1. ARE YOU INTERESTED IN VITICULTURE?
Viticulture is the study of grape varieties for the production of wine. If this field is of interest, there is a local employer in East Keilor with a well-known vineyard! This should be a great opportunity to learn about this profession and it is literally around the corner. Contact Mr. Rosel for further details.

2. RMIT BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION & PROJECT MANAGEMENT DEGREES
An information evening was held at St. Bernard’s College on the 6th of November. Unfortunately, we had short notice from RMIT as to the date and we could not get a notice into the last parent newsletter. However, students were notified via the student bulletin and homeroom visits. I strongly encourage any student or parent to call me for further details about RMIT’s alternative entry into these degrees.

3. TRADES CAREERS EXPO
VU is hosting a trades careers expo at its Newport campus on Saturday 8th November. Details can be picked up from careers office or otherwise, call 9919 8493 for further details.

4. ARE YOU DOING YEAR 12 IN 2009?
If so, feel free to make an appointment with me to start discussing post-2009 options. Every year I find that those students who start to explore and ask questions early, are invariably the students who feel most confident and secure during year 12 about life after Year 12! Parents or guardians welcome to come.

5. VU SHORT COURSES
BOAT BUILDING: Monday 24 November – Friday 28 November, Newport Campus, 8.30am - 4.30pm. Cost $68.50 plus $25 materials fee. Students will undertake 3 units from the Certificate II in Engineering - Production (Boatbuilding Pre-Apprenticeship).

HOSPITALITY RSA AND WAITING SKILLS - 3-DAY PROGRAM: A great way to see if students would like to undertake a career in Hospitality or to prepare them for part-time or holiday employment. Students will receive their RSA (Responsible Service of Alcohol) and Workplace Hygiene Procedures certification in addition to learning some basic hospitality skills. Dates: 25, 26 and 28 November and 2, 3 and 5 December, 9.00am - 4.00pm. Cost $88.

For more information call VETiS on phone 9919 7760

6. YEAR 12 STUDENTS
Parents and students are reminded of importance of Change of Preference period for VCE students. An information pack will be sent home in the next week. Make sure to read!

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