

Friday 27 September 2019 Issue No. 13



### FROM THE PRINCIPAL Dear Families,

We have reached the end of Term 3 and it We continue to work hard to improve is hard to know where the time has gone! facilities at our school and, to that end, we We are very much looking forward to are applying for as many grants as we can. "Shifting Sands" as a great way to wind up We have one in the pipeline at the the term!

available. Parents and caregivers are no longer fit-for-purpose due to growing reminded that you can contact any of your enrolments and the need for more staff. young people's teachers at any time One of the requirements of this grant is should you have any questions or that we let the school community know concerns - email; the Parent Portal or a what we are hoping to do, which is why I phone call to the Front Office will all elicit am mentioning this possibility here. a response!

make on the timetable, which could result students. in the need for re-counselling, but we Finally, we wish all families a delightful has gone into these choices, and the larger 4. number of students we are catering for Kind regards, these days, we remind families that it will Fleur Roachock, Principal be quite difficult for students to change

their choices, so any concerns need to be dealt with as soon as possible.

moment that we hope to win to assist in End-of-term Progress Checks are now expanding our Wellbeing Centre, which is

Year 12s have only a very few weeks left Course Counselling ran very smoothly this to complete their studies - thank you in year, with record numbers of students advance to those teachers who are selecting their subjects within the allotted running sessions over the holidays, time. The new Homegroup system seems particularly in the current industrial to have been particularly beneficial for this climate. We very much appreciate their process. There are still some tweaks to commitment and dedication to their

anticipate minimal changes this year. two weeks of school holidays and we look Given the amount of time and energy that forward to seeing everyone back for Term

### **COMING EVENTS**

### 16 October

Yr 12 ACHPER PE Revision Day

#### 20 - 22 October

Stg 1 Elite Sports Trip

#### 22 - 25 October

- Ag Learning Mt Gambier Show
- 23 October
- Yr 10 Basketball
- KO 8/9 Basketball

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### **GRANT HIGH SCHOOL ABSENTEE LINE**



For all absentees

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Please leave your child's name, homegroup, your name and the reason for the absence. Thank you.

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### STAFF VS STUDENT DEBATE

Grant High School hosted their annual staff vs student debate. The topic of debate was "Imagination is more important than knowledge." Students, Nicole Tracey, Molly Wild and Chelsea Ray took an affirmative stance, whilst teachers, Dr Gary Young, Mr Ben Papps and Mrs Fleur Roachock argued the negative side. Well considered arguments and engaging speeches were given by both teams, however, our adjudicators Tammin Brown and Mrs Gemma Ingram could only award one winner. With only 6 points separating the sides, we are proud to congratulate the students on their victory!













FRIDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER
FINAL DAY OF TERM 3
STUDENTS WILL BE
DISMISSED AT 2.15 PM

TERM 4 COMMENCES
MONDAY 14TH OCTOBER



# **GHS SPRING AWAKENING**

We had a variety of live performances for the school community at our Grant High School Spring Awakening Thursday 5th September in the Drama Room. This event was an authentic learning experience for Music Performance students from Years 9 to 12, as students also operated the sound desk, contributed to the set list, decorating and stage design. Those who attended the event were also treated to food prepared by our Food and Hospitality students.





















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# STG 1 ROCK CLIMBING CAMP

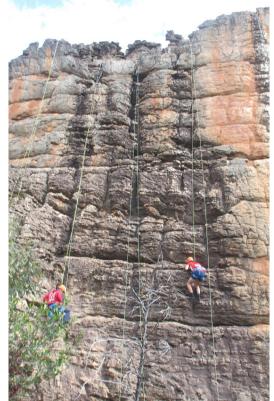














### **STG 2 SELF RELIANT CAMP**









# Former Grant student elected President at Aquinas

Catherine Walsh, who graduated from Grant High School in 2016, has just been elected as Student President of Aquinas College in Adelaide.

Aquinas, a university residential college with a high number of young adults from the Mount Gambier region, has been Catherine's home while she has been studying for a Bachelor of Business degree at the University of South Australia.

"It is an honour to have been chosen for this role at Aquinas for 2020," said Catherine. "We have a wonderful culture at Aquinas, and a real sense of family. I am looking forward to building on this next year and serving my fellow students." Catherine is one of a number of Grant High School alumni at Aquinas.

# **AQUINAS COLLEGE**

A residential community for students at Adelaide's universities

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### **ROYAL MELBOURNE SHOW**

On Friday 20 September, students from the Grant High School Cattle Club, accompanied by teacher Scott Cram, travelled to Melbourne to compete in the Royal Melbourne Show. We have had some fantastic outcomes from the competition with eight out of the ten students winning ribbons in the Cattle Handler Competition for their respective age groups. Other results are as follows:

- Our Red Limousin Steer from the Galpin family of Penola received 2<sup>nd</sup> place and was awarded the highest marks for a school steer in his class. He also won Reserve Champion School Steer of the Royal Melbourne Show.
- Our Murray Gray Steer from the Grant family of Casterton received 2<sup>nd</sup> place and was awarded the highest marks for a school steer in his class.
- Our Murray Gray Steer from the Grant family of Casterton received 4<sup>th</sup> in his class.

All students represented Grant High School commendably which made for a fantastic learning experience.



## GHS NATURAL BORN GRILLERS ART

GHS Arts in the community - A selection of 9/10 Art and Craft students were a part of the creation of a mural at Grillers Natural Born (NBG). Students collaboratively over three weekends to make this amazing Art work come to life: Emily Smith, Ashlee Radley, Caitlin Elshaug and Georgia Scout O'Donnell. Congratulations to Emily Smith as her overall design was chosen by Ben and Ashlyn from NBG. This was a fantastic project that allowed for authentic assessment to occur in the wider community. Head down to NBG when you get a chance.











HOLIDAY REVISION SESSIONS						
<u>Week 1</u>						
Date	Day	Session	Teacher	Time	Location	
Photography students can contact Leah Fox vial email, throughout the holidays for drafts/cameras and questions.						
30/09/19	Monday	Tech Studies  Elite Performing Arts & Re-	Troy Esdale  Mike Bakker	9.00am – 3.00 pm	TS2 Hub/Drama	
30/09/19	Monday	search Project	IVIIKE BAKKEI	9.00 am – 3.00pm	пив/ргата	
30/09/19	Monday	Psychology	Jo Richards	1.00 pm – 3.00 pm	SA4	
1/10/19	Tuesday	Physics	Jo Fisher	9.00 am -12.00 noon	SC1	
1/10/19	Monday	Elite Performing Arts & Research Project	Mike Bakker	9.00 am – 3.00pm	Hub/Drama	
1/10/19	Tuesday	Biology	David Thompson	10.00 am – 11.00am (Revisions) Drop in session for assignments 11.00 am – 3.00pm		
2/10/19	Wednesday	General Maths	Marian Hodson	9.00 am – 12 noon	SA6	
2/10/19	Wednesday	Research Project	Donna Wild (All research project students welcome)	10.00 am – 200 pm	Hub	
3/10/19	Thursday	Research Project	Donna Wild (All research project students welcome)	10.00 am – 200 pm	Hub	
		<u>\</u>	Week 2			
Date	Day	Session	Teacher	Time	Location	
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8/10/19 – 11/10/19	Tuesday - Fri- day	Art and Design/Visual Arts	Ruth Stephenson	10.00 am – 3.00 pm	Art Studios (Please bring your lunch)	
8/10/19	Tuesday	Maths Methods – Focus Are- as: Integral Calculus, Contin- uous Random Variables and Normal Variables and Sam- pling and Confidence Inter- vals	Marian Hodson	9.00 am – 12 noon	JU8	
8/10/19	Tuesday	Biology	David Thompson	10.00 am – 11.00am (Revisions) Drop in session for assignments 11.00 am – 3.00pm		
8/10/19	Tuesday	Research Project	Taiggan Height (All research project students welcome)	9.00 am – 12.00 noon	SA7	
9/10/19	Wednesday	Maths Methods: Further Differentiation and Applications and Discrete Random Variables	Marian Hodson	9.00 am – 12 noon	SA7	
9/10/19	Wednesday	FLC Community Studies	Kath Greene	9.00 am – 3.00 pm	FLC	
9/10/19	Wednesday	Digital Technologies	Scott McCulloch	9.00 am – 3.00pm	Hub	
10/10/19	Thursday	Legal Studies	Travis Clarke	9.00 am – 2.30 pm	Hub	
10/10/19	Thursday	English	Penny Phillips	10.30 am – 12.30 pm	SA6	
10/10/19	Thursday	Research Project	Taiggan Height (All research project students welcome)	10.00 am – 2.00 pm	SA7	
11/10/19	Friday	Chemistry	Steve Hall	9.00 – 12.00 noon		



22ND NOVEMBER 2019 - THE BARN PALAIS GROUP PHOTO 6:15 - SEATED BY 6:45

**COST: \$45 PER PERSON** 

TICKETS TO BE BOUGHT AT THE FRONT OFFICE BY 1ST NOVEMBER



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Dear Parent / Student,

The Grant High School **Year 12 Formal** will be held at the Barn Palais on Friday 22nd November 2019.

Frank Monger will be taking a big group photo in the Barn Gardens of all graduating students before they enter "The Barn". Photo will be taken at 6.30 PM SHARP.

Frank will also be available to take portraits, friends & family group shots, starting in the Barn Garden from 5pm. Bookings are essential for garden photos as families will be scheduled in 5 min blocks. Please contact Frank direct to lock in your session time. (phone & email details above)

Frank will also have a studio setup in the entry foyer of "The Barn" taking portraits, friends & family groups through the night.

(This is the perfect opportunity to have family portraits taken while all family members are dressed up!).

Proofs of these photos will be posted out in the following week along with an order form. (No photos will be posted on the web).

If you wish to purchase the Big Group Photo, please use the order form below & return on the night.

PRICE: \$25.00 per photo 10" x 15"	Money back guarantee if not satisfied.
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Mobile Phone No:	
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MasterCard Visa	Total Amount: \$
Card Number:	
Signature:	Expiry Date:/

### Examinations timetable for 2019

### External assessment



Date	South Australia 9 am Northern Territory 8 am China, Malaysia 7.30 am Vietnam 7 am Vanuatu 9.30 am	South Australia 1.30 pm Northern Territory 12.30 pm China, Malaysia 12 noon Vietnam 11.30 am Vanuatu 2 pm
Thursday 17 October		Japanese (beginners) [2JAB20] 2 hours 30 minutes
Monday 21 October	Italian (beginners) [2ITB20] 2 hours 30 minutes	Chinese (beginners) [2CHB20] 2 hours 30 minutes German (beginners) [2GEB20] 2 hours 30 minutes Korean (continuers) [2KOC2] 2 hours 50 minutes Latin (continuers) [2LTC20] (1.25 pm) 3 hours
Tuesday 22 October	Arabic (beginners) [2ARB20] 2 hours 30 minutes	Indonesian (beginners) [2INB20] 2 hours 30 minutes
Wednesday 23 October	Auslan (continuers) [2AUC20] (10 am) 2 hours	Arabic (continuers) [2ARC20] 2 hours Korean (background speakers) [2K0D20] 2 hours Korean (beginners) [2K0B2] 2 hours 30 minutes Malay (background speakers) [2MLD20] 2 hours 50 minutes Nationally assessed languages* 2 hours 30 minutes
Wednesday 30 October		French (beginners) [2FRB20] 2 hours 30 minutes Modern Greek (beginners) [2MGB20] 2 hours 30 minutes
Monday 4 November	Biology [2BGY20] 130 minutes	Australian and International Politics [2AIP20] 130 minutes Music Studies [2MSI20] 130 minutes
Tuesday 5 November	Essential Mathematics [2MEM20] 130 minutes	Mathematical Methods [2MHS20] 190 minutes
Wednesday 6 November	Chinese (continuers) [2CHC20] 190 minutes Indonesian (continuers) [2INC20] 190 minutes Vietnamese (background speakers) [2VND20] 190 minutes Vietnamese (continuers) [2VNC20] 190 minutes	Modern History [2M0D20] 130 minutes
Thursday 7 November	English as an Additional Language [2EAL20] 160 minutes	English Literary Studies [2ELS20] 100 minutes
Friday 8 November	General Mathematics [2MGM20] 130 minutes	Tourism [2T0S20] 130 minutes
Monday 11 November	Nutrition [2NUT20] 130 minutes Spanish (beginners) [2SPB20] 2 hours 30 minutes	Physics [2PYI20] 130 minutes

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Tuesday 12 November	Legal Studies [2LEG20] 190 minutes	Italian (continuers) [2ITC20] 190 minutes Modern Greek (continuers) [2MGC20] 190 minutes Spanish (continuers) [2SPC20] 190 minutes
Wednesday 13 November	Accounting [2ACG20] 130 minutes	Chemistry [2CEM20] 130 minutes
Thursday 14 November	Chinese (background speakers) [2CHD20] 190 minutes French (continuers) [2FRC20] 190 minutes German (continuers) [2GEC20] 190 minutes Japanese (continuers) [2JAC20] 190 minutes	Psychology [2PSC20] 130 minutes
Friday 15 November	Specialist Mathematics [2MSC20] 190 minutes	Physical Education [2PHE20] 130 minutes
Monday 18 November	Economics [2EMS20] 130 minutes	Geography [2GHY20] 130 minutes
Tuesday 19 November	Japanese (background speakers) [2JAD20] (11.15 am) 2 hours	

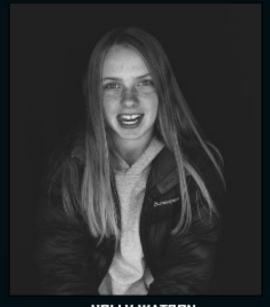
### Notes

- \*The written examinations for the following nationally assessed languages at continuers level will be held on Wednesday 23 October, 1.30 pm, South Australian time:
  - Armenian, Bosnian, Chin Hakha, Croatian, Dutch, Filipino, Hebrew, Hindi, Hungarian, Karen, Khmer, Macedonian, Maltese, Persian, Polish, Portuguese, Punjabi, Romanian, Russian, Serbian, Sinhala, Swedish, Tamil, Turkish, and Yiddish.
- Please note: all subjects in red text will have additional time for reading only. Please refer to the day-by-day instructions, which will be provided to schools at the beginning of Term 4.
- Schools with students enrolled in subjects that have examinations scheduled at the same time are to contact the SACE Board by 2 September to discuss special arrangements.

# YEAR 9 PHOTOGRAPHY



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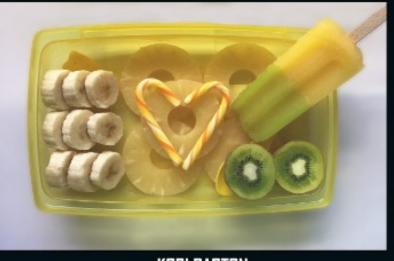
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