# In the loop



It's been an eventful Term 2, filled with exciting milestones and memorable moments. We proudly launched our brand-new website, making it easier than ever to stay connected and informed. Students have been busy with excursions, hands-on learning experiences, and assessments that really brought their learning to life.





## Wellbeing Day Respectful Relationships

On Monday, June 2nd, Urban College held a full-day Respectful Relationships event focused on inclusion, wellbeing, and positive communication.

The day began with a BBQ breakfast and a Green Flag/Red Flag activity on healthy relationships. Students then joined workshops including self-defence, anti-bullying (Doing It For Dolly), team games, and a group art piece.

After pizza, the energy soared with the Amazing Race—a special highlight of the day, planned and led by our incredible Year 12 students. Not only did they deliver a thrilling and fun experience for all, but they also managed to complete their assessment tasks as part of the event. A huge shout-out to them for their effort, creativity, and leadership!!

### IMPORTANT DATES

First Day Term 3 Monday 21st July
Wellbeing Day Tuesday 26th Aug
Curriculum Day Friday 29th Aug
Werribee Zoo Monday 1st Sep
Last Day Term 3 Friday 19th Sep



#### **URBAN COLLEGE**

## First SRC Assembly

On Monday 23rd June, the Student Representative Council (SRC) proudly hosted Urban College's first-ever SRC Assembly. Members reflected on the semester's highlights and achievements across Years 10–12 and shared key dates for next term.

Paige and Indy led the mid-year awards—collecting nominations, preparing certificates, and presenting both meaningful and light-hearted recognitions. SRC members also received their official badges, celebrating their leadership. Students showed great respect and a strong sense of community throughout the event. Well done to all involved!





# Did Someone say, Food Trucks?



Year 12 Students launched their own Food Truck Projects as part of their literacy and numeracy units! Students designed and built model food trucks, planned menus, and cooked delicious meals — blending creativity, budgeting, marketing, and hands-on cooking.



# Urban College Highlights from Term 2

Term 2 was packed with fun, learning, and teamwork!

- Year 10 visited the NGV, exploring creativity and culture.
- Year 11 took on Holey Moley mini golf and an Escape Room, building teamwork and problem-solving skills.
- Year 12 had a great time at Hijinx Hotel, working together to solve puzzles and challenges.

All students continued to build their literacy and numeracy through engaging, hands-on activities and support.





## EOI - Bus Pick Up Service

Urban College is looking into starting two school bus routes to make travel easier for students.



Each route would follow a local train line and pick up students from key stations. Please scan this QR and complete the expressions of interest form to help us plan the routes and schedule.

## Student Shout Out!!

A massive GOOD LUCK to Lachlan as he represents our school at the State Interschool Para Ski Grand Slalom Competition over the school holidays — with a strong chance at Nationals!



### YEAR 10 WORK EXPERIENCE

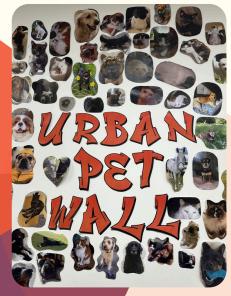
During the final week of Term 2, our Year 10 students had the opportunity to step out of the classroom and into the workforce! It was an exciting and eye-opening experience, with many students discovering new passions and potential career paths. From hands-on trades to health and community services, students explored a wide range of industries, including:

- Eastern Health
- · Carpentry
- · Wheel Alignment
- Fire Safety & Repair
- Hairdressing
- · Landscaping
- Retail & Customer Service

- · Golf Operations
- Mechanics
- · Early Childhood Care
- · Community Health & Services
- Knox Council
- · Canine Training & Dog Care
- · Steel Manufacturing

We're incredibly proud of how our students represented Urban College and took full advantage of this opportunity to learn, grow, and dream big.





# What's News with Bear?

Our beloved therapy pup-in-training Bear is currently enjoying a well-deserved little vacay and celebrated his 1st birthday on Tuesday 22nd June and popped in for a visit to see the Students

In Bear's absence, we've added a little something special to our space — a Pet Wall!

Students and staff have started sharing pictures of their own furry (or feathered, or scaly!) friends to help make our Hub feel even more welcoming, comforting, and full of heart.



### COMMUNITY RESOURCES AND CONTACTS

Eastern Access Community
Health (EACH) Child, Youth &
Family Mental Health
1300 003 224

Lifeline: Anyone having a personal crisis
13 11 14

Suicide Line Victoria 1300 651 251 Child and Youth Mental Health Service (CYMHS)

Child and Youth Mental Health Services 0-18 years 1300 342 225

Headspace – Knox Counselling and free GP services 2 Capital City Blvd, Westfield Knox Ozone (03) 9801 6088

Eastern Community Legal Centre Free Legal Advice 1300 32 52 00 Eastern Centre Against Sexual Assault Ringwood East (03) 9870 7337

Knox Infolink Emergency Relief 136 Boronia Road Boronia (03) 9761 1325 Uniting Vic Tas Community Support & Family Services -Homelessness 291A Maroondah Hwy Ringwood (03) 8870 4020

Child Protection CP Box Hill 1300 360 452

Kids Helpline Counselling for young people aged 5 to 25 1800 55 1800 Youth Support & Advocacy Service (YSAS) Mental Health, AOD, Crime Prevention

Ringwood – (03) 9890 7855 Dandenong –(03) 9701 3488 LGBTIQA+ Services Rainbow Door 1800 729 367

Sexual Health Vic Sexual Health Care and Education 901 Whitehorse Road Box Hill (03) 9257 0100

Family Violence
The Orange Door
Croydon - 1800 271 150
Box Hill - 1800 354 322

Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Crisis Support 13 YARN (13 92 76) VACCA – Chirnside Park (03) 8727 0200

Outer East Crisis Assessment Treatment Team (CATT) 1300 721 927



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