



NEWSWAN

SWAN HILL COLLEGE

Edition 2

Friday, March 1

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PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Swimming Sports

What a great day was had at the swimming sports. The weather was amazing, staff and students were very competitive and the Year 12 dress up's added to the fun atmosphere. Well done to Ogden on the win and Longhurst for the Spirit Award. Quite a few students went onto the Division Swimming Sports the following week and all did equally as well there. Well done to James Downing on making this day happen.

Ready to Learn

This week we held a whole school assembly where students were spoken to about the importance of coming to school ready to learn. Whether it be lap tops charged, books ready, correct uniform and pen in hand, each student should be coming to class ready to learn. If families are struggling with the correct materials, please reach out to year level managers for support.

Year 7 camp

Upon writing this our campers will not have returned yet, but I have heard they have had a great time. Students who did not attend camp have completed an alternate timetable this week consisting of PE, Art, Movie study and bonding. Well done to Leigh Sheehan for organizing VM students to run activities and to Mark Snel for putting together the plan for students so they were engaged.

De Rosewarne – Acting Principal

HIGH EXPECTATIONS - SCHOOL CAPTAIN REPORT

We hope everyone has settled back into school routine as we reach the halfway mark for Term 1. Especially our Year 7s and new staff, we hope you have all enjoyed your first 5 weeks of school.

Tuesday 20th was the LMR division swimming for all students who qualified from our school swimming sports the previous week. It was great to see many students showing high expectations by filling lanes and representing our school. I personally thought it was an excellent day by all the students, including the students who volunteered. The day couldn't have ran as smoothly as it did without you all.

We look forward to the upcoming summer sports next Wednesday March 6th. Please make sure to arrive at school in full sports uniform if you are attending. Another reminder that athletics day sign-ups are not far away, so please keep an eye out for any information in the following weeks.

We would also like to wish our Year 7s and 9s good luck for their NAPLAN testing starting from the 13th to the 25th of March, as well as all senior students as they begin to start their assessments and SACs for 2024. It's been great to see so many students attending and utilising the Homework Program which runs every Wednesday after school in the library from 3.30pm to 4.30pm. What better way to get extra help?

Furthermore, we hope everyone has a great first 5 weeks of term and wish everyone all the best for their studies and assessments.

Emilie Ward – School Captain

SWAN HILL COLLEGE CALENDAR 2024

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| March 6 | Summer Sports |
| March 6 | Clontarf Basketball Carnival, Mildura (Year 7-10) |
| March 11 | Labour Day Holiday |
| March 13-18 | NAPLAN |
| March 19-22 | Clontarf Melbourne Employment Forum (Year 10-12) |
| March 25 | Parent Teacher Interviews |
| March 26-28 | Clontarf Year 8/9 Engagement Camp (Ballarat) |
| March 28 | Last Day of Term 1 |
| April 15 | Term 2 Commences |

SWIMMING SPORTS

Swimming Sports were held on Wednesday 14th February. What a fun, exciting and successful day this was. Ogden House were the overall winners on the day, with Longhurst winning the Spirit Award. Congratulations to all students and staff on a successful day.



Youth Reference Group Applications open!

headspace Swan Hill is providing an opportunity for young people to be heard and be active around youth issues in our community.

YRG-Members will work with headspace Swan Hill staff to organise local projects and offer their ideas on how to improve services for young people.



Aged 15-25 years old?

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How to apply?

1. Simply scan the QR-Code
2. Complete the application form
3. Email it to headspace@shdhl.org.au, drop it in at 11 Pritchard St Swan Hill, or post it to PO Box 483, Swan Hill.

Applications close on 19 March 2024


SWAN HILL POLICE

Swan Hill Police will be participating in a new initiative at SHC to positively engage with students.

For many years SHC and police have shared a positive relationship and in response to the Chief Police Commissioner's desire revive the Police in Schools model it is an opportune time to get the project underway.

Other schools in the area will also be involved.

The objective is to inform the school community that police are part of their community and are there to assist and serve. We will also introduce new members of the police force to our local community.

THE DOCTORS IN SCHOOL PROGRAM

Wednesday

Book Now!

Hollie and Dr Tunde

We cannot wait to see all current and new patients. If you need a script, an asthma plan, a check up or discuss any health concerns then pop into Wellbeing or call 50339900 and let them know you would like a Dr in Schools appointment.



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