



**WODONGA**  
MIDDLE YEARS COLLEGE

# Middle Years *my* news



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## Principal's Report

### **NAPLAN**

Students in Years 7 and 9 completed NAPLAN testing last week. Parents will receive the results later in the year.

### **Education Week 21-27 May**

This year the theme of Education Week is 'Healthy Mind, Healthy Body'.

Schools can showcase the work they are doing for students to help ensure healthy minds and bodies. The week aims to profile and celebrate everything from sport, dance, mentoring, yoga, meditation, reading and art, to camps, excursions, breakfast clubs, resilience and more.

Healthy minds and bodies leads to happy, healthy and resilient kids. Building resilience and increasing physical activity in our kids and young people is our current focus.

The Victorian Government recognises that the healthy development of our students helps drive the future prosperity of our State. Building resilience helps to prepare students for future challenges both within school and in their lives. Physical activity is vital for increased health and fitness, developing coordination and motor skills and has a positive effect on general wellbeing and mental health.

### **Student Led Conferences**

SLC's are being held May 22 from 3.30pm – 7pm with subject teachers. You can book the conferences at <https://schoolinterviews.com.au> and enter the booking code: **sar9q**

**Gary Hodge**  
Assistant Principal

## Multicultural Week

### **Huon Celebrations**

Huon celebrated all things multicultural last week. Students were able to participate in the 'World Game', with a soccer tournament run each lunchtime. There were also origami classes,



a Japanese film festival and trivia competitions. The students from both Blue and Yellow houses created amazing

wall displays celebrating the theme of "We all belong". On Friday we celebrated in the sunshine with an international banquet and concert. A wonderful week as the photos show.



Thank you to everyone for their contribution.

**Melanie McClure and Daphne Soanes**

## Art Club

### **Winners**

Two of our Year 9 Art Club students, Tahlia Herbert and Lexi Loughman recently had their Art Work selected as part of a



competition for the new Justice Building being unveiled in Wodonga. Their pieces will be used and incorporated into the design of an office door within the building itself. Mel Walkerden from Justice will be making a more formal presentation to the girls in the coming weeks.

### **Exhibition**

All our Art Club students are working hard on their artwork to be finished and ready for the annual art club exhibition to be held later this year.

**Luke Harman**  
Art

## Future Moves

### **Visits**

Last week, local university students visited Felltimber and they will attend Huon this week to speak with some of our students.



Future Moves is a program about helping students explore the future, what they might do and what they dream of doing after school.

It is also about what it takes to get there, the role that higher education can play in their life in the future, and how to turn their aspirations into a reality.

Parents, carers, family and community play a vital role in helping young people explore their future.

If you would like to know more, look at our website at <http://www.csu.edu.au/future-moves>

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## **Literacy Information Evening**

**Wednesday 31st May**

**5pm-5.45pm, Huon Campus Library**

For parents of students commencing Year 7 in 2018

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# Mothers Day

Mums, grandmothers, aunts and friends turned out to Huon and Felltimber for the Mothers Day morning/afternoon tea. Students made cups of coffee and tea and shared in plates of biscuits and slices with their guests. It was wonderful to see so many enjoying themselves.



## Camps, Sports and Excursion Fund (CSEF)

If you hold a current Health Care Card, Veterans Affairs Card or are a foster carer, please apply by the end of this term, June 30.  
Late applications cannot be accepted.  
Forms are available from the office.

## Friends of Willow Park

Join us any time during our week of Community Gardening  
Monday 15th to Saturday 20th 8.30 to 9.15 am  
Sunday 21st 9.30 - 10.30 am follow by Morning Tea  
**Where: Meet in the Pearce St Carpark**  
Ring if you can't see us. We might be working out of sight, along the path or at the Pearce St Bridge.  
Jenni Huber 0410074900



## International Tap Dance Day

Sunday May 28, 9am-5pm  
at The Cube  
Tickets: \$10 Audience, \$25 Workshops, \$65 Family  
More information Phone 02 6021 0688

## Albury Gang Show

Albury entertainment Centre  
Friday June 16 and Saturday 17  
Bookings 0447 409 658 or  
Bookings@Alburygangshow.com.au



# Sport

## Girls AFL

Year 9 Girls AFL played at WSSC on Friday May 12. The combined Huon/Felltimber team played three close games. Results: won by two goals against Cathedral; lost to WSSC by one goal and lost to Wangaratta High School by two goals.



The Felltimber Year 7 AFL Team performed really well, tackling hard all day in ideal conditions at Martin Park. They almost made it to the next level, losing out by 4 points. Well done to Keely Skepper who was best on ground all day. Results: Lost to Galen by 2points; Won against Huon, Cathedral College and Catholic College.



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## TRADING HOURS

**MONDAY** 9.30am to 4.30pm  
**TUESDAY** 9.30am to 4.30pm  
**WEDNESDAY** 9.30am to 4.30pm  
**THURSDAY** 9.30am to 4.30pm  
**FRIDAY** CLOSED  
**SATURDAY** CLOSED

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## Dates to Remember

Dates for 2017	Activity
22 - 26 May	▶ Education Week
22 May	▶ Student Led Conferences 3.30pm-7pm
31 May	▶ Literacy Information Evening - Huon
12 June	▶ Queen's Birthday Holiday
30 June	▶ Last Day Term 2