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Truganina Times



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Principal's Report

As we come to the end of an exciting term, I would like to take a moment to reflect on the incredible achievements that have made Term 3 so special. It's been a term full of growth, learning, our College physically growing with more learning spaces and lots of community spirit, and I'm thrilled to share some of the highlights with you.

- Excellence in Learning

Again this term our teachers and staff have fostered an environment where every student is encouraged to reach their full potential in learning. Your child has had access to a **rigorous and supportive academic curriculum** that has challenged them to think critically, solve problems creatively, and embrace a love of learning.

- Excellence of Character

Our students and staff have shown the school values of **being a learner, being respectful, being responsible and being resilient**- This term your child has had the opportunity to be a part of and to contribute to our college community where everyone feels valued and empowered to be their best.

- Excellence in Community

In Term 3 your child has been part of a **fun, safe, inclusive, and supportive community**. We have worked together to create a school environment where every individual feels a sense of belonging and has the opportunity to learn and succeed. We have celebrated diversity, respected different perspectives, and supported each other through challenges and triumphs.

Excellence in Leadership and Student Voice

This term we have celebrated **outstanding NAPLAN results** - the highest in the network and higher than state results! (click here for last newsletter link: <https://truganinap9.vic.edu.au/our-college/truganina-times/>). Our team was asked to present at the **SWVR Excellence in Schools showcase** to demonstrate to colleagues from other schools how we **Celebrate Literacy & Numeracy at Truganina P-9 College**. As your principal, I am committed to leading by example and have been a facilitator with the Victorian Academy of Teaching and Leadership - Inspire program.

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I am excited to present to our school community and NEW Acting School Captains Pavreet Joia and Ishani Ishani.



We wish Anani and Samyukta well. They have been accepted to attend a Term 4 residential at the **School for Student Leadership** <https://alpineschool.vic.edu.au/ssl/> where they will work collaboratively with other student leaders across Victorian Government schools to produce a community project. I look forward to them sharing news about this project with you!

Congratulations to all of our Year 9 students who interviewed and presented some outstanding ideas for making our College even better. They presented to a panel made up of student captains and members of the Truganina P-9 Leadership Team.

In closing, I want to express my gratitude to each and every one of you—students, parents, teachers, and staff—for your dedication this term to making our vision of excellence a reality our school's motto—**Inspiring Excellence in Learning to Believe, Achieve and Succeed.**



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Wishing you all a restful and safe term break!

Amanda Williams
College Principal

Pride & Confidence In Our College

2024 Truganina College Events Calendar	
Date	Event
Wednesday 18th September	Family Maths Evening Students/Families in Foundation to Year 1, Years 6 to 9
Wednesday 18th September	NGV Excursion Selected students in Year 8
Friday 20th September	Footy Colours Day All students to wear their footy colours
Friday 20th September	Last Day of Term 3 Students finish at 2.30pm
Monday 7th October	First Day of Term 4 Students start at 8.35am
Wednesday 9th October	Year 8 & 9 Regional Athletics Selected students in Years 8 & 9
Thursday 10th October	Foundation & Year 1 Kaboom Kid Sports Incursion Students in Foundation & Year 1
Monday 21st October to Friday 25th October	Year 4 Swimming Program Students in Year 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 4E, 4F
Wednesday 23rd October	Circus Skills Incursion Selected students in Year 8
Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November	Year 4 Swimming Program Students in Year 4G, 4H, 4I, 4J
Monday 4th November	Curriculum Day No students on this day
Thursday 7th November	Susan McLean Incursion Students in Year 7 & 8

Congratulations Word Challenge winners!

Congratulations to the following students who were the prize winners for the last newsletter's Word Challenge and made an impressive amount of words with 'su' in them:

Eva Seetul from 01C

Ayansh Mishra from 1E

Mohid Chaudhry from 2I

Well done to all of our winners!



Last Day of Term 3

The last day of Term 3 is Friday 20th September. School finishes at 2.30pm on this day.
Term 4 begins on Monday 7th October at 8.35am.

Happy Holidays!



Don't forget to wear your house or footy colours on Friday 20th September.

The canteen is only open for the Footy Day lunch orders that have already been ordered online.

Online orders have now closed.

Over the counter snacks will be available - limited stock.

