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# THE WARATAH WEEKLY

# **Endless** is the Victory

#### Love As Many People As You Can

Billy Graham, a famous evangelist tells of a South Sea Island missionary who wanted to translate the word 'faith'. The local native language didn't contain the word. The missionary spent months thinking about this important word's translation. One day he saw a man laying back in a hammock. The man had both feet off the ground and let all his weight rest on the hammock. The missionary now had his word for faith.



It can be hard to lay back and completely trust God, especially when things seem pointless and painful. Deuteronomy 29:29 says that "the secret things belong to the Lord our God." If the verse stopped there it would be true and profound but maybe not comforting. It continues, "... but things revealed belong to us and to our children forever."

One of the things that God has revealed is that he longs to be there for us. To be present. To strengthen us. When going through a hard time one Bible writer described his experience. "The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock in whom I take comfort." (Psalm 18:2)

The word comfort means: strong; strengthening. Over the years many Christians can testify to God's deep strengthening in times of suffering. I myself can. The apostle Paul talks about it, "Praise be to the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of compassion and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our troubles, so that we can comfort those in any trouble with the comfort we ourselves receive from God." 2 Corinthians 1:3-4 Suffering is deeply personal but comfort happens in community. We strengthen each other. We are able to be the refuge for someone else in the same way God or another person has been a refuge for us.

Peter Hazlewood was a person who knew how to strengthen others. The consistent experience of students, staff and parents was that he was able to see them. If something was wrong, he took the time to care. If things were good he'd laugh with them. Often he would laugh with people anyway. He was a good man.

Actually, he **is** a good man. In Mark 12:27 Jesus, remembered God's description of himself in the Old Testament when he said -

'I am the God of Abraham; I am the God of Isaac; I am the God of Jacob' Jesus went on to make one of the most comforting statements in the Bible: "He is not the God of the dead but of the living."

We know that Peter, Mr Hazlewood, is alive with Jesus. He knew that too. It is a great comfort to us. Last Term, Peter asked the students, "If you knew you had one year to live what would you do with it?" After listening to their responses he said;

'If I knew I had one year to live I'd get as close to Jesus as I could and love as many people as possible.'

Though we don't understand why we have lost Peter we turn to the Father of compassion and take both feet off the ground and rest in the God of all comfort.

In some ways, faith is like a hammock - rest, surety, full reliance and trust

# College Event Calendar - Term 4

# College

Saturday, 26 October Tuesday, 29 October Wednesday, 30 October

Saturday, 9 November Thurs, 14 & Fri, 15 Nov **Tuesday, 10 December**  Open and Orientation Day
Year 12 2020 Information Evening
14th Annual Golf Day or
Ladies at the Green High Tea
Working Bee
Staff Development Days (Pupil Free)
Last Day of Term 4

#### Secondary

Thurs, 17 Oct - Tues, 12 Nov Mon, 4 Nov - Fri, 8 Nov Friday, 29 November Wednesday, 4 December

Thursday, 5 December

HSC Examinations
Years 9 & 10 Examinations
Middle Formal Assembly
Senior Formal Assembly
Middle Presentation Night
College Presentation/Showcase Evening

#### **Primary**

Mon, 11 Nov - Wed, 13 Nov Tuesday, 19 November Monday, 25 November Thursday, 28 November Friday, 29 November Monday, 2 December Wednesday, 4 December Friday, 6 December Book Fair
Transition (2 Days) Graduation
Transition (3 Days) Graduation
Junior Formal Assembly
Middle Formal Assembly
Junior Presentation Night
Middle Presentation Night
Year 6 Progress Dinner

#### **Please Note:**

A reminder to parents and grandparents; please DO NOT park in the designated "Staff Parking" Area in the corner near the Deakin Admin Building at any time.

Thank you



#### SAVE THE DATE

The Annual P&F Golf Day is being held on Wednesday, 30 October at Camden Lakeside. So far we have 60 golfers and more are welcome if registrations are completed by Monday.

May I encourage the ladies to consider coming to the Ladies High Tea at the Green & lunch.

This is always a lovely morning of community building so encourage a friend, register by Monday and come along.

For more information contact me at the College office

Mrs Rhonda Hay Headmasters Secretary





# FROM THE DEPUTY'S DESK

#### Four Critical Tools for Kid's Anxiety Management

It's been estimated that there will be at least four children in every Australian classroom who are experiencing an anxiety disorder at some stage during a year. Anxiety is not restricted to secondary schools. Children as young as four are now presenting with symptoms of anxiety, manifested in headaches, tantrums and refusal to go to school.

Anecdotal evidence suggests that there is still a stigma attached to anxiety, as some people still seem to associate it with weakness and don't understand the difference between normal feelings of stress and crippling anxiety.

#### **Anxiety is normal**

Anxiety is the body's response to fear, real or perceived. It's our body's way of protecting us when we're in danger. It's completely normal to feel anxious from time to time. A child might feel anxious about speaking in front of their class or a teen might feel anxious about an exam. Those anxious feelings can act as a motivator to do more revision or be better prepared. With 'normal' anxiety, when the stressful event has passed, the anxious feelings pass too.

We can liken our anxiety response to a smoke alarm. The alarm is designed to alert us to fire, a danger that can threaten our lives. Anxiety becomes a problem when the mind's alarm system is extremely sensitive and responds when there's no genuine danger present. Anxiety needs to be addressed when it starts interfering with daily life. Kids and teens with anxiety experience the symptoms when they're actually quite safe; the danger is only imagined. And sometimes anxiety shows up for no reason at all.

Parents are well positioned to provide kids with the tools and skills to regulate their anxiousness. Here are four critical skills to teach kids to help them self-manage feelings of anxiousness:

#### 1. Breathing to calm down the anxiety

When it comes to calming down anxiety, the brain 'listens' to the body. Kids and teens can show their brain they're safe using deep, slow breathing. This type of breathing helps bring the brain down from high alert and signals the nervous system to begin to return to normal. Encouraging kids to practise deep breathing in between times of high anxiety is essential. By practising, they're preparing their body to also be able to calm down using breathing when the fight or flight response is in full swing.

#### 2. Mindfulness to bring kids into the present

Generally, kids become anxious about future events such as giving a talk, starting secondary school or going into unfamiliar situations. They can be perfectly safe yet their bodies can respond as if they are in danger because they are thinking about what may happen. Mindfulness is a great tool to bring kids into the present and relieve them of their feelings of anxiousness.

#### 3. Exercise to dissipate anxiety

Exercise plays a huge role in anxiety management, yet children's lifestyles are increasingly sedentary. Exercise and movement help kids regulate their moods and reduce the symptoms of anxiety. Play and exercise help to ease muscle tension, regulate breathing and induce the release of 'feel-good' neurotransmitters.

#### 4. Thought-noticing to shift thinking

Thought-noticing is a wonderful skill set that helps kids to better manage their mental health. When kids tune into their thinking, they can immediately distance themselves from it. Rather than being lost in the thoughts that are making them feel anxious, they can mentally step back and see the thought for what it is a thought which comes and goes, and not a fact.

Breathing, mindfulness, exercise and thought-noticing are best taught and practised when kids are not under stress. They are most effective when they become an entrenched part of kids' lifestyles rather than an activity to be called upon from time to time.

Michael Grose (parentingideas.com.au)

Mr Ian Croger Deputy Headmaster

#### TEACHING AND LEARNING 7-12

#### **Yearly Examinations**

The formal examination period for Years 9 and 10 will commence on Wednesday, 30 October and will conclude on Friday, 8 November. Students have received examination timetables detailing procedures for students during these examinations. Class teachers will communicate subject specific information. The length of all Examinations in Years 9 and 10 is 1.5 hours.



#### Year 12 2020 Begin their HSC Year

The start of Term 4 sees Year 12 2020 commence their HSC Year. I have communicated to the students about the opportunity this fresh start brings. It is important that students are focused from the beginning of this Term and are organised, making the most of their time. A positive start in Term 4 can really set students up well for 2020.

#### Year 12 Assessment Information Evening

The Assessment Information Evening for Year 12 will be held on Tuesday, 29 October. All students are encouraged to be in attendance with at least one parent. Important information about HSC moderation, process, rules and procedures will be communicated. Strategies to deal with the intensities of Year 12 will be discussed and Assessment booklets will be distributed.

#### **Year 12 Reporting Period**

The Half Yearly reporting period for Year 12 began at the beginning of Term 4 2019. The Teaching and Learning Team feel it is appropriate for the reporting period to align with the Courses students were studying. This will impact when students receive awards, the accumulation of detentions and absences.

#### **HSC Exams Commence**

Please continue to keep our current Year 12 students in your prayers as they continue their HSC examinations. Examinations are being held in the Warne Auditorium until Friday, 25 October. After this date the examinations will be in Deakin 2 and 3 until completion. Please be mindful of noise as you move around these buildings.

# Mr Paul Burns Director of Teaching and Learning 7-12



# **PASTORAL CARE T-12**

#### **Mental Health Support**

An area that the College is very passionate about is ensuring that mental health and wellbeing support is something that is promoted and encouraged. At times the more easily identified aspect of our health, our physical wellbeing can be prioritised, this should not be at the expense of our mental health.



All College staff as part of their on-going professional development have been completing a series of modules focused on developing a mentally healthy community. This has been an affirming process and has involved audits of our approaches within our Pastoral Care structures to highlight areas of both strength and continued development.

Schools have a great privilege with regards to both educating young people and being significant in their development of character. Students spend considerable time with staff and develop strong connections. Staff are strongly positioned to both observe changes in young people and within our culture here at the College act on these through our Pastoral Care Team.

Parents who have concerns about their children or who are contacted by the College with regards to wellbeing or mental health concerns for their child are encouraged to use their GP as a starting point for connection with a mental health professional. The College can provide parents with a Directory of Services that may assist in connecting your child with an appropriate mental health professional. The other important aspect of this process is the completion of an Exchange of Information Form. This allows the College to provide the health professional with specific observations and areas evident to the Pastoral Care Team that will provide direction and focus for sessions as well as continuity of care and sharing of appropriate management strategies.

All of the above supports young people navigating concerns to do with their wellbeing or mental health to be connected and supported by a mental health professional. This is essential as unlike physical health the nature of mental health is more covert, works less so with defined time frames and unless addressed early can become chronic in nature.

It is pleasing to note the open nature in which mental health is discussed in our community and the culture of support that has developed in this area. Students regularly communicate to staff others that they have concerns via their observations, allowing for appropriate follow-up and support for these students.

Mr Liam Toland
Director of Pastoral Care T-12



# PASTORAL MATTERS - JUNIOR YEARS T-4

#### Mindfulness

After a very emotional start to the Term, the pastoral period on Monday saw students in K-4 participating in activities that practised mindfulness; learning how to finger knit. This was an interesting time (I am not sure it was a mindful activity for the teachers, but the kids loved it). Some of their creations were amazing!



Mindfulness is being present in the moment. Giving your focus to the task at hand and learning to block out other thoughts. The benefits of mindfulness are immense. Mindfulness reduces worries, anxiety and distress and creates a sense of calm. It can also help to develop a sense of empathy and connectedness.

Children are often much better at being mindful. Ever noticed how they are able to pay attention to and notice things we never see? Think about the times when you are hurrying them to get them to the Collegeand they stop to look at the butterflies, flowers or bugs and be completely captured by that moment. Sadly, this simplicity doesn't come easily to grownups.

The challenge is out there. See if you are able to purposely pay closer attention to the physical sensations, sights, sounds, smells or anything you might not normally notice. Try to quiet the thoughts that like to take over and be present in the moment.

# Mrs Lisa Maher Pastoral Care Coordinator T-4







# PERFORMANCE NEWS

#### Musical - Bring It On!

Rehearsals began this week and we were very impressed with all who auditioned. The cast list has now been posted on the window outside Melba staffroom. In Term 4 we rehearse in the Johnson Studio, students should be collected from the car park behind Johnson building at 5.30 pm when rehearsals conclude.



Also, please note that students may like to bring a change of clothes, a bottle of water and a healthy snack as some of our choreography is very physical.

Please note that students who commence at the College in Term 1 2020 will still be able to join the cast. Students in Years 5 and 6 in 2020 will also start attending rehearsals in Term 1.

Please return your permission note as soon as possible.

Set Design has commenced.

Stage Crew are not required to attend rehearsals at this stage.

#### **Upcoming Events...**

#### O Day

This weekend on Saturday, 26 October our College will host its annual O Day (Orientation and Open Day). Our College Strings, College Vocal, Junior Strings and Junior Vocal ensemble students will be invited to perform at this event along with some soloists. Please return your permission slips as soon as possible to your ensemble leader or Mrs Talbot so that we can plan for this event.

#### **MADDD Night**

Mr Denley has invited some of our ensembles to perform at the upcoming MADDD Night. Students involved will receive direction from their ensemble leaders regarding this.

#### Year 9 Drama Excursion - Fan Girls

On Thursday, 24 October, our Year 9 Drama students will have the opportunity to watch a newly-developed performance titled 'Fan Girls' by Yve Blake.

Fan Girls is a thrilling new musical by a barnstorming young talent called Yve Blake, who is also playing Edna. The show takes a darkly humorous approach to exploring love and other big feelings in the age of the internet. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to experience live performance, enforcing the importance of the skills we develop in our own Drama classes.

Students have received a detailed permission note about this event and should return signed permission slips as soon as possible.

#### Year 11 Drama Excursion - Cosi

On Tuesday, 12 November, our Year 11 Drama students will have the opportunity to watch a Sydney Theatre Company Production of Cosi at the Sydney Opera House.

Cosi is a much-loved Australian play which celebrates Australian identity, the complexities of adult life and the madness of war. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to experience live performance, enforcing the importance of the skills we develop in our own Drama classes. In addition, it speaks to our study of Australian Drama and Theatre which must be studied as part of the HSC Drama Course.

Students have received a detailed permission note about this event and should return signed permission slips as soon as possible.

#### PERFORMANCE NEWS

#### Year 10 Drama Excursion - Cirque Du Soleil

On Wednesday, 13 November, our Year 10 Drama students will have the opportunity to watch the spectacular Cirque Du Soleil: Kurios performance.

Kurios explores the world inside the curio cabinet of an ambitious inventor who defies the laws of time, space and dimension in order to reinvent everything around him. The show will display exemplary work in physical theatre and clowning performance, which students have studied this year. This is a wonderful opportunity for our students to experience live performance, enforcing the importance of the skills we develop in our own Drama classes.

Students have received a detailed permission note about this event and should return signed permission slips as soon as possible.

# Mrs Sarah Talbot Performing Arts Coordinator T-12









# COMMUNITY AND FAMILY STUDIES RESEARCH DAY

On Tuesday, 15 October, the Year 11 Community and Family Studies (CAFS) class commenced the HSC course with a Research Day held at the College. This day was conducted to help students commence their Independent Research Project (IRP), which will be completed this Term as part of their study on Research Methodology.

It proved to be a worthwhile day where they familiarised themselves with the research process under the guidance of a guest speaker and were upskilled in how to access resources for their research by Mrs Colombo in the library.

Mr Joshua Hewitt PDHPE Coordinator

# **ACADEMIC ENRICHMENT HOLIDAY PROGRAM**

During the January holidays, UOW will be running their academic enrichment holiday program.

The workshops available cover a wide range of disciplines and interest areas and are tailored towards passionate, self-motivated and curious learners.

Workshops for Years 1 and 2 are running from 6 to 8 January 2020 Workshops for Years 3 to 6 are running from 14 to 16 January 2020 Workshops for Years 7 to 10 are running from 8 to 10 January 2020

Further information can be found at <u>uow.info/learninglabs</u>. Applications close on Wednesday, 6 November 2019.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to email me s.mcinotsh@wac.nsw.edu.au.

Mr Stuart McIntosh Advanced Learning and Learning Support Coordinator T-12

# **CHEMISTRY QUIZ RESULTS**

This year a number of selected students in Years 7 to 10 attempted the Australian National Chemistry Quiz. The results were again strong this year. Congratulations to the following students on their fine results:

**Credit**: Alec Bennett (7), Kate Betterridge (7), Nat Carroll (7),

Matilda Carruthers (7), Morgan Botha (8), April Foster (8),

Harrison Hall (8), James Batshon (9), Jasmyn Spinks(9) and Sophie Tapp (9).

**Distinction:** Georgia Parker (7), Liam Biggs (8), Liam Cronin (8), Christopher Kelly (8),

Jemma Noblett (8), Emmett Shafer (8),

Jennifer Wales (8) and Joshua Phillips (9).

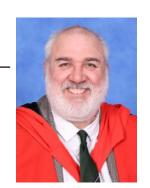
**High Distinction:** Lachlan Hoare (7), Braydon Potter (7),

Annabelle Gibson (8) and

Shaun Parasher (8)

Dr Andrew Eaton Science Coordinator





# **EQUESTRIAN**

Our Equestrian team were very busy during the holidays and last weekend competing in a number of events that included State and then Nationals, Berry Interschools' Corporation and last weekend Southern Highlands Christian Schools. Our riders have excelled once again with great results.

Eden Liddiard and Kahlua. Year 6 Reserve Champion and Primary Interschool Challenge Reserve Champion. Ashleigh Willebrand and Whisky Year 11 Reserve Champion and Secondary Interschool Challenge Reserve Champion. Both placed well in jumping, dressage and sporting.

Olivia Carter had a great competition backing up from last year and repeating her win - She was Overall Champion Primary Hunter again. She was also part of the winning NSW Show Horse Team placing 1st.

Erin Brown was awarded Year 3 Horsemanship Challenge champion, Preliminary Junior Dressage

Reserve Champion and overall Year 3 Champion!

And Mr Cassidy gets to hold the horses!

Mr Michael Cassidy Equestrian Coordinator



#### LIBRARY NEWS

Last Book Club for the Year! Orders due Thursday, 31 October.

Issue 7 of Book Club is available now. Orders are due by Thursday, 31 October. All orders and payments are to be made via the website or the Loop App. See the back of the Book Club catalogue for details. It is possible to specify gift orders.

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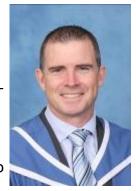
Gift orders will not be handed to the students, parents will be contacted when they arrive and the gift orders can be collected from Student Reception. This is our last Book Club for 2019.

Mrs Justine Colombo College Librarian



# 'MY TECH' 2020

In 2020 our 'MyTech' program will have been rolled out to every student in the Secondary Years and all students will be bringing their own device to College. For those students in Year 6 who are wondering what this requires, I will be providing more information at the Orientation Day on Saturday, 26 October. If you are wanting to know more about 'MyTech' and the specifications for devices before this, the information can be found on the College website <a href="http://mytech.wac.nsw.edu.au">http://mytech.wac.nsw.edu.au</a>.



To assist you with the process of purchasing a device we have produced a Question and Answer Booklet that can be downloaded from the above website. This booklet provides answers to all the frequently asked questions about 'MyTech'.

Once you have purchased a device it is important to install all the required software. This software can be accessed at <a href="http://mytech.wac.nsw.edu.au/software.php">http://mytech.wac.nsw.edu.au/software.php</a> free of charge, this also includes free access to Office 365. Those students going into Year 7, 2020 will be able to access Office 365 once Term 1 begins and will be given more details about this at the 'MyTech' connect sessions at the start of the year.

If you have any specific questions that are not answered on the website, you can email them to mytech@wac.nsw.edu.au.

Mr Wayne Baulch Secondary Learning Innovations Coordinator

# SECONDARY SPORT

#### MISA

Round 1 of the Term 4 MISA competition kicked off this week with matches against Oran Park Anglican College. In Years 10-12 Sport it was a great start to the season with all teams winning their matches. In Frisbee it was a comprehensive 25-1 win with Zana Rockwell scoring plenty of points whilst Jack Neich and Ryan Laverty were stand outs on the day. The Girls' Volleyball side had a 3-0 win whilst the boys had a closer 2-1 win



In Years 7-9 Sport the Girls' AFL side got off to a strong start to win 52-7 with Sophia Whishaw and Emma Ciscato performing well. In the Boys' AFL match it was an unfortunate round 1 loss to start the season. In Cricket it was a comfortable 112-23 win with the side only losing one wicket the entire match. The Girls' Softball team had a close match that could have gone either way. Unfortunately, our Girls' team lost by 1 run but played well in the process. In OzTag, the Girls' side fought back after going down early with a last minute try to draw the match 3-3. The Boys' side had a massive 15-3 win and will look to keep their fine form going next week when we play Macarthur Anglican School across all sports.

#### **NASSA Cricket Gala Day**

The NASSA Cricket Gala Day is on in Week 3, Term 4. A reminder that players need to wear their cricket whites during their matches with their regular sports shirt. Players can bring their own kits however space is limited on the bus so please pack lightly.

#### Mr Mark Goldsbrough Secondary Sports Coordinator



Winning Frisbee team after their 25-1 win

#### **Upcoming Events**

Monday, 28 October NASSA Cricket Gala Day

Friday, 1 November NASSA AGM

Friday, 22 November NASSA Year 7 Netball Gala Day

# PRIMARY SPORT

#### **IPSSO**

IPSSO games next week will be played against Mount Annan Christian College and St Gregory's Primary School. These games will be played at WAC. Stage 2 games will start at 12.00 pm. Stage 3 games will start at 12.40 pm.



#### Mr Stuart Houweling Primary Sports Coordinator

#### **Upcoming Events**

Thursday, 24 October NASSA AFL Gala Day

Wednesday, 30 October IPSSO games against Mount Annan Christian College and

St Gregory's Primary School Stage 3 Swimming Program

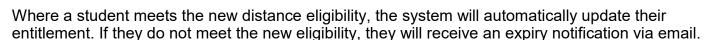
Wednesday, 6 November NSWPSSA Athletics

# SCHOOL TRAVEL - TERM 4 2019

Applications for student travel in 2020 opened on Friday, 11 October 2019.

Students progressing to Year 3 and Year 7 no longer need to reapply if they:

- are continuing at the College
- are residing at the same address
- have not been sent an expiry notification from Transport for NSW.



Students who have an entitlement approved under a medical condition which is due to expire will receive a notification advising them to reapply.

Term Bus Pass holders will receive a notification to reapply.

If students need to update their information or re-apply, they should go online to https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails

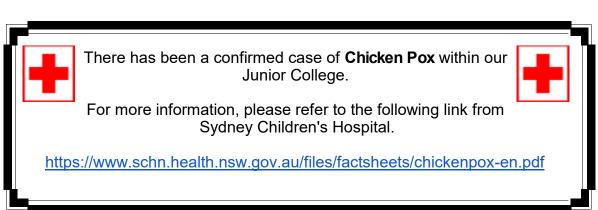
Applications need to be submitted before 31 December 2019 to ensure student entitlements are updated and their current entitlement/card is not cancelled. If their application is submitted after 31 December 2019, the system will automatically cancel an entitlement/card and a new one will need to be issued.

Students in the Opal network applying for a SSTS or Term Bus Pass entitlement for the first time will receive their card at their nominated postal address. Cards will be mailed out from January 2020.

Students residing in Rural and Regional (R&R) areas should receive their travel pass at the commencement of the new College year from their nominated operator, this may be distributed via the College or sent direct to their address. **Note**: some R&R operators do not issue travel passes. Students/Parents should confirm with their nominated operator if they do not receive a pass.

Mrs Deborah Cook Deputy Headmaster's Secretary

# Information from the College Nurse





Mrs Sally Lloyd College Nurse

# **APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT**

Applications continue to pour in for 2020 and beyond across all year groups, but especially our entry years of Transition, Kindergarten, 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.



Application packs are available from the College Office or from the College website.

# **ORIENTATION DAY 2019 (O DAY)**

Our annual Orientation & Open Day is on Saturday, 26 October 2019 commencing at 9.00 am. All new enrolling students for 2020, including existing students graduating from Year 6 into Year 7 are expected to attend.

The morning will include an information session for parents, whilst students enjoy their orientation time with Year Patrons and class teachers. For visitors, there will be a full College tour departing at 10.00 am as well as the opportunity to chat with teaching and support staff.

A complimentary BBQ lunch will also be on offer.

For more information, please do not hesitate to contact me on (02) 4684 2722 or at k.biddle@wac.nsw.edu.au

Mrs Kristy Biddle Development Officer



# COMMUNITY

#### Wollondilly Cares

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 WACCares Program offers practical support such as meals for families. Please contact Mrs Hay at the College, to assist. Confidentiality will be respected when requested.

#### Kids Disco - Mittagong RSL

When: Saturday, 26 October Time: 4.00 pm to 6.00 pm Age: Up to 14 Years

Cost: \$5.00

All money raised goes back to the children in the Southern Highlands community.

For more information, please contact Sandra on 0412 321 555

#### Learner Driver Log Book Run

# Do you struggle to make time to take your learner for a driving lesson?

Council is running a learner driver log book run event on Sunday, 27 October 2019.

The route is designed to offer learner drivers a range of driving experiences such as driving on local rural roads with unsealed shoulders, limited linemarking, traffic lights and across narrow bridges.

The cost is free and starts with registration at 10.00 am.

The event concludes around 12.30 pm - 1.00 pm at The Oaks Community Hall with refreshments included.

Bookings are essential. For further information, please contact Council's Road Safety Officer on 4677 9588 or email <u>roadsafety@wollondilly.nsw.gov.au</u>

# South Western Sydney Reclaim the Night Event

Where: Campbelltown Arts Centre

Time: 6.00 pm - 9.00 pm When: Thursday, 31 October

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.



# onsovship 2019 ...friendraising and fundraising



# **Diamond Sponsor**

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**Tahmoor Garden Centre** 

Thank you to our Diamond, Double Gold, Gold and Silver Sponsors shown above. We also thank our Bronze Sponsors who will be advertised on the College website on the Sponsors' Page along with the above. If you would like to sponsor the College, please contact Mr Bill Norman (P&F President) or Mrs Deborah Cook in the College office.

PETF ... friendraising and fundraising

# Clothing Pool

The Clothing Pool has a variety of good quality used uniforms for sale at reasonable prices. Also available for purchase is a selection of new socks and ties!

#### Opening Hours

7.45 am - 8.30 am Monday 7.45 am - 8.30 am Tuesday 7.45 am - 8.30 am Friday

White Cottage - side windows opposite FLOWERS Canteen.

If you can spare an hour in the morning to volunteer at the Clothing Pool, please contact Melissa on 0415 402 013. It is a great way to meet other parents and save a few dollars.

The Clothing Pool is part of the P&F with all funds raised going towards the College.

Mrs Melissa Whishaw **P&F Clothing Pool Coordinator** 

# PEF ... friendraising and fundraising



# Term 4, 2019

# **P&F Upcoming Fundraising Events**

Welcome back to Term 4 we hope you have enjoyed your break.

The P&F have two fundraising events this Term.

- Our 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Day or Ladies High Tea and
- Casey's Toys VIP night





# **Business Directory**

Little Elves Childcare Centre caters for children six weeks to five years and is situated on Elvy Street, Bargo.

Address: 35 Elvy Street, Bargo

Phone: 02 4684 3124



We would like to thank the above business for their support towards the College. We encourage College families to support those businesses that have supported our children at the College.

# **HEADMASTER HAPPENINGS**

#### **October**

Thursday, 24 Student Enrolment Interviews 2020 and 2021

Meeting with TASC CEO re 10 Years Capital Works Planning

Friday, 25 Student Enrolment Interviews 2020 and 2021

Saturday, 26 O DAY: Orientation Day and Open Day

Monday, 28 Student Enrolment Interviews 2020 and 2021

Meeting with Wests Tigers reps at WAC

Tuesday, 29 Student Enrolment Interviews 2020 and 2021

Evening: Year 12 2020 Information Night

Wednesday, 30 College Annual Corporate Golf Day

Thursday, 31 Student Enrolment Interviews 2020 and 2021

Junior Chapel

#### November

Friday, 1 Middle Chapel

Lunch Meeting with TASC Education Committee rep

Student Enrolment Interviews 2020 and 2021

Year 12 students sign outs

Saturday, 2 Evening: Farewell to Tony Cummings - Headmaster at Shellharbour Anglican

# MITTAGONG ANGLICAN CHURCH

Contact: Children's Minister Rochelle Fussell, 0439 455 005 or <u>rf@mittang.com.au</u>. All leaders in Follow and Kids@Mac have Working With Children Checks, and are trained in accordance with Safe Ministry Guidelines. All our groups run during school Terms.

Children in K-4 are welcome to attend Kids@Mac: a fun after school club at Mittagong Anglican

Church.

When: Runs every Tuesday Time: 3.30 pm - 5.00 pm.

Cost \$3.00 per Week/\$20.00 per Term (with family discounts).

Come along for games, craft, songs, afternoon tea, stories and more! This term our theme is "The Lion the Witch & the Wardrobe" so join us in a Narnian adventure.

# **WOLLONDILLY ANGLICAN CHURCH**

Everybody is welcome to attend our Service on Sunday at 9.00 am. We would love to see your family there.

Facebook@christchurchwollondilly www.christchurchwollondilly.com PO Box 43, Bargo NSW 2574 Reverend Stephen Swanepoel

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# PRETEND HEADMASTERS



Pretend Headmasters - Emma Grae (KJ) and Lachlan Gynn (KJ) are inspired by our College Nurse Mrs Lloyd and would like to encourage everyone to keep looking out for each other especially in the playground.

# Prayer Points from our Link Missionaries in Asia - Rev Alan and Helen Wood

#### Please Thank God:

- That we have been asked to extend our time here for another year.
- That in July we had a combined Confirmation Service with the local Anglican congregations and 15, mostly young people, were welcomed into the Church
- For Zane & Karen Elliott, our new Associate Minister (from NZ-CMS), who have arrived and are currently at language school in Salatiga, E. Java.
- For several confirmation safaris currently taking place.

#### Please Ask God:

- For the success of the special interdenominational seminar that she is hosting at All Saints' in a couple of weeks.
- For a potential Vicar candidate who is in the preparation stage, but still seeking God's will for their lives.
- For our ministry with supporting churches and strengthening of our partnerships.

#### Prayer Points from our College

Please continue to pray for Mr Hazlewood's family and friends and for our College HSC students at this
important time in their lives

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

Excellence, Endurance, Eternity.

