



## Week 1 Term 4, 9th October, 2009

**GREENSBOROUGH COLLEGE VISION**  
Greensborough College is an innovative school in which students are happy, confident, taking responsibility for their learning and moving onto further education or employment

### COLLEGE COUNCIL

**Parents:** Russell Nicholls, Noel Dunn, Evelyn Cowman (Treasurer) & Glen Martin (President)

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Department of Education & Training;  
Johan Heitbaum, John Conway, Linda Reid  
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### IMPORTANT DATES/COMING EVENTS

13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	❖ Homework Club 3.30pm ❖ Maths Club 3.30pm ❖ Lunchtime Writers Club
14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	❖ Model Aeroplane Club
17 <sup>th</sup> Oct	❖ Saturday Detention
20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	❖ Lunchtime Writers Club
28 <sup>th</sup> Oct	❖ End of Year Music Concert 7pm
30 <sup>th</sup> Oct	❖ Year 12 VCE Exams commence
31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	❖ Saturday Detention
3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	❖ <b>Melbourne Cup Day</b>
9 <sup>th</sup> Nov	❖ Music Camp to Tasmania depart
11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	❖ Remembrance Day Assembly
14 <sup>th</sup> Nov	❖ Saturday Detention & Working Bee
20 <sup>th</sup> Nov	❖ Yr 12 Exams Finish
21 <sup>st</sup> Nov	❖ PFA Shopping Tour
28 <sup>th</sup> Nov	❖ Saturday Detention
30 <sup>th</sup> Nov	❖ Yr 10 into Yr 11 Program week
1 <sup>st</sup> Dec	❖ Homework Club 3.30pm ❖ Maths Club 3.30pm ❖ 7.00pm PFA Meeting
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	❖ Model Aeroplane Club 3.15pm
8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ Yr 6 Orientation Day
9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ Presentation Evening & Yr 12 Valedictory Dinner
11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ Activities Day
14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ Activities Day
15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ Activities Day
16 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ School Council Thank You BBQ
18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	❖ Term 4 ends
1 <sup>st</sup> Feb 2010	❖ Term 1 starts

**Parents/Guardians please note  
Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November  
is a normal school day – students are  
expected to attend classes.**

## ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS COMMENTS

Welcome back everyone. It has been a very smooth start to Term 4 and we are looking forward to this term because it is a very special term for our year 12 students. It is the very last term of their schooling at Greensborough College. It is a very stressful term for them, an enormous work load due to revision for their VCE exams, but also a very emotional term.

To all of our Year 12 students good luck with the revision and study.

Ask for help when needed from the staff of Greensborough College, your parents and friends. Make sure you never give up. Before you know it, it will be all over!

### EXPECTATIONS OF YEAR 11 & 12 STUDENTS

We can all appreciate that the end of the year is near, however, our senior students are still expected to attend **all** classes and to arrive for Period One on time every day. This is the most important time of the year for our senior students and they cannot afford to miss any class time.

### BENEFITS OF BREAKFAST

We have noticed a pattern, that a lot of our students do not have breakfast. Our First Aid Officer has raised a concern that a lot of students that find themselves in the Sick Bay before lunch time is due to not having any food until lunch.

Breakfast is the most important meal of the day. Doctors do not say this without a reason. Breakfast is needed by the body to get energy and perform well. Students have tried to convince us that they are able to go without breakfast and work productively till lunch; somehow we do not believe this. We would like to see that all of our students this term to put in an effort and eat a healthy breakfast and lets watch their productivity increase like never before!

Check out the health benefits of breakfast:

- x Improves concentration and results in better memory. This leads to a better start of the day and leads to improved performance.
- x Those who had breakfast were found to have an adequate balance of nutrients and minerals in their body as compared to those who did not have breakfast.
- x If you are thinking skipping breakfast will make you slim, think again! Research indicates that those who skip breakfast are likely to become overweight with time due to extreme hunger later in the day.









**SRC**

**KRISPY KREME DOUGHNUT  
FUNDRAISING DRIVE**

Dear Parents,

As part of our next fundraising event for the Student Representative Council in 2009, a Krispy Kreme Doughnut Drive has been organised to raise funds for State Schools' Relief (SSR). SSR is an organisation that receives funding exclusively from donations. SSR provides subsidies towards the cost of school uniforms to families that are in financial need. Greensborough College receives around \$10,000 a year in subsidies towards our student's purchasing uniforms.

Families at the College will be able to order boxes of a dozen doughnuts:

Code: OG - Original Glazed - \$16

Code: CA - Classic Assorted (6 x Glazed, 2 x Choc Iced, 2 x Choc Sprinkles, 2 x Strawberry Iced) - \$20

Families wishing to assist with this fundraising or would just like to buy a box for the family must complete the details below and have your child return the form and money to the order point at the front office on Thursday 22/10, Friday 23/10, Thursday 28/10 or Friday 29/10 at lunchtime between 12.50 and 1.20.

For those students who would like to order a single doughnut the cost will be \$2 and must be prepaid and ordered on the above dates at the order point. You will receive a raffle ticket with which to pick up your order.

Boxed doughnuts will be available for pick up on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> November from the College Conference Room between the hours of 3.10 and 6.30 pm.

Single doughnuts can be picked up at the start of lunch from the conference room.

**No doughnuts will be sold on the day**

Catherine Finnigan  
SRC Coordinator

Return slip to School with money  
Krispy Kreme Drive

Name	Contact No.	Doughnut Code	Number of Boxes	Cost per Dozen	Total
				\$	
				\$	
				\$	
				\$	

TOTAL BOXES

TOTAL \$

Student Name: ..... Homegroup: .....

Parent Name: ..... Contact No. on Collection Day: .....