

COBDEN TECHNICAL SCHOOL,  
A State Secondary College  
**NEWSLETTER**

**FROM THE PRINCIPAL:**

Number 4, 20th March, 1992.

All of our Year 7s recently attended a highly successful three day camp at Port Fairy. All Year 7 co-ordinators attended and used this opportunity to get to know members of their respective groups. Students participated in many different activities and also toured Tower Hill. All credit must go to Mrs. Mary Fielding who organised the camp.

The interschool swimming championship was held during the Leura Festival. It was terrific to see the spirit with which our young people competed. Congratulations to Timboon High who came in well in front and the Regional College who just managed to displace Cobden from 2nd spot. I was pleased to note that the young people from all schools related well to each other and that joy was taken from competing rather than winning. The Hampden Secondary Schools Sports Association - made up of Principals and sports teachers from the five local secondary schools - congratulated Mr. Eddie Arundell on his thorough planning and organisation of this activity. The next interschool activity will be the athletics sports to be held on Thursday 9th April at Camperdown.

We have been fortunate to gain Regional support for the funding of a number of projects:

- A) guttering is currently being replaced over A wing - we have taken on board a quantity of water through the A wing corridor ceiling due to rusted guttering - this problem is being rectified.
- B) separate hot water and heating units are to be installed to service the Technology Studies wing; These services were disconnected last year because of leaking pipes. Tenders are being called by Housing and Construction (formerly P.W.D.), for this major project this week and work should be completed by the start of term 2.
- C) our small gym floor has been in need of some repair due to water damage. Housing and Construction are to call for tenders to replace buckled boards and to reseal the surface.
- D) some spiral balances which control the movement of relocatable windows have broken over time. New "stops" are to be installed to prevent this happening and broken spiral balances replaced.

The school is also tackling a number of projects:

- A) a concrete step has been constructed to ease entry to the V.C.E. study centre (our Pombo room). Benches have been constructed to allow students plenty of room for working - these benches have been installed around the walls of the room. Spouting is currently being replaced and water connected, with the addition of furniture from the staffroom the study centre will soon be in operation.
- B) Thanks to BAM quarries in Port Fairy & Mr. Rod Bufton we have acquired three pallets of bluestone off-cuts. We are investigating the laying of these on the dirt seating area adjacent to the bus area and in front of the Humanities relocatables.
- C) Because of damage caused to seating in the undercover eating area - most of which has occurred during weekends & after school - the school's Plant & Property committee is examining the possibility of installing a number of gates to seal off this area.
- D) The Heytesbury Shire has supported the school in the delivery and levelling of soil for a hard court area. In the short term we will add scoria to create a kicking/ball sports area, and in the longer term this will be transformed into tennis courts.

Negotiations with Ford for the donation of a car for Driver Education have concluded. Ford have generously agreed to donate a Ford Capri to the school. Official hand over day will be Monday 6th April - however, we hope to have the vehicle well before this date. More details to follow in the next newsletter.

**SCHOOL COUNCIL ELECTIONS:**

Two vacancies for parent representatives on the Cobden Technical School Council will occur with the completion of terms of office of Mr. David Snell and Mrs. Sue McInnes.

Nominations are hereby called for these vacancies as per attached schedules. If there are more nominations than positions vacant, necessitating an election, all parents will be notified by special bulletin.

## FROM THE VICE PRINCIPAL:

Cobden Historical Society once again conducted its Art Show last weekend. A number of our students contributed to the success of the show in a variety of ways. Last year Jason Moore hinged together a number of doors which were used as display stands. Alistair Tune, Scott Pickles and Shane Robertson spent a whole day hanging the exhibition, and studio members Corrina Absalom, Melissa Ellerton, Simon Boyd, Brett Marshall and Irene Jubber mounted the lighting, with guidance from Mr. Alan Bryant. It is good to see our students displaying a constructive community minded outlook. They are to be congratulated and thanked.

A further highlight of the Art Show was the fact that Dexter Robbins of Year 9 won first prize in the Schools Section with a pastel drawing of two dolphins. Dexter wins a \$50 award and our congratulations.

### **LOST PROPERTY:**

There are a great many items of clothing and other things such as towels mounting up in the Vice Principal's office and in the gym. Most of them have no names on them, making it very difficult to return them to their rightful owners. Could you please check to see that your son or daughter is not missing any items? Could you also ensure that all items have names on them. Any items unclaimed by the end of term may be given to students who need them, or placed in the second hand clothing store for sale.

### **FRESH AIR:**

Some students bring deodorants for use after physical education or other sports training sessions.

There have been some unfortunate incidents involving the misuse of spray (pressure pack) deodorants.

For this reason, and because pressure packs can cause harm to the ozone layer, we would prefer students to use the stick or roll on variety. We would appreciate your help in this regard.

## TIMBOON LADIES AUXILIARY:

Cobden Technical School Timboon Ladies Auxiliary are having a Hot Cross Bun drive for Easter. \$2 for 1/2 dozen. Orders and money to be returned to school office by Monday 30th March. Delivery date Wednesday 8th April. Buns supplied by Trigg's Bakery, Timboon.

## IMPORTANT DATES:

### **Monday 23rd March:**

Year 7 & 8 Swinburne Science Show, 1:30 - 2:30 (at school)

School Council meeting 8pm.

### **Tuesday 24th March:**

Tertiary Information session at Camperdown High School - 12 - 1pm - 3:30 pm.

### **Thursday 26th March:**

Cobden Tech Athletics sports - all day.

### **Friday 27th March:**

Year 12 English trip to Melbourne - "Educating Rita".

### **Wednesday 1st April:**

Timboon Ladies Auxiliary meeting 1:30 pm

### **Tuesday 7th April:**

Parent 1 Interview and interim report issue (NOTE CHANGE OF DATE)

Cobden Ladies Auxiliary.

### **Thursday 9th April:**

Combined interschool athletics sports.

### **Friday 10th April:**

Last day term 1. 2:30 pm finish.

## ENROL WITH THE CES:

John Blake from the Cobden CES will visit the school on Thursday 2nd April to interview students in Year 11 and 12 who wish to enrol with the CES. This information will then be sent to the CES at both Colac and Warrnambool.

Students interested in apprenticeships are strongly encouraged to enrol. In June/July when all the major apprenticeships start to be advertised the Colac CES will recommence its policy of sending information re: apprenticeships to individual students in the trades they have nominated. (This service is suspended from December to June each year).

Students who are interested in working in other parts of the state should indicate this and they will be given information about employment prospects in those areas.

All students who have enrolled previously should check to see whether their enrolment is still current.

## SCIENCE SHOW:

The Swinburne Travelling Science Show will be visiting the school next Monday March 23rd and performing for Year 7 and 8 students. The aim of the show is to stimulate an interest in science and technology amongst school students. A reminder that all Year 7 & 8 students are asked to bring \$2 to contribute to the cost of this show.

## YEAR 7 CAMP:

Approximately 100 students, parents and teachers participated in a highly successful Year 7 camp at Port Fairy from 3rd - 5th March. It was an enjoyable few days and an excellent opportunity for everyone to extend the range of people they knew. Thank you to all the parents of students who helped organise camping gear and for the delicious and ample contributions to our suppers etc.. Particular thanks to our three parent helpers; Win McKenzie, Trish Hughes and Colin Kerr who came along to help and as well as being great company did the bulk of the cooking and participated in many of the activities.

Last week the students were asked to write about their recollection of the Camp and below are some of their contributions:

On the Year 7 Camp we went to Port Fairy and we looked at the fishing boats and were told which were cray and shark boats.

On the second day of camp we went boogie-boarding in the sea and it was lots of fun.

On the first night after setting up camp, some of us went fishing and there was only one fish caught for the night.

We went to see the Mutton Birds and the Lighthouse on Wednesday night.

We were on the wharf and Mr. Bunning nearly went to sleep!

After lunch we went swimming again. The waves were big and the sand castles in the competition were looking good. Two boys won with a car castle.

On Thursday we went to Tower Hill and saw a Emu, Koala and a Kangaroo. Then we went on another walk uphill. We went to McDonald's for lunch and arrived in Cobden at 3 pm. It was good to be back in our own bed.

## INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE

### STUDENT?

STUDENTS - How would you like to study abroad as an International Exchange Student? It's not as expensive as you may think. We have just received some information from ASSE International Student Exchange Programs. There is a poster on the noticeboard near the roll rack, and additional material in the Vice Principal's office.

## WANT TO PLAY GOLF:

Any boy or girl interested in playing junior golf at Camperdown Golf Club under the guidance of senior Camperdown Golfers of a Sunday morning are invited to contact Mrs. Elaine Telford on 931 839.

## CANTEEN ROSTER:

### Monday 23rd March:

J. Primrose, J. Alexander

### Tuesday 24th March:

G. Quarrell, G. Roberts, T. Hughes

### Wednesday 25th March:

B. Clarke, J. Barling

### Thursday 26th March:

J. McKenzie, E. Boyd, D. Lee

### Friday 27th March:

L. Podger, J. Lyons.

### Monday 30th March:

S. Hollingsworth, T. Miller, F. Conner, J. Barling

### Tuesday 31st March:

D. Fox, L. Morris, P. Wines

### Wednesday 1st April:

C. Ovens, L. Bennett, W. Clarke

### Thursday 2nd April:

E. Bourke, M. Gladman

### Friday 3rd April:

H. Jackway, D. Benson

### Monday 6th April:

J. McSween, E. Ellerton

### Tuesday 7th April:

INTERIM REPORT DAY - NO STUDENTS

### Wednesday 8th April:

C. McGillivray, B. Griffith, A. Vagg

### Thursday 9th April:

SPORTS DAY - B. Beard,

M. Pollard, C. Rowe, R. Forsyth (if possible)

### Friday 10th April:

M. Jacka, J. Snell, L. Sedgley

AS YOU CAN SEE WE ARE STILL VERY SHORT OF LADIES TO HELP. WE NEED THREE (3) PER DAY. MUST BE TWO (2) ESPECIALLY OVER 1ST TERM. If you can help this month please ring Val on 951 202.

## WORK EXPERIENCE:

### YEAR 10:

The dates of Year 10 are 22nd June to 3rd July, 1992. Many students have already finalised the arrangements for their work experience. If your child has not started making arrangements OR is encountering difficulties please contact their co-ordinator OR Mrs. Vagg immediately. Although it is still three months away it is important to find and organise a placement as soon as possible. DO NOT LEAVE IT UNTIL THE LAST MOMENT.

### YEAR 11 AND 12:

Students at this level are strongly encouraged to do Work Experience in their holidays. It can be a valuable asset to have done a range of work experience when seeking employment. Anyone wanting to do it in these holidays should collect a form now and have it back to Mrs. Vagg by Wednesday 1st April.

## COBDEN LADIES AUXILIARY:

At our annual meeting held on March 3rd the following were elected into Office for 1992.

President - L. Benson  
Vice President - D. Brownlaw  
Secretary - V. Crawford & E. Maskell  
Treasurer - C. Rowe  
Catering Secretary - F. Warden  
School Council Rep - A. Price  
P & C Rep - F. Warden

We were very sorry to have to farewell four of our ladies who have supported most of our functions for quite a few years, and attended our meetings.

Shirley Dickson who has been our very efficient Treasurer for quite sometime.  
V. Murfitt and Pat Arnold whose help we will greatly miss.  
Christine Ovens after 14 years being connected without school in many areas, and has held most positions in office for our Ladies Auxiliary, we sadly say goodbye to Christine.

We will miss these ladies and their friendship, we hope some new Mums will come along and replace them.

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday 7th April at 1:30 pm in the conference room. We will have some of the staff available at recess time to talk to mothers.

Please bring along a plate of afternoon tea. All mothers are most welcome.

Lollies from the Easter Lolly Drive can be collected from the conference room from 12:30 on Thursday 2nd April.

Second hand clothes operates each Tuesday from 1:00 - 1:30 from outside Mr. Whites office. We have for sale:

summer dresses - most in good condition - size 14, 16, 18 from \$10-\$15-\$20.

New dress - worn once, size 16 - \$30.

Woollen jumpers fair condition, \$5, \$10, \$20.

Shirts - White and grey mixed sizes and condition from \$2.

Grey quicksilver shorts - 29" waist - very good condition \$15.

Black T-bar shoes, very good condition - \$20.

Grey jeans - mixed sizes and quality from \$5-\$15.

Aprons are now for sale at the general office \$3.50 for just the material that you make up the apron or \$5.00 for a made up one.

## VOLUNTARY HELPERS IN THE CAREERS ROOM:

Three people responded to my request for assistance in the careers room: Arihi Mahoney (sister of a student) Lauren Borthwick (mother) and Jenny Rundle (mother). They are all great to work with and already I can see great benefit from the work they are doing. The school community is most appreciative of their efforts.

Arihi has been updating the computer records of student destinations since 1984; Lauren is preparing Year 11 resumes and Jenny is putting Work Experience placements for the last three years on the computer. They are being recorded under job headings. This will mean that students undertaking Work Experience can gain ideas about the sort of placements that are possible and where they can be done.

## V.C.E CAN LEAD TO TAFE:

As the number of students staying on to do Year 12 increases every year there is growing pressure to make the V.C.E. more meaningful and relevant to those students. One program attempting to do this is called "Pathways From V.C.E. to TAFE".

Under a new arrangement between VCAB and TAFE it is now possible for students undertaking a TAFE course, or an apprenticeship or a traineeship to gain credit for work done in VCE Years 11 and 12.

Students interested in apprenticeships who have completed units in any of the V.C.E. Technology subjects such as Materials, Design or Systems will receive credit for their work when attending trade school.

A student undertaking an Advanced Certificate in Secretarial Studies at TAFE who has completed V.C.E. Accounting, Information Technology and English could receive credit for up to half their course. This would then make it possible to complete such a course in 6 months rather than 12 months.

## S.R.C.'S TOP GUN!

Glenn Robertson was elected president of the Cobden Technical School's S.R.C. He will be supported by Vice President's - Leah Fitzgerald and Scott Howley.

Secretary Melissa Duffin will be looking after the minute book and correspondence while Michelle Blain is Treasurer.

A major project already underway is the S.R.C.'s Game of Skill, a football tipping competition that will help raise funds for outdoor recreational facilities for students.

Secretary Melissa reports the following from the S.R.C.'s first formal meeting:

The S.R.C. currently has \$2,000 invested and \$1500 in its cheque account.

We plan to continue fostering our Foster child, Rasika, who lives in Sri Lanka. She sends us letters, photographs, and pictures she has drawn.

Committee members - Nicki Mulheron, Rachel Stevens, Aaron Marshall & Brent Haebick.

A casual dress day was held on Friday 13th March with a cost of 50c. All proceeds went towards the "Aged Care Appeal". Amount raised \$180. Thank you.

In aid of the Camperdown Hospital, a bed race from Camperdown to Cobden is to be held in the near future. The bed (made here at school) will be pushed by members of the Cobden Fire Brigade. A contribution of \$50 will be gladly donated by the S.R.C.

The "Murray to Mayne" (Mildura to Port Fairy) bike ride is getting closer. The money raised by the Cobden team is to be donated to the Cobden Bush Nursing Hospital. A further \$50 will be donated by the S.R.C.

The school currently has two table tennis tables that are without legs! The S.R.C. is looking into getting those legs made. These table tennis tables will be for general use.

Also the two pool tables situated in the Trade Wing are a bit of a mess. The S.R.C. has spoken to Mr. Cobbledick about what has to be done and the cost of repair. We hope to have the pool tables fit for use soon.

The S.R.C. has been approached about the state of the undercover eating area's tables and seats. We will pass this information onto the Plant and Property Committee for their comment.

## THE S.R.C. MEMBERSHIP:

- Group 1 - Andrew Jenkins
- Group 2 - Lauren Taylor
- Group 3 - Donna Narik
- Group 4 - Robert Rowe
- Group 5 - Sam Anderson
- Group 6 - Naomi Ovens
- Group 7 - Rachel Nelson
- Group 8 - Jodie Morris
- Group 9 - Nathan Hatherall
- Group 10 - Brent Haebick
- Group 14 - Leah Fitzgerald (Vice President)
- Group 15 - Tim Roberts
- Group 16 - Aaron Marshall
- Group 17 - Corrina Absalom/Allison Ingram
- Group 18 - Peter O'Connor
- Group 19 - Scott Howley (Vice President)
- Group 20 - Shaun Thornton
- Group 21 - Nicki Mulheron
- Group 25 - Melissa Duffin (Secretary)
- Group 26 - Glenn Robertson (President)
- Group 27 - Rachel Stevens
- Group 28 - Michelle Blain (Treasurer)
- Group 30 - Matthew Garside
- Group 31 - Melissa Fenton
- Group 32 - Symone Kenna

## B.M.X. CLUB:

Cobden & District B.M.X. Club hold their major race meeting for the year, this Sunday March 22nd. The "Country Pro-Am" will begin at 10 am at the Cobden track. Riders from country and metropolitan Victoria are entered and the day will provide great spectator action. Spectator admission is free and everyone is welcome. Luncheon and light refreshments are available.

On Saturday morning, Victorian B.M.X. representative Glen Rawson will be giving free coaching lessons from 10 am onwards at the Cobden track. Any interested riders are encouraged to attend this worthwhile and practical coaching clinic.

As a lead up to the Pro-Am, the Club will also conduct a race meeting on Saturday - racing starts at 2 pm. Entry for riders is \$3.00. All riders, including new riders are welcome. For further particulars, contact Neil Podger on 954 282.

## CAMPERDOWN BADMINTON ASSOCIATION INC.:

Badminton season is to commence  
A grade - 27th April,  
A reserve 28th April,  
Junior - C grade & beginners 2nd May.  
Entry forms available from Theatre shop, Camperdown. Entries close Friday 3rd April, entries to be left in box at Theatre shop.

## NOTES FROM A CAREERS TEACHERS CONFERENCE IN GEELONG 5TH MARCH:

Skills employers are looking for:

- \*\* Ability to communicate
- \*\* Basic skills - the 3Rs
- \*\* Computer Awareness
- \*\* Inquiring Mind
- \*\* Interpersonal Skills - the ability to get on with others
- \*\* Discipline and Self Control
- \*\* Knowledge of the Business/Industry you are applying for
- \*\* Participation in Work Experience
- \*\* Realistic knowledge of your own capabilities
- \*\* Flexibility - you may be required to be multi skilled or to be re-trained.

EVERY EMPLOYER STRESSED COMMUNICATION SKILLS. IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT YOUR CAREER CHOICE, WHETHER IT BE SCIENTIST, COMPUTER ANALYST, RETAIL OR HOSPITALITY YOU MUST BE ABLE TO EXPLAIN WHAT YOU ARE DOING TO OTHER PEOPLE.

## COBDEN LADIES WINTER TENNIS:

There will be a meeting 1:30 pm at Cobden Recreation Reserve on Monday 23rd March. All players please attend. New players welcome. Names can be given to Cecily Plozza 983 120 or Marg Finlayson 946 217 if you are interested in playing.

## MOJOS:

The Mojoes, a blues band, came to Cobden Technical School last Friday. Being Friday the 13th of March gave us an ideal theme for the students to be out of uniform. Wear black. Most students and some teachers came dressed in black. The band were sensational and soon had the gym "bopping away". A very polished and toe tapping performance with these five women musicians producing a great atmosphere of fun and celebrations. The afternoon marked a special time to celebrate International Women's Day and women's contribution to our society and lives. It is celebrated throughout the world and has been since 1908. In some countries it is a public holiday.

Good on you Cobden Tech for marking this occasion with such a great event and happy International Women's Day to all your readers.

## LIBRARY NEWS:

At the end of last year the P & C, through money they had raised, purchased for the library Ocelot, a computerised library software package.

Library staff are presently involved in transferring the card catalogue onto the computer. Once all the information is transferred the circulation system will be computerised, where borrowings will be recorded by a light pen onto a computer.

Students will learn to do research using the computerised catalogue which will result in students finding more information much more quickly. Also students will be better prepared for research at university and in Public Libraries.

Also the Cobden Ladies Auxiliary provided money for the 1992 edition of World Encyclopaedia which has just arrived in the school.

## YEAR 8 EXCURSION TO COLAC:

Earlier this term, 40 Year 8 students took part in a trip to Colac which involved several activities. The morning was spent Camel Riding at Roland Kettle's property. This proved to be quite adventurous as one young camel only 3 months old had a field day frolicking amongst the students, kicking its legs out sideways, making harmless contact with some of the students, before being tackled by Roland and removed to safer quarters. All students received a photo of themselves mounted on the camel.

A change of pace took place at midday, with two games of Ten-Pin Bowls at the Colac Arcade. This was enjoyed by most students, but some found the local horse shop irresistible, and sort of got lost in the store, whilst browsing (the store's dimensions were definitely not more than 20 X 10 feet). We never made it to the gardens for our planned picnic lunch, as like always, Georgie had too much on her plate. The students all took part in a tour through the Regal Ice-Cream plant in Colac and received a free ice-cream, which topped off a terrific day. A great and exhausting day was had by all. Hopefully future activities will be as successful. The students were a real credit.

# EVACUATION PROCEDURES FOR 1992

These procedures are for total evacuation of the entire school population to a "designated safe area" in the event of a total evacuation being called.

If the evacuation is to be a partial evacuation you will be told.

The procedures are for the SAFETY of all. If steps are followed correctly, then the total school community should be able to proceed to the designated safe area in a safe manner and BE ACCOUNTED FOR.

The signal to EVACUATE is:

1st - continuous ringing of the bell

2nd - bull horn - continuous sounding of and rung by a selected member of our school community.

3rd - a verbal instruction from any staff member.

## WHEN ANY OR ALL OF THE ABOVE IS INDICATED:

1. A) Students will be taken by the quickest safe route to designated safe area (Recreational Centre Car Park) by their classroom teachers - DO NOT RUN - DO NOT PANIC  
B) If no teacher is with the students, students must proceed by the quickest and safest direct route to the Recreational Centre Car Park.
2. Students will line up in their co-ordination groups facing west - co-ordinators and an assistant will take control of the group. Rolls will then be marked.
3. Students are not to leave the assembly area unless instructed to do so by a staff member.
4. The assembly will be supervised by the Principal or Vice Principal or deputised person and as soon as possible students will be told the facts of the evacuation.
5. If directed to an alternate "safe" area, eg; large gym or oval - students are to line up in the same formation facing the same way and as directed.
6. Leave the assembly area when directed by the Principal or Vice Principal.
7. Treat a practice drill as the real thing because it may well be.



## OUTDOOR EDUCATION WATER CAMP, PETERBOROUGH:

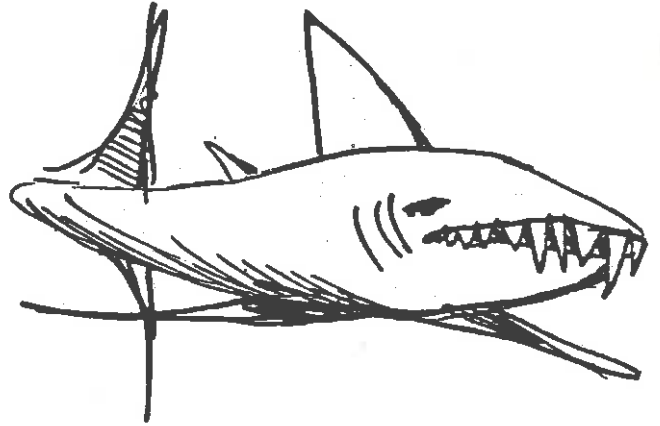
(Wednesday 11th March - Friday 13th March)  
19 Year 11 V.C.E. Outdoor Education students were treated to more water than expected on their three day water camp with unseasonal lightening and thunderstorms sweeping through the Peterborough Caravan Park.

Students were accompanied on the camp by Outdoor Education teacher Phil Wood, Eddie Arundell & Jim Matthews, (both highly experienced sea-goers). We were also assisted by David Hedley during the Thursday windsurfing sessions. Teacher/student ratios are required to be so high because of strict Education Department guidelines for all water activities.

During semester 1, Outdoor Education students are introduced to as many water activities in as many different locations as possible.

Activities covered during the water camp included swimming, snorkelling, body surfing, boogey boarding, surfing, windsurfing and canoeing. Judging by student comments many have gained knowledge and skills of healthy lifetime pursuits.

Ask an Outdoor Education student about their reactions to the camp, but be warned that all are sworn to secrecy about the canoe-surfing.



ARE YOU....

COPING WITH TEENAGERS?

Come along on Tues March 24th.

10AM - 12NOON.

At the Cobden Civic Hall -  
Super Room.

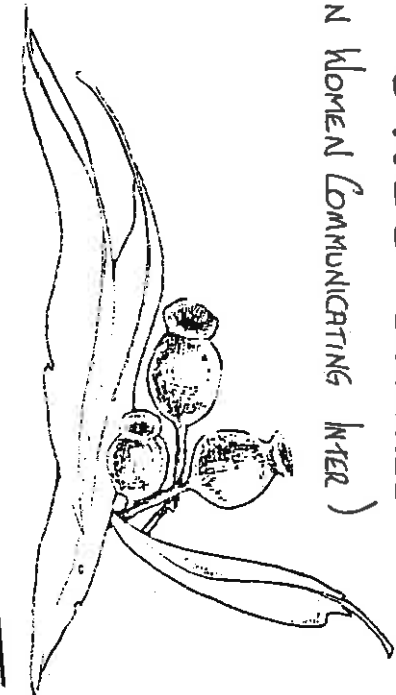
For some helpful advice.....

BOOKSTALL - CRECHE - ENTRY \$2.50.

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SCHEDULE 4

School Council Elections

NOTICE OF MEETING

COBDEN TECHNICAL School

A meeting of the PARENTS of the School  
(parents, staff, students, etc.)

Will be held at the School at 5:00 p.m.  
on the Seventh (7th)  
of April 1992

To elect members of the School Council

Nominations shall be in writing (forms may be obtained from the principal) and be lodged at the school with the principal by 4.00 p.m. on the 27th day of March 1992.

Following the closing of nominations a list of the nominations received will be posted at the school.

\* (On the day of the meeting votes may also be recorded at the school between the hours of 9.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m.)

  
(Principal)

\* This clause will be completed or deleted in accordance with Regulation 8.8 (15).

SCHEDULE 5

School Council Elections

NOMINATION OF CANDIDATE

COBDEN TECHNICAL School

We, the undersigned persons entitled to vote at the forthcoming elections

\_\_\_\_\_

(Parent, staff, student, etc.)

Nominate

(name of nominee) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name of Nominator (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Secunder: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name of Secunder (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I consent to my nomination

Signature of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE

The nominee, nominator and secunder shall be three separate persons and must be persons entitled to vote pursuant to the constituting order or the regulations.







**COBDEN TECHNICAL SCHOOL**  
**PARENT/STUDENT - TEACHER**  
**MID-SEMESTER INTERVIEWS**  
**TUESDAY 7TH APRIL, 1992**

Dear Parents,

On **TUESDAY 7TH APRIL** Cobden Technical School will be holding its **Mid-Semester interviews**. Times for interviews are 9:30 am to 12 noon, 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm and 6:00 pm till 8:00 pm.

Students are expected to accompany their parents to the interviews. This is a very important part of the partnership of learning. Teachers, students and parents need to discuss progress, problems and strategies for success and to work as a team to achieve positive results.

The accompanying pages will show you where to find your son's or daughter's group co-ordinator, so that you can collect their reports and discuss progress.

Also listed are the subjects your son or daughter is studying, and the teachers who are teaching them, together with the rooms in which the teachers are available for you to talk with.

There is an information board in the foyer displaying enlarged lists and maps of the school.

If you are at all uncertain as to where to find a particular room or teacher, please ask. Mr. Styles and Mr. MacInnes will be in the foyer area to meet you and answer any questions.

If any teacher you would like to talk with is unavailable on the day, feel free to arrange a suitable time to meet. Parents are always welcome at Cobden Technical School.

Please take the opportunity to have a good look around at the facilities and equipment that the school has to give your children, and to discuss any aspects of their progress with staff. Tea and coffee will be available throughout the day.

We look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 7th April and indeed at any other time you come to call in.

Yours faithfully,

J.G. MacInnes,  
VICE PRINCIPAL.

STUDENT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP: \_\_\_\_\_

SUBJECT	TEACHER	ROOM
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CO-ORDINATION		
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**(TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT)**

- NOTE:**
- \*\* Please bring this sheet with you on interview day/evening, Tuesday 7th April.
  - \*\* Please see your son's or daughter's co-ordinator first to collect the report.
  - \*\* Next see subject teachers to discuss your son's or daughter's progress
  - \*\* Feel free to look around the school.

## WHERE TO FIND TEACHERS TO DISCUSS YOUR REPORTS

**PRINCIPAL:**  
Doug Styles

**ART:**  
Anne-Maree Harris A2  
Russell Lacy A2

**AUTOMOTIVE:**  
Colin Keane T.S.  
Paul Timms W7

**BUSINESS STUDIES:**  
David Hedley R2  
Peter Rock R2  
Julie Sanders R2

**ELECTRICAL:**  
Alan Bryant R5

**ENGINEERING WORKSHOP PRACTICES:**  
Russell Glasson LIB

**GRAPHIC COMMUNICATION:**  
Phil Bernoth A4  
Ken Bunning A2  
Kevin Duffin A4  
Alex McDonald A2  
**HOME ECONOMICS:**  
Liz Patterson A5

**HUMANITIES:**  
Barbara Anderson A8  
Sue Blake R5  
Denise Butler R5  
Janet Cavarsan R5  
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Kevin Norris T.S.

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Fiona Sargeant CR  
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1. M. Griffiths A1  
2. M. Fielding A5  
3. A. McDonald A2  
4. R. Lacy A2  
5. K. Bunning A2  
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6. J. Cavarsan R5  
7. A. Georgakis A6  
8. L. Harrison T.S.  
9. K. White Welfare Office  
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**YEAR 9:**  
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14. E. Arundell CR  
15. B. Boulton A8  
16. K. Johnston A1  
17. P. Wood CR

**YEAR 10:**  
18. B. Anderson A8  
19. D. Petrie A3  
20. J. Matthews R3  
21. C. Cobbleddick T.S.

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**YEAR 11:**  
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25. D. Hedley R2  
26. C. Brown A3  
27. K. Duffin A1  
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**YEAR 12:**  
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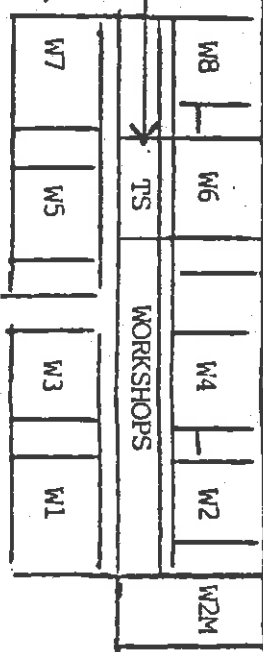
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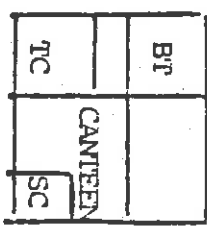
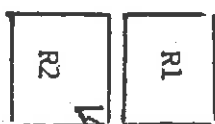
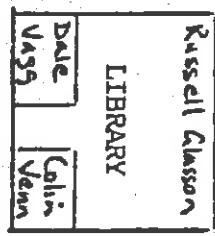
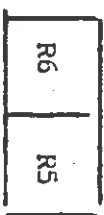
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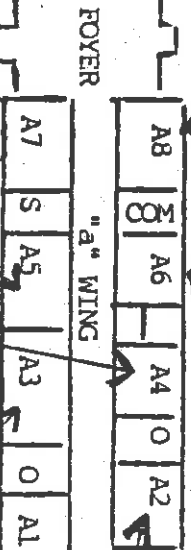
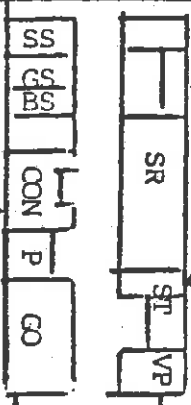
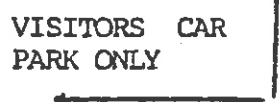
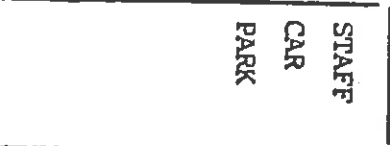
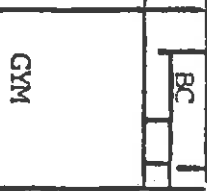
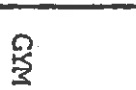


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