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Fortnightly newsletter



St John Baptist de La Salle

La Salle College - A Diamond In The Swan Valley

13 February 2015
Term 1 Week 2
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FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Mr Wayne Bull

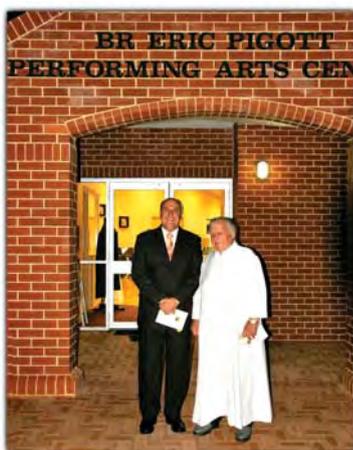


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COMMENCEMENT

As previously stated in my 'back to school letter' in January, welcome to our 1 480 students, particularly to our Year 7s, new students in other year groups and to all new families to the College. We also welcome back 181 staff and welcome to our 19 new staff. We have had a smooth, albeit very hot start to the 2015 academic year. My thanks to all of our committed staff who ensured that everything was in place for Day One!



SAD NEWS

Former College Principal (1962 to 1965), Br Eric Pigott passed away last Saturday 7 February. Br Eric was a wonderful contributor to our College's community, designing the College crest and introducing our motto 'Deo Duce'. He is remembered as a great story teller and a Brother who was passionate about providing his students with the very best opportunities.

Br Eric's Requiem Mass was held in Mentone, Victoria on Tuesday and his Mass of Christian Burial was held today, Friday 13 February 2015 at Oakhill College in Castle Hill, New South Wales. My wife Margaret and I were honoured to represent the College at his burial service. These events were wonderful and fitting celebrations of the life of Br Eric.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace.

There are now only two surviving De La Salle Brothers who worked at De La Salle College, Midland Junction; Br Joe (Emeric) Gabel who lives in Melbourne and Br Brian (Anecletus) Cunningham who resides in Brisbane.

BUSY TIMES - EVENTS COMPLETED

While we are only in Week 2 of the year there have already been a number of events which I would like to highlight:

- Whole College Assembly: Tuesday 3 February.
- College Opening Mass: Wednesday 4 February. This was a wonderful celebration for the College community to celebrate the Eucharist and ask for God's blessings for 2015.
- Onsite Induction Day: Friday 6 February.
- House Breakfasts to welcome new students and their families into the College.
- Year 12 Commissioning & Parent Information Evening: Monday 9 February. A wonderful event where our Year 12s received their senior badges, a symbol of their leadership of our College.
- Daedalus & Prometheus Clubs: These homework/study clubs started in Week 2 and will continue throughout the year for students to peer tutor each other. All students in these years are able to join. Please see Ms Noble (Academic Excellence Coordinator) for details.
- Onsite Parent Information Evening: Tuesday 10 February.
- Year 7 Commissioning & Parent Information Evening: Wednesday 11 February. A great night where our Year 7s were welcomed into the College with their parents/guardians.
- Commissioning Mass for Staff: Thursday 12 February. This important Mass celebrated by Archbishop Costelloe enabled staff in Catholic schools to come together to mark the beginning of the school year.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

The busyness of course does not end! Among important coming events are:

- The Year 7 Experience: Monday 16 – Wednesday 18 February. This programme is a great way for our Year 7s to build friendships and spirit in their House groups, along with the acquiring of important study and life skills for the years ahead.
- NWAS & NEAS sporting competitions: Start Tuesday 17, Wednesday 18 and Thursday 19 February. These competitions are a fun way to represent our College while keeping fit and making new friends.
- Ash Wednesday Mass: Wednesday 18 February. This Mass will mark the commencement of the season of Lent.
- College Photographs: First session is on Thursday 19 February.
- De La Dance: Auditions on Thursday 19 February.
- Music : Lessons have already commenced and all ensemble and rehearsals have begun.
- ACC Inclusive Beach Carnival (Education Support) students: Friday 20 February. This is an invaluable opportunity for our students to enjoy themselves and 'have a go' against other schools in the Associated & Catholic Colleges group.
- Year 10 Information Evening: Tuesday 24 February at 7:00 pm. An important event for parents & guardians to attend outlining what is required of students for the year ahead.
- Inter-House Swimming Carnival: Tuesday 26 February. This all day carnival is compulsory for all students to attend. It's a great day where sportsmanship, fun and competition are enjoyed by all. Students are encouraged to represent their House.

With another full fortnight ahead I strongly encourage all students to take advantage and enjoy the many and varied opportunities which are available to them.

HAPPY NEWS

Congratulations to Melissa Maiolo, English Teacher and her husband Adrian on the birth of their second child, 'Alessia Rose' who was born in January. We also congratulate Alfonso DiPino VET & Solomon House Coordinator and his wife Jo who are proud to announce the birth of their second son, Zane. May these special 'gifts' bring their parents and families much joy and happiness.

NEW TRADE SKILLS CENTRE

The Br Fitzhardinge Trade Skills Centre is now operational. Details of the official blessing and opening will be provided later in the term.

ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL

A reminder to parents of the importance of regular school attendance. Increasingly schools are finding that parents are taking their children out of school for extended periods to take advantage of cheap holidays, usually overseas. Unfortunately, La Salle is not immune to this trend. I would ask that you discuss any planned holidays prior to booking with Adrian Martino, Deputy Principal – Teaching, Learning & Innovation. An extended absence leave form must also be completed and signed by all of your child's teachers.

STUDENTS WHO ARE UNWELL AT SCHOOL

The College is only able to provide immediate first aid to students. If your child is unwell, he or she should not be sent to school. The Sick Bay Area provides temporary respite and normally after one period (about 50 minutes) the student needs to return to class, or if still unwell, parents will be contacted and asked to pick up their child. I know that this can sometimes be inconvenient, but the College is not in a position to provide long term care for sick students. It is important that you have an alternative contact so that if you are unavailable, another family member or friend can pick up and care for your sick child.

With regards to medications, parents are asked to ensure that prescription medicines are left at Student Reception for safe keeping. This will enable the First Aid Officer to supervise the administration of the medication. However, for legal reasons, we do insist that students self-medicate; alternatively if parents do not wish their child to be responsible for taking their medication, they will need to personally attend the school to administer the medication to their child. The only exception to this will be for those students who are in our Education Support Centre, and in this case a Teacher Assistant will assist the student in taking the medication.

The only medication that the College will provide is paracetamol and only if parental permission has been given via the Medical Information Sheet. A reminder too that if your child has a 'new' medical condition, please ensure you complete a new medical form.



DELAGRAM VIA EMAIL

Our fortnightly newsletter (the Delagram) is sent to parents via their personal email address. Parents can also access the Delagram electronically via the College website. For those parents who do not have an email address hard copies are available from Student Reception. I urge you to read the fortnightly Delagram as it will contain important information regarding coming events and other College information.

HOME - SCHOOL COMMUNICATION

I ask that all parents are proactive in taking responsibility for communicating any concerns that you may have to the College as soon as possible. It is only by open and appropriate dialogue that we can hope to sort problems out before they become major issues. Teaching staff have a standing directive from me to alert you if they have serious concerns about any aspect of your son's/daughter's progress.

Please be patient when requesting staff respond to a phone message or email. Teachers, appropriately, should be teaching during the day. Invariably many of them will have meetings or co-curricular commitments after school. They may not get to your message until sometime the following day and usually when they have an administrative period when they are not teaching.

I look forward to the year ahead in supporting your child to be the best he or she can be!

St John Baptist de La Salle
Pray for us
Live Jesus in our hearts
Forever

Mr Wayne Bull
Principal

FROM THE COLLEGE BOARD



On behalf of the La Salle College Board, I take this opportunity to welcome all of you to the 2015 school year. Whether it's your first year or you are returning to La Salle, I hope you are looking forward to experiencing a new year of Lasallian education. This year marks the opening of the spectacular Trades Skill Centre enabling students to have a state of the art training facility in furniture, design and metals. The Friends of La Salle College parent group will once again be involved in supporting the College's activities. Shortly, the first meeting date will be published, so I encourage you to participate in one of the five sub-committees as it is a great way to meet other parents and be involved in the school community.

Mr Joe Marino
Board Chairperson





FROM THE SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM



LETTERS OF AFFILIATION TO THE BROTHERS OF THE CHRISTIAN (DE LA SALLE) SCHOOLS – MR WAYNE BULL

Letters of Affiliation to the Brothers of the Christian Schools by Br Robert Schieler, Superior General of the De La Salle Brothers were conferred on Mr Wayne Bull, Principal last Friday. Brothers, family, colleagues and friends of Mr Wayne Bull gathered in the St John Baptist de La Salle Chapel for a Mass to celebrate this special event.

Very Rev Monsignor Kevin Long delivered the homily and so eloquently captured the essence of how the charism of St John Baptist is lived out today. I quote, “how delighted we are that the Brothers have recognised in Wayne Bull, a Christian man and a Christian educator, who so deeply embodies the charism and values of St John Baptist de La Salle and the Lasallian Tradition. We are celebrating tonight –

and giving thanks to God – (the author of all gifts) – for the good fruit of the Lasallian Charism so richly harvested in the educational ministry of Wayne Bull”.

This great honour truly recognises Wayne's immense commitment towards the values of John Baptist de La Salle and the great admiration he has shown towards Lasallian spirituality.

On behalf of the Lasallian community, I congratulate Wayne and thank him for the leadership he shows in ensuring that La Salle College, Middle Swan continues to do the work of our founder to *teach minds, touch hearts and transform lives*.

2014 YEAR 12 WACE RESULTS

High achievers from the Year 12 2014 student cohort were invited to the first 2015 College assembly, last week, to be acknowledged and congratulated for their hard work and commitment to excellence.

Some key results from 2014 Year 12 students:

- 99.4% WACE graduation.
- 33 students achieved an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) above 80.
- Over 98% of students who received an ATAR have been offered a university course.
- 5 Certificates of Commendation (students who achieve at least 20 'A' grades or VET equivalent over Year 11 and 12).
- In the top 50 schools (for achievement) for Vocational Education & Training (VET).
- 93% of students who participated in VET, achieved Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) Certificate II or higher in Year 12.
- WACE courses with highest performing students in the State:
 - Earth and Environmental Science
 - Psychology
- 7 WACE courses examined had scores higher than the state average.
- 2 students have been offered significant monetary scholarships at Curtin University:
 - Lachlan McBeath (John de Laeter Top Excellence Scholarship) and
 - Alison Edmands (No. 1 ranked ATAR student for Physiotherapy)

I thank the students who attended the assembly: Stephen Beerkens, Alison Edmands, Emma Edmands, Lachlan McBeath, Samantha Pengelly, and Eliza Tuckwell – and wish them well in their chosen field of study. I hope our current students took notice of some of the very sound advice on study techniques our invited guests were able to offer.



FROM THE SENIOR LEADERSHIP TEAM

STUDENT PHOTOS

Academy Photography will be in our school to take photos on:

- **Thursday 19 February – Year 10, 11 and 12 students**
- **Tuesday 10 March – Year 7, 8 and 9 students**

Personal student payment envelopes have been issued to students this week. It is important that these envelopes are returned on school photo day, particularly if you will be ordering photos. Do not send your envelopes to student reception - your child should retain the envelope to give to the photographer on the day.

I ask for parents' support in ensuring their child adheres to the College uniform regulations (pages 38 - 41 Student Organiser) and is well groomed on this day. Year 7 boys have the option of wearing the College tie. Year 8 - 12 boys must wear the College tie.



Mr Rino Randazzo
Vice Principal

CHANGE OF BUS SERVICE FOR BULLSBROOK, CHITTERING & GINGIN STUDENTS

Due to changes in eligibility for students using the Public Transport Authority (PTA) bus services to Bullsbrook at the end of 2014, a meeting was held at the College on Friday 23 January to resolve the transport issues for the affected families. In attendance were Frank Alban (MLA), Shane Love (MLA), Sam Calabrese (Transport Minister's Delegate) and John Bailey (Public Transport Authority). At the meeting a resolution was announced where a new Transperth service would operate between La Salle College and the Bullsbrook terminal.

This new 311 bus service, which requires the standard student fare, operates between the College and Bullsbrook where it links up with the PTA buses (Orange bus) for those students who live beyond Bullsbrook. There have been a number of problems with the morning 311 bus service during the first 2 weeks of school which have caused it to arrive late to the College. Both La Salle, Transperth and Swan Transit have been monitoring the situation and changes have been made which should hopefully get the students to school on time.

I would like to thank the families who attended the initial meeting for voicing their queries and concerns over the removal of the PTA bus service. I also appreciate the efforts of parents in both communicating with the College and with Transperth throughout the start of the year to ensure the service operates as it should.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this bus service please contact me at the College on 9274 6266.

YEAR 8 IMMUNISATION PROGRAM

All students in Year 8 should have received an Immunisation form and envelope in their PCG during Week 1. The form and envelope needs to be completed and brought back to the student's PCA as soon as possible, regardless of whether immunisation is requested. A Health Department nurse will collect these forms from me early next week.

The actual date of the first immunisation is **Thursday 12 March (Week 6)**. The Department of Health will notify us of the subsequent dates for the other 2 vaccinations which will take place over the next 6 months. Further information about this vaccination may be obtained from the Immunise Australia Program website: www.immunise.health.gov.au or on the Infoline: 1800 671 811.



Mr David White
Deputy Principal



ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE



ASPIRE UWA CONCOCO SCIENCE EXPERIENCE & ALVA WORKSHOP

During the holidays nine of our Year 10 and 11 students were awarded Aspire UWA Scholarships to attend the ConocoPhillips Science Experience and the ALVA Design Studio experience. These workshops took place at UWA on 20 - 22 January 2015 and were valued at \$250 each.

The students were able to take part in hands on activities within various faculties at UWA and experience university life first hand, as well as have the opportunity to mix with current students.

Congratulations to the following students:

- Daniel Witham
- Elisha Reynolds
- Chejienna Frigula
- Samuel Thornbury
- Tristan Wood
- Lily West
- Zane Sanders
- William Battistessa
- Jemima Thomas

Below is an excerpt from one of the students who attended:

“During the holidays we were lucky enough to be selected for the Aspire UWA ConocoPhillips Science experience.

We spent three days conducting science experiments and learning about different areas within the Science faculties at the University of Western Australia. Current university students also talked to us about their experiences.

The three days were amazing. On the last afternoon we had an afternoon tea where each of us was presented with a certificate.”



Chejienna Frigula
Year 11

OUTER METRO PROGRAM FOR ASSURED ENTRY INTO MEDICINE & DENTISTRY

High achieving students who may be interested in a career in Medicine or Dentistry are invited to attend an information and registration session at 4:00 pm on Wednesday 18 February with Sue Pougault from UWA.

La Salle students are able to enter the highly competitive Medicine and Dentistry course with a reduced ATAR and all interested students are invited to attend the information session.



Ms Marie Noble
Academic Excellence Coordinator



ALL PARENTS & STUDENTS

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Units of Work

It's hard to believe we are already at the end of Week 2. The year has started smoothly in the RE Learning Area and lessons are well under way with the new units of work for this year.

The units being covered this term in Year 7 - 9 are:

- Year 7 – *Basic RE Knowledge, Lasallian Heritage and Freed to Live Like Jesus*
- Year 8 – *Belonging and Acceptance in Catholic Communities*
- Year 9 – *The Human Spirit of Truth*

The units being covered this semester in Year 10 - 12 are:

- Year 10 – *Vocation: Called to Be and Become and The Search for Freedom*
- Year 11 General – *Religion and Life: Religion as a Human Activity*
- Year 11 ATAR – *Religion and Life: The Place of Religion in Society*
- Year 12 1C – *Religion and Life: Religion and Lifestyles*
- Year 12 3A – *Religion and Life: Connection and Challenge in Religion*

Course Outlines and Planners

All course outlines and planners are accessible on Simon. Please ask your child to log onto their account so you may look at these and follow your child's learning in Religious Education.



Fr Leonard Macionczyk – College Chaplain

This week all Year 7 and 8 classes visited the St John Baptist de La Salle Chapel, where Fr Leonard explained etiquette and emphasised how the chapel is a sacred space.

For the remainder of the term, Fr Leonard will be listening to individual reconciliation with all the Year 11 and 12 students.

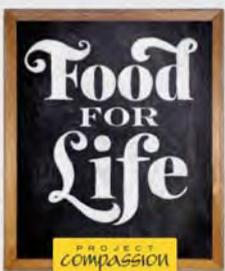
Lent

Next Wednesday is Ash Wednesday, which marks the beginning of Lent. Lent is a season of fasting, praying and almsgiving. During Religious Education lessons students will be given the opportunity to make a Lenten Promise, which could be things such as:

- doing a good deed (eg. making your bed each morning without being asked; setting the table for dinner each night; helping a younger sibling with homework; saying hello to someone outside of your friendship circle; etc).
- making a sacrifice (eg. not buying an ice cream from the canteen and donating that money to Project Compassion; playing on the Xbox for 1 hour instead of 2; spending less time watching TV and more time with your family; etc).

Project Compassion

This year's Project Compassion stories focus on the ways in which Caritas Australia is working around the world to empower vulnerable people to establish sustainable food sources and develop income streams for life. Your donations to Project Compassion allow Caritas Australia, the Catholic Agency for International Aid and Development, to work towards a more just and fair world, where the basic human right for food is met and sustained. Please put your compassion into action this Lent by supporting Project Compassion 2015. To find out more please visit the Caritas website: www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion.





CLICK ON

The Simon Parent Access Module



1 College Web Page
www.lasalle.wa.edu.au

2 Click Simon Parent Access Module

3 Enter Login details. New families 2015, your passwords will be issued soon. Lost passwords phone 9274 6266.

Parent Access Module Login

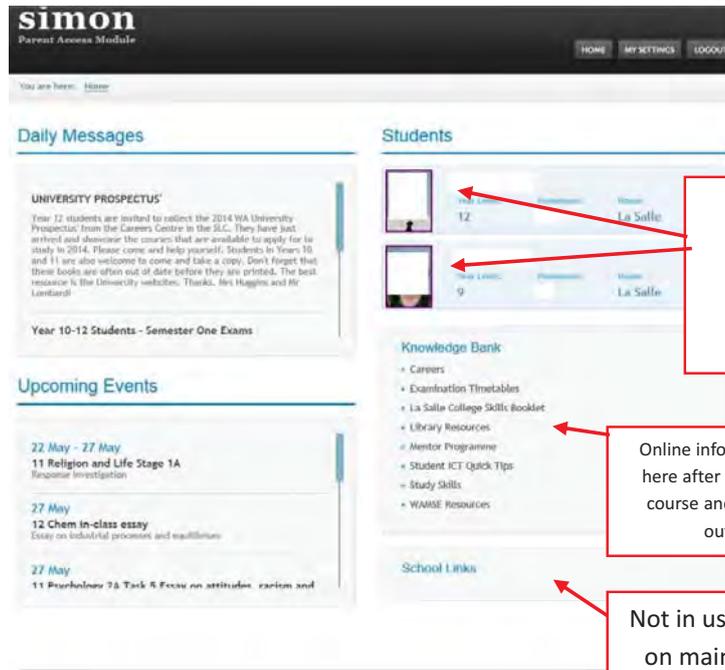
Please login with the credentials supplied by your school.

Username:

Password:

[Forgot Password?](#)

HOME PAGE



Administrative notices for the day.

Upcoming Year 11 and 12 assessments (not general events as name suggests).

Your children. Click a name or photo to go to a student's page. See details this article

Online information. Look here after week 4 to see course and assessment outlines.

Not in use. See links on main website.

STUDENT PAGE



Subject Lesson times.

Behaviour notes. Numbers only. You need to make contact to find out more.

Attendance records for the student.

Semester Report.

See below.

Personal Details

Student Timetable

Behavioural Tracking

Student Attendance

Student Assessment

Learning Areas

[View other students](#)

Personal Details

Title :
Initials :
Surname :
Given 1 :
Given 2 :
Preferred :
Gender :
Date of Birth :
Email Address :
Login Name :



CLICK ON

LEARNING AREAS PAGE

Personal Details
Student Timetable
Behavioural Tracking
Student Attendance
Student Assessment
Learning Areas

Display Learning Area Task Summary

Click here to see this.

Task Due Dates

June

- June 17 12ENG3A02 - ENGLISH 3A
- June 25 12PES3A01 - PHYSICAL ED

Timetabled Classes

(Click Subject for Task Results)

Click subject for summary of assignments.

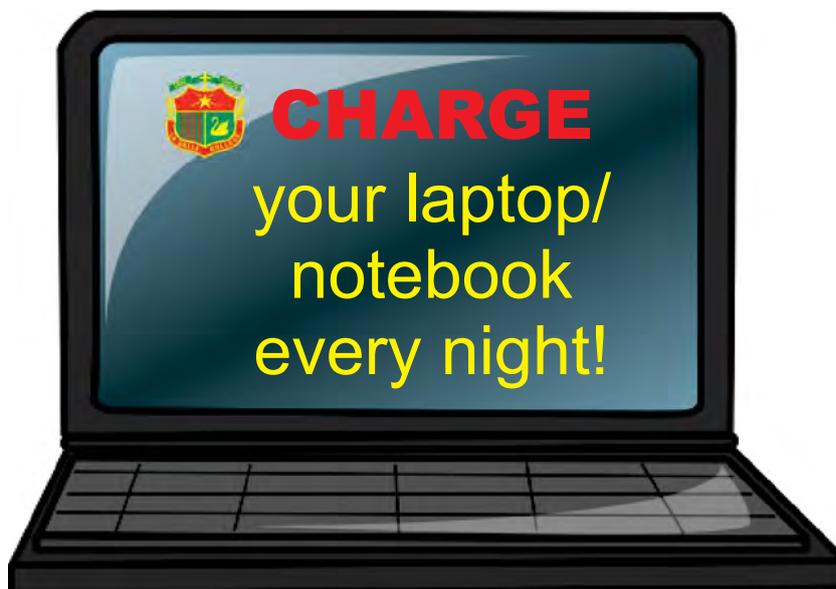
CHEMISTRY
 ENGLISH
 MATHEMATICS
 PCG -
 PHYSICAL EDUCATION
 RELIGION AND LIFE

Click digits for details.

Assessment Tasks

Complete	Active	Overdue
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2	1	1
0	0	0
0	0	0
1	1	0
2	0	0
0	0	0

- Notes:
1. 'Homework Tasks' is not in use.
 2. The Parent Access Module does not have all the resources etc. available to students. To see these, use your student's login via College Website |Simon.
 3. For further information regarding your student's progress email the subject teacher. A link to teachers' email addresses can be found on the front page of the Parent Access Module.





CAREERS/ONSITE & VET

AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCE ACADEMY (ADFA) 2016 APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN

Applying for ADFA is a competitive process, which can take 12 months or more, therefore it is recommended that students apply in Year 11. Students are able to apply any time after their 16th birthday, with parental consent. Here's a breakdown of the application time line that we recommend for applicants who are in Year 12 now and who will commence ADFA studies and training in January 2016:

- **June 2014 — March 2015:** Submit an application for ADFA by calling 131 901 or by visiting www.defencejobs.gov.au
- **June 2014 — March 2015:** Attend a YOU session in Perth to check eligibility.
- **January 2015 — May 2015:** Attend an Assessment Session in Perth to receive a recommendation to attend an Officer Selection Board.
- **April 2015 — September 2015:** Attend an Officer Selection Board in Canberra and, if successful, receive a job offer (pending completion of Year 12 subjects and university entrance ATAR requirements).
- **August 2015 — September 2015:** Apply through Universities Admissions Centre (UAC - www.uac.edu.au) for entrance to UNSW at ADFA. At the same time, you can also apply to study at another university at your own cost (through TISC if you wish to study in WA), in case you don't receive an ADFA job offer for January 2016.
- **January 2016:** Attend your appointment Ceremony and start your career in the Australian Defence Force as an Army or Air Force Officer Cadet or a Navy Midshipman.

AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCE GAP YEAR

Australian Defence Force Gap Year will be back again for **2016** and will once again have a very limited application time of two weeks (prior expression of interest will likely be required). It is expected that there will be an increased number of jobs and positions available for 2016.

2016 Gap Year program key timings:

- Expression of Interest webpage opened 9:00 am (AEDT) Friday 23 January 2015.
- Applications open 9:00 am (AEDT) Monday 2 March 2015.
- Applications close midnight (AEDT) Saturday 14 March 2015.

Further information is available at <http://www.defencejobs.gov.au/education/GapYear/>



Ms Kristy Harper
Careers Counsellor



ONSITE INDUCTION DAY

On Friday 6 February new Onsite students from Year 11 and 12 had their Induction Day at the Rise in Maylands.

Simulating a work experience environment, students had to make their way to the venue, with punctuality and dress standards being of high priority. Occupational Health and Safety was another topic covered extensively. All students are to be congratulated on the manner in which they presented on the day and the enthusiasm displayed throughout the information sessions.

The students were fortunate to have guest speakers address them from industry and Central Institute (TAFE). They also engaged in small group sessions organised by Mr Parsons, Ms Radovanovic and Mrs Miller. Many thanks to these staff for their preparation and presentations.

Also, many thanks to Mrs Laurent, Ms Piggott and Mr Randazzo for their assistance throughout the day.

Onsite commenced today, Friday 13 February and we wish all students a successful placement 1 in the work experience program.



Mr Silvio Lombardi
Onsite Coordinator



iCENTRE

*“The iCentre
is a
central place
of
learning within
our
College community.”*



'iCENTRAL' iCENTRE!

There has been a buzz of activity in 'iCentral' since it opened its doors at the start of the school year, welcoming new and returning students. Students use the iCentre's vibrant learning spaces to sit and talk, play cards and board games, play approved educational computer games, and read, as well as completing their homework and studying. By the end of the first week students had received their identification barcodes and were able to borrow from the collection.

iCentre Staff

Mrs Lindy Reger
Mr Andy Vella
Ms Margret-Ann Lieuwes
Mrs Elena Preiato
Mrs Renae McPherson
Mrs Diane Burgess

iCentre Coordinator
ICT Across the Curriculum Coordinator
Teacher Librarian
Library Technician
Library Officer (Monday – Thursday)
Library Officer (Friday)

Opening Hours

8:25 am – 5:00 pm
8:00 am – 5:00 pm
8:00 am – 4:00 pm

Monday **Students can only return items and collect printing.*
Tuesday to Thursday
Friday

Note: The iCentre is closed the first half of lunch, and Monday before school.

During class times students are required to bring a note signed by the teacher in their Organiser to collect printing, use the equipment (staplers, hole punch, paper cutter, spiral binder and A4/A3 laminator), to study or to seek assistance when searching and borrowing resources.

After Hours Study

The iCentre offers a place for students, particularly for students in Years 7 - 9, to come after school sign in and complete their homework or study. Students can seek assistance with homework from the teachers on duty. The teachers and their specialist areas of expertise are:

Monday: Mr Matthew Pinkerton - English, S&E, Science and RE
Tuesday: To be advised
Wednesday: Mrs Peta Handley (S&E)
Thursday: Mrs Lina Valkoff (English and S&E)
Mrs Margret-Ann Lieuwes (Mathematics)

The iCentre is a central place of learning within our College community. It reflects the convergence of information and technologies characteristic of a modern school. The iCentre staff aim to provide your child with opportunities that will empower their learning and assist them with their technology use, faith formation, recreational activities and social interaction.



Mrs Lindy Reger
iCentre Coordinator



THE ARTS

DE LA DANCE ENSEMBLE AUDITIONS Years 9 - 12

Calling all dancers! De La Dance is back for 2015. If you have a passion for dance we would love to see you at our after school auditions on Thursday 19 February from 3:30 – 5:00 pm. If you haven't signed up already, please see me for further information.

We can't wait to see you.

Ms Belinda Lush
Director of Dance



MUSIC

YEAR 7 BAND

The La Salle College Music Department warmly welcomes its newest members in the form of its 2015 Year 7 Band. Lessons have commenced this week and Year 7 Band rehearsals will commence in Week 5 on Thursday 5 March from 3:30 – 4:30 pm in the Band Room. All members are required to attend. See you all there!

MUSIC LESSONS

Students are reminded to inform their classroom teacher of when they have an upcoming lesson and to take their timetable to class for evidence of each weeks lesson.

Any lesson time changes must be made prior to the day of the lesson, as all assessments, excursions etc are given adequate notice as to when they will be held.

COLLEGE CHOIR

All students of the College are invited to participate in our wonderful College Choir directed by Ms Webb. Please see Mr Milne or Ms Webb if you are interested in joining.

FRIENDS OF MUSIC WINE AND CHEESE NIGHT

The Friends of Music Committee is holding a Wine and Cheese night on Tuesday 17 February at 7:00 pm for new parents to the Music Department in the Peter Elloy Staff Centre.

All new music parents should have received an email invitation. Please contact Mr Milne if you didn't and are interested in coming along.

Mr Christopher Milne
Director of Music



COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE

CONGRATULATIONS KELSEY!

Congratulations to Year 10 student, Kelsey Brennan who was selected in the WA Heat U15 Youth Women's Baseball Team which competed at the national championships in Canberra in January. The team came 2nd to NSW. Kelsey was in top form and was awarded the Golden Arm and the MVP for the tournament. She was then selected in the U18 Australian Women's Baseball team who are currently in Hong Kong competing in the 2015 Phoenix Cup.





NEWS



CATHOLIC NEWS

IGNITE LIVE- CATHOLIC YOUTH EVENT

Ignite Live is a large concert event coming to Perth for the first time this month. This is a Catholic Youth event totally different to anything held before, and has been very popular on the east coast of Australia. Anyone and everyone is welcome to attend. The first event is on Friday night 27 February at Prendiville College Performing Arts Centre. To get an idea of what to expect check out the website igniteyouth.com/Perth

MARANATHA CENTRE FOR ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Looking for some soul-food now the kids are back at school? Married to a Catholic, but not one yourself? Just want to explore something new? Why not take a course at the Maranatha Centre for Adult Faith Formation. Many courses are during school time, there are no exams or assignments, and you don't have to be a 'good' Catholic (or a Catholic at all!). Topics for Term 1 include 'Exploring Faith: Theology for Beginners,' and 'Ways of Praying'. For more information or to register for a course, visit www.maranathacentre.org.au or call 9241 5221.

COMMUNITY NEWS

ST GERARD'S PRIMARY SCHOOL – GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY 2015

The official opening of the 50th Anniversary year will begin with Mass on Sunday 22 February at 11:00 am. A family fun day and display of school memorabilia will take place after Mass. All current and former students, their families and staff are invited to attend. Please RSVP to: The School Secretary on 6241 8500, by email to admin@stgerards.wa.edu.au or message us through Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/stgerardscatholicprimaryschool> Remember to 'like' and 'share' our page to help to spread the information.

SEEN & HEARD DROP IN SESSIONS – SWAN VIEW YOUTH CENTRE

Free food, drinks and fun activities each week at the Swan View Youth Centre, 116 Salisbury Road, Swan View. Tuesday afternoons during school terms from 3:00 – 5:00 pm, ages 12 years + For information contact Seen and Heard on 9255 2570 or email seenandheard@parkerville.org.au

LIFE CYCLE FOR CANTEEN

Past parent of the College, Mr Francis Vivier will be participating in his 7th ride for Life Cycle for CanTeen from Perth to Busselton covering over 300kms from 7 - 9 March. This organisation works hard to help young people from 12 to 24 years affected by cancer. Most of the work is done by volunteers so any money raised goes directly into programs that help the children and their families. Please click on the link below to find out more about his story and if you are able to, to make a donation <https://lifecycleonroad2015.everydayhero.com/au/francis-vivier>



LOCAL PARISH INFORMATION

ST BRIGID'S CHURCH – MIDLAND

Fr Kenneth Asaba

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
(4 th Sunday of the month)	
Thursday Italian Mass	9:30 am
Reconciliation Saturday	11:00 am to 12 noon

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH – HERNE HILL

Fr Kenneth Asaba

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 Bronislaw Pietrusewicz

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 am & 5:15 pm to 5:45 pm & any time on request

GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH - LOCKRIDGE

Rev Fr Aloysius Leong

Corner Morley Drive and Altone Road

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

SACRED HEART CHURCH - MUNDARING

Fr Dominic Savio

200 Coolgardie Street

[facebook.com/sacredheartmundaring](https://www.facebook.com/sacredheartmundaring)

sacredheartpriest@westnet.com.au

Saturday (Reconciliation)	9:00 am
Saturday	8:30 am
Saturday	
(Young Hearts Mass – children, teenagers & family)	6:00 pm
Sunday	9:15 am

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL – CHIDLOW

Fr Dominic Savio

Wilcox Street & Northam Road

Sunday (Mass)	7:30 am
Reconciliation	7:00 am
(3 rd Sunday of each month)	

ST JOSEPH'S CHURCH - BASSENDEAN

Fr Son Kim Nguyen

20 Hamilton Street

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

ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHURCH – MAIDA VALE

Fr Francis Ly

Corner of Hawtin & Lilian Roads

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

HOLY FAMILY CHURCH – KALAMUNDA

Fr Greg Donovan

Corner of Burt Street & Railway Road

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)	

ST MARY'S PARISH - GUILDFORD

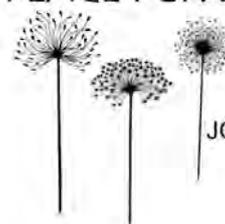
Fr Anand Reddy

Corner of James & Attfield Streets

Usual Mass times:

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

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I LEAVE WITH YOU;
MY PEACE I GIVE YOU.



JOHN 14:27

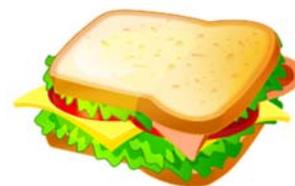


CALENDAR Term 1 WEEK 3 - 4



<p>Sun 15 Feb</p> <p>WEEK 3</p>	<p>Mon 16 Feb</p> <p>Year 8 <i>Touching Hearts</i> Commences</p>	<p>Tues 17 Feb</p> <p>Years 7 & 8 NWAS Commences (4-5pm)</p> <p>Transition Students' Excursion</p>	<p>Wed 18 Feb</p> <p>Assembly Times</p> <p>Ash Wednesday Mass</p> <p>Years 8 & 9 NEAS Commences (4-5pm)</p> <p>Years 9 & 10 NWAS Commences (4-5pm)</p>	<p>Thurs 19 Feb</p> <p>Community Mass (8am)</p> <p>College Photographs</p> <p>Year 7 NEAS Commences (4-5pm)</p>	<p>Fri 20 Feb</p> <p>Solomon House New Student Breakfast</p> <p>La Salle House New Student Breakfast</p> <p>Last day for Years 8 & 9 Elective Changes</p> <p>ACC Inclusive Beach Carnival (Education Support)</p>	<p>Sat 21 Feb</p>
<p>Year 7 Experience</p>						
<p>Sun 22 Feb</p> <p>WEEK 4</p>	<p>Mon 23 Feb</p> <p>Year 12 Geography Excursion (All Day)</p>	<p>Tues 24 Feb</p> <p>Year 10 Information Evening (7pm)</p>	<p>Wed 25 Feb</p> <p>Long PCG Times</p> <p>Mutien House Mass</p> <p>Brigid House Day</p>	<p>Thurs 26 Feb</p> <p>Community Mass (8am)</p> <p>Inter-House Swimming Carnival (All Day)</p>	<p>Fri 27 Feb</p> <p>Yr 10 Business Studies Excursion (All Day)</p>	<p>Sat 28 Feb</p>

LA SALLE COLLEGE CANTEEN



SUMMER MENU

MONDAY

Meal Deal \$5.00
1/2 wrap choice of filling
Bottle of water
Jelly cup

Hawaiian Sub \$4.50
Chicken Sub \$4.50
1/2 Chicken sub \$2.50



TUESDAY

Meal Deal \$5.00
Small salad choice of meat or egg
Juice box
Jelly cup

Burgers \$4.50

WEDNESDAY

Meal Deal \$5.00
Spicy chicken strip & salad
Juice box
Jelly cup
1/2 Toasted Turkish Breads \$2.50
Toasted Turkish Breads \$5.00
(Ham & cheese, Chicken & cheese)
Hot Chicken Roll \$4.50



THURSDAY

Meal Deal \$5.00
1/2 wrap choice of filling
Small Juice
Jelly cup

Chicken Souvlaki \$5.00
Lamb Souvlaki \$5.00



FRIDAY

Fish & Wedges \$5.00
Wedges \$2.50
Hot Dog \$3.50
Large Pie \$3.70
Roadie \$3.00
Sausage Roll \$2.60



SALADS \$4.00

Monday - Pasta Salad
Tuesday - Caesar Salad
Wednesday - Couscous Salad
Thursday - Greek salad

BREAKFAST

Bacon egg & cheese muffin \$3.50
Hash brown \$1.00
Ham & cheese croissant \$3.50
Rounder \$2.50

DAILY

Pasta & meatballs \$4.00
Pasta \$3.00
Toasted sandwiches \$3.50
B.L.T. \$3.20
Pizza boats \$2.50
Nuggets & sauce \$2.50
Cheesies \$1.50
Chico roll \$2.80
Corn jack \$2.80
Lasagne \$3.00
Nachos \$3.50

FRIDGE

1/2 Salad Wraps \$3.00
Sandwiches - choice of fillings \$4.00
Rolls - choice of fillings \$4.50
Continental rolls \$5.50
Large Salad \$6.00
Small Salad \$4.00
Large sushi \$5.50
Small sushi \$4.00
Fruit 60c
Yoghurts \$2.00
Jelly \$1.50

DRINKS

Large flavoured milk \$3.60
Small flavoured milk \$2.60
L.O.L. \$2.50
Large juice \$3.60
Small juice \$2.60
Juice box \$1.00
Water \$2.00
Flavoured water \$3.60
Iced tea \$3.60
Up and Go \$2.50





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Teaching Minds,
Transforming Lives*

ENROLMENTS YEAR 7 2017

Enrolments for Year 7 2017 are now being accepted. For a prospectus and enrolment form, please contact La Salle College on 9274 6266 or visit the College website <http://www.lasalle.wa.edu.au/enrolments> and click on Request Enrolment Package.

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS YEAR 7 2016

Saturday 14 March 2015
Closing date: 4 March 2015

La Salle College invites applications for Year 7 2016 Academic Scholarships. The scholarship offers successful applicants full tuition through to Year 10. The examination will take place at La Salle College on **Saturday 14 March 2015** from 9am to 11.30am. Closing date for registration is **4 March**. No late applications will be accepted.

The Scholarship Selection Test is run by the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) and incurs a fee. For further information, please contact Ms Angela Johnson, Learning Area Coordinator for Learning Support on 9274 6266. To register, please visit the direct La Salle College ACER link <https://scholarships.acer.edu.au/intro/478>



OPEN DAY

Tuesday 31 March 2015

Tour times: 9:30am and 1:40pm

We welcome you to view our extensive facilities including the newly opened Br Fitzhardinge Trade Skills Centre.

To book your preferred tour time, please contact the Community Relations Department on 9449 0635 or email communityrelations@lasalle.wa.edu.au

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