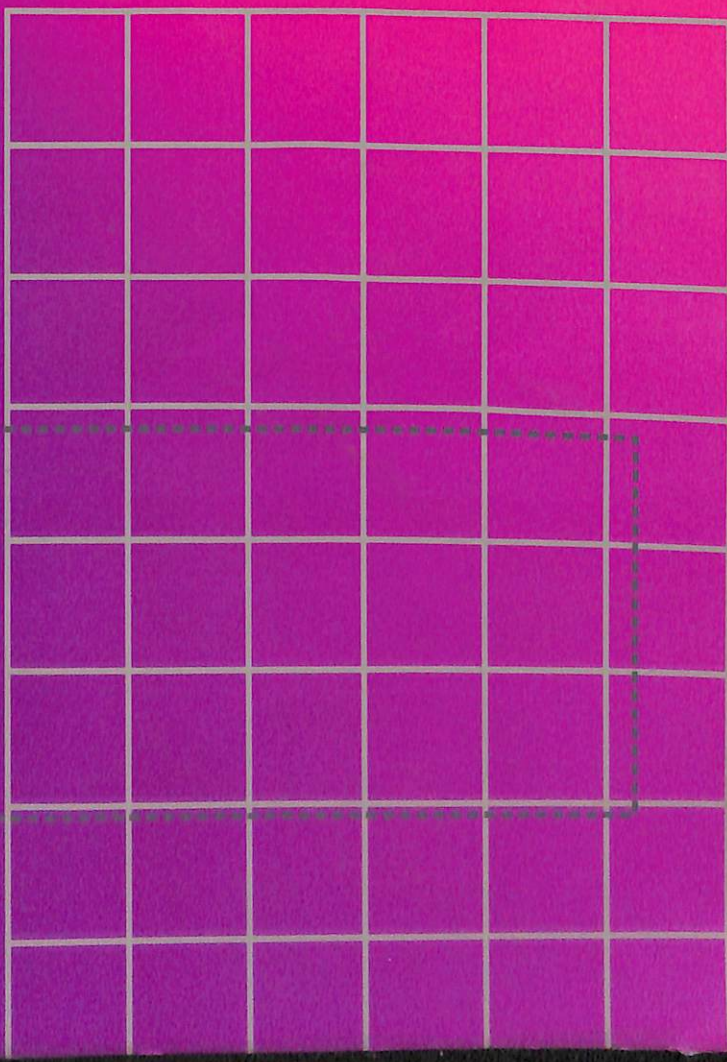


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# Our College 2000



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from the  
**principal's** desk



Within the College there have been a number of significant changes and achievements in 2000.

The year began with the wonderful celebration of the much-revered Ruth Anderson-Smith's retirement. Unfortunately the premature death of John Carbery, a much-loved teacher of long standing at Heathmont College followed not long after. This rocked us and required a fairly strong support network to be functioning amongst staff and students. I learnt a lot about the integrity and supportive nature of my colleagues through this experience.

By the end of first term we were delighted that Jeff Cooper had gained a promotion to Grovedale Secondary College. Jeff has contributed an enormous amount through both his personal style and commitment to the College. His achievements in the areas of transition, student management, facilities development and Learning Technologies were significant.

Jeff's departure has enabled us to appoint Deborah Harman as Assistant Principal with responsibilities for student management at the Junior Campus. Deb has already made a superb contribution to the College.

The introduction of a House System with House Captains has renewed the interest and involvement of students in Sports Carnivals. It has also enabled us to conduct highly successful House Debating competitions in the junior school.

Student Leadership has moved to a new level and is now truly representative of the student body, with direct input to developments at a

Council level. Their role is not only to express opinions but also to ensure that a process of consultation with the student community occurs, before any significant outcomes are decided. I value greatly the input of our students.

One of the biggest challenges for schools today is to be more effective in building and supporting self-awareness and sense of self-worth in our students. This year we have continued to extend the range of programs available to students and they were particularly effective.

Following an extensive review process, College Council has made a significant decision to explore the options of returning to a single campus College at the Waters Grove site. At the time of writing the College has not yet received confirmation to the level of financial support the Department is prepared to support us. Until we are clear on this it would be imprudent to make final decisions.

At the end of this year Mike Bradley, our Assistant Principal responsible for the VCE Campus will retire. Mike has been outstanding in every facet of school life at Heathmont College, and prior to the amalgamation, Eastern Secondary College (formerly Ringwood Technical School) and I thank him for his support and friendship.

Finally I would like to take this opportunity to thank our staff, College Councillors, and Parents' Auxiliary for their contributions to the college in 2000.

John Handley  
College Principal



assistant principal's reports



**MIKE BRADLEY**  
**HEATHMONT ROAD CAMPUS**

Now that I have decided to retire from teaching I have been asked reflective questions about the period of time I have spent as a teacher and an Assistant Principal.

"Are kids very different now to what they were when you started teaching?"  
"There must have been a lot of changes with technology advancing so rapidly."  
"I suppose the role of the teacher is different these days."

The answer is, of course, that there have been many changes and teachers have had to adapt to different roles and workloads. Changes to curriculum, changes to the way schools are managed. Changes to the way teachers are trained, changes to the way children are raised, the way schools are viewed by the community and the expectations placed upon them.

However, I am not sure that the fundamental objectives in teaching have changed at all. Bertram Russell, a famous philosopher who wrote widely on many subjects was actively involved in education in the 1920's & 1930's. He wrote about the objectives of education that he valued and what he was trying to achieve at the school that he ran at the time. He believed that education should be about making young people think and to provide them with the means required for forming independent opinions. He also believed that education should not be used as a political tool if we respected the rights and needs of young people.

No matter what technological changes occur or what government initiatives schools are required to pursue, I am confident that these beliefs are still the prime objectives of teachers. Allied to this is the need for young people to be open to the learning process, to accept experiences, which will provide greater understanding and independence for future learning.

Certainly, learning is a partnership between teachers and students and this is something that we have worked hard to develop on the Senior Campus

One thing we can be sure of is that change will continue to occur at an ever-increasing rate. It will be important to everyone involved in teaching and learning, to refresh our understanding of our prime objectives from time to time and to continue to develop the relationships, which will provide mutual understanding and respect.

Mike Bradley



**DEBORAH HARMAN**  
**WATERS GROVE CAMPUS**

I was thrilled to be appointed to the Assistant Principal's position at Heathmont College this year after having spent 7 years here as a member of the teaching staff. The support from the Leadership team, the staff and the students has made my transition into this new role as smooth as possible.

I have found the close contact with teachers, support staff, students and parents in a variety of circumstances has reaffirmed my belief that Heathmont College has many excellent

qualities which we should all work together to maintain and further develop.

In particular, the wonderful opportunities now provided for students in the area of Leadership, allow for these qualities to be fostered within our learning community. Under the leadership of Phil Reynolds, Fran Croft, Phillipa Adgemis and Linda Lopez our student leaders have blossomed and have had a positive impact on students across both campuses. Their representation of their peers at the College, and at Leadership activities at other venues has been extremely gratifying. Our next challenge is to engender in the whole student population a real sense of responsibility for caring for others and for the College and wider environments.

I would like to express my special thanks to all of those members of the College community who have been so helpful in assisting me in my role this year, with a special tribute to the Sub School teams and Tony Grayden and Glenys Smith, School Welfare Coordinators, who have worked so tirelessly to make a difference in the lives of the students within their care.

Deborah Harman



Mike Bradley, Deb Harman and John Handley at the Year12 farewell luncheon.

Vale John Carbery



John was a caring person, always thinking of others, generous with his time, advice and humour. Those working at Heathmont or Eastern during and after the merger will remember the enthusiasm and strength of purpose with which John dealt with the task of bring people together.

As a teacher John had the capacity to see the best in students and supported them in becoming both good students and quality young people. He always knew that he was more than a classroom teacher. He was a teacher, mentor, confidante and friend.



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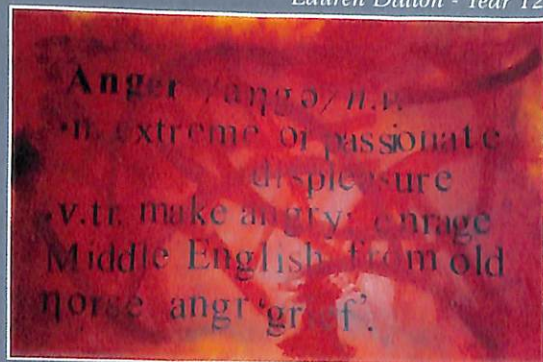
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Lauren Dalton - Year 12



Jessica Turnbull - Year 11



Middle School Captains:  
Nikki Thomas and Nicole Cork.



School Captains:  
Andrew Devine and Abbey Jackson



Junior School Captains: Amy  
Whitrod and Stephen Foley.



Senior Council Team:  
Back row: Ben Tumney, Amy Lamshed, Andrew Devine, James Halliwell.  
Middle row: Jessica Turnbull, Robert Edwards, Antoine Smiley, Ben Quick, Kellie Fenton.  
Front row: Claudia Abakah, Abbey Jackson, Dayna Morrissey, Lisa May.

Student Leadership

**Heathmont College**  
Year 7A - 2000

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Teacher: Margit Atkins

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NOT FEATURED: RYAN MOODIE

**Heathmont College**  
Year 7B - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Gavin Fox

ALEXANDRA MCILWRAITH, DANIELLE BOWER, ADRIAN BRUININK, CALLUM McLELLAN, STEVEN DODGSHUN, CHRISTOPHER FROST, MATTHEW GOODALL, LUKE HOGARTH, KAYNE HOMER-LOYD, GAVIN FOX, NATALIE HORWOOD, CASSANDRA HUMPHRIS, CHRISTOPHER JAEGGI, CHRISTOPHER KING, LARAH NEWTON, DAVID NOORDHOFF, JACLYN OSBORNE, SIGRID PETERSEN, JASON RAU, JARRELL RYAN, NATALIE SILVERWOOD, SHAUN SMITH, JESSICA STEPHENS, PHARLA UNG, LISA WILDING, BEN WILLIAMS

**Heathmont College**  
Year 8A - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Jeanette Barton

BRETT DAVIS, KATE DIXON, LAURA FLACK, ALISSA GIELMUDA, RACHEL HELBIG, ANDREW HOLMES, KYLE HOSKEN, AMANDA HOUGH, SEAN HUMPHREY, JEANETTE BARTON, KYLIE JONES, OWEN JONES, JUSTIN KASPAR, SAMANTHA MAUDSLEY, KRISTY NEILSON, VUTHA NGET, LOGAN ROBILIARD, TODD ROSOMACKI, BREON SCHMIDT, DARINNA SOK, DANIEL STIVALA, GARY TIMMS, LEIGH TODD, AMY WHITROD, MARK WILLIAMS, JESSICA WILLIS

NOT FEATURED: ANDREA BROWN

**Heathmont College**  
Year 8B - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Khim Len

BEN ANDERSON-BROWN, RHYS BELL, RACHEL BRIGHT, LAURA BUTTERWORTH, SHANNON CURRAN, MATTHEW DE BIASI, SUSAN DENNIS, KHIM LEN, NICOLE DEWBERRY, AARON GLEISNER, DANIEL HENDERSON, KATHRINA KUDERA, LIAM METZELING, BRENTON MILLOTT, THOMAS NORBURY, CHRISTOPHER PANTLIN, SCOTT MCKENZIE-SMITH, JASON SEATON-STEWART, ERIN SIMPSON, GEORGIA SMITH, KIRA VELLA, JANE WALCZAK, JARROD WATTERS, SHAYNE WILLS

**Heathmont College**  
Year 7C - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Agi Birchall

MICHELLE BEASLEY, MARC CHESNEAU, LEAH CLARKE, EMMA DOUGLAS, JARROD FISHER, TIMOTHY GARD, MELISSA HALL, ZACHARY JONES, AGI BIRCHALL, ALEXANDRA KNOX, GEMMA LAZZARI, KANE MONTFORD, JONATHAN MORGAN, AMANDA NICHOLSON, ALAN PHAN, LACHLAN PHILLIPS, MICHAEL RICHARDS, MATTHEW RUFF, COURTNEY RUSSELL, WADE RYAN, SARAH MCCARTIN, CAMERON SMITH, SHANE UNDERHILL, PAUL VENUS, AMY WHITE

NOT FEATURED: JACQUELINE WOODS

**Heathmont College**  
Year 7D - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Ross Maclean

ABBIE ADAMS, JAYDE ANDERSON, SEAN COLEMAN, TARYN CONNOR, BRADLEY DUNCAN, THOMAS EDDY, RACHEL FARRELL, NATHAN FYFE, ALISHA LANSDELL, ROSS MACLEAN, EDWINA LARSEN, CHRISTOPHER MAILLARD, ANGELO MEZOGHLIAN, CHRISTOPHER PIPER, KRISTAL POGRZEBA, BROCK PRICE, SHANNON PRICE, BLISS ROMEO, DANIEL SCHROEDERS, SHAUN SIEGL, MARK STOREN, AVILLA SWIATEK, TIM MCKENZIE, KYLE WATSON, MICHAEL WATSON, JESSICA WHITE, COURTNEY WISE

**Heathmont College**  
Year 8C - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Sabrina Luciano

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NOT FEATURED: MICHAEL LOLESI

**Heathmont College**  
Year 8D - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Brian Poyner

NATHAN BAMBORD, SALLY BOOTH, ANNE CAFARELLA, BRENT CAMPBELL, GLENN DAVIES, ELIZA DICKINSON, BELINDA FLOYD, JANELLE HEALD, BRADLEY HICKEY, BRIAN POYNER, PETRA JURICA, JENNA KNOX, BRENDAN LANE, MICHAEL MARRIOTT, LINDSAY MOON, MARYCE OAKLEY, JACK OVERTON, RACHAEL POGRZEBA, ERIN POTTEN, BLAKE POWELL, JACOB POWELL, ALISHA SOLODKY, STACEY TAYLOR, DYLAN THORNGOOD, MARIE WEAVER, ADAM WERNICKE, DANIEL WHITE

**Heathmont College**  
Year 7E - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Cathy Panoutsos

KRISTY ALLAN, JOSH ANDERSON, LEAH BEAL, REBECCA BROWN, BEN CARROLL, KYLIE CHALLENGE, CATHY PANOUTSOS, SAMANTHA DE BIASI, SAMANTHA DRUMMOND, TANYA ELLIS, ERICA FODEN, DANIEL GAYTON, CAMERON GREAVES, COURTNEY HEATHERINGTON-TAIT, SALLY HOULDEN, IAN KEMPTON, JOHNSTON LEE, DANNY MATERIA, JENNY NISI, MICHELLE PAZSA, TANAE ROACHE

**Heathmont College**  
Year 7F - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teachers: Robyn Anketell, Michael Biggart

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**Heathmont College**  
Year 8E - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Stephen Johnston

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NOT FEATURED: KHALD BARAKZOI, MAXWELL RYAN

**Heathmont College**  
Year 8F - 2000

Principal: Mr John Handley  
Teacher: Bruce Kirchofer

MATTHEW BENSON, SAMANTHA CAMPBELL, PHILLIS CHAN, JAMIE DEAN, JOANNE DOWDLE, REBECCA FLACK, ROHAN GRUMONT, BRUCE KIRCHOFER, ASTRID HUMAR, SIMON JACOBS, REEM MASRI, DAVID MCILWRAITH, SAMANTHA MORELAND, SUZANNE NEWTON, SEAN O'NEILL, DEBBIE PAGAN, JOANNE PAPADOPOULOS, KATE PARASKEVAS, JOHN-ROBERT PARKER, CHRISTIE RAVENHORST, MICHAEL SENTON, NICOLE SMITH, CATHERINE VOUTAS

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# Grease Grease

The Year 8 Leadership groups had raised money for a student activity and it was decided to show "Grease"; to encourage students to dress in 50's clothes and provide 50's style food and drinks for all Year 8.

During the week we played the "American Graffiti" soundtrack over the PA system at lunchtimes and recess. And although some students made nasty musical complaints it certainly added a rocking atmosphere to the school.

Nicole Dewberry and Amy Whitrod.



SALLY HOULDER



# Bandana Day Bandana Day

Purple scarves, pink scarves, scarves tied around the neck, headscarves in the pirate look, the cowboy look.

The Junior School embraced National Bandana Day with a vengeance and a record \$344 was raised.

Congratulations to Aylla Swiatek, Krystal Posrzeba and Bliss Romeo who organized such a successful fundraiser.

Year7 Leadership Committee.



## Emotions of the Olympics

From one to another the heat rose  
Outside, the cold wind blows.  
Flashing lights and balmy nights.  
The flame was rising to a great height.  
The flame was burning,  
My heart was beating,  
As I lit the cauldron that night.  
The cauldron was lit; the photos were taken.  
My fame was rising,  
I am history in the making.

My joy was of 16 days,  
My memories for my whole life.  
I'll never have that same feeling again,  
The whole world was watching, there was no pain.  
No one knows my name,  
Only of what I did,  
Although I am proud of what I did.  
I feel sorry for Millie, Olly and Syd.  
The fat-arsed wombat replaced them  
A mascot for Roy and HG.

Although all four of them are famous,  
And everyone knows their names,  
I know that they will never experience the same feelings and emotions as me.  
I was there with the swimmers and their glory,  
I was also there for our walker and her trauma.  
I guess you could say I was there through thick and thin.  
Only the Olympics have all of this.

The fire-works were being let loose,  
People surrounded the harbour to see the colour and beauty.  
As only one emotion was being let loose,  
Only how good the Olympics were and how good they'll always be.  
In four year's time,  
In the city of Athens.  
It's where they started and probably where they will end,  
But generations from now I know in my heart,  
No one will have the same emotions as me.

Susan Dennis 8B



## Weather

Summer is air-conditioning  
units whirring  
Winter is in front of a fireplace  
with a warm cup of milo  
Spring is time to put a spring in  
your step  
Autumn is a time for leaves to  
fall/

Dylan Thorogood 8D

# year 7 camp rumbug

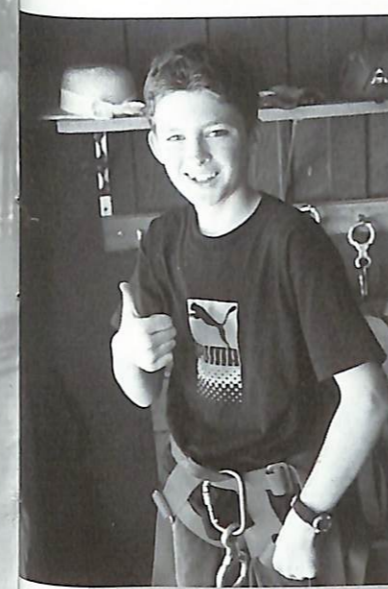
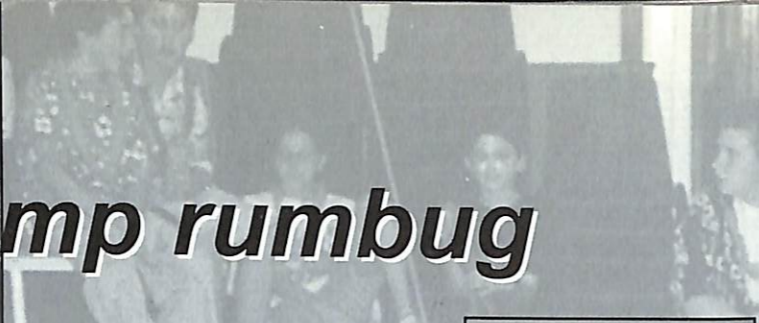
What a wonderful experience the Year 7 camp at Rumbug turned out to be. As a new staff member it gave me an excellent opportunity to meet and get to know not only our new students at Heathmont College but also my colleagues. The camp was one of the most energetic trips I have made and challenging is certainly one way to describe this venue. I was delighted with the standard of behavior exhibited by all students; it was certainly a pleasure to tackle some of the adventure courses with them. From canoeing to rope climbing, tackling the swamp traps and just having fun in the pool it quickly became evident that this year was going to be one of achievement as students showed their ability to accept and overcome the obstacles within the courses. It was a lot of fun to watch the students enjoying themselves at our nighttime entertainment; the fashions for the disco were...interesting! And the antics required to complete the games night caused enormous hilarity for all. Most staff even claimed to have been able to get a reasonable amount of sleep. It was definitely a great start to the year 2000 for me.

**Kerry Cavanagh - Junior Sub School Team Leader**

On Wednesday 16th of February 2000 I went on a Year 7 camp to Camp Rumbug. It took about two and half-hours to get there. First we got the luggage off the bus and then went to our cabins to settle in. I had a good cabin with some of my friends. Next we were put into groups and started walking down the tiring hill where we did a few activities. One of my favourite activities was canoeing, because I have never done that before without going around in circles. The only thing I really didn't like was going up and down the hill. I thought that the people who worked there were really nice. It was an all right camp, although very tiring. (We wonder why. Ed.)

**Emma - 7C**

# year 7 at camp rumbug



# 50 word stories

I opened the door and walked through... I opened the door and walked through. I could not believe my eyes. Never, from the greatest depth of my wildest imagination would I have thought of seeing this. It is completely surreal yet logical. It can't exist yet it is right there in front of me. It's incomprehensible. It's.....

Majd Rezkallah 10C

## Teeth

Whilst I was on safari in Africa I observed a majestic lion. As he yawned, his extremely long teeth that tapered down to sharp points, which he used day by day to maul his innocent victims, amazed me. They were blindingly white which matched his ferocious nature.

Tara Robinson 10C

## Teeth

Teeth are things in your mouth and my Pop (Dad's side) had his teeth blown up by the Army. He takes them out and once he left them at our house for a week. He left them everywhere and we found them in a big glass of really fizzy lemonade stuff.

Daniel Schroeders 7D



## The Day

The day's cool rain ceased. The river ran fast, cold. Autumn leaves blew. Willows whispered "Winter's coming." The undergrowth rustled, rabbits hopped across the way, towards the broken-down cottage, with an iron roof. Inside the murderers crouched over the fire roasting a hare. Daylight faded, willows whispered "Winter is here."

Sally Houlden 7E

## Masks

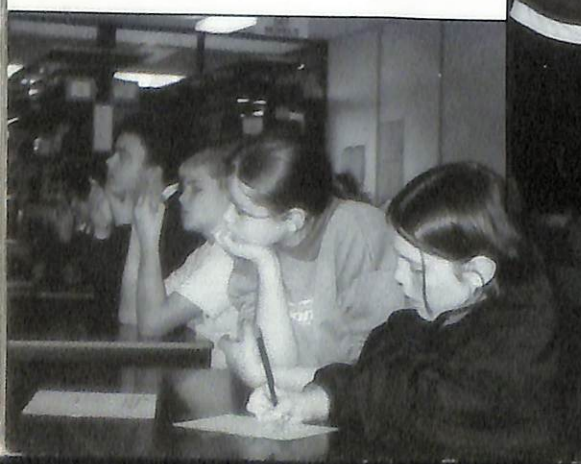
I will always remember that boy from next door. The day he moved in I went over and introduced myself, only he just sat there. He didn't even say a word. He never showed any expression, until one day I cracked a joke and he smiled. His face was unmasked.

Rebecca Houlden 9A

## Teeth

Sleepless nights I had spent listening to the strange noise, "Chatter, chatter, chatter." My grades at school were falling; I wasn't getting enough sleep. The next day I woke up with an excruciating pain in my arms and found faint bite marks that resembled the teeth I found in my wardrobe.

Jessica May 8C



# Science across the school

## Yertle

Yertle the turtle is a new resident to Heathmont College. The college is going to buy another turtle called Mertle. Hopefully they can have baby turtles. The species of turtle is a long necked turtle. Yertle has Heathmont College written on his shell and also the contact number so he doesn't get very far. Yertle's home is in a big fish tank in the G-Block foyer. At the moment Yertle is eating little fish. If I get a turtle I'm going to call it Raphael. If Josh gets one he said he's going to call it Donatello. If Ben gets one he said he is going to call it Shredder, Splinter or Master Yoda. When Yertle gets his playmate he won't be lonely. He has got rough skin and has a long neck that looks like a snake's head coming out of a shell. The bottom of his shell is coloured yellow.

Danny 7E

chemistry

biology

physics



psychology



Yertle is a turtle that responds well to 7E. He's not afraid of anybody in the class except Joshua's hair gel. The class says that he's a snake in a shell. If you have glasses he'll come towards you, or if you have your mouth wide open he'll also come towards you. (As I found out) we are hopefully going to get another turtle, which we will call Mertle and we're going to breed them. If 7E is lucky then we'll get one and we'll call it Squrtle or Donatello or something like that. I'd rather have turtles than brothers. I'll tell you that much because turtles don't eat as much as boys, they don't answer back, and don't fight with you. They also don't make a mess and don't annoy you.

Samantha Drummond 7E



# german exchange 2000

A group of ten excited teenagers and two weary teachers took off from Tullamarine at 1.05a.m. on Friday 8th September. This was the beginning of the college's fifth exchange trip to Germany. By the time we arrived in Frankfurt on the Friday evening most of us had been awake for almost 40 hours non-stop but it was fun to meet up with the people whom we had hosted earlier in the year. The next three and a half weeks were filled with new experiences –



listening to, and trying to communicate in, German, visiting places of interest with a history of over 1000 years, sampling different foods, socialising, attending school, holidaying with host families...and much more. Our major excursions were to *Berlin* and *Würzburg* on the streamlined ICE train. In Berlin we saw remnants of the Wall, nearly lost Amy's camera, visited the Checkpoint Charlie Museum, climbed up

into the Dome of the New German Parliament building and went shopping along the famous Kurfürstendamm.

The pace in *Würzburg* was less hectic, and we had time to appreciate the beauty of the Residenz, a former palace with highly decorated rooms and stunning gardens.

Two further excursions were made by bus to Rothenburg ob der Tauber, (a restored mediaeval town still

surrounded by a wall and site of the famous Christmas Shop) and to the *Rhine*, where we enjoyed a two hour cruise on the river, passing vineyards and castles on the way. Locally, we spent a morning in Kassel, the closest main town, and we also got to know the village of

Kaufungen quite well, especially the Eiscafé, where Simon tried Spaghetti icecream!

All our students thoroughly enjoyed themselves and were a credit to their school.

Thank you to the

parents who entrusted their children into our care – I think you will find they have come back richer for the experience.

Thanks also to Evelyn Turewicz from Vermont Secondary College who assisted me with the supervision of the group. We look forward to seeing all the photos at our Evaluation Meeting/Informal Supper to be held next Tuesday 24th October at Vermont Secondary College.

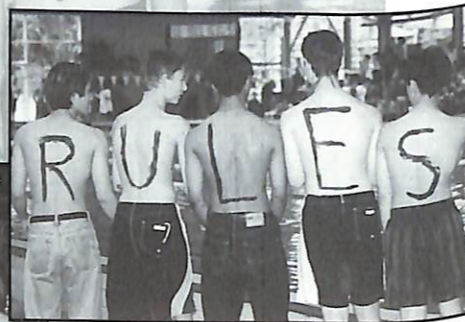
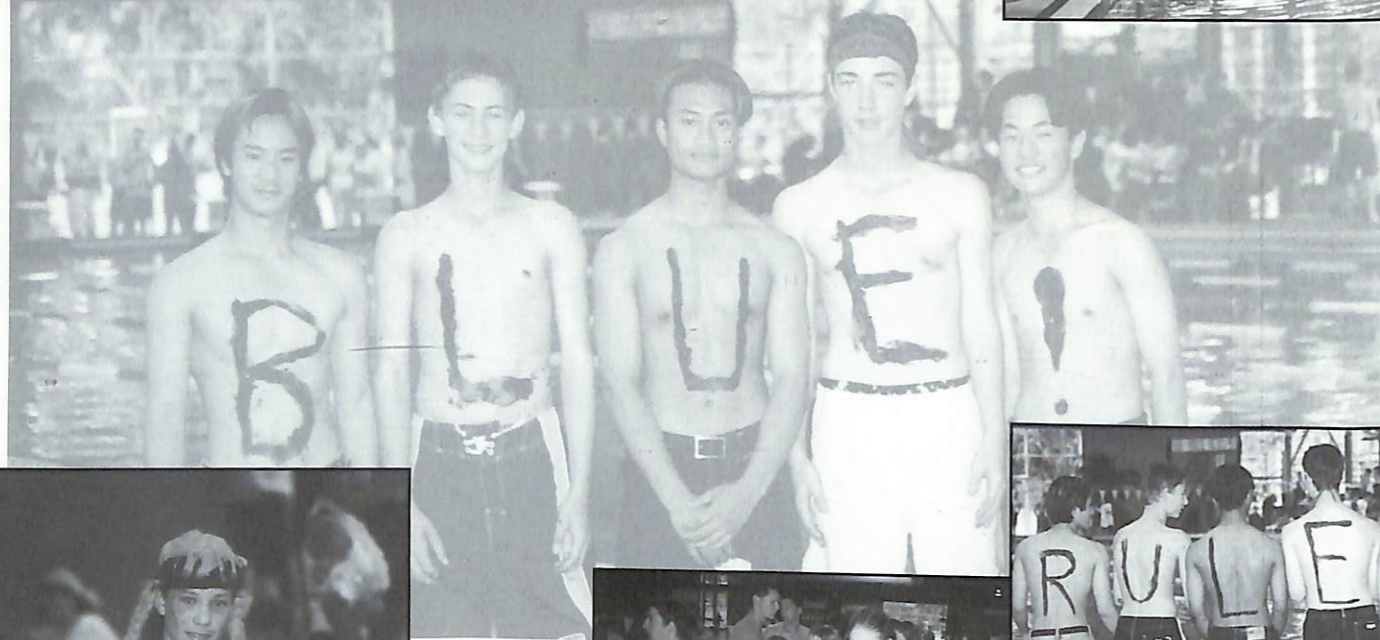
Lynette Tonkin  
LOTE Co-ordinator



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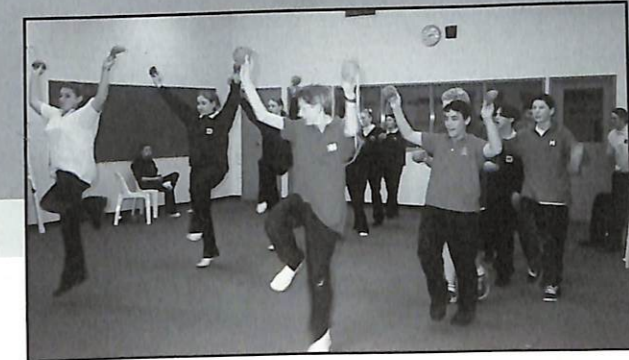
# swimming



## Teeth

I love teeth. Big teeth, little teeth, sharp teeth, brown teeth, clean teeth, dirty teeth, rotten teeth, gold-plated teeth, baby teeth, adult teeth, false teeth, wobbly teeth. I even love cavity filled teeth. I like rabbit teeth, tiger teeth, dog teeth. I just wish I still had my own teeth.

Josh Mitchell 8E



## Indonesian

This year the Year 8 Indonesian class went on an excursion to the Indonesian Consulate to watch the Gamelan Orchestra. Not only did they see a colourful and culturally different display, but also after the performance the students were allowed to have a go on the instruments; under the direction of the Indonesian players of course.

The Year 9 students attended an in school dance display held in the Waters Grove Arts Centre. The dancers performed many of their country's native dances and were both entertaining.



# Sport 2000



Intermediate Netball

## The Swimming Carnival

The Swimming Carnival was the first opportunity to 'test' out our new house system. The level of excitement and enthusiasm was evidence that the students responded positively to the challenge of supporting their particular house. The poolside seating was divided by huge splashes of colour with each house trying its best to outdo the others. House colours decreed hair fashion, and luckily the colours didn't wash off in the pool. Overall there were some rather original ways of showing which side you were on and there probably could have been a competition on those alone, but it didn't detract from the real business of the day, competing in the water.

## 2000 Age Group Swimming Champions

- Under 13: Danielle Bower (Red) Cameron Loveless (Red)
- Under 14: Jane Walczak (Red) Jarrad Smith (Gold)
- Under 15: Samantha Ruff (Red) Andrew Noordoff (Gold)
- Under 16: Amy Breeden (Red) Dean Smith (Blue)
- Under 17: Katie Plumridge (Gold) Jarrod (Blue) Ben Linford

As well as swimming, 2000 has been another successful year for Heathmont College in Sport. We won one state title with our Year 7 Girls winning the Victorian State School Squash Association Championship. Our Year 11 Girls Netball Team also won at Eastern Zone level as did of course the Year 7 Girls Squash Team. This is particularly impressive, as the Eastern Zone is one of the strongest zones in the state.

Heathmont has always had its fair share of talented individual champions and this year was no exception. Although we are losing the talents of Cassie Falke in diving, as she completes her Year 12, we still have many exciting juniors coming through the ranks such as Trenton Dalvean who was selected to represent Victoria in the Under 15 Ice Hockey Championships.

The College is lucky to have so many talented young athletes who perform well both in teams and on an individual basis, and we are certain to hear more about them in the coming years.



Senior Boys Line-up



Senior Girls Football

## V.S.S.S.A Champions Year 7 Girls

- Amy Ryan
- Edwina Larsen
- Tara Jane
- Bianca Giamou
- Courtney Russell

Coached by Mr. T.Burton.



Senior Girls Hockey

## Individual Champions 2000

- Cassie Falke...Eastern Zone +V.H.S.S.A.Diving U/21
- Samantha Ruff...Eastern Zone + V.H.S.S.A. U/16
- Travis Forrest...Eastern Zone U/17 Long Jump

## Successful Team Champions Maroondah Group.

- Year 7 Boys Cricket
- Year 7 Boys Baseball
- Year 8 Girls Tennis
- Year 9+10 Boys Tennis
- Year 11+12 Boys Tennis
- Year 11 Girls Netball
- Year 9+10 Boys Soccer
- Year 7 Boys Table Tennis
- Year 7 Girls Squash
- Year 8 Girls Table Tennis
- Year 9+10 Girls Squash
- Year 11+12 Girls Table Tennis
- Year 9+10 Super Eight Cricket.



Boys Intermediate Netball

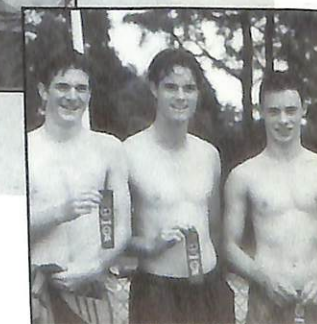


Boys Senior Soccer

On the strength of those performances Heathmont can look forward to many more successful years in sport. Thanks must also go to the hardworking staff members who give up a great deal of their time coaching the College teams and supporting individual athletes.



Under 16 Swimming Relay



Under 17 Swimming Relay



Long Jump Under 17 Champion Travis Forrest with Leigh McAlister

# debating 2000

We had a great year in debating. Year 7 and 8 students joined in fully this year with interclass and interhouse debates at lunchtimes. Our dedicated Year 12 debaters adjudicated these.

Year 8 through to year 12 debated in regional and state competition and did well at all levels. Even though we didn't make the finals this year the interest and enthusiasm for debating in the school is growing and so many students are reaping the rewards and having fun while doing it. Many thanks to Ms Kingston and Mr. Boyle and all the junior school English teachers for their hard work with students.

**Judith Simpson Debating coordinator.**



North Melbourne  
 Outrageous  
 Reigning Premiers  
 Training hard  
 Having fun  
 Melbourne Cricket Ground  
 Entertaining  
 Leading goal kickers  
 Best Team  
 Obviously good  
 Unbeatable  
 Ron Casey  
 Never fear  
 Exciting to watch  
 Chelsea 8C



# aerobics challenge



We trained for months before school, at lunch times, after school, and on the weekend, but we couldn't have done it without the support of Mrs. Birchall, Miss Rockman and all our families, and most of all, our presenter Ben. Our hard work and months of training paid off when we came 2<sup>nd</sup> in the Nationals. Adelaide was a great experience for all of us and we had so much fun.

**Jill Shannon Year 11G**



When Kellie Fenton, Chantelle Porter, Dayna Morrissey, Kim Harding, Kellie Floyd, Jennifer Maschman and I decided that we would have a go and enter the School Aerobic Challenge we had no idea we would get as far as we did. We went from lunchtime training in the Heathmont Road Hall to the National Championships of the Milo School Aerobic Dance section. Our team consisted of three year eleven students and four year twelve students, and we all choreographed our own dance aerobics routine. We were shocked to get through to the state finals, which were held in early May at Dallas Brooke Hall but when we came second in the state finals and were invited to compete in the National School Aerobics Championships we were all stoked. The seven of us, and who can forget our presenter Ben Quick, fund raised to help pay our train trip to Adelaide and our accommodation. We all trained hard for months to be the first Heathmont College Aerobic team to represent Victoria in the National titles.







**Leadership Council.**

**Back row:** Paul Venus, Alisha Blake, Antoine Smiley, Dean Staniland, Abbey Jackson, Nikki Thomas.  
**Front row:** Amy Whitrod, Stephen Foley, Jessica Turnbull, Nicole Cork, Courtney Heatherington-Tait.  
 Absent: Andrew Devine.



**Year 11 Leadership Team:**

**Back row:** Robert Edwards, Ben Tumney, Ben Quick, Amy Lamshed.  
**Front row:** Jessica Turnbull, Antoine Smiley, Kellie Fenton.



**Year 12 Leadership Team:**

**Back row:** James Halliwell, Andrew Devine.  
**Front row:** Claudia Abakah, Abbey Jackson, Dayna Morrissey, Lisa May.



**Gold House Captains:** Jack Overton, Nicole Paraskevas, Hayden Blake, Matt Fox, Sokheng Ung, Racheal Pogrzeba.



**Blue House Captains:** Dean Smith, Alan Price, Luke Thompson, Cassandra Falke, Amy Gard, Phillis Chan.



**Red House Captains:** Victoria Scully, Kellie Floyd, Craig Whitten, Graham Tessier, Nicole Dewberry, Justin Kaspar.

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KATE JOHNSON, KRISTIE LEONARD, STEVEN MACGREGOR, KARL MAIWALD, AARON MALLON, RONISH NARAYAN, SOKNY NOY, CLARE NURSE, MICHAEL POLE, LORRAE ROMEO, SAMANTHA RUFF, MITCHELL SCOTT, PAUL STOREN, LEE UNDERWOOD, JESSICA WRIGHT

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KELLIE FARRAR, BENJAMIN GOWANS, MICHAEL HILTON, HANNAH HOLMES, BRENDAN JOHNSON, DARREN KIMBERLEY, WILLIAM OLIPHANT, CASEY RUSSELL, BRIDGET SALVATORE, NICOLE SAMPSON, DAVID THOMPSON, IAN WALKER, DANIEL WONG, MICHAEL WOOD

NOT FEATURED: JESSICA MILLER

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ASHLEY GRAY, DANIEL HAUPTMAN, DANIEL JAMES, SEBASTIAN KOPICK, KATHRYN LIA, ANTONIE MATTHEWS, LAUREN NELSON, WADE NICHOLSON, GENE PROUD, CHRISTOPHER RAMADGE, NATALIE TYSON, JESSICA URQUHART, ROBERT VOUMARD, NADINE WILCOX

NOT FEATURED: MATTHEW MCKEOWN

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LUKE GORDON, SHANE HARRIS, ALLISON HESKES, IRENE LANDOURIS, ANDREW MALCOLMSON, MICHELLE NORMAN, MITCH PETROVIC, MEGHAN PRICE, VICTORIA SCULLY, GRAHAM TESSIER, ZOE THOMAS, ROSLYN TURNBULL, JOANNE VOGT

NOT FEATURED: KERRI-ANN THOMPSON

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PATRICK ALLEN, ALISON ANDERSON, MELISSA ASHTON, ELISHA BLAKE, JACOB BRADY, NICHOLAS DAWSON, BENJAMIN FORSYTH, AMANDA RIENIS, THOMAS GRAY

TARA HAMILTON, MARK HARWOOD, DALE HULST, WILLIAM JOY, CHANTELE KOK, MONICA LAZZARI, JODIE LESLIE, JUSTIN MACDONALD, AARON McLACHLAN, TRENT NEWTON, RACHEL PROUD, CARLY QUINTON, NATALIE RUSSELL, KIRSTEN WILLIS, MATTHEW WILLIS

NOT FEATURED: BRENT SENTON

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PATRICK ADAMS, JAMIE AGIUS, AARON BALTHAZAR, KATY BARNARD, MATTHEW EDDY, MATTHEW GARBETT, GLENN GORDON, JOSEPH FARRUGIA, ELI HARDINGHAM

ROBERT HINDS, MAHMOOD HOSSAIN, BRENT JANE, CATHRYN KELLETT, GRACE KELLETT, PHILIP MORGAN, ANDREW NOORDHOFF, BENJAMIN OLDENHOF, DAVID PINCZEWSKI, LEAH PINCZEWSKI, OLGA STOLBOVSKA, JANE TAKAO, ALLISON TANFIELD, AMANDA WEAVER, JONATHAN WOODS

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AARON MORRIS, JESSICA PERETICH, JULIAN PETRIE, EMMA-LEE POWELL, WARREN PUGH, MAJD REZKALLAH, MATTHEW ROBERTS, TARA ROBINSON, LAUREN SMITH, TROY SMITH, NEIL STURDY, SAMUEL UHE, JAMES WHITBOURN, ERIN WHITE

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NOT FEATURED: ALISHA SIBLEY, JOHN VENNELL

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TRACEY HODSON, SIMON HUELSEBUSCH, ALLISON KENINS, BRADLEY MASON, COREY MUNRO, LEE ROLLINGS, ADRIANA SAN ROMAN, ALLISON SUMNER, DERRICK TAYLOR, RYAN THOMPSON, BROMLEY TIMMS, TRENT TONKIN, KAREN WATSON

NOT FEATURED: EMMA BUMPSTEAD, BRADLEY CARROLL, REBECCA CHALKER

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LACHLAN KEEVERS, LAURA LARSEN, TIMOTHY MATEJKA, ELYSE MORPHEIT, RICKY PAPADIMITROU, SANDOR REDZIC, SARAH RYAN, REBECCA SMITH, SANDRA SMITH, DEAN STANILAND, NATALIE VAN LOOY, NATALIE VITA, TRENT WASHINGTON, MICHELLE YATES, YI ZHANG

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NOT FEATURED: DELA CLARK

# year nine

at camp howqua



**Middle School Coordinators:**  
Bruce Churchward (Team leader), and Spiro Onisiforou,



# years 9 and 10 in action

Year 9 had an active year being involved in a variety of programmes. They went to camp, rode horses, went canoeing, and generally joined in everything going. Later back at school some went on book buying sprees with the Book Club, some were involved in Aerobics, and some sold tickets, raised funds, entered competitions, built rockets and dressed up and performed beautifully in music and drama. A great year!

For their part Year 10 also were engaged in a multitude of activities. Outdoor Education



pursuits scored well with snowboarding and surfing heading the list. It was not all a physical year though as the Middle School Academic Achievement celebrations showed. Congratulations to all students in both Years 9 and 10 who received an award.

Now that the Drama students have wound down from their success in the play 'Juvie', and preparation for exams and VCE Orientation begins, the Year 10 students can also look forward to their end of year formal. We wish them good luck for Year 11.



Writing, writing, writing, in English all the time.  
 Writing, writing, writing, just to make a line.  
 Writing, writing, writing, fifteen pages long,  
 Writing, writing, writing, the spelling's likely wrong.  
 Writing, writing, writing, I don't know where it's going,  
 Writing, writing, writing, I wish the words were flowing.  
 Writing, writing, writing, these words in black and white,  
 Writing, writing, writing, day turns into night.  
 Writing, writing, writing, I don't know how long it took,  
 Writing, writing, writing, I'd rather read a book.  
 Writing, writing, writing, I've lost all sense of time,  
 Writing, writing, writing, I've reached my final line.

Patrick Adams 9D



MARDI BOOTH	TAHLIA BUCCELLA	DAMIAN CAFARELLA	RITHY CHHOR	AVELON COSMAS	AMY GARD	ANNE-MAREE HAIN	ELSE HOGAN-HOUGH
LAUREN JONES	NARINDER KAUR	<b>Heathmont College</b> Year 10F - 2000 Principal Mr John Handley Teachers Mrs Anne Kaur, Mrs Jane Roloff		JANA KOHOUT	STEVEN JONES		
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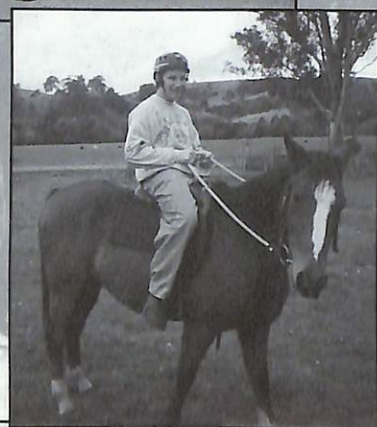
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BREE MORRISON	STUART BOYLE	<b>Heathmont College</b> Year 10G - 2000 Principal Mr John Handley Teacher Stuart Boyle		DAVID NASH	KELLIE NOLC		
LIAM PARKER	REBECCA PIKE	AMY ROOKLEDGE	DALE TOURNIER	TAMARA VANSITE	DANIEL WEBB	DANIEL WILLIAMS	

# Heathmont College Year 10, 2000





# surf ski and riding



## Work experience 2000

During term 2 all 150 of our Year 10 students participated in a two-week work experience program. As well as working in a variety of organizations they also had the opportunity to experience the tasks and responsibilities associated with the 'real world'. Some of the students had been keen to gain positions in large corporations or legal firms and had made the extra effort to prepare resumes and organize their placements as early as December last year. The students received very favourable comments from their host employers during the evaluation, demonstrating their ability to be hard working, well mannered, able to follow instructions, were reliable, and enthusiastic.

**Annette Niven Work Education Coordinator.**



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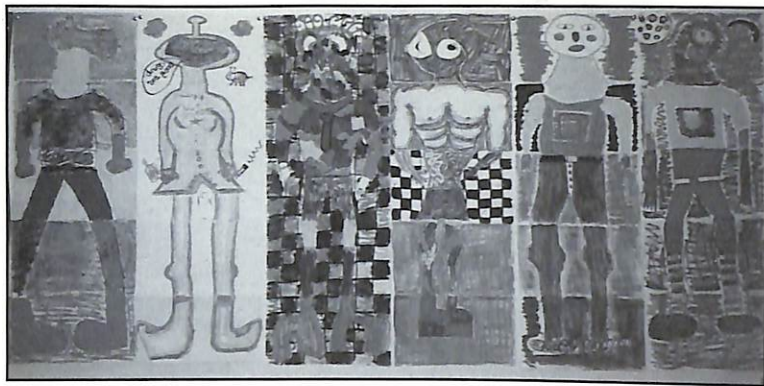
- Work experience is the most exciting part of Year 10.
- You get to know what your parents go through every day of the year.
- I was offered an apprenticeship!
- It was great fun! Can we do more?
- The people there were really nice.
- Start looking early - I left it until the last minute and it took me longer to find a placement.
- Phoning an employer and asking for a job is really nerve-wracking.



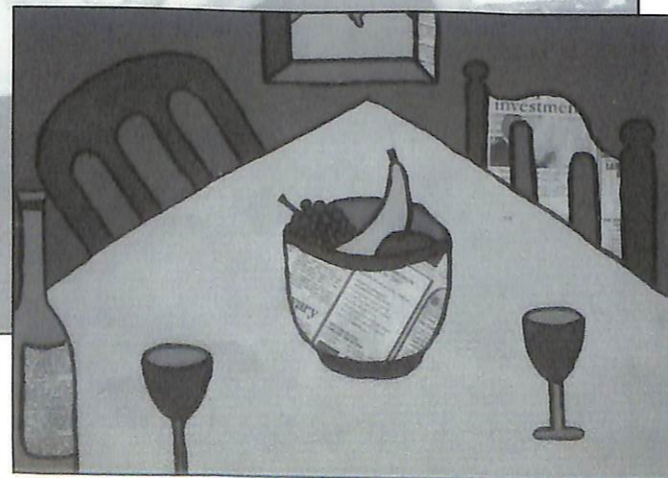
### Comments from Employers:

- This was the best work experience student that we have had.
- We were impressed with their attitude.
- We had a team of four of your students. They are all really hard working. They put some of the other casual staff to shame! We will offer them all part-time work.
- Students from Heathmont were well prepared, more enthusiastic, and better mannered than many other students that we have had on work experience.





the arts at waters grove



Tanya Carthy Year 9

Tomorrow

Will I live tomorrow?  
Well I just can't say.  
Will I live tomorrow?  
Well I just can't say.  
I know for sure I don't live today.  
No sun coming through my window.  
Feels like I'm living in the bottom of a grave.  
It's a matter of time before I'll get away.

Sam Batten 9F

James Bond 007

James Bond is black,  
He is a dinner suit with  
red stains of blood.  
He's a martini shaken not  
stirred,  
An around the world  
holiday, flying first class.  
He is a full orchestra,  
A five star hotel.  
He's a fast car that is  
always in pursuit.  
James Bond is a Wather PPK  
pistol that never misses.

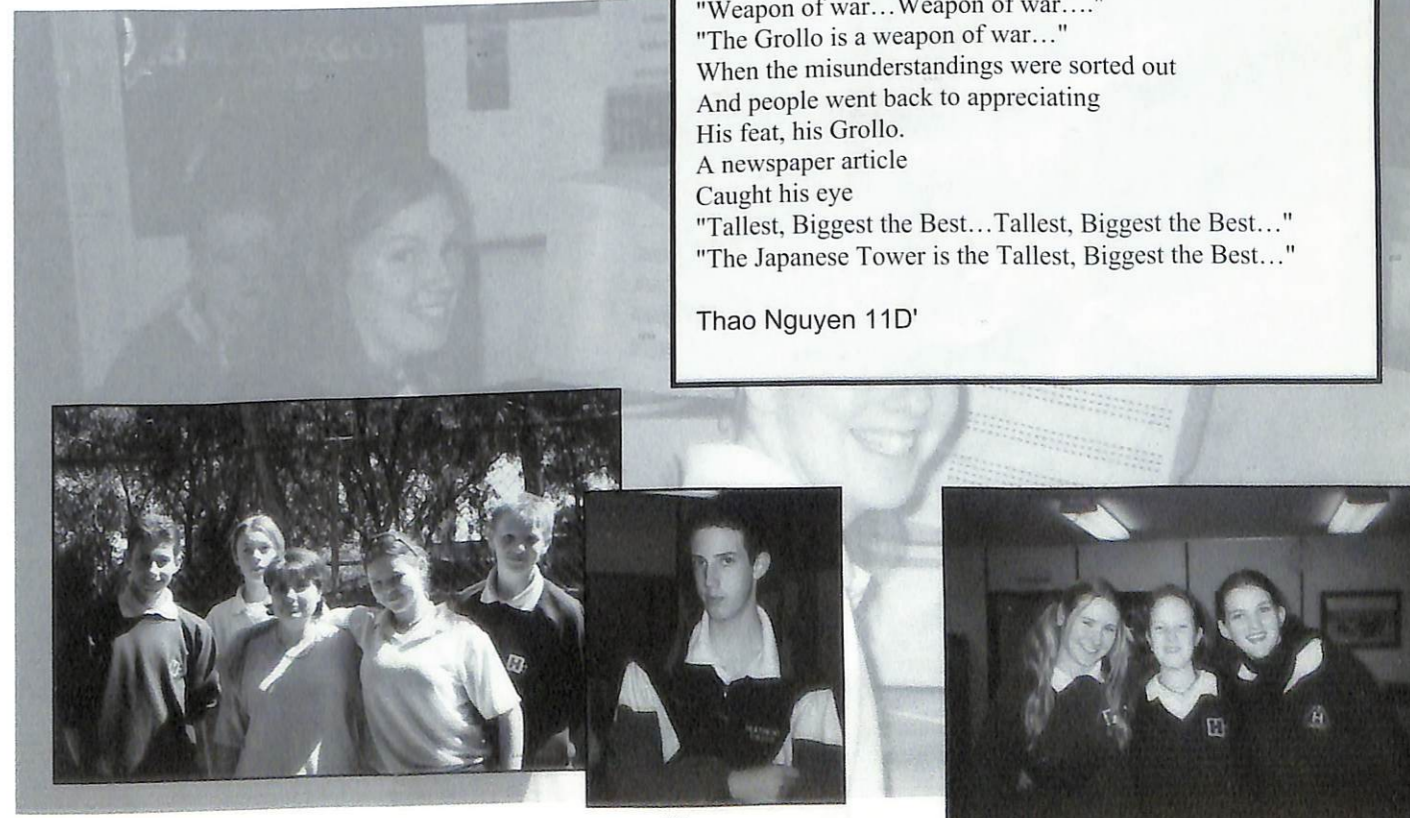
Patrick Adams 9D



" Twilight of the Grollo "

Melbourne lay peacefully in its corner of Australia  
It was content, the qualities of its city shining through  
But someone had a dream, someone wanted more.  
A man named Bruno Grollo and his dream for a Grollo.  
A Grollo he said, would enhance Melbourne  
Like France's Eiffel Tower, New York's Chrysler Building.  
There would be Melbourne's Grollo.  
A shimmering obelisk, an icon for Melbourne.  
Many will come far and wide to see this sight.  
"Tallest ever... Tallest ever...."  
"The Grollo is the tallest ever..."  
But what is this?  
America, Russia and China  
Have mistaken the Grollo for a rocket.  
They fear its striking distance  
They fear a potential war.  
They question themselves  
" How has Australia built such a large missile?"  
Their spies tell them it is dubbed....  
The "Grollo"  
"A missile...A missile...."  
"The Grollo is a missile...."  
Poor Mr. Grollo  
He could not understand why  
His dream had become a weapon of war  
"Weapon of war... Weapon of war...."  
"The Grollo is a weapon of war..."  
When the misunderstandings were sorted out  
And people went back to appreciating  
His feat, his Grollo.  
A newspaper article  
Caught his eye  
"Tallest, Biggest the Best... Tallest, Biggest the Best..."  
"The Japanese Tower is the Tallest, Biggest the Best..."

Thao Nguyen 11D'





PETER LANDOURIS   RODNEY LANGSFORD   PAUL LANIGAN   MELISSA LEONARD   LAUREN MACAULEY   JOSHUA MACDONALD   DAVID MACGILL   SIMON MACKAY   CATHERINE MACKIESON   LEIGH McALISTER   ADAM McGEE   ADAM McINTOSH   LEIGH McIVER   JAMAES McLEAN   JANE McLEAN



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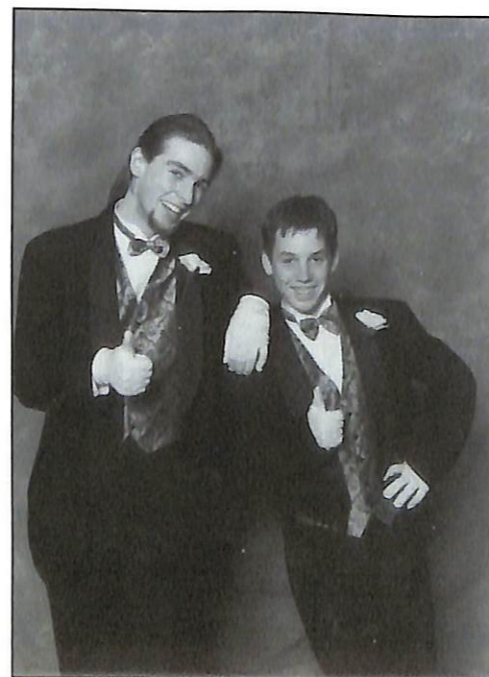
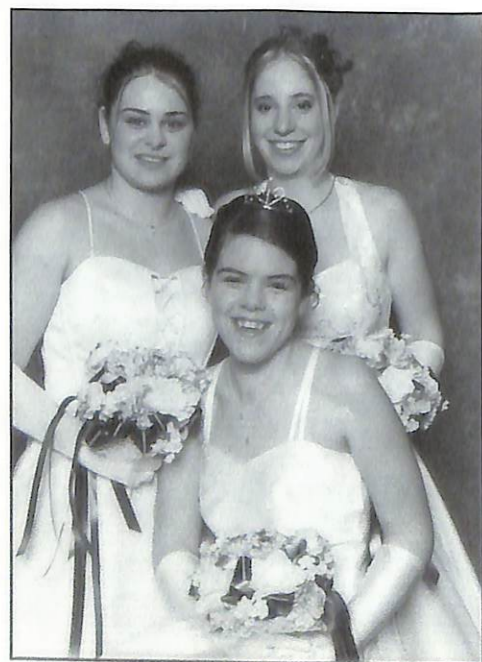
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# presentation ball 2<sup>nd</sup> sept 2000



Back Antony Sutherland, Ben Frith, Peter Landouris, Ryan Duke, David Jurica, Ben Davis  
 Row 4 Dane keevers, Robert Edwards, Ben Quick, Russell Jones, Jarred Kimberley, Jordan Tate, Ben Tumney, Antoine Smiley  
 Row 3 Shaun Webster, Owen North, Nick Swan, Alison Payne, Tozzy Beattie, Amber-Jade Gust, Chris McMillan, Danny Sampson, Luke Gordon  
 Row 2 Carla Johnson, Erin Broadway, Jodie-Lee Johnson, Beth Joyner, Samantha Joyner, Jennifer Ung, Rowena Brown, Melissa Hogan, Belinda Kerr, Kylie Musilli  
 Front Lauren Macauley, Amy Smith, Jasmine Foggo, Linda Lopez, Tamara Helbig, Ian King, Katy Plumridge, Cassie Adams, Emma Kay.

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# year 11 central trip

3rd of April until the 12<sup>th</sup> of April were 10 days that the year 11 students who went on the Central trip will never forget.

From Melbourne, Adelaide, through Copper Pedy and on to Alice Springs, all we seemed to do was laugh. The laughter and jokes never stopped. Especially on the night we slept out in the middle of nowhere. A night most of us remember very well. No toilets, no lights, and no phone reception. (Girls just can't live without their mobiles.) Boy, were we dirty the next morning, and you guessed it; no showers.

Ayres Rock was and is indescribable. It is amazing! Definitely a goal we completed and everyone always will remember the view from the top. I'm sure Mr. Moss will remember this trip as well! At Ayres Rock Shazzas (Robyn's) salon was opened in the laundry. Six boys, two girls and Mr. Boyle came back with dyed/streaked hair. Some worked, some didn't.

Ben Davis will never live down Kings Canyon. He dressed up as a female - we called her Bianca, and he started his long trek up and around the Canyon. Little did he know that once on top two other Secondary colleges were also there.

The trip to the Centre was the highlight of our year and one we will always remember. Thank you to all the teachers who came on the trip and the Getaway crew.

Robyn Maclean 11G

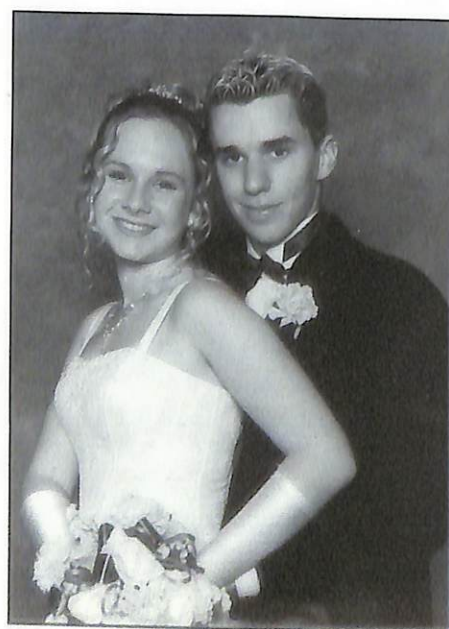


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- Row 4 Tom McLean, Jarred Dennis, Travis Forrest, Steven Gligorov, Paul Mullen, Bailey Timms, Shane Potten, Joshua Wilson, Ryan Adamson, Rob Francis, Shane Tournier
- Row 3 Damion Brown, Jenny Bolch, Diane Hargan, Emily Farrell, Adam McIntosh, Chris Hemsworth, Stuart McLellan, Matthew Beath, Lynette Smith, Kim Greening, Rebecca Stephens, Josh MacDonald
- Row 2 Jessica Turnbull, Chantelle Porter, Sarah Morris, Jade White, Robyn McLean, Greg Crerar, Melissa Leonard, Elly Hodson, Leanne Stewart, Samantha Voumard, Jill Shannon
- Front Emily Gard, Jodie Elford, Amy Lamshed, Nikki Walton, Melanie Harrison, Eva McMaster, Tomy Devereux, Nyssa Hyde, Rachel Hibberd, Jessica Duus, Jessica Timms, Mau Takao.

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## the beach

I woke up in my tent, memory deranged and scattered, and my whole left side throbbing as I had spent the latter part of the night sleeping with my legs inside the tent and the rest of me hanging out on hard ground. Pieces of the puzzle started putting themselves into place as I began to recall how I got home and what had happened the night before at the beach party.

When I stood up a thousand high pitched voices screamed in my head for me to go back to sleep. I resisted their frantic calls and began the arduous task of walking to the beach to check the swell. As I approached the half way mark my feet were stinging from the frosty morning grass which was covered with millions of tiny freezer like icicles. They caused a sensation that grew like a virus as it covered my feet and became ever more painful with every step.

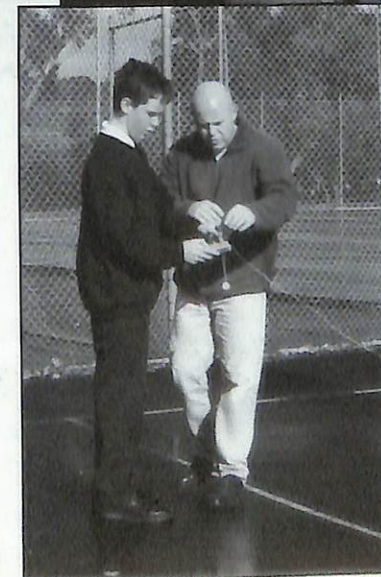
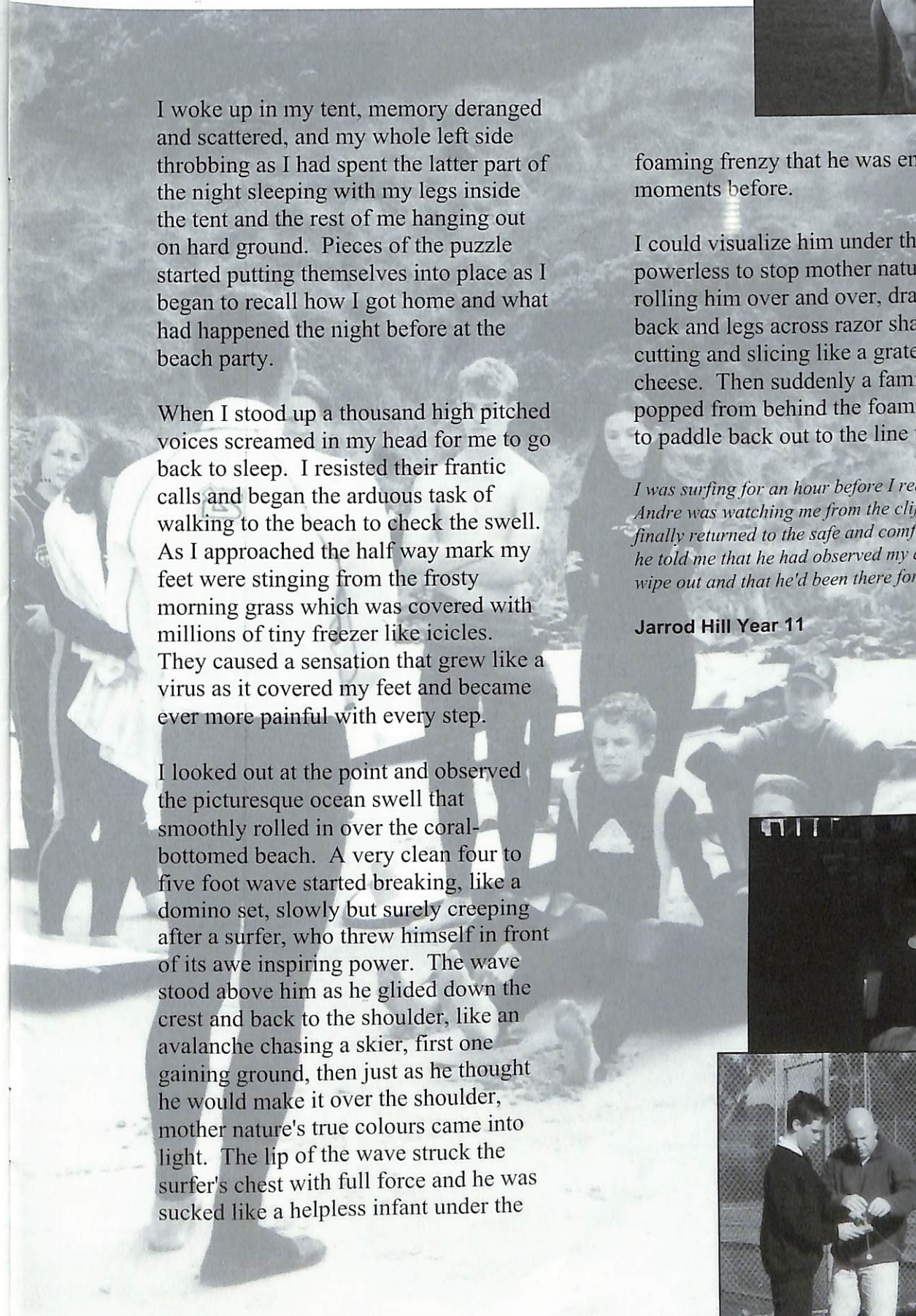
I looked out at the point and observed the picturesque ocean swell that smoothly rolled in over the coral-bottomed beach. A very clean four to five foot wave started breaking, like a domino set, slowly but surely creeping after a surfer, who threw himself in front of its awe inspiring power. The wave stood above him as he glided down the crest and back to the shoulder, like an avalanche chasing a skier, first one gaining ground, then just as he thought he would make it over the shoulder, mother nature's true colours came into light. The lip of the wave struck the surfer's chest with full force and he was sucked like a helpless infant under the

foaming frenzy that he was enjoying moments before.

I could visualize him under the water, powerless to stop mother nature from rolling him over and over, dragging his back and legs across razor sharp coral, cutting and slicing like a grater through cheese. Then suddenly a familiar head popped from behind the foam and turned to paddle back out to the line up.

*I was surfing for an hour before I realised that Andre was watching me from the cliff. When I finally returned to the safe and comforting beach he told me that he had observed my awesome wipe out and that he'd been there for a long time.*

**Jarrood Hill Year 11**



# Autographs

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Sandra Smith 9G

## performing arts

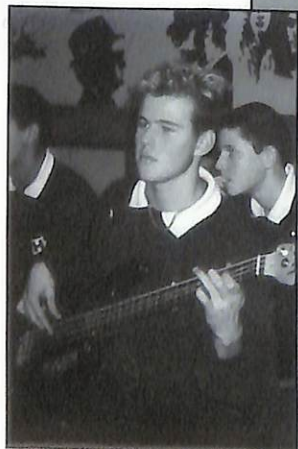
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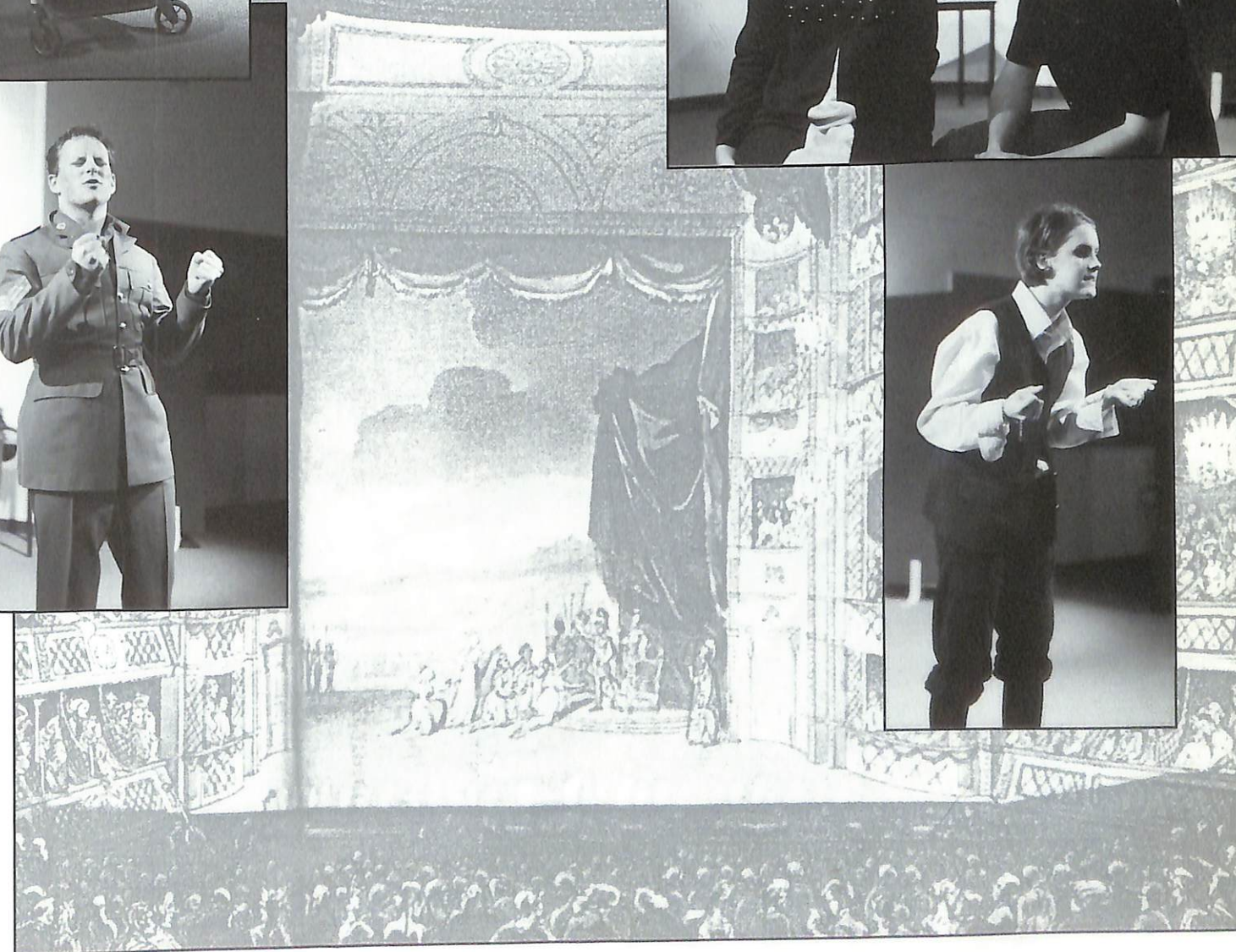
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## VCE monologues





### Anzac cove

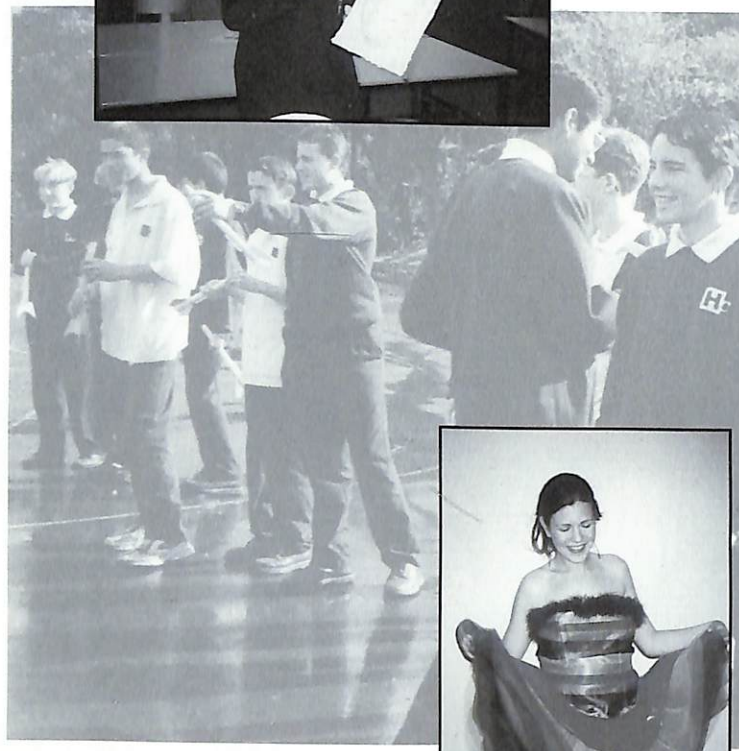
I wait for the whistle to blow  
to take me to death,  
or become a hero.  
I see the small shadow that moves  
along the duck-boards.  
I look up to see a sandpiper  
oblivious to his surroundings.  
Any second his world could be upside down.

The muck and misery down here  
is not my imagination,  
nor is it in my dreams,  
it is real.  
As I crawl through the great city we've built  
I smell the rotting stench  
of corpses decaying.  
The rains have drenched the walls  
making sticky clay in my home.

The rats and mice are our companions too,  
they finish off what the Fritz couldn't do.  
As we attempt to sleep upon the duck-boards  
in three inches of water,  
the rodents snuggle up to us  
attracted by our warmth.  
Then, as the moon light awakes,  
they scurry off  
to dine on our fellow friends  
who have gone to heaven.

The vision I see lacks in reality  
yet it's not in my imagination,  
I hear heart breaking cries  
and find friends dead.  
We'd rather die than surrender,  
and all for what?  
The honour of our country,  
that is what we defend.

### Kellie Floyd Year 12



### Jersey shores

We sat and watched the rocks,  
For a little over an hour  
Silently we watched,  
The rocks bear the seas power

The jagged edges humbled  
By the crashing of the sea  
It swirled its foam and spat it out  
Oblivious to me

It sprayed us, still we lingered  
Enchanted by the blue  
The monster raging on below  
That washed all over you

It grew colder, still we stayed  
Ignoring wind and rain  
Our hypnosis unswayed  
By the power of the sea.

We left when dusk began to fall  
And jewels lined the crests  
Of every wave and glittering,  
Like silent laughter  
Waved goodbye.

### Keri James Year 12

# year twelve

## farewell speech

### Final Year

Views and feelings about this past year, and indeed, all years spent at Heathmont vary greatly between students.

For us as College Captains, this school year has been both challenging and rewarding. At the same time, it has also been an enormous amount of fun. Students will undoubtedly take different things away with them this year. Yet we are sure that everyone will attempt to be 'the best that they can be' with the upcoming exams and also in their future.

Thank you for a fantastic final year 12

Abbey Jackson & Andrew Devine  
Heathmont College School Captains  
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Eva McMaster Senior School  
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# valedictory dinner



This year the College's Valedictory Dinner was held at a new venue, Leonda's in Hawthorn. The dinner is the highlight of and fitting end for a year full of hard work and effort by our Year 12 students. It is also a celebration of achievement, friendships made, and a formal acknowledgment of moving on, which is shared by students, staff and parents.



The Year 12 Management committee under the direction of Linda Lopez, Senior School Co-ordinator, has excelled in its preparation for this year's dinner and indeed the Farewell Luncheon on the last day for Year 12's. The desire to make these celebratory events so successful, and the time and effort put in to doing so, has been a great credit to all those students involved.



## Valedictorian for 2000

Once again we have found ourselves in the unenviable position of selecting a Year 12 student as our Year 2000 Valedictorian.

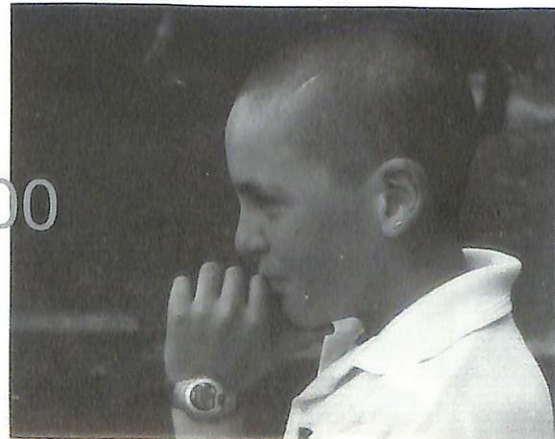
So many of our students have achieved well over the year that this proved to be a time consuming yet rewarding task. We found it very gratifying to see so many great results over the full range of subjects, if a little daunting to see how many had achieved well and had to be sorted through!

Finally a point was reached where two students were impossible to separate, even going back to last year's results and we were delighted to select two students to share the honour for this year. Congratulations and best wishes go to Eugenie Collyer and Erin Parker as they venture out from Heathmont and into pastures new.

Linda Lopez: Senior School Co-ordinator.

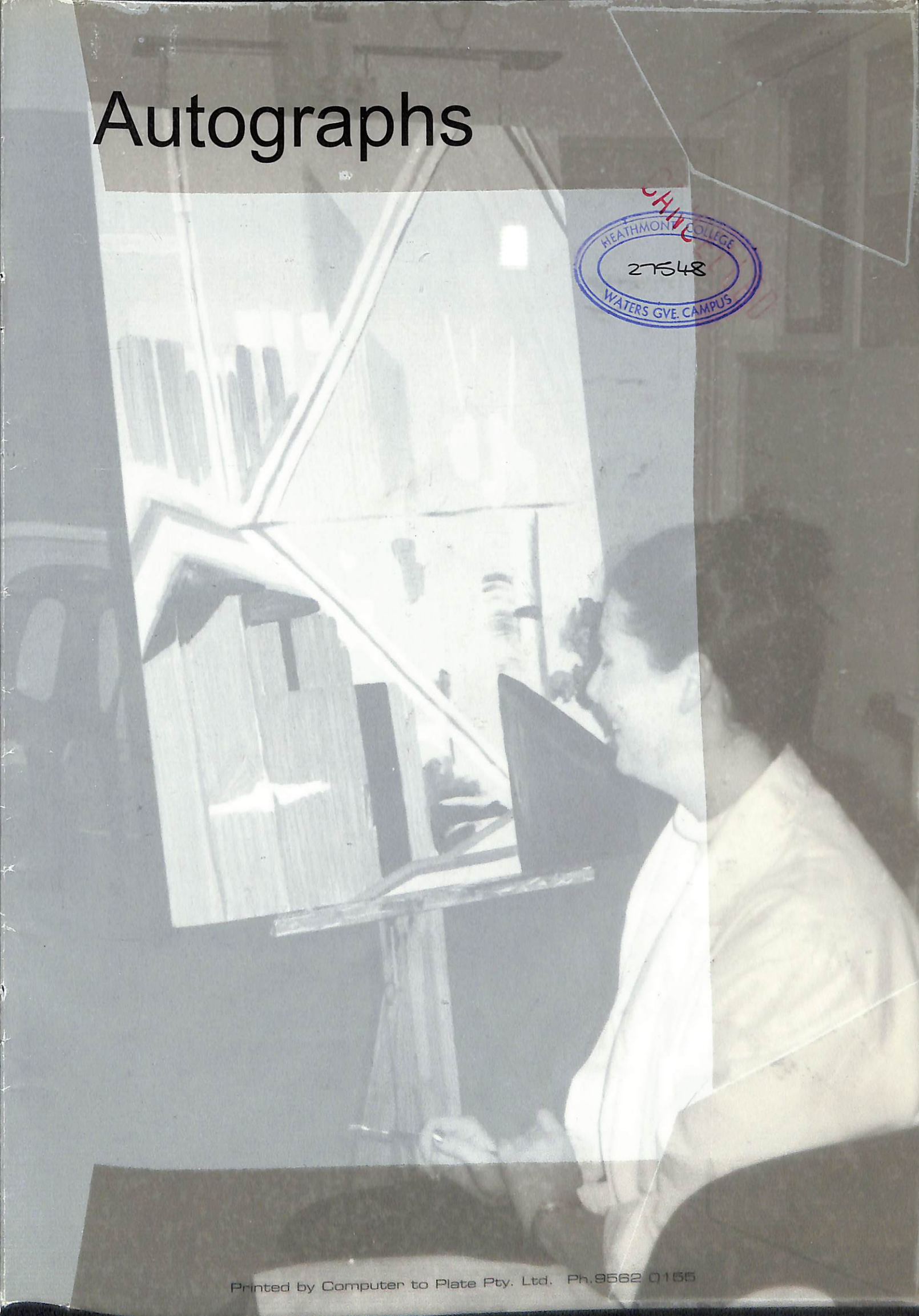
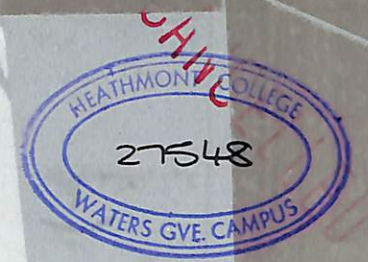


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farewell to 2000

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