From the Principal

Our school production *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat* held its final performance on Saturday night. Once again our students put on a wonderfully entertaining show. I hope that you were all able to attend at least one performance, both for your own enjoyment and also to show support for our talented students who have worked so hard to create such a great show. Each year I am amazed at the breadth and depth of talent that our students display and I would like to congratulate the entire cast for their professional performance. On behalf of the whole school community I would also like to thank all the staff, students and parents who worked in the background and gave up their time willingly to enable the show to occur.

Congratulations are also in order for Pamela Dunstall who was the successful applicant for the position of Assistant Principal at Warrandyte High School. This position, which was advertised state-wide, is a five year appointment which commences on the first school day of next year. For the duration of 2013, Pamela and Kathy Hooke will continue to share the Acting Assistant Principal role.

Next Saturday 14 September, I am heading overseas with twenty Warrandyte High School students, Ms Butterworth and Ms Bitta. We are off on a study tour of Italy where we will be visiting Rome, Florence, Tuscany and Venice. Just a few of the sights we will see are the Colosseum, the Pantheon, Trevi Fountain, the Leaning Tower of Pisa, the Doges Palace, the Bridge of Sighs and the Basilica San Marco. The students will also spend time in an Italian school and get to practice their Italian language on a daily basis. Warrandyte High School offers this trip every two years and it runs whenever we have sufficient numbers. During my absence, Kathy Hooke will be Acting Principal.

*Stephen Parkin*  
*Principal*
Library News

Melbourne Writer’s Festival
On Tuesday 27 August, a group of 10 students accompanied by Ms Steel and Mrs Wain ventured to Federation Square in the city for the Melbourne Writer’s Festival. The weather was beautiful, the cinemas bustling with students and teachers and, most importantly, everyone’s minds were busy taking in the fascinating ideas and concepts of various authors and their writing. The group attended 3 talks, each accompanied by one or two authors and a host speaker. The authors were Shaun Tan, Maureen McCarthy, James Roy and Scott Westerfeld. The authors shared slices of their own family lives, backgrounds and personal experiences, and delved into their writing inspiration and concepts. The students were awestruck by the intricate drawings and paintings of Shaun Tan, listened intently to personal discussions about family dynamics between Maureen and James and pondered the peculiar and fascinating ideas of Scott Westerfeld’s writing. It was a fabulous opportunity for the students to learn about different authors and their styles of storytelling, and they took away some powerful ideas and advice for writing and expressing ideas.

It was a fantastic and enjoyable day, and thanks goes out to Ms Steel and Mrs Wain for making it possible for us to go along!

~Stephanie Mortlock, 9.2
Canteen News

The Canteen is trying out some delicious new home made recipes which include soup, various pasta bakes and jacket potatoes.

Daily specials are as follows – ordering would be appreciated.

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The Canteen is selling hot toasted sandwiches at recess for $2.50. Ham and cheese, and ham, cheese and tomato are available.

Egg and bacon rolls are periodically available at recess as well.

Roster

Volunteers are always welcome in the canteen. If you are available on a Friday only, Karen is always able to change her day. The canteen staff look forward to seeing you in 2013.

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Cheryl Hart
Canteen Leader
Manningham Council Alert regarding School crossings

A number of parents have recently contacted Manningham Council following receipt of an infringement - claiming that they are unaware it is an offence to drop children off within 20 metres of a school crossing (whilst in operation).

Parents need to be aware of the rules and assist in providing a safe environment for children using crossings when travelling to and from school.

Keep the children’s crossing clear. Parking is not allowed within 20 metres of the approach side and 10 metres of the departure side. Parking there makes it difficult and dangerous for children and the crossing supervisor to get a clear view of the road.
Welcome to Templestowe Cricket Club for season 2013/14!!!

We are very keen to hear from any juniors interested in playing outdoor cricket this season commencing October 2013.

- **FREE** registration for all junior players (Free club cap for all new players).
- Excellent playing (including coaching) and training facilities.
- All cricket equipment supplied.
- Age groups available:
  - Under 16’s, Under 14’s, Under 12’s and Under 10’s - Games to be played either Friday nights or Saturday mornings.
  - Milo Cricket (5 to 8 years of age). Fees for Milo Cricket participants are $75. This includes a cricket kit supplied by Cricket Victoria.
  - Milo Cricket sessions will commence early November and will be conducted on Friday nights.

If you would like to know more, or you are unable to make it to our registration day, please email us at juniors@templestowecricketclub.com or contact Nick Tsiotinas on 0400 220 353 for further information.
DON’T MISS OUT!
ONLY 9 ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS LEFT

We can’t get any more either – so this really is your last chance to get your Book!

Save on dining out, shopping and “entertainment” until 1 June 2014.
Or contact me at  warrandyte.hs@edumail.vic.gov.au or on 98442749

You can either pick it up or have it posted out to you - no charge for postage from now until 10 September.

Thank you so much to all of you who purchased your Entertainment™ Book this year to support Warrandyte High School. We are excited to have raised $143 through this fundraiser this year!

Warrandyte High School
A new Fresh Youth Theatre has started in Templestowe

fresh is looking for young performers, designers, and techheads (12-19yo) for our upcoming season 2.
If you are interested please contact info@freshyouththeatre.com
P-9013 2374 or 0418 547 540

Season One start August 2013 – No experience necessary.