



WODONGA
MIDDLE YEARS COLLEGE

Middle Years *my* news



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Principal's Report

Awards Ceremony

It was great to see so many parents at our awards ceremony at the end of last Term. Congratulations to all students who received awards, whether they are for GPA excellence, GPA growth, sport or service. The GPA is not only a reflection of academic ability



but also reflects commitment, perseverance, and time management skills. The GPA is important when setting goals and when students are applying for jobs or scholarships in the future.

If your child did not receive an award and is aspiring to receive one at the end of the year, you need to help them to start setting goals now. The students who received awards are not just lucky, they have worked hard, set goals and maintained a high work standard to achieve these awards.

Teachers and parents can support students in achieving goals.



Maree Cribbes
Campus Principal



Every student, Every Opportunity, Success for all

iPad Information Evening

For 2019 Year 7 students and their families

When:
Thursday 18th October 2018
6 - 6.45pm

Where:
Huon Campus

For further information, please contact the College on 02 6057 9000



Student Leadership

Guest Speaker

Samantha Lampe, Youth Event Officer at Wodonga City Council spoke at the Huon Leadership during the last week of Term 3. She spoke to the students about the Youth Events committee telling them that they could nominate to be part of running the many events that are available during the year. Samantha also brought in details of two events - the All Aboard that took place during the holidays and the Childrens Fair 2018 on October 28th. There are also volunteer roles available for the Children's Fair and application forms can be obtained at council offices.



So there are many opportunities to get involved with the events that Wodonga Council Youth Services provide as well as engage as a volunteer.

Marg Benbow
Student Pathways

Immunisations

The second round of immunisations for Year 7 students will be held this month on the following days:

Huon	Friday October 12
Felltimber	Monday October 22

The vaccinations are funded as part of the Victorian Secondary Schools Immunisation Program.

Should your child miss out on starting their vaccination course this year, they will not be eligible to receive them for free in subsequent years in the school program.

If your child missed the first dose of vaccines, please contact the councils immunisation team on 1800 655 360.

If your child was vaccinated elsewhere please notify the councils immunisation team on the above number.

If for any reason you do not wish your child to receive any further vaccinations, or if you have any other enquiries about the program or your child's vaccinations please contact Wodonga Councils Immunisation Team on 1800 655 360.

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Community

G'DAY USA EXCHANGE PROGRAM JANUARY 2020 OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS

An opportunity exists for students at school to take part in a Cultural Exchange trip to the United States of America for twenty days in the **January 2020** school holidays. Students will be travelling with other schools and a teacher from the local community and they need to be aged between 14-18 at the time of travel.



Destinations include: Disneyland, Universal Studios, Knott's Berry Farm, Los Angeles, San Diego and San Francisco. A feature of the tour is that the students spend ten days living with an American host family and visit an American school.

The cost is currently \$6,895.00*. The trip departs from Melbourne international airport, and includes the following: airfares and airline fuel surcharge, transfers, accommodation, travel insurance, breakfasts during hotel stays and admissions to attractions.

An information night will be held on **Thursday 18th October** at 6.00pm at the Feltrimber Community Centre (Cnr Melrose Dve and Feltrimber Creek Rd). All students and their families from Wodonga Middle Years College are invited to attend.

Please contact Danielle Spagnol from Educational World Travel for more information on 0448 909 858.

WODONGA TORM RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB
2018 Summer Boys & Girls League Tag
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SUMMER TAG

7 a side non competitive fun for this kids without the travel and training commitments. Join as a team or individual

DETAILS

When : Every Thursday 4.30 - 6.30 - 18th Oct - 13th Dec
 Where: Melrose Park Lavington
 Ages: Under 8's, 10's, 12's & 15's
 Cost: \$35 Registration Fee
 Register here - <https://lilyurl.com/tagrego>
 More Info : Anthony Nicholson PH: 0435 910 357



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Dates to Remember	
Dates for 2018	Activity
October 16	▶ Year 9 into Year 10 Laptop Information Session at WSSC 5pm-6pm
October 18	▶ Year 6 into Year 7 iPad Information Session at Huon Campus 6pm-6.45pm ▶ Year 9 into Year 10 Laptop Information Session at WSSC 5pm-6pm
October 12	▶ Year 7 Huon Immunisations
October 22	▶ Year 7 Feltrimber Immunisations
October 26	▶ Reports issued
November 16	▶ Fun Run
November 29	▶ Small Schools Transition
December 3 - 6	▶ Koorie Art Exhibition
December 10 - 13	▶ Headstart