the student with the highest score in the school. Well done, Hayden!

Congratulations to all the students on an outstanding performance.

Jeannette Kotze
Head of Senior School Mathematics

Empty Nest Dad

We hear a lot about mums struggling with "Empty Nest" Syndrome, but often it's good old dad who takes it the hardest.

All parents have a hard time when kids leave home, but a recent survey showed that many fathers actually take it harder than their wives. Some men go through long periods of depression and anxiety. Experts believe that this is because fathers often have more regrets. They've been so busy building a nice home and a successful career that they've let the years slip through their fingers. Suddenly they look up and it's too late. Their child is gone, and they never developed the kind of relationship they wanted to have.

If you still have kids at home, take time now to enjoy them while they're young. Use the time you have to invest in their lives, and get to know them while you have the opportunity.

Source: Focus on the Family <https://www.families.org.au/parenting>

Matt Daly
Chaplain



Year 12 Celebrations

Volleyball Match

On Friday 11 October, the Year 12s challenged a teacher team to a game of volleyball and badminton. Crowds of students flocked to the Stadium to cheer on the Year 12s as they competed in a friendly but highly competitive game, with free icy poles for all Year 7s on the line if the Year 12s were victorious. The girls had a draw in Badminton, with the male staff beating the boys 41 to 32. In the Volleyball, the Year 12s reigned supreme with a 46 to 32 point victory!

Congratulations to all who competed, a fun afternoon enjoyed by all!

Turn the page for an array of photos from the recent Valedictory Dinner, Year 12 Final Assembly and Final Day.



Year 12 Valedictory Dinner







Year 12 Final Assembly & Morning Tea





Year 12 Final Day



Sport

Senior Girls EISM Football Competition

It was a lovely sunny day on Wednesday 9 October when six schools came together at Kingswood College to compete in the annual Senior Girls Football competition. Oxley Girls put in a great effort to finish overall in third position. The girls were a pleasure to coach and performed with great team spirit, winning two out of three matches. Final placings were as follows:

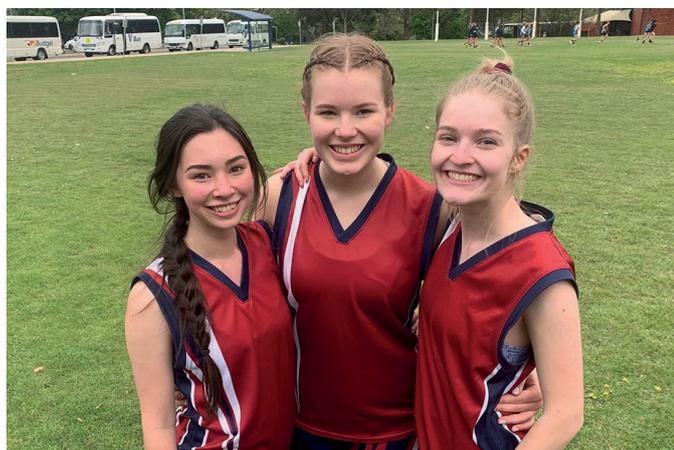
- 1st Plenty Valley
- 2nd Knox
- 3rd Oxley
- 4th Eltham
- 5th Alphington
- 6th Kingswood

Oxley won their first match against Alphington 5.4.34 to 2.2.14. In our second match Knox 5.3.33 defeated Oxley 3.6.24. In the third place play off final Oxley 3.2.20 defeated Eltham 2.2.14.

The Most Valuable Player (MVP) for Oxley was **Casey Wallace (12.9)** for her overall great play in the center clearances, as well as covering both ends of the field, followed by **Natalie Biedrzycki (11.15)**, **Chelsea Szabo (11.16)** and **Jessica Dziadosz (11.16)**.

The Best Team Player (BTP) award went to **Jessie Gates (11.13)** for her 'on ball' efforts, as well as selfless defensive play, followed by **Sarah Hudson (12.9)**, **Sally Johnston-Bailey (12.8)** and **Tamara Loh (11.16)**. There was some impressive play by **Summer Armstrong (11.15)** and **Taylah Thomas (11.16)**. Thanks to our gun Year 9 recruits on the day, **Natasha Varelas (9.20)**, **Miranda Kerr (9.20)**, and the team favourite 'dominating' **Audrey Oastler (9.22)**.

Gavin Fox
Girls Football Coach



Year 12 team members Casey, Sally and Sarah representing Oxley for the last time

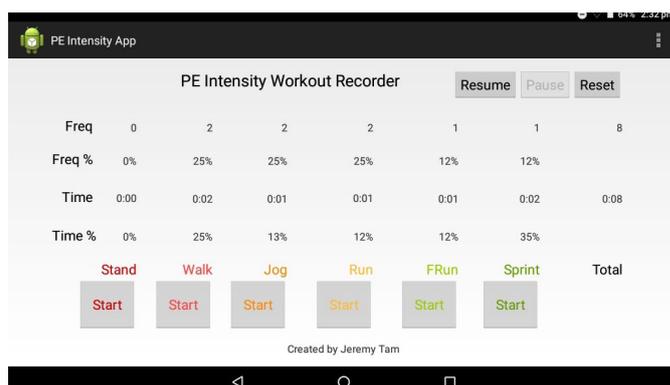
Congratulations

I would like to congratulate **Jeremy Tam (10.4)** on his exceptional achievements in his IT studies. He successfully created an app for our PE Faculty using many of his lunchtime hours. The app records intensity of effort during games and training. Jeremy also came first in our annual Oxley Touch-Typing Competition at a speed of 133 words per minute!

Well done and congratulations, Jeremy!



Ms Latham and Jeremy



Jeremy's PE Intensity App

Leslie Zhou
Head of Information Technology

Congratulations to **Ivy Schey (10.2)**, who recently received an Excellence Award for academic success in her VET studies. She is currently studying Certificate II in Equine Studies at Box Hill Institute. Well done, Ivy!

Jasmine Sien
Careers Coordinator



Over the school holidays, Ashlea Smith (10.3) represented Victoria in the Christian Football Federation of Australia Nationals, held in Redcliffe, Queensland. Ashlea played in the U16 girls as a defensive midfielder. They played eight games over three days with varied results. Overall it was a very successful tournament for Victoria.



Uniform Reminder to Parents

Parents please don't forget the transition period for the girls Summer Dress will end in December 2019. Hence, from Day 1 of the 2020 school year, the correct girls summer dress must be worn.

Note: The summer dress must be worn in summer months (Terms 1 and 4).

For your convenience, the 2020 Uniform price list is available on the Parent Portal.

Below are the Uniform shop hours for the upcoming Orientation Day and holiday period.

Orientation Day Friday
29 November 2.00pm-5.00pm

Book Collection Day
Wednesday 15 January 10.00am-4.00pm

Monday 20 January 10.00am-4.00pm

Wednesday 22 January 1.00pm-7.00pm

Thursday 23 January 10.00am-4.00pm

Wednesday 29 January 10.00am - 4.00pm

Normal trading hours resume on
Thursday 30 January 8.15-9.00am
and 1.00pm-4.30pm

The school uniform can also be purchased online. Please see page 15 for details.

Please be advised that new family appointment times are available for new student fittings. Please contact the Uniform Shop on 9036 7359 to make an appointment.

Athelia Du Preez
Office Manager

Samaritan's Purse

A big congratulations and thank you to the students of 10.2 who organised and ran a baking for boxes event last term to raise funds for Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child. They used the money raised from their bake sale to buy enough items to fill 27 shoeboxes! Wow! Thank you to Home Group Captain, Charlotte McGregor (10.2), and Vice Captain, Angus Hubbard (10.2), for your vision and leadership in this! The children who receive these boxes will be so blessed.



Matt Daly
Chaplain

Lost Property

There are a number of small items of lost property at Student Reception, such as glasses, sunglasses, watches (including smart devices), jewellery, purses, keys, USBs and Myki cards.

We also have various items of clothing, makeup bags, makeup items, water bottles and food containers.

Please come to Student Reception to enquire about any lost item.

Delyse Lamont
Student Reception



With only very limited vacancies for 2020, Oxley Kids is accepting applications for 2021 and beyond. If you have a child who will need Kindergarten or long day care in future years, contact us on 9727 9200 or come to visit us to make sure you don't miss out.

Bookings for OSHC (Before and After School Care) for 2020 will be accepted from Friday 8 November.

Kim Sopar
Oxley Kids Director



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2019 Calendar

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Gate 7, 15-49 Old Melbourne Rd
Ph: 9036 7359

Tuesdays & Thursdays (term time)
8:15 - 9:00am & 1:00 - 4:30pm

Uniform regulations and price list are available at the Office or online at:
<http://www.bobstewart.com.au>

CLASSIFIEDS

The Oxley Classifieds are a convenient way to buy and sell items (directly related to the education of your child) such as textbooks, uniform and musical instruments.

To advertise or purchase second hand items:
<http://online.oxley.vic.edu.au/classifieds.php>
username: parent
password: oxley

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The College may, from time-to-time, review and update various policies and procedures. Online / digital copies of College policies and procedures can be found on the Oxley website (under 'Publications'), or on the Parent Portal (under the 'Docs' tab) which is accessible from the College website

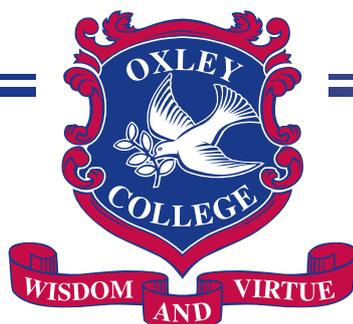
OXLEY KIDS

Early Learning Centre
Open 6.30am - 6.30pm
9727 9200

OXLEY ONLINE

The Vine is also available online via our website:
www.oxley.vic.edu.au

Oct	Friday	25	Year 7 Immunisations Prep-Year 2 Athletics (9.00am - 12.30pm, Main Oval)
	Saturday	26	SCSM Exams
	Monday	28	Year 3-6 State Athletics VCE Unit 2 Concert (1.05pm-1.55pm BPAC)
	Tuesday	29	VCE Unit 2 Concert (1.05pm-1.55pm BPAC) Junior School Enviro Captains Excursion
	Wednesday	30	VCE Exams Begin Year 10 Job Search Day
Nov	Monday	4	Student Free Day
	Tuesday	5	Melbourne Cup Day
	Wednesday	6	Year 10 Dance
	Thursday	7	Prep Information Evening (7.00pm, Staffroom) School at Work (9.50am - 11.30am, BPAC) Prep-Year 6 Outdoor Class Year 7 Instrumental Concert (7.00pm- 8.30pm, LMC)
	Friday	8	Year 11 Study Day Year 10 Formal (6.30pm-11.00pm, Karralyka Centre)
	Mon - Fri	11-15	Year 11 Exams
	Wednesday	13	Year 7 Book Launch (7.00pm, BPAC) Oxfam Music Festival (7.00pm Box Hill Town Hall)
	Thursday	14	Year 2 Strings Concert (10.00am-11.00am, BPAC) Step into Prep Transition Program
	Friday	15	Junior School Mooroolbark Sports
	Mon - Thu	18-21	Year 7-10 Exams
	Wednesday	20	Year 11 Exam Feedback
	Thursday	21	Year 11 into Year 12 Orientation Junior School Grandparents Chapel (1.30pm - 3.30pm LMC and Classrooms outside Area B)
	Friday	22	Student Free Day - Correction Day
	Monday	25	Student Free Day - Report Writing Day
	Tuesday	26	Year 10 Exam feedback
	Wednesday	27	Year 10 into Year 11 Orientation Prep Nativity (11.30am-12.30pm, LMC)
	Thursday	28	Year 6 Graduation (6.00-9.00pm Staff Room and BPAC)
Friday	29	Year 6 into Year 7 Orientation Prep - Year 5 Transition	
Dec	Tuesday	3	Junior School Final Assembly
	Wednesday	4	Senior School Presentation Evening (Robert Blackwood Hall, Monash University, 7.55pm) Junior School Tabloid Sports (2.00pm, Stadium)
	Thursday	5	Senior School Final Assembly Last Day Term 4



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