

1 July 2005

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Term 3 Calendar

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Monday 18 July

♦Term 3 begins for students and staff

Wednesday 20 July

♦'The Buzz'
(Year 12 Incursion)
Period 5 & 6

CANTEEN ROSTER

Term 3 Week 1

Monday: J. McDonnell

Tuesday: T. Chave

Wednesday: C. Baird and J. Musarra Frannando

Thursday: D. Spencer and J. O'Donnell

Friday: S. Howlett

Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

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La Salle College
Delagram



The weekly newsletter of La Salle College

From the Principal,

Dear Members of the La Salle Community,

Last Wednesday at our College Assembly we farewelled Luka Petrovic, Barbara Slater and Wendy Piper who conclude their teaching contracts with the College today. Each has made a significant contribution to the La Salle community and I wish them every happiness in the future.

SEMESTER I REPORTS

The Semester reports for all students were posted home today. This report gives a clear indication of each student's progress in individual subjects and also a summation of their commitment or otherwise to their schooling. They provide an opportunity for students to reflect on the positives and at the same time some pointers as to what needs to be done to improve the situation in the second half of the year. Hopefully, all students will take the time during the holidays to reflect on how this improvement can come about.

PARENT/TEACHER/STUDENT/ INTERVIEWS

The Parent/Teacher/Student Interviews will take place on Wednesday 27 July from 11:00am - 8:00pm. Teachers and parents have the opportunity to request an interview as a follow up to the first Semester Report. I urge parents to attend these interviews because at La Salle College, staff are working with parents to facilitate the learning of their children. Please note that the normal teaching programme has been suspended on this day.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Another busy term comes to an end and in terms of the College we continue to have much to celebrate.

As I have said on a number of occasions, I have thoroughly enjoyed being a part of this community. Certainly, individuals in our College make mistakes however, they need to be seen as opportunities for growth and improvement. Let us all make the most of the holidays, whatever they may bring and return to school in a fortnight (Monday 18 July) refreshed and ready to learn and grow together for the remainder of the year.

Kind regards

Michael Kenny
Principal

Loving Father,

As we come to the end of another term, we turn to you in confidence and place any difficult relationships into the healing hands of Jesus, your Son.

Enable us to leave behind any pain of the past and any regrets or bitterness, entrusting the past to your mercy, the present to your love and the future to your providence.

Help us appreciate more the need to keep a good balance in our lives.

May the holiday be for us a time of rest and recreation to help restore us and re-create us in your image and likeness, as we enjoy more of the love and presence of our families, on whom we ask your blessing.

Amen.





UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop will be open during normal hours over the school holidays. Monday 8:00am to 1:00 and Wednesday 12:30 to 5:30pm.

Ms E. Jurjevich
Uniform Shop Manager

COLLEGE OFFICE HOURS FOR HOLIDAYS

Parents please note that the Administration Office will be open between the hours of 8:30am to 4:00pm during the school holidays.

Ms K. Beange
Business Manager

STUDENT CONGRATULATIONS

The College wishes to congratulate **Brodie Slater** (Year 10) for being selected in the U15s State Regional Netball team. Brodie will represent the Midlands Netball Region at the 2005 Regional State Championships to be held on 9 and 10 July.

STAFF CONGRATULATIONS

The College wishes Gabby Anderson and future husband Christian our very best wishes for a very special wedding day on Sunday and a wonderful married life. Congratulations!

NAIDOC WEEK

Naidoc week will be celebrated around Australia from 3 to 10 July and this year's theme is 'Our future begins with solidarity'. This theme expresses Indigenous peoples' desire for a better future, one in which they can enjoy the opportunities available to other Australians and live in a reconciled national. 'We have called for solidarity because Indigenous people must stand together and the wider Australian community must stand with us.'

NAIDOC celebrates the survival of Indigenous culture and the Indigenous contribution to modern Australia. All Australians are encouraged to participate in NAIDOC Week activities.



Winning Naidoc Posters 2004: "Lines flow from each direction representing the varying influences, both good and bad that join together to make the strength of our culture today. Artist: Ms Jirra Lulla Harvey.

YEAR 10 JOB SEEKERS' SEMINAR

On Tuesday, the Year 10 students participated in the Job Seekers' Seminar. We were all very excited as we were in free dress and were treated as young adults. The first session was about subject choices for next year and the various Learning Area Coordinators informed us of some of the content of Year 11 Courses as well as the prerequisites needed. Mr Pepper talked to us about possible pathways in Years 11 and 12 and mentioned some not so familiar terms like TEE, TER, WACE, VET, WSA we will have to get our heads around.

The day included Mr Chris Maxwell speaking about key points of an interview and how to write a resume. We were involved in role plays to demonstrate the right and wrong ways to complete these and it was lots of fun. We were lucky enough to meet with a variety of employers who told us of their expectations of an employee. We were nervous about talking with them at the beginning, but gained in confidence as we listened and learned from others in a mock interview situation. It was great to be able to dress up for the day and we learned some very important skills to help us with our career choices.

Rebecca Archibald and Brodie Slater





INDOOR SOCCER CARNIVAL

On Friday 24 July students from the Education Support Centre travelled to Lords Indoor Sports Centre in Subiaco to participate in an Indoor Soccer Carnival. Students competed against Servite College, Ursula Frayne College, Sacred Heart College, Corpus Christi, Christ Church and John XXIII. Two teams were entered in the competition with all students trying their best. Team 1 won two of their three games while Team 2 played competitively but were beaten in all of their games. The students had a great day.

Ms C. Williams

Education Support Coordinator

NWAS RESULTS

Year 10 Girls Netball - La Salle 44 VS Mercy 15

A HUGE congratulations to the girls on their fantastic win against Mercy in the Grand Final on Wednesday. The final score was a true reflection of their talent and passion for the game. I would like to especially thank *Ellie Croft* and *Chloe Balcombe* for their efforts in coaching and umpiring the girls to a great victory.

Well done girls, you are all amazing!!

Ms K. Panetta

Coach

LA SALLE FOOTBALL CLUB

La Salle 13s vs Upper Swan, 26 June

The boys just keep getting better and better as the season progresses and last weekend chalked up their sixth win of the season against one of the 13s premierships fancies. As has been the case in most games this season, we got out of the blocks well in the first quarter and were never headed to finish comfortable winners 8.10.58 to 5.0.30. Better players for La Salle were *Jacob Muia*, who did a sterling job on a much taller opponent, *Justin Pezzali*, *Adam Faulkner*, *Brin Sara* and *Travis Latham*. Goal scorers: *Justin Pezzali* 5, *Luke Brennan*, *Adam Faulkner*, *Nicholas Barker* 1.

Mr C. Stein - Coach

Careers By Ms Huggins

ANIMATION WORKSHOPS - Animation workshops will be held at Central TAFE's Art Gallery at 12 Aberdeen Street, Perth during the school holidays. Contact the Film and Television Institute on lui_sit@fti.asn.au, 9431 6702 or Central TAFE Art Gallery on 9427 1318 for further details.

ART CLASSES - Enrolments are now open for Drawing and Painting classes for students aged between 11 and 15 years of age. This is a six-week course, starting on 30 July and are conducted on Saturdays from 12:00noon until 2:00pm at Central TAFE Art Building. The cost is \$120 and includes afternoon tea and all art materials. Contact 9427 1318 or email predrag.delibasich@central.wa.edu.au.

VETERINARIAN WORK EXPERIENCE - Please

be advised that Wattle Grove Veterinary Hospital has written to me this week requesting that students and/or parents **DO NOT** contact them for work experience. They are permanently unable to accommodate work experience requests, effective immediately.

POSITION VACANT - The Ellenbrook Cultural

Foundation is planning a community radio station. The station will commence on 87.6fm and reach only Henley Brook, Vale, The Vines and Ellenbrook to begin with. Students are encouraged to volunteer for positions at the radio station and can email station coordinator Margaret Kidson at mkidson@iinet.net.au for further information.

APPRENTICESHIPS VACANT - Apprenticeships

in the areas of Electrical Fitter, Electrical Instrumentation, Fabrication, Boilermaker/Welder, Horticulture, Mechanical Fitter, Sheet metal are available. Contact Apprenticeships WA on 9365 7662.

ONSITE STUDENTS - A reminder to parents and

students involved in the current ONSITE placement that you are **EXPECTED** to attend the workplace during the school holidays. Students who have arranged holidays will need to contact their employer and renegotiate these days and alter their ONSITE calendar. Problems experienced during the school holidays should **ONLY** be addressed to the ONSITE office on 9443 8371.

VOLUNTEER OVERSEAS - GAP Australia offers

school leavers (aged 17 to 20) the opportunity to undertake voluntary contribution in the areas of teaching, caring for the disabled, boarding house assistants, outdoor education or environmental camps. In return, students are provided with full board, accommodation and in most cases, weekly pocket money. For more information visit www.gapaustralia.org or call (03)9826 6266.

ONE FOR THE CALENDAR - Murdoch

University has advised that their annual Open Days at South Street Campus on Sunday 21 August and Rockingham Campus on Sunday 28 August.

HORTICULTURE & ENVIRONMENT - The WA

Horticulture and Environmental Science Skills Centre is located at Challenger TAFE, Murdoch Drive, Murdoch. They are running the "Big TAFE Checkout" programme to provide students with an opportunity to experience a variety of TAFE courses offered by the Centre. It is a two-day workshop open to all students in Years 10, 11 or 12 and costs \$20. It will run from 13-14 July. Further information and application forms can be found at www.horticulture.challengertafe.wa.edu.au or 9229 8432.



ARTS ACTION

Term 2, Week 10 2005



End of Term Dramatics . . .

On Wednesday 22 June, the Nicolas Barre Auditorium saw yet another successful night of pure entertainment. The La Salle College Arts Department produced two outstanding styles of theatre. Starting off the night with a laugh, the Year 8s did a fantastic job of juggling their way through their circus act “Emballa”. The entire group of students must be applauded for the display of their wonderful tricks and great sense of fun. Next was a more serious piece of theatre created by the very talented Year 10 group of students. “The Law Men are Coming”, drew from a range of presentational techniques allowing the interpretation and individual style of the group to shine through. Fintan Angel did an excellent job creating the intended suspense and excitement. Finally we were once again graced with the presence of even more clowns in the second circus act “Jeux d’enfants”. The students impressed not only their teachers but also the thoroughly pleased audience.

A big congratulations was earned by both *Mrs Loke, Mrs Franklin* and *Miss Allingham* for the large amount of time and effort applied to the three acts. Without them the show could not have been possible. I would also like to thank my fellow technical workers *Huy Cao, Laura Smith* and *Tenille Shehan* who did a wonderful job. Finally thank you to all those who were part of the show as it was a great night full of laughs and was clearly enjoyed by all.

Megan Campbell
Arts Student Leader



Improvisation Play-off

Congratulations to the Year 9 Drama class who participated in an Improv Play-off during lunchtime on Monday 27 June. Attended by approximately 100 students the Year 9s conquered their nerves and performed admirably. They combined all their Improv skills taught to them by specialist teacher, Mr Sam Longley to produce a funny and light-hearted performance. The two teams, Fire’n Ice and 10Gs & 2Bs responded well to this challenging performance style and congratulations must go to the winning team - 10Gs & 2Bs.

Ms L. Walton
Drama Teacher



For three weeks in class, after school and on Sundays the Year 11 Drama students from both the TEE, and non TEE classes have been rehearsing their own version of the famous Shakespeare play “The merchant Of Venice”, their version is simply entitled “The Merchant”. They have been working very hard, putting in the extra hours and it promises to be a very good show. This version has been set in modern times, in Washington D.C. and it plays out the conflicts our modern society has been involved in of late. “The Merchant” is held on Monday 25 July at 7:30pm, in the Nicholas Barre Auditorium.

Samuel Perejuan



COMMUNITY NEWS

Have your say!

Novice driver review public discussion paper available from <http://www.officeofroadsafety.wa.gov.au/novicedriverreview/index.html> or ring the Novice Driver Infoline on 92168769. Your feedback is needed by 12 July.

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