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THE WARATAH WEEKLY

Begin with the End in Mind

Leadership Part 1/4

In a lifetime you accumulate wisdom, friends and enemies. Retirement (at least for a few weeks) is not too far away and so here are a few tips on the subject of leadership. By way of qualification, my PhD was on the topic of leadership (and I passed) so these tips do come with the support of a group of academics who thought the message worth more than a passing glance.

I can save you the pain of reading over one hundred thousand words of PhD thesis. My view is that there are three characteristics to continue to measure leadership against. They have become the overarching paradigm for me in seeking to navigate complex and ambiguous situations. I have not always managed to keep these in perspective but they have still made a helpful ready-reckoner from time to time on where things are travelling (mostly when things go pear-shaped).

To keep it simple, there are three characteristics to focus on in my view: (i). Be a Servant Leader; (ii). Be a Situational Leader

i) Servant Leadership:

This seems like a crazy contradiction. How can you be a leader and at the same time be a servant? Popular culture would dictate that servants serve bosses and bosses boss around servants. But what if leadership began with a vision for the future and, at the same time, the consideration of the dreams, hope and aspiration of those being led? What if it was clear to all that the stakeholders were just as important as the infrastructure? People AND Product. Mr Croger, our Deputy Headmaster, is a good example of a servant leader. In this I learn of him. A servant leader treats the child in Transition with the same respect and affection as a teacher, an office worker or a Prime Minister. All are equally loved by God. This is a good paradigm for any business but essential at WAC. A Christian could ask - What would it look like if God walked amongst us? We don't have far to look. Jesus said, in **Matthew 20:28** ** "the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

ii) Authentic Leadership:

Don't try to be somebody else in leadership. Learn about leadership from others, even pinch a few things that work and ask lots of questions along the way, but in the end, you must learn to be the leadership version of yourself: it's too difficult to be someone else. Don't expect perfection or you will be often disappointed but stick by the ethics, morals, principles and virtues that shape your character. My brother, Evan, is an authentic leader. He sticks by his principles. In that I learn of him. His authenticity saw him promoted again and again in the NSW Police Force. Despite humble beginnings, and even more humble grades, he is now the Police Commander of the Wollongong Region. A Christian should try to be consistently authentic. **Romans 12:2.** Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is - his good, pleasing and perfect will.

iii) Situational Leadership:

Don't try to find a style of leadership and rigidly follow it. Style can be flexible according to the situation - authenticity should not. Good leaders have a different style in different situations with different people. In a school context, the leader should be firm and clear with students yet collaborate with colleagues. Sometimes, even this should be reversed. The inner, authentic you, can be present when the situation calls for authoritative or collegial leadership; transformational or transactional leadership; strategic or laconic leadership.

Over the next three weeks, I will share some day to day tips. All are different, but all fit the leadership framework of -

Servant, Authentic, Situational

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Wollondilly Anglican College



PRE-KINDERGARTEN TO YEAR 12

The College Headmaster is inviting applications for the following role:

Support Staff Position:

TAS/Hospitality Assistant

(Part-Time, Term Time)

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For more information: www.wac.nsw.edu.au/about-us/leadership-staff/employment/

Closing Date: Friday, 12 June 2020

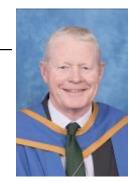
In accordance with Child Protection legislation, preferred applicants will be subject to employment screening

FROM THE DEPUTY'S DESK

eSafety For Parents

Be An eSafe Kid!

Kids today might be digital natives, and even more tech-savvy than adults, but they often lack the maturity, resilience or experience to cope with online risks. This includes things like cyberbullying, unwanted contact from strangers, or coming across inappropriate content.



The new **eSafety Kids** is a fun and engaging way to get your kids thinking about the importance of online safety.

eSafety Kids immerses children into a bright, visual and interactive world of being an eSafe Kid, covering a range of topics such as 'I saw something online I didn't like' to 'someone is contacting me and I don't want them to'. It also helps them with advice and support if they are being bullied online, including **how to make a report** to eSafety with a trusted **adult**.

'Be an eSafe Kid' is best suited to kids aged between five and nine years while 'I need help with' is best suited for kids aged between 10 and 12 years.

Encourage your children to be safe, kind, curious and secure online.

Family Tech Agreement

It takes the whole family to be safe online.

A family tech agreement is a set of rules about how devices, like smartphones, tablets, computers, TVs and gaming consoles are used in your home. It is written down and agreed to by all family members and kept in a place where everyone can see it (such as on the fridge).

This agreement is designed to help your family have a smoother time around technology in your home and promote safer online experiences.

When your child is around three years old, it is a good idea to make a family tech agreement together. At this age, children are recognising rules, so you can build on this understanding in a fun way to talk about online safety and set some rules. Talking with your child about these rules helps to develop their critical thinking and self-regulation skills and encourages them to build good habits around technology. It can also help them to understand how the internet and networked technologies work, which in turn explains the importance of online safety.

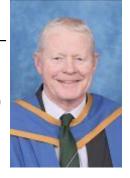
eSafety have developed a family tech agreement in collaboration with ABC KIDS. You can use the agreement provided through this link, https://www.esafety.gov.au/parents/children-under-5/family-tech-agreement which is specifically tailored for younger children and includes pictures to explain the rules. Or you can create your own using the template, with different rules for children of different ages and pictures that suit your particular situation and family. As children grow older, or if your situation changes, it is a good idea to revise your agreement.

It is important for parents and carers to agree to some of the rules, as how you use technology provides a model for children to follow. You can decide which rules are appropriate for children of different ages.

FROM THE DEPUTY'S DESK CONTINUED...

Bronze Duke of Ed Practice Adventurous Journey.

The NSW Duke of Edinburgh's Award Organisation has provided schools with suggested modifications for their Practice Journeys to assist with the current COVID-19 situation.



With some relaxation of group size restrictions in NSW, we are intending to run our first Practice Journey for the year.

This will be a day hike only and students won't be able to camp overnight. Students will need to carry their food, clothing and equipment as if we are staying overnight. They will need to cook a meal and erect their tent. This will prepare them for their Qualifying Journey later in the year.

This Journey will take place on Saturday, 20 June from Mittagong via the Nattai Valley.

We are unable to transport students using the College buses.

Specific Details are below:

Saturday, 20 June 2020 - Only

Bronze Departure 8.30 am from Lake Alexandra Car Park at Mittagong. Parents will need to transport students.

Pick Up at Lake Alexandra Picnic Ground at Mittagong - 4.00 pm.

Equipment:

Students will need to carry all their own food, equipment, water, sleeping gear and tent. This will be covered at the pre-expedition briefing. An equipment list is in the Expedition Handbook issued to students.

The College has some packs, tents and cookers that students can borrow for this journey if required.

College Expectations:

Students are reminded that all College rules regarding behaviour and expectations apply.

Mr Croger, Ms Huxtable, Mrs Cochrane, Mr Davis and Mr Hart will be supervising the students. Mr Schroder will be an emergency contact person.

Permission and Medical Forms need to be returned to the College Office by Friday, 12 June.

Mr Ian Croger Deputy Headmaster

A Reminder to Parents and Carers

During the current COVID-19 situation, we need to remind parents again, that once children are dropped off or picked up that parents leave the College grounds and not congregate together and chat on the College grounds. We must continue to do our best to provide the safest environment for you and for your children and this includes reducing the risk of contact and potential exposure to other children and to staff.

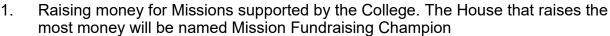
We also request that after College hours, during pick-up times, that students or siblings do not play on the playground equipment.

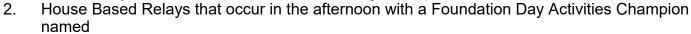
Thanks for your cooperation and support in these matters.

PASTORAL CARE T-12

Foundation Day

Tomorrow (Friday, 5 June) the College will celebrate Foundation Day. The day has typically has two focuses:





The College normally encourages giving \$5.00 per student or \$10.00 per family in relation to Mission Fundraising, this will be adjusted in 2020 due to the impact of COVID-19 to a gold coin donation. The College understands the impact that this pandemic has had for a number of our families and seeks to accordingly adjust things for 2020 to show our support to the College Community.

The College is committed to outward thinking and will provide support to Mission in 2020 based on the support received this year. If you are in a position to support Mission Fundraising with a Gold Coin Donation, we appreciate your support.

Due to the cancellation of all Athletics Carnivals in 2020, there will be no House Based Relays in 2020. Instead a program for Primary and Year Groups in Secondary will occur throughout the day. This will allow for safety measures to be maintained but also allow for activities to proceed in a modified manner.

Foundation Day relays are normally well attended by parents. In 2020 as a safety measure for all, **parent attendance will not be possible**. We appreciate your understanding and adherence to this as a safety precaution in 2020.

Students are required to wear House coloured polo shirts and College winter sports uniform on the day.

Mr Liam Toland
Director of Pastoral Care T-12

TEACHING AND LEARNING 7-12

Year 12 2021 Subject Selection Information Evening

Parents are reminded of the Subject Information Evening that will be held on Thursday,11 June via Zoom commencing at 7.00 pm. I will email parents directly with the details for the evening including how to access the Zoom meeting. Teaching and Learning Coordinators will be available after the meeting to further discuss specific courses.



Year 9 2021 Subject Selection Evening

Parents of Year 8 students are asked to keep Tuesday, 16 June free between 7.00 pm and 8.00 pm. On this evening we will run a Zoom meeting for all parents and students discussing the Subject Selection Process. Students will have attended seminars that day to assist them in their choices.

Year 11 and Year 12 Reflection and Staff Interviews

Thank you to all the parents who were available for the interviews this week. While a different experience, most have indicated they found the Zoom meeting helpful. Many commented that they enjoyed being able to meet from the warmth of their own home. Towards the back end of Term 2, Year 12 students will be meeting with either Mr Croger or myself to discuss their progress in preparation for the Trial Examinations.

Mr Paul Burns
Director of Teaching and Learning 7-12

PASTORAL MATTERS - SENIOR YEARS 9-12

Each fortnight, students in Years 7-12 receive an email at the start of the week, which provides them access to a range of wellbeing resources. These relate to Healthy Habits, Mindfulness and Gratitude, Relationships and Staying Connected, Managing Stress and Anxiety and Study Skills.





This week's highlight...The Gratitude Challenge!

An act of appreciation or kindness produces positive emotions, stronger social connections and improved wellbeing. Consider simple ways you can build gratitude and kindness into your day. And the best thing? Kindness and gratitude are contagious, so imagine the benefit to the people in your life! Get started: Each night, recall three good things that have happened during the day. Why not record them in a gratitude journal? Students have also been engaging in Gratitude activities during Pastoral Care lessons. We encourage students to get on board and let us know how they progress with this Personal Wellbeing Practice.

Student Leaders - Sharing words of encouragement to students via ZOOM in Roll Call (Years 7-11) College Prefects Holly Ray and Alex Biggs

We're all in the same boat, try to remember that we are all facing the same thing, and we all miss the normal things about life, so reach out to people and be kind.

A lot of co-curricular activities have been impacted by COVID but as restrictions ease, more and more teams, groups and clubs will be up and running soon. As Year 7's, you will find as the years go by, more and more opportunities arise. The College itself has a wide variety of opportunities available for all years. We urge you to take every opportunity that you can while still prioritising forming good study habits and being on top of College work or assessments.

College Prefects Kaleb Flower and Flynn Noakes

"You can't go back and change the beginning, but you can start where you are and change the ending."

- C.S. Lewis

We used this image as an inspirational quote, we interpreted it as being able to get more involved, getting motivated and breaking bad habits. By tailoring it towards Year 10 we said it will be a 'turning point' for them. As they embark on their senior years at the College, they can change their attitude and become more involved with their studies and the College community. We provided a few examples of our own lives in which we needed to break bad habits and transition into a more focused lifestyle.

Lunchtime Activities

The Senior Charades competition is well and truly underway with teams sorting out and practising their 'unique' communication styles and techniques in the lead up to their round. This is a great opportunity for senior students to get involved in a team or join in as a spectator - **Wednesday Lunchtimes**, **Flynn IRC**.

For further contact - email: e.madden@wac.nsw.edu.au

Mrs Emily Madden Pastoral Care Coordinator 9-12



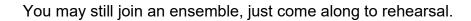




PERFORMANCE NEWS

Get Involved In Performance!

All of our ensembles are now rehearsing in their normal rehearsal times, with a few extra precautions being taken to encourage social distancing and good hygiene.





Ensemble Name	Eligible Students	Rehearsals	Ensemble Leader
Musical	All students in Years 5-11 in the year in which the musical is performed.	Monday afternoon, Warne Auditorium (and various) 2.35 pm - 5.30 pm Terms 1 and 4	Mrs Talbot
Primary Choir	All students in Years 3-6	Monday lunchtime, Melba 1	Mrs Apps
Primary Band	All students who play a band instrument or percussion in Years 5-6	Wednesday afternoon, Melba 4 2.45 pm - 3.30 pm	Mr Denley
Primary Strings	Students in Years 3-6 are invited to participate in this ensemble after demonstrating both skill and dedication either through the Stage 2 or Stage 3 Strings Program or private tuition	Friday lunchtime, Melba 4	Ms Bridge
Primary Dance	All students in Years 3-6	Friday lunchtime, Johnson Studio	Mrs Grant
Primary Drama	All students in Years 3-6 (numbers may be limited)	Tuesday lunchtime, Cuthbert (Mondays in Term 1)	Mrs Aston
Art Club	All students in Years 7-12	Friday lunchtime, Melba 3	Mrs Ware and Mrs Taylor
Photography Club	All students in Years 7-12	Online only at this time (see the 'Photography Club' section of the '7-12 Student Resources' Canvas course)	Mrs Taylor
College Choir	All students in Years 7-12	Monday lunchtime, Melba 1	Miss Nelson
College Band	All students who play a band instrument or percussion in Years 7-12	Tuesday afternoon, Melba 4 until 4.15 pm	Mr Grant
College Strings	All students who play a string instrument in Years 7-12	Thursday afternoon, Melba 4 until 4.15 pm	Ms Bridge
Dance Company	Selected students from Years 7-12 who display outstanding dance technique and performance quality (based off audition).	Tuesday afternoon, Johnson Studio until 4.15 pm	Miss Valente
College Cheer	All students in Years 5-12	Wednesday afternoon (Primary until 3.30 pm, Secondary until 4.15 pm), Johnson Studio	Miss Valente
Didgereedoo	Interested male students in Years 7-12	Wednesday lunchtime, Melba 1	Mr Denley
WAC Crew	All students in Years 7-12	On the job training at events	Mrs Talbot (Student Leaders: Anastacia Lalic and Abby Cupitt)
Set Design	All students in Years 7-11	Monday Afternoon, Terms 1& 4, Melba 3 until 4.15 pm	Mrs Ware and Mrs Taylor

PERFORMANCE NEWS CONTINUED...

Performing Arts Challenges - Primary Years

We are pleased to be able to offer some fun 'Performing Arts Challenges' each week in Term 2. Participation in the challenge will attract a House point towards the ongoing House point tally.

Participation is entirely voluntary. If you would like to view the weekly challenge, please email Mrs Talbot at s.talbot@wac.nsw.edu.au. You will be sent the challenge by reply email. If your child/children would like to participate in the challenge, simply send a reply back to Mrs Talbot with the video or photograph of your child's attempt.

Each week we will select our favourite entry to publish on our College Instagram account.

Challenges will be issued each Thursday and entries are due by the following Monday, 7.00 pm.

Performing Arts Challenges - Secondary Years

We are pleased to be able to offer some fun 'Performing Arts Challenges' each week in Term 2.

Participation in the challenge will attract a House point towards the ongoing House point tally.

Participation is entirely voluntary. If you would like to view the weekly challenges, please click on the 'Performing Arts' Section of the 'Student Resources 7-12' Canvas course. Submissions may also be made via this section of the Canvas course.

Each week we will select our favourite entry to publish on our College Instagram account.

Challenges will be issued each Thursday and entries are due by the following Monday, 7.00 pm.

Scholarship Maintenance

Those students who have been awarded Dance or Music scholarships are reminded of the requirement to gather points for the maintenance of this award.

Mrs Sarah Talbot
Performance Coordinator T-12

P&F Clothing Pool

The Clothing Pool is open on the following days from 7.45 am to 8.30 am. If you have any enquiries, please contact Melissa on 0415 402 013.

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Friday

Location Side windows of White Cottage - Opposite FLOWERS

Canteen

TAS News

Year 10 Food Technology

The Year 10 Food Technology students are studying 'Food for Special Needs' and are learning about logistical considerations. This week they learnt to make Spaghetti Bolognese, a meal they could vacuum seal and take

camping.





To accompany the dish, they made fire baked parmesan bread. Whilst we didn't light a fire, they cooked it using the College grill and oven. Mrs Schwartz talked about how they could create this dish on a campfire.

Year 11 Design and Technology

The Year 11 Design and Technology students during Term 1 have been given the brief of designing and constructing an item that can be used to keep a work space or study desk organised.

Students could work with a range of materials and they had to justify their design choices throughout the project. Practical projects are due in the next week and we look forward to seeing what the students have created.

Jake has created a clock that also doubles as a phone holder, his product is multifunctional and multipurposeful.

Zoe is creating a macramé shelf, she is in the process of finishing her macramé knotting before attaching the wooden shelf. On her wooden shelf she has made fabric storage tubs to hold stationery items.



Year 11 Industrial Technology - Timber Products and Furnishings

The Year 11 Industrial Technology students have been busy

constructing their shaker inspired table - a practical project that uses a variety of hand and machine

skills. Here the students are learning to use a hand plane to shape and taper the legs.

They had also been learning how to use machines such as the band saw to cut other components of their project. They have also learnt the importance of accuracy and marking out correctly. We look forward to seeing their finished products.







The WAC Kids Care program returned last week, and we eagerly

welcomed several students back into the kitchen. The WAC Kids Care program relies purely on donated food items to make meals to give to families in crisis care. Some of the students who volunteer for the program are using this time to learn a new skill for their Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme, hence have been documenting their skills at home as well.



Last week students made a range of cakes, peeled and chopped vegetables and worked on some basic meal preparation.

Mrs Kelly Evans TAS Coordinator

YEAR 9 FOOD TECH "DIY COLD ROCK"

The Year 9 Food Technology students are looking at food product development this Term. They have been learning about 'line extensions', 'me-too' products and 'new to the world' products. Today they experimented with food customisation and 'mix-ins,' creating their own blended ice cream flavours! Needless to say, with lollies, chocolate, berries and ice cream the students reported this to be their best prac yet!!



Miss Emily Bailey TAS Secondary Teacher









PAPER PLANE COMPETITION

In the Sturt Makerspace this term, we will be honing our paper plane making skills with a paper plane competition. Students will be able to research and test prototypes during Weeks 6-9 and then in Week 10 the competition will be held under the Shoulder to Shoulder Shelter.

There will be two major categories - the longest flight time in the air and the furthest distance flown. Winners will be declared for each of the categories and additionally there will be a Grand Champion who has the largest combined total for both categories. Any type of design is allowed provided nothing other than a single sheet of A4 80gsm paper is used. It should be a great challenge and is open to all secondary students.

I look forward to seeing who is able to design and build the best planes.

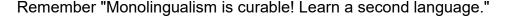
Mr Wayne Baulch Science Teacher and Secondary Learning Innovations Coordinator

AUF DEUTSCH BITTE!

Congratulations to our students for securing 3rd place for German out of 1,186 schools in the recent Education Perfect World Championships. Altogether our students gained a massive 56 certificates, which will be distributed at the College.

I am very proud of the team effort Wollondilly displayed to achieve such results, but particular mention goes to:

Ha Seung Jung	Year 9	ELITE	10,022 points
Patrick Haleblian	Year 12	EMERALD	8,193 points
Caleb Boardman	Year 8	EMERALD	5,033 points
Abby Miller	Year 12	GOLD	4,653 points
Eve Jones	Year 8	GOLD	3,500 points
Callum Ross	Year 12	GOLD	3,333 points
Allison Boland	Year 7	GOLD	3,001 points
Liam Biggs	Year 9	GOLD	3,000 points



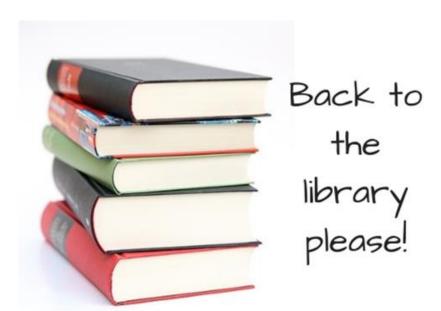
Mrs Carolyn Clark German Teacher

LIBRARY NEWS

Book Club Issue 4 orders due Sunday, 21 June

The Book Club catalogue is back! All orders are to be made online or through the LOOP app, see the catalogue for details. For Secondary students, the Book Club catalogues are available in Johnson, Flynn and Student Reception. Choose the class 'Secondary' when ordering. Orders due Sunday, 21 June.





Our wonderful students borrowed so many extra books during the Off-Campus Learning time and now is the time to bring these back so more students can borrow them. In particular, K-2 readers! If you received a letter or email, we would really appreciate you checking at home and helping us to circulate our resources again. Thank you from the Library.

Mrs Justine Colombo College Librarian



SECONDARY SPORT

Tuesday Sport

Students are continuing to participate in Year Group sport for the remainder of Term 2. Draws and organisation has begun in the hope that MISA can resume in Term 3. If restrictions are lifted, then we will utilise Tuesday Sport time in Weeks 9/10, Term 2 to run trials.



Foundation Day

Friday, 5 June will see the College celebrate Foundation Day. Our usual relay afternoon has been replaced by tabloid activities performed in House Groups to adhere to the current Government guidelines. All students have been emailed the details. Below is an outline of the scheduling. A reminder that this is a closed event - no spectators will be permitted.

YEAR	PERIOD
7	2
8	3
9	4
10	5
11/12	6

WASP - Wollondilly Anglican Sport Performance Academy

Unfortunately, the Term 2 Wednesday afternoon WASP Academy Programs were cancelled due to COVID-19. We are still hopeful that in Term 3 these can resume. We have all the training shirts and water bottles in stock ready to go! Like other sporting events, if restrictions are eased we will resume the WASP Programs.

This will (hopefully) include Netball, Soccer and Long Distance Running (Cross Country). Further details will be publicised when confirmation has been made around the government guidelines.

Current Hygiene Guidelines for Sport

A reminder for all students that following advice and in accordance with the recommendations several measures have been implemented to reduce risk during sport. Some of these measures include:

- Students will be required to wash their hands before and after sport sessions.
- Year Groups will meet and complete sport at different locations around the College to minimise exposure.
- Students are encouraged and reminded to socially distance themselves to the best of their ability and practise safe hygiene.
- Certain sports/games will no longer be played as safe distancing cannot be maintained.
 Alternative options that assist social distancing will be utilised.
- Use of sporting equipment will be minimised and all sporting equipment will be disinfected after use.
- Students will not be travelling off-site for sport.
- Individual water bottles are to be used by students. No bubblers.
- No external sport providers will be on site to run sport groups.

Mr Mark Goldsbrough Secondary Sports Coordinator

PRIMARY SPORT

Match Results

Soccer

Sollya 5 vs Telopea 1 Acacia 8 vs Grevillea 2 Wollemi 6 vs Grevillea 5 Acacia 1 vs Sollya 0

Netball

Sollya 6 vs Telopea 9 Acacia 0 vs Grevillea 2 Wollemi 8 vs Grevillea 2 Acacia 0 vs Sollya 7

Gaol

Sollya 5 vs Telopea 1 Acacia 8 vs Grevillea 2 Wollemi 6 vs Grevillea 5 Acacia 1 vs Sollya 0

Modified Oz-tag

Sollya 6 vs Telopea 3 Acacia 4 vs Grevillea 4 Wollemi 2 vs Grevillea 5 Acacia 1 vs Sollya 6



Match Reports

The Acacia soccer team managed to gain some traction in round 2 of the WAC Primary House Sports Competition, defeating Grevillea 2-0. Matthew Higham was able to rocket in a vital goal despite the efforts of Bracken Mercer patrolling his defensive perimeter like a Spitfire circa 1940.

Logan King was able to preserve some respectability for the Telopea side, making noble saves in their courageous, yet ill-fated, outing to a seemingly indefatigable Sollya team. However, Wollemi's Sam Schulze gave the Blues reason to look over their shoulder, with an impactful and energetic performance in the Greenies victory over Grevillea.

Pint-sized enforcer, Lisa Fouche proved that, despite their recent string of misfortune, Acacia is not a side to be trifled with. Regardless of her draw-loss record for round 2, Lisa continues to exemplify ferocity in defence. Telopea's Max Bertalan and Xavier Hurst almost had to be given a bushfire rating, such was the intensity of their red-hot footwork even during a gallant 6-3 loss to front-runners Sollya.

Grevillea has consistently showcased they are fertile ground for footballing talent, with Hemi-George MacDonald's crafty game management combining with the athleticism of Toby Peacock and Holly Morgan.

Amelia Fletcher has demonstrated that height, while helpful, is not entirely necessary for success on the netball court. Despite being only in Year 3, Amelia more than compensated for her youth and stature with raw energy and intensity.

Amelia's Wollemi continues to set a lofty standard as the dominant side in the netball competition. All-rounder Erin Brown provided stability to Sollya's high-scoring loss-win record for round 2.

In the goal competition, a crowing Acacia seemed to have chanced upon a golden egg of synergy in their double-yolker victories over Grevillea and Sollya. Evelyn Biggs was a notable contributor to the Acaician clutch of successes.

Normally accustomed to chasing chickens, Evelyn was able to translate her poultry management skills onto the gaol field, claiming a hat-trick of points for a triumphant (but also very relieved) Gold team in their 8-2 free-range rout of a flightless Grevillea.

Mr James Gooden
Primary Sports Coordinator

APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT

Applications continue to pour in for 2021 and beyond, across all year groups, but especially our entry years of Transition, Kindergarten, Year 5, Year 7 and Year 11.

All current College families looking to enrol siblings for the coming years are encouraged to do so without delay to avoid disappointment.

Enrolment packs are available from the College Office or from the College website www.wac.nsw.edu.au

Mrs Kristy Biddle Enrolments Officer



Scholarship portfolios and Dance Audition USBs are now available for pick up from the Alfred Deakin Administration Building Visitors' Reception.



Just a reminder that if your child is unwell please do not send them to the College.

If your child is tested for COVID-19 they must not attend the College until you receive your negative test results. It is important to note that if one of your children is tested for COVID-19, or someone in your household, they would be considered a close contact. This means that if you have other children who attend the College they

close contact. This means that if you have other children who attend the College they should not attend the College until test results come back negative. We have a designated email address which comes directly to me (covidtest@wac.nsw.edu.au) so parents are able to communicate if their child is being tested, waiting on results, has been cleared or has tested positive. This information will be treated as confidential.

NSW Health recommends that anyone with respiratory symptoms or unexplained fever should be tested for COVID-19. You can also go online to the health direct symptom checker for more advice, please go to below link: https://www.health.gov.au/resources/apps-and-tools/healthdirect-coronavirus-covid-19-symptom-checker

Mrs Sally Lloyd College Nurse

COLLEGE BANKING

While Banking is still paused, we are now considering how best we can deliver the program in a Coronavirus-safe environment.

Start Smart Parent Resources have been created to assist parents and carers in improving their children's money management skills.

These free, short videos and worksheets can be accessed from home and are designed to give students the confidence and skills to make smart decisions about money.

To find out more, visit commbank.com.au/parent

Mrs Leanne Molluso Student Reception Supervisor



CARPARK SAFETY REMINDER

It's great to have you all back at the College, although traffic has increased due to lots of students arriving by car instead of on the buses. The rear carpark is especially full during morning and afternoon peak times.

Our application for a second entrance through the Olive Farm is with Wollondilly Council and The Anglican Schools Corporation is ready to go ahead when it is all passed. In meanwhile, while we are waiting for it to be approved we need to be patient and take extra care in our College carparks as well as outside the College entrance.



To assist us in making things easier and safer for everyone, please follow the instructions below:

- The peak traffic time is between 7.45 am and 8.15 am. Avoid this time if you can
- Buses have priority due to their tight schedule. Please give way to them as required and follow the Traffic Warden's instructions.
- To save last minute rushing and traffic, COME EARLIER! It's easier to find parking and more relaxed.
- Don't park out on Remembrance Drive. It is a NO STOPPING zone.
- College roadway speed limit is 10kph, which is basically at a crawling pace.
- Drivers be aware of those crossing between parked vehicles, especially large 4WDs.
- Be watchful of your children in the carpark areas. Please don't let them run around the bus bay and car parking spaces.
- Walking across carparks between vehicles is very risky as drivers travelling through them don't see you till you emerge from behind a vehicle, especially high vehicles.
- The rear pedestrian crossing from Melba to Flynn is busy for five minutes after the bell goes at 2.35 pm. Please be patient during this time.
- Keep Left when driving in the rear carparks.
- Children being left in cars alone while parents walk into the College to pick up siblings is a dangerous practice and will be reported to police.
- Do not chat in carpark areas as kids get bored and run around cars while waiting for you.
- There are two set down and pickup areas at the front of the College, one in front of
 White Cottage and the other around the flag poles. We have now had made two A frame signs
 outlining what to do and not do. The west end of the bus bay can be used for quick drop offs but
 please do not get in the way of the buses.

Please understand our main purpose is to ensure safety on the College grounds for everyone. The carparks and roadways are high risk areas which require strict rules. We have been blessed these past 17 years with no major incident inside or outside of the College. Let's all work together with patience to keeping it this way.

Mr Fred Schroder Property Manager/ WHS Coordinator



FLOWERS News

If you have a lunch order and know you are going to be absent or if you go home sick can you please advise the office or Canteen so we can cancel your order so food does not go to waste.

At this stage the Canteen can only accept cash. We do not have Eftpos.

As we move into the colder weather keep an eye out for new items on the menu.

We have had to change some menu items due to some suppliers still not being fully operational.

There have been some changes made to availability of certain items from the menu. On Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays all items will be available for ordering. On Thursdays and Fridays you will find certain items will not be available.

I have had to make these changes to enable us to best fulfil all orders on these busy days. If you find an item that you really like is unavailable on a certain day you can choose to order it on another day.

There will be gluten free and vegetarian options available each day.

If you have any questions or would like to look at product labels for a special diet, intolerance or allergy please drop by the Canteen and have a chat with me.

Protect children's uniforms from paint stains by purchasing an art smock from the Canteen. They are \$20.00 each and range from extra small to large. Sport socks are also available to purchase at \$10.00 each. These are for Hockey, Football etc. Your child's teacher will advise if they are needed.

When the weather starts to get chilly you might like to purchase a College scarf from the Canteen for \$13.50.

Please remind K-4 students to bring their lunch bag back to the Canteen at the beginning of Lunch 2 if they have ordered a frozen treat. We do not put these in the lunch bags.

Every Friday Year 5 and Year 6 lunch orders are to be picked up from the seats at the front of the Canteen

From this Friday Years 9-12 lunch orders will be placed on tables in the cafeteria for pickup. This will give us more space and enable ease of collection. Students are asked to walk into the Cafeteria from the western side pick up their lunch and exit on the eastern side.

Calling all volunteers - we need your assistance for Term 2, 2020 and beyond. If you are available to help out in Canteen, please fill in a volunteer form and drop it into Student Reception or the Canteen.

Hours can be flexible if you are unable to stay all day. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

Mrs Carolyn Richards Canteen Supervisor Think healthy, Eat healthy, Live healthy.





COMMUNITY

WAC Kids Care

From time to time, families undergo trauma such as severe or terminal illness. There are short term **support structures in place at the College to assist families** during these times. The WAC Kids Care Program offers support to families in the way of meals. Please contact Mrs Hay or Mrs Rockwell at the College to assist. Confidentiality will be respected. The College is accepting food donations towards the WAC Kids Care Meals Ministry. Please see the list below:

WAC Kids Care

If you would like to practically support the WAC Kids Care Program, you are able to contribute food goods at any time.

The following items are very helpful when preparing meals:

Rice, Pasta, Noodles, Lentils and Quinoa
Tinned Vegetables eg Kidney Beans, Corn and Tomato
Sauces eg Passata and Sweet & Sour
Stock - Chicken, Beef, Vegetable
Flour, Salt and Pepper
Tinned and dried fruit
Eggs

A basket is located at Student Reception. Wish Cards or cash are also welcome which can be handed directly to the Office Staff. All donations need to be within their **use by date**.

Thank you to everyone supporting this ministry as we serve our Community.

Mrs Lisa Rockwell WAC Kids Care Organiser



• **Breast screen NSW** - Free breast screening for women aged 50-74. The breast screen bus will be in Picton between 1 to 19 June from 9.40 am - 3.20 pm Monday - Friday. Did you know 20 minutes every two years could save your life? To make a booking, please call 13 20 50.

Please note that the above is a service to the Community and items advertised do not necessarily carry the endorsement of the College. The College tries to be selective with what is advertised but cannot take responsibility. Please look into events advertised carefully.

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HEADMASTER HAPPENINGS

June

Thursday, 4 Staff - Zoom Meetings

College Photo Day

Meeting with College Council Chairman

Friday, 5 Staff - Zoom Meetings

Foundation Day Activities

Monday, 8 Staff - Zoom Meetings Tuesday, 9 Staff - Zoom Meetings

TASC Office and Heads of Schools Meeting

Wednesday, 10 Staff - Zoom Meetings

College Executive Meeting

TASC Heads Zoom Meeting

Thursday, 11 Staff - Zoom Meetings

Friday, 12 NASSA Heads Zoom Meeting

Staff - Zoom Meetings



ONLINE CHURCH SERVICES

Most churches are hosting services and Bible study groups online; it's a big change. Please see below links:

- Austinmer Anglican Church Online https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bQkg5CQlaD0
- C3 Wilton Church Online https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCZvjF337DgiG5kiZF81Kfnw/featured
- Picton and Wilton Anglican Church http://pwac.org.au/pwac-online/
- Bowral Anglican <u>www.bowralanglican.org.au</u>
- Wollondilly Anglican church Pre-recorded services via Facebook page
- Tahmoor Baptist Church On website through Zoom
- Wollondilly Presbyterian Via Facebook page Streamed Service
- St Jude's Church, Bowral https://vimeo.com/399339398 & Kids' Spot https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLjV8-JhIKUz93R4O0OzsWCYfAMf2mej1
- Campbelltown Christian Community Church (C4) Search C4Minto YouTube
- Menangle Anglican Church http://www.menangleanglican.com.au/
- Mittagong Anglican Church https://www.youtube.com/user/mittagonganglican

PRETEND HEADMASTERS



Pretend Headmasters - Nate Fruend (KF) and Emerson Sproule (KF) are in the process of going through our Enrolment Applications for siblings and new families.

Don't forget to complete and submit yours today, do not delay!

Prayer Points

Our College Link Missionaries: Kevin & Karen Flanagan - Prayer for Tanzania

Please thank God:

- That there is no evidence of C19 in our area.
- For those who have grown in their faith due to the C19 pandemic.
- For the privilege we have to preach and teach in Tanzania.

Please ask God:

- For continued protection from C19 for the people of Tanzania and ourselves.
- That the churches in our diocese would continue to grow, especially the four new church plants in Mpanda.
- That the Mobile Bible Schools and other ministries can commence once it is safe to do so.

Psalm 127:1 Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labour in vain.

Excellence, Endurance, Eternity.

