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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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FOUNDER'S DAY - 15 MAY

In Lasallian schools and universities all around the world, 15 May is marked as Founder's Day. It commemorates the Feast Day of St John Baptist de La Salle, the patron saint of teachers and also the founder of the De La Salle Brothers. Our College was founded by the Brothers in 1954 and they remained at De La Salle, Midland (as the school was then known) until 1971. While the Brothers no longer have a direct presence in our school, the charism and spirit of St John Baptist continues to pervade all of our undertakings.

John Baptist de La Salle was born in Rheims, France on 30 April 1651. He went on to establish a teaching order of Brothers who were committed to "touching hearts" and "caring for the least, the lost and the last." The following quote from a Memoir written in Rouen in 1721 expresses succinctly what John Baptist de La Salle had achieved between 1679 and 1719.

"Monsieur de La Salle had the idea of setting up [free] schools where the children of workmen and the poor would learn reading, writing and arithmetic, and would also receive a Christian education through catechisms and other forms of instruction appropriate for forming good Christians. For this purpose he brought together a group of young unmarried men. He strove to have them live in a way which was consistent with the end of their Institute, and in order to renew the life of the first Christians... he composed Rules for them."

Today the Brothers work in over 85 countries and minister, together with over 65 000 lay colleagues, to more than 1 000 000 students. It is extraordinary to think that this one man, inspired by his love and commitment to Christ, was able to light a flame which continues to have an impact on the lives of so many people almost 300 years after his death.

At La Salle, along with other Lasallian schools around Australia, Founder's Week is almost always celebrated with Mission Aid [or Action] Day (MAD). This is an occasion when the whole school community comes together to commemorate our Lasallian heritage. However, in keeping with St John Baptist de La Salle's vision, it is also a day of action, directed towards supporting those who are less fortunate. At La Salle, our PCG's have been preparing for several months to devise ways in which to raise funds for charitable works.

Today our students and staff have celebrated Mission Aid Day. I will provide a report in the next Delagram on the various activities which took place and the funds raised.

MOTHERS' DAY MASS AND BREAKFAST

Last Friday we celebrated Mothers' Day with a beautiful Mass and breakfast for our mothers. Nearly 200 people attended this annual event. Fr Leonard's homily reminded us of the selfless love which mothers constantly show their children. Thank you to Father, Adrian Martino and Alfiero Cardona for their preparation of the Mass, Nikki Holmes and Charmain Basell and the Canteen staff for the amazing breakfast and Sabrina Lynsdale for her overall coordination of this event.

THE WIZ

After months of hard work our very talented actors, dancers and musicians are finally ready to perform the musical "The Wiz". I have been honoured to attend parts of their rehearsals and it has been amazing to witness the growth and development of so many of our students. I believe that "The Wiz" will set a new standard for excellence in musicals at the College. During next week nearly 1 800 people will enjoy the timeless story of Dorothy's adventures, albeit in a modern setting. I will appropriately acknowledge all contributors in the next Delagram.

NAPLAN TESTING

During the week all of our Year 7 and 9 students have been sitting national tests in literacy and numeracy. These tests are fundamentally designed to provide diagnostic information to parents and the school on how students are performing in these key areas. Sadly, there seems to be an obsession within the media to use the results of these tests to compare and rank schools.

I do not know of a single principal in Australia who would not condemn such a practice as short-sighted and invalid. These tests do give important feedback but must be seen for what they are - a snap shot of how a group of students perform on a particular day in a particular test. They do not show students' progress over time, nor the effort or application that an individual student has made. They do not show the various educational backgrounds that students have come from, nor do they give any indication of a school's total educational and co-curricular programme.

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PARKING AROUND THE COLLEGE - Parents that park illegally in surrounding streets to the College, in particular Margaret Street, are liable to be fined by the Police. Please consider the road rules, our neighbouring residents and most importantly the safety of our students when parking, dropping off and collecting your children from school.

COLLEGE PRESENTATION EVENING - A very early notice that our Presentation Evening will take place at the Perth Convention and Exhibition Centre on Sunday 28 November at 7:00 pm. This is a compulsory event for all students and I am giving parents and students the maximum notice to ensure that all other commitments are rescheduled.

Mr Wayne Bull
Principal

FROM THE
SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

YEAR 10, 11 & 12 SEMESTER ONE EXAMS - Monday 31 May to Friday 11 June 2010

A copy of the Year 10, 11 and 12 Semester One Exam Timetable is located on our website www.lasalle.wa.edu.au under News and Events. All Year 10 - 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 stressful time, but good preparation does reduce examination anxieties.

Some helpful hints for parents:

- Have realistic expectations for your child.
- Be encouraging and supportive. Tell them to do the best they can.
- Encourage them to follow a comprehensive, committed study programme.
- Provide a calm, positive atmosphere at home.

A few helpful hints for students:

- Study effectively - revision in answering exam style questions is most important.
- Eat healthy foods.
- Get enough rest and sleep.
- Don't have too much coffee or other stimulants, particularly at night.
- Take breaks from your study programme and get some exercise.
- Relax when you are not studying.
- Avoid arguments and tension from other people.

Since scheduled classes are suspended during the examination period, students are only required to be at school if they are sitting an examination. Study rooms will be available should a child need to study at school. Normal school rules apply in relation to behaviour and standard of dress. If a student is sick and cannot attend an examination, please phone the College before 8:30 am. A medical certificate will be required to support the reason for the absence.

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

Mr Rino Randazzo
Vice Principal



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Vice Principal



Mr Darren Perrett
Christian Service-Learning Coordinator

UPCOMING TOUCHING HEARTS EVENTS

Quiz Night

Year 10 and 11 students who need hours are encouraged to put their name down for the annual quiz night. This will ensure each student who comes along to volunteer on the night at least 6 hours of service. A range of jobs will be available for students to work in. The Quiz night is on Friday 30 July, (Term 3, week 2). Students are required to be available to volunteer from 5:30 pm till 11:00 pm.

Red Shield Appeal

On Sunday 30 May the annual Red Shield Appeal door knock is on. We will be volunteering to raise money in the local Midland area. Students in Year 10 or 11 who need service hours should visit my office to put your name down. Students will be required to be at school in sports uniform on Sunday 30 May from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Students will meet in G1 for a safety briefing.

Year 8 Touching Hearts Programme

The Year 8 Touching Hearts programme has now finished and I would like to thank the Year 8 students who have completed the programme to a very high standard. The students who have not completed the Touching Hearts programme will be required to see me this week.

St John Baptist de La Salle always wrote about the importance of serving others. Time is a gift that we can use to help other people. Spending time with people who are *the least, the lost and the last* certainly encompasses the true meaning and spirit of what we call ourselves - Lasallians. De La Salle always spoke about the importance of being of service to people we consider the poor or marginalised. Giving up some time through the Touching Hearts programme definitely can change one persons day from a bad to a good one!

Live Jesus in our Hearts... Forever!

Mr Darren Perrett
Christian Service - Learning Coordinator






ACADEMIC Excellence

SLC - Senior Learning Centre

Day	Teacher	Subject	Venue	Time
Monday	Ms Cusack Mr Gallo	Maths 7-9 Physics & Chemistry	Library SLC	Until 4:30 pm Until 5:30 pm
Tuesday	Ms Slater Ms Noble Ms Schimmel Mr Gallo Ms Paskov Mr Ielasi	English Maths 7-12 Maths 7-12 Physics & Chemistry Biology & Chemistry Chemistry 12	Library SLC SLC SLC SLC G14	Until 5:00 pm Until 6:30 pm Until 5:00 pm Until 5:30 pm Until 4:30 pm Until 4:30 pm
Wednesday	Ms Wheeler Ms Noble Ms Mohen Mr Gallo Ms Keenan/Mr Morris	English 7-12 Maths 7-12 Maths 7-12 Physics & Chemistry S & E Yr 7-9 History 10-12	SLC SLC SLC SLC SLC	Until 5:00 pm Until 6:30 pm Until 5:00 pm Until 5:30 pm Until 4:30 pm
Thursday	Ms Reger Mr Palmer Mr Vella Mr Ielasi	AIT 12 MAT 2C/D & MAT 2A/B Maths 7-12 Chemistry 11	B19 B20 Library G14	Lunchtime 7.30-8.15am Until 4:30 pm Until 4:30 pm
Friday	Ms Cobley	Human Biology 11 Biology 12	G11	Lunchtime



Ms Marie Noble
Academic Excellence
Coordinator

YEAR 7 & 8 "STEPS TO SUCCESS" STUDY PROGRAMME

Information for Parents/Guardians

Classes and tutors for the second session of the "Steps to Success" study programme have been finalised. The student groups and tutors for sessions on Sunday 16 and 23 May are listed on the sheet which has been sent home through PCG groups.

Parents are asked to check the lists carefully. If there are any problems please contact me by email (preferable): mno@lasalle.wa.edu.au or phone (if email not available).

All sessions run from 9:00 am until 11:30 am. Students are asked to arrive 15 minutes early to register at the Senior Learning Centre foyer.

Students are asked to bring the following equipment: Writing materials, ruler, lined paper and their College Organiser.

Students are not required to attend in school uniform - casual dress may be worn. All students will be provided with a drink and snacks.

Thank you for taking advantage of this wonderful opportunity.

Ms Marie Noble
Academic Excellence Coordinator





Year 12s



SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CHILDREN OF VETERANS INTENDING TERTIARY STUDIES IN 2011

AUSTRALIAN VETERANS' CHILDREN ASSISTANCE TRUST

In 2011 the Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust (AVCAT) are 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:

- Within the means test. That is eligible on assets and income grounds for Youth Allowance benefits for full-time education.
- 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.
- 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.
- Under the age of 25 when applying, unless exceptional circumstances related to veteran's service exist.

The largest scheme is the Long Tan Bursary funded by the Australian Government. There are 50 new bursaries each year. They are valued at \$9 000 each which is paid at \$3 000 per year for three years. There are selection quotas for each State and Territory. To apply you must be the child of an Australian Vietnam Veteran, be resident in Australia, be entering any year of tertiary study, having not previously received a Long Tan Bursary.

The other national schemes are the AVCAT Bursary, the two RSL Scholarships, three Vietnam Veterans' Peacekeepers and Peacemakers Scholarship and the Defence Force Welfare Association Scholarship. George Quinsey Scholarships directly pay tuition fees for economics, commerce and accountancy studies.

Schemes vary between \$3 000 and \$5 000 per year each. Some are restricted to location of residence or studies. Most require veteran service in Vietnam but others are broader in eligibility criteria. Most schemes continue payments for later years of study. All scholarship schemes but one pays monthly instalments. That scheme helps with tuition costs for courses in commerce, economics and accountancy. In addition to the above there is one grant per year to assist a handicapped eligible veteran's child or grandchild with special extra costs of transition to tertiary studies or employment.

To receive an application form register interest on 1800 620 361. Children and grandchildren of Vietnam veterans should do so now, as should any others who believe that they are eligible. If not sure, ask.

Applications close on 31 October each year.
AVCAT PO Box K978 Haymarket NSW 1240
Fax: 02 9213 7307 Email: avcat@dva.gov.au
Web: www.avcat.org.au Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust Limited
ACN 008 609 032 / ABN 50 008 609 032

Year 10s

SEMESTER ONE EXAMS - SUBJECT SELECTION PROCESS FOR 2011

With the Semester One examinations fast approaching it is important for all Year 10 students to be engaged in regular revision practices in order to prepare them for their first set of upper school exams. These examinations play an important role in determining which subjects will be available to your child in Year 11 next year. A letter was sent home to all parents via your child last week, explaining the subject selection process and how prerequisites will be based on Semester One results. If you did not receive this letter, please ask your child or contact me at the College. Also a reminder that Year 10 students only need to be at the College when they have a scheduled examination however, study rooms will be available should your child need to study at school. There will be no scheduled classes for year 10s during the 2 week examination period however, any time a student is on campus they must be dressed in full College winter uniform.

Mr Peter Sackett
Year 10 Coordinator



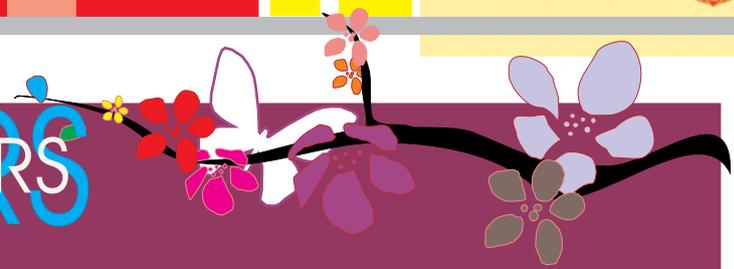
Mr Peter Sackett
Year 10 Coordinator



Ms Nicole Huggins
Careers, VET &
ONSITE Coordinator

CAREERS

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ONSITE/WORKPLACE LEARNING

Parents of students currently enrolled in the ONSITE programme are reminded that they must have completed a minimum of 100 hours by Tuesday 25 May 2010. The current placement will finish on this day and there could be serious implications on a students' Workplace Learning grade and credits should this not be done. Students DO NOT have permission to take additional school days off to visit the workplace. They must only attend on their allocated day. Weekends can be used. Students can also negotiate longer hours on the Tuesday if there is an issue with achieving minimum hours. Parents and students should contact their Workplace Learning teacher to discuss this situation if they have any concerns. Placement 2 forms, due to commence in a few weeks, are also very overdue. Students are asked to hand them into the Workplace Learning teacher as soon as possible. Late forms can often mean a delayed start for the student and this will have an impact on achieving the minimum hours required for the course.

CAREER, EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT EXPO

The Careers, Education and Employment Expo will be held at the Perth Convention Exhibition Centre between 13 and 16 May 2010. The event is open between 9:00 am - 3:00 pm on Thursday and Friday and 10:00 am - 4:00 pm on Saturday and Sunday. Entry is free on all days.

The Expo will feature representatives from educational institutions, industry associations, training organisations, government agencies and many potential employers. It will provide students with the only opportunity this year to talk with representatives of all Western Australian Universities.

MYCLASSES

Parents and students are reminded to access the MyClasses website on a regular basis. There are casual positions at Woolworths Centrepoint advertised, Murdoch and Curtin Information session dates, expo details and much more on there at the moment. MyClasses is accessed from the "Links" menu on the La Salle homepage. Students require their College IT logon details to access the page.

NATIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT WEEK

Next week is National Career Development Week. This is an opportunity for students to access the Careers Centre, Careers Staff and Careers Resources and be informed of the many agencies and information sources available to them to assist them on their Career Development journey. La Salle will coordinate a series of events with these aims during the week and we fully encourage all students, in all year groups, to get involved in the activities.

Ms Nicole Huggins
Careers, VET & ONSITE Coordinator

MOTHER'S DAY MASS

Mums are not only special because they bring their children into the world; they just keep on giving their children life every day of their existence. They smile when the world frowns; they give cuddles when the world does not care; they encourage when the world loses hope; they believe when no one else does. They love...and the love they give, gives life. Mothers are somehow living reminders of the enduring and unconditional love that God has for us.

Because motherhood is such a special gift, La Salle College celebrates Mother's Day around the table of the Lord to thank Him for sharing with humanity such a powerful reminder of His enduring love.

On Friday 7 May we gathered in the St John Baptist de La Salle Chapel at 7:30 am to pray together as a community for all the mums of our students. Mothers and students participated in this Mass. After Mass we met in the Senior Learning Centre for a wonderful breakfast. It was so rewarding to see so many parents participating in this special event.

I would like to thank Fr Leonard Macionczyk, Adrian Martino, Peter Elloy, Sabrina Lynsdale, the Canteen staff and the SRC students who contributed wholeheartedly to make this event such a great success.

Mr Alfiero Cardona
Liturgy Coordinator

ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS

DO YOU HAVE A BABY CAPSULE OR CARRIER?

Do you have a baby capsule or carrier that you are no longer using and would like to donate to the College? It would be greatly appreciated by the Children, Family and Community teachers and students. We are in need of capsules or carriers to assist with the Baby Think It Over Programme where students experience the challenges of being a mother through looking after a virtual baby. If you can assist, please contact me at the College by phone or email kjo@lasalle.wa.edu.au

Ms Kelly Johnson
Children, Family & Community Teacher



Ms Kelly Johnson
Children, Family &
Community Teacher



Mr Alfiero Cardona
Liturgy Coordinator



FRIENDS OF LA SALLE COLLEGE BRICKPAVER FUNDRAISER



The brickpavers fundraiser was a great success. All pavers are now in the walkway of the covered link to the Patricia Rodrigues Centre. We will be offering them again in Term 4 so look out for the advertisements later in the year.

PUTT	JACINTA & SOPHIA & JULIAN STANTE	GARY, SUZANNE, ALEX & GEORGIA ROBSON	BAILLIE, JENNA MICHAEL LIDDLE 2000→	KAITLYN & CHELSEY CORLEY
LUKE & BEN MALASPINA	MICHAEL & PINA TERACI	LIAM & LOCHIE HAMERSVELD	LIAM & KIERAN WITTCOMB	SKY
LOU & KATHY MURIALE	TOM & SOPHIE WILSON	GEMMA & ELIZABETH LOCKYER	TANIA PALMIERI 2000 - 2004	

 *Thank you to all who supported this project.*

PANKS FAMILY 2010	NICOLLE VANDERPUTT	JACINTA & SOPHIA & JULIAN STANTE	GARY, SUZANNE, ALEX & GEORGIA ROBSON	BAILLIE, JENNA MICHAEL LIDDLE 2000→	KAITLYN & CHELSEY CORLEY	CARY HAYDN, EVAN
JADE DIGIULIO	LUKE & BEN MALASPINA	MICHAEL & PINA TERACI	LIAM & LOCHIE HAMERSVELD	LIAM & KIERAN WITTCOMB	SKYE & LIAM HOLPER	
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Ms Sabrina Lynsdale
Executive Assistant
(Marketing &
Public Relations)

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

The launch of the 2010/2011 Entertainment Books will be held this weekend. All books will be distributed to students/parents on Tuesday 18 May (preference as marked on the order form).

If you wish to purchase a copy of the Entertainment Book, a limited number of books will be on sale for immediate collection from the Accounts Office at the College.

Thank you sincerely for your support. For every book sold the College receives \$13 towards enhancing student resources.

QUIZ NIGHT

Tickets for the Annual Quiz Night and Auction are selling fast. To secure your table, please contact the Administration Office.

Our sincere thanks to the families and businesses who have supported the Quiz Night. To date, we have had generous donations including a fridge, jewellery, microwave, Hotel Accommodation, gift vouchers, meal vouchers, wine/spirits, theme park vouchers, autographed framed memorabilia and many more prizes. If you have a business and are able to donate to ensure the success of our Quiz Night, please contact me.

ART EXHIBITION PARENT HELPERS' MEETING MONDAY 24 MAY 7:00 pm

To ensure that our 25th Art Exhibition and Sale is a success, the committee would greatly appreciate your assistance. The exhibition will be officially opened on Friday 8 October and will continue on Saturday 9 and Sunday 10 October. The Art Exhibition helpers meeting will take place in the College Staffroom on Monday 24 May at 7:00 pm. All details of the exhibition and assistance in catering, advertising, décor, bar, stewards, artworks and set up will be discussed. Your reply to me by phone or email sly@lasalle.wa.edu.au by Monday 17 May would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you to the parents who have already sent their acceptance or apologies for the meeting.

Ms Sabrina Lynsdale
Executive Assistant
(Marketing & Public Relations)

PFFWA INVITATION

The Parents and Friends' Federation of WA (PFFWA) invites you to the 2010 Annual Conference on Saturday 15 May. The conference runs 8:30 am - 5:00 pm with a sundowner from 5:00 - 6:30 pm at Drill Hall, Notre Dame University, Fremantle. Conference is \$30 pp and the sundowner is \$20 pp. There are numerous guest speakers such as Catholic Education Office Director - Ron Dullard and 2009 Scientist of the Year - Prof Cheryl Praeger. For more information contact the PFFWA on 9271 5909 or visit www.pff.wa.edu.au

ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS

OPPORTUNITY TO HOST AN EXCHANGE STUDENT

Nacel is an international student exchange organisation which, for over 40 years, has provided students with the opportunity to discover new things about themselves and the world around them. La Salle College has been invited to participate in the 2010 Nacel Exchange Programme.

Opportunities exist for families at La Salle to host a student for the periods noted below;

Option 1: Host a student from France. The student would be between the ages of 15 and 17. The exchange will be for the period 31 July until 30 August. During this period the exchange student will attend our College. There is no payment available to the host family for this exchange option.

Option 2: Host a student from Italy. The student would be between the ages of 15 and 17. The exchange will be for the period 10 July until 25 September. During this period the exchange student will attend our College. For this exchange period, a weekly payment would be made to the host family by Nacel to assist in meeting the cost of board. Please note the beginning of this exchange is during the Term 2 holidays.

The College intends to accept one exchange student for each of the above programmes. Parents who are interested in participating in the programme are asked to please contact Sue Tischler at Nacel via email sue@nacel.com.au

Parents wishing to find out more about Nacel can do so by viewing the website at www.nacel.com.au

COMMITMENT EXCELLENCE

CONGRATULATIONS NICOLE & KIRI!



Nicole Lendich, Yr 9



Kiri Gobald, Yr 10

Congratulations to Nicole Lendich, Year 9 and Kiri Gobald, Year 10 who have both been selected to represent WA in the 2010 State Schools Netball Team. The girls will be heading off to Toowoomba, QLD from 23 - 30 July. Good luck with your training in the lead up to the competition.



ART - I - FACTS



Ms Natalie Calleja
Learning Area Coordinator
- The Arts



THE WIZ

Our College production is almost ready with cast and crew in the final stages of rehearsals. Director, Ms Belinda Lush is definitely seeing the fruits of her labour as is Music Director, Mr Chris Milne who is revelling in the new surrounds of the resurrected orchestra pit in the Nicolas Barre Auditorium. The shows begin on Wednesday 17 May and concludes with the Saturday night performance on 22 May.

Thank you to all who have secured their seats to this fantastic production! As you can imagine, innumerable hours of practice have gone into this and many people have also given their time willingly, behind the scenes building sets, sewing costumes, choreographing dance numbers, rehearsing the choir and performing many other tasks that are vital to the professional presentation of this musical.

Tickets have sold very quickly but there are still some good seats available on Thursday night (18 May) and the Saturday matinee (22 May). Please contact the College Arts Office to book your seats.

Ms Natalie Calleja
Learning Area Coordinator - The Arts



Our Lady of Fatima

O Most Holy Virgin Mary,
Queen of the most holy Rosary,
you were pleased to appear to the children
of Fatima
and reveal a glorious message.
We implore you,
inspire in our hearts a fervent love
for the recitation of the Rosary.
By meditating on the mysteries of the
redemption
that are recalled therein
may we obtain the graces and virtues that
we ask,
through the merits of Jesus Christ,
our Lord and Redeemer.

SPORT



Mr Ben Dyer
Sport Coordinator



Ms Lindy Reger
Integration of ICT
Across the Curriculum
Coordinator

WINTER SPORT

There is College sport aplenty at the moment with many teams beginning their winter season in recent weeks. Here's an update on what's been happening:

Senior Netball

Our three senior teams have made a promising start to the season and have been performing well in their respective zones. There were some encouraging signs last week against Sacred Heart College in our first double header in the new complex. La Salle Red, under the guidance of Ms Webb remain undefeated, whilst the Green and Yellow teams have been competing well.

Senior Boys Football

Our footballers made an impressive start to their season in the top Cable Division with a resounding win over Sacred Heart College. This team play Mater Dei and then Newman College in the next two weeks and Mr Sorgiovanni is very happy with the progress of this team.

Senior Girls Football

After two forfeits the girls convincingly outplayed Swan View SHS in their first game on Tuesday afternoon. Strong tackling and some fantastic running footy was a feature of the girls play.

Senior Soccer

The senior boys, managed by Mr DiPino, open their season against Guildford Grammar next Thursday, and we wish them all the best.

Junior Boys Soccer

Our two junior teams played their first games this week and are looking forward to their games after some impressive training performances.

Junior Netball

Our six junior teams have been preparing for their High Schools Cup Day Carnival on 27 May for some time now and are raring to go. We thank Ms Cusack, Ms Panebianco, Ms Quinlivan, and Ms Smith for their dedication to these teams.

Hockey

This team is about to begin training in preparation for the ACC Hockey Challenge in late June. Our first foray into this competition will be managed by Ms Murphy and we are looking forward to seeing this team in action.

ACC Cross Country

Students are reminded that training for the upcoming ACC Cross Country Carnival (3 June) is held every Tuesday and Thursday morning at 7:15 am with breakfast provided. An additional session is held after school on Fridays until 4:00 pm. Serious runners and those wishing to improve their fitness are welcome.

Mr Ben Dyer
Sport Coordinator

~ MyInternet for software tutorials ~

Look for the **Useful Tutorials** property when you login to MyInternet. You can access links to online tutorials, and tutorials for teacher, student, and parent use when creating documents in the following suites:

Adobe Master Collection CS4

- InDesign CS4
- Premiere CS4

Microsoft Office 2007

- Online tutorials for Access, Excel, Outlook, PowerPoint, Publisher, and Word

~ ICT Tips for Social Networking Sites ~ Students, parents and staff are advised to take time to read the terms and conditions when signing up to use a social networking site. The following points apply to Facebook. They can be accessed and read in their Privacy Policy and Rights and Responsibility documents. Here are some excerpts:

Content from your profile may be available for viewing by others even when you have deleted the information. This is because you share your content with others and it possibly has been copied, stored and shared by others.

On signing up you are agreeing to your online content being shared and copied by others.

You agree to use the privacy settings of another user when you post on another person's profile or add to another person's comments.

You give Facebook permission to use any property (such as photos) posted on your account until you delete the content or your account. However, if the content has been shared with others "IP License" giving Facebook permission to use the content is still applicable.

Ms Lindy Reger
Integration of ICT Across the Curriculum
Coordinator



**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 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 5 & 6

* Canteen Volunteers
In italics & underlined

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

Thank you.

Sun 16 May	Mon 17 May	Tues 18 May	Wed 19 May	Thurs 20 May	Fri 21 May	Sat 22 May
WEEK 5 CAREERS EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT EXPO CONT.		YR 9 IND ZOO EXCURSION (ALL DAY)	COLLEGE ASSEMBLY			
	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	
COLLEGE PRODUCTION						
NATIONAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT WEEK						
Sun 23 May	Mon 24 May	Tues 25 May	Wed 26 May	Thurs 27 May	Fri 28 May	Sat 29 May
WEEK 6 ONSITE PLACEMENT #1 ENDS THIS WEEK		LANGUAGES WEEK LUNCH YR 12 HOS INCURSION (ALL DAY)	YRs 11 & 12 DRAMA EXCURSION WAAPA (ALL DAY) MACKILLOP HOUSE DAY MCCORMACK PCG MASS		BATTLE OF THE BANDS 7PM	
	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	<i>Help required</i>	
LANGUAGES WEEK						
ASSESSMENT FREE WEEK YRS 10, 11 & 12						

COMMUNITY NEWS

YOUTH WITH A MISSION WINTERCAMP

July school holidays winter camp for youth aged 12 - 18 years to further expand the Kingdom of God in their lives, schools, families and churches through having an intimate and growing relationship with Jesus. Held at the Forest Edge Recreation Camp about 130 km from Perth, the camp will be full of teaching sessions and activities that are dynamic and exciting for youth. Transportation from the Youth With a Mission base to the camp will be provided. For more information phone 9328 5321 or email info@ywamp Perth.org.au

TENNIS COACHING

Ross Gerrans' Tennis School conducts tennis coaching for children and adults in our area. Application forms are available from the office or by calling Ross on 9284 9588 or 0408 945 509. If times and venues are not suitable please call for details of alternative venues.

SWAN VIEW SHOW

The Swan View & Districts Agricultural & Arts Society (Swan View Show) meet on the third Wednesday of each month at Brown Park Swan View. We are a friendly NFP volunteer organisation whose aim is to promote local business and craft. New members very welcome. No experience needed. Our next meeting is on Wednesday 19 May at 7:30 pm. For more details please phone Suzie 9255 1633.

WACE HELP - ACADEMIC TASK FORCE

Saturday and Sunday classes for Year 11 and 12 students in subjects: Maths, Physics, Chemistry, English, Literature, Human Biology and Economics. Small groups with very experienced teachers. **Year 7 - 10 Saturday classes are also available** in English, Maths and Science. For more info contact Dr Robert Hallam on 9317 4421.

NATIONAL HEALTH EXPO - MIDLAND TOWN HALL

All of your health needs under one roof proudly presented by Life Health Centre. This Sunday 16 May from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. Pre-purchase tickets for just \$15 & receive a 20% discount voucher or purchase tickets at the door for \$20. Live demonstrations on Oxygen facials, Irigology, Enar, Bemer, Kinesiology, Live Blood Analysis, Reflexology & Natural makeup. Information sessions on diet & cancer, why hormones are so important, listen to your body & what to look for. For more information visit www.lifehealthcentre.com.au or call 9274 3800.