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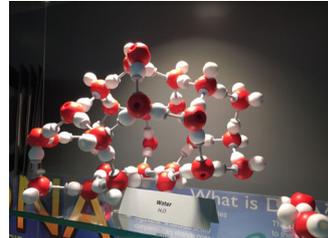
From the Acting Principal

Mr Greg Stewart
Acting Principal



Last Sunday the College held its annual Open Day for families who are interested in becoming part of the Whitefriars community in the future. The many families who attended were able to hear from both staff and students about what makes Whitefriars so special, before being guided by students through the new Science and Technology building, a reimagined 21st Century Library space and other College facilities. Prospective families were able to engage with students, staff and other parents, enjoy VCAL-inspired coffees, parent association barbecued sausages and see the Old Collegians win their football match.

Our new Science and Technology building reflects our position as a leading Catholic College, as well as our desire to offer students facilities that are in line with their particular learning needs. By providing science and technology facilities that match learning needs, we are ensuring that students connect with scientific ideas and methods in their own purpose-built space and remain engaged with this discipline throughout their time at the College. Students will also utilise the extensive resources of the Product Design and Technology, Food Technology and Digital Technology areas to enable their formal educational engagement with contemporary technology. The facility is already being accessed by the year 9 Food Technology classes, and senior science classes, followed by all other science classes will gradually be timetabled into the facilities in the coming weeks.



Last week our students completed the online version of NAPLAN testing. There are many views on testing and using data for cohorts and individuals but a benefit of NAPLAN is in making comparisons for growth. The College makes use of a substantial amount of data for all boys, one of which is this testing. We have worked diligently to be in a position to inform staff, parents and students of real progress over the short and long term. In the end, personal growth, with the assistance of good data, can be very helpful.

Many of our winter sports are well underway and have had the opportunity to see a combination of both great wins and character building defeats. I am full of admiration for our boys as they play their sport in such a fine spirit, no matter what the situation. I do think that the mark of a young man of character lies in how he responds to praise and to situations that are challenging. Sport gives the opportunity to learn to manage both aspects. All of our coaches are to be congratulated for the manner in which they encourage and instruct the boys.

The Whitefriars International Students Program (WISP) is now in its 21st year - an impressive effort that has enabled the development of a healthy and vigorous program, much sought after by overseas students. Whitefriars has recently become a winner of the Business Worldwide Magazine's Brand of

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the Year Award for its 'popular and highly-regarded International Student Program', having been voted 'Best in Australia.' We congratulate the many staff who have played a role in achieving this accolade. Whitefriars continues to educate both local and overseas students about their role as global citizens and the importance of respecting and valuing all cultures.

We congratulate Robert Dawson (12 Avila 7) who has been nominated and accepted by the Rotary Club of Templestowe to receive a Pride of Workmanship award. The club has expressed its appreciation for the services Robert provides by playing the Last Post at many RSL and community events in recent years. The award to Robert will be presented by His Worship the Mayor of Manningham next week.

As this edition of In Fide goes to press,

The Year 10 boys are looking forward to their Social on Thursday night. Whitefriars seems to be a popular host amongst the Girls' Colleges as there is never any shortage of interest. These nights are important to this age group and they offer a safe, friendly and positive place for boys and girls to mix and have fun.

On Friday evening, the College will be hosting men who graduated from the class of 1998 at their 20 Year Reunion. This will be held in and include a tour of the new Science and Technology building. It is always wonderful to welcome back to the College our Old Collegians. The stories they share always highlight the positive influence the Carmelites had on these men, evident through their inevitable manifestation as well grounded, 'gentle men'. There is always a tangible camaraderie on display, along with considerable nostalgia for times past. Whitefriars Old Collegians are renowned for regularly staying in touch with each other over the passing years and figure prominently in each other's weddings and family occasions. It is heartening to see and hear that Whitefriars is a community that strives to meet the needs of all boys, no matter what their talents, interests and abilities.

This week (24 May) sees the Church celebrate the Feast Day of Our Lady Mary Help of Christians, a celebration that has taken place in Australia since 1844, although its' history dates back to the start of the 1800's. The infant church in Australia had a special reason for turning to Mary. No priests were sent to the colony in its early days and Mass was not allowed except for one brief year until 1820. It was largely the Rosary in those early days that kept the faith alive. The Australian Catholic community remained faithful to Mary and Australia was the first nation to choose her under the title, 'Mary Help of Christians' as principle Patroness.

Most Holy Virgin Mary, Help of Christian, how sweet it is to come to your feet imploring your perpetual help.

If earthly mothers cease not to remember their children, how can you, the most loving of all mothers forget me?

Grant then to me, I implore you, your perpetual help in all my necessities, in every sorrow, and especially in all my temptations.

I ask for your unceasing help for all who are now suffering. Help the weak, cure the sick, convert sinners.

Grant through your intercessions many vocations to the religious life.

Obtain for us, O Mary, Help of Christians, that having invoked you on earth we may love and eternally thank you in heaven.

By St. John Bosco

Anthony Kirley is away from the College this week at the annual Principal's Conference which has 'Education from and for Faith' as its theme.

Almae In Fide Parentis.

Fundraiser for National Breast Cancer Foundation

Thanks to everyone who supported Mark Usatov (Year 12 2016) in his recent efforts to raise money for the National Breast Cancer Network. Mark cut off his long hair on 4 May 2018 in order to raise funds in memory of his mother, Jill, who died in March of this year. Mark is studying Bio Medicine and Commerce at Monash University and the hair cutting event was held at Monash University Bio Medicine Faculty.

Mark raised \$7,434 for Breast Cancer Research well above his target of \$5,000. This was a great achievement by Mark and the Usatov family are very grateful for the fantastic support from friends, family, the Whitefriars community and work colleagues in honour of Jill.





Learning @ Whitefriars

Mr Mark Ashmore
Deputy Principal -
Learning and Teaching



NAPLAN

Year 7 and 9 students recently sat the online NAPLAN tests. NAPLAN tests assess student knowledge and skills in Writing, Reading, Language Conventions (spelling, grammar and punctuation) and Numeracy. The feedback from staff and students was very positive regarding the new online testing.

The results of the tests provide information for students, parents, teachers and principals which can be used to improve student achievement.

The College hopes to receive the results sooner than in previous years with the move to the online adaptive tests. Information regarding the results will be provided to students and parents as soon as possible to these being released to the school.

Examinations

Years 9, 10 and 11 students are now beginning to prepare for their Semester One examinations. The examination period (Thursday 14 June – Thursday 21 June) is fast approaching and parents are encouraged to speak with their son about the preparation for subject examinations to ensure success.

The College understands that examinations are just one way of assessing a student's knowledge and understanding in their academic studies. The examinations provide a guide for subject selection and an opportunity to refine study habits to prepare for Unit 3 and 4 VCE studies. All students are encouraged to use these Semester One examinations as an opportunity to ascertain the development of their skills and strengths as well as reflect upon their performance throughout the semester.

In preparation for the examinations, students should be demonstrating the skills important to learning as highlighted in our Learning @ Whitefriars document:

- *Clarifying* what is to be examined in each subject by asking the teacher *questions*
- *Collaborative* academic conversations with their peers
- *Practicing* questions and essays before submitting these to the teacher for *feedback*.
- *Reflecting critically* on the learning that has occurred during the semester.

Students have been reminded that they may access the Elevate Education website (www.elevateeducation.com.au) to receive strategies in regards to use of class time, studying and examination techniques. If further strategies are required or if one is experiencing anxiousness over the next coming weeks, they are encouraged to speak with their Pastoral Leader, Head of House, subject teacher or College Psychologist.

Please Note:

Year 11 students accelerating in a Unit 3 subject and Year 10 students accelerating in a Unit 1 subject, or are studying a VET course are required to attend examinations as per the examination schedule. When not scheduled to sit an examination, students are to attend their accelerated classes as per the Semester One timetable.

Year 10 and 11 students are only required to attend school during their scheduled examinations. Study venues will be available for students who have examinations scheduled at different times of the day and these will be communicated by the Senior Years Coordinator.

Year 9 students are to be at school to attend scheduled study sessions during the Semester One examinations.

VCE Unit 3 and 4 Examinations and Holiday Courses

For students studying Unit 3 and 4 classes, the VCAA have released the end of year VCE Examination Timetable. All students studying a VCE Unit 3 and 4 subject need to take note of important dates and times for when the examinations are scheduled.

[VCE Examination Timetable 2018](#)

Whilst there is a current focus on School Assessed Coursework (SACs), preparation needs to also shift towards the final examinations. Students should now be focussing on the feedback from teachers, developing study notes, writing written responses for further feedback (including practice examination papers), and attending the academic study centre regularly after school. Consideration should also happen in attending study courses offered in the upcoming holidays by Tsfx, TSSM, Neap or Access Education to consolidate learning.



Academic Enrichment

Mr Ashley Payne

Academic Enrichment Coordinator



Language Perfect World Championships 2018

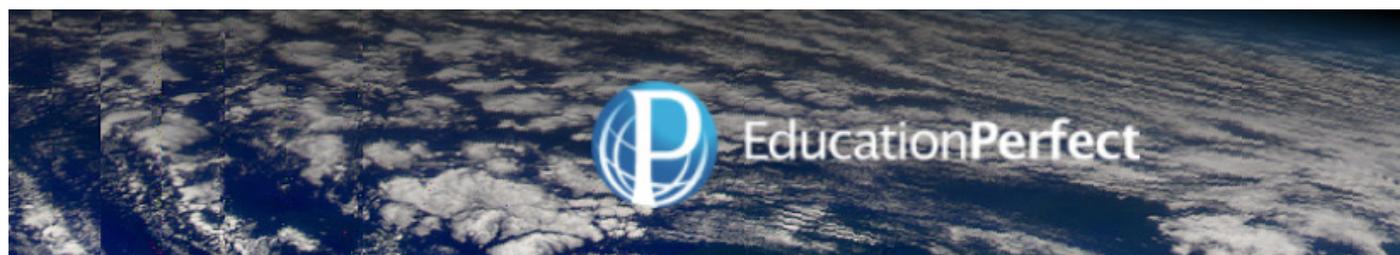
This week our school has been competing in the largest online languages competition on the planet, the Language Perfect World Championships.



Students have been competing for their class, school and country against other students from around the world, earning points in a range of foreign languages on Language Perfect. Points will count towards earning certificates, entry into prize draws (prizes include laptops, iPod Touchs, iPod Shuffles and iTunes vouchers) and winning the competition!

The goal is to motivate students to get excited about languages, learning, and having fun at the same time.

As in previous years, selected students in Years 8, 9 and 10 doing Indonesian, Italian and Chinese have been competing in the World Championships. I would like to take this opportunity to thank Ms Paula Barca for organising and coordinating this event on behalf of the boys. Results will be released shortly after the completion of the competition.



John Button School Prize



The John Button School Prize awards \$2,500 for the best essay on a subject concerning Australia's future by a Victorian student who is in Years 10 to 12 and is younger than 19. It also awards \$2,000 to the student's school. Essays submitted for the School Prize will discuss Australian politics or policy. They might address such topics as Australia's population, climate change, reconciliation with Indigenous Australians, water, asylum seekers, education, health, the state of the arts — big ideas for Australia's future. The winner will be announced during the Melbourne Writers Festival in August, at the annual John Button Oration. This year we have one participant from Whitefriars College; Joel Duggan (Year 11) – I wish Joel every success with his essay.

For further details on eligibility please visit – [CLICK HERE](#)

Applications open 11 May 2018 and close 25 June 2018



Careers News

Mrs Anna Gasparini
Careers Adviser



Careers, Courses and Study

Year 10 families who registered their sons to be part of the Career Wise testing are reminded that the parent feedback evening will take place on Tuesday 29 May in the College theatre at 6.30 pm. Students are expected to attend with their parents.

Year 12 families (VCE students) please return the signed parent consent form to the school for the excursion to Swinburne University on Thursday 28 June. [Go to](#) for a copy of the excursion notice.

Please note the important reminders below regarding UMAT and the Early offer programs at universities.

- UMAT registrations are due by Friday 1 June.
- *Year 12 Community Achievement Program (CAP) Australian Catholic University. Applications open 1 May and close 31 July. [Go to](#) for further details*
- *Year 12 ASPIRE Early Admissions Program La Trobe University applications open Friday 1 June. Applications close Friday 31 August. [Go to](#) for further details*

The Career Breakfasts in Commerce/Accounting and Health/Medical areas have offered our Year 12 students and their parents the opportunity to hear from Industry Professionals, Universities and past students about the study and career options available. Representatives from the following organisations made themselves available for these event -

- Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand,
- Smith and Feutril Accountancy
- Tailored Lifestyle Financial Planning
- Swinburne University
- Deakin University
- La Trobe University

[Click here](#) for the latest copies of the Careers Newsletter



Julian Lipinski Class of 2013



Former Whitefriars student and basketball standout Julian Lipinski is graduating with a bachelor's degree in finance from The College of Saint Rose in Albany, New York.

Throughout his time at Saint Rose, Julian completed various financial advising internships in the local Albany area. He was awarded the Ruggiero Honors Internship Scholarship which enabled him to complete an internship over the summer in the U.S. This opportunity allowed him to recognise his post-graduation goal of moving to New York City and working in the Financial District.

In addition, as a member of The College of Saint Rose men's basketball team, Julian was named an Academic All-American at the end of his fourth year. He also served as the President of the Student Athlete Advisory Committee while on campus.

Click here to view the full video recently released. <https://www.facebook.com/TheCollegeofSaintRose/videos/10155283981311813/UzpfSTExN-TA2NTkwMTQ6MTAyMTUxOTU3MjUxNDM3MTM/>

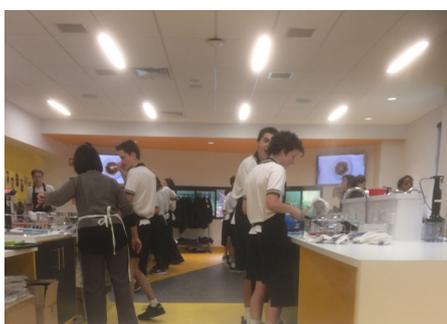


Food Technology

Mr Kristan Height
Learning Leader - Science



Food Technology was introduced at the beginning of the 2018 school year and over the past few months, Year 9 students have been working thoroughly on food handling practice, health and safety measures, the importance of food, and healthy diets for adolescents. This week however, the students have had their first chance to utilise the new food technology facility that is located in the new Science and Technologies building. The new facility is brilliant and caters for every need for the food technologies curriculum which was shown early this week with the boys making Spaghetti Bolognese. Looking forward to seeing, and tasting, more delicious food in the future. Congratulations to Ms Mistry and Ms Ciavarella for all their hard work and tutelage leading up to this point with the boys.



Wheelchair Sports Night

Dylan Knight
Soreth House Captain



On Wednesday 16 May, the house of Soreth put on our main fundraising event of the year, the annual 'Wheelchair Sports Night', to help raise funds for the Acute Spinal Ward at The Austin Hospital. For over a decade now, dozens of Soreth house families have come to the bottom gym aiming to learn a little bit more about why we donate to such a great cause, helping us raise over \$38,000 over that time and a further \$940 last week. Those in attendance were treated with some impressive 'orange treats', as well as two enlightening presentations by ex-Paralympian and DSR (Disability Sports & Recreation) representative Orfeo and Jaq Ross, Senior Clinician Physiotherapist (Victorian Spinal Cord Service) of The Acute Spinal Ward at The Austin Hospital (yes, the sister of Ms Ross). This was followed by plenty of fun learning wheelchair basketball, as well as wheelchair races, which are always a blast. It was clear how enjoyable the night was to everyone, with parents and students alike joining in with the games and conversing with Orfeo and Jaq after their presentations. We thank all who attended, as our ongoing support of the Austin Spinal Unit does not go unrecognised. I would also like to thank Ms Ross who always works tirelessly in the background in all matters for the house and to ensure iconic fundraisers like this run smoothly, Orfeo and Jaq for coming down on such a cold evening to help make the event as grand as it was, and to the senior leaders who stood up to help set up and run everything. I encourage all students to get down next year to help provide for an amazing cause - The Acute Spinal Ward at The Austin Hospital.



Library News

Mrs Jenny Corbin
Library Leader



Ms Clare Vella
Teacher Librarian



Read a Million! Million Words House Reading Challenge 2018...has begun

The Whitefriars Million Words House Reading Challenge is open to all students and staff and will run until Friday 10 August 2018. It will culminate in a celebration with prizes awarded during book week in August. Students can find information on the [Shortis Library](#) homepage and contact library staff to join.

Read a Million!

Million Words House Reading Challenge 2018

The aim of the Challenge is to read as many words as possible.

Read for your house, read for yourself, strive for a million words.



Image by Noel Ford, My Home Library

Whitefriars Community Book Club

The next gathering of the **Whitefriars Community Book Club** will be on **Tuesday 5 June 2018, 7 – 8pm** at the Whitefriars Shortis Library, where we will informally discuss current reads and what's trending in the book world.

All welcome, whether you'd like to share book and author recommendations or hear about them from others. Light supper will be served. All attendees will be entered into the draw for a door prize.

Bookings essential at: <https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?embed&eid=334025>

Queries and ideas welcome: librarystaff@whitefriars.vic.edu.au

Mr Warren Finlay
English Teacher



Connecting WWII Stories Across Generations

Thanks to Whitehorse Manningham Libraries for organising and hosting Whitefriars College students to participate in the **Remembrance Reflections** Interviewing Project on Wednesday 16 May. Insightful student reflections quoted here, provide a snapshot of the value students gained from the experience, whilst also contributing to the oral history of WWII within the local areas.

James Key, Year 10 History

My highlight of the day was meeting Gerald, my interviewee, who was a rear gunner in Avro Lancaster heavy bomber for the R.A.F. during WWII. It was such an amazing experience – I couldn't believe I was talking to someone who had actually fought in the war...The stories and experiences he shared with me will never leave my mind, as they were so interesting and intriguing to listen to...He told me things that have changed the way I think about the war and the way I look towards those who have served us through their actions in war.



Rhys Phelan, Year 10 Journalism

The veteran interview was an eye-opening experience like no other. Our veteran was Maxwell Valentine of the Artillery Regiment, who was able to communicate and explain his experiences in the military with the up-most clarity.

The highlight of this excursion would certainly be gaining a deeper understanding of personal experiences of the 2nd World War, and the hardships and torments that those who served went through.





Library News continued.

David Minahan, Year 10 Journalism

...We got the pleasure to interview the son of a Vet. I found the experience very interesting learning about the history of his father and the son's younger self...What is remarkable is the environment they had to go through, thick jungle in which people a metre apart couldn't see each other and mud that swallowed people up, not to mention their skin turning yellow because of the months of Atebrin. A truly horrible experience to live through, but the soldiers did it for the good of Australia. Let us not forget their actions.



Blake Ritchie, Year 10 Journalism

...I consider myself lucky to have had interviewed a World War 2 veteran as in recent times, only few will get the chance to do this. ... I liked how the veterans were passionate and open to our questions, allowing us to learn as much as possible in the few hours we had. There were a wide range of WW2 veterans from various divisions and ranks, making each and every one of our experiences unique and special. I would like to thank the school and the library for making this day possible.

Library opening hours:

8am – 4.30 Monday - Thursday

8am – 3.30 Friday

Contact Library: librarystaff@whitefriars.vic.edu.au Ph: 9872 8320

Languages

Mr Tony Thio
Learning Leader Languages



Mrs Karen Scott
Mr Mike Jackson



On Friday 11 May, Year 8 students Nicholas Gunawan, Marc Cordeiro, Flynn Haberl, Jacob O'Brien, Daniel Triffett, Damien Hall, Evan Chee, Ben Duffy, William Moran, Zachary Walsh and Christopher Brand participated in the annual Indonesian VILTA Sayembara Lisan Oral Language Competition. The students were examined in the areas of general conversation and a prepared topic, requiring considerable preparation beforehand. Against many other students studying Indonesian in Victoria, we are thrilled to announce Jacob O'Brien, Nicholas Gunawan and Zachary Walsh achieved a place in the competition finals. We wish them the very best of success in their final examination next month.

Selamat belajar dan semoga sukses!

Bu Scott and Pak Jackson



Performing Arts

Ms Nathalie Fox
Learning Leader- Performing Arts



Year 10 Drama Excursion 'Hungry Ghosts'

Year 10 Drama recently visited the Southbank Theatre to see 'Hungry Ghosts', written by Jean Tong. The play centres around some of the recent controversies in Malaysia, including the MH370 disappearance, the corruption of Malaysian Prime Minister Najib Razak and his development company 1MBD, and the killing of Altantuyaa. Following non-naturalistic conventions, the show featured minimal set pieces and costumes, however the cast was able to convey complex emotions and themes through the use of recurring concepts throughout the show. It was thoroughly enjoyable and provoked meaningful conversations about the current situation in Malaysia.

Jamie Currow Year 10

Open Day 2018

Thank you to all performers who contributed to the Open Day performance. It was great to see so many performers looking so sharp in their new performance uniforms. If your son is a member of a College ensemble and is yet to order a shirt, please contact Sandra Kennedy.

Vocal Cabaret and Jazz Soirée

On Wednesday 30 May we will be showcasing our vocal students, cabaret-style, and will once again feature Monique di Mattina as our guest artist. The dress up theme is 'rat pack' (think Frank Sinatra in the 1950's). There will be prizes for the best-dressed costume and a lucky door prize. To book, please access the following link: <https://www.trybooking.com/VUIU>
The following evening, Thursday 31 May, we will be hosting our annual, and immensely popular, Jazz Soirée where College jazz ensembles perform to parents and friends. Booking for this event is via <https://www.trybooking.com/VUIU>

At both the above events, seating is at tables and patrons are invited to BYO supper. Please note that students may sit at the back of the room when they have finished performing (there is no need for parents to book them a seat). We, and the students, are looking forward to two great evenings of entertainment.

Year 7 Classroom Music Concert

Parents of Year 7 students in Corsini, Edith Stein, Soreth and Trinity houses are invited to attend a performance evening on 19 June showcasing the talents of the Year 7 Music classes for Semester 1. The performance will be held in the Healy Wilson Theatre from 7-8pm. The boys have been working hard to develop their program and look forward to presenting to their parents. More details will be forthcoming shortly.

Sketchfest

Come prepared for a night of hilarious nonsense at our annual 'Sketchfest', written, directed and performed by our Drama Ensemble students. This will be performed in the Healy Wilson Theatre on 14 June.

Up-coming events:-

30 May: Vocal Cabaret 7pm

31 May: Jazz Soirée 7pm

14 June: Sketchfest

19 June: Year 7 concert

27 June: Second combined ACC Concert Band rehearsal





SET News

Ms Jo Anne Menzies
Sustainability and Environment Facilitator



7 Stein Seed Planting

Mrs Wight's 7RE Stein class was the final group to complete their seed planting activity as part of their Creation unit. The Sustainability and Environment Team were very pleased to see how well each class has been caring for their seedlings after visiting each classroom. Some seedlings are already a few centimetres in height and will be ready to take home and in the next few weeks. The recycled paper pot can be placed straight into a hole in the garden, as the newspaper will break down. To the Year 7 families, enjoy the delicious lettuce variety that your son has nurtured.



Open Day Views

The Sustainability and Environment Team were fortunate to be located on the new Biology balcony for Open Day. Prospective families were drawn to the expansive space to take in the amazing Mullum Mullum Valley views. SET were delighted to explain that the view was part of the College grounds where students have the opportunity to learn and experience the environment in a different setting. This includes water testing; biodiversity studies; transect studies; habitat observations; conservation work; mapping; meditation; audio recordings and tree planting.

Sustainable action by Staff

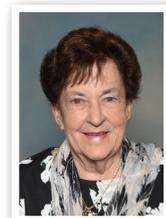
Whitefriars staff support sustainable practices in a number of ways. Many recycle and compost at home, tend to loved gardens, have solar panels, avoid buying Palm Oil products, ride their bikes, support local farmers, purchase recycled toilet paper and are ethical shoppers. Recently, a student teacher was proud of his jacket made out of water bottles. These positive attitudes and practices of good environment decisions is important for future generations.





College Services

Mrs Marie Cameron
College Services Coordinator



Entertainment Books

Books are now available \$70 each with \$14 going back to the College. [Click here to view and place your orders.](#) Great value. Entertainment members are also able to qualify for the Emirates Companion Sale Fares. [Click Here for more details.](#)

Manningham Monster Raffle.

Thank you to all the families who supported the Raffle. It has been drawn and winners will be published soon.

Uniform Exchange

Thanks again to anyone who has sent in College Uniform for sale. We have good stocks of pants, shorts, shirts, tracksuits and blazers. The College Service volunteers who work on Tuesday are invited to assist Melissa in the Uniform Exchange. It is open 12.30 – 2pm every Tuesday. The Shop is located at the back of the Canteen.

We would be delighted to hear from any mothers or fathers who can spare a morning to assist in the Canteen. Many parents are now working so we are very happy to hear from anyone who can support the Canteen. Just call Mrs Nola Murphy 987283107 or email mcameron@whitefriars.vic.edu.au

We would really appreciate hearing from you.

Deepest sympathy to the Hayes family on the death of their dear wife and mother. Our prayers are with you all. May she rest in the arms of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel.

Please contact Mrs Nola Murphy 9872 8308 if you have any queries about the canteen roster. I can be contacted on 9872 8307 or email mcameron@whitefriars.vic.edu.au.

We look forward to seeing you at the College and thank you for all your wonderful support.

Our Lady of Sion College

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Information Evening
Tuesday 5 June, 7.00 to 8.00 pm

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2020 Year 7 Enrolments close, 17 August 2018

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BACK TO THE 80S

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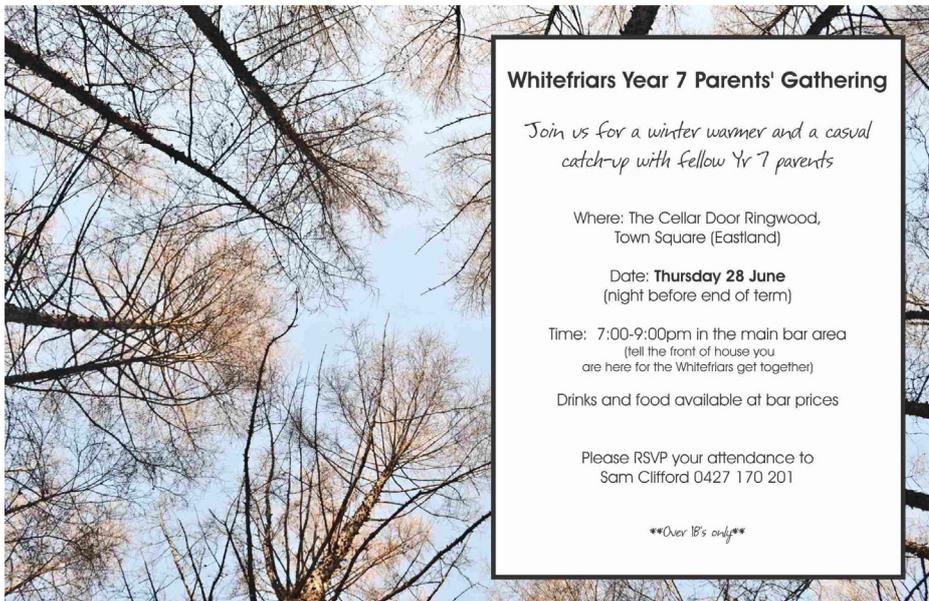
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Whitefriars Year 7 Parents' Gathering

Join us for a winter warmer and a casual catch-up with fellow Yr 7 parents

Where: The Cellar Door Ringwood, Town Square (Eastland)

Date: **Thursday 28 June**
(night before end of term)

Time: 7:00-9:00pm in the main bar area
(tell the front of house you are here for the Whitefriars get together)

Drinks and food available at bar prices

Please RSVP your attendance to
Sam Clifford 0427 170 201

Over 18's only

Support the people of Timor-Leste by attending an evening of wonderful music and talent



Brenna Wee

Lynne Chuah

Sunday, 17 June 2018 starting at 2 pm.

Whitefriars College Functions Rooms, Donvale

Tickets: \$25.00, with all funds going to support the Carmelite work in Timor-Leste.

To Book go to:

<https://www.trybooking.com/book/event?eid=386205&>

For more information contact Pablo Pizzuto

9872 8223 or ppizzuto@whitefriars.vic.edu.au



Sports Report

Mr Gavin Kellar
Faculty Head - Sport



Congratulations to our Whitefriars Open Golf Team on winning the ACC premiership at the Northern Golf Course.

A special thankyou and congratulations must go to their Coach Mr Andy Dalrymple and Captain Marcus Raptopoulos, for their efforts in preparing the team.

"ACC Golf Open 2018 - Division 2 Premiers!!!

After last year being relegated to Division 2, it was time for redemption and a quick return to Div 1. On 14 May, at Northern Golf Club, home to ACC's Golf Competitions, eight of Whitefriars' best took on five other competing schools in Division 2.

The Whitefriars' team comprised of Thomas Rodenberg, Conor O'Farrell, Bevan Fernandes, Lochie O'Connell, Jack Knight, Jack Perrin, Blake Ritchie and Captain, Marcus Raptopoulos. This year saw the unveiling of the Whitefriars Golf Team shirts, thanks to Mr Kellar who helped organise the shirts.

Great performances by Jack Perrin (82), Blake Ritchie (85) and Jack Knight (85) helped by Marcus Raptopoulos' 80, set up the win. These were the top four scores that enabled us to win Division 2 by 35 shots.

Our score was only 11 strokes behind the Division 1 winners, St Joseph Geelong. Although the course conditions were wet, the boys managed to shoot some incredible scores and some even earned themselves a position in the All Independent Schools State Final, which is to be held at the National (Long Island) Golf Club on 28 May. Great signs for the future, with hopefully an even more competitive team in Division 1 next year.

Great job to all the boys who participated and a massive thank you to Mr Dalrymple for organising the team and for driving us to Northern G.C. Thanks again to all who helped and participated to make this day possible, and good luck to Jack Perrin and Jack Knight with the All Independent State Schools Final next week."

Marcus Raptopoulos, 2018 Golf Captain



Marcus Raptopoulos



Blake Ritchie



Conor O'Farrell

Thank you to Mr Yeo and Badminton Captain Owen Yu for their work this term in preparing the Senior, Intermediate and Open badminton sides for their championships. All three sides performed extremely well. The Open side was third, the Junior side came second and the Intermediate side came third.

"As I woke up to the sound of my alarm ringing today was the day, my badminton competition. I was so excited for this day because I love playing badminton and this was my chance to play badminton for my school. After I arrived at the bus turning circle I hopped onto the bus full of friendly faces. After a long drive to MSAC we gathered our equipment and headed off to the badminton courts wearing our school uniform proudly.

After a few minutes of warming up all the schools were called to meet up and listen to the rules and how this day was going to work. The first few schools were not to challenging and we easily passed through them. Our hardest challenge for our whole day came when we played Mazenod. As I approached the court I saw their singles two player and when I saw him I knew it was going to be a tough challenge. The match started off intensely with only one or two points the difference and then he started to pull away winning 21 - 15. It was one of the most intense matches I have had in a long time.

Mazenod where a force and we only won one game from them. After a while we faced our next big challenge, Salesian College. Against Salesian all our singles won but our doubles, although close matches, were unsuccessful, so it was a draw and now it was down to the points. At the end, we beat Salesian by a few points and won that round.

At the end of the day, Mazenod won and Whitefriars came at a close second, but it was still an enjoyable and challenging day."

Wilson Loh - Junior Badminton Team member

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"The Year 8 Division 2 football team had a convincing win over Mazenod. Some of our stronger players for the season were rested though the result was never in doubt after a slow start in the first quarter. Well done to the boys! A very solid team performance.

Whitefriars 9:12:66
Mazenod: 1:05:11

Goal kickers for Whitefriars:-Liam Gilmour (2) Noah Wright (2) Ben Duffy (2) Isacc Tymms, John Zikas Jamie Dittman (1)
Best players: Noah Wright, Ollie Clifford, Shannon D'Souza, Liam Gilmour, Ollie Rogers, Cody Bongiorno, Lachie Manchee, Zachary Walsh, Jacob Whitehead, Isaac Tymms"

Mr Denning and Ms Scutella – Year 8 (2) Football Coaches

Congratulations to the students who have been competing in the Victorian Championship Cross Country Road Relays. We have competed in two events so far with one at Jells Park and one at Princess Park. In both events we have had 6 teams and 24 students compete which is fantastic representation for our College. Our best place finish so far has been a fourth place finish from our Under 14 (1) side at Jell Park. More details on further trainings are below:

"The 2018 Cross Country season is well and truly rolling. As we had with the Athletics season, there will be an emphasis on fun, staff/student involvement and general fitness through our 'High Performance' training within the Cross Country program. It is an opportunity for Students and Staff of all ages, ability levels and different sports to have the chance to achieve their personal fitness goals in a group environment, whether it be for Elite junior competition or to enjoy the health and wellbeing benefits of regular exercise. We are once again fortunate to have the expertise of four-time Olympian Craig Mottram to coach a multi-faceted running program for Whitefriars on our Wednesday morning session, as this forms the basis for all sporting and fitness pursuits. Cross Country (High Performance) training sessions occur 1-2 times a week, 7.05am (Guggenheimer Gymnasium), with the details in the ACC Sport fixtures each week. A Light breakfast is supplied after training.

Below are the key Cross Country dates for Term 2:

Date	Event / Meeting Time / Venue
Wednesday 30 May	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: Whitefriars College grounds/Eastern Freeway track/Halliday Park (followed by a light breakfast)
Friday 1 June	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: Whitefriars College grounds/Eastern Freeway track/Halliday Park (followed by a light breakfast)
Wednesday 6 June	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: Whitefriars College grounds/Eastern Freeway track/Halliday Park (followed by a light breakfast)
Friday 8 June	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: Whitefriars College grounds/Eastern Freeway track/Halliday Park (followed by a light breakfast)
Wednesday 13 June	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: Whitefriars College grounds/Eastern Freeway track/Halliday Park (followed by a light breakfast)
Saturday 16 June	Victorian Championships – Bundoora Park – 10am – 2pm
Tuesday 19 June	Middle School Cross Country – Session 5 (TBC)
Wednesday 20 June	Senior School Cross Country – Session 4 (TBC)
Thursday 21 June	Junior School Cross Country – Session 5 (TBC)
Friday 22 June	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: Whitefriars College grounds/Eastern Freeway track/Halliday Park (followed by a light breakfast)
Wednesday 27 June	Training Meet 7.05am in the Guggenheimer Gym – 4 – 7kms: McDonalds Run

Other key events to note:

Saturday mornings – Mullum Mullum Park Runs (8am Donvale – Optional);
Wednesday 12 September – ACC Cross Country Championships – Bundoora Park (Term 3).

Looking forward to a big season of running at Whitefriars!"

Matthew Bagnara and Ricky Hou – 2018 Cross Country Captains

Congratulations to the following students on their representative honours:

- Joe Mutimer: who was Captain of the Victorian Metropolitan U/18 Basketball side that competed in the Australian National Championships, which were held in Geelong from the 21- 28 April. The side finished in 3rd place.
- James Roche: Selected in the Victorian Metropolitan U/16 side to compete in the Australian championships on the Sunshine Coast from 6- 13 July.

Well done 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



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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:	Nate Te Matthew Bagnara	Rick Hou Bevan Fernandes	Tom Brown	Sam Ellingsen	Patrick Conole	Nicholas Turnbull
Year 11:	Ben Worner	Hugh Parrott	Hugh Hassall			
Year 9:	Lachie Parrott Oscar O'Connor	Patrick Cotter	James Newman	Logan Batchelor	Jonas Morrison	Tom Sonderhof
Year 8:	Noah Wright	Ryan Dickinson				
Year 7:	Anthony Moule	Tobias Kilkenny				

ACC Match Results

Week ending 25 May



Football

1st XVIII:
Whitefriars 10 / 6 / 66 def. St Bernards 6 / 6 / 42
2nd XVIII:
Whitefriars 5 / 5 / 35 def. by St Bernards 16 / 11 / 107
Year 10:
Whitefriars 7 / 10 / 52 def. Parade 6 / 13 / 49
Year 10 (2)
Whitefriars 6 / 9 / 45 def. by Salesian 10 / 14 / 74
Year 9 (1):
Whitefriars 4 / 4 / 28 def. by Parade 23 / 6 / 144
Year 9 (2):
Whitefriars 19 11 / 125 def. De La Salle 2 / 0 / 12
Year 8 (1):
Whitefriars 22 / 21 / 153 def. Mazenod 0 / 0 / 0
Year 8 (2):
Whitefriars 9 / 11 / 65 def. Mazenod 1 / 5 / 11
Year 7 (1):
Whitefriars 10 / 9 / 69 def. St Bede's 5 / 3 / 32
Year 7 (2):
Whitefriars 4 / 9 / 33 def. by St Bernard's 7 / 8 / 50

Soccer

Senior 1st XI:
Whitefriars 2 def. by Emmanuel 7
Senior 2nd XI:
Whitefriars 3 def. by De La Salle 9
Year 10:
Whitefriars 8 def. St Joseph's FTG 1
Year 9:
Whitefriars 0 def. by Parade 5
Year 8 (1):
Whitefriars 0 def. by St Bernard's 5
Year 8 (2):
Whitefriars 5 def. Parade 0
Year 7 (1):
Whitefriars 3 def. Simonds 1
Year 7 (2):
Whitefriars 1 Drew De La Salle 1



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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 29 May	Years 9 & 10 Sport
Year 9 (1) Football – Round 6 v. St Bedes At St Bedes Front Oval (ERT 4.30pm) Year 9 (2) Football – Round 6 v. De La Salle At T.H King Reserve (ERT 4.15pm) Year 9 (1) Soccer – Round 6 v. Mazenod At Whitefriars College, Soccer Pitch	Year 10 (1) Football – Round 6 v. Parade At Whitefriars College, Main Oval Year 10 (2) Football – Round 6 v. Salesian At Whitefriars College, Bottom Oval Year 10 (1) Soccer – Round 6 v. De La Salle At Sir Zelman Cowan Park (ERT 4.15pm)
Wednesday 30 May	Senior Sport
Senior Football 1st XVIII – Round 7 v. Parade At Parade College, Bundoora (ERT 4.45pm) Senior Football 2nd XIII – Round 7 v. St Bedes At St Bedes College, Mentone (ERT 4.15pm) Senior Soccer 1st XI – Round 7 v. St Joseph's Geelong At St Joseph's Geelong (ERT 4.15pm) Senior Soccer 2nd XI – Round 7 v. St Joseph's FTG At Whitefriars College (soccer pitch)	
Thursday 31 May	Years 7 & 8 Sport
Year 7 (1) Football – Round 7 v. Mazenod At Mazenod College, Mulgrave Year 7 (1) Soccer – Round 7 v. St Bedes At Whitefriars College, Soccer (1pm start) Year 7 (2) Football – Round 7 v. St Bedes At Whitefriars College, Bottom Oval Year 7 (2) Soccer – Round 7 v. Parade (P) At Whitefriars College, Soccer (2.15pm start)	Year 8 (1) Football – Round 7 v. St Joseph's FTG At Whitefriars College, Main Oval Year 8 (1) Soccer – Round 6 v. Simmonds At J.J Holland Reserve (2pm start, 4.30pm return) Year 8 (3) Football – Round 7 v. St Bede's At Southern Road Reserve Year 8 (2) Soccer – Round 7 v. CBC St Kilda At Alma Park (ERT 4.15pm)