

From the Principal



There have been a couple of significant events since our last newsletter which I would like to briefly talk about and acknowledge the great work of staff and students.

Tuesday evening of week 6 was our 'Learning Expo' where learning areas showcased the great work students have done throughout the year. The evening was open to the parents of current

students and the parents of Year 5, 6 & 7 students from our feeder primary schools.

The feedback from those who attended was overwhelmingly positive and all were genuinely impressed by our school. The conduct of our students was outstanding in how they greeted parents, showed them around our facilities and spoke about their work.

I publically congratulate these students and the staff who spent hours in their preparation for this Expo and their dedication to the task.

Thursday of week 6 saw our Year 12 Valedictory and Formal evening. This was a celebration for the Year 12's to be recognised for their work over the past 5 years and for some, acknowledgement of their success in subject areas. The evening was well attended by families and a number of invited guests that included Mr Tim McLeod (Education Director), Ms Frances Bedford (State member for Florey), Mr Tony Zappia (Federal member for Makin) and Julie Woodman (Councillor, Salisbury Council).

Many thanks to the fabulous and dedicated work by Hiam Khouzam for pulling this event together. Also congratulations to our MC's for the night, Alannah Pix and Ben Coombs for their excellent work and ex-student Michael Santos who gave a great speech to the exiting Year 12's.

A great night was had by all.

Greg Cox



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Diary Dates

Term 4

Tuesday 4 December

Year 7 Orientation Day
Parent Evening 5:30pm—6:30pm

Wednesday 5 December

Governing Council Meeting
6:00pm—6:15pm
Governing Council Dinner 6:30pm

Monday 10 December

Jumpstart Program Year 8/9

Tuesday 11 December

Jumpstart Program Year 8/9

Wednesday 12 December

Jumpstart Program Year 8/9

Thursday 13 December

Year 8/9 Excursion

Friday 14 December

Last day of Term 4
Early dismissal 2:05pm

Reporting Student Absence

If your child is absent please contact Valley View Secondary School on 8360 6111 before 9am to provide a brief reason for the absence (eg Illness or Family). If your child is marked unexplained for Homegroup and we have not been notified, a text message will be sent to the first Parent/Caregiver's mobile. Please communicate student lateness or early departure via your child's diary. If you anticipate that your child will be absent for more than 5 consecutive days an Exemption Form need to be completed. These can be obtained from the Front Office.

Term Dates—2019

Term 1	29 January—12 April
Term 2	29 April—5 July
Term 3	22 July—27 September
Term 4	14 October—13 December

House Points (update)

Yellow	2600
Blue	2476
Red	2324
Green	1844

CaFE SACE Graduation



CaFE SACE is an alternative offsite adult learning program run for young women seeking to complete their SACE certificate.

CaFE SACE celebrated a year of learning on 14 November with a Graduation and End of Year ceremony with staff, students and friends.

Courtney Charlton & Lisa Phillips have completed their SACE after 3 years in the program and both plan to apply for midyear entry to University in 2019.

Kalpana Patel won the Most Improved Student award, and the Leadership Award went to Madi Hemming.

Students and teachers went out to a lunch at The Ghan Kebab House to celebrate their hard work. We look forward to seeing them back next year along with 3 new students.

Ms Rachael Savage
CaFE SACE



Kalpana Patel
Most Improved Student 2018



Madi Hemming
Leadership Award 2018

Class of 2018—Graduation



2018 Graduation Awards

Year 12 Long Tan Award - *Raff Lioi*
Year 10 Long Tan Award - *Saliha Karatas*
Caltex All-Rounder Award - *Alannah Pix*
Makin Humanitarian Award - *Madison Leach*
Florey Music Award - *Caleb Bell*
Governing Council Award - *Madison Power*

Subject Awards

VET - *Matt Hughes*
Research Project - *Ben Coombs*
English - *Connor Shaw*
Mathematics - *Ben Coombs*
Psychology - *Alannah Pix*
Science - *Jacob Thomas*



Class of 2018

Dux Awards for 2018



Dux Awards

Year 8 Dux for 2018

Bradley Newman & Angelina Sim

Year 9 Dux for 2018 - *Olivia Halliday*

Year 10 Dux for 2018 - *Nathan Welke*

Year 11 Dux for 2018 - *Jamie Smith*

Year 12 Dux for 2018 - *Cain James*



Class of 2018 Formal



Class of 2018

Governing Council Meeting



**VALLEY VIEW
SECONDARY SCHOOL**
Every Student Matters



NOTICE OF MATERIALS & SERVICES CHARGES 2019

**YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO JOIN THE
VALLEY VIEW SECONDARY SCHOOL
GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING**

DATE: WEDNESDAY 5 December 2018

TIME: 6:00 – 6:15pm
Please report to Reception



PURPOSE OF MEETING

- An opportunity to discuss the proposed Materials & Services Charges for 2019
- Approval of the Notice of Materials & Services Charges for 2019

**Should you wish to enquire about the proposed charges or
the meeting please make contact with the
Finance Office on 8360 6111**

Materials & Services Charges 2019



Government of South Australia
Department for Education

Valley View Secondary School - 1184		
Notice of Materials and Services Charges for 2019		
Notice of Charges for Year 8 To Year 12		
HEADING	ITEMS AND SERVICES	COST (\$)
Printed and electronic materials related to the educational program and which are provided for the student	Workbooks	\$0.00
	Text Book Hire / E-Book Access	\$25.00
	Photocopied Material	\$30.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZPREM)	\$55.00
Stationery items that are provided for the student	Stationery Items	\$0.00
	Student ID Card	\$5.50
	Student Diary	\$5.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZSTAT)	\$10.50
Materials and Services that are provided by the school for the student to consume or use the materials or take ownership of a finished article produced by the student with the materials	Access to Student Information Technology	\$110.00
	Access to Machinery	\$40.00
	Access to Equipment	\$40.00
	Curriculum/Subject Supplies and Services	\$155.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	Other [please Specify]	\$0.00
	SUBTOTAL (ZACMS)	\$345.00
Materials for inclusion in the school library and to enable use by the student	Library resources including access to borrowing library resources	\$29.50
	SUBTOTAL (ZACLI)	\$29.50
Total Materials and Services Charge (excluding Subject Charges)		\$440.00

These subject charges are in addition to the Materials and Services Charge above for those students undertaking the following subjects.

Subject Description	Cost (\$)
Year 10 Outdoor Pursuits	\$110.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00

Youth Opportunities Scholarships

Youth Opportunities are very excited to announce that they have partnered with the Adam Scott Foundation to provide an opportunity for one deserving Youth Opportunities graduate to receive a University Scholarship. The successful recipient may pursue undergraduate studies in any academic discipline at any South Australian University commencing in 2019, with their tuition paid in full for the duration of their course, up to the value of \$70,000. Please see Mr Lee or visit youthopportunities.com.au/what-we-do/scholarships/ for more information.

This is part of their wider scholarship program that offers educational and career opportunities to Youth Opportunities Graduates. One Valley View student was the proud recipient of one of these School Based Scholarships. The ceremony, which was held at the Regency Tavern, saw 31 graduates from across SA awarded with items ranging from laptops and cameras to courses and tutoring. Our student was Asmika Rai, who won a laptop and accessories.

The next round of YO scholarships will open in early 2019, any student who has graduated from the Youth Opportunities program is welcome to apply. More information will be provided closer to the application opening date.

Valley View Secondary School has a proud partnership with Youth Opportunities, a not-for-profit organisation that offers a Personal Leadership Program to our Year 10 students. The course runs for one day per week for a term, and is held off school grounds. Students gain skills and strategies in areas including: leadership, achieving goals, career planning, changing habits, increasing motivation, improving communication and relationships, developing confidence and cultivating long-term happiness. Graduates receive 10 SACE points, plus ongoing opportunities and coaching from Youth Opportunities until they finish high school. The program has been running for over 20 years and we have committed to our student's wellbeing and resilience by running two programs per year. Before each program, Youth Opportunities presents to Year 10 students who then choose to apply for the program. Please see youthopportunities.com.au for more information or speak with Mr Lee to find out more.

Mr Jamin Lee
Student /Wellbeing Leader/FLO Manager

