

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

During winter, indoor common areas around our College not only offer refuge from the elements, but allow students to build relationships, feel a part of our community and stay 'Connected'. The College canteen and student common room are great social meeting points for our students, and our Library offers a warm and supportive environment for those who need a quiet place to study. The gymnasium and Chuggy's Gym also provide great indoor options for physical exercise.

With reports on the horizon, Term 3 is a chance for students to check they are 'On Track' with their progress as a learner. It is a time for focused study, for consolidating and potentially improving upon past learning, and, for some, it is an opportunity to reconnect and catch up on work. Students need to balance their commitments and to be consistent in their approach to study. They need to ask their teachers for help when necessary, and they need to make time for learning and growth.

Dr Dianne Purnell

EC'S CAREERS EXPO

On Wednesday 31st July, Elizabeth College held its annual Careers Expo in the Gym. This event allowed students to talk directly to education providers, employers, volunteer organisations and industry associations about their future learning goals and career aspirations.

UTAS, University College, TasTAFE, Foundry and ANU were all represented at our Expo, with our Careers Advisor also available to answer any questions.

Other exhibitors included: Incat Australia, Volunteering Tasmania, Tasmanian Hospitality Association, Tasmanian Building and Construction Industry Training Board, Par Avion, AFL Sportsready, Speech Pathology Australia (Tas), Work and Training, Latitude Global Volunteering, Royal Flying Doctor Service, Women in Tourism, Tasmania Police, Tasmania Fire Service, and Defence Force Recruiting.

Break-out sessions focussing on particular areas of interest were also offered to students, such as how to enrol at UTAS, and a session on apprenticeships and tertiary qualifications in the construction industry.



Students talking to Ruth Thomas from University College at the Careers Expo

STUDENT AND STAFF ACHIEVEMENTS

- Kelly Stone, Annwen Roberts, Elise Harrison and Meagan van Emmerik achieved second place in the grand final of the Southern Schools Debating Competition
- Miranda Bennett and Maighn Johnson have been selected to join the United Nations Youth tours of the Middle East and the USA, respectively
- Naomi Messmer finished second in the U18 category of the Tasmanian Secondary Schools Cross Country Championships at Symmons Plains
- Jye Menzie is a member of the Tassie Devils U18 Men's Team, who participate in the NAB League
- Meagan van Emmerik, Toby Sward, Megan Cowley, Imogen Cooper and Tas Compton are playing in the Tasmanian Conservatorium Orchestra
- Tristan Meffre is playing in the Tasmanian Conservatorium Big Band
- Simon Zinzovski is participating in the TSO Composers' Project and his composition will be performed by the TSO
- Teacher, Sarah Hardy will compete with the Australian age group team in the 2019 World Triathlon Championships in Switzerland

UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 12 August	Science Week Begins
Wednesday 14 August	Reports to Students
Wednesday 21 August	Subject Expo (Year 11s)
Thursday 22 August	Parent Teacher Evening
Wednesday 28 August	Next Step (Year 12s)
Friday 6 September	Student Free Day (Teacher Moderation Day)
Wednesday 25 September	End of Term Assembly
Friday 27 September	Term 3 Concludes



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