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From the Principal

Mr John Finn
Principal



The Associated Catholic Colleges (ACC) *Arts and Technology* exhibition was launched on Tuesday of this week. It highlights the talents of many students who make up the eleven schools of the ACC. Parents and teachers alike want to have our boys exposed to the widest possible educational experience and the Arts / Technology area is an essential component to this aim.

Given below is a small extract from a talk that I presented at the launch of the exhibition:

Two years ago I returned to the Associated Catholic Colleges family after having been in different schools and settings for over 14 years. The ACC has always been a place of integrity in Sport and may it continue to be so. What has been very noticeable between those times and now is the broadening of the ACC base into cultural activities that include the musical and artistic pursuits of our students. In our Colleges we often speak of the desire to have well rounded young people who will make a difference.

Despite age, ethnic and geographical variation, well rounded people have one thing in common; they are exposed to a variety of areas, especially the Arts. Arts education can imbue in young people a sense of the satisfaction that comes from working to create something, the ability to use and understand language effectively, and a profound sense of the way in which images, structures and words can influence others. The Arts are central to the idea of education being about inculcating a love of learning and of acquiring knowledge. It is no accident that the Arts are traditionally connected with the idea of being educated. Hence an educated person is assumed to be interested in the Arts.

Liberal Arts programs have been the foundation of education over many years. Fortunately we have realised that in boy's Colleges the studying of the Arts and Technology captures both innate interest and imagination. As can be seen by the many and varied pieces within this exhibition, boys are not gender biased in one direction but rather they now have the opportunity to excel in many fields, including Arts and Technology.

Whitefriars students were well represented with some excellent pieces and we congratulate the boys and the Visual Arts staff on their achievements.



Main picture: Alex O'Dea, Visual Arts Captain, with the Victorian Minister for Education, Hon. James Merlino MP, together with Ms Linton-Smith, VCE Art Teacher and Ms Madden, Learning Leader - Visual Arts, Mrs Agnew Visual Arts Teacher and Mrs Baker, Educational support, Visual Arts.

Left: William Campbell with the Hon. James Merlino MP.

Far Left: Alex O'Dea, with the Hon. James Merlino MP.

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The final semester one parent/student/teacher conferences took place last week. We are pleased that the boys are discussing their work and setting goals in liaison with both staff and parents. The greater the mutual conversation, the more likely the commitment from the boys.

Anzac ceremonies take on a greater emphasis this year due to the centenary. The College marked the occasion with a respectful commemoration featuring a number of students who are in various cadet groups. We were also represented at the Manningham ceremony for schools.

Mantua House are celebrating their feast day this week. A renowned humanist, Blessed Baptist of Mantua was a peace maker to Italian royalty and politicians alike. He was also the Prior General of the Order.

Our inaugural Mother's Day breakfast was held this Thursday. We endeavoured to cater for as many responses as possible and looked forward to this event which is to honour the role of mothers in our College.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Nick Worthing (12 E7) and his family on the passing of his maternal grandmother Mrs Rosa Augello. May she rest in eternal peace.

Almae In Fide Parentis - In the Care of a Loving Mother.



Adam's Journey to Timor-Leste

Many of you will remember Adam Given (Mantua 6 Class of 2010). Adam has recently joined the Whitefriars 'Expand your Horizons and make a difference' program in Timor-Leste and has offered to keep us informed as to his progress while being immersed in the lives of the Timorese and working with the Carmelites for the next three months. We hope you enjoy his story so far.



It has been another busy week in Timor-Leste!

The last week has seen me conduct a voluntary English course for students at the Junior High School. It is currently school holidays in Timor-Leste and the students have just finished their end of semester exams. Despite this, more than 45 students attended class every day with each one of them showing a strong desire to learn and develop their English proficiency.

As each year level had focused primarily on nouns throughout the most recent school semester, I decided to start teaching them a basic understanding of verbs. The students always found it extremely entertaining when I would stand at the front of the classroom trying to enact the verb I wanted them to learn and understand. At this point, I decided they should be doing this as well!

Using my English-Tetum dictionary I had purchased in Dili (capital of Timor-Leste), I looked up the Tetum translations for different verbs and then taught the students how to play charades. In the beginning most students were overcome by embarrassment, however a strong sense of competition soon developed and the students were eagerly playing - all wanting a turn.

A game of Pictionary in the next lesson had a similar effect on the students. It was a very loud and boisterous classroom that day!

As the week progressed, more and more students would show up each morning at the school. On one day approximately 60 students were squeezed into one classroom.

With such a large number I knew it would be difficult to maintain attention. As a result, I decided this lesson would be focused on conversation. After breaking students into groups and sending some groups outside whilst others remained inside, I asked the students to speak in English amongst each other. Although the conversation was basic, most students were embracing the task and eager to fix any mistakes they were making.

This would be the last of the classes for 2 weeks, as tomorrow I head back to Dili to help teach the Novices (trainee Priests) at the Carmelite compound in Hera.

Aside from teaching the students, my time in Zumalai has been pleasant. I have been playing card games with the 13 students at the boarding house, engaging in conversation with the university students at SOLS, attending Mass and taking walks through the village.

Last Saturday I attended a memorial mass and luncheon for the six month anniversary of a lady's death. It is the custom in Timor-Leste to have memorial celebrations three months, six months, and one year after a person's death. I was welcomed warmly into this celebration and appreciated the experience greatly.

I am looking forward to going to Dili and the different challenges that will bring!

Adam Given, Class of 2010



From our Captains



2015 College Captains -

Joel Monteiro, Middle Years Captain, James Reidy, Vice Captain, Lachlan Mahon, Captain, and Matthew Zema, Vice Captain

The College has had a busy start to Term 2, wasting no time to get into the swing of things. The calendar this term, (all eleven weeks of it) is chock-a-block with many highly anticipated events and impending SACs and topic tests for students.

One of our first memorable events took place last Thursday when the College gathered to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of Gallipoli and pay its respects to the Anzacs. The ceremony was made even more memorable as we had our own cadets on parade who impressed us all, with their exceptional precision marching and the haunting sound of the 'Last Post', played by Robert Dawson (Year 9 A7). We as a College are very thankful for the sacrifices made by the Anzacs and acknowledge the servicemen and women who risked it all to protect us.

On Thursday this week the boys were given the opportunity to join their mothers in our inaugural Mother's Day Breakfast. It's not often that we get these opportunities to share these special occasions with our mothers at school and I'm sure that I speak for everyone in saying that it was a very enjoyable morning. The College has a Father's Day Breakfast planned for later this year to so make sure you keep the date for that one as well.

Last weekend, the walkathon/fun run for Timor-Leste, organised by Br Sean, was a great success despite the rain and hail. The conditions couldn't deter the eager participants. Br Sean has given an update in this edition of the In Fide. We would like to thank everyone who braved the conditions on the day and for the wonderful donations, which will be used to assist the Timorese people with educational needs and supplies.

We encourage you all to get involved with the events that will be taking place this term and through the rest of the year. Keep up with your studies and work hard.

Best of luck for the term,

James Reidy, College Vice Captain

International Student's Homestay

Whitefriars International Student program are seeking suitable Homestay families for our International students. If you are interested in finding out more information relating to Homestay requirements, please contact Mrs Emilia Fields, Director of International Student Program at Whitefriars College on 9872 8200.



Anzac Day Ceremony

In the lead up to Australia's honourable and most important occasion, Anzac Day, a selection of students from the College were chosen to attend the 25th Schools Anzac Memorial Ceremony Service organised by the Rotary Club of Templestowe last Thursday 23 April. We were addressed by Colonel Marcus Fielding, President of Military History and Heritage Victoria and it was attended by Councillor Paul McLeish, Mayor City of Manningham, Honourable Matthew Guy MP, State Member for Bulleen, Mr Joe Carbone, CEO City of Manningham and Mr Michael Flanagan, President RSL Templestowe. Students were chosen to represent our College alongside the 31 other schools in the Shire of Manningham. This year's ceremony was extra special as it marked 100 years since our Australian Troops served at Gallipoli and the Nations involvement in the First World War. It was a time to honour the service and sacrifice of all those who have worn our nation's uniform, men and women, including more than 102,000 who have made the supreme sacrifice and did not return home to their families. The attendance at the service was truly a heart-warming sight. Children, parents, grandparents all there to pay their respects and thankfulness to those who gave their tomorrow for our today.



At the ceremony all school students were given a medal to wear throughout the service to commemorate and show their admiration to those who fought in World War 1. The Medal was inscribed with "100 years of the Anzacs" and showed a soldier playing the trumpet with the Australian Flag alongside three crosses. During the service, Alex O'Dea (Year 12 Corsini), Daniel Dowisha (Year 12 Avila) and myself laid a wreath on behalf of Whitefriars College in front of the Anzac plaque. Throughout the service the talented musicians of the Whitefriars Concert Band played along to hymns and other songs representing the College most admirably. A big congratulations to our own Robert Dawson of Year 9 Avila for doing an outstanding job of playing 'The Last Post' for all who attended. He did an excellent job.

May the spirit of our Anzacs live on and may we continue to strive as a nation just like our Anzacs.

Lest We Forget.

Joel Monteiro, Middle Years Captain

Walkathon update

What do you do when the weather is promising to possibly reach 14 degrees with rain and hail? Naturally, you hold a walkathon! Thus was the case on Sunday 19 April. In fact, we actually had two walkathons. One was for Timor-Leste and the second was for an International Kiwanis Project called Eliminate.

The Timor-Leste walk was to help with costs for the students and staff heading there this September. The money will be used for traveling costs and to purchase materials which will be left to improve the Timorese's educational opportunities.

Eliminate is trying to raise \$110 million worldwide to rid the world of maternal neonatal tetanus. In third world countries a baby dies every nine minutes from contracting tetanus and for about \$2, the mother can be inoculated against tetanus (before giving birth) and her newborn will be immune as well.

About eighty brave souls faced the elements, which were dreary at best. Rain was pelting at the 10am scheduled beginning of the walk. Fortunately, before the walk started, two videos explaining both causes were shown and Peter Rennie and myself made a few comments about each cause. At the end of this introduction, the sun mysteriously appeared. The crowd quickly moved around the course of the walk and returned to the safety of shelter with tea coffee and sausages available just as the rains started once again.

The day was successful on many fronts. People walking for each cause learned more about theirs as well as the other's and this encouraged conversations of how we can all help. Approximately \$8,000 was raised for the Timor-Leste adventure and an additional \$7,000 for the Eliminate Project. The final outcome of the day is that the Whitefriars staff and students are closer to raising the money needed for the September trip and 3,500 mothers and their future babies will be saved from a terrible death caused by tetanus. Oh and lastly, we all stayed dry.



Br Sean Keefe



Year 9 OLP Camp

The Year 9 camp is almost upon us and your son should be fully prepared. Any information regarding the camp can be accessed from the OEG website: <http://www.oeg.org.au/>. Please enter **Whitefriars** as the login and **friars** as the password. There is also information for boots and sleeping bags on this site that you may want to purchase prior to the camp.

Below is the list of times that students will be departing from school for their particular camp. Please arrive thirty minutes prior to departure time. Students have already been sent their camp sites and groups and have been busy preparing their catering over the week. Be sure to bring a (NUT FREE) cut lunch on the first day.

Falls Creek

Arrive at school via the bottom gates by 7am

Depart for program at 7.30am - Return on Friday at 5pm (approx)

Mount Stirling

Arrive at school entering via the bottom gates by 7am

Depart for program at 7.30am - Return on Friday at 5pm (approx)

Mount Bogong

Arrive at school entering via the bottom gates by 7am

Depart for program at 7.30am - Return on Friday at 5pm (approx)

Mount Baw Baw

Arrive at school entering via the bottom gates by 8.30am

Depart for program at 9am - Return on Friday at 5pm (approx)

A final reminder that students are advised to heed the gear list and in particular avoid cotton clothing if the intent of such clothing is to keep warm. We encourage you again to make sure your son is well prepared with emphasis on boots, thermals, warm upper body clothes (woollen jumpers, fleece tops), sleeping bag, solid food (cuppa soups recommended as well).

Mr Brad Bird will be the contact at the College if there is an urgent requirement for you to contact your son next week. This is a 24 hour mobile contact on 0428 522 075.

This is an exciting time for the Year 9 students and we are sure their Outdoor Experience will be a memorable one.

Mr Trent Collins, Middle Years Coordinator



Australian Air League awards



Congratulations to Kenny Ting (Year 11 L1) on receiving two prestigious awards at the Australian Air League (Doncaster Squadron) Presentation Night held on Monday 20 April 2015. Kenny was awarded the **Jim Hopkins Memorial Trophy for Community Service** and **N.C.O. (non-commissioned officer) of the year for 2014**. Kenny has been a part of the Air Cadets for 5 years and is a Leading Cadet. His involvement in the Air Cadets develops a spirit of aviation, ingenuity and resourcefulness as well as promoting good citizenship and teamwork. It is great to see our school values of Belong, Believe, Become, being lived out in the wider community. It was a privilege to support Kenny on behalf of the Whitefriars community at this special event.

Mrs Jennitta Lomen, Education Support



Academic Enrichment

Mr Ashley Payne
Academic Enrichment
Coordinator



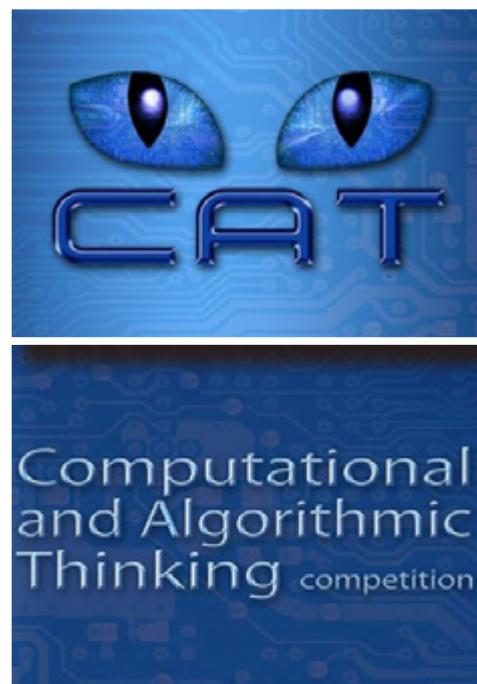
Computational and Algorithmic Thinking Competition (CAT) 2015

On Tuesday 24 March, students from various year levels competed in the annual CAT Competition at Whitefriars College. Students had the opportunity to experience and explore the science underlying computing, communication and the internet. They also got to look at the study of the structure and behavior of natural and artificial systems that generate, process, and store and communicate information. Students who competed learnt basic algorithms, data structure and computational techniques and had the opportunity to demonstrate their learning through computer programming tasks.

Results this year were fantastic and well exceeded expectation. Results and the students who participated are as follows – Congratulations boys.

Awards: H = High Distinction; D = Distinction; C = Credit

Year 7	Award
Jayden Bardrick	D
Anthony Brand	C
Jacob Sanderson	C
Thomas Hynes	C
Adrian De Saram	C
Year 8	Award
Mitchell Guest	C
Year 9	Award
Joshua Bilston-Gourley	D
Adam Bardrick	C
Alex De Saram	C
Adam Steiner	C



ICAS Digital Technologies

A number of students have expressed an interest in the ICAS digital technologies competition. This competition will take place during Period 2 on Tuesday 19 May. For those registered, you may find sample questions here: <https://www.eaa.unsw.edu.au/icas/download-practice-questions>

These will give you an idea of what type of questions are asked during the competition. Boys from Years 7 to 10 will complete in the inaugural competition. Good luck boys. For further details please contact Dr Stephen Goodall (Science Enrichment).

Computer Skills Assessment Framework





Careers News

Mrs Anna Gasparini
Careers Adviser



Careers, Courses and Study Information

Our Career Breakfast series for our Year 12 families kicked off this week with a record number of students and families attending. Our next event is on Friday 15 May and will focus on Careers in the Arts, Law and Communications area. We have representatives from La Trobe University and RMIT attending to outline study options in the Arts and pathways and graduate study options into Law, Media and Communication and Journalism. A number of our ex-students will also be attending. All reply slips are to be returned by Monday 4 May. Our final breakfast will take place on Friday 5 June and will focus on careers in the Health Sciences area. Information was sent home with the boys this week. [Go to](#) for details and reply slip.

Year 10 families who have registered their sons to participate in the Career Wise Testing program are advised that the testing will take place on Wednesday 13 May at the College. The parent information evening will be on Thursday 21 May in the College Theatre. All students are expected to attend with their parents.

[Click here](#) to access Newsletter2term2 [Click here](#) to view the following articles included in Newsletter3term2

Upcoming Events: June

- Open Day, Whitehouse Institute of Design, Melbourne, <http://tinyurl>
- 2015 Environmental and Marine Careers Expo, Melbourne Aquarium
- High School Workshops, JMC Academy
- Science in the City & Laboratory Tour, RMIT, Melbourne
- Experience Days, Australian Catholic University, Melbourne (29) and Ballarat (30)
- Discover Deakin.

Haemoglobin Heroes

Mrs Penny Crossman



More **Haemoglobin Heroes** were welcomed at the Blood Bank recently so they could save their three lives. They were:

Joseph Fletcher, Nicholas Greaves, Xavier Maddern, Calum Marshall, David Martini and Ryan Matlioski.

Mr Kristan Height also made one of his regular donations.

As always, many thanks and congratulations go to these committed donors; that is 21 lives saved by their thoughtful donations!

All the students were from Units 3 and 4 Biology who donated with a twofold purpose: to make a contribution to the community and save three lives, and to find out their blood types so this information can be used in the part of the course related to the immune response and genetics. More students from the class are expected to donate soon. Thanks go to Mr Box and Mr Height for their help and support in the endeavour.



Nicholas Greaves Year 11 B4

With the winter and its associated colds and flu, a number of regular donors are unable to donate; you need to have been well and off antibiotics for a week to donate blood. This means that the need for donors increases at this time, so staff and students are encouraged to make a time to donate and keep the supplies of blood flowing.

Our next school dates are all for period 4 on a Thursday: 7 May 14 May 21 May 28 May 18 June

Please email Mrs Crossman to be included on one of these dates; you will be very welcome!

Do something special – donate blood!



English Writing and Public Speaking Competitions

Students are warmly encouraged to enter a range of wonderful writing and public speaking Competitions both within and external to the College.

I draw your attention in particular to the Whitefriars College Creative Writing Competition for Years 7-10 and The Lyn Power Literary Award for Years 11 and 12.

Both competitions offer the opportunity for wonderful discussion at home about history and family.

For further details, please click [here](#).

VCE English Help

Just a reminder to parents and students that the VCE English Help schedule, as well as links to term planners and resources can be found [here](#).

Mrs Jill Fitzsimons, Learning Leader - English

Lawyers Breakfast



On Tuesday 14 April 2015 Jake, Connor, Harry and I were invited by Mr Brendan Swift from Altus Lawyers to join him for an early morning mass and breakfast. The four of us made our own way in to Saint Augustine's Church, arriving there at 6.50am. Shortly after our arrival other people started to arrive and we began mass at 7am. After the mass finished Mr Swift met us and led us to the Oxley Chambers on Bourke Street, where we went and had our breakfast with several other lawyers.

By 8am we had finished our breakfast and Mr Gray Connolly, a Sydney barrister and war veteran who served at East Timor, Iraq, Afghanistan and the Persian Gulf, gave us a talk on the topic of 100 Years in the Light Of Just War Theory: From World War 1 to Afghanistan. His talk was very interesting telling us about many wars from World War 1 to the modern day wars we fight today. He went on to explain how war isn't just war, that war is something that has a purpose, it is purposely thought out and the future must be planned before a war is even started. From his experiences serving at war he knows it's not a good place to go but he believes America and other allied nations are too reactive when it comes to terrorism and are not being proactive. Mr Connolly spoke for just under an hour and after he finished we made our way back to school.

Ashley Carey Year 10 L6 - Year11 Legal Studies

Mantua Matters

This week was a very important week in the life of our mighty Mantua House, when we celebrated our annual Mantua House Feast Day.

The occasion was marked by two separate events, beginning with a House Mass in the Chapel on Wednesday. The second event was held during lunchtime on Friday in the Functions Room when we all sat down together and enjoyed a BBQ lunch and cold refreshments.

As is the tradition, we also launched our annual Daffodil Day - Cancer Council fund raiser, with all money raised going directly to our House Charity agent, The Victorian Cancer Council. Whitefriars College has frequently been acknowledged by the Victorian Cancer Council as one of the most consistently generous schools in Melbourne in terms of its fund raising donations to the Daffodil Day Appeal.

With this in mind can I please thank every student who gave generously to our House Charity. Last year we raised over \$3,500 which we handed directly to the Cancer Council. We aim to once again raise over \$3,000 this year.

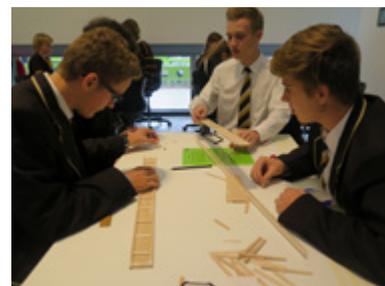
Mr Murray Pryer, Head of House - Mantua



Science and Engineering Competition

On Thursday 23 April, 32 students supervised Mr Sykes and Dr Goodall competed in the Science and Engineering Competition for 2015. We all went down to the new CADET building on the Geelong campus of Deakin University to compete against 8 other schools. The competition involves team of 3 or 4 students working together to complete challenges and tasks. Some of these tasks were using ordinary objects such as straws and string to create a controllable bionic hand and using wood and tape to create a small catapult. The boys had a great day working with their mates to build some impressive hovercrafts, towers and bridges, earning points from being able to complete challenges using the things that they had created. At the end of the day Whitefriars came second overall. It was a great day for all the students and all of us would do it again given the chance.

Nick Hayhoe 10C6



University of Melbourne Maths Competition 2015

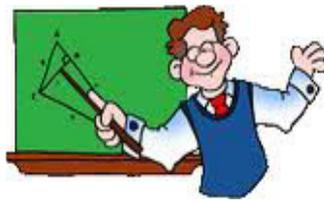
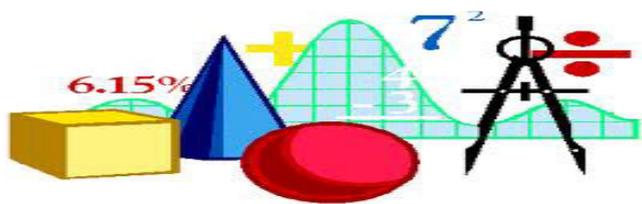


A number of students in the middle years have nominated to participate in this year's University of Melbourne Maths Competition. This is the first time Whitefriars College is participating in this competition. The competition will take place on Monday 11 May from 9 to 12noon for Years 9 to 12 and 9 to 11am for the Years 7 and 8.

In the meantime, check out the competition site where you will be able to find some practice questions and suggested solutions! <http://www.mathscomp.ms.unimelb.edu.au/pastsol.php>

It is a very challenging but rewarding competition and well worth the time and effort. For further details, please contact Mrs Liz Moloney (Maths Enrichment).

The M4th5 Club



Join us at the **M4th5 Club** and become a "Sumbody"- [Click Here](#) for all the details...



Mothers Day Breakfast



On Thursday 30 April we held our Inaugural Mother's Day Breakfast which was attended by 180 Mother's and their son's across all Year levels.

It was a crisp start to the day but the warmth of the atmosphere in the room was very special. It was evident from the wonderful response we received that this was a very special morning for both mothers and sons. As everyone enjoyed the lovely breakfast, there was the opportunity for conversations between Year 12 friendship groups, that began in Year 7, conversations across Year levels between mothers and sons who have not had the opportunity before, and a chance for new conversations between Year 7 mothers and sons who have only been a part of the Whitefriars community since the commencement of this year. Mr John Finn addressed our guests on the importance of mothers and how much our boys are still incredibly loved and cared for before drawing out the lucky winners of some generous prizes donated by the Parents Association, in the form of Gift Vouchers from Westfield Doncaster, vouchers donated by Tralee Hair and Beauty North Ringwood, and Champagne packs which were all very well received.

Thank you to everyone who attend the event and for those who missed out on this occasion, we hope to see you next year. We would also like to thank everyone involved in the events organisation; there is always a team behind the scenes.

We wish all mother's within the Whitefriars community a very happy Mother's Day and we look forward to hosting the Mother's Day breakfast again next year.

The Development Team





Library News

Ms Simone Pollock
Teacher - Librarian



The Years 7-10 English classes have taken part in the TIME (Theme Immersion Multimodal Experience) in the library over the last few weeks. This experience formed the introduction to the Whitefriars creative writing competition and involved the boys moving around seven different stations that all revolved around the same theme of **Remembering**. The seven station topics included: **Changing Places** (How Melbourne has changed over time), **It's holiday time!** (Travel, fun, snow and sun), **School Daze** (The Whitefriars community), **Gallipoli** (100 years of the Anzacs), **It's more than a game** (Our love of sport), **Our Northern Neighbours** (Experiences in Timor Leste); and **When I was 6** (childhood memories). The boys were presented with audio and visual stimuli at each station which enabled them to start discussions and reflect with their peers and staff. The library staff have thoroughly enjoyed interacting with the boys on the TIME project and we look forward to reading some of their creative writing pieces.



The annual Victorian Premiers' Reading Challenge continues this term. The Challenge invites children to read a set number of books and record their efforts online. It's a great way to get them talking about reading with friends and family, and to push themselves to read as many books as they can. A reminder that participation is free. To find out more about the challenge please visit: www.education.vic.gov.au/prc or contact the Library for more details.

Library Hours

Monday - Thursday
8am - 4.15pm

Friday: 8am - 3.30pm

Contact Phone: 9872 8320

librarystaff@whitefriars.vic.edu.au

You can access the library
catalogue and databases
on our Library Web Page



Performing Arts News

Ms Nathalie Fox
Learning Leader - Performing Arts



Anzac performances

In the last week, Instrumental Ensemble Program members represented Whitefriars on two separate Anzac services. On Thursday 23 April the Senior Concert Band represented the College at the Templestowe Rotary Club annual Schools Anzac Service, and on Saturday 25 the Senior Concert Band and the Drumline performed as part of the Templestowe RSL Anzac Day service. The boys were a credit to the College, acting with dignity and reverence and performing well, particularly on Saturday morning with the inclement weather.

Mr Stuart Collidge

Musical Production – 'Fame'

Production camp

Our cast and orchestra students did themselves proud at our annual Production Camp, held in Bacchus Marsh last week. The boys rehearsed their performances for three days, putting in many hours of hard work to ensure that 'Fame' is a success. A big thank you to Mrs Cassar, Ms Benne, Ms Tascone, Mr Oltvai, Ms Langer and Mr Hynes for their help during the camp.

This year's production will be held at the Karralyka Centre, Mines Road, Ringwood.

Tickets may be booked from Monday 4 May online by accessing www.karralyka.com.au and selecting the show, by phoning 9879 2933 or by calling in at the theatre in Mines Road, Ringwood. Prices are \$28.50 for adults or \$23.50 for concession. Performances are on 28 and 29 May at 7.30pm and 30 May at 2pm and 7.30pm.

We urge you to book your tickets early, particularly for Friday night which traditionally sells out quickly.

Upcoming Events

Musical Production "Fame" – Karralyka Centre – 28 and 29 at 7.30pm and 30 May at 2pm and 7.30pm.



College Calendar

May 2015

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>4 Year 10 Work Experience and Community Service week -Year 9 OLP Camp -Open Morning College Tour 9 - 10.30am -Year 7 Mother and Son Evening 7-10pm</p>	<p>5 Year 10 Work Experience and Community Service week -Year 9 OLP Camp</p>	<p>6 Year 10 Work Experience and Community Service week -Year 9 OLP Camp</p>	<p>7 Year 10 Work Experience and Community Service week -Year 9 OLP Camp -Year 11 Peak Skills Study Seminar 7-9.30pm</p>	<p>8 Year 10 Work Experience and Community Service week -Year 9 OLP Camp -Year 7 2016 Enrolment Acceptances Due</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12 Year 11 Kairos Retreat #1 -2015 NAPLAN Testing</p>	<p>13 Year 11 Kairos Retreat #1 -2015 NAPLAN Testing</p>	<p>14 Year 11 Kairos Retreat #1 -2015 NAPLAN Testing</p>	<p>15 Year 11 Kairos Retreat #1 -Class of 2005 10 Year Reunion 7-10pm -Arts/Law/Communications Breakfast 7-8.30pm</p>
<p>18 Multicultural & Library & Information Week - Senior VCAL Community Camp</p>	<p>19 Multicultural & Library & Information Week - Senior VCAL Community Camp -Digital Literacy for Parents 7-8.30pm</p>	<p>20 Multicultural & Library & Information Week - Senior VCAL Community Camp -Full College Assembly</p>	<p>21 Multicultural & Library & Information Week -Year 7 Incursion: The Hurting Game -Year 11 Peak Skills Study Seminar 7-9.30pm -Career Wise Parent Feedback Session 7-8pm</p>	<p>22 Multicultural & Library & Information Week</p>
<p>25 Visual Arts Week</p>	<p>26 Visual Arts Week</p>	<p>27 Visual Arts Week</p>	<p>28 Visual Arts Week -Year 7 Grandparents morning Tea -Production 'Fame' Karralyka Theatre</p>	<p>29 Visual Arts Week -Production 'Fame' Karralyka Theatre -Year 7 & 8 Immunisations - Class of 1995, 20 year Reunion 7-10pm</p>

For more College events please log on to the intranet by [clicking here](#).



College Services

Mrs Marie Cameron
College Services Coordinator



Entertainment books are now available from my office. This is a great opportunity for you and the College to benefit from their special offers. [Click Here](#) for the forms or if you like you can contact me directly on 9872 8307. Your sons can collect the books from me directly.

Lost Property Again I would ask that you mark very clearly your sons' Uniform. It is so much easier if you could do this then they can be returned as soon as found.

Uniform Exchange Thank you to all of you who have contributed goods to go to East Timor later in the year. Thanks to Melissa Dalziel for all her hard work getting everything packed and ready.

Breakfast. Thanks to Liz and the mothers who have been able to come in early and assist with buttering the bread for sandwiches and then serving when the students must go to Pastoral Care. It has been a wonderful help to get through much quicker. If you find you are dropping your son at the College and can spare some time from 8.15 to 8.45 we would be most grateful. Just call into the Canteen you will be very welcome. Liz is so busy she will welcome you with open arms.

Congratulations to all who have arranged the Inaugural Mother's Day Breakfast. I was very fortunate to be invited and it was a wonderful credit to all concerned. I am sure it will be in the Calendar for many years to come. Congratulations to everyone concerned.



Uniform Exchange
Open Tuesdays 12.30 - 2pm
Bob Stewart Shop
Open Tuesdays and Thursdays
12.30 - 2pm

The New Entertainment Book is now available from my Office. [Click here](#) for details on how to order your copy.



From the Canteen

Please find attached the New Canteen Price Lists for [Breakfast](#) and [Lunch](#). There are plenty of healthy choices to choose from. Lunch Orders: Please write your name and Year Level clearly on the top of the bag, followed by your order. Change will be given. (Click on links above for menus)

We are always in need of willing hands even it is only for a short time. If you would like to help out or be an emergency, please contact me on 9872 8308 or 0428 581 675.

I look forward to seeing you all soon.

Mrs Nola Murphy, Canteen Manager

Parents Association

Your key Parents Association contacts for 2015 are:

Max Connors	0400 576242	Don Chesterman	0408 345766
Lynda Connors	0412 175458	Monika Bredhauer	0438 220361
Marisa Smeed	0425 730876		

Please do not hesitate to call us if you have any questions, or are interested in coming on board to help with our 2015 events and initiatives.

Monster Raffle We are very excited to be participating again this year in the Manningham Monster Raffle! This is our 3rd year involvement. In the past, the raffle has been very successful with monies raised contributing to the development of the Study Hall and Canteen Decking. Raffle Booklets will be mailed home shortly.

2015 Parent Dinners Parents of students in Year 12 should have received an email confirming details for the first parent dinner for 2015. If you have not received this email and would like further details, please contact Marisa on 0425 730 876. Parents of Year 11 students will receive details of their dinner which has been set for 18 June shortly. The rest of the year level dinners are tentatively scheduled as follows: Year 10 - July, Year 9 - August, Years 8 and 7 - Sept/Oct. Details to follow.



CONFIRMATION 2015 Enrolments are now being taken for students in Years 10-12 who have celebrated the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Eucharist. Please visit Holy Saviour Parish website www.cam.org.au/glenwaverleynorth and download the enrolment form and explanatory letter.

The program structure has 11 lessons which include five compulsory attendance sessions - the first one (with parents) is on Tuesday 12 May at 6.30-8pm. There will be a retreat day on Friday 17 July and Confirmation will be celebrated by Bishop Mark Edwards on Sunday 19 July at 11am.

Please contact Mo Cromar, Pastoral Associate if you have any further questions or queries at the Parish Office. Tel 9803 3554 or email: mo.cromar@cam.org.au

Our Lady of Sion College Information Evening

Thursday 28th May 2015
7:00pm to 8:00pm

We invite prospective families to attend our Information Evening. Find out what it means for your daughter to be part of this exceptional community.

To register your attendance please contact the College on 9890 9097 or email info@sion.catholic.edu.au

We look forward to meeting you.

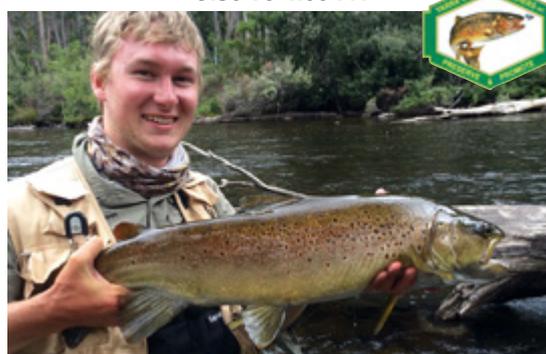


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Sports Report

Mr Gavin Kellar
Faculty Head - Sport



Soccer Report

Round 2 commenced with Whitefriars College travelling to Simmonds. Both teams won their opening games which meant it was going to be a tough match. Simmonds dominated the midfield and the entire half, with them taking the lead close to the end of the half. Once the second half started, Whitefriars planned to play the ball out wide and not through the middle, which helped them gain some attacking chances throughout the second half. Whitefriars missed a penalty early but substitute Keanu Ribeiro gave Whitefriars the pace they needed up front setting up the equalizer from James Ikononopoulos, scoring an audacious volley from just inside the box. Throughout the entire game, goalkeeper Daniel Patrikis and man of the match centre back Kyle Rayner, were absolutely outstanding, helping Whitefriars with the 1-1 draw.

Daniel Primerano, College Soccer Captain

Finally I would like to congratulate the following boys on their achievements:

Marcus Agnos – Competed in National Swimming titles in Sydney where he achieved some fantastic results in the Under 12/13 Age Group. Marcus made four finals for his Age Group in Australia finishing: 4th in the 200 metre freestyle (2.02.6), 29th in the 200 metre Individual Relay, 8th in the 100 metre freestyle (57.1 seconds), 5th in the 400 metre freestyle (4.19.7); and 5th in the 800 metre freestyle (9.01.5).

Sam Weideman and **James El Moussalli** who are currently in a squad of 30 players trying out for The Victorian Under 18 Metro football side.

Jackson Wright who is currently in a squad of 30 players trying out for The Victorian Under 16 Metro football side.
Fantastic work boys!

If your son has been selected in any state or national sides please feel free to let me know via my email address gkellar@whitefriars.vic.edu.au so that I can give them recognition in this report.

For any Information regarding the ACC including Results and Ladders and Updated Fixtures/Venues go to www.accmelb.com.au

Good Sport Nominations

Each week we have many students who excel in Sport, whether it is in ACC Sport or Non-ACC Sport. Each week staff members are asked to nominate students who have demonstrated excellence via their performances, participation, sportsmanship, cooperation and teamwork. The following students have been nominated as Good Sports for this week:

Year 12: Sam Weideman Daniel Primerano



NAB#fanshake with Jason Dunstall



Many of you may be aware that we had a special guest at the school on Wednesday. Former Hawthorn superstar Jason Dunstall attended the Senior's footy match against Salesian College and played the role of runner, assistant coach and water boy for the duration of the game.

Jason was making good on a NAB #fanshake he had made against Michael Voss during last weekend's Port v Hawks clash. The footy legends had made a pledge that who ever lost would be helping out at a local footy match. It's all part of NAB's Fanshake campaign which calls on fans to do something good for the game by making someone else do it.

It was great to have Jason join the boys and we look forward to seeing the footage on Sunday night's Bounce show on Fox Footy.

You can find out more and set your own #fanshake with a rival footy fan at nab.com.au/afi

Congratulations to Jeremy Freeman and the Boys on a good win!





ACC Match Results



ACC Match Results

Football

1st XVIII:
Whitefriars 11/ 7/ 73 def. St Bernard's 9/ 3/ 57
2nd XVIII:
Whitefriars 16/ 9/ 105 def. Salesian 9/ 8/ 62
Year 10:No Game
Year 10 (2):
Whitefriars 18/10/ 118 def. Simonds 7/4/46
Year 9 (1):
Whitefriars 10/7/67 def by St Bernard's 13/12/90
Year 9 (2):
Whitefriars 3/12/30 def by Salesian 12/16/ 86
Year 8 (1):No Game
Year 8 (2):No Game
Year 7 (1):
Whitefriars 6/7/ 43 def by St Bedes 6/9/45
Year 7 (2):
Whitefriars 9/7/61 def Parade (P) 6/9/45

Soccer

Senior 1st XI:
Whitefriars 0 def by Salesian 2
Senior 2nd XI:
Whitefriars 3 def Parade 2
Year 10:
Whitefriars 2 def by De La Salle 6
Year 9:
Whitefriars 2 drew Salesian 2
Year 8 (1):
Whitefriars 1 def Salesian 0
Year 8 (2):No Game
Year 7 (1):
Whitefriars 0 def by. St Bedes 10
Year 7 (2):
Whitefriars 1 def by Salesian 3

ACC Fixtures

Next Week

For ACC Fixtures I have included the venue and the Estimated Return Time (ERT) to Whitefriars to assist parents collecting students.

Tuesday 5 May	Middle School Sport
Year 9 (1) Football –Bye Year 9 (2) Football –Bye Year 9 Soccer– Round 3 v De La Salle (2) Postponed date TBA	Year 10 (2) Football – Round 3 v. Parade Game postponed to the 14-5-15 Year 10 (1) Football – Round 3 v. De La Salle Postponed date TBA Year 10 Soccer – Round 3 v Parade Game postponed to the 14-5-15
Wednesday 6 May	Senior Sport
Senior Football 1st XVIII – Round 4 v De La Salle At Whitefriars College, Main Oval Senior Football 2nd XIII – Round 4 v De La Salle At Waverley Oval, Malvern East (ERT 4.30pm)	Senior Soccer1st XI – Round 4 v. Emmanuel At Whitefriars College, Soccer Pitch Senior Soccer 2nd XI– Round 1 v. St Bernard's At St Bernard's College Essendon, 27 K3 (ERT 4.30pm)
Thursday 7 May	Junior Sport
Year 7 (1) Football – Round 2 v De La Salle At Basil Reserve, Malvern East (ERT 4.30pm) Year 7 (1) Soccer – Round 3 v. De La Salle At Whitefriars College, Soccer Pitch Year 7 (2) Football – Round 1 v. St Bernard's At St Bernard's College Essendon, 27 K3 ERT 4.30pm) Year 7 (2) Soccer – Round 4 v. Parade (P) At Parade Preston, Clifton Grove Preston (ERT 4.30pm)	Year 8 (1) Football – Round 1 v. De La Salle At Whitefriars College, Main Oval Year 8 (1) Soccer – Round 2 v. Mazenod At Whitefriars College, Soccer Pitch Year 8 (2) Football – Round 1 v. De La Salle At Whitefriars College, Main Oval Year 8 (2) Soccer – Round 3 v Parade (P) At Parade Preston, Clifton Grove Preston (ERT 4.30pm)