Principal Report

This edition of the College News is being distributed on the day that the 2011 Art Exhibition is launched. The next College News will bring detailed reports and photos of this high quality annual celebration of our students’ artistic talent. Below is a preview of four of the many art works on display. The text is taken from my address to the 2011 Valedictory Evening.

“I have been impressed by the quality of your work in all your subjects. Tonight because of time, I will speak only about Art. In the holidays I had the privilege of reading Hope’s exquisite story of being an international student. The book is handmade using traditional paper folding techniques. Inside is a series of postcards, charcoal drawings showing the journey of a young person leaving home for the first time and dealing with living alone in a foreign country. On the back of the postcards are messages to her family in Chinese. Hope says in describing the work, “Although the people were friendly, I missed my family, my friends and Changsha. So, I am a person who has homesickness and this is what I want to communicate in my artwork. I developed my own symbols of homesickness, such as the sky. Dark skies represent the atmosphere of sadness and loneliness, but also connect me and my family, because the sky always stays there, no matter which country you are in. Houses became my own symbols too. They represent my family and my home. The tree is a symbol of me. I made these drawings into a book and called it ‘Journey’.”

Hope Cao, the Journey
I have equal admiration for Savannah Kruger’s clever and striking piece entitled, Smoke & Mirrors. A complex work, it consists of a series of witty self-portrait photographs, each depicting Savannah dressed up as many different aspects of a young woman’s identity. These portraits are contrasted with a video of Savannah removing make up projected back into the mirror of a dressing table. This is a sophisticated and innovative piece of art that manages to be bold and shy, fun and reflective and fun and meaningful all within the one artwork.

In Year 12 Visual Communication and Design, Matthew Cheuk forged a purposeful connection between his folio and a real life need by designing a highly professional, creative and tech-savvy digital menu with i-pod mounts for his father’s restaurant. I intend to visit the restaurant not only for the food but also to use this amazing menu.

Another Visual Communication and Design student I would like to acknowledge is Jason Glab. The first day after official classes for Year 12 students finished, Jason was back in the VCD room bright and very early designing the Art Exhibition promotion poster, a responsibility he also undertook last year.

In Year 12 Textiles, all students have completed the most wonderfully designed and sewn garments. The one I am singling out for special mention belongs to the only boy in the class. Kemal Guney’s textile project was to design and make the prettiest quilt cover for his baby sister. I am sure all will agree that Kemal’s baby sister is very lucky to have him as an older brother.

In addition to congratulating the Graduating Class of 2011 for their achievements in Art/Design and many other subjects, I hope I have effectively communicated my appreciation of their appreciation of their teachers’ efforts to help them to achieve their best results. I mention here only one of many examples of our students’ generous acknowledgement of their teacher’s dedication.
Alison Sanza’s Literature class presented her with a beautiful heart shaped pendant. On it was engraved the Tobias Wolfe quote “I could not, cannot, put pen to paper without having her beside me.” There could be no more precious or perfect memento for a teacher of Literature. Their gift was a serious and significant gesture. However, to show that Brunswick students are funny as well as warm, the Literature class also presented Alison with a "Chekov’s Homeboy" T Shirt.

So many Year 12 students showed a similar thoughtfulness to their teachers. My reflection to the students at the Graduation was that it is perhaps only if you become a teacher yourself that you can ever truly appreciate the significance of their thoughtful gifts and words.

**BSC Bands Perform at Veri Koko**

On Sunday morning I was very proud to listen to our senior acoustic band play at Veri Koko, a new café in Sydney Road. The repertoire, ranging from Credence Clear Water Revival to Lady Gaga and with the Finn Brothers thrown in for good measure, impressed the appreciative crowd of family, friends and café’ goers. Beautiful string and guitar playing perfectly complemented the Larissa and Peters’ vocals with Wayne’s piano accordion adding extra spirit to the performance. I look forward to hearing the Greek Band this Sunday and another acoustic band the following week.

**World Challenge**

Tuesday saw our 18 World Challenge students fly to Cambodia for their three week expedition and Community Challenge project. Thank you to all students who supported the Casual Clothes day last Friday and other fund raisers for World Challenge. The students have raised $7,263.25 toward building a road to improve student access to the newly built Don Bosco Technical school in Cambodia.
Brunswick SC Earns Third Place, 2011 National Rock Eisteddfod Finals

We were of course delighted to receive third place at the National Rock Eisteddfod finals, judged on video clip and screened and announced last week.

Vivienne Telllefson
Principal

Melbourne University’s Kwong Lee Dow scholarship

A few weeks ago I was lucky enough to be nominated by the school to apply for the Kwong Lee Dow Young Scholars Program at The University of Melbourne. The process involved an application and a written reference from a teacher at this school. The application contained questions about activities I am a part of, awards and prizes I have received, my greatest achievement and my ‘story’. This week I was accepted into the program. This enrichment program offers the opportunity to take part in special events and competitions with other like-minded students. It also offers the chance to experience university life and access to resources to assist in VCE.

I’m really looking forward to meeting other young scholars and all the wonderful opportunities this program will bring. I would like to thank Ms Telllefson, Ms Sanza and Ms Ferguson for helping myself and the other nominees with their applications and Ms Giannakakis for writing my reference.

Alex Brown 10S

Alex and I were recommended by our teachers and have been selected for Melbourne University’s Kwong Lee Dow scholarship. The scholarship is for select students in year 10 that have shown above average work standards, achievements and leadership skills. The program aims to enrich our high school learning experience throughout years 11 and 12. Through this program we will be meeting other students, who share our interests, be given access to the University’s library and the opportunity to attend various events and workshops. We are attending a welcome event on the 8th of December that will go throughout the day and include inspirational speakers and workshop activities. It is a privilege to be selected and quite exciting to see how the program will unravel.

Lucy McMillan 10S

SRC News

Most students probably noticed an amazing Ropes Course out near the F-Block Tennis Courts on Uniform Free Day last Friday. It was an activity organised by the SRC, aimed at raising environmental awareness and getting different year levels to mix. The money raised from students out-of-uniform went towards the World Challenge crew, now in Cambodia. We wish them luck!

Amelia Newman - Junior SRC
Dear Parents and Caregivers,

We are almost half way through term 4 and many students are talking about the following year and their future aspirations. In the next few weeks teachers will ask students to reflect on their learning and consider their future goals. Teachers will also reflect on their students’ progress, provide students with feedback on their progress and write semester two reports. At the same time all teachers will continue to maintain a focussed learning environment, which can at times be difficult as students can think that it is time that work should slow down. In the next few weeks students will be informed about second hand book sales and they will also be given the opportunity to sell books they no longer require.

I have included some students’ reflections about their first year at BSC. I thank the following students for sharing their reflections.

Nadia Cavallin
Year 7 Level Coordinator

Hi my name is Sam from 7B. The two things that really have stuck with me are responsibility and organisation. I think it is important that I be responsible for myself, my actions, my belongings and other people’s property. I feel being responsible for my actions is important because we are responsible for what we do and how we act can impact on the way people act with us and think of us. If someone trusts me with their things then it is important for me to be responsible with their property. My organisation to be honest was probably my biggest problem when I came here. I did not think it was a big deal but I found out the hard way that it is very important. This is why I have my diary with me in all my classes. When I have my diary I can record my homework and when it is due. I feel these skills are important for my future so that when I get a job I am organised and I can get there on time. Also my actions can speak louder than words. It is very important that I act responsibly wherever I go.

Hi my name is Nick from 7C. This year I have experienced a lot of different things. I have met new people. I have learnt new things. One of the things I have learned is that it is important to be organised. I am going to take this away this skill because I think it is important to be organised for classes so I can be on time, have the right books and get my homework done. Organisation is not only important for year 7 but it is an important life skill. If you want to get anywhere in life it is important to be organised and work hard.

Hi I’m Selina from 7K and like you I came to BSC this year. I came here not really knowing what to expect. The most important skill I have had to learn this year is Time management, because I had to work out when to do my homework, when to watch TV and when to have my leisure time. Time Management definitely is an important skill everyone needs so that they can pick up quickly and not fall behind. If you have poor time management high school can be extremely difficult. Managing you time is not only good at school because it is useful when you are in your adulthood. Good time management can help take the stress out of your life.

I am Mariam Taleb and I am in 7N. This year I have met new people, made new friends and learnt new skills. I have had to juggle my time to avoid detentions and get my work done. Coming to BSC has made me realise that I should work hard if I want to do well so I won’t regret it when I reach year 11. I have found that my teachers push me to work. I know that teachers want us to do our best. At the start of the year I was not good at coming to class on time so I made it a priority to come to class on time this term. Now I am in class on time and because of this I think my learning and work practices will improve. I feel safe at this school and I am with friends.

For those of you who do not know me I am Georgia 7R. One of the things I’ve learned at Brunswick Secondary College is that it is good to be open to new opportunities. When Rock Eisteddfod came I took up the opportunity as I wanted to have a go. At first it was scary because it was very hard and the learning was disciplined. By this I mean I had to manage my time to do my homework and practise for Rocka. I worked hard and in the end I made some really good friends. Doing this I learned that if I am committed to doing something and I put in the time, I can do well. This applies not only to Rocka but also to other areas of my learning.

I’m William Augier in 7S. This year I chose to participate in the extracurricular music program at BSC. I am involved in the piano ensemble where we have to learn to work together. It is important that we encourage each other to achieve something. Working together as a team is an important skills that applies to other classes. I have learned that what we do with others is as important as what we do alone. Working as a group is an important skill because we cannot live our lives alone as one person. We can all benefit from each other as we all have something to offer.
My name is Enya from 7U. One skill that I have picked up this year is learning how to be organised. This year it has been important for me to be organised because it helps me get to class on time and with getting my homework done. Doing guitar has meant that I had to discipline myself to be organised so that I practised and did all the other work that I had to do.

Instrumental Music 2012

Continuing students

Students who are interested in continuing lessons next year will be given forms over the next week. Acceptance into the Program will be processed in the order of forms and payment received. (Please note, some instruments have limited vacancies and may fill quickly). Forms must be filled in and accompanied by the full payment and given to the Front Office in an envelope with the student’s name, instrument and amount enclosed.

New students

Students interested in learning any of the following instruments are asked to see Ms. Kurick asap: flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, tuba, violin, viola, ’cello, double bass, guitar, electric bass, drums, keyboard, vocals.

BSC Acoustic Bands at Veri Koko

Over the next two Sundays at 11am, two acoustic bands from our school are going to play a 30 to 40 minute set at a new cafe called VERI KOKO that has recently opened at 333 Sydney Road Brunswick (on the west side just south of Albert Street ph 9388 2226). Come for brunch and support the students!

Sunday November 27 - Greek Band
Sunday December 4 - Year 10/11 Acoustic Band

Brunswick Voice

Our singing students will perform at the Boyne Russell House Nursing Home on Tuesday afternoon 29th November.

Concert Band

Our Concert Band students will perform at BMW Edge, Federation Square on Monday 12th August at 10.00am

Chamber Concert Monday 5th December

The evening will see performances from our Concert Band, Acoustic Band, Brunswick Voice, Percussion Ensemble, String Ensemble, Keyboard Ensembles, and a number of brass, wind and vocal solos, duets, trios and quartets!

The Concert starts at 7.30pm in the PAR
$10 adults, $5.00 students, performers free.

We hope you will come along to the concert to see and hear our talented musicians.

Suzanne Kurick,  
Head of Learning: Music
**Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA):**

The Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) is provided by the Victorian Government to low-income families to help with education-related costs.

If you have a child under 16, and hold a valid Health Care Card, Pension Card, or are a foster parent, you may be eligible to receive the EMA. The allowance is split evenly between the parent and the school, and is paid in two installments, one in March and one in August.

The parent portion is often used for uniforms and excursions, while the school portion may be used for expenses such as textbooks, stationery and special programs. You can elect to have the parent portion of the EMA paid into your nominated bank account or receive a cheque.

In 2012, the total annual amount is $235 for primary students and $470 for secondary students – these amounts are split evenly between the parents/guardians and the school.

If you wish to apply for EMA in 2012 please fill out the attached application form and return to the school office no later than 29th February 2012.

**Are You Interested in Being a Home Stay Host?**

Brunswick Secondary College is proud to have International Students from all over the globe – China, Korea, Vietnam, Indonesia, Afghanistan, Nepal and Russia. These students add value to our school and school community. Some of these students stay with their parents in Australia, or live with relatives or family friends. However, there are a few International Students who need local home stay hosts. We are currently looking for expressions of interests from families who would be willing to invite an International Student in to their homes and share their culture and learn about a new one.

The benefits of being a home stay provider can include:

- Learning about different cultures
- Helping a young person succeed in their education
- A weekly board payment
- Companionship
- Eating delicious, new foods
- And much more - it’s really what you make of it.

What you need to be a home stay host:

- An open-minded attitude to another culture’s habits, food, festivals, costumes and quirks
- A willingness to take on the role of a parent (set realistic goals, house rules etc..)
- A willingness to involve the student in your family activities
- A Working With Children Check (this can be sorted out later, if you don’t currently have one)
- A spare room with a bed, desk and lamp for the student

Brunswick Secondary College has found that our ‘quality’ home stay hosts always get excited when a new student arrives. Their reward comes from ongoing contact with students long since they have returned home and for the lucky, an invitation to visit the student in their home country.

If you are interested, or would like to know more about being a home stay host please email the International Student Program Coordinator, Megan Conley: conley.megan.m@edumail.vic.gov.au

**VCE Dance Evening**

On the night of Wednesday 9th November, the VCE Dance class performed their solo pieces to friends, family and fellow peers. Each student was required to choreograph their own piece on a chosen topic consisting of three sections. The topics included adolescence, phobias, insomnia, and dance styles throughout history, as well as many more. The show was both opened and closed by two performances by the Year 10 Dance class, both which were highly animated, entertaining and proved to be an excellent way to conclude and begin the evening.

The night was a huge success with the contribution of professional and detailed lighting in each routine. The variation in dance styles present, such as contemporary, ballet and hip-hop, was an excellent example of the range of talent and skill at Brunswick Secondary College. The entire performance night could not have gone ahead without the one and only, dedicated and eccentric dance teacher Katherine Weatherhead!

Georgia Misurelli - Year 11
EMERGENCY CONTACTS !!
Could all parents ensure we have accurate contact numbers both for themselves and for other available emergency contact persons (other than themselves).

Student Medical Conditions
Could parents of students who have anaphylaxis or other serious medical conditions please hand in a completed action plan for your child to the front office. If your child has a medical condition that the school needs to be aware of, please contact the level coordinator or Jeremy (school nurse).

BSC Office hours are between 8.30am and 4.30pm Monday to Friday. Phone calls and office enquires outside these hours will be recorded by the answering machine.
NB: If you are contacting the school to let us know your child is going to be absent, you can also e-mail the school on Brunswick.sc@edumail.vic.gov.au
SECOND HAND BOOK SALE
Parent Information Sheet

Brunswick Secondary College has appointed Landmark School Supplies (LSS) to manage the sale of second hand books between parents.

Registration Day:
- Thursday 1st December 2011
- 9am – 3pm
- Library

Second Hand Sell Day (All Students):
WHEN: Saturday 3rd December 2011
9am – 1pm
Library

Pricing:
- ALL BOOKS ARE SOLD AT ONE PRICE REGARDLESS OF CONDITION
- BOOKS CAN BE PURCHASED ON THE DAY FOR 66% OF THE RETAIL PRICE.
- UPON SALE THE OWNER OF THE BOOK WILL RECEIVE 33% OF THE RETAIL PRICE.

What You Need To Do:
If you would like to offer your books for sale please collect a registration pack from the front office or from the College website.

This pack includes:
- a list of books that can be sold
- buy and sell prices
- registration form.

Terms and Conditions
Landmark School Supplies (LSS) acts as an agent on behalf of the owner of the books to be sold. Second hand books are handled on consignment and the books remain the property of the original owner until sold.

Quality / Refunds
Books that are available new with a CD will be eligible for sale with or without the CD. It is the purchasers responsibility to ensure that the item is satisfactory prior to purchase. There will be no refunds or exchanges.

Payment for books sold
Payment will be made via cheque (sent to your home address) WITHIN 4 WEEKS OF SELL.

Collecting unsold books
LSS will notify you (via post) of any books that remain unsold. Unsold books can be collected from The College after 5th December 2011. Any books not collected by the end of term one, 2012 will be donated to the College.

Parents please note:
- Parents are free to make their own arrangements prior to the sell day. Participation is not compulsory.
- This sell day is provided as a service for parents who wish to source second-hand books.
The following details must be completed by the applicant (the concession card holder). EMA is payable by either Electronic Funds Transfer (Direct Credit) to your nominated bank account, or by cheque. However, you must complete the banking details section if you have a child commencing Prep or Year 7 in 2012 – to receive the School Start Bonus payment.

**APPLICANT / PARENT DETAILS**

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* Foster Parents must provide copy of the temporary care order letter from the Department of Human Services (DHS) or Courts, etc.

**PREFERRED EMA PAYMENT METHOD**

Please TICK the box below for your preferred method for your EMA payment:

- [ ] EMA by EFT Complete bank details below for direct credit
- [ ] EMA Payment by Cheque

**SCHOOL START BONUS - for 2012 Prep & Year 7 students ONLY**

*If you have a child entering Prep or year 7 in 2012, and you hold a Centrelink concession card, please complete your bank account details below as you may be eligible for a School Start Bonus payment - payable by EFT into your bank account.

**ACCOUNT NAME** (e.g John Smith)

**FINANCIAL INSTITUTION** (e.g Westpac) AND BRANCH

**BSB No.**  | **BANK ACCOUNT No.**

* If you are unsure of the above details check your Bank Statements or enquire at your Financial Institution.

**STUDENT DETAILS**

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The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development collects your personal information for the purpose of administering the Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) and/or School Start Bonus payment. Some personal information may be disclosed to other Victorian Government departments, such as the Department of Human Services, for the purpose of evaluation and monitoring of concession card services.

The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development may disclose some of your personal information to Centrelink to confirm that the details provided matches Centrelink’s records. This is to be used for testing eligibility for EMA and/or School Start Bonus applications for 2012.

The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development will provide the above bank account details to Westpac Bank for the sole purpose of making the EMA and/or School Start Bonus payment into your nominated bank account. The bank account details provided will not be disclosed or used for any other purpose. You are able to request access to the personal information that we hold about you, and to request that any errors be corrected, by contacting your child’s school.

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT**

**DATE**
EMA Eligibility:

The Education Maintenance Allowance is paid to parents of eligible students under 16 years of age, and the student is enrolled at a Government or non-Government School in Victoria on census day, 29 February 2012 for instalment 1 and 3 August 2012 for the second instalment.

The Education Maintenance Allowance will be paid in two instalments and to be eligible you must:

on the first day of 1st Term (1 February 2012) for the first instalment and

on the first day of 3rd Term (16 July 2012) for the second instalment:

(a) be an eligible beneficiary of a Centrelink pension, allowance or benefit within the meaning of the 
State Concessions Act 2004, OR
(b) be a Veteran Affairs Pensioner (TPI), OR
(c) be a foster parent AND
(d) submit your application to the school by the date/s listed below.

Parents who receive a Carer Allowance (formerly known as Child Disability Allowance), or any other benefit or allowance not income tested by Centrelink are not eligible for the EMA unless they also comply with one of (a) (b) or (c) above.

Submission dates

The application form must be lodged at the school by:

29 February 2012 for the first instalment or

3 August 2012 for the second instalment.

Parents with prep or year 7 children commencing in 2012 must lodge the application form before 15 December 2011.

For late enrolments, applications will be accepted up until 29 February 2012.

Important information

A separate application is required for each school if you have children attending different schools.
If you transfer your child, you will need to make a new application at the new school.

School Start Bonus Eligibility:   

To be eligible for the School Start Bonus you must:

(a) On 16 January 2012 be an eligible beneficiary of a Centrelink pension, allowance or benefit within the meaning of the 
State Concessions Act 2004, OR
(b) be a Veteran Affairs Pensioner (TPI), OR
(c) be a foster parent AND
(d) have a student enrolled in Prep or Year 7 in 2012 & not have received the School Start Bonus in a previous year.

How to Complete the Application Form

NOTE: ALL SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT / PARENT

1. Complete the APPLICANT/PARENT DETAILS & STUDENT DETAILS section.
Make sure that the Surname, First Name, and Customer Reference Number (CRN) details match those on your 
Centrelink card - unless you are claiming as a Foster Parent or Veterans Affairs Pensioner.
If you are claiming as a Foster Parent or a Veteran Affairs Pensioner, tick the appropriate box. In this case, you will
need to provide a copy of documentation confirming your status as a temporary Foster Parent or provide your Veterans 
Affairs Pensioner card to the school.

2. Nominate your preferred payment method for EMA. Complete banking details if EFT option is selected section to
identify the bank or financial institution account into which you wish the payment to be deposited. Cheques will
be posted to your child’s school for distribution.

3. You must complete the banking details section if you have a child commencing Prep or Year 7 in 2012 – to receive
the School Start Bonus payment.

4. Complete the STUDENT/S DETAILS section for students at this school.

Enter SURNAME AND FIRST NAMES in full.
Enter the DATE OF BIRTH e.g. 15/09/2006.
Enter the YEAR LEVEL, unless the student is ungraded, e.g. attending a Special School or
Language Centre, then enter ‘UNGRADED’ in the YEAR LEVEL column.

5. Sign and date the form and return it to the school office.

LATE APPLICATIONS CANNOT BE PROCESSED

Queries relating to eligibility and payments of the EMA & SSB should be directed to your school.
Sign over of parent portion of EMA funds

Please complete this form and lodge together with your EMA application ONLY if you wish to sign over the parent portion of EMA to the school.

I,  
Parent’s First Name  
Family Name

of  
Parent’s Address: Number & Street  
Suburb  
Postcode

Home Phone  
Work Phone  
Mobile

Understand that Brunswick Secondary College has pursuant to the Education Regulations 2000, received an allocation of Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) from the Department of Education and Training, (Westpac Banking Corporation Bank Cheque) in respect of:

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By signing this instrument in the space below, I agree that the EMA currently held by the school on behalf of the above student(s), will be transferred to the School to be held on the School’s account. The school acknowledges that it will expend the funds to benefit the education of the above student(s).

☐ 1ST INSTALLMENT TO SCHOOL  AND/OR  ☐ 2ND INSTALLMENT TO SCHOOL

Parent Signature: ___________________________________________  Date: _____ / _____ / _____
End-of-Year Chamber Concert

Monday 5th December
Performing Arts Room
7.30pm

Brunswick Secondary College
Tickets at the door  $5.00 students  $10.00 adults
(performers free)
ART SHOW
24 Nov - 1 Dec

Opening 5.30-7.30 Thursday 24 Nov

art
textiles
woodwork
photography
visual
communication
& design
ceramics
sculpture
mosaics
jewellery
digital media
Carols by the Lake

Saturday 3 December 2011
6 pm to 10 pm
Coburg Lake, Murray Road, Coburg

Pre Carols entertainment from 6 pm
- Free children’s sustainable Christmas craft workshop
- ‘Three Kings’ playing Christmas melodies
- Roving Christmas Performers

Featuring live on stage 7.30 pm – 10 pm
- Santa
- The Pearly Shells Big Band
- Brunswick Women’s Choir
- The Kazoos
- The Australian Youth Choir
- The Melbourne Abruzzo Choir
- Kerri Simpson
- The Children’s Performing Company of Australia
- Mercy College Choir

For more information phone 9240 1111
or visit moreland.vic.gov.au
An Environmentally Sustainable Carols

Walk, ride, catch a tram, train or bus to Carols by the Lake

- Tram #19, Upfield Train to Batman Station or Bus #526 Coburg West Preston
- Ride your bike along the Merri Creek Trail, bicycle parking available.
- Moreland Council is committed to a sustainable Carols. This event is green powered and carbon offset.

Celebrating International Day for People with a Disability

Celebrating International Day of People with Disabilities, Carols by the Lake will promote awareness of disability and celebrate the achievements of people with disability. Moreland Council is committed to increasing accessibility and inclusivity for all community events across the municipality. Carols by the Lake will provide the following:

- Large text Carols song booklets
- Reserved accessible parking and pick up / drop off points
- Accessible toilets
- Reserved viewing area for people who use a wheelchair
- Auslan interpreters available on request

If you have any special needs or would like any more information about accessibility at Carols by the Lake, please contact Council.
BRUNSWICK RESIDENTS

COMMUNITY BBQ + PICNIC

At Fleming Park (Albert Street side)
All welcome - free sausage sizzle, or BYO picnic

Entertainment from Brunswick groups:
- Brunswick Bluegrass Band 12.30pm
- Melbourne Ukulele Kollective 2.00pm

Share information on planning and traffic concerns

Sunday 27 November,
12.00-3.00pm

Organised by Brunswick Residents Network.
Queries albertstreet2020@gmail.com or 0458 690 074