

Issue 11 — Friday 25th April 2025			
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#### PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

Welcome back to Term Two. There are many things to look forward to this Term. One of the main items on our agenda will be the completion of our Stage Two Technology Wing that is rapidly coming to a completion. I estimate that the building will be handed over to the school by the third week of May.



Tomorrow we will be observing our ANZAC Day public holiday. It is a day when we remember the sacrifices that our men and women have made in many armed conflicts over the last 130 years. I would like to share with you a very moving experience that I had in 2019.

My wife, Anne and I, were invited by Monash University to attend the Posthumous Graduation of four young men who died in World War I. As soon as they had finished their final exams, they enlisted to serve in World War I in the Medical Corps. Their names were: Alan Couve, Eric Bisset, Wallace Jewkes and Malcom Jones.

They all died in the war and never came back to graduate at the College of Pharmacy in Parkville. This college is now part of Monash University. Over 100 years later, the University decided that these young men should have a Graduation. None of the deceased pharmacists had any children. Therefore, distant relatives accepted the Graduation Certificates on behalf of their deceased Great Uncles.

I will be remembering these brave young Pharmacists tomorrow, along with all other women and men that served our country.

#### JOHN MOONEY Principal

# **DIARY DATES 2025**

FRIDAY 25TH APRIL - Anzac Day (NO SCHOOL)

MONDAY 9TH JUNE - King's Birthday (NO SCHOOL)

FRIDAY 4TH JULY - Last day of Term 2 (EARLY FINISH)

MONDAY 21ST JULY - First day of Term 3

## VALUE OF THE FORTNIGHT

#### <u>Courage</u>

We will continue our study of the value Courage next week.

Friday 25 April is Anzac Day. This special day gives us a time to reflect upon the courage of the many

thousands of men and women who have gone to war to ensure that future generations of Australians can live in peace and enjoy freedom from prejudice and other harmful restrictions.

We are very fortunate to live in such a wonderful country where our resources are in abundance and safety is a priority.

The Anzac spirit of comradery, mateship and courage was forged at Gallipoli and has passed on through generations of Australians since.

Our Anzacs bravely fought against the odds and ventured into the unknown performing great acts of great courage, kindness and sacrifice.

Lest We Forget.



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Dianne Wright **Campus Principal - Middle School** 



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### **SUBWAY ORDERS WILL RESUME IN TERM 2**

#### SUBWAY ORDERS ARE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS EACH WEEK ON A WEDNESDAY.

There are special Subway envelopes available at the office of either campus. Please fill in details with the correct money included and hand these to the Office any time before Tuesday 10:00am each week.

It is of most importance that Parents/Carers notify the appropriate school office prior to 2:15pm to make alternative travel arrangements for the day. This can be done by calling the office or a note in the student diary.

# The word of the student cannot be accepted.

START & FINISH TIMES					
Jnr/Snr	Jnr/Snr Campus		Middle Campus		
Monday:	9:00am-3:00pm	Monday:	9:00am-2:45pm		
Tuesday:	9:00am-3:00pm	Tuesday:	9:00am-2:45pm		
Wednesday:	9:00am-3:00pm	Wednesday:	9:00am-2:45pm		
Thursday:	8:50am-3:00pm	Thursday:	8:50am-2:45pm		
Friday:	8:50am-3:00pm	Friday:	8:50am-2:45pm		
PLEASE NOTE—THURSDAY MORNING IS HOUSES AND FRIDAY MORNING IS ASSEMBLY					
BOTH ARE HELD AT THE MIDDLE SCHOOL CAMPUS					



