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## Student Accident Insurance

Parents and guardians are advised that the Department of Education and Training does not provide personal accident insurance for students who are injured at school or when on College Council endorsed excursions and activities. Families are responsible for paying the cost of medical treatment for injured students, including any transport costs. Reasonably low cost accident insurance policies are available from some commercial insurers.

## Reach Out Parents Coaching

Reachout.com have started offering free coaching sessions (four in total) to parents with children aged 12-18. It's solution-focussed and provides parenting strategies and tools to put into practise. The coaches are qualified social workers, psychologists and other health care professionals. This could come in handy to recommend to parents who are seeking help with raising their teenage children.

For more information or to sign up, please visit their website [here](http://reachout.com)

## Up and Go's For Breakfast

The College would like to extend a huge thank you to 'ACE Foundation: Aiding Casey education' for their on-going support to the College. They are providing Up & Go's for students who don't always have time for breakfast to ensure they aren't hungry throughout the morning and are prepared to learn. The students are enjoying having them and have been grateful for the support.

These can be found at your Sub School, please don't hesitate to ask for one!

## Important Dates

### Monday 19th June:

Sports Academy Information Session

### Thursday 29th June:

Year 12 Formal

### Friday 30th June:

Last Day Term 2

### Monday 17th July:

First Day Term 3

### Tuesday 25th June:

Open Day

Subject Expo

### Monday 31st July:

Subject Selection Online

### Wednesday 2nd August:

Parent Teacher Booking open on Compass



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## Free Fresh Vegetables, Dairy and Fruit!

Doveton Salvation Army are providing free fresh vegetables, dairy and fruit for those in need – take a bag and collect some fresh food to take home.

This will take place on **Friday 23rd June, 2017** from 12.00—1.00pm. Doveton Salvation Army are located at 1A Frawley Road, Doveton.

If you would like to make an appointment please call Project Hope on 9794 9833 before June 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## **FARM TO FAMILY**

# **FREE FRESH VEGETABLES DAIRY AND FRUITS TO TAKE AWAY**

**FRIDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017**

**Personal Invitations – 11:30 am to 12:30pm**

**Open Invitations – 12:noon to 1:00pm**

**In conjunction with Foodbank Victoria and  
Bulla Foods**



**Project Hope Doveton 1 A Frawley Road  
Doveton**

## Uniform

Thanks to parents who have encouraged their children to wear the correct Hallam Senior College uniform. Over the past two weeks our young people have been made reminded that the school community expects students to wear the full school uniform when at school. It is good to see that our students are responding well to this expectation.

A few reminders:

- Only black or blue uniform pants - never jeans
- Leggings - whether fashion or training types such as skins- are never acceptable unless worn underneath a skirt, dress or shorts
- If you are having difficulties obtaining a school uniform, contact the school for assistance
- Uniform requirements can be found on our website or in the student program guide
- Staff will continue to request that students who are inappropriately dressed for school change into school uniform

Our school uniform has been designed by the school community - students, parents and staff. Students wear the school uniform because this shows that they belong to the Hallam Senior College community of learners. When a student puts on their school uniform and walks into the school, they are showing that they are ready for the business of learning at Hallam Senior College.

## NextGen Challenge at Hallam

The Next Generation Challenge was an intense educational program run by Illuminate Education at Hallam Senior College from the 15<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> of May. Thirty-two Year 10 students and 4 Year 11 student coaches attended the event for the entire week with guest groups of students from Keysborough High School and Dandenong High School.

The students worked in groups to develop a business model to compete against each other. Illuminate NEXTGEN CHALLENGE equips students to be innovative, creative and entrepreneurial during this five-day program where the students go through the process of starting their own business in their community. The event finished on the Friday night with awards presented in many different business categories to the competitors.

Adam Mostogl: Founder/Inspirer and Program manager of Illuminate Education and Consulting 2015 Tasmanian Young Australian of the Year. Adam established illuminate in 2010 and partners with many organisations, to inspire young people to embrace their creativity, identify business solutions to simple problems and recalibrate their approaches to learning.

"The Challenge taught us a lot about how businesses operate. We also learnt teamwork and how to work under pressure to meet deadlines. This program was very useful and I would recommend it to anyone in preparation for employment".  
Aayan Khan Year 10 Student 2017

Congratulations to all of the staff and students involved in this interesting, successful challenge!

## Photography Competition Awards

Congratulations to the following Year 10 students whose photographs were exhibited at the Hampton Park Library. Hallam Senior College entered some 20 photographs and 10 students received awards or were commended for their work. An excellent result.

George Skalliaris Yr 10- First Place "Mushrooms"

Joshua Smith Yr 10- Second Place "Crow"

Ben Lehman Yr 12 - Third Place "Josh"

Victoria Leaso Yr 10 - Encouragement Award "Trade Block"

Jordan Lafaele Yr 10 Highly Commended

Jay Dumonic Yr 10 Highly Commended

Joshua Smith Yr 10 2nd photo Highly Commended

Ben Lehman Yr 12 Highly Commended

Trisha-Thi Thi Hoang Yr 10 Highly Commended

Seth Meloury Yr 10 Highly Commended

George Skalliaris Yr 10 2nd photo

Josh Lehman Yr 12

Kyle Vassallo Yr 10

Bailey Mather Yr 10

Liam Taylor Yr 10

Nathan Le-Nguyen Yr 10

Lars Kaufmann Yr 10

Samantha Johnson Yr 10

Adidas Karora Yr 10

Chloe Hendy Yr 10

Feda Mahmoodi Yr 10