Dear St Michael’s College Community,

A warm welcome back to all staff, students and families for Term 2.

I trust that the SMC community had a well-earned break, as well as the opportunity to spend time with family over the Easter weekend. While Easter fell during the holidays, Easter Liturgies were held at each Campus, as a celebration of this most important part our Catholic identity.

ANZAC services were also held at each Campus this week. I never cease to be amazed at the reverence and respect shown by our young people on such occasions. The increased acknowledgment of ANZAC Day by Australians in general, but particularly our young, is clearly not a celebration of war, but a deep respect for the ANZAC spirit and those who have served and died to provide us the freedoms we enjoy.

The Primary Campus ANZAC service focused on the Andrew Chinn song We Will Remember Them (My Grandfather’s Hat), inspired by the journey home to Australia of his grandfather’s slouch hat and dedicated to all ANZACs. The backdrop to the Secondary Campus service was built around images from the St Michael’s College 2013 Battlefields tour of France and was wonderfully led by our College Leaders. A minute’s silence in the presence of over 1000 staff and students is an extremely powerful experience.

ACADEMIC ASSEMBLY
It has been pleasing to see the manner in which students have returned to their learning programs so quickly at the beginning of term. In many ways this is not really surprising, as the learning environment and tone is consistently positive across the College. This positive learning environment remains the responsibility of us all and is essential to achieving best outcomes for students. It was therefore very satisfying to see over 300 students acknowledged for Academic Endeavour Awards at Wednesday’s Years 8 – 10 Assembly. To achieve this Award, students must receive an “Excellent” or “Good” for Application to Study and Behaviour in every subject undertaken. Not only does this put these students in the best position for success, it adds to a learning environment that benefits all students as they strive to be the best they can be. A full list of award recipients is on the following page. Well done!

WINTER SPORT
Twenty five boys’ teams from the Secondary Campus will kick the winter season off in a range of sports this weekend, including Football, Soccer, Basketball and Table Tennis. It is terrific to have such a high level of involvement in this aspect of the co-curricular program, for as we know, the benefits are many and varied. This is a time when friendships are formed, new experiences enjoyed and community is strengthened and I look forward to watching the many skills on display, the teamwork develop and the sportsmanship flourish while representing St Michael’s College. Into the next weekend, we will see the numbers swell as the primary and girls programs get underway. Good luck to all.

John Foley
Principal
# MID-SEMESTER I, 2014 ACADEMIC AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to the following students in Years 8, 9 and 10 who achieved Academic Excellence or Academic Endeavour awards for their Mid-Semester I studies.

## Academic Excellence: presented to those who achieved an ‘A’ grade across their Mid-Semester I subject areas.

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### Additional Information
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ST MICHAEL’S COLLEGE DIAMOND JUBILEE 1954 - 2014

60TH ANNIVERSARY MASS
Celebrating 60 Years of Lasallian Education at St Michael’s

The College community is excited to be able to celebrate 60 Years of Lasallian Education in 2014. On Thursday 15 May at 1:50 pm, on the Feast Day of our Founder St John Baptist De La Salle, primary and secondary students and staff will join together to celebrate Mass in the Henley Campus Founders Hall.

Primary students and staff will travel to the Henley Campus via buses and will be dismissed from that Campus. Specific details will be forwarded to primary parents shortly. If you have any queries relating to this event, please do not hesitate to make contact.

There will be another opportunity later in the year for all community members to celebrate our Diamond Jubilee. Further details will be advised as they come to hand.

If you are an Old Scholar, don’t forget to update your contact details via the website: http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/old-scholars.

Diamond Jubilee School Photo
The two campuses will again join together on Friday 29 August for a full school photo. Copies of the memento will be available for purchase through Academy Photographers. Further arrangements and details regarding purchasing your copy will be made available in due course.

Mr John Lambert, Deputy Principal – Pastoral (Secondary)
Mr Kym Clark – Director Lasallian Mission (Primary)

MAD QUIZ NIGHT
BACK TO THE 1980’S
FRIDAY 30 MAY 7:30 PM
EAGLES CLUB, OVAL AVENUE, WOODVILLE

Gather a group of friends together for what WILL BE a fun-filled night. Come dressed in your favourite 1980’s attire. This year we have a limit of 25 tables of 10 so book early.

$10.00 per head
BYO Supper
Drinks must be purchased at the bar and not brought into the venue.
Booking forms are attached or available to download from the website. Tables MUST be pre-booked.

CAN YOU HELP US?
Are you the owner of a business who could assist us? Since 2005, over $300,000 has been raised by the St Michael’s Community to aid the Lasallian Foundation’s valuable work around the world. Preparations for the 2014 MAD Quiz Night are well underway and we are seeking your support in the form of donations for raffles and auctions. No donation is too small.

In recognition of your support, businesses will have their logos displayed on the night and in our weekly newsletter, The Star.

Donations can be left at either Campus Administration office. If you have any queries, please contact Helen Murphy or Caryn Fielke at the Secondary Campus: 8356 5966 or email us at smc@smc.sa.edu.au.

Click here to view the booking form.

MASS
Parents and parishioners are warmly invited to attend Mass at either Campus each week during school time. Please do not hesitate to contact the College with any queries.

PRIMARY: Thursday at 9:05am
SECONDARY: Wednesday 9:00am

TERM 2
(Subject to change)

MAY
7   Academic Assembly (Years 11 & 12)
7-9  Year 11 Geography Camp
9  School Photos 9:00 am (P)
Garden Committee Meeting 3:30 pm
9-11  Generations in Jazz
11  Mothers Day
13-15  NAPLAN (P) & (S)
14  RAP - Driver Education Parent Evening 7pm
De La Salle Community Day (P)
15  Feast of St John Baptist De La Salle - Full school Mass @ Secondary Campus 1:50pm
International Day of Families
16  Year 9 Retreat
19-23  Year 11 Work Experience
20  ICAS Computer Skills – Year 6
20-22  Year 12 Drama Production 7:00pm
22  Year 8 Immunisations
Year 10 Activities Day
23  Primary Campus Assembly 9:00 am (P)
Year 9 Geography Excursion Belair
26  National Sorry Day
26-30  Enrolment Interviews (P)
27 – 3  National Reconciliation Week
28  Parent/Teacher Interviews (S)
Students conclude at 12:55pm
29  Year 9 Immunisations
30 – 1  Big Band Blast (S)
MAD QUIZ NIGHT
NAPLAN TESTING 2014
All students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9 will undertake National testing in Literacy and Numeracy over a three day period in May.

The NAPLAN is a nationally developed program commissioned by the Ministerial Council for Education, Early Childhood Development and Youth Affairs (MCEECDYA). The tests are administered simultaneously in all schools across Australia. NAPLAN tests are another way of finding out what students can and cannot do so that support can be provided. As such, it is a valuable diagnostic tool for teachers so that they can individualise students’ learning programs. At St Michael’s, our teachers have been working with students so they are prepared for their upcoming tests. This assists in alleviating any anxiety students may be experiencing as the test dates draw near so that they can perform to the best of their abilities. NAPLAN individual student reports show the achievement of an individual student in a series of bands, against National Minimum Standards and the ranges of achievement for the middle 60% of students in Australia. These reports are expected to be ready for distribution to parents/caregivers during September. Further information for parents can be accessed from the website: www.nap.edu.au

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Ms Kemp, Director of Teaching & Learning

Click here to see additional Parent Information relating to NAPLAN.

ROAD AWARENESS PROGRAM FOR PARENTS
You are invited to attend a powerful Road Awareness Program that could save your life.

For Year 11 & Year 12 Parents (friends and old scholars are also welcome to attend).

WEDNESDAY 14 MAY @ 7:00 PM
ST MICHAEL’S COLLEGE
MACKILLOP CENTRE ~ SECONDARY CAMPUS

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST HERE: HTTPS://WWW.SURVEYMONKEY.COM/S/BLSV263

Parents are you interested in keeping your child safe on the road?
Please click on the photo or link below to find out how:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KAuJdSxTA

Prepare to be challenged, moved and enlightened in this 90 minute investment in your safety and that of your children.

St Michael’s College has partnered with the SA Metropolitan Fire Service, Save a Life Australia and Adelaide BMW to deliver this presentation to the parents of children learning to drive. It will focus on our role as responsible drivers and road users and how we can pass our knowledge onto the next generation of drivers. Road crashes are the number one cause of death of 16 - 24 year olds throughout Australia. This RAP presentation will be as confronting as it will be inspiring.

“The benefits to all communities are far reaching. We believe that we really can start to make a difference to how all future and current drivers behave on our roads.” Darren Davis, Save a Life Australia.

Please note:
- St Michael’s College Year 11 students will attend their own RAP presentation held the next day, hence are not required to attend this event.
- This presentation is not suitable for young children.
CYBERSMART
The next Chatterbox episode is available now and we would encourage parents to tune into the Chatterbox series and participate in the online forum so that stories and experiences can be shared. Visit: https://promo-manager.server-secure.com/em/mail/view.php?id=591059414@a=87111&k=0ab5288

PROJECT COMPASSION
Families are asked to return their Project Compassion boxes as soon as possible. The support of the works of Caritas Australia through your generosity is very much appreciated.

PRIMARY CAMPUS PHOTOS
Class and individual photos will be taken of students in Reception to Year 7 on Friday 9 May. Photo envelopes (barcoded specifically to identify your son) have been distributed; please return the envelope to your son’s class teacher even if you do not intend to purchase photos. Students will require their full college uniform which includes the blazer for Years 5 – 7. Family envelopes are available from the Primary Administration Centre.

TERM 2 – WINTER UNIFORM
Parents are advised Term 2 sees the transition to the full College Uniform including blazer and tie for students Year 5 and onwards. Please refer to the College Diary for specific details. Please contact the uniform shop to make an appointment for a fitting or to order your uniform items either in person or by phoning 8150 2306.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMS
Parents wishing their sons to receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist need to make contact with their Parish. The Parish Administrator will be able to guide you through the process. St Michael’s College does not conduct a Sacramental Program at this point in time.

PARKING
Compliance officers will continue to monitor the outer perimeter of the school and side streets regularly. Parking infringement notices will be issued if road users do not adhere to parking signs around the school and in particular in Hubbard Street. We also ask road users to ensure their vehicles are not parked in or across the driveways of our neighbours.

MOBILE MUSTER AT THE PRIMARY CAMPUS
As part of our concern for the environment and our SEMP program the school now has a “Mobile Muster” recycling collection box for old mobile phones. It is kept in the Administration building under the digital display. Here your old mobile phones are recycled in a 6 step process that keeps what is reusable and safely disposes of toxic metals to keep them out of our land fill. For more information go to http://www.mobilemuster.com.au/.

TERM 2 AT SMC JUNIOR PRIMARY
The Junior Primary boys arrived back at school with broad smiles on their faces ready to start Term 2. Term 1 had been a hard slog for the Receptions with so many routines to remember, things to get organized, teacher names to learn and a new playground to navigate. By the end of Term 1, they were exhausted and certainly needed a break. The Year 1’s handled things a bit better because they are now old hands at this school caper, but were happy to take a break too!

Term 2 will be filled with learning for the Receptions about animal habitats, Easter (the happy part) and lots of Maths, Science and even a few special visitors who could “crack up” whilst they visit. The Year 1’s are looking forward to getting healthy with ‘Healthy Habits’ unit – so watch out lunchboxes, you are in for a makeover! They will also be ‘Spotting the Difference’ in Science, so get ready for a whole bunch of exciting questions!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the parents who help out in a variety of ways in our classrooms. If you have not helped out yet, please consider yourself invited to assist with reading activities and literacy blocks in the mornings, art, PE, class hands on activities, excursions – and if you have any special skills that you can share, please let the teachers know so we can utilize those skills throughout the year. Just ensure that you have completed the required Police Check paperwork. Check out the Term 2 parent overviews – coming to a blue pouch near you next Monday!

Ms Cathie Gaffney, Coordinator – Junior Primary (on behalf of the JP team)
SECONDARY CAMPUS

UPDATE: COLLEGE UNIFORM – TERMS 2 & 3

With the commencement of the winter terms, we once again remind parents and students of uniform requirements. We apologise for the confusion caused recently in regard to school shoes and to the white shirt. To clarify, the correct uniform requirements are listed below (as per Page 16 of the College Diary).

**Boys**
- Blazer – worn to and from school and for formal school occasions (Year 5 – Year 12)
- Tie – top button on shirt must be done up (Year 5 – Year 12)
- White Shirt – tucked in
- Grey trousers
- Grey socks
- Blue College jumper with crest
- College spray jacket (optional)
- Black leather school shoes – polished (No boots, ripple soles, runners, canvas or skateshoes)
- No printed or coloured T-shirts or skivvies as undershirts
- Black leather belt

**Girls**
- Blazer – worn to and from school
- Tie – top button of shirt must be done up
- White Shirt – tucked in
- Skirt (not shorter than knee length and not to be rolled up at the waist)
- Blue College jumper with crest
- Navy stockings (no knee high socks)
- College spray jacket (optional)
- No printed or coloured T-shirts or skivvies as undershirts
- Black leather school shoes – polished (no high heels or scuffs)

**WHITE SHIRT**

A white crested short sleeve shirt was recently introduced for boys. The design was such that the shirt could be worn untucked during Terms 1 and 4 and still look neat.

The formal and official College uniform is to be worn during Terms 2 and 3. This uniform incorporates a white shirt (tucked in), the College tie, jumper and blazer for both boys and girls. The white shirt for Terms 2 and 3 can be crested or non-crested, short or long sleeved and of any brand.

Whilst in school uniform, students are representing St Michael’s College. As such, it is expected that the uniform be worn correctly and that non-uniform items are not worn. This includes when travelling to and from school and at all times whilst at school.

Please contact Dobsons Uniform Shop (8150 2306) for further assistance. Family support in this matter is appreciated.

If you have any uniform concerns or queries, please do not hesitate to contact Helen Murphy on 8150 2373 or Caryn Fielke on 8150 2372.

Mr John Lambert, Deputy Principal – Pastoral

**YEAR 12 DRAMA**

During the holidays the Year 12 Drama students had the opportunity to rehearse and refine their characterization for their upcoming production of “Desiree Din and the Red Forest” by Maxine Mellor with actor and old scholar Andrew Crupi (Class of 2003).

Since graduating from St Michael’s, Andrew studied Acting at AC Arts and has since been producing shows for the Adelaide Fringe as well as being a founding member of local sketch comedy group, The Golden Phung. In addition, Andrew has been working as an actor for education programs at the Art Gallery of South Australia as well as in numerous local productions. In 2013 Andrew travelled to Reggio Emilia, Italy, to study Commedia dell’Arte intensively for three months and he will return there this year for further study and touring performances.

Andrew worked with the Year 12 actors on “Pajama Day” (a relaxed day of rehearsals where students choose to wear their pajamas!) and the students benefited greatly from his broad knowledge and suggestions for their character development. It was also great for students to have the opportunity to talk with an old scholar who has been through the process of auditioning for tertiary acting courses.

As “Desiree Din and the Red Forest” is a piece of theatre for young people, we have invited and confirmed that Year 7 students from the Primary Campus, Star of the Sea and St Francis will be attending matinee performances as well as our current Year 8 to 10 Drama students. Excitement is growing amongst the Year 12 students as their hard work is gearing towards these performances and more in Week 4 of this term.

Don’t miss your chance to see our talented students in both on and off stage roles. Tickets for the evening performances can be booked by emailing desireedin@smc.sa.edu.au with full name, number of tickets required and pastoral class for student bookings, or address for those in the wider community. Please see the poster for dates and times.

Mrs Giselle Becker, Year 12 Drama Teacher and Subject Coordinator – Drama
St Michael's College Year 12 Drama presents...

Desiree Dinh and the Red Forest
by Maxine Mellor

Tues 20th - Thurs 22nd May
in the SMC Drama Studio - 7pm

3 Nights Only
Bookings - desireedin@smc.sa.edu.au
STUDENT SERVICES
Please be aware that many of these articles have extra information that can be accessed on the Student Services Intranet page: http://intranet/secondary/student_services/latest_news/current.pdf#

CHANGES TO TERTIARY ENTRANCE 2016 AND BEYOND
We have received a summary of changes with regards to the SA Universities Bonus Schemes changes for 2016 entry that will impact on our current Year 11 students. We encourage you to read the PDF accessed via Weblink: http://www.satac.edu.au/pages/changes-for-year-12-in-2015.

CAREERS AND TERTIARY EXPO SUNDAY 25 MAY 2014
A must do event as this is the only event where all of our Universities are represented – one time one place. See http://www.careersevent.com/AdelaideTSCEA/Home.php

NATIONAL CAREERS AND EMPLOYMENT EXPO
This EXPO which will be held on Friday 16 and Saturday 17 May at the Adelaide Showgrounds See: http://nceed.com.au/adelaide/ This has a slightly different focus than the Careers and Tertiary Expo showing more trades, Defence Force etc. Not all the Universities are represented at this EXPO.

INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE OF HOTEL MANAGEMENT MONDAY 12 MAY
Monday 12 May at lunchtime the Library Seminar Room, Tessa Rochfordt will be discussing courses on offer at ICHM, exciting career pathways in Tourism Hospitality and most importantly all business pathways in the Hospitality and Tourism Industry. Each year she inspires our students to consider an international career, take up a language and think outside the square. We can highly recommend this presentation for any students considering a career in business. We invite interested Year 10, Year 11 and Year 12 students to bring their lunch and come and witness this presentation. Students will hear more about the ICHM located at Regency Park and more about scholarship opportunities. See: http://www.ICHM.edu.au/

WESTERN FUTURES CAREER ADVICE DINNER: ~ BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION & MANAGEMENT
The Lakes Resort, Tuesday 3 June at 6:00 pm. RSVP to Kirsty Wilding on 8354 4214 or email: helenn@westernfutures.com.au.
Visit Intranet Student Services site for more details. We have many fabulous speakers lined up from Maxima and Uni SA, some of these include:

- Maxima’s Australian 2013 Trainee of the Year
- UniSA Graduate working in Transport and Logistics with Linfox
- We also have a Findon High/St Michael’s old scholar Kristen MacKenzie who is the Personal Assistant to State Manager at Watpac Construction SA. Recently there was an article about Kristen in the Advertiser Career One and below is snippet from that article.

Kristen MacKenzie - Personal Assistant to State Manager at Watpac Construction (SA).

Working in the construction industry is at times tough, challenging and full-paced, but this does not phase Kristen MacKenzie. In fact, with a family background in the industry, Kristen knew what to expect from the field. Kristen has been working in professional administration since she was 17 and after a working holiday overseas she made the conscious decision to work in the construction industry. After taking a job at an engineering company, she was quickly promoted to Personal Assistant. “I was lucky that they saw potential in me and gave me the opportunity to progress so quickly.” And Kristen has never looked back! In the 7 years that Kristen has been working as a Personal Assistant and Office Professional in the industry, she can honestly say that there is no such thing as a typical day. “Everyday changes! You can’t really judge how your day will turn out when you head to work in the morning. I need to make sure that I keep on top of my own work as well as making sure my boss is aware of everything relevant to his day.”

YEAR 12 STUDENTS INTERESTED IN APPLYING FOR MEDICINE, DENTISTRY OR OPTOMETRY
We hope all interested Year 12 students have now registered for the 2014 UMAT. Registrations close at 5.00pm AEST 6 June 2014. Late registrations will be accepted until 5.00pm AEST 20 June 2014 on payment of a late fee of $65 in addition to the registration fee. No further registrations are accepted after this date. You must read the UMAT2014 Information Booklet and complete the UMAT Registration Tutorial before you register for UMAT2014.

UNIVERSITY OF ADELAIDE INFORMATION SESSIONS
APPLICATION INFORMATION SESSIONS
The Faculty of Health Sciences is hosting two separate information sessions aimed at providing a clear overview of admission and application processes. The first one focuses on entry to our Bachelor of Medicine/Bachelor of Surgery program only. The second session focuses on applications to the Bachelor of Dental Surgery and the Bachelor of Oral Health. Applicants and their family members are welcome to attend.

BACHELOR OF MEDICINE AND BACHELOR OF SURGERY INFORMATION SESSION
When: Monday 2 June – 6:30 pm for 7:00 pm start (1 hour)Where: Flentje Lecture Theatre, Barr Smith South, North Terrace Campus

BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY/BACHELOR OF ORAL HEALTH INFORMATION SESSION
When: Tuesday 3 June – 6:30pm for 7:00 pm start (1.5 hours). Where: Flentje Lecture Theatre, Barr Smith South, North Terrace Campus. The contact person for both sessions is Nicole Rubin and the sessions can be booked into via the following links:

- health.adelaide.edu.au/future-students/info-session/medicine/
- health.adelaide.edu.au/future-students/info-session/dent-oralhealth/
FLINDERS UNIVERSITY

The very exciting Flinders University New Ventures Institute is offering some inspiring meet and greet sessions for budding entrepreneurs. The next event sees three prominent SA women, who have established successful online businesses share their wisdom. Whilst it is pitched at adults, innovative and entrepreneurial Year 12 students may like to attend. There is a $25 fee and you need to register: http://www.flinders.edu.au/events/show/event/entrepreneurs-in-conversation-females-on-the-frontline.

COME & TRY FLINDERS UNI 2014 - WEDNESDAY 2 JULY 2014, 10AM – 2PM

Flinders University invites high school students with learning needs, disabilities and health conditions to experience university first hand. The seminar involves meeting disability advisors and current university students with disabilities and also going on a tour of the universities science and nursing facilities. Morning tea and lunch will be provided. Students must be accompanied by a person responsible for duty of care. For further information, or to RSVP, please contact Paula Williams or Toni Crisci, Disability Advisors, Flinders University via disability@flinders.edu.au or phone (08) 8201 211. Replies are required by 11 June 2014.

BOND UNIVERSITY

Bond University Scholarship Information Night – Monday 26 May. Students interested in applying to Bond University are advised that Scholarship applications are now open. Each year, Bond University offers a range of scholarships, see: http://www.bond.edu.au/study-at-bond/scholarships/australian-applicants/index.htm. To learn more about Bond University, FEE-Help, financing a degree and the scholarships on offer, parents and students are invited to attend an Information Evening on Monday 26 May 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm at the Adelaide Hilton Hotel.

PROJECTABLE: UPCOMING WORKSHOPS FOR YEARS 10, 11 & 12 STUDENTS INTERESTED IN WORKING IN THE DISABILITY SECTOR.

See link on Intranet Student Services and visit www.projectable.com.au. Interested students invited to email rose.coorey@smc.sa.edu.au

INTERESTED IN STUDYING IN THE UK

St Peter’s College has initiated a presentation evening to be conducted by representatives from the British Council/High Commission and UK institutions on tertiary study in the UK. The presentation will include details on: study options in the UK, Visa issues and processes. The UK application process and UCAS and there will be a Q&A session to conclude the presentation. St Peter’s College will host this event on Tuesday 27 May from 7 to 8.30pm in the Memorial Hall. Any students contemplating studying in the UK at some stage in the future as either an undergraduate or post-graduate are strongly encouraged to attend this presentation. There is no cost to attend but attendees do need to register at http://www.eventbrite.com.au/e/study-uk-adelaide-registration-11297333629.

STUDENT EXCHANGES

Student Exchange Australia Information Evening. Hear from returned students, find out more about discounts and scholarships available and have your questions answered Wednesday 4 June at 7:30 pm at the Adina Hotel, 2 Flinders Street Adelaide. Visit www.studentexchange.org.au or call 1300 135 331 for more information.

LATITUDE GLOBAL VOLUNTEERING

Information night, Tuesday 20 May at the Unley Community Centre at 7:00 pm. To register go to: www.latitude.org.au.

COMPETITIONS

Currently there are competitions for Creative Writing, Photography and Film Making open to High School students. As we are made aware of such competitions, we will put a link in the Student Services latest news section in addition to the advertising in classes.

AGRIBUSINESS ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALIA LIMITED SCHOLARSHIP

Scholarship for Year 12 students interested in Agriculture Course 2015. Applications close 30 June. Please email Ms Coorey if you would like more details or application form or email directly: agri@agribusiness.asn.au

Ms Rose Coorey Career Counsellor, Mr Anthony Vizianaris Career & Personal Counsellor & Mr Kevin Woolford VET Coordinator

CO-CURRICULAR NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS TO …

* Emma Burridge (12CD) who will compete in the Secondary School Sport SA Softball Championships in NSW in May.

* Darcy Barry (6EL) and Liam Bull (6EL) who have been chosen to represent South Australia in the National Little League Baseball Championships on the Gold Coast in June. Darcy is representing the Adelaide South team and Liam the Adelaide North team. The State Championships were held at West Beach over the Anzac long weekend, in which both boys participated along with Luke Trevaskis (5DM) who was representing Adelaide North in the development team. We wish the boys every success.
As we head into a busy winter sport season, it is important to highlight some of the successes of our summer sport involvement in Term 1. I would first of all like to thank all of the girls who participated during the Term and congratulate them on the way in which they represented the College. Thank you also to the coaches and supervisors of these teams - Lauren Langman, Kimberley Batley, Jess Rafanelli, Thomas Hession, Laura Cassidy, Maeve Cashel, Alicia Martschink, Anita Saric, Harrison Parker, Mr Benedictson, Mr Vizianiaris, Ms Ramsey, John Cooper and Patrick Martin. Without your assistance, the programs would not have run as smoothly as they did.

Athletics, Water Polo, Tennis, Basketball, Volleyball and Touch Football were all offered in Term 1. Both our Junior and Water Polo teams won their Grand Final, finishing the season in 1st place. Special mention needs to be given to the Junior team, who began the season as an inexperienced team with a majority of the girls having never played before. Their Coach, John Cooper, worked closely with them each week to build upon their skills and tactical awareness. To top off what was an excellent season for them, they defeated SAC 14 goals to 9.

Our Senior A Tennis Team also needs to be mentioned. Supervised by Mr Vizianiaris, this team consisted of five Year 12 students who epitomised the Lasallian Spirit. They finished the season in 3rd place, defeating our Senior B Gold team, with their final game being played on our home courts. A fitting farewell in their final school year.

I look forward to seeing these teams in action again in Term 4 and wish all students an enjoyable winter sport season.

**GIRLS WINTER SPORT**

Girl’s winter sport begins on Saturday 10 May for Netball and Badminton, and Wednesday 7 May for Soccer. Training times for all teams are identified below.

Please remember that if your daughter is unable to attend training and/or a match, she needs to provide a signed note to the Co-curricular Coordinator and contact their coach a day in advance of their absence. Coach contact details and match fixtures will be given out at the first training session in Week 1 of Term 2.

Wishing everyone an enjoyable (and rain-free) winter season.

*Mrs Nicholson, Girls Co-curricular Coordinator*
**NETBALL COACHES AND TRAINING TIMES**

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**REMARKS**

Our school Netball season commences in Week 2 of this term and we’re looking for anyone who may be able to help out with umpiring on Saturday mornings at the College. If you are interested, or know of anyone who may be, please contact me at the College on 8356 5966 and I can provide you with more details.

*Mrs Sally Nicholson, Girls Co-curricular Coordinator*

**BOYS WINTER SPORT**

A reminder that games begin this weekend. Students should have purchased their correct College uniform from Sport Centre on Port Road. Please inform the coach or Miss Fanto by Thursday 12pm if your son cannot make a game. If your son cannot make training, a diary note must be given to Miss Fanto. Please see below for training times.

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All fixtures are emailed to teams weekly. They can also be found on the College sport noticeboard as well as on the intranet and the College website www.smc.sa.edu.au. [http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/news-information/current-sports-fixtures](http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/news-information/current-sports-fixtures)

I am looking forward to the season ahead. Please contact me at the College if you have any further queries.

*Miss Jessica Fanto, Boys Co-curricular Coordinator*

**REMINISCLERS**

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Please ensure you visit Sports Centre at 142 Port Road, Hindmarsh, to purchase the correct uniform for your son/daughter. Further information is available via the website: www.sportscentre.com.au or [http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/__files/f/2850/co_curricular_website.pdf](http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/__files/f/2850/co_curricular_website.pdf)

Please follow the below link to access times and venues. These have also been emailed to students. [http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/news-information/current-sports-fixtures](http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/news-information/current-sports-fixtures)

If your son or daughter has been selected in a sporting representative team or has sporting achievements that you would like to share with the SMC community please email sally.nicholson@smc.sa.edu.au or jessica.fanto@smc.sa.edu.au
WHERE ARE THEY NOW? Mary-Kyri Pallaras ~ Class of 1996

On leaving St Michael’s College, and after completing a Diploma in Counselling at the age of twenty, Mary-Kyri made an impulse decision and enrolled to study Fashion Design. She completed a 3 year Diploma in Fashion Design, Clothing and Textiles at the Marleston Design Institute in South Australia in 2003. Shortly after, she was employed in a number of design apparel roles, however shoes were her absolute passion. It was during this period she gained valuable industry experience to assist her in her journey.

In late 2005, Mary-Kyri boldly set her sights on creating her first shoe collection. She sold her car and purchased a return ticket to Italy to fulfil this dream. Once there, she secured a meeting with one of Italy’s most prestigious manufacturers who created footwear for the world’s most renowned designer labels. Mary-Kyri then worked in the factory, learning every aspect of high fashion shoe manufacture and began to design her first collection. In March 2006 Mary-Kyri’s dream was realised and her first collection ‘Virago’ was released in Australia and New Zealand.

The MARY-KYRI collections have featured in global magazines Vogue, Instyle, Cosmo, Grazia, Ultimate Accessories NY and Collezioni Italia. Mary-Kyri’s first celebrity recognition came with Australia’s Kylie Minogue stepping out in the Elisav in Manchester in 2007. The image of Kylie brought international acclaim to the Australian brand. Celebrities and stylists requested shoes including Kim Kardashian, Jennifer Lopez, Pink, Kristen Stewart and Sarah Jessica Parker.

Mary-Kyri is a passionate, energetic and dynamic business woman who has been profiled in many long-lead magazines and newspapers, also speaking at a number of business seminars and appearing on TV shows. Now setting her sights on expanding throughout the world market, she constantly receives amazing opportunities to participate in renowned international fashion weeks and exhibit at the world’s most prestigious showrooms. Constantly exercising her innovative passions, Mary-Kyri is currently developing a fashion online site www.doodlein.com, one that is unique within the fashion industry. The design and concept will redefine the boundaries of fashion, launching August 2014.

Mary-Kyri offers some good advice to our current students … "Invest in your future, become educated, learn and study hard. In the real world you may use skills from high school, you may not, but one thing is guaranteed … only the disciplined and determined succeed and become successful".

Congratulations Mary-Kyri.

SMOSH

The SMOSH West Lakes Football Club held their annual game at the College on Anzac Day. Ted Ozols (Life Member), Daniel Lees and Jasmine Stubing presented a moving tribute to those who sacrificed their lives for our country. In a tightly fought contest the Old Scholars prevailed against their opponents and both teams are to be congratulated on the courage and spirit evident on the day.


SMOSH West Lakes 16.5 (101) d PHOS Camden 14.7 (91)

ARE YOU AN OLD SCHOLAR?

Please update your contact details via the College website ... http://www.smc.sa.edu.au/old-scholars.

In 2014, St Michael’s College will be celebrating 60 Years in education. Join us in the celebration!
SCHOOL IMMUNISATION DATES

Visit 2  Thursday 22 May 2014  All Year 8’s: HPV (2); Boostrix
Visit 3  Thursday 29 May 2014  Year 9 Boys: HPV (2)
All Year 9’s: Boostrix
Visit 4  Thursday 24 July 2014  Year 9 Boys: HPV (2)
Absent Year 8s and 9s: Boostrix
Visit 5  Thursday 23 October 2014  All Year 8’s: HPV (3)
Visit 6  Thursday 27 November 2014  Year 9 Boys: HPV (3)

UNIFORMS

DOBSONS UNIFORM SHOP
1 Lawrie Street, Henley Beach


Normal Trading Hours:  Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday  8:00am – 4:15pm
Please contact Mary or Margaret on 8150 2306 to arrange an appointment.

SPORTS CENTRE SCHOOL WEAR
For supplies of co-curricular uniforms.
142 Port Road, Hindmarsh
www.sportscentre.com.au

SECOND HAND UNIFORMS: ONLINE SELLING & BUYING
Please refer to the College website for information relating to the sale of second hand uniform items. For further assistance
telephone:  8346 3411

STUDENT TRANSPORT

SCHOOL BUS SERVICE CHANGES

PRIMARY:

SECONDARY:

ADELAIDE METRO BUS ROUTES & TIMETABLES

286  Henley Beach to City
287  Henley Beach to City
288  West Lakes Centre Interchange to City
H22  Henley Beach South to Wattle Park
H32  Henley Beach South to City

GRANGE TRAIN
NAPLAN 2014
NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PROGRAM

Information for parents

What is NAPLAN?
The National Assessment Program — Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN) is an annual national assessment for all students in Years 3, 5, 7 and 9. All students in these year levels are expected to participate in tests in reading, writing, language conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and numeracy. All government and non-government education authorities have contributed to the development of NAPLAN materials.

Why do students do NAPLAN tests?
NAPLAN is the measure through which governments, education authorities, schools, teachers and parents can determine whether or not young Australians are meeting important educational outcomes in literacy and numeracy. The tests provide parents and schools with an understanding of how individual students are performing at the time of the tests. They also provide schools, states and territories with information about how education programs are working and which areas need to be prioritised for improvement.

NAPLAN tests are one aspect of the school’s assessment and reporting process, and do not replace the extensive, ongoing assessments made by teachers about each student’s performance.

What will be tested and how?
NAPLAN tests the sorts of skills that are essential for every child to progress through school and life, such as reading, writing, spelling, grammar and numeracy. The content of each test is informed by the national Statements of Learning for English and mathematics, which underpin state and territory learning frameworks. Questions are multiple-choice or require a short written response. The writing task requires students to write a text in response to a prompt.

To give you an idea of what the tests look like, sample questions and a sample writing task are available on the NAP website: www.nap.edu.au

Who will run the tests?
NAPLAN tests are conducted at schools and administered by classroom teachers, school deputies or the principal. Each state and territory is responsible for marking the tests in accordance with strict guidelines and processes.

How can I help my child prepare for the tests?
NAPLAN assesses literacy and numeracy skills that students are already learning through the school curriculum. Teachers will ensure students are familiar with the test formats and will provide appropriate support and guidance. If you have any questions about your child’s preparation for NAPLAN, you should make a time to speak with their teacher.

The best way you can help your child prepare for NAPLAN is to reassure your child that NAPLAN tests are just one part of their school program, and to urge them to simply do the best they can on the day. The use of services by coaching providers is not recommended.

What additional support can schools provide for students with special needs?
All students are encouraged to participate in NAPLAN tests. Students with disability may qualify for adjustments that reflect the support normally provided in the classroom. Students who have a temporary injury may also be reasonably accommodated. A formal exemption may be granted for a student with significant intellectual disability and/or significant co-existing conditions, or who has recently arrived in Australia and is from a non-English speaking background.

Your school principal and your state testing authority can provide you with more information on special provisions or the process required to gain a formal exemption.
How is NAPLAN performance measured?
NAPLAN is not a pass or fail type test. Individual student performance is shown on a national achievement scale for each test. Each test scale has 10 bands and all year levels are reported on the same scale. Six bands are reported for each year level for each test. One of these bands represents the national minimum standard for students at each year level. A result at the national minimum standard indicates that the student demonstrated the basic literacy and numeracy skills needed to participate fully in that year level. The performance of individual students can be compared to the average performance of all students in Australia.

What happens if my child is absent from school on test days?
Wherever possible, schools will organise for individual students who are absent at the time of testing to complete missed tests at another time during testing week. Individual students are not permitted to sit tests after Friday 16 May 2014.

Will I receive a report on my child’s performance?
A NAPLAN report will be issued by your school later in the year. The same report format is used for every student in Australia. The school will notify you when the reports are being sent to you. If you do not receive a report, you should contact the school. Individual student results are strictly confidential.

How are NAPLAN test results used?

- Schools use results to identify strengths and weaknesses in teaching programs and to set goals in literacy and numeracy.
- School systems use results to review programs and support offered to schools.
- Students and parents may use individual results to discuss progress with teachers.
- Teachers use results to help them better identify students who require greater challenges or additional support.
- The community can see average school NAPLAN results on the My School website: www.myschool.edu.au

Where can I get more information?
For more information about NAPLAN:
- visit www.nap.edu.au
- contact your child’s school
- contact your state or territory’s education authority (details available on the NAP website).

NAPLAN 2014 tests timetable

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- Language conventions includes spelling, grammar and punctuation.
- Numeracy includes number; space; algebra; function and pattern; measurement; chance and data.
- Calculators are NOT permitted in the numeracy test in Years 3 and 5. In Years 7 and 9, there is one numeracy test where calculator use is permitted and one where it is not.
2014 MAD QUIZ NIGHT
‘BACK TO THE 1980s’
~ Friday 30 May 7:30 pm ~
Eagles Function Centre, Oval Avenue, Woodville
$10.00 per head – BYO Supper.
Book early – we are limited to 25 tables of ten
Drinks to be purchased at the bar and not brought into the venue.
Join us for a great night out and help raise funds for
disadvantaged Lasallian students from the Asia Pacific region.
Lots of prizes, lots of questions, silent auction items, and plenty of fun.
So, get your tables of 10 (or less) together for this worthy cause – MAD!
Reserve your table by completing the tear off slip below and return it, with payment,
to either the Beverley or Henley campus Administration Office.
Alternatively, simply phone the College to make your booking, with your credit card details ready.
Donations for the Main Auction, Silent Auction and Raffle will also be gratefully accepted.
Any queries, email smc@smc.sa.edu.au.
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO MAD.
We look forward to seeing you there!

Complete and return this form to Henley/Beverley Administration Office.

~ RESERVE A TABLE ~ 2014 MAD QUIZ NIGHT ~
Friday 30 May 7:30 pm – Eagles Function Centre, Oval Avenue, Woodville
I would like to reserve a table for the 2014 MAD Quiz Night!

Name: ........................................ Contact Email: ...............................................................
Address: ................................................................................................................................
Contact Telephone: ......................... Number of people on table: .................................
Student Name (if St Michael’s student) .................................................................................. Pastoral Class ......................

Payment can be made by cash, credit card or cheque made payable to St Michael’s College.

AMOUNT ENCLOSED $..........................  □  Cash  □  Cheque  (please tick one)

PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD
Credit Card Type  □  VISA  □  Mastercard
Card Number  ___________ ___________ ___________ ___________ ___________ 
List the last 3 numbers on the back of the Credit Card  ___________ ___________ ___________ 
Expiry Date  ___________/ ___________

Name as it appears on the card  ..............................................................  Signature  ..............................................................