Feast of the Assumption – Monday 15th August

On Monday we recognise the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This commemorates the death of Mary and her bodily assumption into Heaven. This is an important feast and Holy Day of Obligation. This is the only one that occurs on a school day during the year. As such we will have Mass in the Paul Rafter Centre at 12.50pm.

All students, family members and staff are welcome to attend.

Mary MacKillop Feast Day

Our College community received this message from Sr Maree Ridler on Monday, 8th August, St Mary McKillop of the Cross Feast Day.

Dear Friends of Mary MacKillop and the Sisters of St Joseph,

Wherever you are today on this special Sesquicentenary Anniversary Feast Day of Mary I wish all of you a wonderful day of celebrating, reflecting, remembering the Josephite story and sharing Mary’s spirit and love with those whose lives are intertwined with yours.

May all of us, in Mary’s spirit, continue to listen to the heartbeat of our world - responding, as she did, to the needs, of our times, making our small part of the world a better place.

Happy Feast Day!

Peace and love from the Mary MacKillop Centre South Perth

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Languages Week Champions

Félicitations à nos champions de la semaine des langues.

Congratulations to our Languages Week Champions! They have achieved Bronze awards from Education Perfect by accumulating over 1000 points in only five days. Emma Wilson (8DB) has achieved an impressive Silver Award with over 2000 points. You all make me very proud. Bravo!

Mademoiselle Cat Harrison
Languages Coordinator

Upcoming School Arrangements

Just a reminder that there will be no school for students on Friday, 19th August and Monday, 22nd August. These days should be used by students for home study with assignments, revision and catch up on work, particularly for those students who have been ill and have missed classes in recent weeks.

On Wednesday, 24th August students will have Monday's timetable make up for one of the Mondays without school during the term.

Our staff will have a retreat on Friday and the Monday is a holiday in lieu of the extra time and commitment required for events related to our Catholic practices and ethos.

2016 Winter Appeal

Our 2016 Winter Appeal is well underway, with a large number of donations coming in. This time of year brings many challenges to families who are facing difficulties. Feeding the family, keeping them warm and healthy during the cold winter months can sometimes prove too much and families turn to wonderfully supportive agencies like 'The ShopFront' and 'MercyCare' to provide them with assistance.
This year we are targeting our donations to the needs of the clients who present at The ShopFront. For that reason each House Group in each Year level has been allocated a particular toiletry product. Please see the poster below for further details.

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Thank you in advance for your generosity in supporting this important College initiative.

**This week's focus – TOILETRIES**
**Collection Day:** Tuesday, 16th August

**Next focus:** WINTER CLOTHING AND BEDDING
Tuesday, 25th August – Week 6

Miss Cherie Milne  
Christian Service Coordinator

**Outdoor Education - Year 12/10 Leadership Expedition**

On Wednesday, 3rd August to Friday, 5th August the Year 12 ATAR Outdoor Education class undertook the task of facilitating an entire expedition for two Year 10 Outdoor Education classes over two nights. It was a major component of their ATAR course for the year and many hours were spent planning and organising activities for over 40 Year 10 students.

The expedition was held at Nanga Mill just outside of Dwellingup with the Year 12 students facilitating activities including team building, mountain biking and navigating in the areas surrounding the campsite. The final activity on Friday was a high ropes course where students faced different levels of challenges including flying foxes and bungee jumps. The Year 10 students had a positive experience in the natural environment and learnt many skills from their Outdoor Education leaders.

Thank you to the staff who attended the camp Mr Neil Bright, Miss Amber Sunderland, Miss Shawn Billam and our practicum teacher from last term, Miss Renae Cooper, who volunteered her time to join us.
Miss Karolina Lewy
Outdoor Education Teacher

Year 8 2017 Specialist Music

Application forms for the 2017 Year 8 Specialist Music Course are to be forwarded to the Performing Arts Office by Wednesday, 17th August.
The Specialised Music Course offers students a unique opportunity to further and develop their own identity and self-esteem, and develop improved confidence. It offers a well-rounded, enjoyable and engaging school life.

Students involved in Specialist Music are able to experience all that music has to offer including music theory, aural skills, history and performance.

Catholic Performing Arts Festival

What an incredible week it has been at the Catholic Performing Arts Festival.

Percussion solos started off the week at Trinity College, East Perth. Jac Donnelly, Liam Engelbrecht and Sam Marcus each performed a drum kit solo playing technical pieces that really entertained their audience. Each of the students received an outstanding report and should feel extremely proud of their achievement!
On Thursday, 11\textsuperscript{th} August, the Swing Band and Jazz Ensemble performed at La Salle College, Middle Swan. The evening was full of a variety of styles and genres from many participating schools. Our bands performed covers of Live and Let Die by Paul McCartney and Don’t Stop Me Now by Queen, as well as a Jazz number that showcased the technical abilities of our students through some incredible solos.

Best of luck to all students in their performances over the coming weeks.

Congratulations to the following student who received an award at the Festival:

**Honourable Mention**
Jac Donnelly (Drum Solo)

Below is a list of performances and dates that parents may like to attend.

- **Monday, 15\textsuperscript{th} August** 1.15pm Woodwind & Brass Solos (Zenith Music, Claremont).
- **Thursday, 18\textsuperscript{th} August** 2.30pm Acoustic Guitar Solos (Zenith Music, Claremont).
- **Monday, 22\textsuperscript{nd} August** 10.30am Electric Guitar Solos (Zenith Music, Claremont).
- **Thursday, 25\textsuperscript{th} August** 7.00pm Junior & Senior Dance Teams (Convention Centre).
- **Tuesday, 30\textsuperscript{th} August** 7.00pm Barbershop & 2108 Singers (Trinity College, East Perth).
- **Wednesday, 31\textsuperscript{st} August** 11.40am Piano Solos (Zenith Music, Claremont).
- **Thursday, 8\textsuperscript{th} September** 2.00pm Year 7 & 8 Rock Bands and Junior Elite Dance Team at Carnevale (Forrest Place, Perth).

Tickets for the 2016 Festival Concert at Perth Concert Hall on Monday, 12\textsuperscript{th} September can be booked directly through Perth Concert Hall. Information is also provided on the Catholic Arts website with a direct link to purchase tickets.

Telephone bookings: Call 08 9231 9999 9.00am-5.00pm Monday to Friday.
Box Office: In person at the Perth Concert Hall box office 9.00am-5.00pm Monday to Friday.
Recital Night

On Thursday, 18th August, the Music Department will host a formal performance evening for the year, Recital Night. The evening is shaping up to be a huge success with performances by College Ensembles such as Barbershop, Swing Band, Flute Ensemble and Brass Ensemble, as well solo performances from the Year 11 and 12 ATAR Music Class.

The concert will be held for the first time in the foyer of the Paul Rafter Centre. Tickets can be purchased from the Performing Arts Office. We look forward to seeing many family and friends in the audience.

Miss Kylie Malam
Head of Performing Arts

ACC Athletics Squad Selection

The top performing students at our Interhouse Athletics Carnival held earlier this term have been selected to represent the College at the ACC Athletics Carnival which will be held on Monday, 12th September at the WA State Athletics Centre. It is a massive achievement for the following students who have been selected to train for final selection to represent the College on the day.

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Final selection is based on attendance at training, effort and participation and will be finalised closer to the event in Week 9.

Training begins next week:
Tuesday and Thursday mornings - 7.15am-8.15am
Middle distance training (400m, 800m, 1500m)
Tuesday and Thursday afternoons - 3.15pm-4.15pm full squad trainings (all other events).

We look forward to some solid training sessions in the lead up to the Carnival and we wish all athletes the best for their preparation.

Mr Ryan Coutts – ACC Athletics Head Coach
Miss Karolina Lewy – Head of Sport
Junior Girls Soccer

The Junior Girls Soccer Team had a great Term 2 when they topped their group but lost the CAS Grand Final. This meant they qualified for the final 32 teams in the state's knockout competition.

The IMCC Junior Girls (Years 7-9) were visited by the Mercy College ‘B’ team and it was always going to be a closely fought match. IMCC played a much better first half as they had more of the ball and several shots on goal. However, the score remained 0-0 at half time.

The IMCC girls played with great enthusiasm but Mercy played very well in the second half and scored the only goal in the match to win 1-0.

The Junior Girls have had some great performances throughout the season and will be keen to further develop their performance.

Well done girls. A great effort this year.

Mr Damian Stefanoff
Soccer Academy Coordinator

Community News


Yanchep Dolphins Little Athletics Club starts its 14th season in September 2016 and is looking for interested families to join the club. Registrations will begin in September. Contact yancheplac@gmail.com or visit www.facebook.com/yancheplac

Mr Robert Marshall
Principal