



Parliament House
Oct. 9th 1957

Dear Mrs Whelan,

I enclose reference
for Victor, & I sincerely hope it will be
of some service to him.

I will be interested to hear if he
successful in getting into one of
the Agricultural High Schools.
With kind regards

Yours Sincerely
Rossie Hanf



Parliament House
Perth
October 3rd 1917

Dear Mrs Whelan.

I regret not having answered your letter at an earlier date. I shall be pleased to do anything I can to assist your boy to get into one of the Agricultural Schools. Would you ring me at Parliament House next Tuesday evening about 7.45 p.m. and I will then have a better idea as to which of the Colleges would be most suitable for Vic to attend.

I have also asked Mr Grayden to call, and see you, & he could then tell me what you have in mind. You can be assured that I will do what I can to assist you.

With kind regards

Yours Sincerely
Ross W. G. G.

GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

In replying please quote

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

4 DEC 1957

TELEPHONE: BF 0151

PERTH

Mrs. M. P. Whelan
134 Lansdowne Rd
South Perth.

Dear ~~Sir~~ Madam,

I have to advise you that the School Selection Board has approved of your application for the enrolment of your son **VICTOR THOMAS** at **HARVEY** School of Agriculture for the 1958/59 Course.

If you accept this offer please advise the Education Department within fourteen (14) days. A deposit of £3 is required with your acceptance of enrolment.

The School will open on the 10th February, 1958 and students are asked to take up residence on this day. Boys travelling to Narrogin should arrange to travel by the day train if possible. Also, please inform the Headmaster how and when your son will reach the school. Trains will be met whenever possible.

Parents should advise this Department as to whether they are members of a Hospital Benefit Fund. If the Department is not informed, a fee of £1. 10. 0 will be charged. The Department recommends that parents become members of some recognised Hospital Benefit Fund.

Should unforeseen circumstances prevent your son from commencing his Course, please inform me immediately so the vacancy can be made available to another applicant for enrolment.

Yours faithfully,

L. Robertson

DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

HARVEY AGRICULTURAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Headmaster :

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J. West.

Telephones :

h School, Harvey 53
tural Wing, Harvey 232

HARVEY 4th February, 1958.

Mrs. M. P. Whelan,
37 Waroonga Rd.,
CLAREMONT.

Dear Mrs. Whelan,

In reply to your letter of January 31st I have to advise as follows.

1. J. Malone, Men's Outfitters of Harvey, has a list of students selected for this school and issues school blazers to those boys on request.

2. I attach a certificate with which you should be able to obtain Rail Concession.

3. The Grey suit is now regarded as unnecessary. Standard uniform is now the blazer worn with college grey trousers, grey shirt and sox. Summer wear at the Agricultural Wing is grey shirt and shorts usually with sandals.

4. Overalls. Combination Khaki.

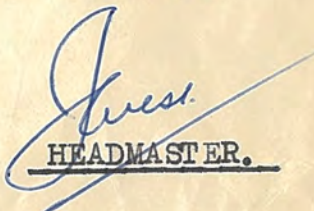
5. Workshop Overalls. as above.

6. Sports gear depends on Sport chosen - white shorts and shirt for cricket and tennis and black shorts for football.

7. Books are arranged for at school on arrival.

8. Please make sure Victor is insured under the P & C Insurance Scheme or a member of a Hospital Benefits Society.

Yours faithfully,


HEADMASTER.

HARVEY AGRICULTURAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.
AGRICULTURAL WING.
O U T F I T.

- I SCHOOL BLAZER.
- ~~I BEST SUIT, DARK GREY.~~
- I WOOLLEN PULLOVER. (GREY, SCHOOL COLOURS.)
- ✓ 2 3 PAIRS GREY DRILL SHORTS
- ✓ 2 SETS WORKING CLOTHES FOR FIELD WORK.
- ✓ I PAIR KHAKI OVERALLS . (BOILER SUIT.)
- ✓ I OVERCOAT.
- ✓ I RAINCOAT FOR OUT DOOR WORK.
- ✓ I PAIR BEST SHOES (BLACK)
- ✓ I PAIR SLIPPERS.
- ✓ I PAIR WORKING BOOTS.
- ✓ I PAIR SHOES FOR ORDINARY WEAR.
- ✓ I BOOT POLISHING OUTFIT.
- ✓ 2 LAUNDRY BAGS.
- ✓ 4 TOWELS.
- ✓ UNDERCLOTHES, PYJAMAS, ✓ HANDKERCHIEFS, ✓ SOCKS TO LAST TWO WEEKS.
- ✓ 2 AT LEAST GREY DRILL SHORTS
- ✓ I DRESSING GOWN.
- ✓ 4 SINGLE SHEETS.
- ✓ 3 PILLOW CASES.
- ✓ I RUG.
- ✓ I ½ PINT ENAMEL MUG. ✓ TOILET REQUISITES.
- ✓ 2 SERVIETTES AND RING.
- ✓ 2 PAIRS SPORTS SHORTS. 2 I WHITE. ✓ I BLACK.
- ✓ I SCHOOL JERSEY. (FOOTBALL)
- ✓ I PAIR RUBBER BOOTS. ✓ I. PAIR SANDSHOES.

I SCHOOL TIE.

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All linen and wearing apparel must be DISTINCTLY MARKED.

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SCHOOL BLAZERS AND UNIFORM CLOTHING IS OBTAINABLE FROM MALONE'S,
HARVEY. SIZES ETC. ARE REQUIRED AND ORDERS SHOULD BE PLACED AS
EARLY AS POSSIBLE.

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Confining each letter to one subject.

Writing on one side only of the paper.

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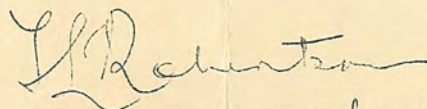
PERTH,

Fees for Resident Students in Agricultural
High Schools

As residence is compulsory for students in the Agricultural Wing, approval has now been given for the applicable living away from home grant to be deducted from the student's fees as at term commencement. Students whose homes are in the South West Land Division would normally receive a boarding allowance of £30 per annum and as the yearly fee is £90, the parent will receive an invoice before each term commences requesting payment of £20. In the past the request has been for payment of £30, with a boarding allowance refund of £10 at the conclusion of the term.

Scholarship holders whose normal boarding grant of £50 per annum will be forwarded a term account for £13. 6. 8.

Should there be other variations in the boarding allowance, the account will be adjusted in this Office before submission to the parent.


DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

HARVEY AGRICULTURAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

AGRICULTURAL WING

VICTOR WHELAN

16 DEC 1959

THIRD TERM REPORT

SECOND YEAR

SUBJECT	Exam %	SUBJECT	Exam %
Soils	71	Social Studies	57
Irrigation	83	Agricultural Arithmetic	84
Crop Production	73	Agricultural Bookkeeping	81
Fruit Culture	72		
Livestock	72	Woodwork	75
Sheep	64	Blacksmithing	82
Dairy Science	66	Metalwork	68
General Science	78	Building Construction	90
English	67	Motor & Farm Mechanics	84
		Exam Average	74.5

Malcolm J. Shalders.

Senior Master

J. J. J.
Principal

HARVEY AGRICULTURAL JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Headmaster:
J. WEST, B.Ed.

Telephones:
High School, Harvey 53
Agricultural Wing, Harvey 232

HARVEY 16th December 1959

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Victor Whelan entered the Residential Agricultural Wing of this School in February 1958 and has now completed the two years vocational course, obtaining a Certificate with Credit.

Of average intelligence and ability Vic has applied himself to all aspects of the work, both theoretical and practical and his results have been good in consequence.

He is a lad of quiet manner, sincere and honest. His behaviour has been good at all times. Vic has shown a considerable gain in confidence and ability during this course.

At sport he has actively participated at all times and this year has been captain of his hockey team in which position he has served with credit.

He should give every satisfaction in employment and I have no hesitation in giving him my recommendation.


Principal.



Education Department
Western Australia

Certificate in Agriculture

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PASSED WITH CREDIT

This is to Certify that

V I C T O R T H O M A S W H E L A N

*has completed a full two-year course in the
Agricultural High School at* H A R V E Y
*and has fulfilled all the requirements in the
theory and practice of Agriculture.*

J. W. S.
Principal

J. L. Robertson.
Director of Education