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NEWSLETTER NO 1

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Principal's Message

Dear Parents and Guardians

It is so exciting to welcome back the students and staff to Kambrya College for the new year! We are very pleased with the recommencement of school following the summer break. As you know, our Commencement Program, signalling the beginning of the 2014 school year began for all Years 8 to 12 students on 12 November 2013. These students then had four complete weeks of classes based on the new year's program.

Feedback from parents and teachers, together with very high rates of student attendance, is evidence that the Commencement Program is most beneficial for student learning.

I would also like to extend a very warm welcome to our new Year 7 students. As a group, they have been very well prepared to begin their studies with an excellent attitude. May I thank all parents for their work in preparing students to make a very productive start to 2014.

As we begin the New-Year, I encourage all parents and guardians to take an active interest in their child's learning and progress at school. Get to know your child's teachers and Sub School Leaders. All the evidence we have suggests that the more parents are involved in their child's learning, the more likely they are of being successful. The Parent Teacher Conferences that take place on Wednesday 5 March, will provide you with a great opportunity to do so. Information will be distributed soon and I hope to see you there.

In the meantime, may I wish all our parents, students and staff a most successful year at Kambrya College.

Michael Muscat
Principal



Presentation Evening December 2013



FEB	
6th	Year 7 and all new students school photos,
12th—14th	Year 12 Study Camp to Lord Somers
25th	Whole School Swimming Carnival
MAR	
5th	Parent Teacher Conferences
10th	Labour Day Public Holiday
21st	STUDENT FREE DAY—Staff Professional Development Day
29th	Working Bee

International Student News

Would you like to provide a cultural experience, whilst at the same time enrich your family life?



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LONG TERM HOMESTAY ACCOMMODATION WANTED

Kambrya College's International Student Program is growing and we have a need for caring families to provide suitable Long Term "Homestay"

accommodation for international students between 15-18 years.

Payment rate \$250.00 per week.

If you are interested, please ring our International Student Coordinator, Sue Kirkham on 9707 7600 or email kirkham.susan.s@edumail.vic.gov.au for further information.

NETBOOK DISTRIBUTION

COMPULSORY meeting for Year 7 students and any new students to the College.

Date 12th February 2014

Location Library

Times 2.45pm, 4pm, 6pm

Students must attend with one parent or guardian to ONE of these sessions listed above to be able to receive their laptop.

Admin News

Exiting Students

Please be advised that any student exiting from school (intending to leave) must complete formal exit paperwork. Parents are invited to seek further information from Ms Shirley Bell in the front office.