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Fortnightly newsletter



St John Baptist de La Salle

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## FROM THE PRINCIPAL

*Mr Wayne Bull*



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### CATHOLIC SCHOOLS DO MORE WITH LESS

Catholic schools have been providing a quality education for Australian children for over 180 years.

There are 1 700 Catholic schools in Australia, with an enrolment of almost 704 000 students. One in five Australian school students are educated in a Catholic school. In the upcoming funding debate and the Federal Election it is important to know this essential fact:

**When all forms of government funding are considered (that is, both federal and state), Catholic school students receive substantially less funding per student than government school students.**

As parents, teachers, students and friends of the Catholic schools sector, you are aware that some of this gap is made up by contributions from parents and parishes through fees and levies. However, Catholic schools strive to keep fees low so that schools remain accessible to all.

Any claims that Catholic schools get more government funding than public schools are transparently wrong and should be challenged.

**Mr Wayne Bull**  
Principal

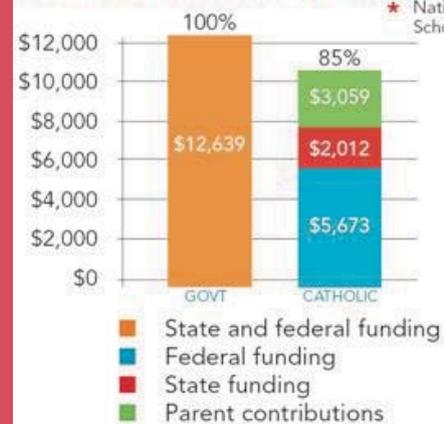


### FUNDING OF CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

No child is ever denied a Catholic education because of their family's financial situation. On average, Catholic schools operate at about 85% of the resourcing level of government schools, even when parent contributions are taken into account.

#### AVERAGE RESOURCING LEVELS GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS AND AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS \*

\* National Report on Schooling 2008



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### PASSING OF FR STEPHEN DURKIN

It is with sadness that I report on the sad passing of Fr Stephen Durkin, Parish Priest of St Francis of Assisi Parish in Maida Vale. Fr Steve passed away on Tuesday 13 July. We extend our sympathies to all parishioners of Maida Vale and the school community of Matthew Gibney Primary school. May he rest in peace.



### INVITATION BLESSING & OFFICIAL OPENING OF NEWEST COLLEGE FACILITIES

An invitation is extended to the whole Lasallian community to the official blessing and opening of the Fr Laurence Murphy SDS Senior Learning Centre, Michael Ciccarelli Lecture Theatre and the Patricia Rodrigues Centre on Friday 13 August at 7:30 pm. Monsignor Kevin Long, Rector of St Charles' Seminary will bless the facilities and Mr Ron Dullard, Director of Catholic Education in WA will officially open the facilities. If you haven't had the chance to view these outstanding facilities yet, you are most welcome to attend on the night. Outdoor Education students will be in action on the abseiling tower and Arts students will be performing a number of their Catholic Performing Arts acts. If you would like to attend, please phone the College Office to advise us of your attendance.

### ABSENTEEISM ATHLETICS CARNIVAL & STOMP

It was extremely disappointing to see the number of student absences at both the Athletics Carnival and Stomp last term. These events are very important in the College calendar and the poor rate of attendance, more so in some year groups than others, was unacceptable. I urge parents and students to support the College in all events and remind you of the Enrolment Agreement that you signed when entering the College.

### MELBOURNE & NEW ZEALAND TOURS

During the recent holidays we had a large number of students represent the College on the Melbourne Tour involving football, netball and debating. I was privileged to be able to join the students on the tour and was able to witness their fine representation of the College. It was great to see them really enjoy themselves. Joe Sorgiovanni was overjoyed with the College winning the Br Eric Pigott Cup for the first time. Thank you to Joe Sorgiovanni, Chris Vlahov, Rachael Keenan, Alessandra Hardwick and Donna Gava for the preparation of the students before the tour and for supporting and supervising them in Melbourne.

My thanks also are extended to John Gill, Peter Vitalich, Taryn Mohen and Kylie Paskov for giving up their time during their holidays to accompany approximately 40 students on the cultural tour of the south island of New Zealand. From all accounts the tour was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

### YEAR 12 WACE PARENT/STUDENT INFORMATION EVENING

Thank you to the parents and students who attended Monday's WACE information evening. I would like to remind students that staff are here to support you and urge you to take advantage of the revision seminars and the staff who offer after school tuition in helping you to improve your results.

### PARENT/TEACHER/STUDENT INTERVIEWS

A very successful series of meetings were held on Tuesday between students, parents and teachers. Such gatherings are an invaluable opportunity for teachers to provide positive and constructive feedback to students on their performance to date. Over 1 400 appointments were made by parents for interviews with staff. My thanks to Danny Battistessa for his coordination of this event.

### HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME

The number of students taking holidays during term time has recently, significantly increased and I would like to remind parents of the impact this may have on their child's progress.

*The College recognizes the educational benefits of overseas travel and the importance to families of periodic reunions however:*

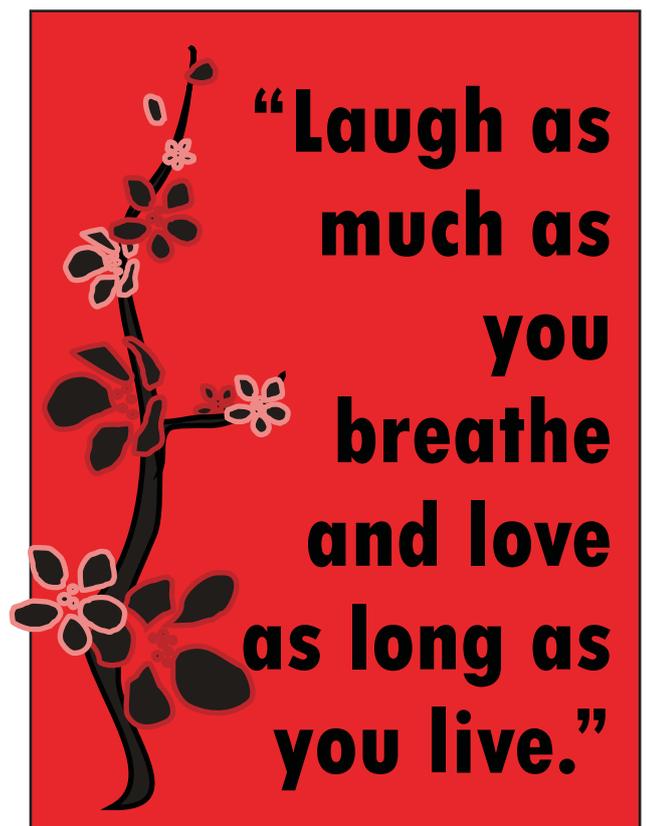
- *If parents wish to take extended family holidays, they are encouraged to arrange for these to occur during the school holidays.*
- *Extended holidays during school time usually prevents a student from completing the course content and from being assessed. Such holidays usually create a break in the sequence of learning which makes it difficult for the student to resume their studies without some additional tuition.*

### 21<sup>ST</sup> ANNUAL CATHOLIC PERFORMING ARTS FESTIVAL

The annual Festival for performing arts students in Catholic schools opened with Mass last Friday. This is a huge event with 18 000 entries received from over 100 Catholic school around Western Australia. The Festival is a wonderful showcase of the amazing talents of students in Catholic schools. As usual, we have a very strong representation in Dance, Drama, Choir and Music. Further details will follow over the coming month.

**STOP PRESS:** Congratulations to Pia Schelfout who has been awarded an Honourable Mention in the Secondary Piano Performance of the Festival.

**Mr Wayne Bull**  
Principal





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



## YEAR 12 STUDENTS - WACE EXAMS (formerly TEE)

The WACE exams (written papers) begin on Monday 1 November and conclude with the Dance 2A/2B exam on Monday 22 November.

Students studying Dance, Drama and Physical Education Studies also have a practical component to the WACE exam. These begin on 25 September. A copy of the 2010 WACE exams timetable 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)

## YEAR 12 STUDENTS & PARENTS

The link to the powerpoint presentation from the Yr 12 WACE exam information night is located at [www.lasalle.wa.edu.au](http://www.lasalle.wa.edu.au) below the Parent Resources tab.

**Mr Rino Randazzo**  
Vice Principal

## INTER-HOUSE DANCE COMPETITION

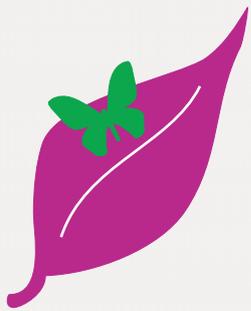
The Annual Inter-House Dance Competition is an event that gives students the opportunity to express their creativity by telling a story through dance and music. Students from each of our seven Houses are already busily rehearsing for what will be a very exciting event. This year's competition will take place at 7:00 pm on Sunday 19 September at the Perth Concert Hall.

The performances are completely student run productions. The students choreograph, rehearse, and create costumes and props all in their own time. Within each House, a dance team was formed early in Term 2 and they worked together to decide upon a theme that was important to them. The teams then selected appropriate music, which was then edited to create a seven to eight minute piece for their production. The event relies on the dedication and hard work of the many talented students and staff in each House with everyone involved giving up a considerable amount of their time for rehearsals each week.

This year's event will be supported by a number of our very talented singers and musicians who will perform between each of the House acts.

Tickets for the Inter-House Dance competition will be on sale from Monday 16 August and the ticket order form will be attached to the next Delagram. I look forward to seeing you at the Perth Concert Hall for what should be a very entertaining and close fought competition between the Houses.

**Mr Michael Pepper**  
Assistant Principal



*Mr Rino Randazzo*  
Vice Principal



*Mr Michael Pepper*  
Assistant Principal



# CAREERS



Ms Nicole Huggins  
Careers,  
VET/ONSITE Coordinator

## LODGING YOUR 2009-10 TAX RETURN - HELP & ASSISTANCE

Tax Help is a free community service available from July to October each year to assist low income earners including seniors, students, people from non- English speaking backgrounds and Indigenous Australians. Call **13 28 61** to see if you are eligible to use this service or to make an appointment at your nearest Tax Help centre.

If people have questions or need assistance they should visit the ATO website [www.ato.gov.au](http://www.ato.gov.au) or phone the ATO on **13 28 61** between 8:00 am and 6:00 pm weekdays. The ATO can provide you a more personalised service if you provide your tax file number when you call.

## 2011 ONSITE APPLICATIONS

Current Year 10 and 11 students who would like to join the ONSITE programme next year are informed that applications are now open. Students who would like to join the programme including current Year 11 students already completing the ONSITE programme are asked to collect application packages from Ms Waller at the Careers Centre. ONSITE allows students to attend La Salle for four days each week and the fifth day (every Tuesday) is spent in a workplace of their choice. They complete two different work placements each year so they can try two different industries/employers/job roles. There is a cost associated with the programme and information is contained within the application package. Current Year 10 and 11 students considering TAFE studies, apprenticeships or employment upon leaving school are urged to seriously consider the ONSITE programme, as it will provide valuable experience, networking and, in the case of TAFE, selection criteria points to assist with students attaining their post-school goals. Students considering ONSITE in 2011 **MUST** select the Workplace Learning Course as part of their study programme for next year. Applications are due to Ms Waller no later than Wednesday 1 September 2010 as selection interviews are scheduled to take place on Wednesday 15 September 2010. For further information, please do not hesitate to contact Ms Waller or myself at the College.

## MYCLASSES

Just a quick reminder to all students and parents to continue monitoring the notices placed on the Careers pages on the MyClasses website. MyClasses can be accessed through the "Links" page on the La Salle College home page and requires the student's La Salle IT username and password to logon. There is currently a casual job at the Mallard Duck Cafe advertised, Westrac apprenticeship opportunities, University Open Days and much more. Please develop a habit that sees you checking this page on a weekly basis so as not to miss valuable career development news and opportunities.

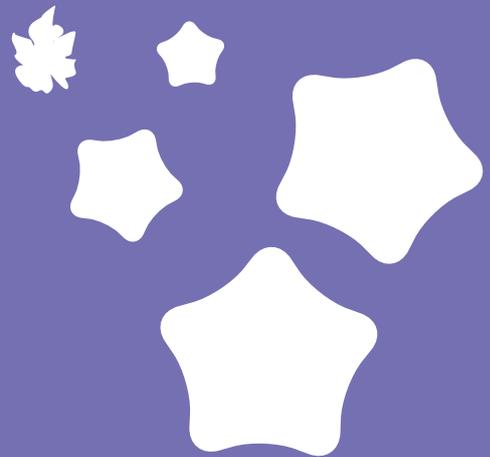
## UWA INFORMATION SESSION FOR PARENTS OF YEAR 10 & 11 STUDENTS

From 2012, The University of Western Australia will introduce a new streamlined course structure, preparing graduates for the challenges of a changing world.

To learn more about the University's new course structure, parents of Year 10 and 11 students are invited to attend a free information session on Wednesday 28 July at 6:30 pm in the Alexander Lecture Theatre - Arts Building, UWA.

As seats are limited, registration is essential. See <http://www.newcourses2012.uwa.edu.au/event/s/parents> for information and to register.

Ms Nicole Huggins  
Careers, VET/ONSITE Coordinator



## COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE



### CONGRATULATIONS BOYD!

Congratulations to Boyd Duffield, Year 10 who has been competing in the Australian National Indoor Cricket Championships this week as part of the WA Lord Taverners team. This is the third consecutive year that Boyd has competed in this adult competition.



### CONGRATULATIONS ZANAMARICA & SYNARAH!

Congratulations to Year 11s, Zanamarica Bodey and Synarah Murphy who over this past week have been representing WA in the State School Girls AFL team at the National Schools Championships here in Perth.



# COUNSELLORS CORNER



Ms Shannon Steven  
School Counsellor  
(Psychologist)



Ms Beth Maas  
School Counsellor  
(Social Worker)

Friday 23 July was Lifeline's National Stress down day. Stress is a serious issue in our community, affecting 90% of Australians. In addition 43% of us experience unhealthy levels of stress according to Lifeline's recent Stress Poll. So take a day off from stress! Please look at some of the tips and strategies below and enjoy the STRESS DOWN experience

- **Look after yourself.** Take the time to exercise regularly and eat well.
- **Be kind to yourself.** Take some time out. Light a candle, take a long bath, go for a walk, get a massage, say a prayer and do some meditation, relaxation or breathing exercises.
- **Prioritise.** What is really important?
- **Make time for family and friends.** They are your support networks.
- **Plan.** If there is a situation which you know will cause you some stress or anxiety plan ahead.
- **Talk Sense to yourself.** Stay positive, don't engage in "unhelpful thinking", like *things will never get better, I can't do this.* Instead say *I'm ok. I can do this. I will look for solutions. I will ask for help.* Keep a list of affirmations handy.
- **Talk.** Talk with your friends and family. Let them know how you are feeling. It is ok to ask for help.
- **Allocate time.** Make time for activities that you enjoy.
- **Laugh.** Laughing increases good brain chemicals...and works out your abs!! Even if you don't feel like laughing do it. You will soon feel better.
- **Say no.** Be assertive in your communications. If you really can't take more things on then don't!
- **Work smarter not harder.** Good time management means quality work rather than quantity. Get a work-life balance that suits you. Working smarter means prioritising your work, concentrating on the tasks that will make a real difference to your work. Leave the least important tasks to last, accept that there will always be more to do the next day.
- **Accept the things you cannot change.** Worrying about the immutable is not beneficial. If it cannot be changed why worry? Focus on the things that you can change. On the things that **YOU** have control over.

For more information on Stress Down Day or to make a donation to Lifeline please go to: [http://www.stressdown.org.au/managing\\_stress](http://www.stressdown.org.au/managing_stress) or Call Kids Helpline 1800 55 1800 or lifeline on 13 11 14 or if you need more strategies or information. Please also look at their websites: <http://www.lifeline.org.au/> or <http://www.kidshelp.com.au/kids/>

**Ms Shannon Steven - School Counsellor (Psychologist)**  
**Ms Beth Maas - School Counsellor (Social Worker)**

## Year 7s

### YEAR 7 REFLECTION DAYS

In Week 4 of Term 3 the Year 7 students will be involved in a Reflection Day. The day has been carefully designed to extend and enrich the Religious Education programme. The Reflection Days will take place at La Salle College and will be run by Brother Anthony Cummins who is a De La Salle Brother, Director of Youth Ministry for the Southern Region. Students will attend on one of the five days depending on their Mathematics class.

- Monday 9 August 2010: Ms Murphy's and Ms Cusack's classes
- Tuesday 10 August 2010: Mr White's and Ms Elliott's classes
- Wednesday 11 August 2010: Ms Isaacs and Ms Churchman's classes
- Thursday 12 August 2010: Ms Anderson's and Ms Kent's classes
- Friday 13 August 2010: Ms Clarke's class

Students are to arrive at school as for a normal day and attend PCG for roll call. They will be dismissed at 3:07 pm. Students are to wear their Physical Education Uniform with House Shirt only on the day they are attending.

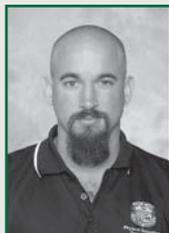
**Ms Donna Isaacs**  
**Year 7 Coordinator**



Ms Donna Isaacs  
Year 7 Coordinator



Mr Paul Morris  
Year 9 Coordinator



Mr Peter Sackett  
Year 10 Coordinator



Ms Taryn Mohen  
Academic Excellence  
Coordinator

## ➔ Year 9s

### YEAR 9 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

Parents of Year 9 students are invited to a parent information evening regarding subject selections for 2011. The evening will explain new courses and offers parents the opportunity to speak with Learning Area Coordinators.

**Wednesday 11 August @ 7:00 pm in the  
Nicolas Barre Auditorium**

I look forward to seeing you there.

**Mr Paul Morris  
Year 9 Coordinator**

## ➔ Year 10s

### YEAR 10 PARENT INFORMATION EVENING

A reminder to all parents about the information evening on **Monday 2 August** in the **Patricia Rodrigues Centre** (gym) commencing at **7:00 pm**. Essential information regarding the subject selection process and how your child is impacted as they journey through senior school, will be disseminated during the presentation. Please make every effort to attend this important session. Year 10 students are also encouraged to attend.

**Mr Peter Sackett  
Year 10 Coordinator**

## ➔ Year 12s

### YEAR 12 WACE REVISION COURSES

During August and September, a number of WACE revision courses will be run at the College on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons from 4:30 - 7:30 pm. These courses are organised by Hands On Tuition and are run by experienced school teachers (not La Salle staff) who have prepared students for the WACE in their specific subject area over several years.

All students who will be sitting the WACE exams are strongly encouraged to attend these sessions in order to revise for the exams. Students will also be given comprehensive lecture notes provided by the tutors.

Courses normally cost approximately \$120 but the College is subsidising the cost to \$60 for the two part sessions. Please fill in the form attached to the Delagram and return to Ms Mohen ASAP as the first course begins on Monday 2 August. Parents will be invoiced for the cost of the sessions during Term 3 (note you will be required to pay for missed sessions unless a medical certificate is provided).

Any questions please see Ms Mohen or Ms Noble.

**Ms Taryn Mohen  
Academic Excellence Coordinator**

### WACE PE STUDY REVISION

Students studying the stage 2 or 3 Physical Education Course of Study might be interested in having a look at the website [www.pestudiesrevisionseminars.com.au](http://www.pestudiesrevisionseminars.com.au) for details of revision courses that will be run in Term 3 in preparation for the WACE exam. Any enquiries can be sent to [admin@pestudiesrevisionseminars.com.au](mailto:admin@pestudiesrevisionseminars.com.au) or by ringing Jonika on 0433 540 465 if you have a general enquiry, or David on 0413 342 999 if you have any course specific enquiries.

### SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CHILDREN OF VETERANS INTENDING TERTIARY STUDIES IN 2011

In 2011 the Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust (AVCAT) is expecting to give financial assistance for up to 65 students under many different scholarship schemes. All schemes help the selected children in need of the Australian veteran community with the costs of tertiary education. Applicants are considered for all schemes for which they are eligible.

Applications open on 18 August 2010.  
To apply you must be:

- a. Within the means test. That is eligible on assets and income grounds for Youth Allowance benefits for full-time education.
- b. Enrolled, or planning to enrol in a full-time course of tertiary education in Australia by attendance at a university, TAFE or college. The course must be of one or more academic years length and at undergraduate level.
- c. The child or grandchild of a person who has operational service with the Australian Navy, Army or Air Force, or if not has three or more year's continuous full-time service as a member of the Australian Defence Force.
- d. Under the age of 25 when applying, unless exceptional circumstances related to veteran's service exist.

For more information, please see the attachment to the Delagram.





# ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS



Ms Maria Bochrinis  
Uniform Shop Manager



Ms Orietta Stokes  
English Teacher



Ms Lauren Clarke  
Science & Maths Teacher

## **UNIFORM SHOP**

The Uniform Shop is open on Mondays and Wednesdays from 7:30 am to 1:30 pm unless otherwise noted in the Delagram.

**Ms Maria Bochrinis**  
Uniform Shop Manager

## **WARMTH IN WINTER APPEAL**

**DID YOU KNOW** there are 99 900 homeless people in Australia with a huge 5 700 of those living in Western Australia alone? As a part of Ms Panetta's Year 11 Children, Family and Community class, we are collecting a number of items for the **WARMTH IN WINTER APPEAL**.

We would appreciate items such as blankets, sleeping bags, thin mattresses, jumpers/jackets, beanies, gloves/scarves. Items may be second hand. If so, prior washing of all items would be very much appreciated. All items can be dropped into the decorated wheelie bin in the foyer of the Senior Learning Centre.

Donations need to be collected by Friday 27 August (end of week 6). We look forward to seeing all your generous support.

**Year 11 Children, Family and Community class**

## **NATIONAL SELF-DETECTION PROGRAMME FOR SCOLIOSIS YEARS 7 & 9 GIRLS**

July/August are the months when it is recommended that girls in Years 7 and 9 participate in the National Self-Detection Programme (NSDP) by downloading the self-detection brochure from [http://www.scoliosis-australia.org/pdfs/self\\_detection\\_brochure.pdf](http://www.scoliosis-australia.org/pdfs/self_detection_brochure.pdf)

## **BOOKS 'R' US (Year 7/8 Reading Club)**

This semester saw the birth of our second reading club, Books 'r' us. This team has already been meeting for a term and its focus so far has been the MS Readathon, which raises money to assist people with Multiple Sclerosis, the most common, disabling, neurological condition to affect young adults in the world today.

The students have signed up online as a team and have been studiously reading whilst also putting forward fundraising proposals to Mr Bull.

There is still time to get involved in the 2010 MS Readathon Great Wildlife Adventure and help the 20 000 Australians living with this mysterious disease! Register today to come on Australia's most wild reading adventure! Here's how:

**Click** online to register and receive a very cool **MS Readathon wristband and K Zone or Total Girl magazine** or collect a registration form from school, fill it out and send it to us:

**Flick** through books for any 30 days in June, July and August. **Collect** sponsorship donations from family and friends and collect some cool rewards **Visit our website for great fundraising ideas, the hot tip on what to read, cool competitions and check out our awesome reading rewards.**

**Visit** [www.msreadathon.org.au](http://www.msreadathon.org.au) or call 1300 677 323 for more details.

Books 'r' us meets Thursday lunchtimes in B12. All new members welcome.

Insert Book Here (Year 9/10 Reading Club) meets on Tuesdays at lunchtime in L1.

**Ms Orietta Stokes**  
English Teacher

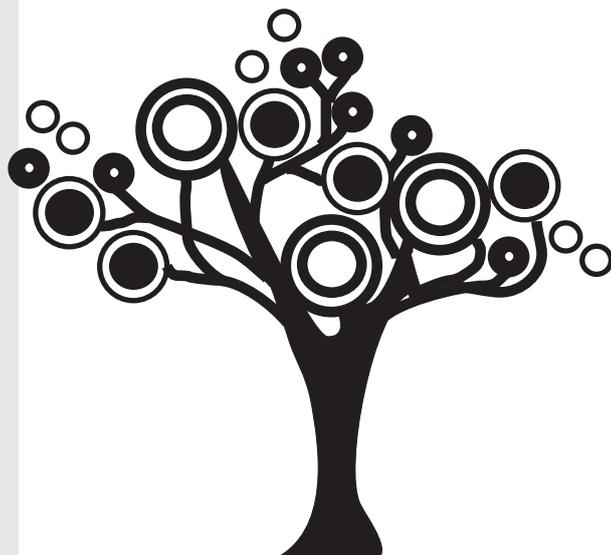
## **HOUSE POINTS NEWS**

The struggle for the lead for this year's Tom Campbell Cup has become an epic battle with Houses clawing away at the lead and gnashing at the points. La Salle House logic is giving them the academic edge over others and the masterful muscles of Mutien have seen the undoing of Mr Sorgiovanni's Svelte Solomon in both swimming and athletics. Brigid House is bestowing upon us beautiful service to our College and the Lasallian Foundation. This means the current leader board looks like this:

- 1<sup>st</sup> McCormack, 1931 points
- 2<sup>nd</sup> La Salle, 1889 points
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Mutien, 1813 points
- 4<sup>th</sup> Benildus, 1492 points
- 5<sup>th</sup> Brigid, 1450 points
- 6<sup>th</sup> Solomon, 1212 points
- 7<sup>th</sup> MacKillop, 900 points

Keep an eye out for updates in future Delagrams and students can check out the electronic notice board outside the staffroom.

**Ms Lauren Clarke**  
Science & Maths Teacher





# SPORT



**Mr Ben Dyer**  
Sport Coordinator



**Ms Alicia Keating**  
Student Representative  
Council Coordinator

## MUTIEN BACK TO BACK IN ATHLETICS!

It was a case of Mutien first and daylight second in the Inter-House Athletics carnival held in perfect conditions at the Ern Clark Centre late last term. Mutien's strong team of athletes shot to an early lead and held their advantage throughout the programme, running out convincing winners over McCormack and La Salle. Congratulations to Mr White and his talented group who will now be aiming for a third consecutive title in 2011. Mr Palmer of Brigid House was a popular winner of the Staff Gift.

Results:



Overall
Mutien 2411
McCormack 2244
La Salle 2196
Solomon 2151
Brigid 2058
Benildus 1931

A more detailed report will be published in the upcoming Western Lasallian. Many thanks to the PE Learning Area for their tremendous assistance in the running and organisation of the carnival and to our fantastic crew of parent helpers whose help is always greatly appreciated at all our carnivals.

**Mr Ben Dyer**  
Sport Coordinator

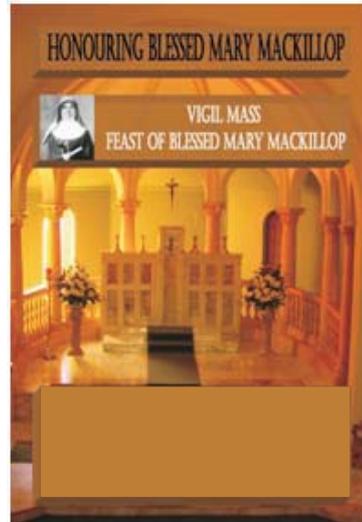
## STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

### SRC LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

Students aspiring to positions of leadership in 2011 are asked to attend a Leadership Seminar at the College next week. The seminar will take place in the Senior Learning Centre on Wednesday 4 August from 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm. The seminar will be supervised by staff and is designed to give students an insight into what it means to be a leader and what is expected of them as a leader at the College. It will also outline the structure of the College Student Representative Council for 2011 and inform students on how they can apply for a position.

Attendance is required if students wish to be part of the 2011 SRC, so please encourage your child to return their permission slip by this Tuesday if they wish to attend. If you have any further questions about the Leadership Seminar feel free to contact me at the College.

**Ms Alicia Keating**  
SRC Coordinator



ALL VERY WELCOME  
6.15 PM SATURDAY,  
7TH AUGUST

FOLLOWED BY SUPPER  
ST JOSEPH CHAPEL  
16 YORK STREET,  
SOUTH PERTH  
PH: 9334 0999



**Ms Lindy Reger**  
Integration of ICT  
Across the Curriculum  
Coordinator

~ **Check out WorldWide Telescope (WWT)** ~ a joint venture by Microsoft and NASA WorldWide Telescope enables your computer to function as a virtual telescope with seamless panning and zooming across the night sky and narrated guided tours from astronomers and educators. Visit the WWT site at <http://www.worldwidetelescope.org/Home.aspx> and also check out the detailed images of Mars.

~ **Check out Tagxedo** ~ similar to Wordle, Tagxedo turns words, famous speeches, news articles, slogans and themes into tag clouds that highlight the frequency of words through appropriately sized words. Visit <http://www.tagxedo.com/>.

~ **Check out Photostory** ~ thanks to Sandra Purcell for recommending this free software download from Microsoft. Create slideshows using your own digital photos, add special effects and transitions, add soundtracks or create your own voice narrations. Go to <http://www.microsoft.com/windowsxp/using/digitalphotography/photostory/default.mspx> and download Microsoft Photostory 3 for free!

**Ms Lindy Reger**  
Integration of ICT Across the Curriculum Coordinator



# 25<sup>TH</sup> Annual Art Exhibition & Sale raffle



Ms Sabrina Lynsdale  
Executive Assistant  
(Marketing & Public Relations)

## ART RAFFLE TICKETS

Art Raffle tickets have now been posted to all families. Your assistance in selling a book of five tickets to raise funds for student art resources at La Salle College as part of the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Exhibition and Sale - *A Silver Celebration* is greatly appreciated.

The raffle consists of the following choices:

### **Kakadu**

Framed donated by Fran Van de Meeberg \$750

### **Queensland**

Box canvas donated by Fran Van de Meeberg \$650

### **Poppies**

Framed donated by Richard Bristow \$650

### **Kimberley Sunset**

Framed donated by Jeannette Della \$640

Tickets will be drawn on Sunday 10 October in the Patricia Rodrigues Centre at 4:00 pm at the conclusion of the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Exhibition and Sale.

We would appreciate the return of money and ticket butts to me by **Friday 27 August** in the return envelope. Should you have any queries, please contact me at the College by phone or email [sly@lasalle.wa.edu.au](mailto:sly@lasalle.wa.edu.au)

We thank you for your support in ensuring the raffle is a success.

**Ms Sabrina Lynsdale**  
Executive Assistant  
(Marketing & Public Relations)



*Kakadu*



*Queensland*



*Poppies*



*Kimberley Sunset*

**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 Adam Babinski***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
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**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 Elver Delicano***18 Coolgardie Street*

Saturday (Reconciliation)	9:00 am
Saturday	8:30 am
Saturday (Vigil)	6:00 pm
Sunday	9:15 am

**OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL - CHIDLOW***Wilcox Street & Northam Road*

Sunday (Rosary)	7:00 am
Sunday (Mass)	7:30 am
Reconciliation	7:00 am
(3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month)	

**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***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 3 & 4

\* Canteen Volunteers  
In italics & underlined

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

Thank you.

Sun 1 August	Mon 2 August	Tues 3 August	Wed 4 August	Thurs 5 August	Fri 6 August	Sat 7 August
<b>WEEK 3</b>	VET 2010 STAFF VALID'N PREP DAY YR 11 PHO FIELD TRIP CLASS 2 YR 11 2011 INFORMATION EVENING	YR 9 ITA ALC TEST	MACKILLOP HOUSE MASS SRC LEADERSHIP SEMINAR <i>Angie &amp; Lisa</i>	AUST MATHS COMP YR 11 LASALLIAN STUDENT LEADERS TRAINING <i>L Harvey</i>	YR 8 INDO CAFÉ EXPERIENCE YR 11 FURN EXCURSION (ALL DAY)	
	YR 9 WAMSE TESTING					
Sun 8 August	Mon 9 August	Tues 10 August	Wed 11 August	Thurs 12 August	Fri 13 August	Sat 14 August
<b>WEEK 4</b>	TOUCHING HEARTS YR 7 BEGINS YR 12 2011 INFORMATION EVENING		BENILDUS HOUSE MASS		YR 12 ECO WORKSHOP OPENING OF THE NEW COLLEGE BUILDINGS 7.30PM ALL LASALLIAN COMMUNITY MEMBERS WELCOME	
	Yrs 7 REFLECTION					

# COMMUNITY NEWS

### SWAN VIEW JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB REGISTRATION DAY

Calling all potential future test stars and kids that want to have some fun this summer. Registration day is Sat, **14 August 2010, 2:00 to 4:00 pm** at the Bruce Douglas Pavilion, Brown Park (Salisbury Road, Swan View). Our club focuses on participation, skill development and fun. Contact Pat Quinlivan on 9399 0147 w or 9294 2649 h (after 6:00 pm) for enquiries.

### KALAMUNDA RANGERS

Register now for our summer season of Softball and Baseball. Softball U13 Sub Juniors, U16 Juniors, Ladies and Mixed Social. Baseball U13 Little League, U15, U17, U19, Senior Competition & Social. Registration Days are 7 & 14 August 2010, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm & 11 August from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm at Maida Vale Reserve, Ridge Hill Road, Maida Vale. For further enquiries please contact: Softball Bec: 0427 177 350.

### PARENTS & FRIENDS FEDERATION OF WA

Due to many of our parents being involved in meetings with Politicians with regards to the Federal Election Strategy for funding in Catholic schools we have decided to put the Position Paper night back to September with the date to be confirmed. We apologise for any inconvenience and look forward to seeing you at that night for your input on positions as advertised last week. Don't forget to support your school initiatives around securing sustainable funding for Catholic schools. website: [www.pff.wa.edu.au](http://www.pff.wa.edu.au)

### HILLS NIGHT HOCKING ASSOCIATION 2010/2011 SEASON

Season commences in October for all players pre-primary to seniors. Registration night is Tuesday 3 August at the Mundaring Sporting Club, Coolgardie St, Mundaring from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm so get a few friends and make up a team. First fixtures will be issued at the AGM on 14 September. Player nomination forms and more details are available from your Team Manager or Club Secretary. Team nomination forms and information is available from the Association Secretary Bonnie MacKay on 9295 1910 or email at [bonnie-mack@hotmail.com](mailto:bonnie-mack@hotmail.com)

### SWAN DISTRICTS JUNIOR BASEBALL CLUB - PLAYERS WANTED

Registrations are now being taken for the upcoming season. Registration Days will be August 7, 14, 21, and 28 from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm at Ron Jose Oval, Grey Drive Midvale (Behind Swan Aquatic). Age groups are:-  
U'13 - 1st May 1998 to 31 April 2000  
U'15 - 1st May 1996 to 31 April 1998  
U'17 - 1st May 1994 to 31 April 1996  
For more information and/or to get registration underway, please contact Club registrar Sonia Tuxworth 0419 931 732 or President Marina Brennan 9250 6508 or 0422 522 463. Email [brennanpm@bigpond.com](mailto:brennanpm@bigpond.com) Web [www.swandistrictsjnr.baseball.com.au](http://www.swandistrictsjnr.baseball.com.au)

### WACE HELP: ACADEMIC TASK FORCE

Weekend classes for Year 11 and 12 students with excellent exam preparation. Subjects include, Maths, Physics, Chemistry, English, Literature, Human Biology and Economics. They are small groups with very experienced teachers. Year 7 - 10 Saturday classes are also available in English, Maths and Science. For more information contact Dr Pam Bagworth or Dr Robert Hallam on 9317 4421.