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THE ARTS





The Performing Arts foyer was a riot of colour on Friday the 4th November when the Halls Head College Arts students transformed the hallway into a lively gallery. Live music from our talented Year 12 students Olivia and Aisha Sahin created a welcoming ambience for guests to peruse the art works. The event showcased the artistic efforts of students from Years 7 to 12. Staff, students, and parents revelled in the opportunity to see their works of art, inspired by their courses of study, displayed professionally on the foyer walls. Pieces ranged from self-portraits, and landscape scenes to representations of Aboriginal Australian Art to sculpture and vibrant large scale oil pastel animals.

Continuing tradition, Mrs White selected a Principal's choice award, with Jacqueline Salander-Steele as the winner. Jacqueline's art work will hopefully be purchased by the College to be put on permanent display. Three more works were selected by Mrs White with an offer to purchase. Gus Balloch and Tjay Kreusch were thrilled to have their art work deemed worthy to be professionally framed to hang in the College. Olivia Sahin created a beautiful ceramic marionette puppet that will add to the College's growing sculpture collection. Two teacher choice awards went to Nikita Kuznicki and Ruth Creelman.

Congratulations to all the students who produced these pieces of art and thank you to the staff who organised and set up the event.























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YEAR 12 VALEDICTORY

AWARD WINNERS

Chemistry ATAR Economics ATAR

English ATAR Human Biology ATAR Modern History ATAR Mathematics Applications ATAR

Mathematics Applications ATAR
Mathematics Methods ATAR
Psychology ATAR
Ancient History General
Applied Information Technology General
Applied Information Technology General

Biology General Career and Enterprise General Drama General English General Engineering Studies General Geography General Human Biology General

Integrated Science General
Marine and Maritime Studies
Mathematics Essential General
Materials, Design & Technology Metals General

Materials, Design & Technology Wood General
Media Production & Analysis General
Physical Education Studies General
Psychology General
Visual Arts General
Visual Arts General
Big Picture Excellence Award
Arts Excellence Award
AMPOL All Rounder

Endeavour Award
Endeavour Award
Neil Taylor Sportsperson of the Year
Senior School Transition Excellence Award
Leadership Award
Australian Defence Force Long Tan Youth Leadership Award

Premier Student - Vocational Studies Patron Award for Stem Patron Award for Community Service Learning for Life DUX Caleb Larsen
Caleb Larsen

Daniel Hanly
Daniel Hanly
Connor Freshwater
Zhuangyu Zhou

Lilly Saunders
Caleb Larsen
Zyphire Walker
Cayla-Jade Nightingale
Aisha Sahin
Olivia Sahin

Shyhann Richards Châya Howard Hermione Stimson Nicole Murray Alex Harbord Jake Lewis Eve Brockie

Ella Butterworth
Jacqueline Salander-Steele
Boston Tekani-Barlow
Reef Cherubino

Riley Mitchell
Gypsy-Lee Lally Andrews
Jack O'Neill
Nicole Murray
Evie Muir
Ruth Creelman
Vi Nguyen
Olivia Sahin
Connor Freshwater

Tahlia Phillips
Zhuangyu Zhou
Maisa Da Silva
Jacob Della Vecchia
Boston Tekani-Barlow
Châya Howard

Ashlee Webb Daniel Hanly Vi Nguyen Caleb Larsen



















ACADEMIC EXTENSION











Our Year 6 Academic Extension aspirants came from all over to Halls Head College to engage in a range of activities to contest for a coveted place in our Extension program as Year 7's in 2023.

Students were able to experience our Wellness Centre where they explored connections between all cultures with symbols highlighted as forming a common bond between cultures. The students traced their hand and upon their fingers and their palm, placed a series of symbols that was meaningful to them and their lives.

Big Picture students mentored them throughout the day as they were immersed in a series of activities across the Maths, HASS, English and Science domains. In English students were exposed to an Academic Controversy involving whether 'technology is wonderful' and finished with a creative writing piece of work. In Maths they had to use intellect, critical thinking and numeracy skills to guess how many jelly beans there were. Science

and HASS joined forces in asking students to complete an activity involving inclined planes and marshmallow catapults.

Overall a fun and interactive day was had by all, concluding with a wonderful afternoon tea where families joined us in the sun to celebrate and hear about their day.





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BIG PICTURE



FLYING HIGH

Senior students Maddi and Vi dedicated time this year to become recruitment ready as flight attendants. Both students attended South Metro TAFE's Aerospace Training Centre in Jandakot two days a week. Studies were conducted in a hanger with a real Boeing 737 which was used for all theory assessments and practical training. They gained valuable skills and experiences in emergency procedures such as evacuation, firefighting, ditching and life raft training. Through hard work, determination and constant commitment Maddi and Vi successfully completed the Certificate III and were given the opportunity to speak with people from Virgin and Qantas recruitment agencies.

ROADS TO SUCCESS

Year 8 Big Picture student Logan has continued to explore his interest in coffee this term and is currently taking part in an internship one day a week at TODs Café Mandurah. While learning new skills he has found that he is able to apply the knowledge and practical skills he learnt while doing an internship in the HHC Canteen in Term 3. Logan is hoping to one day own and operate his own coffee van.

Through an internship at Pipers Inn, Beth was able to secure a school based apprenticeship with them. She will continue to work one day a week in the kitchen gaining hands-on experience whilst in a real-life setting. Beth will also attend TAFE once a week where she will complete a Certificate III in Commercial Cookery. When completed she will be able to work as a cook or chef in a variety of kitchens.





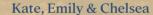


RAISING THE BAR

Kate, Emily and Chelsea, as graduating Year 12s — left their own legacy with their Social Action Project. They initiated, hosted, and coordinated a fundraising event to support Anglicare WA – a notfor-profit organisation that helps victims of domestic violence, and Destiny Rescue – a worldwide organisation dedicated to rescuing children from exploitation and trafficking. They met with the Principal, reached out to local businesses for raffle donations and had local organisations set

up information stalls. A sausage sizzle was held during recess and lunch in August and a total of \$1095.20 was raised for these two worthy organisations. Over nine months these students helped each other grow

and shared their values and perspectives. They would like to acknowledge all involved who donated their time and money – Miss K, Mr E and the P&C and canteen ladies also had a special shout out for their support and guidance.









ENGLISH





THAT'S THE TICKET

Halls Head College was lucky enough to have one of Australia's bestselling children's authors, Morris Gleitzman visit us. Some of Mr Gleitzman's novels include Two Weeks with The Queen, Grace, Bumface, Give Peas A Chance, and the Once series. His 43 books are published in more than twenty countries and several languages.

Eighty wonderful students were treated to an audience with Mr Gleitzman in the Lecture Theatre. Eighteen lucky students won a Golden Ticket to the event by submitting a letter which explained why they really wanted to be in the front row and meet Mr G. As part of their Golden Ticket, they also received an autographed novel and had the chance to ask a question of their idol.

The students were regaled with anecdotes and interesting advice about how to become an awesome author by creating engaging stories, characters and adventures! His great guidance included using rhetorical questions or internal reflections that allow you to learn a little of the character's life in the first three sentences. Also, according to Mr Gleitzman, a story only ever has two possible endings- a happy one or a disappointing, sad, frustrating, twisted ending.

A unique and memorable experience for our students.

Ms Cresswell & Ms Richardson

















TRAINING PATHWAYS













THE TASTE OF SUCCESS

Training Pathways Year 9 Career Taster Program

The new Year 9 Career Taster Program (CTP) aims to inspire students to become 'career curious' about further study opportunities and potential careers.

Students have been attending I day courses in Engineering, Home Care, Child Care and Building and Construction at various South Metro Tafe Campuses participating in interactive hands on experiences to showcase the best of each industry area.

In the upcoming weeks students will be participating in Robotics, Hospitality and Tourism, and Automotive Tasters.















ADMINISTRATION





UNSUNG HEROES

Meet our front office administration team who are the backbone of our operations here at Halls Head College. On a daily basis the team perform a myriad of duties such as assisting parents and students with

enrolments, administration and finance. This is not an enviable job, and the College wishes to acknowledge and thank all the team for their past, present, and future efforts.





HEALTH & PHYSICAL EDUCATION









LEAGUE OF CHAMPIONS

This year's Athletics Carnival was a hit with mild weather conditions making it comfortable for all students competing throughout the day. The students were excellent on the day with some great competition, participation, and skill displayed making most year groups extremely tight and the overall House competition having only 17 points between first and second!

The Athletics Carnival is a brilliant way for HHC and HHCESC to collaborate and work together and provided some excellent moments throughout the day for both sets of students, highlighted by a student from ESC winning the Year 10 boys 300m race.

Well done to all staff and students on a great day!

The H&PE Team





Yr7A boys Lewis Elwin
Yr7B boys Joshua Forsythe
Yr7 girls Victoria Scaf
Yr8A boys Finn Astill
Yr8B boys Tyran Anglesea
Yr8 girls Sienna Eade
Yr9A boys Soul Hopper

YroB boys Bailey Reed Noras

Yro girls Cylah Henderson-Pegg & Aamarli Jones

Yrıo boys Deian Roberts Yrıo girls Saffron Axford

House Points

- rst Avalon 369 points 2nd Blue Bay 352 points
- 3rd Miami 334 points
- 4th Melros 284 points

















OUR QUIET ACHIEVERS









THEIR REPUTATION IS SPOTLESS...

Meet our cleaning team, whose unenviable task is to clean up after what amounts to a party every day at the College. During the past couple of years with Covid protocols, these ladies diligently sanitise and wipe down door handles, keyboards and the like for our safety, as if they didn't have enough to do. They always have a smile and take great pride in their work. At Halls Head College we acknowledge and appreciate the thankless task these ladies perform day in and day out. It is easy to take for granted how clean our working environment is because they are there before we come to the College and again after we have gone home. We present to you the faceless (not now!) people that look after our wellbeing and we thank them for their efforts, not only during Covid but for all their years at the College.









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TRANSITION DAY





















IN TRANSIT

On November 29th we were thrilled to welcome the 2023 Year 7 cohort to the College for Transition Day.

The students came from our primary and partner schools around the region. Transition Day gives students an opportunity to experience a day in the life of a high school student.

Students spent time in all Learning Areas, participating in activities ranging from making rainbow elephant toothpaste in Science to an extremely competitive Economics game in HASS. Students explored the school grounds and had a chance to meet some of their peers and staff. They finished the day with a

presentation from Trans Perth about catching the bus to and from school.





























P&C











NO SMALL CHANGE

This year the College and ESC combined, received a total of \$167,916.79 from the P&C for various projects, resources and initiatives that benefit our students. Part of the huge success is owed to these three ladies and to our awesome P&C for their commitment and support.

Just some areas that have benefited from P&C Donations this year.

Wellness Centre Wall Wrap

Covering English Books

Library STAR strands

T&E upgrade student resources

Arts Special Effect pedals and controls

Shade Sales

Valedictory Ceremony contribution

Mountain Bikes for Outdoor Ed

Boat Storage container

Outdoor tables for students



