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Melrose High School Key Events



14 June 2019

Parent Engagement Session #4 - 17 June 2019

We welcome you to our fourth Parent Engagement Session for the year on Monday, 17 June 2019 from 4.45-6 pm in the Melrose Library. The focus of this session will be Self Harm Explained.

4.45-5.00: Light refreshments

5.00-5:05 pm: Meet & Greet and Acknowledgement

5:10 – 5:50: Keynote Presenter: Nicola Whitelaw- Clinical Development Nurse for the School Youth Health Nurse Program

5:45 – 6:00 pm: Questions and Answers

Self harm Explained

Why self harm?

What can I look out for?

How can I support my young person at home?

What supports are available at school.



ENTERTAINMENT NIGHT - 26 June 2019

The Arts and Technology Year 9 & 10 students have been working hard in classes toward their upcoming major event. Entertainment Night will take place on Wednesday June 26 (Week 9) from 7PM and will showcase the Dance, Drama, Music, Food, Art, Wood and Metal work created by the students.

Tickets can be purchased online now at try booking: <https://www.trybooking.com/BDJYC>

Students who are performing will receive permission notes in their classes from next week. We look forward to seeing you at the show!

Year 10 Road Ready - 27 June - 1 July 2019

Please refer to the emails sent to Year 10 families and students regarding Road Ready and return the form to the Front Office by Tuesday 18 June 2019.

Year 7 Indonesian – Embassy and Zoo Excursion - 4 July 2019

On Thursday 4 July (Week 10) Year 7 Indonesian classes are going to visit the Indonesian Embassy, followed by a behind-the-scenes tour of the National Zoo and Aquarium. Permission notes are available from class teachers or on the Google Classroom.

Big Picture Exhibitions : 17 - 28 June

The end of term 2 is rapidly closing in on us, and there is a frenzy of student activity to finish off and polish up exhibitions. Thanks to all of you who have booked a time to attend your child's exhibition. There are still several available time slots for those of you who have not yet booked.

James Love from Canberra College Big Picture will be making regular visits to our advisory classes to help support students to make informed decisions about learning trajectories, LTI and ASBA opportunities and transition to college. He will also be bringing some of the Canberra College Big Picture students with him to chat to the Melrose students about their Big Picture journeys and future plans.

Learning Through Internship (LTI) Mentor Expressions of Interest

Our Big Picture Students are required, as part of the design, to participate in the Community alongside a Mentor. This is called Learning Through Internship and the Mentor is an adult who is working, studying or has an interest in the area of the student's passion. We are looking for Mentors in the following fields:

- Medical Sciences/Nursing/ Pharmacology
- Carpentry/Cabinet making/ Formwork (concreting)
- Surf Board manufacturing
- Animal Welfare
- Interior Design
- Police Force
- Astronomy
- Geology
- Film/Video production/directing
- Auto Electrics
- Electrician
- Turtles
- Music 1960-2000
- Vet Science
- Fire fighting
- Skate boarding
- Sloths
- Figure Ice Skating
- Car/motorbike Rallies
- Album Cover Artists
- Super Computers
- Gun Representation in the Media
- Music Therapy
- Cosmology
- Photography
- Drift Cars
- Aviation

Contact the team at:

- Anna Russell, Flex Faculty Executive (anna.russell@ed.act.edu.au)
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CHROMEBOOKS

Below are the details to the online portal which allows parents and care givers of existing students to purchase replacement devices and/or accessories for their child. The link to the Government approved online purchasing portal is:

URL: <https://myschoolshop-act.datacom.com.au/byod>

Username: byod

Password: byod

GST inclusive pricing is as follows:

Acer Chromebook Spin 11: \$490.60

Stylus: \$63.70

Type-C Adapter and power cable: \$77.43

The portal is operated by Datacom and is independent of the TEL Program, the Education Directorate and the ACT Government. Devices purchased through the portal are like any other BYOD device and are managed according to our current Personal Electronic Device Procedure available via our website. Any applicable war-

ranty claims are to be processed by parents directly with Acer, with further information and relevant contact details provided under the Warranty Support option on the portal.

Other compatible chargers include:

Cygnett Flow+ USB-C PD Wall Charger (60W AU)

Targus APA104AU 65W USB-C Wall Charger

Please note that purchasing a cheaper USB charger is unlikely to be sufficient to charge your child's Chrome-book as these chargers are predominantly made for phones and do not have the capacity to charge more powerful devices.

Doors open from
6:30pm for a 7pm
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ENTERTAINMENT NIGHT

WEDNESDAY 26TH JUNE

MUSIC - DRAMA - DANCE
ARTS/TECH EXHIBITIONS

\$6 STUDENT
\$12 ADULT
\$30 FAMILY
plus 50c booking fee :)

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