

# CHAMPION BAY BULLETIN (CBSHS STI

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ARE RESPECTFUL,
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ASPIRE TO ACHIEVE
EXCELLENCE.

### **PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS**

As we head into the second term break, I would like to take the opportunity to thank our community for their resilience, particularly during the past few weeks. I send our ongoing best wishes to families involved.

As it usually happens, the holidays come just when they are needed. Across the school, we have been hit by a particularly nasty flu bug that takes several days to overcome. With some sunshine and a break, hopefully all community members can 'recharge' their batteries as we head into Term 3.

We are also completing our first formal reporting round for 2023, with Year 12 Semester One reports out and the other year levels expected this week.

#### **Country Week**

Our students left for Country Week on Sunday. Our teams include:

Boys basketball coached by Albert Dean Girls Volleyball coached by Joanne Corlett Boys Volleyball coached by Bree Clarke Netball coached by Kate Crowe Girl's Dance coached by Maddy Hughes

We wish our teams the best of luck and good sportsmanship as they represent the school next week.

Thank you to the teachers for giving up your weekend and evenings to enable this to happen for our students.

#### **Exams**

The following groups of students have completed their first Semester exams:

Year 12 - Week 6

Year 11 - Week 7

Year 10 - Week 8 - all Year 10 students at CBSHS are required to sit a set of exams at the completion of both Semester One and Two. The results of the exams form part of their assessment across Maths, English, HASS, and Science.

All Year 12 General and Foundation students sat an Externally Set Task in Week 3 for each of their units and we are waiting for the results of moderation around these to enable us to measure our marking accuracy against markers from other areas of the state.

#### Public School Review (PSR)

As discussed last year, during this process the school will be assessed against six domains:

- Relationships and Partnerships
- Use of Resources
- · Student Achievement and Progress
- Leadership
- Teacher Quality
- Learning Environment

Our data is to be uploaded to the Electronic Self-Assessment Tool on Tuesday 1 August with our validation visit scheduled for Friday 11 August.





#### **Curtin UniReady**

Our four Year 12 students who are studying at the Geraldton Universities Centre in this program have just completed their first two units: Academic Writing and Communication. They have all passed and now move into their next two units for semester Two. the school is meeting with GUC in late July to review the success of this program moving forward into 2024.

#### Staffing

Head of Learning Area HPE: Substantive HoLA Gary Davies has requested an extension of leave to end 2023. I have distributed an EOI process to staff to fill this vacancy until the end of 2023.

Madison Pomeroy has been teaching two classes of English this term in the absence of Tristan Broomhall who is currently on long service leave. Madison is due to complete her final practicum in Term 3 and so we wish her all the best.

Maddy Hughes has completed her final practicum in HPE and will be joining the staff in a permanent role from Week 8 of this term. We are pleased to be able to offer Maddy this position into the future.

#### Currently staff on leave include:

Chloe Vasic - HASS Deb Kempton - PC Careers and Transitions Tristan Broomhall - English Gary Davies - HPE Taree Davies - Literacy Liam Hunt - Team Leader



Mrs Julie Campbell PRINCIPAL

**Last day for Term** 2 is Friday 30 June- it's important to be at school until the end of term

#### CHAMPION BAY

## Term 3 - 2023 - 9 Aug - Yr7-9 Parent, reacher Every 9 Aug - Clontarf Deadly Attendees Yr7/8

## Dates to Remember

- 17 Jul School Development Day
- 17 21 Jul Yr 10 CIA Uni Camp
- 18 Jul Students return for Term 3
- 20 Jul Celebration Assembly Yr 11
- 21 Jul Celebration Assemblies Yrs 7-10
- 24 Jul 11 Aug Yr 10 Course Counsellina
- 24 Jul Parent Info Eventing Yr 10
- 26 Jul DSG Future Careers Camp
- 28 Jul Yr 9/10 Last Date for Options Changes
- 2 Aug Yr 10-12 Parent /Teacher Evening
- 3 Aug Young Writers Yrs 7–8
- 3 5 Aug Aboda IMMS Senior Camp
- 4 Aug Young Writers Yr 9 @ Nagle
- 4 Aug Census Day

- 15 17 Aug Yr 10/11 Clontarf Basketball Carnival
- 21-25 Aug Follow the Dream Camp
- 23 Aug Clontarf Employment Forum
- 26/27 Aug Tournament of Minds Regional Camp
- 30 Aug Yr 7-10 Ken Wyatt Cup
- 4 -15 Sep OLNA Yr 10-12
- 7-9 Sep Aboda IMMS Junior Camp
- 12 Sep Yr 7 Immunisations
- 12-14 Sep Yr 9 Clontarf Camp
- 14 Sep RUOK? Day
- 15 Sep Athletics Carnival
- 20-22 Sep Yr 12 SIDE Exams
- 21 Sep Yr 7-10 Good Standing Reward
- 22 Sep Last day of Term 3
- 25 Sep King's Birthday Public Holiday
- 2-6 Oct Yr 12 School-Based Exams
- 9 Oct School Development Day
- 10 Oct Students return for Term 4



Mr Ronan Croft YEAR 12 COORDINATOR



Formal Photo Ready



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### YEAR 12 COORDINATOR'S ADDRESS

This term has gone so quickly with everything that has been happening across Champion Bay. Our Year 12 ATAR students completed their Semester 1 exams in Week 5. While in the weeks leading up to this, our General students tackled their Externally Set Tasks. The students who completed these gave their best shot and their perseverance was impressive to witness.

#### Uniform

With the weather becoming quite cold it is encouraged that students still stay in the correct uniform. Please send your child to school and the correct uniform of CBSHS shorts/pants/skorts, and a school/leavers jacket with school shirt underneath. Please do not let them come to school with a coloured jumper under their jacket. If for some reason the student can't be in uniform, please write a note in their diary to let us know. If your Year 12 student wishes to wear the formal uniform, please ensure they wear the full uniform (including plain black shoes).

#### **Formal Photos**

During week 7, the Year 12s got to wear in their formal uniform for the first time for our CBSHS Year 12 formal photos. Tash Gilmartin, EA here at CBSHS, took the time to professionally take the students photos. These included a Year 12 whole cohort photo, Form photos and an individual photos. These photos will be available to purchase in a pack. This information will be sent out once photos are finalised.

After the photos our students with Good Standing were treated to a burger on the green. They were able to pick and choose what they wanted and thoroughly enjoyed the treat provided.

#### **Attendance**

If your student is unable to attend, PLEASE make sure you contact the school with a reason. This stops the absence being unexplained which is also a big goal that CBSHS strives for.

#### **iPads**

With iPads being part of the routine for 6 years now, students should be well aware of the procedure, please be vigilant on students NOT taking their iPad home. There is no insurance once it leaves school grounds and they are now loaded with a program which tells students and the technician whether iPads have left the premises. Our Year 12s need to take the extra time after school to put their iPad away and ensure it is on charge. If the student does take iPad home, please contact the school or drop it into the front office.

This part of the term is a lead up to reporting. All aspects discussed above are pivotal in helping your child succeed. Please make sure they are ready to come to school prepared to learn, and if not, the school is notified with a valid reason of non-attendance

At the Beginning of next term, The year 12s will be having their first celebration assembly for Semester 1. More information will be sent out about this closer to the time



## YEAR 10/11 ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

Term Two has flown by. We have managed to achieve so much in such a short period of time. As I am writing this some of our students will be preparing for Country Week and work experience. We wish them all the best as they aspire to be their very best while being respectful and resilient, whether in the workplace or the sporting arena.

#### **OLNA**

We have had many students sit the OLNA for Writing, Reading and Numeracy from 1 May to 12 May, or 12 June to 23 June. We wish all our students the very best and will await the results. Thank you to Mrs Worthington and Mrs Maher for their assistance with our students sitting OLNA this year.

#### Reports

All reports should be out now, please use this time to reflect and celebrate success but also to plan for continued success or where improvement needs to be made.

#### **Course Counselling**

Our Year 10s will be completing Course Counselling next term during Weeks 1-3. This is a very exciting time where students, parents/carers and a course counsellor will sit down to discuss the Senior School Pathway. This will be based on the students' interests, desired pathway along with results and HoLA's recommendations. Our Year 10 exams in Week 8 have provided opportunities for our students to again Aspire to be their best and show Respect and Resilience while studying at home.

#### Student of the Week

Thanks to Mr Doyle and also Miss Bell for rewarding our wonderful Year 10's and 11's with student of the week rewards this term. It is fantastic to see so many of our students ensuring they maintain their good standing with 90% adjusted attendance, completing all course work and upholding our school wide behavioural expectations.

On a final note, I would like to wish everyone a restful and safe break and will see you all back in Term Three.



Student of the Week



Yr 11 Good Standing Reward



Yr 10 Good Standing Reward

Mr Neil Wyatt
ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL



A huge turnout for the Year 10 and 12 Good Standing Reward lunch on the Green!



Yr 12 Good Standing Reward



Mrs Waneen Bennett ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL

### YEAR 7/8/9 ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS

On this rather crisp winter morning as the sun rises over the ranges, I have this wonderful opportunity to sit quietly in my office and reflect on the semester that has been. As always it is such a pleasure working with students in the lower secondary, alongside caring staff who work with great dedication to provide positive educational opportunities to all students.

It has been a joy watching our Year 7 students transition into high school as they settle into their new classes, Teams and social groups. Students have been resilient as they adapt to a high school timetable with a range of teachers across learning areas and learning new subjects like Design & Technologies and the Performing Arts.

Friendships play such a pivotal role in students' social and emotional lives at high school. Building and maintaining healthy and positive friendships is exciting but sometimes it's hard to do. A wise saying is, "He who walks with the wise grows wise, but a companion of fools suffers harm." So, my message to all students is to be mindful and purposeful with who you surround yourself with. Chose your friendships wisely. Surround yourself with friends who encourage you to be the best version of you, friends who make positive choices, friends who help you with your self-confidence and self-worth and friends who increase your overall happiness. Remember it is the quality of your friendships that count and not the quantity. And above all, be that friend to others!

Over the holidays, students will receive their Semester 1 Report. Students are encouraged to take some time out to reflect on their grades and teacher comments. Celebrate the successes. Identify areas needing to be strengthened and set realistic goals and develop meaningful strategies to help improve and achieve at your highest level.



Ms Colleen Byrne HoLA - HASS

With all the cold weather particularly in the morning, label school jackets for easy return

### **HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

This term has been a busy one for the HaSS learning area – exam tutoring and prep, excursions, celebrating HaSS week on top of all the great everyday classroom learning.

The Year 7s had an excursion to the museum to find out firsthand how a museum is run, where the exhibitions come from and who owns them. Students had time to watch a 3D film about the HMAS Sydney and the excavation to find artifacts, they investigated life on the Batavia and the experiences on board before the fateful shipwreck. Students then had the opportunity to investigate an area of the museum they found interesting.

The Year 9s attempted their Geography Fieldwork task and some classes were lucky enough with the weather to do the walk around the Geraldton foreshore and Central Business District while others showed their resilience by completing the task virtually when their excursion was rained out.

The Year 10s had their first experience of writing exams and I'm impressed with how well some of the students achieved. Others realised the amount of time they need to prepare and at the end of the year will take the teachers up on their tutoring and exam preparations.

The Year 11s have completed their first units towards their WACE while the Year 12 are entering their final hurdle with only one more unit to complete before their high school career is over.

I hope the senior school students take on board the feedback and advice from their teachers regarding what they need to improve and how their written answers can be better.

Enjoy the winter holidays and look forward to seeing you next semester.



Geography Fieldwork



Year 12



Harmony Day Flag Cookies



Debates



Geography Fieldwork



Geography Fieldwork



Geography Fieldwork



Debates



Museum Visit



#### **LIBRARY**

#### **Brain Gym**

Jigsaw puzzles have been very popular this term. A thank you to Ms Palmer for donating some challenging and interesting jigsaws. Ms Vlatko also provided an 'International Flags' jigsaw puzzle which was completed during HASS week celebrations. The crazy circus puzzle was extremely difficult and took four weeks to complete.

#### Young Writer's Workshop

This term we were lucky to have the talented Aska visit our school for the Young Writer's Workshop. She is an award-winning graphic novelist and had the students engaged all day drawing and learning visual literacy skills. Aska and Libby (the Education Officer from Fremantle Literature Centre) think CBSHS is awesome.

#### **Bush Tucker**

New additions to the library resource collection include a variety of books on Bush Food with plenty of interesting recipes to try.

Borrowing is encouraged over the two weeks school holidays.

#### WA Premier's Reading Challenge 2023

The Premier has change but the reading challenge is still the same. Year 7 to 10 students read, record your efforts on the website and be in the draw to win fantastic prizes. There is still time to join. The competition ends September 9.

www.premiersreadingchallenge.wa.edu.au



Mrs Olga Cotterell **TEACHER LIBRARIAN** 



**Bush Tucker** 







Jigsaws





oung Writer's Workshop



Young Writer's Workshop







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Thank you olga, Liz and Janet for everything you do to support Young Writers Collective and for making us feel 60 welcomed.

Welove visiting Champion Bay SHS; it's always such a joyful, special experience.

lots of love

Aska + Libby XXX



## MIGA MANMANHA BARN MAKING SOMETHING GOOD

At Champion Bay, we have developed a new group for staff dedicated to building our awareness and knowledge of Aboriginal culture. The group is meeting regularly with the purpose to nurture a sense of place by increasing understanding, value and recognition of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island cultures, histories, knowledge and rights. Watch this space.







Professional Development



Coral Cup Activities

#### **CLONTARF**

Champion Bay Clontarf Academy had a roaring end to the term with lots of sporting and educational activities taking place. From Beyond the Stars at our own museum to filling out Graduate Employment Pathways Portfolios in the Academy, Term 2 had it all.

The lads were fully engaged in our team time with activities and the two camps which are always a highlight of our activities.

As staff of the Clontarf Foundation, we made our way to Katoomba in New South Wales where we were treated to some highly experienced guest speakers in their field. Also, during the PD there was a State of Origin where our Region fell to a mighty Northern Territory team in the dying second to miss out on a trip to the big dance.

Next term is once again full to the brim with activities and educational experiences. We have one of our most important activities on the agenda, with our Annual Employment Forum. All the lads look forward to this as they get closer to ending their educational journey.

The Champion Bay Academy thanks everyone for their support of our program and we look forward to Term 3. Happy Holidays.



Activities



Virtual Reality - Museum



Virtual Reality - Museum



**Basketball Scoring** 



Working Hard



Basketball Camp



Coral Coast Cup - Carnarvon



Coral Coast Cup - Carnarvon

Dream Dress Up Day

### **CAREERS CENTRAL**

Careers have certainly had a busy term! During National Careers Week we held another hugely successful Careers Expo, along with our annual Dream Dress Up day and Fashion Parade.







Dream Dress Up Day

#### HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION

On Thursday 1 June, we had Tallas and Jeremy from Touch Rugby WA run a two-hour clinic for some lucky Years 7, 8 and 10 Physical Education classes. Most students had not played Touch Rugby before so the time spent with Tallas and Jeremy was a positive experience. Students respected the rules and expectations set by Tallas then aspired to do their best when Jeremy took them through some Touch Rugby skills. Concluding the skills session was a modified game. The modified game started off a little out of touch, though with the true grit and resilient nature of those students shining through, along with the feedback given, the modified game became out of this world! Some students surprised themselves about how much they enjoyed the sessions!

On Friday 9 June, Ms Hardiman and Ms Crowe took 60 students to the Wonthella Netball Stadium for the Mid West Netball Carnival. We had 2 Year 7 teams, 2 Year 8/9 teams, 1 Year 9/10 team and a Year 11/12 team. Mr Dean and Mr Clifton took two football teams, 1 Year 7/8 and 1 Year 9/10 to Eadon Clarke Reserve to play in the Eagles Schoolboys Cup. The weather was beautiful, and all students and staff enjoyed the day out. Students are to be commended on their behaviour because they really exemplified the school's expectations of Respect for themselves, team-mates, umpires, and coaches, they Aspired to improve during every game and demonstrated Resilience, when things were not going well, they persevered.

A shout-out to our wonderfully talented Year 12s who took the Lower School teams under their wings. Your quidance, thus encouragement and support assisted the Girls to improve during every game they played. Everyone had back-to-back games until the final round when they enjoyed a long-deserved break. Also, a shout-out to Ms Oswald, Ms Trembath and Ms Bennett for your support in assisting the students to attend on the day. Thank-you to Clontarf, Ms Forrester and Ms Hughes for supporting the Eagles Schoolboys Cup and Netball teams on their day.



Ms Gemma Hardiman HOLA - HPF



Touch Rugby WA



Mid West Netball Carnival



Art Therapy



**Art Therapy** 

#### SHINE

#### Good news story Term 2 2023 Year 7-8

- Our Term 2 focus is INSPIRE to be inspirational and inspire others with the good work the SHINE students develop.
- Desert Blue Connect have been delivering content on healthy relationships.
- GRAMS have been coming in weekly for Drug and Alcohol education.
- Who do we trust our 5 safe people?
- Movie reward for all SHINE students who attend 90% and above for Term 2.
- Safe and unsafe secrets how to determine when to tell an adult.
- Fun team building

#### Quotes from the students:

"SHINE is the only reason I come to school, every Thursday and Friday are my favorite days I get to see Kama".

"DBC told me I could go speak to someone for counselling if I ever needed to, I just had to go in there".

"I'm new to CBSHS and I didn't even know a prog<mark>ram li</mark>ke SHINE exist its awesome".



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Team Building



#### CIARA MOURAMBINE

BORN 2005 LIVES & WORKS Geraldton LANGUAGE GROUP Noongar, Yamaji, Kija, Wajarri

An emerging artist, Clara started painting with the guidance of established artists through her school-based program in 2022. She is mostly working with acrylic on wooden boomerangs, while also dabbling in acrylic on canvas.



Mrs Tammy Solomon HoLA - Science

#### **DEADLY SISTA GIRLZ**



## DeadlySistaGirlz

During the 2022 and working into 2023, we discovered that Ciara Mourambine has a hidden talent that just couldn't be hidden any longer, her artistic creativity has shone through and DSG Staff encouraged her to get more creative during recess & lunch. With a little guidance, Ciara decided to join Yamaji Art as an Artist, Yamaji Art also saw her talent and entered Ciara into the Revealed Exhibition for 2023. She was selected and created her artwork entry at home after school. This kept her busy as she had to create to a certain timeframe. The final artwork was stunning and sold on the Opening Night of the Exhibition at the Fremantle Arts Centre in Perth.

The 2023 Revealed Exhibition for new and emerging WA Aboriginal Artists, returns to celebrate the creativity, ambition, and diversity of contemporary Aboriginal Art practice here in Western Australia.

The annual Revealed program – encompassing this exhibition as well as a special opening weekend celebration with Art Market, (returning in-person for 2023!) and artist talks – provides a unique opportunity for Perth arts lovers to meet artists from all over this vast state and hear rich stories of culture and community. Revealed also provides an ethical avenue for purchasing original art from art centres and independent artists across the state, with 100% of profits returning directly to the participants. Featuring the work of over 100 new and emerging talents, the Revealed Exhibition is now a cornerstone of the WA arts calendar.

#### **SCIENCE**

#### **Year 7-10s**

This term, students have been busying studying Physical Science. The Year 8 classes have all constructed solar ovens, tested their constructions and then written comprehensive laboratory reports on their findings.

#### Science and Engineering Challenge

We won!

Two mixed groups of Year 8/9 comprised of four students each, completed a series of team challenges. Our teams came first and fifth. Congratulations to all our students.

#### **Year 12 Human Biology**

Students have finished Semester 1 exams and are now embracing their Unit 2 topics. Currently we are looking at Random genetic drift as a mechanism of evolution. The students conducted a practical called Skittle Island to consolidate their understanding of the content.



Year 8 Solar Ovens



Year 8 Solar Ovens



Year 8 Solar Ovens



Science and Engineering Challenge



Science and Engineering Challenge



Science and Engineering Challenge



Science and Engineering Challenge



Year 12 Human Biology



Year 12 Human Biology



Year 12 Human Biology



### **FUTURE PATHWAYS PROGRAM**

#### What's your Future Pathway?

FPP student have a wide variety of career interest areas for their futures. By looking at interests, skills and opportunities in their CYPFS Endorsed Program, students have outlined pathways to careers of interest and employment.

I want to work in construction or scaffolding. I need a white card, working at heights, working in confined spaces and drivers licence - QK

I want to work as a butcher or in the mechanical trade. Both are a Cert III qualification - LF

I want a career in Administration or being a baker. I can do a traineeship or Cert III qualification at TAFE - TC

I want a career in mining or carpentry. I need operator qualifications or an apprenticeship - BO

I am interested in light and/or heavy vehicle mechanics. Both require a Cert III apprenticeship qualification - RC

#### Life Skills and Wellbeing Program

FPP has been completing a series of workshops with Bundiyarra Aboriginal Corporation. The paintings created reflect their family trees, identity and areas of cultural connection. We are grateful for the time that Bundiyarra has spent with FPP this term.

#### **Boxing**

Students have been taking boxing classes with Point Blank Boxing Studio with a focus on participation, strength, perseverance and stamina. These lesson go toward the Recreational Pursuits Endorsed program.

#### **Cert II Resources and Infrastructure**

The Cert II Resources and Infrastructure students have continued in their certificate training this term. They have completed carpentry, metal working and welding, and moved into scaffolding. They have identified some areas of skill, which has led to new career interest areas and opportunities.





Painting at Bundiyarra







Boxing



Boxing



Boxing



Boxing



Cert II at TAFE



Cert II at TAFE



Cert II at TAFE



**Cert II at TAFE** 





UN Youth WA State Conference



Mindflight7 VR Room



Izzy Mitchell - WA Student Council





**Reconciliation Luncheon** 

#### FOLLOW THE DREAM

#### **UN Youth WA State Conference**

The UN State Conference occurred over 3 days. Two of our FTD students, Vanessa and Manny were generously awarded a scholarship each from the Polly Farmer Foundation (FTD Partner) to cover their registration as well as travel and accommodation for themselves and two additional CBSHS students that attended the conference.

The conference involved 3 types of activities; workshops, Interactive Problem Solving (IPS) and of course, the debate itself. There were also several important names and faces

- -Hon. Simone McGurk (WA Youth Minister)
- -Imogen Kane (Current Australian Youth Representative for the United Nations)
- -Daryna Zadvirna (WA's Journalist of the year)
- -US Consult (Siriana Nair)
- -John Kargotich (United Nations Civil-Military Coordinator)

#### Mindflight7 Virtual Reality Room

The below FTD students had the opportunity to participate in a two-hour workshop to experience the Careers Flight VR Room with the Mindflight7 crew.

#### **WA Student Council Representative**

Isabella Mitchell is now a representative of the WA Student Council. This opportunity will provide Izzy with a voice to help shape the future of public education in Western Australia.

#### **TAFE – Reconciliation Luncheon**

In week 6 a group of FTD students and four of their friends attended the TAFE Reconciliation Luncheon.

#### Radio Mama – Reconciliation Yarn

These FTD students and their friends participated in some recordings by Radio Mama about what Reconciliation means to them. You can listen to these recording on Radio Mama social media sites.

#### **Study Sessions**

Monday to Friday

SENIOR STUDENTS in school study blocks (these are timetabled by the school as part of student's normal timetable)

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday ALL STUDENTS morning sessions 8:00am to 9:00am VR room by booking 8:00am to 8:40am

Monday to Thursday

ALL STUDENTS afternoon sessions 3:00pm to 4:30pm (Senior students have the option to tutor until 5:00pm)

## Radio Mama **Participants**





















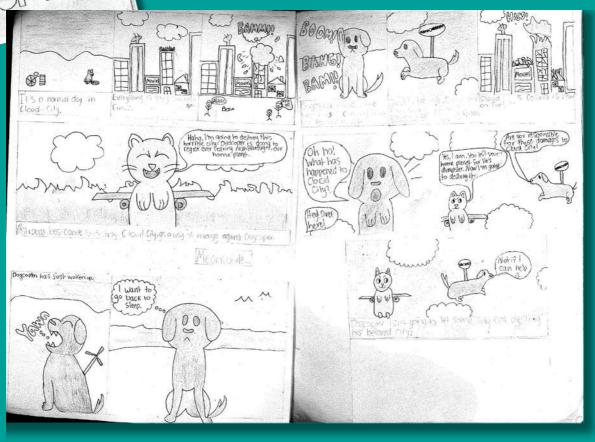
## **ENGLISH**

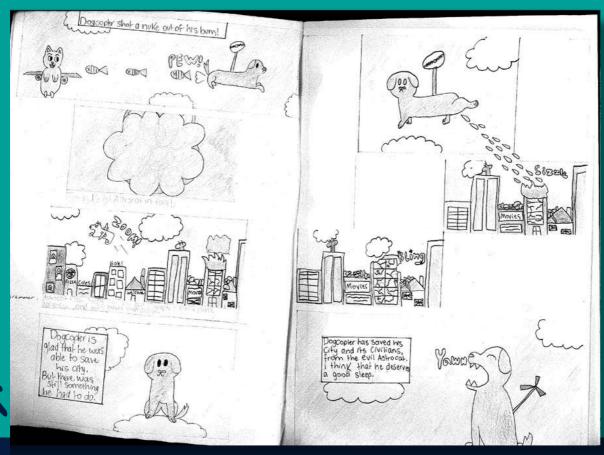
This term in English, Year 8 students have been creating comic strips.

This was one of my favourite ones as DogCopter uses some unique fire-fighting skills to save his city from the evil Astrocat (bad guy laugh MWAHHH!)



This is Mr Chris Yates HoLA - ENGLISH







Ms Sue Macdonald HoLA - D&T

## **DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY**

And that's a wrap for our Year 7 and 8 students in Home Economics and Materials for this semester. It is now time to swap the time table. Those who had Materials can look forward to Cooking and those who had Cooking can look forward to Materials.

Year 9 and 10 students will be also moving on to their next round of options. So we hope you enjoy your next subjects and look forward to seeing if you can do it better than your predecessors!!

Wishing all of our students and family a safe holiday ready and charged for next semester!



#### **MUSIC**

It's the end of term two already- no way!

The weeks have been flying by with so many exciting happenings in music and around the Arts.

It has been very rewarding to be working with Mrs Corlett on our school musical. CBSHS certainly has got talent! My role is to help our fantastic young actors develop their vocal skills and performance ability in a public space. So far, we have entertained the front office staff and the entire school staff by singing the round 'Belle Mamma'- we even got them singing.

Mrs Corlett is busy writing the script for the musical and rushing it hot off the press for rehearsal.

In other news, our String Ensemble is growing, and we can now play some tunes together.

A huge shout out to our P&C for donating four violins; to say our students were excited is an enormous understatement.

We also are continuing our adventures in learning with the Didgeridoo group. This is a very welcome role reversal for me, as I am learning far more from our students than they are from me.

Our CBSHS Show Choir is preparing for the first of four live performances, featuring Dancing Queen and Time Warp, choreographed by Mrs Corlett and our showstopper choir.

Term 2 has seen our junior band kids totally transform! They are playing music that is rhythmically complex, and my outstanding students are giving it their all. It doesn't hurt that they get a chocolate reward for being prepared with their music, a pencil and an instrument.

Mr O'Sullivan has an ever-growing group of young guitarists learning new songs in his guitar ensemble. Mr O'Sullivan and myself are rehearsing with our Junior Band to prepare for our September ABODA Band Camp and concert. With measurable progress each week, we are even preparing to provide live music for our schools valedictory ceremony.

Our classroom music has had many successes, with Mr O'Sullivan and myself collaborating with our students to record and produce their own music on Garage Band with the theme 'My Place' as part of our Aboriginal music unit. Looking back on our general music students, I could not be prouder of our students. They entered the classroom with limited or no musical experience and can now write and perform complex rhythms and even write their own music.

Walking into music before school, at recess, lunch, and after school, you would be forgiven for thinking that CBSHS has a conservatorium of music. A place where music comes alive!





Mr Harry Pickett Teacher - Music







Mrs Natalie Worthington Literacy & Learning Support Coordinator



Walkway to CAW

#### LITERACY & LEARNING SUPPORT

#### **Champions at Work Program**

An engagement program for students who require additional adjustments and modifications to successfully achieve a WACE (WA Certificate of Education) or WASSA (WA Statement of Student Achievement). The key goal of the program is to build students' capacity academically and socially to prepare them for their chosen career pathway. As a part of the program, students are enrolled in ASDAN programs and Certificate II in Conservation and Land Management, and the projects involved in these have meant that the students have designed, created and maintained outside teaching and learning environments. They also grow, harvest and cook the vegetables and herbs they grow.

#### P.A.D. - Purpose. Access. Diversity

An area at CBSHS that comprises of several different rooms, with a variety of furniture and equipment, each designed to cater for students who need space, time and activities to self-regulate during the school day. The P.A.D. is also supervised by Education Assistants during recess and lunch.

The P.A.D. has the following:

- Mindfulness Zone, which is a chill out space for listening to music, drawing, or reading.
- Power Room, which has exercise equipment to allow students to exert some energy.
- Student Study Space, which is for students to use to catch up on assessments or work in a quiet environment.
- Year 10-12 Hang-out, where students can make drinks and snacks and socialise with friends.
- Year 7-9 Hang-out, where students can eat together, play games, or just chill!



CAW



Mindfulness Zone



Power Room



P.A.D



P.A.D



P.A.D



P.A.D



Student Study Space





I have a positive attitude.

First day for students in Term 3 is Tuesday 18 July – please 'top' up stationery to start Term 3

