End of Year Arrangements
As we move to half way through Term 4, planning for 2016 is underway. Exams will start next week (Week 7) for Years 7-11 and a copy of the schedule is included in this newsletter. It is very important for all students to complete set tasks in order to satisfy requirements at their appropriate year level for promotion purposes.

Friday 27th November/Staff Planning/Reporting day
Please be informed that Friday 27th November will be a student free day to allow staff to participate in professional development/reporting requirements. No students will be required at school on this day.

College starts process of interviewing architects for our $5 million redevelopment
It has been a very lengthy process, but we are finally making arrangements to interview architects through the tender process. We have representatives from School Council, teaching staff, the Region and Education Department who will be meeting with prospective architects in the next couple of weeks. We look forward to sharing the successful tender within the next month.

Congratulations!
A huge congratulations to Sifan Badada from Year 8 who competed in the 800 metres at the ‘All Schools Victoria’ competition and won a medal. Well Done Sifan!

Valedictory Dinner
In the evening of 22nd October, the College held our 2015 Valedictory Dinner for our Year 12 students, families and friends. I wish to thank all staff and students involved for such a wonderful evening held at the Grand Reception Centre. Congratulations are extended to Year 12 students who received 2015 subject achievement awards, which were presented by their subject Teachers on the night.

Biology – Ismail Sannang
Business Management – James Maniatis
Chemistry – Damir Ramiz
Design Technology - Wood - Kha Tran
English – Damir Ramiz
English – Bright Chitura
English - Jason Long
English Literature - Kayla Rizzo
English as an Additional Language - Chanrany Kong
English as an Additional Language - Abas Hussaini
Food Technology – Monica Mery
Health & Human – Monica Mery
IT Software Development - Abas Hussaini
LOTE Japanese – Mahima Shrestha

Further Maths – Bontu Henbento
Further Maths – Damir Ramiz
Maths Specialist – Tatjana Karac
Maths Methods – Tatjana Karac
Physics – Tatjana Karac
Psychology – Damir Ramiz
Visual Communication Design - Zohair Rezai
VET Business - Tameka Kirby
VET Multimedia - Abas Hussaini
VCAL Literacy- Leasonia Sula
VCAL Numeracy - Ali Hussaini
VCAL Personal Development Studies - Ali Hussaini
VCAL Work Related Skills - Leasonia Sula

Fete 21st November
Final arrangements are being made for our exciting FETE to be held on SATURDAY 21st NOVEMBER. We look forward to everyone participating and having a wonderful day!
The Right Size to Personalise

Junior School News

The weeks have flown by and the busy season is already upon us. There are many events coming up in the near future for which students need to be well prepared.

Junior Exams

All students in Years 7-9 undertake exams in Maths and English/EAL. Exams in the junior levels are important because they help consolidate student learning, and also give students practice and skills in exam taking, which they will need as they progress in their education. It is important that students spend some regular time at home, revising and going over work from the term so that they are fully prepared.

At Noble Park Secondary College exam marks are recorded in the students’ reports but are not used to determine if a student has ‘passed’ or ‘failed’ their subject nor as the sole basis for progress into the next year level.

Please see the attached exam timetable for details on when they are occurring.

2016 Subject Confirmation – 25 November

Over the next few weeks, students in years 7-9 will receive their re-enrolment packs. These will contain all the information they will need for next year including:

• Any elective subjects they have been placed in
• A Year Level Handbook
• Bell times
• Uniform requirements
• Netbook package deal
• Acceptable Use Agreements for Internet and Digital Technologies
• College Code of Conduct

Please read through all the information provided and return the required forms on (or before) the 25 of November. Your prompt return assists the school to plan effectively for next year.

End of Year Activities

All students should have returned all their sign up sheets for end of year activities that run during the last week of term from Monday 14th to Thursday 17th December. Please ensure that all forms and payments are returned if this has not already been arranged.

Friday 18th December is designated a ‘clean up day’. If students attend on the day, they will be assigned clean up duties around the school.

Peter Jeans
Assistant Principal

Senior School News

Senior School Exams

All year 11 VCE students and year 10 will undertake exams, please see attached exam timetable for details. Students will need to dedicate study time at home in preparation for the exams.

Senior School Induction

Year 12 (2016) Induction will be held Monday 23rd - Thursday 26th November.
Year 11 (2016) Induction will be held Monday 30th Nov-Friday 4th December.

2016 Subject Confirmation

Over the next few weeks, students in years 10 & 11 will receive their Senior Packs. The pack will contain all the information required for 2016 including:

• Subject Confirmation Agreement
• Student Code of Conduct Agreement
• Acceptable Use Agreement for Internet and Digital Technologies
• Netbook Package Deal
• Calculator Purchase Options
• School Levies

Please read through the information provided and return the required forms on (or before) Wednesday 25 November.

Attendance

Year 11 students - Thursday 26 November 2015 is the last official day
Year 10 students - Friday 4 December 2015 is the last official day

Ms Jo Cucchiara
Assistant Principal
Do you live or work on a busy road?

Would you like a discount of your child’s netbook fees?

We are currently looking for families who are happy to assist the college with advertising. Through the year, we may need to promote certain events, and are looking for locations to assist with our advertising. If you would like to volunteer, or would like further information, please contact Jennelle Little on 9546 9066 or little.jennelle.l@edumail.vic.gov.au

City of Dandenong Walkfest

Noble Park Secondary College Intermediate and Senior VCAL students together with students from other high schools assisted to run some of the activities and on stage entertainment (in partnership with The Bridge disability service) at this year’s City of Greater Dandenong Walkfest. This exciting event was held on Friday 30 October 2015 at Hemmings Park in Dandenong. Walks occurred in the morning leading to the park for free activities from 11am-2pm. The event aims to promote disability inclusion and community fitness and is open to services and schools.

It was a very successful event and our students equipped themselves well of their task of the day.

Fun Family Fete Day

IT’S SHOW TIME! SATURDAY 21st November 2015

Please mark the date in your diaries & encourage friends and families to do the same – it will be a great family day out!

Funds raised will be used to enhance Noble Park Secondary College. There will be rides, activities, live entertainment, a raffle, silent auction, great things to buy and lots of yummy food. There will even be a ‘Teacher Dunk Tank’! Come along and have a go at dropping your favourite teacher into a tank of water!

We are still looking for great prizes and donations.

Sponsorship allows us to fund rides and attractions, pays for advertising and promotional material and provides working capital to finance stalls and other activities. We are seeking sponsorship from the school community and the local business community. Sponsorship can be in the form of a prize donation (cash or goods) for the Raffle, a stall donation (cash or goods) or a general monetary contribution to sponsor the overall fete. Any donation large or small would be greatly appreciated and recognised. The level of recognition and benefits to sponsors depends on the value of the sponsorship. If you wish to be a sponsor, please contact the college on 9546 9066

Helen Karagounis
Fete organiser
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**STUDENT FREE DAY**
**Staff Professional Development**

### Redback Theatre

The Redback Theatre Company recently had an excursion into the City and the Regent Theatre to enjoy The Lion King.
Year 12’s Celebrate with Valedictory Dinner

On Thursday 22nd October we celebrated the graduation of the Class of 2015 at the annual Noble Park Secondary College Valedictory Dinner. The evening was held at The Grand on Princes in Mulgrave. Students, their families and staff shared in the celebration. It was a wonderful night to celebrate the achievements of Class of 2015. We thank everyone who attended and made the night a special finale to the student’s school life at Noble Park Secondary College.
Year 12 Valedictory Dinner Celebration
Wellbeing News

Breakfast club will continue to run every Friday morning until the 27th of November. So come along at 8am for a hot breakfast and a lot of fun! See you there.

The One-Eighty Program continues to run for year 7, 8 and 9 students until the 26th of November. Every Thursday lunch time come and hang out in the gym and play some awesome games and potentially win a cool prize!

The Junior School Cup will kick off on the 23rd of October and will run until the 27th of November. Come along and support your team in the gym every Friday at lunch time.

WANTED!

UNIFORMS & current TEXT BOOKS.

If you are leaving the school at the end of this year and have uniform and or current text books that you are happy to DONATE to the school please see Lynda or someone in the Wellbeing team.

College Sponsors

Thanks are extended to "artistphotographer" & “The Village Building Co” for kindly supporting our College Fete.

artist photographer

YARRAMAN VILLAGE

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CAN DRIVE for College Fete

We need your help!
Please bring a ‘Can of Soft Drink’ or a ‘bottle of water’ for our Fete Drink Stall.
Every 10 Cans of Drink or Bottles of water will get you an entry into a PRIZE DRAW.

Prizes include: $30 Wrist Band which will allow you on the Fete rides ... FREE all day...
from 11.00am to 4.00pm

Junior Monitors will come around daily to Home groups to collect cans or bottles of water daily. Home group Teacher will keep a tally of how many cans of drink or bottles of water you bring in.

Closing date: 13th Nov.
Prizes will be drawn on Monday 16th Nov.

Monash University provides
FREE TUTORING
Tuesday & Wednesday
3.30 – 4.30pm in the FLC.
All students welcome!

Last session for the year Wednesday 18th November

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**College Blazers**

We are pleased to announce that the introduction of the College Blazer has been an overwhelming success! Over 200 students have commenced wearing their blazers with another 100 due to be delivered for Term 1, 2016. Please speak to someone in the General Office if you wish to purchase one.

**Outdoor Education - Raft Building & Snorkelling**