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Fortnightly newsletter



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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Mr Wayne Bull



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THE SEASON OF LENT

We are now at the half way point in the season of Lent. For Christians this is a time of reflection and anticipation. While we expectantly await the celebration of the Church's greatest feast, Easter Sunday, we also have an opportunity for some "time out" to consider our own human frailties and the behaviours which alienate us from God. I pray that this Lent will be a special time for you and your families to consider the wonderful gifts we have been given and take time to give thanks to God for all of our ongoing blessings.

FRIENDS OF LA SALLE

On Wednesday evening our first meeting of the year for the Friends of La Salle (FOLSC) took place. A record number of parents (50 plus) were in attendance to plan events for the coming year related to the four committees of FOLSC. The Grounds and Maintenance group finalised plans for our Busy Bee on Saturday 20 March; the Parent Education group have started to consider guest speakers for parent seminars; the Policy Consultation group are considering the school's policy on the use of electronic devices; and the Hospitality and Fundraising group identified areas that they will focus upon in 2010, including support for various College events and a possible Melbourne Cup Luncheon. Thank you to all of the parents who attended and to Anne Lockyer for her leadership of this group.

YEAR 12 RETREAT

The Year 12 Retreats are always a time of great joy and excitement. All of our senior students have the opportunity to attend a three day retreat which focuses on many of the aspects that I have outlined above related to the season of Lent. I would like to thank Adrian Martino and all of the staff leaders and supporters for enabling our Year 12 students to undertake this spiritual and personal reflection time.

BUSES AND CONGESTION ON MURIEL STREET

The College Board is working with the City of Swan to solve the problems related to vehicle access and movement around the College. The solution is not easy, nor will it be immediate. In the mean time I would ask for your continuing patience. An issue which seems to be causing concern is the mixing of buses and cars on Muriel Street at the end of each school day. We are liaising with Swan Transit on several issues; however, I do ask parents to be very mindful of the dangers of buses and students and to show extreme caution when entering and leaving the College grounds, particularly in the afternoon.

HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME

While I do understand that sometimes it is impossible to organise family holidays in school vacation time, there appears to be an increasingly tendency for parents to be taking their children out of classes to travel. Apart from the impact on students' learning, the Education Act does require students to be in attendance at school. Thus, unless there are extraordinary reasons for you to seek to take your children on holidays during term time, I would ask that you plan family holidays during vacation breaks.

SWIM-A-THON

On Wednesday each of the Houses participated in our inaugural Swim-a-thon to raise funds for the Lasallian missions. Organised by Alicia Keating and Michael Pepper, this event saw students from each of the Houses seeking sponsorship for swimming laps in the College pool. On the day our newest House, Brigid, managed to complete the most number of laps. In total, approximately 175 kms were swum by the participants. I would ask those parents who undertook to sponsor their children to assist in getting donations in as soon as possible. Thank you to Alicia, Michael and all of the staff, especially the House Coordinators, for ensuring the success of the day.

YEAR 7, 2012 ENROLMENTS

The process for enrolling Year 7 students for 2012 has commenced. It is vitally important that if you have a child in Year 5 at the moment, that you lodge an enrolment application form without delay. While preference is given to siblings, we are unable to process an enrolment if we do not have an application form. I cannot keep places in reserve for siblings who have not applied to the College.

Mr Wayne Bull
Principal

"The ornament of a house is the friends who frequent it."

Ralph Waldo Emerson
US essayist & poet (1803 - 1882)

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FROM THE **SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM**



Ms Leeanne Bates
Business Manager



Mr Michael Pepper
Assistant Principal

SCHOOL FEES

School fees statements have been sent. School fees are payable within 14 days of receiving this statement. I would like to thank families for their payment of fees. If you are having trouble meeting this commitment please make an appointment to see me. Payment plans are to be put in writing addressed to the Business Manager.

Health Care and Concession card holders are urged to fill out the forms in the Accounts Office for a reduction in school fees. If you require any further information please call the Accounts Office.

BALGO HILLS ADVENTURE

We are fundraising for the Easter Adventure to Balgo Hills in the April school holidays. We are running a raffle with great prizes and also selling hot cross buns. Please support this group of young adults. One of the fundraisers is a West Coast Eagles autographed football. This will go to the highest bidder. If you would like to bid for the football the bidding will start on Monday 15 March until Wednesday 24 March. The highest bidder will be announced each day in the daily notices. To bid, please email lbs@lasalle.wa.edu.au

Ms Leeanne Bates
Business Manager



OPEN DAY - TUESDAY 23 MARCH

Open Day will be held during the day on Tuesday 23 March. This will be a great opportunity for current and future parents to view a normal school day in action at our College. Parents of Years 7 and 8 and any new parents to the College are especially encouraged to attend. There will be tours of every learning area and an opportunity to view our new Patricia Rodrigues Centre and the Laurence Murphy Senior Learning Centre. Tours will conclude with light refreshments prepared by our Hospitality students in 'C' Street.

Tour times are 9:30 am, 11:30 am and 1:40 pm. No bookings are necessary, however, please arrive at least 10 minutes prior to the scheduled tour time at the St John Baptist de La Salle Chapel.

Parking for Open Day tours will be on the back oval and accessed by the driveway at the west end of the College.

Mr Michael Pepper
Assistant Principal



COLLEGE COMMUNITY INVITATION

COMMUNITY PRAYER BREAKFAST (Principal's Prayer Breakfast)

The College community is invited to attend the Community Prayer Breakfast (Principal's Prayer Breakfast) to be held on Friday 19 March at 7:30am in the St John Baptist de La Salle Chapel, followed by a light breakfast.

For catering purposes, please contact **Sabrina Lynsdale at the College by phone or email sly@lasalle.wa.edu.au by today, Friday 12 March.**





House

McCORMACK HOUSE DAY

On Wednesday 10 February McCormack House celebrated its House day. McCormack students were granted the luxury of wearing their House shirt and sports uniform for the day. The day was an enjoyable one with each PCG participating in an assortment of team games and activities in the Patricia Rodrigues Centre during long PCG. The day proved to be a great opportunity for the House's newest members - the Year 7s and 8s to bond with their PCGs and experience their first taste of McCormack's terrific House spirit. Lastly, a big thanks to House Coordinator Ms Rodriguez and the McCormack staff members for making the day such a success.

McCORMACK TAKES OUT 'HOUSE SPIRIT'

On Monday of Week 3, the College held its annual Inter-House Twilight Swimming Carnival. McCormack's enthusiasm in both swimming and cheering was outstanding with many talented swimmers scoring big points in the pool and many who did us proud by showing true McCormack spirit and giving it a go. In the stands, the McCormack Mates, sang loudly and cheered their lungs out for their House. A special mention to age champions Ryan Dessent, Chloe White and Sophie White - all from McCormack! At the end of the day McCormack came in at a very respectable 3rd place. However, the enormous amount of enthusiasm and House spirit that the students showed on the day paid off with McCormack winning the House Spirit Cup! Congratulations McCormack! Lastly, a very big thank you to House Coordinator Ms Rodriguez for all her organisation and dedication, the McCormack staff and of course the students for their participation and undying House spirit throughout the day.



Go McCormack!

Madeleine Quay
McCormack House Captain



Madeleine Quay
McCormack
House Captain

Year 8s

ACC SWIMMING CARNIVAL - FRIDAY 19 MARCH

All Year 8 students are expected to attend the ACC Swimming Carnival as spectators. They have been chosen to cheer on the La Salle Swimming Team. Students should be dressed in their College sports uniform. They are to bring along their College caps, cut lunches and drink bottles as they will not be allowed to purchase anything from the kiosk at Beatty Park. They will be leaving the College at approximately 9:00 am in 6 coaches accompanied by 6 staff. They will be taken to Beatty Park and will return to school at around 3:00 pm in time to catch their usual transport home. This is a compulsory event for all Year 8s and parental support is requested in ensuring students attend school that day.



Mr Peter Elloy
Year 8 Coordinator

YEAR 8 CAMP 2010

In Week 3 of Term 1, 209 Year 8 students spent three days at the Ern Halliday Recreation Camp, near the beach at Hillarys getting acquainted with each other and being made aware of the Lasallian spirit.

Students were divided into their Houses and participated in team games and various activities where an effort was made not only to build House Spirit, but to get to know other students. This was particularly apparent in the beach classic event and the tug-o-war.

Students were all accommodated in dormitories.

I would like to thank the students for their exemplary behavior, the staff who gave up their time to work tirelessly over the three days to make the camp a success and Fr Leonard Macionczyk for sharing his time with us and celebrating Mass.

Special mention to Mrs Kea Harper, Mr Craig Vanderlaan and Mr Russell Drage who worked tirelessly throughout the three days.

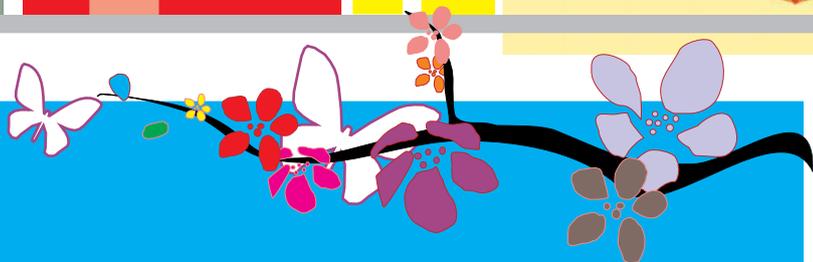
Once again, my sincere thanks to Mr and Mrs Talijancich and Mr Scott Williams for supplying the camp with delicious fruit. It was much appreciated!

Mr Peter Elloy
Year 8 Coordinator





ACADEMIC Excellence



AFTER SCHOOL STUDY CLASSES

SLC - Senior Learning Centre

Monday	Mr Dawson	ICT/Maths 7-10	SLC (Daedalus)	Until 5:00pm
	Ms Krsticevic Ms Cusack	English/RE Year 7-9 Maths	SLC Library	Until 5:00pm Until 5:00pm
Tuesday	Ms Slater Ms Noble	Maths 7-12, Chemistry & Physics	Library SLC (Prometheus)	Until 5:00pm Until 6:30pm
	Ms Schimmel	Maths 7-12	SLC	Until 5:00pm
Wednesday	Ms Wheeler Ms Noble Ms Mohen	English 7-12 Maths 7-12 Maths 7-12	SLC SLC SLC	Until 5:00pm Until 6:30pm Until 5:00 pm
Thursday	Ms Reger Mr Palmer	Year 12 AIT MAT 2C/D & MAT 2A/B	B19 B20	Lunchtime 7:30 - 8:15 am
Friday	Ms Cobley	Year 11 Human Biology Year 12 Biology	G11	Lunchtime

YEAR 7/8 'STEPS TO SUCCESS' STUDY SKILLS PROGRAMME

Classes for the Study Programme have been finalised and all parents should have received a letter confirming the tutors and groups for sessions running on 14 and 21 March. Another letter will be sent out for the May sessions.

Please note that the session on 9 May has been cancelled (due to it being Mother's Day) and all students who were due to attend on 9 May have been placed in an alternative session on 23 May. If this causes a problem please contact me at the College by email: mno@lasalle.wa.edu.au or by phone.

Students are requested to bring the following items: writing materials, ruler, lined paper, College Organiser.

All sessions will run from 9:00 am until 11:30 am. It is requested that students are present 15 minutes beforehand to sign in (at the auditorium foyer).

Ms Marie Noble
Academic Excellence Coordinator

COUNSELLING CORNER

Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure. It is our light, not our darkness, that most frightens us. We ask ourselves, who am I to be brilliant, gorgeous, talented, fabulous? Actually, who are you not to be?

You are a child of God. Your playing small does not serve the world. There is nothing enlightened about shrinking so that other people won't feel insecure around you. We are all meant to shine, as children do. We were born to make manifest the glory of God that is within us. It's not just in some of us; it is in everyone.

And as we let our own light shine, we unconsciously give other people permission to do the same. As we are liberated from our own fear, our presence automatically liberates others. Nelson Mandela

Shannon Steven
School Counsellor (Psychologist)
Beth Maas School Counsellor (Social Worker)



ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS



Ms Maria Bochrinis
Uniform Shop Manager

UNIFORM SHOP

The Uniform Shop is open Monday and Wednesday from 7:30 am - 1:30 pm (except public holidays & unless otherwise notified in the Delagram). Due to unforeseen circumstances, no further lay-bys are available at this time.

Please see the following for open times leading up to the commencement of Term 2 - winter uniforms:

Week 7

Mon 15/3, Tues 16/3, Wed 17/3 (7:30 am - 1:30 pm)

Week 8

Mon 22/3, Tues 23/3, Wed 24/3 (7:30 am - 1:30 pm)

Week 9

Mon 29/3, Tues 30/3, Wed 31/3 (7:30 am - 1:30 pm)

April holidays

Week 1: Tues 6/4, Wed 7/4, Thurs 8/4, Fri 9/4
(7:30 am - 2:30 pm)

Week 2: Mon 12/4, Tues 13/4, Wed 14/4, Thurs 15/4
(7:30 am - 2:30 pm)

Please note that during opening times in the April holidays, the Uniform Shop will be closed between 10:30 to 11:00 am on each day.

Ms Maria Bochrinis
Uniform Shop Manager

QUIZ NIGHT DONATIONS

The Annual Quiz Night and Auction will be held in the Patricia Rodrigues Centre on Friday 30 July at 7:00 pm. We would greatly appreciate your assistance in donating an item towards the silent auctions, loud auctions, raffles etc. For further details please contact me at the College by phone or email sly@lasalle.wa.edu.au

Ms Sabrina Lynsdale
Executive Assistant
(Marketing & Public Relations)

FOSTER CARERS ARE NEEDED!

Children need special care and guidance. Wanslea Family Services provides foster carers for children from birth to 12 years.

As a Wanslea Foster Carer you will change the life of a child forever. You will be paid a tax free subsidy, receive support in the form of home visits and access to training and peer support groups.

If you have a spare room in your home, have time on your hands, can provide a safe and nurturing environment and love children, we need you!

Can you open your home and heart to a child in need?

If you are interested, please call Wanslea Family Services on 9245 2441 or check out the website at www.wanslea.asn.au



Ms Sabrina Lynsdale
Executive Assistant
(Marketing & Public Relations)

FREE CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY EVENT

Sunday 28th March - WYD Youth Festival 2010:
Forrest Place Perth City- 12pm - 4pm Celebrate World Youth Day 2010 in Perth. Huge venue. Huge crowds, live music from Flame, Apokalypsis, Youth Impact, Zimbabwean African Choir, and Great Entertainment from Fr Hong Pham, Br Gabriel and much, much more. Open to all ages. Bring your flags, WYD shirts, 'Free hugs' signs and the WYD spirit! More details on www.cym.com.au or call 9422 7912

URGENT NEWS FOR ALL CATHOLIC YOUTH

Connect with Catholic Youth Ministry (CYM) Perth to engage in loads of local events! This agency is the central agency to connect you with local Parish youth groups, social events, retreats and MUCH more! Visit our website: www.cym.com.au ; join our mailing list to receive a monthly e-newsletter; join our facebook group 'Catholic Youth Ministry Perth'. Volunteer with us to meet new people and share your skills with the Church! Also feel free to drop in and visit us or call 9422 7912.

WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

FR ROBERT HOLLOW

Class of 1976
2008 La Salle College
Hall of Excellence
Parish Priest Queensland



KINGSLEY BUGARIN OAM

Class of 1986
2008 La Salle College
Hall of Excellence
Retired Swimming Paralympian
Paralympic Games 1984, 1988, 1992,
1996 & 2000



JULIE SMITH-MASSARA

Class of 1986
2008 La Salle College
Hall of Excellence
2007 First Amongst Equals of the
40under40 Business Awards
Cofounder and Finance Director
Australian Mining Services



ANTHONY EATON

Class of 1989
2008 La Salle College
Hall of Excellence
Renowned author and lecturer at the
University of Canberra



Ms Sabrina Lynsdale
Executive Assistant
(Marketing & Public Relations)





FROM THE Student Representative Council



Ms Alicia Keating
Student Representative
Council Coordinator

SCHOOL SOCIAL

This term the SRC will be running a School Social on Wednesday 24 March (Week 8). It will be held at the Swan Italian Sporting Club which is located at 9 Francis Street, Middle Swan, just off Lloyd Street.

The Social will be fully supervised by staff of the College and all Year 7,8 and 9 students are encouraged to attend, with it being optional to all other year levels.

The Social will run from 7 - 10:00 pm and students will need to purchase tickets for the event at the College during lunch over the next week. Tickets are \$3 each. There will be food and drink sold on the night, lucky door prizes and various other prizes given out. Glow sticks will also be available for purchase.

Please encourage your child to purchase a ticket to the Social and attend this fun, annual event.

SWIM-A-THON

Thank you to all students and staff for your participation in the Swim-a-thon held throughout the day on Wednesday 10 March. The event was a fantastic success and thoroughly enjoyed by all who participated.

Throughout the day, each year group was given the task of swimming as many laps of the College 25m pool for their House. A total of 7 501 laps were swum equating to 187.5 km which is almost the distance from Perth to Busselton.

We are now hoping to make a very worthwhile and significant contribution to the Lasallian Foundation with the funds raised from the day.

The Lasallian Foundation is an organisation run by the De La Salle Brothers to support people living in poverty around the world. The Lasallian Foundation have provided our College with four projects in Pakistan to work towards completing. The table below shows each of the projects that we hope to support with the money we raise this year from both the Swim-a-thon and Mission Aid Day.

Project Name/Brief Description	Accumulated Total \$A
St Vincent's School Multan - completion of 4 classrooms for students who currently learn outside and have no desks or chairs (A\$6 450)	\$6 450
Khushpur: Benildus Literacy School: Vocational training and skills development of girls supported through the purchase of 15 sewing machines, materials and funding of a teacher (A\$2 240)	\$8 690
Alban's Academy, Multan - purchase of school furniture (A\$3 545)	\$14 475
La Salle Catholic Hostel for boys in Khushpur: Health, nutrition, education and medical support for 48 hostel residents for 1 year (A\$9 975 or \$208 per boy)	\$22 210

We had an overwhelming amount of students swim on the day with the final tallies for each House being; Benildus - 822 laps, Brigid - 1 251 laps, La Salle - 1 157 laps, McCormack - 1189 laps, MacKillop - 960 laps, Mutien - 1 037 laps and Solomon -1085 laps. Congratulations to Brigid House for swimming the most laps on the day. It is now time for us all to get as many sponsors and donations as we can to support the projects in Pakistan.

All students have been provided with a personalised sponsorship form and envelope. Every student, whether they swam or not, have been asked to seek sponsorship for their House. We ask parents to please encourage your child to return their envelope with their form and money to the College by the end of next week. Thank you to all staff, parents, students and Friends of La Salle College who assisted with the day to make the Swim-a-thon such a memorable event.



Ms Alicia Keating
SRC Coordinator



Ms Jaimee Dawson
Learning Area Coordinator-
Health & Physical Education



Mr Peter Sackett
Year 10 Coordinator



Mr Ben Dyer
Sport Coordinator

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

We have just finished our swimming lessons in Physical Education and we are now heading into athletics. Students are reminded to wear their PE uniform including College hat to all lessons. A friendly reminder that students need to wear correct sports footwear, **Dunlop volleys, skate shoes and white granny shoes** do not offer enough support for growing feet and should not be worn to PE classes. As the weather is still warm, students are also encouraged to bring drink bottles to class to rehydrate. The PE Department would also like to remind students to not bring valuables into the change rooms they should be left at home or in their lockers. Signs have been placed in the change rooms to remind students of this. And finally, lost property; in the PE office we have about 50 items of lost property including thongs, towels, bathers, goggles, shirts and shoes. Can we please ask that if anyone has lost or misplaced any of the listed items that they come to the PE office and then label those items.

Ms Jaimee Dawson
Learning Area Coordinator
Health & Physical Education

CHAMPION SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL

The senior boys have a new look about them this year. With mainly Year 12s in the squad during 2009, this year brings many new faces to the team. The opening game of the season, on 23 February was a historical occasion for the College as it was the first competitive game to be played on the new courts. Unfortunately the result wasn't what we desired as we came up against a very sizable and talented unit in the form of Mazenod College. New to the competition in 2010, their affiliation with Kalamunda Basketball Club was evident as they controlled the game throughout. To La Salle's credit, they played the game out with pride and were successful in some of the smaller individual challenges they set themselves. Game 2 saw us host Swan View and notch up our first victory in La Salle's new home of basketball with a great defensive effort making it extremely difficult for the opposition to score. With 4 games remaining this term, we are now in a fight to be one of the top two teams that will progress through to the knockout finals.

Round 1 (23 Feb):

La Salle 12 lost to Mazenod 59

Best players: Josh Dowling,
Jake Brearley,
Nathan O'Kane

Round 2 (2 March):

La Salle 36 defeated Swan View 19

High Scorers: Jake Brearley 14,
Jonathan Gibbs 9,
Luke Nicol 9

Best Players: Jake Brearley,
Luke Nicol,
Michael Naughtin

Mr Peter Sackett
Year 10 Coordinator & Basketball Coach

SPORT

ACC SWIMMING

Good luck to our squad who compete in the Inter-School Carnival at Beatty Park next Friday. Squad members are reminded to be at school by 7:30 am for breakfast and team photo.

SENIOR CRICKET

Unfortunately our cricketers bowled out in the metropolitan semi-final stage against Kent St SHS this week. After struggling with the ball, our batsmen made a good fist of the run chase but eventually found the task too great. Congratulations to the team on reaching this stage and we wish our departing Year 12 players the best and thank them for their contribution over the years.



SENIOR BASEBALL

Our senior baseballers were a class above the opposition in the qualifying rounds of the Champion Schools Baseball competition held at Tom Bateman Reserve this week. Victories over St Mark's ACS, Corpus Christi College and Warwick SHS has seen our boys progress to the semi-finals stage on Tuesday week. We wish the boys well in their quest to win back to back finals. Many thanks to our wonderful parents who assisted on Tuesday.



TENNIS

Our tennis players will be in action in the coming weeks in the Schools Classic competition held at the State Tennis Centre. Good luck to all our representatives in our first appearance in this competition for a number of years.

Mr Ben Dyer
Sport Coordinator

LA SALLE JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB - REGISTRATIONS

We are still looking for players from Year 7 to complete the 12s team, and also players for the 14s. Should your child be interested, please contact Stephen Lesk on 0400 225 909. Registrations close Thursday 18 March.

Any student (16 years or older), past student or parent who may be interested in umpiring when required for a small fee please contact Stephen. All clubs have been asked to supply umpires to alleviate the shortfall that has occurred over the past few years.

Mr Stephen Lesk
President - La Salle Junior Football Club



ART - I - FACTS



Ms Natalie Calleja
Assistant Principal



Quotes are currently being sought in order to resurrect the orchestra pit in the Nicholas Barre Auditorium for the upcoming production of *The Wiz* and hence forth, future musical productions. With a dynamic band and a marvellous and rousing score, this production promises to be something special. Hopefully work will begin soon in time for the opening night on 19 May. Stay tuned!

Ms Natalie Calleja
Learning Area Coordinator - The Arts

THE ARTS CAMP - SERPENTINE

In Week 4 nearly ninety students travelled to Serpentine for the 2010 College Production camp for this year's musical "**The Wiz**". For those of you who don't know "**The Wiz**", it is a jazzy Motown version of the classic "Wizard of Oz" and tells of the adventures had by Dorothy in the mysterious, wonderful and funky Land of Oz. The production camp allows the cast to get away from the school environment and focus on rehearsing various scenes and musical numbers for the show. This year we were also joined by our Orchestra, led by Mr Milne, and a group of Visual Arts students and their teacher, Ms Hyland, who are responsible for creating various pieces for the show. The camp also allows the entire cast and crew to get better acquainted with each other and since then we have become a close group. On the final of the 3 days at Serpentine, we had a show and tell session enabling us all to see the progress made on the camp and it's safe to say that at that stage at least half of the show had been rehearsed in some form.



I would like to thank the Arts Learning Area staff who have been dedicated in supporting us, so thank you to Ms Webb, Mr Milne, Ms Trew, Ms Hyland, Ms Rodriguez and our director Ms Lush. We all had an enjoyable time on "**The Wiz**" Production Camp and we're all looking forward to bringing you the show.

Aaron Vanderkley
-Drama Captain and *The Wiz* (in "**The Wiz**")

COMMITMENT EXCELLENCE

GOOD LUCK JESSE!

Good luck to Jesse Markham, Year 11 who will be heading off to Jakarta later this month as part of the U19 Perth Allstars Baseball team to compete in the South East Asian Youth Baseball and Softball Tournament.



GOOD LUCK ANNIE!

Good luck to Annie Lamberto, Year 10 who is off to Queensland in April to represent WA in the International Champion of Champions WA Metro Highland Dancing team.



CONGRATULATIONS LAREESA!

Congratulations to Year 8 student, Lareesa MacDougall who recently competed in the WA Kayaking Championships where she was very successful winning 4 silver medals in the U16s. A fantastic achievement Lareesa!





Ms Lindy Reger
Integration of ICT
Across the Curriculum
Coordinator

CLICKON!

~ Get the most from Microsoft Word 2007 ~

Here are two ways of learning how use and get the most out of Microsoft Word 2007.

Online tutorials - <http://www.fgcu.edu/support/office2007/Word/index.asp>
Video tutorials - http://www.teach-ict.net/software/word_2007/word_2007.htm

~ Keyboard Shortcuts ~

These keyboard shortcuts will help you be more productive and efficient computer users.

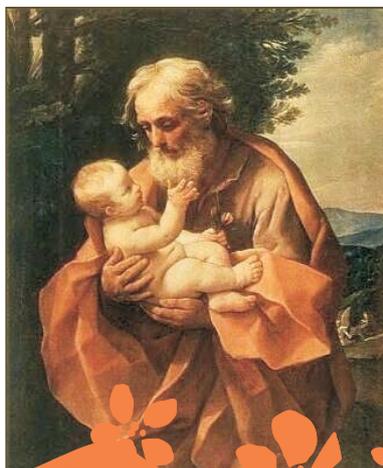
Desktop shortcuts	Windows XP /7
Activate Menu bar	ALT key
Undo last operation	CTRL + Z
Redo last operation	CTRL + Y
Cut & store to clipboard	CTRL + X
Copy into the clipboard	CTRL + C
Paste from the clipboard	CTRL + V
Paste special	CTRL + ALT + V
Select everything	CTRL + A

Text formatting	Windows XP/7
Make text bold	CTRL + B
Underline text	CTRL + U
Make text italics	CTRL + I
Change upper/lower case	SHIFT + F3
Make text superscript	CTRL + SHIFT + +
Make text subscript	CTRL + -

Text editing	Windows XP /7
Start of line	Home key
End of line	End key
Start of document	CTRL + Home
End of document	CTRL + End
Previous word	CTRL +
Next word	CTRL +
Find a word	CTRL + F

Window management	Windows XP /7
Switch to next window	ALT + TAB
Close the window	Ctrl + f4
Switch to full screen	F11
Close dialogue box	ESC
Copy a screenshot	PrtScn
Copy screenshot (Laptop)	Fn + PrntScrn

Ms Lindy Reger
Integration of ICT Across the Curriculum Coordinator



St. Joseph's Day

March 19th is a big Feast for Italians because in the Middle Ages, God, through St. Joseph's intercessions, saved the Sicilians from a very serious drought. So in his honour, the custom is for all to wear red, in the same way that green is worn on St. Patrick's Day.





Ms Nicole Huggins
Careers, VET &
ONSITE Coordinator

CAREERS

WELCOME TO MS JENNY WALLER

We welcome Ms Jenny Waller to the Careers Department this year. Jenny has many years of experience at South Fremantle SHS and has been a very welcome addition to the Department. Jenny will oversee the Careers Counselling for students in Years 7 - 10. Students and parents are asked to direct queries and questions or to organise appointments directly with Jenny in the first instance. Her email address is jwr@lasalle.wa.edu.au or she can be contacted by calling the main College number. Students can also make appointments with Mrs Waller during Careers Centre opening times during recess and lunchtimes.

I will also oversee the Careers Counselling for students in Years 11 and 12. Please feel welcome to contact me directly to organise appointments. My email has been fully changed over this year and is now nhu@lasalle.wa.edu.au or please telephone the main College number to speak with me directly. Students can also make appointments with me during Careers Centre opening times during recess and lunchtimes.

GRAND OPENING OF THE NEW CAREERS CENTRE

The new Careers Centre finally received its finishing touches last week, although we have been seeing students and parents for the last couple of weeks. We held a Grand Opening event on Tuesday 9 March so that students were able to find our new location and also to advise of the many services we offer in the Careers area. Students were able to book appointments, discuss career pathways, courses, training and other similar information. There was free chocolate cake for morning tea and several door prizes on offer. Students were also given a brochure to advertise the services in the Careers Centre and we are hoping that made its way home as well. A copy is available on the MyClasses website (www.lasalle.wa.edu.au/links). There was an excellent turn out and hopefully the students have now managed to find us and feel very welcome to continue to visit us throughout the year.



WORK EXPERIENCE

A reminder that students are able to attend work experience from Years 9 - 12. However, ALL work experience must be completed during the school holiday periods. There are NO EXCEPTIONS to this policy. Students must find their own work experience placement. Although we are happy to assist students, contact with employers must be made by the student and/or parent. To make the process easier and so we can offer the best assistance with organising work experience, students are encouraged to contact Jenny (Year 9 and 10) or I (Year 11 and 12) before making any arrangements with an employer.

TAX FILE NUMBERS

Forms for students to apply for a Tax File Number are available from the Careers Centre for all students. However, Year 9 students are asked to wait until they complete the process as a year group during Tutorial this term. These school-based forms simplify the process for the students rather than the detailed requirements of the form acquired directly from the ATO or post office.

WORKPLACE LEARNING/ONSITE

Year 11 and 12 students involved in the ONSITE programme have been in the workplace for four weeks. Parents are asked to ensure that all ONSITE students have returned the "**DECLARATION**" page at the back of their **WORKPLACE LEARNING/ONSITE POLICY**. The Policy document contains very important information regarding the responsibilities of students in terms of the Workplace Learning and ONSITE programme. Parents are asked to read this document carefully with their child and both are required to sign the "Declaration". If students have misplaced the Policy document, please obtain another copy from the MyClasses website (www.lasalle.wa.edu.au/links). I would ask that you ensure this is completed and submitted by the end of the week as it is already several weeks overdue. An introductory email has been sent to parents already, and failure to submit the declaration and provide an email address can disrupt the smooth communication process we have with parents and ONSITE students.

In addition, it is an insurance requirement that all students complete a basic workplace induction programme prior to entering the workplace. The most important component of this induction is Workplace Safety. To fully assess that students have understood the induction material presented, they have been asked to complete a **WORKSAFE CERTIFICATE** on the internet. All students have been provided with time in a computer laboratory during Workplace Learning to complete the certificate, but unfortunately some students were absent or were unable to complete it in the allocated time. I would ask that parents check with their children and if they have not completed the Certificate, they also need to do so before the end of the week. Failure to do so may mean that I cannot allow the student to continue attending the workplace until it is completed so as not to jeopardise the student's safety and insurance in the workplace. The Certificate can be completed on the internet at www.worksafe.wa.gov.au.

Parents and/or students with students completing ONSITE in Year 11, please contact Mrs Jenny Waller jwr@lasalle.wa.edu.au in the first instance with any queries or concerns. Year 12 students and their parents are welcomed to contact me nhu@lasalle.wa.edu.au.

Ms Nicole Huggins
Careers/VET/ONSITE Coordinator

Dr. Augustine

**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
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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 rd 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**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 14 Mar	Mon 15 Mar	Tues 16 Mar	Wed 17 Mar	Thurs 18 Mar	Fri 19 Mar	Sat 20 Mar
WEEK 7	ACC SWIM TEAM MEET (P5/6) <i>Help required</i>	IMPROVICIOUS YR 10 (P1-2) YR 7 2012 ENROLMENT EVENING II (FEEDER SCHOOLS) <i>Help required</i>	YR 12 DRAMA TECH W/SHOP (ALL DAY) MUTIEN HOUSE MASS <i>Help required</i>	YR 11 HOS EXCURSION <i>Help required</i>	COMMUNITY PRAYER BREAKFAST ACC 'C' DIVISION SWIMMING CARNIVAL (YR 8s TO ATTEND) <i>Help required</i>	BUSY BEE
RECONCILIATION WEE						
Sun 21 Mar	Mon 22 Mar	Tues 23 Mar	Wed 24 Mar	Thurs 25 Mar	Fri 26 Mar	Sat 27 Mar
WEEK 8	YR 11 BIO FIELD TRIP TOUCHING HEARTS BEGINS YR 10 <i>Help required</i>	OPEN DAY YRs 11 & 12 HOS 'C' STREET CAFÉ <i>Help required</i>	COLLEGE ASSEMBLY SCHOOL SOCIAL <i>Help required</i>	YR 8 WASO MUSIC EXCURSION YR 11 CFC CHILD RESUS <i>Help required</i>	ACC PARA SWIMMING CARNIVAL YR 11 GEO FIELD TRIP <i>Help required</i>	SCHOLARSHIP EXAM YR 7 2011
POVERTY IMMERSION						

COMMUNITY NEWS

ACADEMIC TASK FORCE WACE REVISION COURSES APRIL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Study skills, essay writing and subject courses for Years 11 and 12. Venues north and south of the river with small groups, expert teachers and individual help. For more information contact Dr Pam Bagworth or Dr Robert Hallam on 9317 4421.

UNIFORM ALTERATIONS

Contact Paul's Tailoring for clothes alterations and repairs for gents and ladies clothes, suits and trousers. 56 Wellaton Street, Midvale, phone 9274 5773 or 0419 911 501.

OLD GUILDFORDIANS MUNDARING HOCKEY CLUB GRADING

Old Guildfordians Mundaring Hockey Club are having their junior grading days on Monday 14 March between 5 and 7 pm and Sunday 28 March between 4 and 6 pm on the North Oval at Lilac Hill in Caversham. Players are needed for all grades. We also have a minkey programme for younger players where skills will be learned and games organised. Contact Sandy Lane on 9295 6766 for further information.