

Help Shape a Better Bass Coast

Community Engagement – Education

Secondary School

- A new high school (Wonthaggi) is truly needed. P-12 maybe
- High school (Gov).
- high school in San Remo area
- A Public High School!! – San Remo
- Hello, just voicing my query in relation to a public Secondary on or around the Island. Is there anything in the pipeline for the future?
- why San Remo. I think with Cowes having the primary school we should also have the secondary school as well. It's a no brainer travelling off the island to go to school.
- Improved secondary school facilities
- a state high school
- new secondary college
- State secondary school on Phillip Island, we have had a boom with primary school aged children with no choice but to travel to Wonthaggi and beyond.
- a local high school!!
- local public high school in Cowes
- a secondary school PI
- Better education facilities (upgrade Wonthaggi Secondary and a new public secondary school in San Remo)
- Public Secondary School near Bass or the Island (I know it's state gov, but could council put pressure on)
- More choice in schools, especially secondary PI
- BC needs to develop public high schools in areas other than just Wonthaggi.
- Wonthaggi Secondary College - second campus at San Remo (yrs 7 to 10), upgrade Dudley to a 7 to 10 Campus and the new VCE Campus in the Education complex.
- Improve the public secondary schools in Wonthaggi, they are old and too small and do not represent adequately the growing needs of the students in the shire. The buildings are horrible, small, falling down in some areas and are a health hazard and risk.
- Improved upper high school campus in Wonthaggi
- A secondary school for Phillip Island.

- The lack of a high school on the island. There is only two options - Wonthaggi public school or a \$8-10K Newhaven College. This causes many children to travel outside the shire - therefore reducing the employment possibilities in their local areas.
- Lobby state/federal governments to fund and build a second Secondary School for children living in northern/western half of the Shire. This would alleviate overcrowding of existing Secondary College in Wonthaggi and allow it to continue to be used and reduce travel times for above students.
- A new campus for Wonthaggi Secondary School. The McBride campus is falling apart and is way too overcrowded.
- Council should influence the establishment of new education facilities including a new secondary college. Serious consideration needs to be given to a State secondary college on the Island.
- Support Secondary School for the Island.
- Secondary school so 200 odd kids didn't have to travel to Wonthaggi every day.
- Lobby for a new public high school.
- Education - a Government High School is a core need for the island , based on community size and growth this should be one of Councils top priorities.
- I know there is a push for a secondary school on the island however an overhaul and improvement of Wonthaggi Secondary College would serve the wider community better. It is not within unreasonable travel distance from the island, it just need improving both physically and holistically from within through a revitalised culture.
- A public high school on the island is a MUST.
- Secondary College for San Remo
- Need a Catholic secondary school at Wonthaggi - Leongatha is too far away.
- Upgrading the Wonthaggi School Buildings
- high school for Phillip island/San remo
- highschool
- Council should lobby state government for a secondary school to be built on or near the island. It's ridiculous that we have numerous buses carting our children to and from Wonthaggi for 1 hr 40minutes daily. Surely the numbers of kids at Cowes Primary (over 520) justifies a secondary school?
- A public secondary school
- An upgrade to the Wonthaggi Secondary College should be another priority, to enable our children to enjoy good facilities rather than the outdated campus currently at McBride campus. A fresh new campus would have wide-ranging benefits for the whole community.
- Public high school for Philip Island!!!
- Opportunity: Develop a public high school (11 buses leave Phillip Island for kids going to other schools)
- High school please! Too many children leaving the Island daily to attend Wonthaggi's already overburdened campus **
- We need a state high school on the island or at San Remo
- Hospital. High school *

- A high school to allow local kids to go to school locally *
- High school lose to everyone so we can ride and have fun
 - San Remo?
- We NEED a public HIGH SCHOOL
 - I I bused a day going to Wonthaggi to take our children to a school that is already overcrowded isn't good enough. People should have the right to a public school system for children of all ages *****
 - YES!!
 - Yes on the ISLAND
 - YES!
 - Yes!
- A public high school on the island or San Remo **
- Education precinct *
- Long term plan to relocate school due to higher enrolment expected
 - 220+ Year 7s at South Dudley
- Education facilities – new senior campus, new junior campus, San Remo / Newhaven
- Wonthaggi Secondary College upgrade *
- a secondary school;
- Explore capacity for higher (public) education on PI plus safe access to and from school from estates
- Improving secondary school facilities and making provision for education in trades.
- A government high school on the island or at San Remo.
- New Senior School
- Public high school (PI)
- Public high School Phillip Island
- Phillip Island needs a Secondary School
- Public high school on Phillip Island.
- Public High School on Phillip Island
- Public High School (PI)

Higher

- A Uni would be great.
- Education - certainly and education precinct but the establishment of a university to keep young people in the area. Negotiation with TAFE to extend their courses. Once again, tertiary institutes could specialize in the arts and be developed around the Robert Smith gift.
- have a higher education institution
- Investing - a university campus to draw people here
- Better higher education opportunities
- Make Wonthaggi a proper regional town, offering improved education/University
- Develop a master plan for the Bass Coast Shire in particular San Remo and P.I. incl. Tertiary Ed/facilities (Keep young people here to work for a better future) *

- We need a Uni.
- Education/university
- Continue to advocate for Education Precinct preferably with a university so students have the option of staying in the area for tertiary education.
- Tertiary education increased options *
- Long term youth plan – with a focus on education and employment
- Increased education facilities especially tertiary *
- A uni so I don't have to go to the city
- A University near Philip Island

General

- Development of the much talked about education precinct in Wonthaggi
- More education opportunities
- Educational and health services
- Retain the prominent spacious site of the Wonthaggi Library.
- The library is well run, well used and funding should continue.
- Having a young family somewhere to learn to swim is very important to us.
- Increase education options for everyone and especially young people.
- Much better library on Phillip Island. Needs to be much bigger and with much better facilities.
- Providing a platform to promote and advertise volunteer opportunities and perhaps provide incentives to local business/schools/individuals to be involved in these opportunities - to promote and advocate a sense of community and unity.
- a lot of people have no idea about obesity, diabetes etc so more health promotion.
- A compulsory life skills session every month to every one on unemployment benefits.(budgeting, C/V,some direction to employment and skills to enable a better more fruitful future.
- Children's health and wellbeing in an area that is focused on accommodating for the visitors as opposed to the people residing in the area. This relates to school / education facilities
- The kids that hang around the front and the back of the library. Someone needs to help them transition back into education.
- There's a lack of education around eating healthy in the community - lots of fast food places are convenient and there is a vulnerable demographic who fall into unhealthy eating habits because it is cheaper, easier and they don't know how to shop/cook. We need to protect these people.
- health promotion issues
- Support education for ALL ages.
- Also a focus on improved education opportunities for youth suitable to abilities
- Improve the medical and education facilities at Philip Island
- Public education and information on important issues and changes

- more schools
- more effort put into education of residents and visitors on environmental awareness
- Fire Management*
- Investing community talks during major school holidays – Inverloch
- Libraries - their roles are changing and they are an important community resource.
- Improved interpretive signage about things to do along the beach/the national marine park - maps on site, orientation and educational information.
- Environmental activities eg: dinosaurs, rockpool rambles - terrifically valuable.
- Develop support schemes which encourage young people to stay in Bass Coast and develop skills for employment etc
- U3A is an excellent service.
- Hospitality is finding it harder and harder to employ qualified/experienced staff both in the kitchens and on the floor. A hospitality based training programme within the shire would assist greatly. It may also assist in reduction of unemployment rates in the area. Reinvigorate the town! Get the young 18-26's with disposable income back to the town.
- A larger library for the amount of people.
- Health education employment services very poor
- I'd also like a far greater focus on protecting our environmental assets, which has education at its forefront. Educating & shaping the attitudes of residents & visitors alike about our flora and fauna, geology etc.
- *Supporting and encouraging youth to get an education, and participate in the larger community.
- A special Adults Development Centre.
- Community Education – people have opinions with no knowledge
- Community education
- Develop educational precinct to encourage investment in educational services
- Youth – education
- Educate Latrobe CH workers. All health workers, police, doctors **
- Inverloch PS numbers up
 - The funding of Powlet River primary school
 - Library System
 - Mobile library - location needs to be re-assessed
 - Opportunity: When will Wonthaggi education precinct be built? *
 - Better education for new landowners ** ✓
- Not really my issue as my children have had their education but see my comments regarding the internet.
- Make the schools have a bit more education.
- The specialist school is bliss
- Great specialist school
- More help at school
- Better school facilities (22)

- School (Phillip Island)