On Friday 11 September we will celebrate Marianist Day, the heritage of our Marianist College founders and the life of Blessed William Chaminade, founder of the Marianist Order. The ethos of the College - including welcoming hospitality to all, support for one another, compassion for those in need, gratitude for the gifts we have received and a commitment to excellence – reflects Emmanuel’s Marianist identity, as symbolized in our College motto ‘Life to the full’.

The College Open Day will be held on Sunday 13 September:

• 10.30am to 1.30pm at St Paul’s Campus
• 11.00am to 2.00pm at Notre Dame Campus
You are most welcome to come along and see the rich range of student accomplishments at Emmanuel over 2015.

Enrolment applications for Year 7 in 2017 can be submitted on the day. A reminder that an application must be submitted for siblings of current students planning to attend the College.

From time to time some students at a certain year level arrange a social function which is not an authorized College function. College staff do not supervise such functions and the College has no involvement in the planning, organisation or conduct of these events. Parents receive official notification from the College for all authorised events for which the College is responsible. It is important that parents contact the Campus Leader if they are unsure of the provenance of a function that their child is planning to attend.

The Australian Government has developed an app - Learning Potential – which provides tips and ideas for parents on a range of issues relating to their school-aged children. Learning Potential is designed to help parents make the most of the small opportunities in their busy days to support and engage with their child’s learning.

An important part of our Marianist identity is a commitment to social justice. It was great to welcome students and staff back from Alice Springs, earlier in the week, following their work supporting indigenous communities in the Friends of Alice program.

Congratulations to our athletics team on their fine performance at this week’s SACCSS carnival and to carnival age-group champions U15 Michael Demarinis, U16 Lori Arkison, U17 Sarah Auricchio and Nick Masini, and U20 Merhawi Minassi. Well done also to Caitlin Sneyders for her courageous making up of 200m over the 4 laps of the U14 1500m, chasing down the leader, on the line, to win. Caitlin’s efforts were an inspiring start to the track events for the team and it was great to see this ‘never give up’ attitude displayed by our Emmanuel Athletes across the day.

Congratulations to the senior girls soccer team on their comprehensive victory in the SACCSS Grand Final. Well done also to our debating teams on their fine efforts in the DAV competition. Thank you to our debating coaches on their generous support of teams over the evening fixtures across the term.

A reminder that the last day of classes for term 3 is Friday 18 September.

Tuesday, this week, was World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. As encouraged by Pope Francis let us take the opportunity to renew our commitment to care for creation, to ask God’s help in protecting creation and to ask God’s forgiveness for ‘sins committed against the world in which we live’.

We wish all our Dads a very happy Father’s Day for this Sunday. We give thanks for their contribution to our College community and pray for all blessings on them in their most important role.

Christopher Stock
Principal
News from Campus Leaders

Marianist Day will be held on Friday 11 September. After Homeroom, students on both campuses will commence by attending Mass in their respective Campus Halls to celebrate our Marianist heritage and the story of the Brothers and Priests who were called by God to bring Marianist education and faith to Australia, commencing with the St. Paul’s Campus in 1965 and expanding to the Notre Dame Campus in 2008. After Mass the students will be involved in a variety of activities, with a fair-like atmosphere that they will help to run. The students will be dismissed at 12:30pm. Normal bus arrangements are in place.

The College Open Day will be held on Sunday 13 September, with tours being conducted across both campuses during the day. Please refer to the full page advertisement at the end of this newsletter. If you are aware of anyone interested in finding out more about the College, please encourage them to attend.

The SACCSS tennis tournament will be held next Thursday. Congratulations to all the students who made the squad. The Year 8 SACCSS Premier League teams are close to being finalised and their first “hit out” is on Thursday 17 September. Good luck to all the teams.

Well done to the students in ACC squads for basketball, hockey and table tennis for your commitment, persistence and sportsmanship during the term. Well done to the junior hockey players who have made it through to the grand final undefeated so far this term.

The Year 11 ski trip returns today from Mount Bulla, and all reports indicated that it was a great experience for the students and teachers from both Campuses.

As we move into the final cycle for term 3, a reminder that it is important to ensure all outstanding tasks are completed. Year 12 students are reminded that these two weeks are critical in preparing their study program for the September holidays. All students should be talking with their teachers if they are feeling overwhelmed or unsure of what is required of them as tasks are finished and teachers are getting ready to prepare interim reports to be sent to parents after the end of the term. Many thanks to the students for taking pride in the College by placing litter in the bins, being responsible with the use of College equipment and offering to help out wherever necessary.

The Michael Grose article this week is entitled “maintain a strong relationship with your teen”. It talks about two simple strategies to help parents hit the right parenting mark through this sometime-challenging stage. This is an interesting article and we would encourage all parents to take time and read it through.

As father’s day is celebrated on Sunday, we wish all fathers and other significant male mentors/role models a happy day with your family and acknowledge the pivotal role you play in the lives of your children.

David Barr & Jennifer Webster
Campus Leaders

School Fees

A reminder that Semester 2 school fees are due for payment by 18 September 2015 unless you have payment plan in place.

The State Department of Education and Training (DET) have recently extended the Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) application deadline to 18 September 2015.

As detailed previously, families holding a valid means-tested concession card or temporary foster parents are eligible to apply. Schools will receive $225 for each eligible secondary student per year.

Mario Puopolo
Business Manager
Friends of Alice – Indigenous Immersion 2015
Congratulations to our students and staff who have just returned from Alice Springs working with the Indigenous communities in Central Australia. Ten students across both campuses accompanied by Mrs MacPherson and Mr Hogan joined with RecLink Australia to support the Friends of Alice Grand Final. Our students joined with the Indigenous football teams at Trega Stadium in Alice Springs where they engaged in a special event that brings the Indigenous together through AFL. This was the third time that Emmanuel College has supported this event, which once again proved to be an amazing experience for all who attended. A special thanks must go to all those involved in this magnificent experience, particularly the Mutitjulu Aboriginal Community for making us so welcome into your community.

Year 12 Seminar Day
On Friday 21 and Tuesday 25 August, our Year 12 students participated in their final seminar days for the year. The theme for the day was “Our Community” which saw the students reflect on the past six years at Emmanuel College and the friendships they have forged over that time. The days were an opportunity for them to recall the opportunities they have had and what the future holds for them after Year 12. It was held at the Catholic Leadership Centre in Melbourne, and we started with a liturgy then moved into allowing the students to take time to talk with each other, and share each other’s future goals, highlighting the many strengths they see in each other. The day also provided the opportunity for the students to share with each other the impact their time together at the College has had. Overall the days proved to be very successful for all involved.

St Mary’s Altona and St Mary’s Williamstown
As I have highlighted before, as a College we are in a unique position of having students from a number of different parishes, something we value a great deal. It is important to realise that we are in fact an extension of the wider church and in turn wish to support our parishes and families that belong to them. With this in mind I would like to thank those students and families who joined us at St Mary’s, Williamstown on Sunday 23 August and to those in the St Mary’s Parish who warmly welcomed us all.

Immersion and Joseph’s Corner Trivia Night
Congratulations to our students who organised an amazing trivia night on Friday 21 August. With over 150 people in attendance, Learning Street C was transformed from basic classrooms to a magnificent venue covered in balloons and trestle tables in preparation for a fun filled night. A special thanks must go to Ms Slocombe, Mrs MacPherson, Mr Nicolas, and Mr Hogan as well as all the students and staff involved in the night. Almost $3500 was raised which will go towards the community support which the students are involved in whilst in Cambodia, Central Australia and Joseph’s Corner. Thank you to all.

A Prayer to Our Lady
Immaculate Virgin, Mother of Jesus and our Mother, we believe in your triumphant assumption into heaven where the angels and saints acclaim you as Queen. We join them in praise and bless the Lord who raised you above all creatures. With them we offer you our devotion and love. We are confident that you watch over our daily efforts and needs, and we take comfort from the faith in the coming resurrection. We look to you, our life, our sweetness, and our hope. After this earthly life, show us Jesus, the blest fruit of your womb, O kind, O loving, O sweet virgin Mary.

Chris O’Malley
Deputy Principal – Faith and Staff
McCoy House Report

With only a few weeks left of this term, the students of McCoy House have been busy, and working hard to achieve their goals. Whether it has been striving for academic excellence, participating in ACC Sport and Cross Country, filming their creations for the Short Film Festival, or representing their peers as a student leader, I have been proud of all of the efforts of the young men in McCoy House. I have seen their dedication, commitment and talents on display in all of their accomplishments and wish them all the best as this term concludes.

A fantastic initiative of the Student Leader Group has been the creation of a study support group run by some of our senior leaders. McCoy House Captain Dean Kotsianis and McCoy Year 11 Captain Jack Wilson are part of this great team, made up of leaders from across St Paul’s, who are spending their lunch times supporting students who may need extra help in their studies. The sessions are running in the library and cover the following areas:

- Tuesday A: Science
- Thursday A: Maths
- Tuesday B: Humanities
- Thursday B: English

Come along if you are in need of some extra support in your homework or general studies – it is a great opportunity to get some assistance from your peers in an area you might be struggling with. This, along with the Homework Club, provides students with that extra push they may need as we approach the exam period next term.

Best of luck to all Year 12s who are currently working towards their last SAC tasks before they begin exam preparation. It is a busy yet rewarding time in their lives and I’m sure they are all looking forward to celebrating their achievements at their Graduation on 9 October.

Sophie Korosidis
SPC McCoy House Leader

At the moment, students are in the middle of a busy term 3. Assessment is constant and homework should be a regular occurrence. Hopefully parents and students had the opportunity to catch up with relevant teaching staff at the parent teacher interviews that were held just a couple of weeks ago.

Prior to the term 2 holidays I had the pleasure to read many McCoy students’ end of semester reports. It was wonderful to see so many students achieving their personal best with great grades and many positive comments. In addition to this, it was a privilege to read out the names of the 16 McCoy students whose achievements for semester one resulted in them making the Principals List. It is my hope that with only a few weeks left this term and only term four to go, that this dedication to studying continues, especially as we know the time does fly past so fast.

Our house activities have been continuing this term. The winning homeroom for the trivia competition last term was McCoy B. This term the homerooms were competing in a futsal competition. The grand final for this event was played on Tuesday and the winners were: Junior: McCoy C and Senior: McCoy I. Congratulations! Both teams will receive a pizza lunch early in term 4 to celebrate their win.

Tess Blassis
NDC McCoy House Leader

Art Captains Report

What a term it has been! The star studded Showcase, celebrating Emmanuel College’s 50th Anniversary and 50 years of Marianist tradition, proved to be a great success. The audience experienced moments of nostalgia when the bands, actors, dancers and singers took us on a visit from the past to the present with songs such as Louis Armstrong’s ‘What a Wonderful World’ and ‘Treasure’ by Bruno Mars. The comedic antics of the show’s hosts, which included tap, beatbox and even a chicken dance, had everyone in stitches. The show however, could never have run as smoothly as it did without the talent behind the scenes as well as all the technical expertise in lighting, and audio-visuals.

Still to come is Arts Week which will be held during the last week of Term 3. The Arts Department and Arts Captains are planning a whole week of exciting activities and events. There will be exhibitions, competitions, lunchtime performances, presentations by former students and much, much more. Also during Arts Week is the Emmanuel College Film Festival (Thursday 17 September at 7pm, McCoy Hall stage). This year’s theme is ‘Time’. Come along and enjoy a night you will never forget and stay tuned for more in the arts!

Ethan Bowe, Stephanie Nguyen and Kostas Loe
Art Captains
Winters Homeroom Report

I am in Daniel homeroom from Winters house. My homeroom teacher’s name is Miss Jenna Lo Bianco. Our homeroom only has one student house leader and his name is Thomas Myyrylainen, he is in Year 10. This year most of my homeroom have been involved in all of the house sport activities, the term two footy tipping and currently doing a house quiz every Tuesday against other homerooms in Winters. Some interesting things about Daniel homeroom is that we have five fish that we have named after all of the house leaders at the College, we feed these fish every day. We also have four frogs that we don’t feed. Later on in the year we will be getting a lizard and hopefully many more animals. We are currently coming in a close second in the points towards the Winters House Shield. Hopefully we can win it for the second year in a row!

Mitchell Burns, Daniel Homeroom
Winters House SPC

Sports News

SACCSS ATHLETICS – Monday 31st August

After a few false starts at getting onto the buses to Lakeside Stadium, once all there the Division 2 SACSS Athletics Carnival was underway - the sun was out and so was Emmanuel College in full force. NDC had some outstanding efforts which started with 12 year old Caitlin Sneyders winning in a photo finish the girls U13/14 Girls 1500m and Jordan Bos leading the U13 Boys 400M by 80M and almost breaking a 35 year old record, missing out by 0.48 of a second.

Despite the overall result, it was a most successful day with NDC coming away with 5 Individual Champions, (out of a possible 10 Individual awards) 4 second place Individual Champions and 1 third place. CONGRATULATIONS to the students below for your outstanding efforts throughout the carnival.

13 GIRLS 2nd Place – Yvonne Widjaja
13 BOYS 2nd Place – Ethan Mantas
14 GIRLS 2nd Place – Althea Angeles
14 BOYS 1st Place – Michael Demarinis
15 GIRLS 1st Place – Lori Arkison
16 GIRLS 1st Place – Sarah Auricchio
16 BOYS 1st Place – Nick Masini
17-20 GIRLS 2nd Place – Ciara Elliot
17-20 BOYS 1st Place – Merhawi Minassi
17-20 BOYS 3rd Place – Matthew Meilak

Special mention to Shayla Curry Hughes, Danielle Gallina and Yelyzaveta Kozlovska who filled in for absent students often competing out of their age group. Their motivation, courage and team spirit was awesome.

Final aggregate results for the day were:

**JUNIORS** – 1st CRC MELTON, 2nd EMMANUEL, 3rd CRC CAROLINE SPRINGS

**INTERMEDIATE** – 1st CRC MELTON, 2nd EMMANUEL, 3rd CRC CAROLINE SPRINGS

**SENIORS** – 1st CRC CAROLINE SPRINGS, 2nd CRC MELTON, 3rd EMMANUEL

I would also like to extend a massive thank you to the PE staff at NDC. Without your support the training sessions and team management on the day would not be possible.
Premier League
Congratulations to the Year 9 Boys AFL team, the Girls Netball team and the Girls Soccer team for making the cross over finals in Premier league this term. Both the AFL and Netball teams will travel to Salesian College Sunbury and the Girls Soccer will play CRC North Keilor at NDC on Tuesday 8 September. Finals are to be played the following week – 15 September.

In the same week as the Year 9 Finals, the Year 8 teams will commence their premier league season. Currently trials and training are taking place. Please remind your son or daughter to read the student notices for daily updates about Premier League information.

Senior Girls Soccer
I am so proud of this group of 17 girls who played out the season undefeated. Your win last Wednesday 27 August was under trying conditions, constant rain and slippery turf. But when the going got tough, you guys played even tougher. Scoring a total of 26 goals across the season and conceding only 3, you deserved to be the 2015 Senior Girls Soccer champions. Congratulations to Catherine Sayachack for taking away the SACCSS MVP for the day.
Year 11 Physical Education Wheel talk program
This term as part of the unit two Physical Education program Year 11 students are focusing on the range of physical activity options available in our community, health benefits of participation in regular physical activity and health consequences of physical inactivity and sedentary behaviour. Students are investigating factors that facilitate involvement in physical activity and consider barriers to participation for various population groups.

As part of this investigation our Year 11 PE students participated in “Wheel Talk”. This program is a School Awareness Program to raise disability awareness and promote the benefits of a healthy lifestyle. The program encourages students to think about diversity, acceptance and disability sports as well as give a greater understanding of the issues facing people with a disability.

Students had the opportunity to meet someone living with a disability and learn about activities available to them and everyday obstacles they face. After question and answer time students participated in wheelchair racing activities and wheelchair basketball.

Year 10 Drivers Education
During term 3 Year 10 students have participated in a driver education program to help them become the safest drivers possible. The program kicked off early in term 3 with the Keys Please program. Keys Please offers information and practical ideas for Year 10 students on how to use the learning to drive period, get 120 hours of practice and become safe drivers.

The session taught students the reason young drivers are at risk and why driving experience is so important. The importance of learning to drive in stages – from simple tasks on quiet roads to more difficult drives in all sorts of road, weather and traffic conditions, and the importance of developing a positive partnership between learners and their parents.

Students then had the opportunity to participate in a two day practical driving session at METEC in Kilsyth. The Learn to Drive course is conducted on a 5km closed road circuit which is ideal for providing first time drivers with a safe, realistic driving environment to experience. The course includes both practical and theoretical components.

During the two days at METEC students took the driver’s seat learning driver set up, operation of a vehicle, stopping, steering techniques, application of road rules, vehicle maneuvering and in most cases our students did all this in wet weather! Students had a great time at Driver’s Education and now have the confidence to take the steering wheel and be responsible and safe road users.

Katharine Pope
Leader of Health and Physical Education
Students from the St Paul’s LAN English classes worked throughout the week with the Librarians Ms Barbara Brown and Ms Julie Anne Brazatis to create the most amazing pieces of work from out of date books. To start the week Year 9 English (Ms Lawry) & Year 7 LAN worked together as a team. Teachers and students from all over the school joined in and chatted whilst folding with them. The Arts Captain and several Pre-Service Teachers enjoyed the tutoring from these two incredibly talented teachers as well. It was a lot of fun and such a successful event, that now there are gifts for many people to wonder... “how did you make this?”

LAN 8B with their finished work

LAN 8A with Sister Anila folding and chatting about the world and life.

Luke Sultana (Year 7 LAN English) is amazed at what you can make with old Encyclopaedia.

A huge thank you to Ms Brown and Ms Brazatis for all your time and patience.

Sue Mammarella
Teacher

Arts Captain Kostas joined in to chat with Year 9 LAN students about the upcoming Film Festival.
Library News

**Book Week: 21 – 28 August**

Once again both College Libraries held successful Book Week events. This year’s theme was “Books light up our world”.

SPC Library activities celebrated the power of books by exploring ways books continue to light up our world after their usefulness or popularity has ended. English and LAN classes participated in folded book art workshops throughout the week as did interested students and teachers each lunchtime.

Using simple and complex geometric folding techniques, the students were able to produce mice, chooks, hedgehogs, angels, and dachshunds before progressing to the more difficult love hearts, skull & cross bones, and batman and superman logos.

Each library has embraced the concept of libraries as ‘makerspaces’, offering activities at lunchtimes that emphasize constructive and collaborative learning through hands-on, trial-and-error experimentation. This year’s book week activities were designed with this in mind whilst also using the events to promote the love of literature.

Book Week at NDC Library was a rousing success with a large number of students participating in a variety of activities. Congratulations go to Sabrina Pacheco, Rebecca Robson and Hanna Luna for their outstanding bookmark designs which won them each a $20 Google Play voucher. Another competition that ran during the week was a Guess Who? game where students had the opportunity to guess the teacher hidden behind their favourite book, causing much inquiry, debate and confusion.

Hands on activities included Lego design and build opportunities which allowed an excited group of enthusiasts to demonstrate their design flare and creativity as well as their engineering and blueprint reading skills. Owing to its popularity, Lego will be added to ongoing lunchtime activities. Special thanks go to Mr Dennis Dujic for running a very popular Nintendo tournament on Tuesday, an activity that will again run on Marianist Day to complement the other recreational activities provided.

Thursday got a little bit serious and a lot fun with a staff versus student Great Debate on the proposition that “Mobile phones are destroying the English Language.” After a fiercely competitive and yet good spirited debate, at least on the part of the students. The students, arguing the negative, emerged victorious, much to the chagrin of the teachers who may, or may not, have been heard muttering something along the lines “I’ll get you next time....” The audience was fantastic as they were both respectful and appreciative, and based upon the response, the Library is looking to provide opportunities for further debates in the future. All in all, a very successful week and proof once again of students’ engagement with the written word.

Barbara Brown
Library Leader
CAREERS NEWS

- ‘AT MONASH’ SEMINARS – Teaching on 1, 3 & 8 Sept, Engineering on 17 Sept; Info/Registration: www.destination.monash.edu/at-monash.

YEAR 12 NEWS – You are reminded to get your VTAC application for courses completed by 30 September. Make sure you pay the $29 fee as it increases to $96 if you pay late. Your application can be changed, so get it done soon. Don’t forget to look at the Special Entry Access Scheme (SEAS) and Scholarships.

Some categories require evidence (eg from doctors, psychologists, etc). You are advised to get on to this early to give the practitioner time to complete their support for your application.

If you are applying for a pre apprenticeship or apprenticeship you need to start researching and applying for 2016 courses/jobs now as they are very competitive to get into.

Please attend your careers appointment with your Careers Leader

DEAKIN UNIVERSITY NEWS

NEW COURSES IN 2018:
- Bachelor of Construction Management (Honours)/Bachelor of Property and Real Estate – The first three years of this 5-year course will be taught at Burwood, the last two at Geelong Waterfront. Info: www.deakin.edu.au/future-students/courses/course.php?course=D336&stutype=local.
- Bachelor of the Arts has new majors and minors; there will now be more than 30 study areas to choose from. New areas: education, film and television, gender studies, geography, motion capture, sport and society, studies of religions, sustainability and society and visual communication design.
- The new fisheries and aquaculture major sequence in the Bachelor of Science provides students with training in fisheries resource management, aquaculture management and fisheries biology. It is available at Warrnambool campus, replacing the discontinued Bachelor of Fisheries and Aquaculture. For more information: www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/bachelor-of-science.
- The new Bachelor of Design Technology - Design entrepreneurship and innovation are the core focus of this program and, when enabled by the corresponding technologies, will provide graduates with the design and technology acumen that is highly sought-after in industry. See: www.deakin.edu.au/study-at-deakin/find-a-course/design-technology.

CHANGES FOR 2016
- All four engineering courses (civil, electrical and electronics, mechanical and mechatronics) will now offer first year only at the Melbourne Burwood campus with the remainder of the course to be completed at the Geelong Waurn Ponds campus.
- The combined Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Science/Bachelor of Business (Sports Management) will be offered at the Geelong Waurn Ponds campus as well as the Melbourne campus.
- The Bachelor of Creative Arts (Photography), Creative Arts (Visual Arts) and Creative Arts (Visual Communication Design) now require a digital folio as part of the selection process. See: www.deakin.edu.au/create.

WILLIAM ANGLISS INSTITUTE NEWS – William Angliss has been awarded $4.47 million in funding from the Victorian government to develop skills of the tourism and hospitality industries. The finding includes $2.27m for a regional tourism employability initiative where William Angliss will partner with regional TAFEs to provide tourism and hospitality training. A second grant of $1.74m has been awarded for the Institute to launch Melbourne’s first International Hotel School.

BOX HILL INSTITUTE NEWS

CREATIVE ARTS INFORMATION SESSIONS – Sessions are being offered in a range of Creative Arts courses at Box Hill including graphic design, fashion design and merchandising, live production, theatre and events, and in music – sound production, composition and music industry. When: 7.30-pm, Wed 2 Sept; Where: Building 4, Room 127, 1000 Whitehorse Rd, Box Hill.
- AUDITION & FOLIO PREPARATION WORKSHOP – A three-hour workshop covering graphic design, fashion, dance, live & audio production, and music programs (composition and performance) will be held to assist applicants prepare for the audition process. Cost: $35.00 When: 10am-1pm, Mon 21 Sept; Where: 1000 Whitehorse Rd, Box Hill. Info: Annie, Ph 9286 9811, a.ryall@boxhill.edu.au.

NEW AT RMIT – RMIT is offering two new degrees in 2016:
- The Bachelor of Engineering (Automotive Engineering) (Honours)/Bachelor of Industrial Design (Honours) double degree is a specialised program that addresses the ongoing demand for automotive engineers with an industrial design background. It is being offered due to the changing landscape of automotive manufacturing.
- The Bachelor of Analytics (Honours) provides students with complementary skills in analytics, tapping into studies in statistics, operations research, computer science, information technologies, business, economics, finance and marketing.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY NEWS –
NEW COURSE IN 2018 – ACU’s new Bachelor of Teaching/Bachelor of Exercise Science course is now available for application through VTAC. It is expected that other new courses will be added to the VTAC website shortly (eg Bachelor of Law/Bachelor of Psychological Science).

PHYSIOTHERAPY IN 2017 – As announced previously, ACU (Ballarat campus) is introducing the Bachelor of Physiotherapy at its Ballarat campus in 2017. Current Year 12 students who are interested in this degree in 2017 might take a gap year, volunteer or study a different course whilst waiting to apply in 2016 for the 2017 start. Suggested pathways into the new degree are through the Early Achievers Program (EAP), or alternatively students might consider applying for another ACU course that has a lower Clearly-in. An internal transfer could then be considered if eligible (eg occupational therapy, and speech pathology have two first year units in common with physiotherapy, or study nursing, exercise and sports science or physical activity and health which have one first year subject in common). NOTE: There will be no mid-year entry to physiotherapy, and there are no plans for the course to be taught at the Melbourne campus of ACU.
VICTORIA UNIVERSITY (VU) NEWS –
EXPLORE VU SERIES - Discover opportunities at VU at Explore VU. These are evening sessions (6.30-8pm) exploring Health and Biomedicine (3 Sept), Law and Justice (9 Sept), Education (10 Sept), Exercise and Sports Science (15 Sept), Arts (17 Sept), Business (22 Sept) and Engineering and Science (24 Sept). Info: 1300 842 864. Book: www.vu.edu.au/news-events/events/explore-vu-series.

NEW COURSES – In 2016 there will be the new double degree Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Psychology (Honours), the Bachelor of Laws (Honours)/Bachelor of Psychological Studies, a Bachelor of Marketing Communication and a new Bachelor of Information Technology.

REVISION LECTURES – VU is offering revision lectures in Units 3/4 Maths Methods, Legal Studies, Accounting, Chemistry, English, Psychology and Business Management in school holidays. Register: http://www.vu.edu.au/study-with-us/your-study-options/vce-high-school-students/vce-revision-lectures

WHAT IS HAPPENING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE? If you want to keep up-to-date with Melbourne, subscribe to MY Melbourne. Every month, current students contribute to My Melbourne so you get the inside story of what it’s really like being a student at Melbourne. Go to http://blogs.unimelb.edu.au/mymelb.

SWINBURNE ADVICE NIGHTS – Get information about courses, VTAC/ATAR information and pathways. When/Where: Wantirna campus (Stud Rd), 4-6pm, 9 Sept; Hawthorn campus, 4-6pm, 14-17 Sept; Book: See www.swinburne.edu.au and search for Advice Nights.

KEEPER FOR A DAY AND VET FOR A DAY – If you want to know what is takes to work in a zoo, caring for an array of different animals, then consider one of these holiday programs:

CAREERS IN PSYCHOLOGY NIGHT – The Student Committee of the APS is holding a careers seminar for aspiring psychologists. When: 1-4pm, Sat 12 Sept; Where: Lecture Theatre 3, Bid B, Level 1, Room 77, Deakin Uni, Burwood; Cost: Free; Email: melbpsstdents@gmail.com; http://www.psychology.org.au/Events/EventView.aspx?ID=16006.

Amanda Silipo & Sol DiMaggio
Leaders of Careers

(information provided by M. Walker)

Career Opportunity

If you are interested in a career as a Dental Technician, Mr Crimi at the NDC Campus has details of a traineeship available in Altona. Dental Technicians construct and repair dentures (false teeth) and other dental appliances, including crowns, bridges and orthodontic appliances. They may perform the following tasks:

- make models of the mouth and teeth from impressions of the patient’s mouth (taken by the dental prosthetist, dentist, dental hygienist or dental therapist)
- use models and moulds to make dental restorations such as inlays, onlays, veneers, crowns and bridges
- polish and finish the appliance prior to placement in the patient’s mouth
- make appliances for patients with cleft palates, braces and plates for correcting irregular teeth
- make mouth guards

If interested, please contact Mr Crimi on 93942419 as soon as possible for further details.

Vince Crimi
Campus Organiser NDC
Calendar Term 3 Weeks 9B & 10A

7 September  NDC Year 10 HPE Excursion Group 1
8 September  NDC Year 9 Premier League cross over finals SACCSS
9 September  Parent Forum @ Notre Dame Campus for Butterfly Foundation
SPC ACC Cross Country @ Bundoora Park
10 September  SPC ACC Year 8 basketball/hockey/table tennis finals
NDC Tennis SACCSS
11 September  Marianist Day
Students dismissed at 12.30pm
13 September  College Open Day
14 September  SPC Year 10 HPE Excursion
SPC ACC Rock Workshop @ CBC
15 September  NDC Year 10 HPE Excursion Group 2
NDC Year 9 Premier League Grand Final SACCSS
17 September  Year 7 Zoo Excursion
SPC Year 10 Drivers Ed Group 3 & 4
Film Festival @ SPC Stage 7.00pm
18 September  Term 3 ends—normal finishing time
SPC Year 10 Drivers Ed Group 3 & 4
NDC Talent Quest Year 7-9 period 4
5 October  Term 4 commences

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Laverton Community Centre  (Located in Community Hub)
95-105 Railway Ave Laverton
Bookings are Essential
Ph: 8368 0177

Gentle exercise and meditation (wkly)
Tues 10-11 am  Cost : $6 p/session

Spring into Life Walking group
and morning tea (Free)
Thur 17 and 24 Sept : 9.30 am-12noon

Walking Group (Hobsons Bay Walkers)
Thur: 9.30-10.30am (wkly)

Junior Indoor Sports at Werribee Indoor Sports Centre (starting at the beginning of Term 4)

Form a team with your friends and come join the action @ Werribee Indoor Sports Centre

SOCcer
Clinics from 5yo
Competitions from U10 to U18

Netball
Clinics from 5yo

Enter on line at www.werribeeindoorsports.com.au
OR
call the centre on 9741 5122

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Celebrating 50 Years
All members of the Annunciation community – past and present
parents, students, priests, staff members are invited to our
Open Day
Saturday October 10 2015
2.00pm – 5.00pm

Contributions of memorabilia for display on the day would be greatly appreciated. All care will be taken to ensure their safe return.
Please contact the school on 9314 6271 or principal@asbrooklyn.catholic.edu.au
How do you maintain a good relationship with a teenager? Here are two simple strategies to help parents hit the right parenting mark through this sometimes-challenging stage.

One of the biggest challenges parents of teenagers face is how to maintain a good relationship with a young person while managing also their sometimes tricky and anti-social behaviour. The balance between good guy and bad guy is precarious indeed.

There are two simple strategies, when used in tandem, can really help parents straddle this great divide. They are - following through and following up.

When used wisely and consistently they can help parents manage teenagers even during their more difficult stages while maintaining a respectful relationship.

Following through to teach responsibility

‘Following through’ means doing what you say you’ll do. If you say “You’re grounded” yet then let a young person off the hook when they came home from an outing later than agreed, you are merely issuing a meaningless threat. Most young people know a meaningless threat when they hear one.

‘Following through’ is about taking parent action and the most appropriate action is the use of behavioural consequences. When young people behave poorly, irresponsibly, transgress family rules or someone’s individual rights, then the experience of a negative consequence teaches them that there is a link between their behaviour and outcomes. If this sounds high-handed then relax. It’s how a civil society operates. Drive too fast and you’ll receive a fine. Harm someone and hopefully you’ll be issued with a suitable punishment that matches the offence. ‘Cross a line and something happens’ is the accepted wisdom in our community, in school and in family-life.

It’s important that the consequence issued matches the misdemeanour. When we go too far – “you’re grounded for the term” – then we generally get resentment. Not strong enough – “you should apologise” and they become ineffective. It also helps when consequences are related to the misdemeanour. Taking away a teenager’s regular pocket money to remind him to come home on time defies teenage logic and will generally lead to resentment. It also helps when consequences are related to the misdemeanour. Taking away a teenager’s regular pocket money to remind him to come home on time defies teenage logic and will generally lead to resentment. Be mindful that a rational, logical approach is a parent’s best defence against teen emotion.

The key to the successful use of consequences rests with how you implement them. If you issue them in anger (even though that’s how you feel) then you are inviting a young person to challenge you. Implement consequences dispassionately and calmly and you’ll increase the likelihood of them being mad at themselves rather than mad at you. Nonchalance is a parent’s best friend when it comes to managing the behaviour of highly-charged teens.

Following up to reconnect

It’s easy to lock a young person out emotionally following a behaviour meltdown or disagreement, particularly when they’ve said or done hurtful things. Once the dust has settled after discipline or a dispute then it’s time to follow-up with a kind word, an enjoyable activity or even just a sincere smile. It generally takes the adult in the relationship – parents or teachers – to make the first move to put the relationship back on an even keel. It’s smart to choose a time when you are both more relaxed to reconnect rather than rush to make up before either person is ready, which can make matters worse.

Following through and following up are a dynamic discipline duo when they are used together as they help parents straddle the good guy, bad guy line that seems to appear on almost a daily basis. Use one without the other and you’ll come across as either too soft or too harsh. Use them in tandem and you’re more than likely hit the right parenting mark.
EMMANUEL COLLEGE
OPEN DAY
Sunday 13 September

St. Paul’s all-boys Campus:
Tours at 10.45 am*
11.15 am*
12.30 pm

10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Notre Dame co-educational Campus:
Tours at 11.15 am
12.00 pm*
12.30 pm*

11.00 am - 2.00 pm

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