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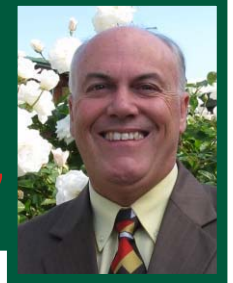
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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Mr Wayne Bull



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WELCOME BACK

It is hard to believe that we are already at the end of Week 2! So much has already occurred since the start of the school year, including our Opening Mass at St Anthony's, the House Swimming Trials, the Year 12 Commissioning and Information Evening, the Year 8 Parent Evening and the Staff Commissioning Mass. I would like to thank all of the staff who have insured that our start has been so smooth and relatively uneventful.

ACTING PRINCIPAL

I will be taking four weeks Long Service Leave at the start of Term 2. The Director of Catholic Education has appointed Rino Randazzo as the Acting Principal of La Salle in my absence. I congratulate Rino on this appointment and know that the College will be in excellent hands during this time.

BUILDING UPDATE

La Salle is a hive of activity as our building project is fully underway. We are sharing the site with builders, heavy machinery, trucks and sand, lots of sand!

Demolition of the interior of the old gymnasium, which will become the Senior Learning Centre, has commenced. I will provide regular updates to the community as the project progresses.

KICKING GOALS PROGRAMME

La Salle College, in association with Swanleigh Residential College, and Swan Districts Football Club are delighted to be supporting a number of students from the Pilbara region of Western Australia as part of the Kicking Goals programme. Under this scheme, talented young sportsmen and women are supported through mentoring and personal development. The programme is supported by BHP.

VICTORIAN BUSHFIRE APPEAL

Thank you to all parents, students and staff who generously supported the College's Bushfire appeal. There have been very few disasters in Australia's history that would match the suffering and tragedy encountered by so many Victorians as a result of the devastating fires of last weekend. I am sure that the goods that were donated to St Vincent de Paul will be very graciously received.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

The school has received notification that four students from Year 12, 2008 have been awarded prestigious Curtin Scholarships. Congratulations to Nicholas Brugman, Cameron O'Donnell, Benjamin Quinlivan and Joshua White. In addition, Steven Cecchi has been awarded the University of Western Australia's Excellence Award.

PRAYERS AND BEST WISHES

The College community extends its prayers and best wishes to Tayla Hancock (Year 11) and Sean Row (parent) who are both recovering from major surgery. We also extend our prayers and best wishes to Cameron Beach (Year 11) who is recovering in hospital from a serious accident on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr Wayne Bull
Principal

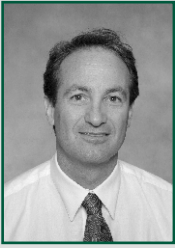


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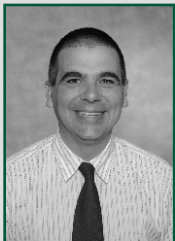
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Mr Danny Battistessa
Assistant Principal



Mr Rino Randazzo
Vice Principal



Mr Adrian Martino
Assistant Principal -
Christian Ministry



Ms Natalie Calleja
Assistant Principal



Mrs Leanne Bates
Business Manager

FROM THE **SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM**

BUS SERVICES

The College is currently working closely with Swan Transit in an attempt to make transfers to and from school as smooth and safe as possible. We understand that there are issues with some bus services of which we have made Swan Transit aware. They assure us they are working to alleviate these problems. Specific points include:

1. 765 Bus Service to Mundarling

The current service cannot handle the numbers attempting to use it. A 310 bus will leave the school at approximately 3:15pm. Upon arrival at the Terminal it will be renumbered to 328. This service runs to Wundowie following a similar route to the 765 (Note: This replaces the 328 which left the College at a later time.)

2. Articulated Buses (Link buses)

These buses have a turntable area at the point of articulation. It is very dangerous to stand within this area when the bus is moving. Please ask your son/daughter to heed the warning signs on the buses.

3. 310 Bus Service to the College (Fom Midland Terminal.)

This is not a school service bus and should only be used by students when their connecting services are late in arriving at the Midland Terminal.

If you have any further queries please contact me at the College or if you wish to speak to Swan Transit their details are given below:

Midvale Depot
16 Rothschild Place, Midvale, WA 6056
PO Box 1306, Midland, WA 6936
Phone : +61 08 9250 9400
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midvale@swantransit.com.au

SCHOOL PHOTO DAY Lifelong Memories

Academy Photography, Australian & world leaders in digital school photography will be in our school on **Thursday 26 February** to take student photos. Individual student payment envelopes will be issued to students next week. It is important that these envelopes are returned **on school photo day**, particularly if you will be ordering photos. Do not send your envelopes to student reception - your child should retain the envelope to give to the photographer on the day.



As is always the case students are asked to be well groomed and wearing the correct College uniform. Year 8 boys have the option of wearing the College tie. Year 9 - 12 boys *must* wear the College tie.

Mr Rino Randazzo
Vice Principal

SINGAPORE TOUR MAJOR FUNDRAISER - BINGO NIGHT

To raise funds for the upcoming Singapore Arts Tour, the College will be hosting a Bingo night. The date is yet to be confirmed so stay tuned.

Mrs Leanne Bates
Business Manager

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION?

I would like to keep you informed of a number of changes in the Religious Education Learning Area for 2009. Alfiero Cardona will take on coordination of Senior Religious Education (Years 10, 11 & 12). I will continue to coordinate the lower secondary programme (Years 8 & 9).

The Curriculum Council Course: *Religion & Life* has been introduced as the Religious Education programme for all Year 11 students in Catholic schools in 2009. Catholic units have been prepared and are currently being delivered as mandated by the Bishops of Western Australia. *Religion & Life* is an accredited Unit for the Curriculum Council that will contribute towards the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE) for all *current* Year 11 students.

Year 8

Topic for Term 1: Belonging and Acceptance in Catholic Communities

Student Resource Book: *Come Follow Me* - students who were unable to purchase this resource second-hand will be given a new copy and parents invoiced for the purchase (\$50.00).

Year 9

Topic for Term 1: The Human Search for Truth

Student Resource Book: *Come Follow Me* - this new student resource has been distributed to all Year 9 students and parents will be invoiced for the purchase (\$50.00).

Year 10

Topic for Term 1: Vocation Called to Be and Become

Student Resource Book: *Come Follow Me* - there has been a delay in the printing of this new student resource. The Catholic Education Office, who prints the resource, has informed us that they will be delivered to schools in the next two weeks. Once it has been distributed to all Year 10 students, parents will be invoiced for the purchase (\$50.00).

Year 11

Topic for Semester 1: Why Religion: Understanding Religion.

It is essential that all Year 11 students have an A4 lever-arch file for their work.

Year 12

Topic for Term 1: Celebrating Freedom

We also welcome Fr Dariusz, our College Chaplain, who will be working closely with the Religious Education teachers and visiting RE classes.

God bless

Mr Adrian Martino
Assistant Principal - Christian Ministry

FRIENDS OF LA SALLE COLLEGE (FOLSC)

You are reminded that the College will be selling the Entertainment Books again this year so please purchase your copy from us when they become available. We will keep you posted as to their expected arrival.

Green Thumb? Looking for a great gift? The FOLSC will be selling bulbs from Bulbs Direct as a fundraiser. Catalogues and order forms will be available next week from the College Office. The bulbs come in many varieties and with planting instructions. Plant in Autumn and see the glorious blooms in Spring. Support our College and improve your garden at the same time!!

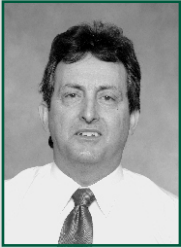
Ms Natalie Calleja
Assistant Principal
(FOLSC Fundraising)



ACADEMIC excellence



Ms Taryn Mohen
Academic Excellence
Coordinator



Mr Frank Italiano
Academic Excellence
Coordinator

WHAT IS THE COLLEGE DOING TO SUPPORT OUR STUDENTS?

There are a number of fantastic opportunities available to all students, especially upper school students at the College this year.

Please note that there is a section of Mydesktop called Academic Excellence. This section is available to all students and staff and it provides files/documents which should assist with promoting effective learning and teaching. You will find a strong focus on study skills. We encourage your use, support and feedback regarding the materials on the site.

Please be advised that the College Library has extended opening times for student research and study:

Monday	8:00 pm
Tuesday	7:00 pm
Wednesday	8:00 pm
Thursday	5:00 pm

Learning - How can I do it Better?

At the start of the school year, students need to make sure that they have a clear set of goals to achieve success in their studies. Starting right NOW, students should aim to get better at:

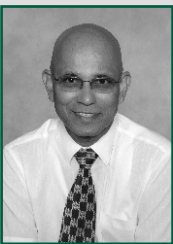
- Reading and writing by** reading and writing a lot.
- Learning new content knowledge by:**
 - building on your existing knowledge ...a lot
 - deliberately learning specific subject vocabulary.
- Being organised by:**
 - devoting time to it
 - planning ahead
 - effectively using ICT

Try and follow some of these research-based principles for **improving learning.**

- Active learning is more effective than passive learning.
- High expectations encourage high achievement.
- Learning requires focused attention and awareness of the importance of what is to be learned.
- To be remembered, new information must be meaningfully connected to prior knowledge, and it must first be remembered in order to be learned.
- Information that is organised in personally meaningful ways is more likely to be remembered, learned, and used.
- Mastering a complex skill or body of knowledge takes great amounts of time and effort.
- Learning to transfer, to apply previous knowledge and skills to new contexts, requires a great deal of directed practice.
- Interaction between teachers and learners is one of the most powerful factors in promoting learning.
[Hint: use your teacher].

Remember that many study skills ideas are always available on the College website Links/MyClasses/MyInternet/Academic Excellence

**Mr Frank Italiano and Ms Taryn Mohen
Academic Excellence Coordinator's**



Mr Peter Elloy
Year 8 Coordinator



YEAR 8 CAMP

Camp begins next week, Wednesday 18 - Friday 20 February. Students should report to school at the normal time. They will be required to wear their bathers under their casual attire and bring along a towel, as the first activity will be the Great Escape. Students will also be required to bring along a cut-lunch and water bottle. Lunch can be bought at the venue if necessary. This is the only occasion that students will be required to carry any money.

There will be six coaches provided to transport the students to Ern Haliday Camp site. Each coach will be supervised by two staff members. Students will return to the College by 3:00 pm on the Friday.

Students are asked *not* to bring any valuables to camp, this includes ipods, mobile phones, etc. Students with special dietary needs are requested to contact Mrs Gooden by Friday 13 February.

Students who are required to take medication should ensure that this is brought to Student Reception prior to departure. The medication should be clearly marked with the name and instructions and put into a bag. It will be the student's responsibility to request the medication from Mrs Vajas, who will be coordinating the first aid. Mrs Vajas will be in the kitchen area from the Wednesday afternoon.

Responsible behaviour is expected from all students. If behaviour of any child is irresponsible and jeopardises the safety of any other student/students, parents will be contacted and asked to collect their child.

Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to assist. We look forward to seeing you on the day and time you have indicated as your preference.

The telephone number for Ern Haliday is 9401 2419 or 9492 9700.

**Mr Peter Elloy
Year 8 Coordinator**





CAREERS



Mrs Nicole Huggins
Careers, ONSITE &
VET Coordinator

YEAR 8, 9, 10 TUTORIAL

All students in Year 8, 9 and 10 Tutorial were given a letter in their Tutorial period this week to take home explaining the inclusion of Career Development lessons in the Tutorial period for all or part of the year. Please read through this letter carefully and any queries may be directed to your child's Tutorial class teacher or myself.

TAX FILE NUMBERS

During this term, all students in Year 9 and 10 will receive information regarding the purpose and application of a Tax File Number (TFN). They will also have the opportunity to apply for a TFN. If any parent of a Year 9 or 10 student does not want their child participating in this programme, please advise your child's Tutorial class teacher or myself as a matter of urgency. We DO NOT need to be contacted if your child already has a TFN, they will simply indicate this in the class and will not be given an application form. Any queries may be directed to your child's Tutorial class teacher or myself.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Work experience is available to all students from Years 8 to 10, however, there will be no opportunity for students to complete school approved work experience during any term time, for any reason. All work experience MUST be completed during school holiday periods. All Year 10 students will be receiving information in the coming few weeks regarding the compulsory week of work experience which must be completed during the week 8 - 12 June 2009. Students are encouraged to begin contacting employers to secure a placement during this period as early as possible. Any queries may be directed to your child's Tutorial class teacher or myself.

WORKPLACE LEARNING

Students in Years 11 and 12 who are studying the Workplace Learning course this year were issued with a La Salle College Workplace Learning/ONSITE Policy document this week. This policy document is a contractual arrangement regarding the student's rights and responsibilities whilst in the workplace and here at school. Please read through the policy carefully and any queries may be directed to your child's Workplace Learning class teacher or myself.

For the majority of Workplace Learning students, their ONSITE work placements will commence next week. Please ensure that your child has contacted their employer in the last week or so to confirm arrangements. Questions such as start and finish times, where to go and who to ask for on the first day, lunch arrangements and clothing should all be able to be answered by the student at this point. If not, please encourage your child to make further contact with their employer before next week.

NOTICES

The Internet portal called MyClasses will again be used this year to convey important Careers, VET and Workplace Learning/ONSITE information. MyClasses can be accessed by students using their school IT username and password and this can be done from any computer at any location - school, home, work etc. Please encourage your child and yourself to regularly check this site for updated information, especially important dates regarding University and TAFE application closing dates, University open days, exchange programmes, apprenticeship and casual vacancies and so on. This site will be ready to access as of next week.

APPOINTMENTS

Students and/or parents wishing to make an appointment to see me should certainly contact me to make a time. Appointment times are only available from Tuesday - Thursdays each week and my diary fills very quickly. For this reason, I am unable to make appointments for children and/or parents of students in Years 8 and 9, but am very willing to answer any queries over the phone or to students personally if they visit the Careers Office during open times. I look forward to working with you and your son/daughter this year.

Mrs Nicole Huggins
Careers/VET & ONSITE Coordinator

Prayer for fire victims

Lord,
We pray for all of those
who have lost their
lives or homes in the
current tragedy of the
raging fires.

We ask that you
comfort their hearts
and ease their minds.

Give them strength
and faith to be able to
re-build their lives.

Take those who you
have called to meet
you in the kingdom of
heaven with open
arms and grant peace
and closure to their
families.

AMEN



ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS



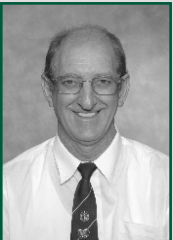
Mrs Maria Bochrinis
Uniform Shop Manager



Mr Alfiero Cardona
Liturgy Coordinator



Ms Orietta Stokes
English Teacher



Mr Joe Sorgiovanni
Solomon House Coordinator
& Science Teacher



Ms Sabrina Lynsdale
Executive Assistant
(Marketing & Public Relations)

ST VINCENT DE PAUL (SVDP) SAYS THANK YOU FOR CHRISTMAS APPEAL

The College received a letter of thanks from the SVDP Midland Conference thanking the College who again absolutely amazed SVDP at the generosity of our community. The extent of the school's Christmas donation exceeded anything they could have hoped for.

UNIFORM SHOP

A reminder that the Uniform Shop for this year is located underneath the Auditorium. Entry is via the western end of the building. Parents can park in the car park at the front of the College and walk through the grounds, however, you will be required to fill in the Visitors Book in the Uniform Shop. Extremely limited parking is available at the back of the Auditorium. All parents and visitors should still sign in at College Reception when entering the College grounds for any other reason other than to visit the Uniform Shop.

Uniform Shop hours are Monday and Wednesday's from 7:30 am - 1:30 pm unless otherwise specified in the Delagram.

Mrs Maria Bochrinis Uniform Shop Manager

OPENING MASS

Each scholastic year the College begins around the Eucharistic table. The College Opening Mass, held at St Anthony's Church, is an occasion to celebrate, thank and pray; we celebrate our collegiality and friendship; we thank God for the well merited rest and pray; for God's help and inspiration as we face a new scholastic year.

During this year's Opening Mass we also had the commissioning of the Student Representative Council and the College Board.

During Mass we mainly focused on the importance of using time effectively so as to prepare ourselves for the future whatever that may bring.

It was an immense pleasure to see more than one thousand people gathered in silence and prayer. I would like to thank the 25 students who had an active role in the mass and all staff members for their assistance and support, especially Mr Martino, Mr Battistessa, Fr Dariusz, Mr Elloy and Mr Dyer. May I also thank the SRC students for their cooperation and special participation.

Mr Alfiero Cardona Liturgy Coordinator

READING CLUB 2009

The La Salle Reading Club not only continues, but is expanding in 2009. Already the Year 9 students' club, Insert Book Here, has commenced with their first lunch time meeting on Thursday 12 February. This club is open to all Year 9 students.

Over the Summer Vacation, the Reading Room, which is located inside B13 was given a few licks of paint and is now a bright and imaginative space perfect for reading in! The Reading Room will be open during lunch times for students who wish to read during their lunch break.

At the end of Term One, Year 8 students will be nominated by their English teachers to create their own reading club, which will run for the remainder of 2009.

We look forward to seeing any budding readers there. Remember, your reality is only limited by your imagination.

Ms Orietta Stokes English Teacher

FRIENDS OF LA SALLE COLLEGE (FOLSC) RAC STUDENT/PARENT WORKSHOP FOR SAFE DRIVING

For the past two years, towards the end of Year 10, students have taken part in the Keys for Life programme to prepare them for their learner's permit test. To compliment this work, the FOLSC and the Science learning area are offering a special workshop for parents and their Year 11 or 12 son/daughter on **Tuesday 24 February at 6:30 pm** in the Nicolas Barre Auditorium.

The free workshop for young people and their parents looks at the Graduated Driver Training & Licensing System, how to organise lessons and practice sessions, changes to the road rules and what to expect in the Practical Driving Assessment.

The 1 ½ hour interactive session provides parents and the learner driver with:

- The first steps towards learning to drive.
- Combining lessons and practice sessions.
- How a professional instructor can make learning to drive easier.
- What to expect on the day of the test.
- Ways to communicate to take the stress out of driving practice.

Door prizes of a discount voucher for a vehicle service and a one year RAC membership will be available. For more information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Mr Joe Sorgiovanni Solomon House Coordinator & Science Teacher (on behalf of the FOLSC)

HALL OF EXCELLENCE 2010

The College is now taking nominations for our Hall of Excellence for 2010 - recognising the many outstanding achievements of our past students in the categories of Community Service, Professional, Sporting, Business & Enterprise and The Arts. Applications close on Friday 23 September 2009 and successful applicants will be notified by December 2009. For an application form and to view our 2008 inductees visit our website www.lasalle.wa.edu.au under Hall of Excellence. For further information, please contact me by phone or email sly@lasalle.wa.edu.au

Ms Sabrina Lynsdale Executive Assistant (Marketing & Public Relations)





SPORT



Important reminders for parents and students:

- Normal school timetable will operate for Periods 1 - 4 on Monday 16 February with House teams and supporters arriving at Bayswater Waves for a 2:00 pm start.
- Students opting not to travel to Bayswater Waves will attend supervised private study classes until normal College finishing time. Students electing to stay at the College or who are absent will be checked against previous carnival attendance lists to determine suitability for social events later in the year.
- All students attending the carnival will wear their College sport uniform with House shirt to school. This includes appropriate enclosed shoes. Swimmers must ensure that they have correct College bathers. Green taslon shorts are permitted. Strictly no board shorts.
- Students will not be permitted to access the canteen during the carnival and should bring food and drink to last the afternoon.
- Parents who can offer any assistance as timekeepers are asked to meet Mr Sackett at the finishing end of the pool prior to the commencement of the carnival. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
- Where possible, students being picked up from Bayswater Waves are asked to remain at the venue until presentations have concluded.

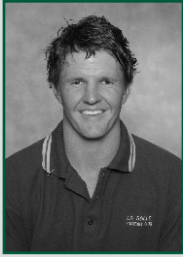
We look forward to seeing many parents and friends at Bayswater Waves.



SPORT

NORTH WESTERN ASSOCIATED SCHOOLS (NWA) INTER-SCHOOL SPORT

Parents of students who have signed up for Inter-School Sport this term are reminded that training begins next week. Training and match days for the term are listed below and students are asked to be prepared for their first training session with their sports uniform and a water bottle. Please note that, due to the construction taking place at the College, tennis teams will be bused to Midland Lawn Tennis Club (Patterson Drive, Middle Swan) for coaching and will return at 4:45 pm.



Mr Ben Dyer
Sport Coordinator

Year 8 Teams

School Week	Date		Time
2	Thursday 12 February	Selection/Training for all Year 8 teams	3:20 - 4:30 pm
3	Tuesday 17 February	Selection/Training for all Year 8 teams	3:20 - 4:30 pm
4	Tuesday 24 February	NWAS Round 1	4:00 - 5:00 pm
5	Tuesday 03 March	NWAS Round 2	4:00 - 5:00 pm
6	Tuesday 10 March	NWAS Round 3	4:00 - 5:00 pm
7		Bye	
8	Tuesday 24 March	NWAS Round 4	4:00 - 5:00 pm
9	Tuesday 31 March	NWAS Finals	4:00 - 5:00 pm

Year 9/10 Teams

School Week	Date		Time
2	Wed 11 February	Selection/Training for all Year 9/10 teams	3:20 - 4:30 pm
3	Wed 18 February	Selection/Training for all Year 9/10 teams	3:20 - 4:30 pm
4	Wed 25 February	NWAS Round 1	4:00 - 5:00 pm
5	Wed 04 March	NWAS Round 2	4:00 - 5:00 pm
6	Wed 11 March	NWAS Round 3	4:00 - 5:00 pm
7		Bye	
8	Wed 25 March	NWAS Round 4	4:00 - 5:00 pm
9	Wed 01 April	NWAS Finals	4:00 - 5:00 pm

The summer season includes basketball, cricket, tennis and beach volleyball. Team selection may be necessary if student numbers are greater than available team positions. Attendance at both sessions prior to Round 1 is imperative unless other arrangements are made. Where possible, every effort will be made to accommodate student interest, however unfortunately it cannot always be guaranteed. Selected students will receive information and fixtures prior to Round 1.

SENIOR CRICKET IN EARLY START

Our senior cricketers will be the first of our senior teams in action for 2009, as they return to the top tier division of the Sunsmart Secondary Schools competition. The Kim Hughes Shield will pit La Salle College against specialist metropolitan schools such as Kent Street and John Forrest Senior High Schools. Talented state representatives Daniel Susana, Zac McBride and Stephen Coniglio head our line up with home matches to be played at Lilac Hill.



CONIGLIO WINS STATE HONOURS!

Talented all round sportsman Stephen Coniglio (Year 11) received some welcome news in the holidays when he was selected in the State Schoolboys cricket team for the upcoming national carnival in Cobram, Victoria. Stephen juggles his cricketing commitments with Midland Guildford and La Salle alongside a promising football career with Swan Districts, currently preparing for the WAFL 16s carnival. The College congratulates Stephen on this fine achievement and we wish him well for the hectic few months ahead!

Mr Ben Dyer
Sport Coordinator





SPORT



Mrs Jaimee Dawson
Learning Area Coordinator -
Physical & Health
Education

CHALLENGES AHEAD FOR THE PE & HEALTH LEARNING AREA

2009 will be a year filled with challenges, especially within Physical and Health Education Learning Area. With no gym this year, the Physical Education Programme has been slightly modified across all year levels to allow for this. The reward for our patience will be a fantastic two court indoor facility that will allow us to expand and improve our learning area.

A letter has been distributed to every student in Physical Education and Outdoor Education over the past week outlining the 2009 Programmes. If anyone has not received this letter please come to the new Physical Education Office, which is located inside the library to get a copy. Parents and guardians are asked to sign the letter and return it to the relevant class teacher.

Just a friendly reminder about our Physical Education Uniform. Students are reminded to label all items of their uniform and make sure that they don't bring valuables to the change rooms. Students are also asked to wear appropriate sports footwear that offer support and lace up properly. Dunlop volleys and skate shoes are not appropriate and should not be worn. Hats and drink bottles are also required during Term 1 and 4. If you are unsure please refer to the College Organiser to check specifications or contact the Physical Education Office.

We look forward to another positive year in Physical, Outdoor and Health Education and wish everyone well for the start of the school term.

Mrs Jaimee Dawson
Learning Area Coordinator - Physical & Health Education

LASALLE FOOTBALL CLUB

Registrations for the La Salle Football Club are now under way. We are calling on all football players, old and new, to sign up for the 2009 season.

Registration Days: Week 3 - Tuesday 17 and Thursday 19/2 at lunchtime in the gazebo
Week 4 - Tuesday 24/2 at lunchtime in the gazebo
Week 5 - Thursday 5/3 at lunchtime in the gazebo

Completed registration forms can be returned on the next available registration day or to the College Office in an envelope marked 'La Salle FC - Registration'.

COACHES

We are looking for applicants for coaching positions for our 13s & 15s. Enquiries can be made by contacting Mr Stephen Lesk on 0414 770 820 or email stephenlesk@optusnet.com.au. Applications close and must be received by 2 March.

COMMITTEE MEETING

The club is having its next meeting on Monday 9 March commencing at 7:30 pm. The meeting will be held at 1 Marlboro Road, Swan View. New committee members are most welcome. If you have any enquiries please ring our president Mr Stephen Lesk on 0414 770 820.

Fast facts

Statistics

- Half the world's population earns about 5% of the world's wealth.
- More personal telephone calls are made on Mother's Day in the USA than on any other day in any other country.
- One in ten people in the world live on an island.
- The opposite sides of a dice cube always add up to seven.
- The world average of egg consumption per capita is 230.
- Half the world's population is under 25 years of age.



*“What we are
is God's gift to
us. What we
become is our
gift to God.”*

Eleanor Powell





CALENDAR & CANTEEN ROSTER

WEEK 3 & 4

* Canteen Volunteers
In italics & underlined

Canteen volunteers are asked to please wear enclosed shoes for occupational health & safety reasons.

Thank you.

Sun 15 Feb	Mon 16 Feb	Tue 17 Feb	Wed 18 Feb	Thur 19 Feb	Fri 20 Feb	Sat 21 Feb
WEEK 3 ONSITE PLACEMENTS BEGIN	INTER-HOUSE TWILIGHT SWIM 2PM - 6PM BAYSWATER WAVES <i>V.Beerkens</i>	BENILDUS YEAR 8 & NEW STUDENTS BREAKFAST <i>L.Duffield</i>	MASS BY: SFL & AFI <i>Help required</i>	ELECTIVE CHANGES YEARS 9 & 10 TO BE COMPLETED <i>T. Mc Cracken</i>	ELECTIVE CHANGES YEARS 9 & 10 TO BE COMPLETED <i>M.Coverley</i>	
	--YEAR 8 CAMP --					
Sun 22 Feb	Mon 23 Feb	Tue 24 Feb	Wed 25 Feb	Thur 26 Feb	Fri 27 Feb	Sat 28 Feb
WEEK 4	YEAR 10 INFORMATION EVENING 7PM <i>R.Cobanov</i>	YEAR 8 NWS vs CARMEL/SWAN VALLEY FOLSC RAC PARENT WORKSHOP 6:30 PM <i>T.Macri</i>	MASS BY: RWS & MDE ASH WEDNESDAY YEARS 9/10 NWS vs CARMEL/SWAN VALLEY YEAR 11 INFORMATION EVENING 7PM <i>Help required</i>	COLLEGE PHOTOGRAPHS YEAR ASSEMBLIES <i>L.Greenfield</i>	COLLEGE PHOTOGRAPHS <i>M. O'Brien</i>	

COMMUNITY NEWS

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE

The Beginning Experience is running a weekend programme, designed to assist and support people in learning to close the door gently on a relationship that has ended, in order to get on with living. People who have had similar loss experiences themselves facilitate the programme. If you feel that this programme could benefit you or someone you know, you are invited to contact us. The next weekend programme dates are Fri 6/3 Sun 8/3. For further information please contact: *Helén* on 9246 5150 or *Maureen* on 9537 1915.

MIDLAND LAWN TENNIS CLUB ENROLMENTS

Enrolments are currently being taken for Term 1 programmes. The club offers coaching for all ages, junior social play, pennant play and adult social play. Contact the club coach, Cameron Fenner for details and information about starting out or in taking your tennis to the next level: 9457 9704, 0439 960 629 or email teamtennismidland@hotmail.com

UPPER SWAN JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB REGISTRATION DAY

Sunday 22/2 from 4:00 - 6:00 pm or Wednesday 25/2 from 3:30 - 6:00 pm at the Baskerville Oval Clubrooms, Memorial Drive, Baskerville. Age groups from 5 - 17s. 5 - 8s play Saturday mornings, 9 - 17s play on Sundays. Registration forms can be downloaded from: <http://www.swandistrictsfc.com.au/forms-resources/district/2009-junior-registration-form/download> New players please bring birth certificate or passport. Enquires: Scott Nicholls 0431 375 873 or Hamish More 0403 946 144.

OLD GUILDFORDIANS MUNDARING HOCKEY CLUB REGISTRATION DAY

Winter Hockey registrations will be on Saturday 21/2 at Lilac Park, Guildford between 11:00 am - 2:00 pm. For more information please contact Sandy Lane (Juniors) on 9295 6766 or Rachel Resuggan (Minkey's) on 0401 856 205.

GLEN FORREST NETBALL CLUB AGM & REGISTRATION DAY

AGM and registration day is on Saturday 14/3 between 9:00 - 10:00 am. Meeting and registrations will be held outside rooms 8 & 9 at Glen Forrest Primary School. Any queries can be directed to either Anne Tip on 9298 8563 or Leanne Knight on 9295 3295.

KALAMUNDA DISTRICTS RUGBY UNION CLUB REGISTRATION DAY

Saturday 21/2 at the clubrooms at Hartfield Park, Morrison Road, Forrestfield from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm. Under 6 - Under 16s. New registrations require a copy of birth certificate or passport. For more information visit www.kalamundarugby.com.au or call Jody Davis on 0434 545 482, Debbie Kostera on 0428 910 877 or Natalie Williams on 0430 102 444. New players welcome.

TENNIS COACHING

During the school term Ross Gerran's Tennis School will be conducting coaching for children and adults in your area. Application forms are available from the PE office or by calling Ross on 9284 9588 or 0408 945 509. If times or venues are unsuitable please call for details of alternative

MARLOO THEATRE PRESENTS TUTANKHAMUN

The Darlington Theatre Players at Marloo Theatre present Tutankhamun, a senior youth theatre production, written and directed by La Verne Kirton. Shows start from 27/2 to 14/3. For bookings phone 9255 1783.

SWAN ATHLETIC NETBALL CLUB REGISTRATION DAY

Teams from year 3 onwards. Saturday 14/2 from 9:30 - 11:30 am or Wednesday 18/2 from 3:30 - 4:30 pm at Swan Athletic Sporting Club, McDonald Road, Heme Hill. For more information contact Paula on 9297 3909.