

10 June 2005

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Term 2 Calendar

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Monday 13 June

♦YR 10 EXAMINATIONS

Tuesday 14 June

♦YR 10 EXAMINATIONS

♦YR 8 N WAS -v- Swan
Christian

Wednesday 15 June

♦YR 10 EXAMINATIONS

♦BENILDUS HOUSE DAY

♦YR 9/10 N WAS - v- Swan
Christian

♦Brainstrain Round 4

La Salle -v- Solomon and
MacKillop -v- Mutien

Thursday 16 June

♦YR 10 EXAMINATIONS

Friday 17 June

♦YR 10 EXAMINATIONS

♦YR 9 "Theatre Sports" (lunchtime)

♦Music Performance Night 6:30pm

CANTEEN ROSTER

Week 8

MONDAY

A Smith, D Clouston, R Clouston

TUESDAY

T Macri, K Edwards, S Colja,
J Rollnik

WEDNESDAY

B Burghall, E Stojanovic,
R Nicholas, C Morley

THURSDAY

A Devenish, S Ryan, L Spencer,
T Barretto

FRIDAY

J Huntington, S Caminiti,
T Crehan

(Students in Italics)



La Salle College
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The weekly newsletter of La Salle College

From the Principal,

Dear Members of the La Salle Community,

Our Year 11 and 12 TEE students finished their mid-year exams last Wednesday. The students will receive their results soon and I hope that those students who have been focussed in their approach reap the results they deserve. I am a firm believer that there is no substitute for continual study. Very few people can achieve by simply cramming before exams.

CURRICULUM MEETING

Yesterday afternoon all members of the College's Curriculum Team were involved in a planning session for next year. The main agenda item was our current timetable at Year 10 and its effectiveness in meeting the needs of the students in light of the new Courses of Study which will be introduced at Year 11 in 2007. We discussed a number of models and we will be holding an information evening for the parents of current Year 9 students in mid Term 3 to explain the changes which will take place with our curriculum in the post compulsory years of study.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Our Assistant Deputy Principal Ms Fiona Ali, myself and a number of Year 10 and 11 girls have been meeting this term to look at a change to the current College summer dress. This week we put forward a possible alternative to the student uniform. I am now asking for parents to provide us with feedback. The uniform will be on display in the College foyer from the start of next week. A box will be made available for your written comments.

COLLEGE CAR PARK

I ask for parental support to ensure that the car park is a safe area at the beginning and at the end of each school day. We have erected signs to help parents with parking and direction to the appropriate drop off and collection points for their children. Your assistance is greatly appreciated particularly when parking bays are limited as a result of the building program. Thank you.

Kind regards

Michael Kenny

Mr Michael Kenny
Principal

YEAR 10 EXAMINATIONS

As part of the educational program of the College, Year 10 students will have examinations in Semester One and Two. These exams serve a dual purpose:

- As an assessment tool for a particular subject, and
- Preparation for the rigours of post compulsory education.

Monday 13 June

Period 1 and 2 – Science

Tuesday 14 June

Period 1 and 2 – English

Wednesday 15 June

Period 1 and 2 – Mathematics

I wish the students all the best for these examinations.

Mr D. Battistessa

Acting Assistant Deputy Principal

Lord, lead me to look for the positive in all people and in all situations. May I help bring light to those in darkness, and encouragement to those who feel unhappy. May I show as much care for others as I would like them to show for me. Amen.



TAFE EXPERIENCE FOR LA SALLE STUDENTS

During Week 6, a group of fifteen students attended the Midland College of TAFE to complete Units of Competency in both Arc Welding and Oxy Acetylene Welding.

The units completed by the students were nationally accredited units which form part of Certificate One in Engineering Studies. Lecturers at the Midland College of TAFE were most impressed with our students' performance and application throughout the week long course.

This initiative has certainly been popular with our students and we look forward to furthering our association with Midland TAFE in the near future.

Mr M. Pepper
Acting Deputy Principal



The equipment and machinery were bigger than we had expected and of an industrial standard. At the completion of the course we were all more experienced and also had a great time.

Mark Grossmith, Year 11

The week long course gave me valuable skills that can be used in employment in the Metals Industry. My skills in arc and oxy welding have greatly improved by completing this course. I have really taken a liking towards the Metals Industry and in the future I may look for employment in this area.

Dominic Piscioneri, Year 12

After completing the oxy-acetylene and stick welding course at TAFE, I have gained the ability to properly weld different types of metal that are commonly used in the Metal Work Industry. I have always wanted to go to TAFE and this course has given me first hand knowledge of what it would be like to be enrolled in a full-time TAFE course.

Nathan Thompson, Year 12

In the week I spent at Midland TAFE, I found that I gained some very valuable skills that can be used in the workplace. I think that La Salle should do more of this type of thing to help people in their careers once they have completed high school. It gave me a good insight into how the TAFE system works.

Haydn John, Year 12



Our students at work at Midland TAFE

T.E.E. INTENSIVE CLASSES

Intensive courses conducted by T.E.E. Consultants are based on the current TEE syllabus and are designed to improve student performances both at school and in the final tertiary examination. While emphasis will be on the course content, special attention will be paid to examination technique, methods of eliminating careless errors and how work should be presented to gain maximum marks. Students attending the course will receive a workbook for each session.

DETAILS OF PROGRAMME

Dates: Monday 4 July to Friday 8 July 2005

Times:

Chemistry	<u>OR</u>	Economics	8.30am
Physics	<u>OR</u>	Human Biology	10.45am
Applicable Mathematics	<u>OR</u>	Discrete Mathematics	1.00pm
English	<u>OR</u>	English Literature	3.15pm
Geography	<u>OR</u>	History	
	<u>OR</u>	Calculus	7.00pm

Note that for **History** students will have the choice of Australia pre-1945 or Australia post-1945 (3 hours) and the French revolution or Europe Cold War (2 hours).

Venue: University of Western Australia, Nedlands.

Cost: \$125 per subject (total 10 hours), except History \$65 (5 hours). Any student wishing to enrol in these courses should see Ms Calleja for an enrolment form.

Mr M. Pepper
Acting Deputy Principal

GRADUATION BALL - Change of Date

Parents and Year 12 students are advised that the Graduation Ball will be held on **Tuesday, 6 December** and **not** Monday, 5 December as marked in the College Diary. Please make this change to your diaries. A letter concerning all the details will be posted home later in Term 3.

Ms N. Calleja
Year 12 Coordinator



**NWAS FIXTURES WEEK 8 V SWAN CHRISTIAN
YEAR 8**

VS	BOYS		MIXED	GIRLS	
	Football	Soccer	Volleyball	Netball	Soccer
Week 8 Mercy 14 June	BYE	Away	Away	Home	Italian Club

YEAR 9

VS	BOYS		MIXED	GIRLS	
	Football Combined 9/10	Soccer	Touch Combined 9/10	Netball	Soccer
Week 8 Mercy 15 June	Home	Away	Home	Away	Italian Club

YEAR 10

VS	BOYS		MIXED	GIRLS	
	Football Combined 9/10	Soccer	Touch Combined 9/10	Netball	Soccer
Week 8 Mercy 15 June	Home	BYE	Home	Away	BYE

Please remember to collect your child by 5:00pm for home games and 5:45pm for away games. Thank you.

CROSS COUNTRY

The ACC Cross Country was a great success and I would like to thank all students who participated for their hard work and wonderful behaviour on the day. Thankyou also to Jonathon Laycock who was a great leader and captain to our 2005 Cross Country Team. Well done to the whole team and thankyou for your support! Special mention and well done to the following students on their outstanding results: Brooke Reeves placed 6th and Trent Poletti placed 18th.

Ms A. Jones
Sports Coordinator

NWAS RESULTS

YEAR 8 GIRLS SOCCER - Mercy 6 defeated La Salle 1
Goal Scorer - Stephanie Vellis
Ms C. Harding - Coach

YEAR 8 BOYS SOCCER - Mercy 8 defeated La Salle 0.
Better players: Jacob Benfatta, Luke Hendry and Callan Gibbons.
Mr J. Angove - Coach

YEAR 9 SOCCER - La Salle 2 - v- Mercy 8.
Mr P. Marris - Coach

NWAS RESULTS

YEAR 10 BOYS SOCCER - Mercy 8 defeated La Salle 0.
Best: Riccardo Merlacco.
Mr J. Finley - Coach

YEAR 10 GIRLS SOCCER - La Salle 0 -v- Mercy 2
Best Player: Katherine Leevers
Ms J. Mahen - Coach

YEAR 10 GIRLS NETBALL - La Salle - 39 defeated Mercy - 5.
Best Player: Lauren Treloar.
Ms K. Panetta - Coach

La Salle Football Club
Invites you to
'A Night on the Town'
Parents, Friends & Coaches
Date: June 24th 2005
Where: Midland Reception Centre
Time: 7.30 pm to Midnight
Cost: Tickets \$10.00 - Light Meal provided
Drinks on sale
Tickets on sale at the door.
For more info contact -
Marina Brennan 0422 522 463
Carmel Radziejewski 0419 019 657

FIXTURES FOR SUNDAY 12 JUNE 2005

- 13s 9:00am La Salle -v- Mazenod at (Ray Owen Reserve)
- 14s 10:35am La Salle -v- Midvale at (Ron Jose Oval)
- 15s 12:20pm La Salle -v- Swanleigh at (Swanleigh)

Ms C. Radziejewski
Secretary

LA SALLE 13s ROUND 6 -v- SWAN VIEW

A good hard game was played in the right spirit by both teams. Each had their opportunity to win the game, however with us having the majority of the play in our forward line in the last quarter, it should of seen us get over the line. Alas, it wasn't to be and Swan View clung on to record a tense one point victory 3.7.25 to La Salle 3.6.24. For La Salle—Just Pezzali didn't put a foot wrong all day in the backline, Sean Pope did all that was asked of him and got lots of the footy and Callum Carey did a fantastic job when put into the ruck. Goalscorers: Adam Faulkner 2 and Nicholas Quaglia 1.
Mr C. Stein - Coach



SMARTER THAN SMOKING CUP 8/6/2005

Jakovich Division

On an afternoon which threatened to drench everyone yet didn't, saw our players put in an outstanding effort against what I was told a quality opposition in Ballajura. Whilst it was difficult for all players to stay on their feet and maintain ball control our players were able to play a fast flowing match with the ball constantly in our forward area. As a result of this we scored relatively easy. For the first time we encountered the tactic of flooding by the opposition as they had all their players in our forward area and to defending players credit they did not succumb to following and in doing so prevented Ballajura from scoring. I was most impressed with the manner and discipline in which we played the game. We must now focus the next match as this will decide who goes into the final at Subiaco Oval on 19 June. Better players being Simon Parry, Christopher Voak, Joshua Cernotta, Nathan Bull, Luke Davies and Daniel O'Reilly

Final score La Salle 13 goals 10 to Ballajura 0 goals 1 point, the main goal scorers were Daniel O'Reilly 5 goals, Simon Parry 3 goals, Christopher Voak 2 goals, Michael Parry, Stephen Daniele and Ben Stockden 1 goal each. Our budding goal umpires in one arm Jordan and one leg Cade with the assistance Michael Turkich have done a fantastic job for us.

Next week 15 June we play at Arena Joondalup commencing at 4:00pm against the winner of the North West region.

Mr J. Sorgiovanni - Coach

RAGS REQUIRED FOR DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

The Design and Technology Department requires any unwanted rags. Please forward to the Design and Technology Department at your earliest convenience. Your contribution is greatly appreciated.

Mr. C. Wittber
Science Technician

LOST BLAZER

A size 18 blazer belonging to Reece Dehnel in Year 9 with his name on the collar has been lost. Should this be found it would be greatly appreciated if you could give it to Ms Lennon's PCG.

CONGRATULATIONS

The College congratulates Jonathan Staynor Year 10 for being selected as a member of the State Karate Team to represent WA in the National Championships held in Brisbane in June.

The most wasted of all days is that on which one has not laughed.

Nicolas Chamfort – French writer.



ARTS ACTION
Term 2, Week 7 2005



Improvising with a Professional . .

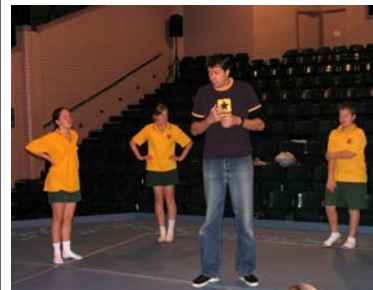
'You're sitting eating your breakfast and an elephant walks into the kitchen. How would you react?' This was one of the questions put to the Year 9 Drama class by guest teacher, Mr Sam Longley.

For the past five weeks the Drama students voluntarily began their class at 8.20am in order to pack as much as possible into the one hour they had with Sam. Sam Longley worked with the students teaching them the skills of Improvisation and helped to prepare them for a lunchtime performance on Monday 27 June (Week 10). Sam Longley has had a long career in improv comedy including studying in Chicago at *The Second City, Improv Olympic* and *Comedy Sportz*. He has represented WA in the *National Theatre Sports Championships* twice and is the Artistic Director of *The Big HOO-HAA!* He is currently working as the host of *How 'The Quest Was Won'* on the ABC.

Each lesson, Sam introduced the students to a number of new games that focused on a variety of improv techniques. The lessons have been full of fun, creativity and lots of laughter. Sam's lessons culminated in an Improv play-off. Students formed two teams and then played against each other, being scored on their ability to use the improv techniques and the comedic factor. Students have discovered a whole new way at expressing themselves and will be able to use these skills throughout their Drama studies.

'So, what do you do when you're eating breakfast and an elephant walks into the kitchen?' Ask one of the Year 9 Drama students or come along to our lunchtime performance and find out . . .

Ms L. Walton
Drama Teacher



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