From The Principal's Desk

Dear Parents, Staff, Students and Supporters of St Joseph's College,

Year 10

Our Year 10 students completed the compulsory section of their education today. Some of them will not return to school in 2008, whilst others will attend other schools for Years 11 and 12. Please pray for our Year 10 students as they embark on this new chapter of their lives.

The full list of leavers is as follows:

Kate Bolster (10A)  Alexandra Klein (10D)
Alexander Butler (10C)  Mitchell Lynch (10A)
Mitchell Buzic (10D)  Tess Lyon (10C)
Tahnee Buzic (10E)  Jesinta Mudge (10B)
Sarah Conlan (10B)  James Novil (10C)
Brooke Davey (10A)  Jamie Oakley (10E)
Dominic Dessmann (10E)  Ellen Paine (10C)
Tara Di Manno (10B)  Samuel Ross (10E)
Brendan Goubareff (10B)  Andrew Russell (10B)
Benjamin Holt (10C)  Lachlan Slight (10E)
Chantel Humphreys (10B)  Jaime Willoughby (10B)
Jayden Kelly (10B)

TERM 1 2008

The first day of school for all students in 2008 will be Thursday 31 January. Term 1 will conclude on Friday 11 April. Please note that Easter falls within Term 1 and the two Easter holidays are:

Monday 21 March

Good Friday

Easter Monday 2 April

LEAVING ST JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

Fourth term is a time when families make decisions about moving to a new area because of employment changes etc. I would ask that all parents of students who will not be returning to St Joseph's College in 2008 to please contact my secretary, Mrs Helen Bissell on (07) 5524.9002 as soon as possible.

All students who leave St Joseph's College are required to complete a Clearance Form.

Please note that some students when they leave the College like to have a shirt autographed by their friends as a keepsake. This practice is fine as long as the shirt being written on is not the shirt being worn.

End of Term 4, 2007

I remind all parents and carers that Term 4 concludes for students on Friday 14 December. The last week (10-14 December) will be exams for Years 7, 8 and 9 as well as assessments for Year 11. It is most important, therefore, that absences are avoided during these dates.

Fr Michael

Please pray for Fr Michael Brady's father who is most unwell in Allamanda Private Hospital.

Best wishes and God bless,

Mr Peter McLoughlin
Principal

From the Deputy's Desk

Don't Forget These Important Dates

COMING EVENTS

WEEK 7

Monday 26 November........................................... (Day 6)
⇒ Year 10 Farewell Liturgy & Presentation of Awards
⇒ Year 10 Semester 2 Reports Distributed

Thursday 29 November........................................... (Day 9)
⇒ Year 9 New Caledonia Trip (29/11 – 6/12)
⇒ Scuba Open Dive (selected students)

WEEK 8

Monday 3 December............................................... (Day 1)
⇒ Parish Function (selected students from Year 11)

Thursday 6 December............................................. (Day 4)
⇒ Trinity Netball (selected students)

WEEK 9

Monday 10 December............................................ (Day 6)
⇒ Years 7, 8 & 9 Exam Week (10/12-14/12)
⇒ Year 11 Assessment Week (10/12-14/12)

Tuesday 11 December........................................... (Day 7)
⇒ Years 7, 8, 9 & 11 Presentation of Awards Evening

Friday 14 December............................................. (Day 10)
⇒ Final school day for Years 7, 8, 9 & 11 for 2007

Mr Peter Lyon
Deputy Principal

Weekend Mass Times

St Joseph's Parish St Anthony's Parish

Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm  Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm(Kingscliff)
Sunday: 7:00am & 9:00am  Sunday: 7:00am (Pottsville)
Sunday: 9:00am (Bilambil)  Sunday: 9:00am (Kingscliff)

Fr Michael Brady  Fr Jim Griffin
Parish Priest  Parish Priest
**SCHOOL FEES**

Attention all St Joseph's College Families:

Have you made a payment that hasn’t come off your bill?

The following payments have been deposited into the Parish School Fees A/c, however, insufficient information has been noted to identify the family. Would families please check their payments and contact me on (07) 5536.8701 if any of these deposits relate to you:

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It appears that the last two payments through the Commonwealth Bank are from the same person and that the two payments from SCCU are also from the same family. Could families please contact me on (07) 5536.8701 if they believe that the payments were made by them.

Mr John Klein, Parish Finance Manager

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**STUDENT OF THE WEEK**

Last week’s ‘Student of the Week’ was Benjamin Raksts (7D)

Watch out for next week’s Newsletter – it might be you!

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**UNIFORM SHOP NEWS**

**Uniform Helpers Needed Urgently**

For the collection of uniforms at the start of 2008

I am desperately seeking parents/students to help pack and/or sell uniforms before we commence the 2008 school year. The wonderful ladies who usually help me now work part-time, so for the first time I won't have my helpers for the whole day, each day ... and I need YOUR help!

I am only asking for help with the College uniforms on four (4) days at the start of the 2008 year:

- **Tuesday 22 & Wednesday 23 January** (to pack)
- **Thursday 24 & Friday 25 January** (to sell)

If anyone is able to help pack and/or sell uniforms on **ANY/SOME/ALL of these days**, please contact me at the College. I will be contactable up until we close the office on 21 December 2007.

I can't stress enough how important a helping hand will be at this time. So please if you could help me – and the school – out, please call me.

Please note that lunch and refreshments will be provided.

Ms Debra Dawson
Uniform Shop Manager

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**2008 UNIFORMS COLLECTION DAYS**

- **Girls:** Thursday 24 January
  (9:00am-12:00noon and 1:00-4:00pm)
- **Boys:** Friday 25 January
  (9:00am-12:00noon and 1:00-4:00pm)
- **Exchanges Only:** Tuesday 29 January
  (9:00am-12:00noon and 1:00-3:30pm)

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**CANTEEN NEWS AND ROSTER**

**DAILY SPECIALS**

Check out 'Today's Special' on the whiteboard at the front of the Canteen for your DAILY choice. And don't forget to place your lunch orders EARLY!!

**CANTEEN ROSTER**

**WEEK 7**

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**WEEK 8**

The School Newsletter and School Calendar are both available online @ www.bps.lism.catholic.edu.au.
The School Calendar contains year group events, assessment schedules and term dates.