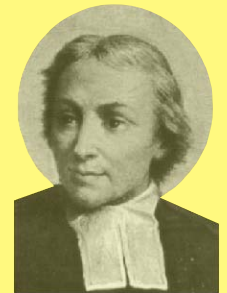


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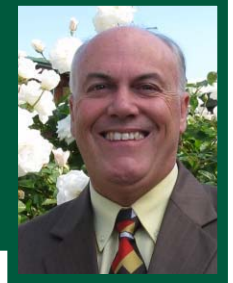
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## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

*Mr Wayne Bull*



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### OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCES

Our students continue to shine in the annual Catholic Performing Arts Festival. The adjudication for our Choir which performed on Monday evening was really very impressive. This group has developed some beautiful harmonies and they are to be congratulated on their performance. The De La Dance group achieved a 'perfect' score in their adjudication and have received a Honourable Mention certificate. The performance was simply awe inspiring! Additionally, I would like to congratulate Christopher Fenner who received a Merit Certificate for his instrumental solo performance.

### BALGO VISIT

Angela Johnson and Darren Perrett have been in Balgo Hills this week visiting Luurnpa Catholic School. They are interviewing some prospective students from Balgo for 2010. While in Balgo they are also meeting up with the families of the boys who are currently with us.

### YEAR 11 RETREAT

Our Year 11 students have all enjoyed their retreat experiences this week. On Thursday I had the privilege of visiting the three sites and observing the various spiritual and personal activities which are central to the retreat experience. My thanks to all of the staff for their great care and support of our Year 11 students. In particular I would like to acknowledge the great organisation of Adrian Martino, our Assistant Principal of Christian Ministry.

### YEAR 12 SEMINAR DAY

On Tuesday all of our Year 12s attended the annual Year 12 Seminar Day held at Mulberry on Swan. This day focused on all of the key issues confronting our Year 12s. Several motivational speakers addressed the students. In the afternoon, all students participated in a Careers Expo accessing expert advice from over 20 groups including universities, TAFE and various industry groups. The feedback from students was very positive. I would like to record my thanks to Nicole Huggins, our Careers Counsellor, for her superb efforts in organising the day.

### VISIT TO CAMBODIA

One of our Year 9 students, Cassandra Enkel, is spearheading a campaign to support children in Cambodia. She is visiting Cambodia in the October school holidays and as part of her visit will be taking donations of stationery items to students who are so less fortunate than here in Australia. This is really an exceptional initiative which Cassandra has taken on. PCG's have been taking up collections of stationery items to support Cassandra in this campaign. I commend Cassandra and her supporters for this practical approach to 'Touching Hearts'.

### VISIT BY BR MARK McKEON

Last week the College hosted a visit by the Auxiliary Visitor (Provincial) of the De La Salle Brothers for the District of Australia, New Zealand and Papua New Guinea. Br Mark spoke to both the students and staff about the work of the Brothers and Lasallian volunteers. It is so important that we continue to connect with the Brothers and the charisma of St John Baptist de La Salle through such visits.

### FATHERS' DAY MASS

I would encourage all fathers and their children to come along to our annual Fathers' Day Mass to be held on Friday 4 September at 7:30 am. Mass will be finished by 8:00 am and for those able to stay, there will be a light breakfast served. This is a wonderful way in which children can give thanks to God for the gift and blessings of fatherhood.

**Mr Wayne Bull**  
Principal

**Blessed indeed  
is the man who  
hears many  
gentle voices  
call him father!**

~Lydia M. Child, *Philothea: A Romance*, 1836



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## FROM THE **SENIOR LEADERSHIP** **TEAM**

### **YEAR 12 MOCK EXAMS - Monday 5 October to Thursday 15 October 2009**

A copy of the Year 12 Mock Exam Timetable is located on our website [www.lasalle.wa.edu.au](http://www.lasalle.wa.edu.au) under News & Events. All Year 12 students have been issued with a personalised timetable for the upcoming exams.

Students should be working hard preparing for their examinations. It is a most stressful time, but good preparation does reduce examination anxieties.

The following resources may be useful:

- Subject/Course syllabus - ensure that all aspects of the subject/course are studied.
- Past examination papers - provide guidance on the style/type of questions.
- A comprehensive set of study notes that are developed and refined to become the main source of information when revising.

While students can wear neat casual dress during the holiday period (5 October to 9 October), the College uniform must be worn to exams from 12 October.

I wish students success with these exams and hope their efforts are rewarded by achieving the best result possible.

### **UNIVERSITY - TAFE (2010)**

Students in Year 12 have recently received handbooks from Notre Dame University and the Tertiary Institutions Service Centre (TISC - which acts on behalf of the public universities) outlining procedures for selecting courses for 2010. The TISC application is completed on the internet and an application form is attached to the Notre Dame handbook. Students should keep in mind that the closing date for these applications is Wednesday 30 September 2009.

TAFE applications open on Friday 4 September 2009. Information regarding the application process will be issued to students soon.

Parents and students who require assistance or further clarification on this matter are asked to contact Ms Huggins, Mr Sackett or myself.

### **TEE/WACE EXAMS**

The TEE/WACE (written papers) begins on Monday 2 November and concludes with the Computer Science 3AB exam on Thursday 19 November.

Students studying Dance 3AB, Drama 2AB or 3AB, Music and Physical Education Studies 2AB or 3AB also have a practical component to the TEE/WACE. These begin on Saturday 26 September.

A copy of the TEE/WACE exams can be found at:

[http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/internet/Senior\\_Secondary/Exam\\_Information/Exam\\_Timetables](http://www.curriculum.wa.edu.au/internet/Senior_Secondary/Exam_Information/Exam_Timetables)

**Mr Rino Randazzo**  
Vice Principal

### **LOWER SCHOOL EXAMS**

There has been an amendment to the scheduling of lower school exams in Term 4. Elective subjects will now be examined in Weeks 6 and 7 whilst core subjects will be examined in Weeks 7 and 8. An exam timetable will be published in the Delagram early in Term 4.

**Ms Natalie Calleja**  
Assistant Principal

### **INTER-HOUSE DANCE COMPETITION**

Sunday 20 September at 7:00 pm at Rixon Theatre, Penrhos College

A reminder that tickets for the La Salle College Inter-House Dance competition are now on sale. Please order and pay for your tickets by Tuesday 15 September on the ticket order form attached to the previous Delagram or by obtaining a form from the College. I look forward to seeing you all at Penrhos College on what should be a very entertaining and close fought competition.

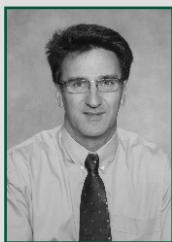
**Michael Pepper**  
Assistant Principal



*Mr Rino Randazzo*  
Vice Principal



*Ms Natalie Calleja*  
Assistant Principal



*Mr Michael Pepper*  
Assistant Principal



Ms Nicole Huggins  
Careers, VET &  
ONSITE Coordinator

# CAREERS

## ONSITE 2010

Final reminder for current Year 10 students interested in careers in the Building and Construction (Dream Factory Programme), Childcare/Teaching (Playground Programme) or Health/Nursing (Health Assist Programme) industries that the ONSITE Launch Night for three specialist programmes in these areas will be held next Monday 31 August at Chisholm College. Please contact the ONSITE Office on 9443 8371 for further information or to RSVP your attendance.

Current Year 10 and 11 students are reminded that ONSITE applications for 2010 are now available. Application packages can be collected from the Careers Office, MyClasses website or the College Front Office. Applications must close on 2 September to be interviewed on 16 September. Year 11 students do not have to have completed ONSITE this year to apply for Year 12, 2010. Remember, students must choose the course "Workplace Learning" in their 2010 study programme to be able to participate in the ONSITE programme.

## MYCLASSES

Students and parents are reminded that there is an enormous amount of Careers information coming through on a weekly basis now in terms of University and TAFE applications, Open Days, Information Nights and much more. Keep checking the MyClasses Careers Page off the La Salle homepage from school or home to keep up-to-date.

**Ms Nicole Huggins**  
Careers, VET & ONSITE Coordinator

Murdoch University invites you to our annual Open Day.



**Sunday 30 August**  
10:00am to 4:00pm  
South Street, Murdoch

- Pick up course and career information
- Visit our facilities
- Talk to our lecturers
- Listen to a range of information talks

For more details go to  
[www.murdoch.edu.au/openyourmind](http://www.murdoch.edu.au/openyourmind)  
or telephone 1300 MURDOCH (1300 687 3624)



**Murdoch UNIVERSITY**  
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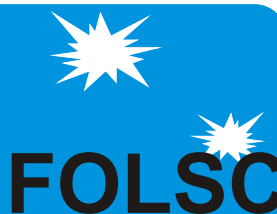
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## FRIENDS OF LA SALLE COLLEGE (FOLSC) PARENT SOCIAL

The FOLSC are holding a parent social on Saturday 5 September at the Swan Italian Sporting Club, Francis Street, Middle Swan from 7:00 - 11:00 pm. It is following a black and white theme so get as dressed up or as dressed down as you feel.

This is an adults only function where you are encouraged to enjoy a social evening with members of our College community. The bar will be open (no BYO please) and you are asked to bring along your own nibbles. DJ music is provided and you can make song requests on the night. So come and dance the night away as you used to!!!

\$10 tickets can be bought from the College's Administration Office.



*Friends of La Salle College presents a*  
**"Parent Social"**

Following a Black & White theme (dress up or down)  
Saturday, 5 September 2009  
7:00pm to 11:00pm  
Swan Italian Sporting Club  
5 Francis Street, Middle Swan  
Great DJ music, Drinks for sale (no BYO please)  
BYO nibbles  
\$10 per ticket.  
Available from the College Administration Office





# CLICK ON!



**Ms Lindy Reger**  
Integration of ICT  
Across the Curriculum  
Coordinator  
Gifted & Talented  
Coordinator



**Ms Heather Gooden**  
Textiles and Fashion  
Teacher



**Ms Orietta Stokes**  
English Teacher

## ~ Cyber Safety ~

Be responsible for your cyber safety. In the last issue of the Delagram both students and parents were encouraged to visit Cybersmart and NetAlert, two Australian government sites dedicated to cyber safety. **Cybersmart** provides Internet safety activities and practical advice aimed at all age levels. Check out the resources for 'Young Kids', 'Kids', 'Teens' and 'Parents' and stay safe when online.

## ~ Book Week ~

Our Library staff have put together a great display for Book Week, the theme is 'Book Safari'. Check out **The Children's Book Council of Australia (CBCA)** site and find out the winners of the 2009 Book of the Year Awards.

## ~ Teens ~

Check out the links for teens at the [City of Swan - Libraries](#) and Ipswich's [Library and Information Services](#).

## ~ Green Awards ~

Congratulations to Jessica Gill and Laura Ryan - finalists in the NEWS.com.au Green Awards 2009. Please consider voting for Jess and Laura at <http://www.news.com.au/features/0..5019059.00.html> Wait for the page to load, click on the 'Junior Hero Vote' then 'Vote for your favourite' buttons. Voting closes 5:00 pm EST, 2 September.

**Ms Lindy Reger**  
Integration of ICT Across the  
Curriculum Coordinator  
Gifted & Talented Coordinator

# ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS

## APEX AUSTRALIA TEENAGE FASHION AWARDS UPDATE

Further to my article in the last Delagram, I am pleased to announce that Tahlia Burghall and Kara Cepo, Year 12, have both progressed to the state final of this prestigious competition. The students will strut the catwalk in their fantasy costumes on Sunday 20 September at the Hyatt Hotel. The other 5 participants in the heats - Ilona Fairbairn, Mary Louise Carbone, Alice Vella, Kiri Carvell and Danira Da Costa did not progress to the final but represented the College in an outstanding manner at their heats held in Forrest Place.

**Ms Heather Gooden**  
Textiles and Fashion Teacher

## LA SALLE READING CLUB WRITE-A-BOOK-IN-A-DAY COMPETITION UPDATE

A group of 10 Year 8 & 9 students from the La Salle Reading Group, *Insert Book Here* spent a day at the end of last term creating a book for the Write -A-Book In- A - Day competition. The book is entitled *Coming Back*.

The students had twelve hours to plan, draft, write, create images and publish a book of 4 000 words or more. The proceeds from the competition went to Princess Margaret Hospital.

Having seen the excellent final product, we were kindly granted permission for a print run of 200 copies. The excellent news for you is that we now have a limited number of copies available for students and parents to purchase!

We are asking for a gold coin donation in return for a beautifully presented, glossy, colour, soft cover booklet. All proceeds will go to purchasing stationery for Cassandra Enkel to take with her to Cambodia.

If you are interested in purchasing a copy of this book, please send your donation into school with your son or daughter who can purchase it from the Reading Club students in B13.

At only \$1 - \$2 this is a bargain buy! Please support our Reading Club students and also Cassandra in her Cambodian mission!

**Ms Orietta Stokes**  
English Teacher



# COMMITMENT EXCELLENCE

## GOOD LUCK NICHOLAS!

Good luck to Nicholas Graham-Dawson of Year 11 who will be competing in the Junior National Road Cycling Championships in Canberra in early September.





# ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS

## FEEDBACK MUSIC SOIREE

Recently my wife, Marian, and myself received an invitation to the 'La Salle Music Soiree'. Now let me explain we are not a musical family. My mother-in-law is a retired opera singer and all our children have been offered free lessons in singing, piano and even guitar. Unfortunately they share their parent's lack of hard work in this area. We have visited the Perth Concert Hall in the past and listened to the WA Orchestra from the choir chairs which has been most enjoyable but our exposure to 'good music' has been limited.

We were honoured to accept the invitation and were pleasantly surprised by what we witnessed on Friday 7 August in the St John Baptist Chapel. After a warm welcome we sat and listened to an excellent piano presentation from Michelle Welschbillig who during her hectic Year 12 schedule has had the time to master some difficult pieces. Jessica Del Borrello also played the piano brilliantly later in the night. It was wonderful to witness talented pianists being heard in the Chapel. Michelle and Jessica played with confidence and gusto.

Saxophone is not an instrument either of us has heard played solo. Katherine Bennison stood before us with joy showing from within her as she played two pieces. The many years playing in front of varied crowds showed she was very comfortable in front of an audience and the adult band she is intending joining will find an able and willing member.

Guitar is an instrument that I personally would love to play. Anastazija Embresic's strumming of her guitar was welcome music to our ears. Her hands moved quickly and effortlessly and produced some strong music from this difficult instrument. Her 7 years of study showed as she produced two excellent pieces.

Before we retired for a short break we had the pleasure of listening to some 'man made music' in the gorgeous voice of Claudia Gerencser, who has been singing since age 3, and it shows! Claudia 'nailed' her first piece which was evident from her expressions upon completion. That was pleasing to see - the performance she wanted to give was obviously met. Her second piece was the icing on the cake and was a really professional performance.

During a short break we mingled with the cast of performers and got to know some of their support staff, the teachers and family. Without these dedicated people, the students could not show us their talents and should be commended for their efforts both in the past and I am sure in the future.

We returned to the Chapel to find a xylophone and drum kit setup. Now we have heard Mitchell Shaw playing the drums before but not the difficult xylophone. He attacked it with his usual confidence and produced a very nice piece. It looked to me that having the drum kit next to him made him itch to play it and when he sat down to play his second piece he 'rocked'. The Chapel came alive with his exuberance and class as he enjoyed his favourite instrument - the drums.

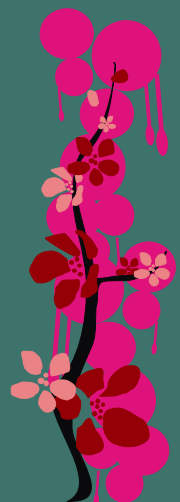
We had the pleasure of ending the evening with two piano pieces by Kieran Meier. His first piece, which we have not heard before, was played with confidence and appeared to be 'just a warm up' to his second piece which was Rachmaninov. I, myself, recognised the music as soon as he started. Kieran attacked the difficult piece with classic piano flare. He became one with the piano and made the Chapel move with his vibrant playing. It was a pleasure to watch and hear ... well done to not only Kieran but all the talented students on that night.

Mr Pepper summed up the night perfectly when he commented that "We see these students walking around the College every day and do not see the hidden talents they possess." Well on that winters night in the Chapel a grateful audience showed our final appreciation to the students for revealing to us their personal talents. We all felt privileged to witness their performances.

**Mr Geoff Enkel**  
La Salle College Board Member

## A PRAYER FOR TODAY

This is the beginning of a new day.  
God has given me this day to use as I will.  
I can waste it...or use it for good,  
But what I do today is important,  
Because I am exchanging a day of my life for it.  
When tomorrow comes, this day will be gone forever,  
Leaving in it's place something that I have traded for it.  
I want it to be gain, and not loss,  
Good and not evil,  
Success and not failure,  
In order that I shall not regret the price I have paid for it.  
Amen





# SPORT



Mr Ben Dyer  
Sport Coordinator

## SENIOR GIRLS BASKETBALL

Good luck to our Senior Girls Basketball team who, this coming Monday 31 August play in the grand final of the Perth Wildcats Schools Classic. We wish Sophie Doyle, Jenna Anania, Nicole Glanville, Ebony Talijancich, Rebecca Doyle, Kiri Gobald and Aimee Hearne all the best for a great game.

**Mr Ben Dyer**  
**Sport Coordinator**

## LA SALLE JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Congratulations to the U14s team on winning their elimination final against a gallant Mazenod team.

The match started in blustery but dry conditions with both teams unable to settle into any system for any length of time. The first half was a scrappy affair with Mazenod holding a 12 point advantage at the long break.

In the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter La Salle commenced to take the ball from the centre more easily than previously and with committed team play turned the 12 point deficit into a 6 point advantage.

Scoring the first goal of the last quarter definitely assisted their cause and we were never headed. It was a hard fought victory by a team that had not beaten their opponents over the past few years.

Whilst you could single out players for mention, it is a team game and that is how I would like the boys to remember it, each one contributed when it mattered and the one per centers count for much more than appreciated.

The final scores being: Mazenod 8:5 (53) to La Salle 10:10 (70)

Please come along and support the boys in continuing their finals journey on Sunday 30 August at Reid Oval starting at 10:20 am when we play Bassendean.

**Mr Stephen Lesk**  
**President La Salle Football Club**

## Myths about the Brain

### Your Brain Is Grey

Have you given any thought to the colour of your brain? Maybe not, unless you work in the medical field. We have all colours of the rainbow in our bodies in the form of blood, tissue, bone and other fluids. But you may have seen preserved brains sitting in jars in a classroom or on TV. Most of the time, those brains are a uniform white, grey or even yellowish. In actuality, though, the living, pulsing brain currently residing in your skull isn't just a dull, bland grey; it's also white, black and red.

Like many myths about the brain, this one has a grain of truth, because much of the brain is grey. Sometimes the entire brain is referred to as grey matter. Mystery writer Agatha Christie's famous detective Hercule Poirot often spoke of using his "little grey cells." Grey matter exists all throughout the various parts of the brain (as well as in the spinal cord); it consists of different types of cells, such as neurons. However, the brain also contains white matter, which comprises nerve fibres that connect the grey matter.

The black component is called substantia nigra, which is Latin for (you guessed it) "black substance." It's black because of neuromelanin, a specialised type of the same pigment that colours skin and hair, and it's a part of the basal ganglia. Finally, we have red and that's thanks to the many blood vessels in the brain. So why are preserved brains chalky looking and dull instead of spongy and colourful? It's due to the fixatives, such as formaldehyde, that keep the brain preserved.





**INVITATION TO FATHER ANGELO'S SILVER JUBILEE**

Help Fr Angelo celebrate his 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his ordination to the Priesthood on Sunday 6 September. Mass will be concelebrated at 9:30 am followed by morning tea in the Parish Hall. Please bring a plate to share. Tea, coffee and cold drinks will be provided.

**ST ANNE'S PARISH - BINDOON**

Come to the Visitation Youth group at St Anne's Parish in Bindoon. We usually get together at 3:30 pm on the first Sunday of every month. We start Mass and finish with a small supper but with Father's Day coming up it will be held on 12 September instead.

**ST BRIGID'S CHURCH MIDLAND**

**Fr Joseph Angelo**

*Corner Great Eastern Highway and Morrison Road*

Saturday Vigil	6:30 pm
Sunday	9:30 am and 6:00 pm
Children's Mass	9:30 am (Every second Sunday of the month)
Thursday Italian Mass	9:30 am
Reconciliation Saturday	11:00 am to 12 noon & 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

**ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH HERNE HILL**

**Fr Joseph Angelo**

*Great Northern Highway, Herne Hill*

Sunday	8:00 am
Children's Mass	8:00 am (Every second Sunday of the month)

**ST ANTHONY'S CHURCH - GREENMOUNT**

**Fr Karol Kulczycki**

*96 Innamincka Road*

Saturday	6:00 pm
Sunday	7:30 am, 9:00 am, 6:00 pm
Polish Mass Sunday	10:30 am
Youth Mass	6:00 pm (First Sunday of the month)
Reconciliation Saturday	10:00 am to 10:30 pm & 5:15 pm to 5:45 pm & any time on request

**GIDGEGANNUP COMMUNITY CHURCH GIDGEGANNUP**

**Fr Joseph Angelo**

*Toodyay Road*

First Sunday of the month 9:30 am

**GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH - LOCKRIDGE**

**Fr Francis Ly**

*Corner Morley Drive and Altone Road*

Saturday Vigil	6:30 pm
Sunday	8:00 am & 9:30 am
Reconciliation Saturday	8:30 to 9:00 am & 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm

**SACRED HEART CHURCH - MUNDARING**

**Fr Simon Carson**

*18 Coolgardie Street*

Saturday Vigil	6:30 pm
Sunday	9:15 am

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CHIDLOW**

*Wilcox Street & Northam Road*

Sunday	7:30 am
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**ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH - BASSENDEAN**

**Fr Jim Sheldon**

*19 Hamilton Street*

Saturday Vigil	6:30 pm
Sunday	7:00 am & 9:00 am

**ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH MAIDA VALE**

**Fr Stephen Durkin**

*Corner of Hawtin & Lilian Roads*

Saturday Vigil	6:30 pm
Sunday	8:00 am, 9:30 am & 6:00 pm

**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH KALAMUNDA**

**Fr Paul Raj**

*2 Burt Street*

Saturday Vigil	6:30 pm
Sunday	7:30 am & 9:00 am (Children's Mass)
Reconciliation Saturday	5:45 to 6:15 pm
Italian Mass	11:00 am (Last Sunday of the month)

**LOCAL PARISH INFORMATION**





# CALENDAR & CANTEEN ROSTER

**WEEK 7 & 8**

\* *Canteen Volunteers*  
In italics & underlined

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

**Thank you.**

Sun 30 Aug	Mon 31 Aug	Tues 1 Sept	Wed 2 Sept	Thurs 3 Sept	Fri 4 Sept	Sat 5 Sept
<b>WEEK 7</b>			BLESSED SOLOMON'S FEAST DAY  SOLOMON HOUSE MASS	YEAR 11 AIT ABC STUDIO TOUR	<b>FATHERS' DAY MASS</b>  PARA SOCCER EXCURSION	<b>FOLSC SOCIAL</b>
	<i>W Turner</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	
<b>----- POVERTY IMMERSION -----</b>						
Sun 6 Sept	Mon 7 Sept	Tues 8 Sept	Wed 9 Sept	Thurs 10 Sept	Fri 11 Sept	Sat 12 Sept
<b>WEEK 8</b>  <b>YEAR 10 BIG GIG THIS WEEK</b>	YEAR 10 TOUCHING HEARTS DUE  CATHOLIC PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL CONCERT HALL 7:15PM  YEAR 12 EGS EXCURSION	YEAR 11 CFC EXCURSION	CARNEVALE  LA SALLE HOUSE YEAR 12 FAREWELL MASS	YEAR 11 BIO FIELD TRIP  YEAR 10 TOUCHING HEARTS PROGRAMME CLOSES  YEARS 8 - 10 & 12 ASSEMBLIES	YEAR 11 ASSEMBLY  SENIOR TOUCHING HEARTS PROJECT BEGINS	
	<i>V Beerkens</i>	<i>L Hocking</i>	<i>G O'Farrell</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### SWAN VIEW JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB

Summer is not far away and the Swan View Junior Cricket Club has places available in most grades from U9s through to U17s, but be quick because places are filling fast. Our club focuses on participation, skill development and having fun. Contact Pat Quinlivan on 9399 0147(w) or 9294 2649 after 6pm for enquiries.

### LEE OLIVER'S TENNIS COACHING

Tennis lessons for children aged 4-16, all abilities welcome. Saturday mornings at Darlington and Friday afternoons at Helena Valley. Heaps of fun and great tennis! For more information, contact Lee or Lu on 9252 0209 or lolivers@bigpond.com

### SWAN DISTRICTS JUNIOR BASEBALL CLUB PLAYERS WANTED

Registrations are now being taken for the upcoming season. Pre-season training and team tryouts begin in early September and the season opens the 1<sup>st</sup> week of October. The home field is Ron Jose Oval, Midvale.

U'13 - 1<sup>st</sup> May 1997 to 31 April 1999  
U'15 - 1<sup>st</sup> May 1995 to 31 April 1997  
U'17 - 1<sup>st</sup> May 1993 to 31 April 1995

For more information and/or to get registration underway, please contact Club Registrar Sonia Tuxworth 9294 4787 or 0419 931 813, President Marina Brennan 9250 6508 or 0422 522 463 or Club Development Coach Xavier Sequeira 0447 964 813. See you on the diamond!

### ACADEMIC TASK FORCE TEE REVISION COURSES

October holiday programme covers study skills and subject courses for Years 11 & 12s. Venues north and south of the river with small groups, expert teachers & individual help. For more information contact Dr Pam Bagworth or Dr Robert Hallam at Academic Task Force on 9317 4421.

### FOOTHILLS SUMMER NETBALL COMPETITION

Wednesday night competition from modified sub-juniors to seniors & mixed teams commencing on 14/10 through to 16/12. Register in person on Saturday's from 29/8 to 18/9 at the Foothills Clubrooms, corner of Midland & Ridge Hills Roads, Maida Vale. Enquiries to Kerry Randell on 0403 917 989, match office 9454 7299 or email foothillsna@bigpond.com

### SEE WA'S BEST GARDENS & SUPPORT THE AMANDA YOUNG FOUNDATION

See the state's best gardens for a small fee and support the Amanda Young Foundation. Visit 'Congella' - Winner of the State's greatest garden competition for 2009 at 39 Orange Valley Rd, Kalamunda on 10 & 11 October from 10:00 am to 4:30 pm. Entry is \$6. Afternoon tea and plants for sale with part proceeds to the foundation. Visit 'Romancing the Stone' - Runner up of the competition at 3 Lillian Road, Maida Vale on 10 & 11 October from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Entry is \$6. Afternoon tea, plants, stalls and sausage sizzle with all proceeds to the foundation.