



ARTS AT CAULFIELD GRAMMAR 2024

FEBRUARY

29/2-1/3
Checkmate
Senior School Play. A corrupt Mayor and his ministers learn a government official is coming from the Capital, they do what they know best, lie, bribe and manipulate. In a comedy of errors, they learn the hard way what it means to be played at their own game. Checkmate!



MARCH

14
Music Scholars' Showcase
A change of venue this year to the Meat Market in North Melbourne. Completed in 1874, this beautiful Victorian Heritage Register building will be filled with the sounds of solo works from our very talented instrumental scholars. Followed by a Friends of Music supper, this concert will be one of the highlights of our 2024 music calendar.

17
Piano Concerts
Continuing our recent tradition, the 2024 Piano Concerts will again feature our talented Junior and Secondary pianists. Joining Malvern and Caulfield students together, and Wheelers Hill Junior and Secondary students, this provides an intimate afternoon of pianoforte listening.

21
Advanced Ensembles Concert
Our Wheelers Hill Secondary advanced ensembles students will present a program showcasing the current year's ensembles from their commencement in Term 4, 2023. A lovely Term 1 concert featuring our senior ensembles.

21 & 22
Metamorphoses
Year 12 Production. *Metamorphoses* bring Ovid's tales to stunning visual life. Set in and around a large pool of water onstage, *Metamorphoses* juxtaposes the ancient and the contemporary in both language and image to reflect the variety and persistence of narrative in the face of inevitable change.

26 & 27
Love and Information
Theatre Studies Play. In a series of tantalising vignettes, over 100 vibrant characters search for meaning in their lives. Brought to life by the Year 12 Theatre Studies class.



APRIL

23
Art Acquisition
This exhibition showcases a series of artworks from 2023 that have been selected and purchased by Heads of House, Learning Area Leaders and members of the CLT. These works will be displayed around the school after the opening and remain a part of the school's Acquisition Program indefinitely.

26 & 27
The Insanity
Bilingual Play. *The Insanity* is set in a psychiatric ward cloaked in perpetual darkness. Seven unacquainted 'patients' find themselves trapped after fainting from an unexpected mishap. Self-validation, mutual confirmation, denial, counter-arguments – an illusion of an exit, so near yet so far.

MAY

15
Year 10 & 11 VCD/Art Studio/ Art Show
This exhibition showcases selected Semester 1 artwork from students in Years 10 & 11.

15-18
Chicago
Whole School Musical. Set in the Roaring '20s, aspiring chorus girl Roxie Hart and fading vaudeville star, Velma Kelly each face trial for murder.

MAY

16-18
The Addams Family
Years 7-12 Musical. *The Addams Family* features an original story, and it's every father's nightmare. Everything will change for the whole family on the fateful night they host a dinner for Wednesday's 'normal' boyfriend and his parents.

22
Semester 1 – VCE Dance Night
Students perform their choreographic works from VCE Dance Units 1 & 3. This includes solos, duos and group works.

30
Malvern Campus Concert
Our young Malvern musicians come together on stage at Caulfield Campus to present their audience with a program reflective of their day-to-day learning and involvement in the many ensembles that rehearse each week.



JUNE

12 & 13
Year 6 Production
Valentines Ballroom is magically transformed for the retelling of a literary classic. The title of the play will be decided by the students.

18
Wheelers Hill Junior Concert
Involving students from the Junior School at Wheelers Hill Campus, this delightful concert features the many ensembles that rehearse throughout the year and showcases the breadth and depth of the day-to-day music learning in the very busy Junior Music Department.

18 & 19
Battle of the Bands
The Caulfield Campus Battle of the Bands features an amazing display of talent and performance skills from student-led bands, duos and solo acts. Exposing much undiscovered student talent, this event promotes, develops and supports a diverse range of abilities in all genres of contemporary music writing and performance.

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JULY

26 & 27
Dark Carnivale
J.U.M.P Dance. Be welcomed to the twisted world of the ring masters. Be entertained by dazzling vaudeville performers. Gasp as we open our cabinet of curiosities. Succumb to the underworld of the circus.

24
Beginner/Intermediate Ensembles Concert
Our secondary beginner and intermediate ensembles students present a varied program showcasing the wide range of campus instrumental and vocal groups that rehearse throughout the year.

31
Caulfield Campus Concert
A diverse concert program showcasing the wide range of campus instrumental and vocal ensembles that rehearse throughout the year. The Caulfield Campus big event of the year and one not to be missed!

AUGUST

6
A Little Night Music
Bringing this event back to Caulfield Campus in 2024, ALNM will provide an evening of performances from our senior musicians in a solo and ensemble setting. This concert features talented senior musicians from both our secondary campuses, and we look forward to performances from new and emerging ensembles. This is a special chamber music highlight on the Music calendar.

15
Wheelers Hill Jazz Night
A transformed Function Room at Wheelers Hill will play host to this year's WH Jazz Night. Enjoy an evening together with great jazz entertainment and BYO picnic basket dinner. Our Stage Bands will present a wonderful program of jazz music – a terrific event for family and friends in a relaxed atmosphere, and an acknowledgement of our Year 12 students.

15-17
You can't take it with you
Senior School Play. The Pulitzer Prize-winning 1936 play by George S. Kaufman and Moss Hart. A hilarious comedy about a zany family.

27
Semester 2 – VCE Dance Night
Students will perform their Unit 4 composition solos for feedback in preparation for their end-of-year Performance Exam.

28
Caulfield Campus Jazz Night
Enjoy an evening together with great jazz entertainment at St Kilda's Memo Music Hall! Our Stage Bands will present a wonderful program of jazz music – a great event for family and friends in this fantastic venue, and a chance to acknowledge our Year 12 students.

28-30
Moana Jr.
Junior School Production. The strong-willed daughter of the chief of a Polynesian village is chosen by the ocean itself to reunite a mystical relic with a goddess. When a blight strikes her island, Moana sets sail in search of Maui, a legendary demigod, in the hope of returning the heart of Te Fiti and saving her people.



SEPTEMBER

5-7
UPSTAGE
A theme-based dance production extravaganza presented by Years 7-12 students.

9
Year 10 & 11 VCD/Art Studio/ Art Show
This exhibition showcases selected Semester 2 artwork from students in Years 10 & 11.

12
Year 12 Monologue Night
This evening is a checkpoint for the Year 12 students who are preparing for their Monologue Exam at the end of the year. The feedback gained will allow them to refine their interpretations. It also acts as inspiration for younger year levels to gain an understanding of the process and expectations.

18
Caulfield in Concert
More than 500 students, both primary and secondary, from all three metropolitan campuses proudly come together at Hamer Hall to present a superb program guaranteed to fill the auditorium and delight the audience. The evening showcases the very fine music program that Caulfield Grammar School has to offer.



OCTOBER

9
Concert Band End-of-Year Concert
A celebration of fine music featuring our senior concert bands. Now a tradition, it serves to acknowledge our Year 12 students who have made a significant contribution to the band program and also for our younger band members to enjoy and be inspired.

OCTOBER

14
VCE Graduation Exhibition
Featuring the creative work of graduating students from both Caulfield and Wheelers Hill campuses studying Art, Media, Studio Arts and Visual Communication Design.

24
School Percussion Concert
This concert always delights audience members of all ages, featuring a variety of solo performances from our youngest to our most advanced percussion students. Percussion ensembles from all campuses will have everyone's toes tapping!

24
MADD Creative Expo
MADD is a celebration of students work in Years 7-11 in Music, Arts, Drama, Dance and Design exhibiting work produced throughout the year, showcasing the student's effort, skill and most of all creativity.

24-26
Newsies Jr.
Years 7-9 Musical. When powerful newspaper publishers raise prices at the newskids' expense, the charismatic Jack Kelly rallies newsies from across the city to strike against the unfair conditions. Together, the newsies learn that they are stronger united and create a movement to fight for what's right.



NOVEMBER

13-16
High School Musical Jr.
Middle School Musical. Troy Bolton and Gabriella Montez battle it out with jealous onlookers to follow their dreams.

14 & 15
Year 5 Production
Our Year 5 students put their acting skills to magnificent use in bringing a classic story to life. The title of the play will be decided by the students.

14 & 15
Year 10 Play
The Year 10 Play allows students to showcase their talents in a self-produced play. This hands-on production offers students a unique opportunity to learn the fundamentals of theatre. They take on various roles both on and off the stage – from acting to production roles.

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27
Christmas Carol Service
A Caulfield Campus musical event for the whole family to get everyone into the Christmas mood.

28
House Art Exhibition

29
Carols on the Oval
A Wheelers Hill Campus musical event for the whole family to kick-start your Christmas celebrations.



DECEMBER

2
End-of-Year Picnic and Carols
An event to celebrate the end of the school year and get into the Christmas spirit.