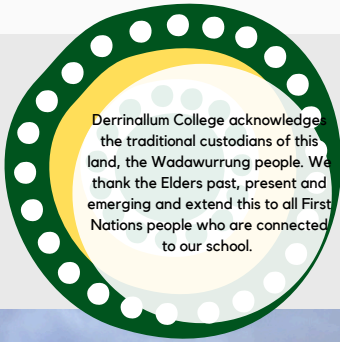


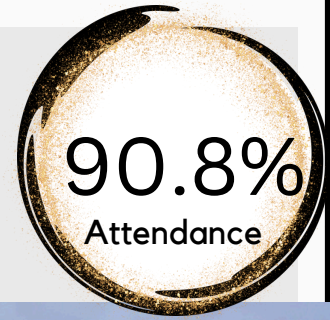
# Derrinallum P-12 College



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## YEAR 9/10 CAMP

### CHARTSEC

### CHARLTON TRAFFIC EDUCATION CENTRE

# FROM THE PRINCIPAL



## Welcome new students:

We are very excited to have welcomed 4 new students to the school over the last 2 weeks. We especially love that they have joined us in the secondary end. Welcome to Olivia and Tiahna and Jett and Deklan!

## Driver's Ed Camp:

Our year 9/10 students were fortunate enough to be away at Charlton this week at the Driver's Ed Camp. This is an excellent opportunity for our students and we were grateful to be able to attend. We thank the Lions Club and the Oop shop for their donations to help reduce costs and increase access to this wonderful learning experience.

## Senior School Formal:

We anticipate holding a formal next term for all students in years 10-12. We are working with the students to lock in the details. They are very excited to have the opportunity.

## New Garden beds:

You may have seen our Instagram post earlier in the week about our new garden beds donated to us by Bunnings. We are very lucky, and grateful to receive the donation. If you didn't see the post, read on to learn more.

## Transitions:

Our transition program is about to kick off. Miss O'Brien and the prep/1 class will be making a visit to Western Plains Kindergarten soon and we will be hosting a 5/6 Taster Day on June 18th. More details will be shared about this as they are locked in.

## Soft drinks:

This week staff have come across a few students who have brought cans of soft drink to school. Please do not allow this. Soft drinks are high in sugar and therefore do not fit with our healthy eating policy.

Caitlyn Fitzgerald  
Principal

Last week Archer flipped Zoe and claimed a minor prize. He picked a Captain Underpants book from our prize pool.



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# NEWSLETTER

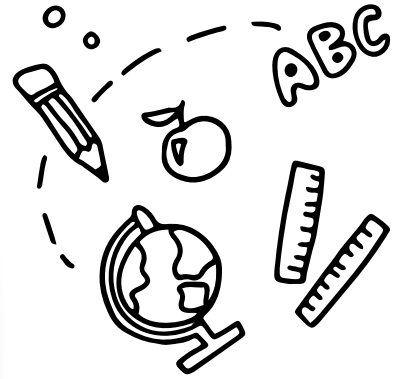


## Delivery

You can pick up a copy of our newsletter at the following locations:

- the Library
- the Post Office
- Foodworks
- Derri Take Away

Delivering the newsletter this week is  
Karen Saunders



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We  
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## STUDENTS OF THE WEEK



F/1 - Alaska



2 - Finn



3/4 - Chris



5/6 - Clive

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# 9/10 DRIVERS ED CAMP



On Monday 20th of May, the Year 9/10 cohort set off to the Charlton Traffic Safety Education Centre. Throughout our time at CHARTSEC the students learnt many different skills including: how to safely U-turn, reverse, angle park, overtake, parallel park, complete a 3-point turn, use a roundabout, how to change lanes, appropriate road positioning, hill starts and how to change gears in a manual.

Students completed theory components as well as practical. One session was based around the impact of driving with drugs or alcohol in your system. For part of this module, students participated in some simple activities while wearing "beer goggles".

We ended our time at CHARTSEC by completing a written test and a practical driving test.





# AROUND SCHOOL

## BUNNINGS DONATION

This week we were fortunate enough to be visited by Chrissy and Naomi from Bunnings, Delecombe. The ladies brought with them a donation of garden beds, mulch and seedlings for the school. The beds have been installed on the south yard and we are hopeful to be able to use the produce in our cooking classes.




# scavenger HUNTS



Over the last few weeks Alex, Lexie and Seth have been organising scavenger hunts to keep the kids entertained at lunch times. These have been a huge hit with the kids.

William has found the prize of Wednesdays activity geo cash run by Alex, Seth & Lexie

congratulations



William Webster

# LIBRARY NEWS

## WHAT'S ON

Don't forget our Book Fair begins on Monday next week and ends on Friday!

The Book Fair will be open in the Library from 8:30am to 4:00pm.

Each book sold benefits our school!

YEAR 7/8 CLASS  
NOVEL: CORALINE  
BY NEIL GAIMAN



## REMINDERS

Please remember to return any overdue books to the Library ASAP!

When a girl ventures through a hidden door she finds a secret world with shocking similarities to her own. A can't-miss classic that entralls readers age 8 to 12 but also adults who enjoy a perfect smart spooky read.

**Coraline**

By Neil Gaiman



## PRIMARY SCHOOL: TIPPING COMP

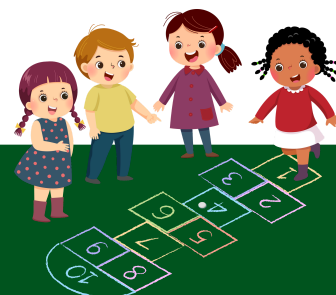
Thanks to Eddie and Mr Green for the update on the primary footy tipping competition.

Eddie	58	Andrew	48	Lexie	49	Paddy C	44
Jock N	54	Lily	51	Robert	47	Zoe	42
Archer	53	Matilda	50	Chris	46	Carla	45
Jarvis	52	Finn	49	Alex	47	Fletcher	43
Greeny	53	Clive	49	William	46	Will	45

## PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

Our staff are always trying to learn more. We thought we would keep you up to date on what we have been doing.

Last week Miss Blake and Miss Moloney attended a session with Dan Petro. You will have heard this name before as the whole school staff attended a session with him in February, and we have been basing a lot of our work on his trainings. Friday's session was based on supporting students in the yard, when they are self-directed. The learning brought back was about helping facilitate opportunities for students to positively engage with their peers without the structure of a classroom.



# DATES FOR THE DIARY



# CALENDAR

Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10
Monday 27 May <b>GWR Cross Country</b> <b>Book Fair starts</b>	Monday 3 June	Monday 10 June <b>Kings Birthday</b> <b>Public Holiday</b>	Monday 17 June
Tuesday 28 May <b>Principal Area Fourm</b>	Tuesday 4 June	Tuesday 11 June <b>School Photos</b>	Tuesday 18 June
Wednesday 29 May	Wednesday 5 June	Wednesday 12 June	Wednesday 19 June <b>School Council</b>
Thursday 30 May	Thursday 6 June	Thursday 13 June <b>MWD Year 7-10</b> <b>Football/Netball</b>	Thursday 20 June
Friday 31 May <b>Book Fair ends</b>	Friday 7 June <b>Report Writing</b> <b>Day- Student free</b>	Friday 14 June	Friday 21 June