

# FALL LINES

## Sustainable Learning

Mount Beauty Secondary College Year Sevens were at Bogong Outdoor Education Centre this week for a program aimed at developing their independence and confidence and to learn about living sustainably.

Bogong's commitment to educating for living sustainably is taught to students

through activities such as recycling and composting, energy watch, Zero Power Hour, and learning about solar energy and rainwater harvesting.

Much learning happens in the kitchen and dining room where students are offered a range of tasty and healthy eating options, some of which is grown in the on-site vegetable gardens. Catering coordinator, Phil Rookes and his assistant Deb Crawford, work hard to help educate the students about what they're eating.

This week Mount Beauty Secondary College students sampled some of Phil's home-made cordial, made with limes grown in backyards in the Kiewa Valley. Phil is very keen to make use of any fruit that can be donated to the school. So if you have a spare bucket of lemons or limes at your place and would love for them to



*Local students enjoying some of fabulous Phil's favourite fruit cordial. Pic - Alice Hamilton.*

go to good use, please feel free to donate them to Bogong Outdoor Education Centre by calling 03 5754 1732 and we can arrange to pick them up from Tawonga or Mount Beauty. •