



# CRANBOURNE EAST SECONDARY COLLEGE

## **The Student Voice<sup>®</sup>**

Hello loyal readers and welcome to the third edition of the Student Voice. To begin...

This month has been very eventful: our student leaders attended the Casey Youth Summit and gave their input to assist the City of Casey in providing better services to the young people of Casey. We have successfully launched the first ever CESC Breakfast Club and had a Free Dress Day to benefit the Breakfast Club. In addition:

### **The Year 12 World**

Many of us didn't know what to expect when going into Year 12, due partly to the fact that we didn't have any Year 12s to look up to or turn to for guidance until this year. Sure, we had a small minority of kids who did a Year 12 subject in Year 11 in 2015 but it wasn't really the same.

At the moment, we're pretty focused on our studies and some of us are preparing our applications for universities. We are getting ready for the GAT (general assessment task) as well as mid-term practice exams and scores for Unit 3 are due within the next few months. On the positive side of Year 12, all of us are looking forward to receiving our Year 12 jackets soon, and the Year 12 leaders in the school are working hard to provide for the Year 12s and other members of the school. The VCE Theatre Studies performance, which students have been working on since the beginning of the year, was held on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> and Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> of May. Design subjects (Food Technology, Product Design and Studio Arts) have students working extremely hard on their folio pieces. The final SACs for Unit 3 are happening in the next few weeks in preparation for the mid-term practice exams and the start of Unit 4.

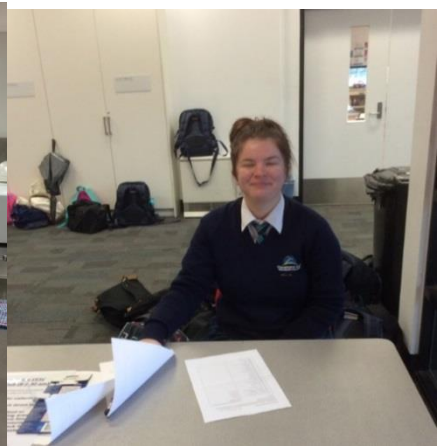
**Tahlia Timoney**  
**Year 12 School Captain**

### **Breakfast Club**

For those of you unaware, the major project for the school leadership team has been organising a Breakfast Club for CESC students. Last month, we began running the breakfast club on a regular schedule. Every Tuesday and Friday morning, between 8-8:30, students can come down to the red building to enjoy some fresh toast, crunchy cereal or simply a warm place to sit and catch up with friends. Given the feedback we have received so far, the Breakfast Club has been a big success and we look forward to future generations of students enjoying a nutritious breakfast in the morning.

**Bailey Smith**  
**Year 11 School Captain**

## Breakfast Club Photos



As previously mentioned, members of the Student Leadership Team recently attended the Casey Youth Summit. To give you more details, I pass you onto...

### **CASEY YOUTH SUMMIT**

My name is Naveed and on the 29 April, Bailey, Jason and I went to the Casey Youth Summit. Ms Mc Guire dropped us off after facing some difficulties with the traffic and bad drivers and taking an hour to get a few kilometres! When we got there, we were all feeling pumped and ready to get on with the day in front of us. As we entered the main door, we had to sign in at a table. We stepped in and

Bailey happily yelled out, "Hello everyone!" We then all introduced ourselves, however we didn't hear any replies. That was ok because it was only the beginning of the day.

We started the day introducing ourselves, then heard what we would be doing for the rest of the day. There were students from all over the City of Casey at the Summit. We first had to find the people with the same colour gift bags as us and had to introduce ourselves to them, after that we watched a great motivational video. We then did a quiz which involved masking tape on the floor and instead of answering you were moved above the line for positive or beneath the line for negative or on the line for neutral. Later, we went to our year level groups and discussed our community and the things we expected and hoped from the City of Casey. Next, we had crackers and cheese and then came the chicken dance and chocolate for the best dancers.

During the lunch break, we experienced a bicycle that made smoothies: we had to pedal in order to make it work and blend our smoothie. Some people then got interviewed and recorded, which seemed very exciting. After lunch, I went outside to give my interview, which was a great experience, scary but fun and exciting to do. I tried my hardest to answer every question with 100% honesty and that made me feel great because I had a chance to speak for the whole community. The next activity was looking at a word and yelling out the first thing that came to our mind. The final activity saw us talking about how we could promote Casey Youth organisations and make them better known. We had some great ideas and thoughts, including social media, school websites and ads on YouTube or TV. We wrapped up the day filling out a survey and taking a group photo.

