



Myrtleford P12 College

*Inspirational.*

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Principal ● Zlatko Pear

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## A few words from the Principal .....Zlatko Pear

### Kinder Transition

We are very pleased that in 2019 we will once again have two stand-alone Prep classes of approximately fourteen students each. These class sizes will provide our students with the best possible environment in which to begin their formal schooling. This will also enable our teachers to build strong relationships and allow them to work closely with every student to tailor an individualised learning program to build on strengths and develop areas of need.

The transition program will formally start on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> November when we will welcome our 2019 Prep students to the Myrtleford P12 College community for their first experience of 'big school'. It will be the first in a series of visits aimed at making the transition from Pre-school to Prep as smooth and anxiety free as possible. The students will be at school for a morning session and will be involved in a variety of exciting activities. The transition program will also include teachers visiting our students at the kinder and will conclude with the state-wide Orientation Day on the 11<sup>th</sup> of December.

### Sport Champions

As you may have read in the local paper this week we have a cohort of students that are achieving amazing success across a number of sports. This year our Year 8 students have won the local and regional competitions to make it through to the State Finals in four sports. Next Thursday they will be in Melbourne to compete in the State Finals of the volleyball. The following Monday and Tuesday they will be back in Melbourne to represent our region in the State Finals of basketball and baseball.

They will be joined on the Monday by our Year 5 and 6 basketball team which also qualified for the State Final. This is an outstanding result for such a small school. From what I understand this has not happened for at least three decades, if ever.

I believe that this success is a reflection of the quality of the local Myrtleford junior sport programs and the quality of the local coaches/parents who volunteer many hours each week. We are very lucky in Myrtleford that our children have access to such an array of sporting opportunities. GO MYRTLEFORD!!

### Twilight Fair

A reminder that the Parents Club Twilight Fair is on after school tonight. Please come along to have some fun and to support our hardworking parents whose fundraising supports all our children. Looking forward to seeing you there.

### Myrtleford P12 College is a Child Safe School.

All our Child Safe policies can be accessed on the College website.

<http://www.myrtlefordp12.vic.edu.au>

**COLLEGE ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**DON'T FORGET THE TWILIGHT FAIR TONIGHT FROM 4PM**



At the high school assembly on Thursday, Simon Zanin was presented with his Alpine Shire Rural Youth Award by Tony Vaccaro from TAFCO. Congratulations Simon!

**SECOND HAND TEXT BOOK SALES**

Do you have text books that you could sell? Are you looking for text books for next year?

Booklists are now out, so if you have textbooks, or need textbooks for 2019, you can take advantage of the second hand book exchange sale in the library. Books will be available to buy from now until the book lists are to be returned on 23rd November.



**Cash sales only**, and books cannot be held. It is best practice to regularly check for required books. Advice can be given on what books are sellable for the 2019 year.

Hello once again! Today I wanted to share to anyone who reads this my trick as to how I like to nail my exams! Exams are supposed to be the hardest tests of the year, where the person is tested on everything they have learnt for that semester.

Now first off, yes do study! It is very important to go into the exam after a review of your notes or a quick practice of specific types of questions. Saying this though, there are some things that I like to do during or outside of exams that also help me personally.

One trick you can try is study one subject an hour at a time. They say that if you switch up the subject, it can help refocus the mind for another. I have used this trick before when studying through my Math and English exams since I had started exhausting my mind after an hour of taxation.

Don't be afraid to take breaks! Breaks are just as important as studying, since you need to have periods of half-an-hour intervals where you can just relax the mind. Doing this can help freshen your mind, and this is recommended for when you switch to each subject.

One last trick that you can do during exams is instead of starting from the front of the exam in order, during the reading time scan for the highest point questions. If you complete these questions first, it will mean that if you can't finish the whole test, you can leave the low-point questions and still score that delicious grade A.

These were some tips by Ashley O'Brien, hope they were helpful.

.....Ashley

*Ashley's Corner*



# Sports News....

## Baseball

This year there was no other competing school in the Ovens and Mitta round robin competition so our Year 8 students qualified directly to Hume. Mansfield were the only other Hume team looking to qualify for State in Baseball and were keen to challenge our boys in a game of Baseball. The game was held on the 2nd of November at Wangaratta Baseball fields. Our boys have been practicing throughout Term 4 and working on skills and knowledge gained from last year and were very eager to show their talents and knowledge of the game. The game started off with a flurry of runs for us in the first two innings. We were able to play the 9th batter rule, scoring good totals each round, with only one or two players getting caught out with sky balls. Both Liam Morgan and Liam Macgowan did the bulk of the pitching with great success and accuracy. They challenged Mansfield throughout the innings to get on base and score against them. Zach Allan did a fantastic job for a first time effort as our sole catcher of the game. He improved and gained a great deal of confidence throughout the game. Other students that tried their hand at pitching were Kaidan McPherson and Levi Young. The game was dominated by our team, with a final score of 37 runs to Mansfield's 8 runs. The Myrtleford P12 College team has now qualified for the State Baseball Championships to be held in Cheltenham (Melbourne) on the 20th November.



## Volleyball

The Year 8 boys team qualified to represent the O&M district at the Hume Volleyball competition at Wodonga stadium on the 31st October. The team was stacked with talented sporting individuals and were confident in their chances and abilities for the competition. The first game proved to be our closest and toughest competition against Wodonga Victory. They narrowly beat us in the first set however luckily it was a best of three sets competition. The boys were able to quickly take on some feedback and tips to change the way they played, to beat Victory in the second set. The game was in limbo with both sides very evenly matched. Heading into the third set both teams knew they had to win the final set to win the game. The Myrtleford P12 College team were able to handle the pressure and tough competition nicely, to overcome Victory by one point in the final set. The final result was Myrtleford 2/51 defeated Victory 1/49, a very close and well fought out match between the two teams.

Confidence was brimming after this close victory against Wodonga and our students were keen to improve moving forward into the competition. The focus was setting and spiking for our second match against Seymour. The team started off slowly however they were able to quickly compose themselves to win both sets with ease as well as improving their movement and control of the ball. The final score; Myrtleford 2/40 defeated Seymour 0/23.

The final game was a must win for both Myrtleford and Shepparton, as the winning team was going to qualify for State based on this result. Both teams had a great deal of talent and control and the final game was going to be close. The Myrtleford boys were able to creep away on the scoreboard towards the end of both sets to show their dominance of the game and composure under pressure. The final score was Myrtleford 2/40 defeated Shepparton 0/30. This result has qualified our Year 8 boys to compete at the State Volleyball Championships to be held in Melbourne on the 15th November in Dandenong.



The Year 8 boys teams has now qualified for State in Mixed Netball, Volleyball, Basketball and Baseball. An outstanding achievement for this group of students, including Molly Brock who has represented in the boys teams for both the Netball and Basketball.

.....*Clint Slotegraaf*

## Hume District Basketball

On Friday the 26<sup>th</sup> of October, I had the privilege of taking both the Year 8 and Intermediate basketball teams to Shepparton. The Year 8 team consisted of: Addison Bedendo, Molly Brock, Tom Crisp, Daniel Kerr, Liam Macgowan, Kaidan McPherson, Liam Morgan and Levi Young. The Intermediate team was represented by Dominic Bedendo, Declan Bren, Charlie Crisp, Matthew Gunson, Blake McPherson and Damon Harrington. The depth of talent, in both of the teams, was clear to see and it wasn't long before our teams were able to treat anyone looking on, to a visual display of skill and tenacity.

The Intermediate team started their round-robin competition against Marian College. The word, before we even got off the bus, was that Marian were the red hot favourites to win. The game started off in a lackadaisical fashion, with both teams bemused by the fact they were competing against each other. The Intermediates finally switched on and ended up beating Marian quite convincingly.

The Year 8's opening game highlighted the fact that they were indeed a force to be reckoned with and were very much the 'real deal'! The strong background in the Myrtleford basketball competition was evident and the team had an air of confidence and strength about them. Tom Crisp and Liam Morgan were able to assert themselves to secure frequent defensive rebounds and were instrumental in ultra-quick counter attacks. Liam Macgowan, Levi, Kaidan, Addison and Daniel played exceptional positional play and showed great awareness in their offensive roles. Molly Brock, the only female on the team held her own against her male counterparts, enduring some rough play, but unwavering in her efforts and attitude throughout the day.

The Intermediates also flexed their muscles and showcased their talents. Dominic Bedendo and Declan Bren were on fire with a barrage of three pointers and super slick moves that left their opponents in a frequent state of confusion and bewilderment. Charlie was staunch in defense and made breaks with ease, setting up plays or scoring at will off offensive rebounds. The super subs of Matt Gunson and Damon Harrington played a crucial part in the team's performance and were also instrumental in creating space and opportunity for their team mates. Blake was everywhere on the court and his pressure defence led to many attacking opportunities.

It was unfortunate for the intermediate team, but having exerted so much energy from their first game against Marian, they hit the wall in the second half of the final rotational game. Having won two and lost one game, the end result was determined by a points differential from a count back. Unfortunately, Marian had beaten one of the teams by a large margin, which bumped them up to the number one position relinquishing our team to second.

Both teams represented the College with pride and distinction, demonstrating a never give up attitude. Their skills were matched only by their humility and ability to see themselves as no greater than part of a team, working towards a goal. Every one of our players showed commitment to each other and played their role.

Both teams could have gone through to the State Basketball Finals, however at the end of the day only the Year 8's were successful in progressing. The Intermediates will learn from this experience and will be back bigger and stronger next year. Exceptional effort people, very impressive indeed! Regardless of what the results were, you showed the traits of two champion teams and the College is very proud of the way you conducted yourselves and achieved your successful results.



*Phil Tyson*

### **PRIMARY SPORT**

Last Friday the Year 5/6 girls and boys basketball teams travelled to Shepparton to compete in the Regional Finals. They came up against some top opposition from teams around the North East. The Girls team played strongly all day, working together as a team and won 2 games from 4 matches. The Boys team, coached by Brendan Cusack played aggressive and fast paced games, winning them all. The boys made it to the State Finals on November 19. We wish them good luck!

Thanks to Brendan and Suzanne Cusack, Danielle Caponecchia for coaching, scoring and driving.

*Miss Bigger*



A CHILDREN'S BOOBOOK TOUR OF NORTH EAST VICTORIA & SOUTHERN RIVERINA

**OWLFICIAL MEDIA RELEASE 2018**

**THE OWL WHO TRAVELS THROUGH TIME**



The Owl Who Travels Through Time will soar across North East Victoria and Southern Riverina from November 2018, with author, Craig Dent, and Illustrator, Lauren Habarow. The book is the follow up to *The Laugh That Shook The World* and includes verses and illustrations by selected students from 18 schools and shire libraries in the region, created during Children's Boobook Creative Workshops.

The book will be launched at Dymocks Book Store Albury, 526 Olive Street, at 11am this Saturday 3 November with Author Craig Dent and Illustrator Lauren Habarow in attendance, and readings by Wodonga Primary School Students, Parsa Ghodsieh and Kurt Ebeling. Charles Sturt University Lecturer in Education, Paul Grover, will launch the book, the foreword written by Craig's friend and former teacher, Jim Hyman.

Craig Dent has been funded several times by the Australia Council for the Arts, and is currently engaged by Macquarie Primary School for a 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary book, released in December. Lauren Habarow has a Diploma in Fine Arts from Riverina Institute of TAFE NSW, and was the illustrator of *The Laugh That Shook The World*. Lauren travels with Craig on the Boobook Tour and engages students with her great enthusiasm for the arts.

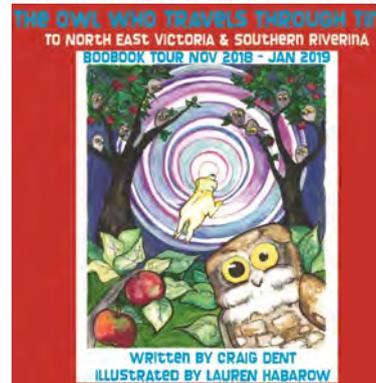
Their first children's book, *The Laugh That Shook The World*, was showcased this year by Regional Arts Australia at Melbourne Art Book Fair at the National Gallery of Victoria. *The Owl Who Travels Through Time*, will be signed by Craig and Lauren on Boobook Tour dates below, and can be purchased for \$20 from these schools, Dymocks or via email to [craig@craigdent.com.au](mailto:craig@craigdent.com.au)

LAUREN HABAROW IS AVAILABLE FOR A PHOTOGRAPH THIS FRIDAY 9 NOVEMBER WITH A COPY OF THE BOOK AND HER ORIGINAL DRAWINGS. CONTACT CRAIG ON 0467611396 TO ARRANGE.

**2018 CHILDREN'S BOOBOOK TOUR DATES**

Dymocks Book Store Book Launch	11am Saturday 10 November
St Mary's Primary School Myrtleford	10.30am Monday 12 November
Harrietville Primary School	2pm Monday 12 November
Carraragamungee Primary School	10.30am Tuesday 13 November
Australian CC Hume Benalla	2pm Tuesday 13 November
Rutherglen Primary School	1pm Monday 19 November
St Joseph's Chiltern Primary School	2.30pm Monday 19 November
Bethanga & Talgarno Primary Schools	2pm Tuesday 20 November
Mitta Mitta & Eskdale Primary Schools	2pm Monday 26 November
Ormeo Primary School	2pm Tuesday 27 November
Myrtleford P12 College Author Talk	2pm Tuesday 4 December
Brocklesby Area Primary Schools	1pm Monday 10 December

There are four dates available to schools on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> December



**Author Visit to Myrtleford P12 College on Tuesday 4th December at 2pm**

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**Hearing Services available in the Alpine Region at Standish Street Surgery, Myrtleford and Bright Allied Health, Bright**  
<https://www.qualtone.com.au/>

**HEALTH CORNER...with Adolescent Health Nurse Rosemary Bunge**

**Keeping up to date with saving lives.**

The Year 10 health class have just completed two sessions learning at how to perform CPR, while Myrtleford P12 College staff spent Monday 5th of November updating their First Aid skills. These activities are to be widely encouraged. If you have the opportunity to learn CPR or take a full first aid course, it is something I would really encourage you to do. We never know when these skills may be called upon. The Year 10 students did a great job learning CPR and were able to actively demonstrate their skills in placing an unconscious person in the recovery position to keep them safe until help arrives. They could also demonstrate hands only CPR and learned about calling **000** and how an AED (Automatic External Defibrillator) works.

By the end of the sessions I believe they had developed more skills and would feel more confident if called upon in a first aid situation.

**Important things to remember**

Your initial response should follow **DRSABCD**

- D**anger
- R**esponse
- S**end for help
- A**irway
- B**reathing
- C**ompressions
- D**efibrillation

To send for help always call **000** in Australia.

**Quote for the week:**  
**Learn First Aid. Be a Hero!**

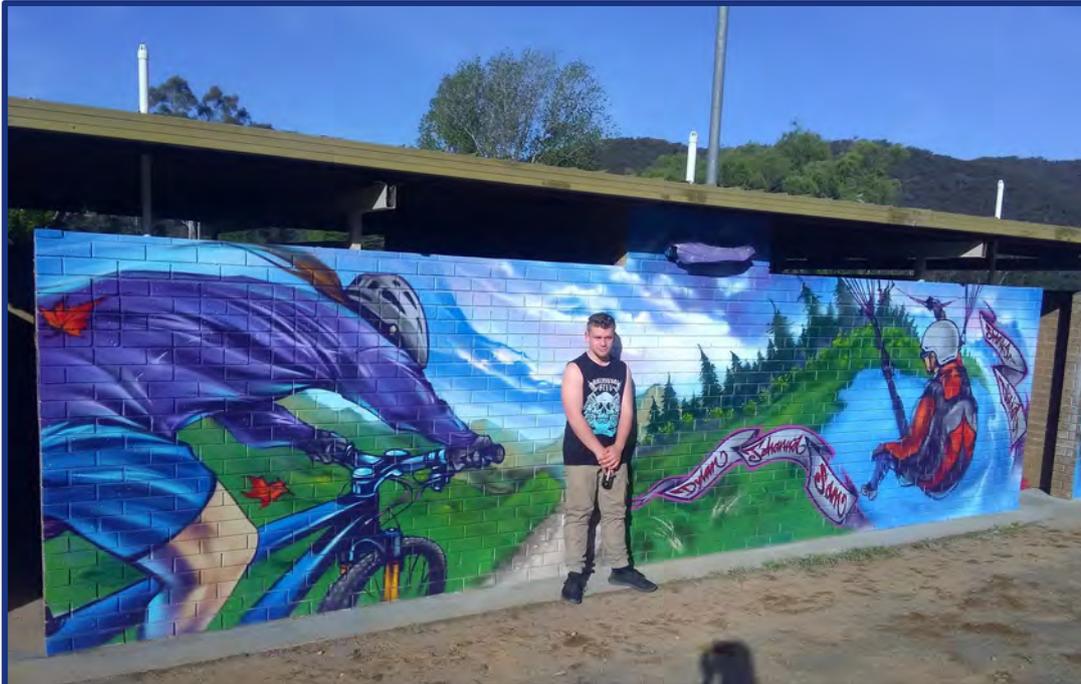
# Year 4 Cooking at the Show

Year 4C and 4W entered into a variety of classes at the recent Myrtleford Show (on top of the sections they entered with Mrs Craftwright through the School Art Program). Some were individual entries and some were group entries. In groups, students were given a class in the Cooking Section. They had to research their recipe and write up a list of ingredients. Then they made their recipe in the school food room. Students made chocolate crackles, scones, ANZAC biscuits, decorated biscuits, muffins and a banana lolly slice. Students also entered individual entries in scrapbooking, craft and the horticultural sections. The students also entered a group entry where, although they didn't win a prize, they certainly drew some comments, especially with the watermelon shark! They should be very proud of their effort in this section as they were up against adult entries. Overall they did very well bringing home 3 ribbons, 9 firsts, 11 seconds and 3 highly commended prize cards.

*Miss Conroy & Mrs Watson*



# Dylan Jenkins helps to create a mural



Pioneer Park  
Recreational  
Reserve,  
Bright

Year 10 student Dylan Jenkins worked with Melbourne-based street artist AJ Tan to create an extensive mural at the Pioneer Park Recreation reserve in Bright.

Dylan worked with other secondary school students from around the Alpine Shire to assist AJ in creating the locally-themed mural, which features images of the four seasons in the local natural environment.

This mural is the third such project that Dylan has worked on, as he worked in the past to help create smaller murals in Porepunkah, and at Myrtleford's Apex Park. Dylan enjoys having the opportunity to contribute to the community, and to create something that looks great, for other people to enjoy. According to Dylan, this mural was particularly great to work on, being a more extensive project over a bigger space.

*Ms Mcrae*



**IN THE COMMUNITY**



# Bar & Barista Bites

Are you a school leaver, or looking to get back into the workforce? Have an interest in Hospitality and Beverage? Then this is the introductory course for you!

We'll cover everything you need to work in a bar or café:

- Safe work
- Working in a bar
- Making drinks and coffee

Plus gain your:

- SC0RSAH018 Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) Certificate
- SA2FOODH18 Food Hygiene Certificate
- SA3FOODS18 Food Safety Supervisor Certificate

5 day course. Classes may commence December 2018 to January 2019 in Shepparton, Seymour, Wangaratta.

Register your interest. Contact [kash@gotafe.vic.edu.au](mailto:kash@gotafe.vic.edu.au) or call 1300 GOTAFE (468 233).

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## Hospitality Short Courses

**SA2FOODH18 Food Hygiene**  
**Duration:** 3 hours  
**from SIT20416 Certificate II in Kitchen Operations**  
 If you or someone in your business is handling food it is current legislation to have the appropriate skills and knowledge in food safety and food hygiene for the work they perform. This short course in Workplace Hygiene for Food Handlers, provides participants with knowledge and skills in safe food handling practices.

**SA3FOODS18 Food Safety Supervisor**  
**Duration:** 4 hours  
**from SIT30916 Certificate III in Catering Operations**  
 As a designated Food Safety Supervisor you will be required to integrate personal hygiene practices and food safety procedures and identify and control hazards. This course will also further your knowledge in storage, preparation, display, service and disposal of foods.

**SC0COFFEE18 Espresso Coffee Workshop**  
**Duration:** 3 hours  
 Learn the art of making a good coffee. Gain experience in the use and maintenance of espresso machines plus learn various other methods of coffee production and service.

**SC0RSAH018 Responsible Service of Alcohol**  
**Duration:** 4 hours  
 Do you need to serve alcohol as part of your job? An RSA is necessary to serve alcohol at any licensed venue in Victoria.  
 Topics covered within the course include:  
 • Provide knowledge of laws and regulations  
 • Correct service of alcohol

Contact us about school or group bookings.

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Mansfield	Myrtleford
Nathalia	Numurkah
Rochester	Rushworth
Rutherglen	Seymour
Shepparton	Tallangatta
Wodonga	Yarrawonga

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**WHAT THE PROGRAM OFFERS:**

- PRACTICAL HANDS ON TRAINING
- SCHOOL BASED TRAINEESHIP
- FUNDING AVAILABLE FOR EMPLOYERS
- INDUSTRY SUPPORTED
- REAL-WORLD APPLICATION AND EDUCATION

See your School Based Trainee Coordinator to discuss suitability and seek approval to enrol in Certificate II in Agriculture (AHC2016) or Certificate III in Agriculture (AHC3016) as a VET subject.

For further information and fees, please contact us:  
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 1300 MY TAFE (1300 69 8233)

Funding may be made available to eligible individuals by State and Commonwealth Governments, if funding is utilised, this may affect opportunities to access additional funding in the future. All listed courses lead to an AQF qualification or statement of attainment. Free TAFE on selected courses only. Other fees and charges may apply. See [www.trefa.vic.gov.au](http://www.trefa.vic.gov.au). All listed courses lead to an AQF qualification or statement of attainment. RTD 3097

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 Keeping children safe from violence

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## Parenting in the Digital World

Tuesday 13 November, 7pm, Alpine Events Centre, Bright  
 Wednesday 14 November, 7pm, Mount Beauty Auditorium  
 Thursday 15 November, 7pm, EMPAC, Myrtleford

Supporting parents to play an active role in their child's digital world, understanding the risks and opportunities afforded by technology for young people, with practical tips on how to stay safe.

- You will appreciate the risks and opportunities afforded by technology for young people
- You will explore the latest research in screen/ online behaviours
- You will learn how to emphasise the importance of open communication and connectedness in keeping young people safe, off and online

Free information session, booking via Eventbrite appreciated  
 Further information [ydo@alpineshire.vic.gov.au](mailto:ydo@alpineshire.vic.gov.au) or 5755 0555

**SPORT IN THE COMMUNITY**



**Spend your summer in the pool!!**

**Optional Pennants:**

- 2nd Dec, Beechworth
- 16th Dec, Myrtleford
- 13th Jan, Rutherglen
- 20th Jan, GT Combined
- 10th Feb, Tallangatta
- 17th Feb, Mt Beauty
- 10th Mar, Corryong

**Myrtleford Swimming Club**

Whether you're a competitive swimmer or just looking to swim for fitness, our family friendly club provides a supportive atmosphere to achieve your goals and have fun! Whether you're 6 or 96.

The club trains at Myrtleford from November to March under the guidance of several fully qualified swim coaches, and is for any swimmer who would like to have fun and make friends. We welcome all swimmers from Myrtleford, Bright, Wandiligong, Porepunkah, Harrietville and surrounding areas.



**Training** (commencing Monday 19th Nov)  
Training is held at the Myrtleford Swimming Pool

	Tadpoles	Intermediates & Seniors
Monday	no training	5:30-6:45PM
Wednesday	5-5:30PM	5:30-6:45PM
Friday	5-5:30PM	5:30-6:45PM

**Early bird family season pool entry pass \$85. Purchase by 24th Nov from Myrtleford library or pool.**



**Contact us**  
Please visit our Facebook page for detailed information or contact Kristy on 0408 324 070 or [myrtlefordalpine.swim@gmail.com](mailto:myrtlefordalpine.swim@gmail.com)

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**SPORT IN THE COMMUNITY**

**ALPINE LIONS FFC**  
**Youth Girls & Women's**



**Be part of the Pride of the Alpine**

**Alpine LIONS Season 2019**

Enjoy our dynamic football culture  
 New Players & Members Welcome

*Be a Trainer, Runner, Water-Boy or Girl  
 Volunteer or Supporter, perhaps a Sponsor*

**Meet the Coaches 11am Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November**  
*Pre Season Training Commences*  
**6pm Wednesdays 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> December**  
*Whorouly Recreation Reserve, and*  
**11am Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> December**  
*King Valley Outdoor School*

More info email: contact 0429 857 876 or 0467611396  
 or vial email: wfc05@bigpond.com

← Myrtleford Savoy Soccer Club 🔍

**Football Federation Victoria** Regional Girls  
 Development Program Myrtleford 🏈👧👩

Wednesday 28th Nov, 5th Dec & 12th Dec:  
 5pm-6pm  
 Savoy Park Myrtleford  
 Girls aged 8-15yrs  
 Cost: Free

Gala Day in Cobram on 15th December 🏈👧👩

Register your interest by emailing Danielle  
 Caponecchia: dcappa@live.com.au with your  
 daughter's name and DOB




**WHOROULY &  
 DISTRICT PRE-SCHOOL  
 ANNUAL GARDEN  
 WALK**

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF OUR  
 PRESCHOOL!

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**WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2018**  
**GARDENS OPEN FROM 9:00AM**

TICKET PRICE \$30 PER PERSON, INCLUDES 4 GARDENS PLUS  
 LUNCHEON AT WHOROULY RECREATION HALL AT NOON.  
 BOOKINGS ENCOURAGED

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Garden Locations: (maps available at the Recreation Hall & Markwood  
 Garden)  
 Nola Hausler – 2088 Snow Rd, Markwood (open 9.00-12.00 only)  
 Rhonda Van Heek – 131 Whorouly 5th Rd, Whorouly 5th (garden & art studio)  
 Sue Nicoll – 604 Whorouly Rd, Whorouly  
 Sally Fitridge – 595 Whorouly Rd, Whorouly

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND FOR BOOKINGS CALL ANITA : 0421841639

**Supported Playgroups**

Come join us for fun, friendship, play and learning!



Supported Playgroups are a FREE weekly session run during school terms in  
 Myrtleford with a trained facilitator. They are for eligible families with children  
 aged from birth to 5 years old.

The playgroups provide:

- ◆ Fun activities, crafts, songs and stories to share with your child!
- ◆ An opportunity to meet other families with young children for support and  
 friendship.
- ◆ A fun environment to play with your child and stimulate their learning and  
 imagination!
- ◆ A chance to learn how parents can use everyday interactions to enhance  
 their child's early learning and development at home using tips from the  
*smalltalk* program.
- ◆ Morning tea will be provided.

Playgroup will be held at Myrtleford P-12 College on a Tuesday and  
 Friday morning. To join in please contact the Supported Playgroups  
 Facilitator at Alpine Shire Council on 03 5755 0555 or 0427 495 631 or  
 email zoet@alpineshire.vic.gov.au





**HOMEWORK AND ASSIGNMENTS DUE DATES**

DUE DATE	SUBJECT	ASSIGNMENT	TEACHER
<b>PREP O and PREP LM</b>			
Prep Homework to be 10 mins – to practise Jolly Phonics letter sounds, read levelled text and chat about their book.			<b>KOD LLI/PMC</b>
<b>YEAR 1A/H and YEAR 1L</b>			
Reading home reader daily and filling in the diary. Sharing bedtime stories is highly recommended. Reading and then spelling M100W lists Counting: [Whenever time permits] Counting 1-100 by 1's, 2's, 5's, 10's. Recognise and write numbers. Say numbers before and after, 2 more than, 2 less than, 10 more than, 10 less than. Measurement: [As opportunities arise in the daily routine] Telling time to o'clock and then half-past on analogue and digital clocks. Money: Familiarization with coins and notes.			<b>BHO/NAN NLE</b>
<b>YEAR 2H</b>			
Nightly home reading and activity sheet			<b>CHO</b>
<b>YEAR 2L</b>			
Nightly Reading			<b>KLO</b>
<b>YEAR 3M</b>			
Big Write, Big Talk and Math Mates.			<b>SMA</b>
<b>YEAR 4W and 4C</b>			
Daily reading 10 mins. Maths Mate weekly. Homework matrix to be completed by end of Term			<b>WWA/CCO</b>
<b>YEAR 5HS and 5B</b>			
Nightly reading (20 minutes), Maths Mates (double-sided page due Friday) Spelling (review in preparation for weekly test)			<b>KHA/ KSA DBI</b>
<b>YEAR 6</b>			
Read every night, Complete Literacy Sheet, Complete Numeracy Sheet, Complete Words Their Way Activity Sheet. <b>All work due on Friday</b>			<b>ALI</b>
<b>YEAR 7</b>			
Every Monday	<b>Maths</b>	Maths Mate Due	<b>SAN</b>
Weekly	<b>English</b>	Spelling words	<b>SAN</b>
<b>YEAR 8</b>			
Wednesday 14th Nov Wednesday 21st Nov	<b>Maths</b>	Maths Mate 6 Due Maths Mate 7 Due	<b>CPE</b>
<b>YEAR 9</b>			
Wednesdays	<b>Maths</b>	Math Mates Due	<b>JMA</b>
<b>YEAR 10</b>			
<b>MYCAL</b>			
Ongoing	<b>English</b>	Weekly Spelling words. Test every Friday	<b>SAN</b>
<b>YEAR 11</b>			

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Parents and the general community are invited to a free session 'Parenting in the Digital World' delivered by Cyber safety experts from the Alannah and Madeline Foundation. This session will complement a session which senior primary aged children from around the Shire will attend during that week. This is a free session, however bookings are appreciated at

**Bright, Tuesday 14 November, 7pm – Pioneer Park Events Centre** <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/parenting-in-a-digital-world-bright-tickets-51539218189>

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