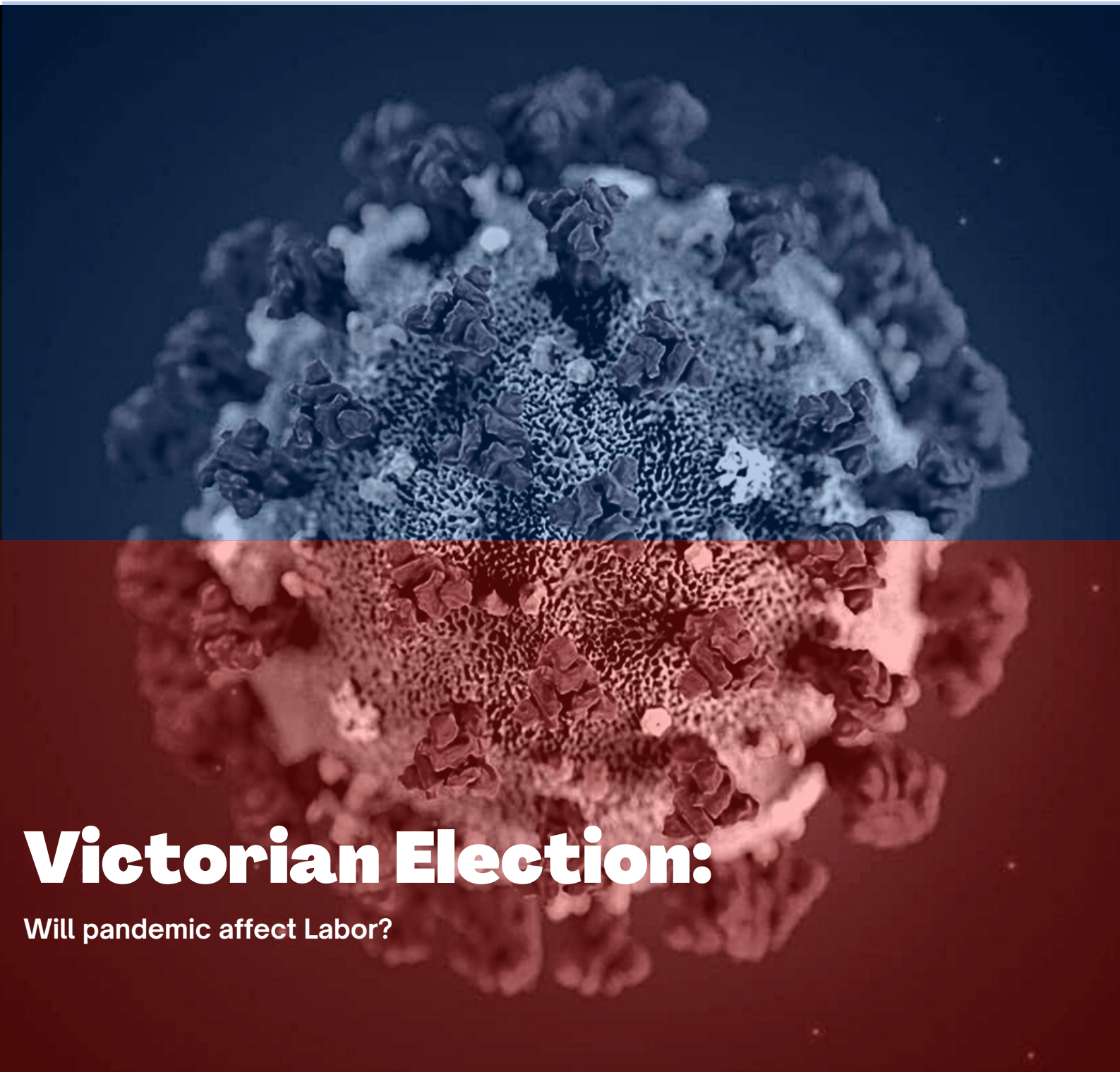


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# Victorian Election:

## Will pandemic affect Labor?



CREDIT: Parliament of Victoria

The answer; probably not as much as The Coalition hoped. While Labor is projected to lose seats. They will probably still have a majority. Now obviously this is speculation and polls can't be fully trusted.

And while Labor is expected to still win the election this isn't certain. And lockdowns and restrictions have frustrated many Victorians.

The Liberals are hoping to take seats in Melbourne's west.

Daniel Andrews will lead Labor in the State election this November. He is projected to lead the party to its third election win in a row. He first won in 2014 and then 2018. Polls show that Labor is still expected to win but by less than the 2018 election. How much does covid lockdowns and restrictions have to do with this?



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# Local

## The Greens target inner city seats of Albert Park, Richmond and Northcote.

This State election The Greens start with three MPs in the lower house representing the three seats of Brunswick, Melbourne and Prahran.

This election they are targeting Albert Park Northcote and Richmond. With Richmond considered their best hope. With Labor MP Richard Wynne retiring at this election. Labor's new candidate for Richmond is Lauren O'Dwyer, and The Greens candidate is Gabrielle de Vietri former Mayor of Yarra.



Gabrielle de Vietri

# National

## The Budget

Last Tuesday Jim Chalmers handed down Labor's first budget in almost a decade. It was a sombre budget. Reflecting the financial turmoil the world is facing.

The budget did not come without controversy with \$2.4 Billion being cut from public hospitals over the next four years.



Jim Chalmers

# World

## Rishi Sunak

Rishi Sunak is the New UK Prime Minister after Liz Truss resigned.

He is the richest MP in the UK Parliament with an estimated net worth of almost a Billion Pounds.



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## South Korean Halloween Stampede Kills over 150 people

At least 151 people have been killed and 82 injured after being caught in a crush by a large crowd pushing forward on a narrow street during Halloween celebrations in the South Korean capital Seoul.

## Ukraine's offensive in Kherson continues

Ukraine is getting closer and closer to regaining control of the City of Kherson. The City was taken in the early stages of the war and is now close to being retaken as is the whole oblast.



Source: Institute for the Study of War (21:00 GMT, 27 October)

CREDIT: BBC

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All Nations Park, Northcote