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News Sheet
18 August 2008

FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK

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

Students of Years 7-11 are embarking on the journey to elect their student leaders for 2008-09. I’d like to share three quotes on leadership:

To lead people, walk beside them . . .
As for the best leaders, the people do not notice their existence.
The next best, the people honour and praise.
The next best, the people fear;
and the next, the people hate . . .
When the best leader’s work is done the people say, “We did it ourselves.”

Lao Tzu

Leadership should be born out of the understanding of the needs of those who would be affected by it.

Marian Anderson

The quality of a person’s life is in direct proportion to their commitment to excellence, regardless of their chosen field of endeavour.

Vince Lombardi

OLYMPICS

Congratulations go to Ryan Gambin, who competed in the 100m Butterfly swimming event at the Beijing Olympics last Friday, representing Malta. Ryan was a former student of St Joseph’s College (Year 10, 2001). Congratulations Ryan!

PARENT / TEACHER / STUDENT EVENINGS

Last Tuesday was the last of our Parent/Teacher/Student evenings. I’d like to thank most sincerely all staff, parents and students who involved themselves in this important stage of the reporting process.

If any parents were unable to attend on any of the nights, please don’t hesitate to contact the College to arrange a mutually convenient time with your child’s teacher.

STAFFING

Mr Cox, the Science Coordinator, will be taking long service leave from 25 August until 14 November. During Mr Cox’s absence, Ms Berry will take on the role of Science Coordinator.

END OF TERM 3

Please note that the last day of Term 3 for students will be Thursday 25 September. Friday 26 September will be a staff development day on Ignation Spirituality which has been organised by the Catholic Education Office, Lismore.

Best wishes and God bless,

Mr Peter McLoughlin
Principal

FROM THE DEPUTY’S DESK

COMING EVENTS

WEEK 5

Monday 18 August ................................. (Day 6)
⇒ NSW All Schools Touch Carnival (selected students)
Thursday 21 August ............................... (Day 9)
⇒ Diocesan Netball Carnival

WEEK 6

Monday 25 August ............................... (Day 1)
⇒ Year 12 HSC Industrial Technology Practical
Wednesday 27 August ............................ (Day 3)
⇒ Year 12 Science Excursion (selected students)
Thursday 28 August ............................. (Day 4)
⇒ Diocesan Athletics Carnival

Mr Peter Lyon
Deputy Principal

OVERDUE EXCURSION ACCOUNTS:
Overdue Excursion Accounts were distributed to students last week during morning Homeroom.

Please check with your son or daughter if they have received an account. If you are unsure, please contact the College to verify if there is anything outstanding on your account.

Please note: Non-payment of excursions could result in your child missing out on future excursions.

YEAR 10 HSIE EXCURSIONS

YEAR 10 HSIE EXCURSIONS – TUESDAY 2 SEPTEMBER 2008

Parents are reminded that in keeping with the College Excursion Policy, all money and notes need to be returned two weeks prior to the planned event.

The due date for all money and notes for the Year 10 HSIE Excursion was TODAY, Monday 18 August. Please attend to any overdue notes and money as soon as possible.

Mr Tony Channell
HSIE Coordinator

Student of the Week

Last week’s ‘Student of the Week’ was Katie Paff (7VS1)
Watch out for next week’s Newsletter – it just might be you!
The students all seem to be enjoying the variety of foods on offer. Please call me at the College if you can help me serve the children and prepare their lunches.

There are several part-time employment opportunities currently available in our local area. If you are looking for a part-time job, see Mr Hall ASAP.

Students are invited to:

A showcase of our students’ skills and talents
Wednesday 3rd September 2008
6:00pm to 8:00pm in the Doyle Centre & College Library
St Joseph’s College, Banora Point

This is a very special occasion to celebrate the achievements of our students

Come along and celebrate Expo 2008!

Tweed Heads PCYC
JamFest – Band & Dance Night – Friday 22 August from 7-10 pm at the Tweed Heads PCYC featuring Mbah band Bonfire + air guitar contest + music videos & more (13-17 years) $5.

Get Active at Tweed Heads PCYC – fitness, boxing, weights gym, sports, martial arts, hip hop/street dance, band practice space & more.

Tweed Heads PCYC Florence Street (PO Box 380). Tweed Heads NSW 2485
All enquiries to Ph: (07) 5599.1714

Mr Matt Hall
Careers Advisor

**CAREERS NEWS**

- Young Endeavour Youth Scheme closes 31 August 2008.

Please see me about any of these matters, or any careers concerns you may have.

**CANTEEN NEWS AND ROSTER**

**S.O.S. ... S.O.S. ... S.O.S.**

**HELPERS REQUIRED URGENTLY**

Wherever you see ‘H E L P’ on the roster below, I am seeking one or possibly two helpers. Please call me at the College if you can help me serve the children and prepare their lunches.

**MEAL OF THE WEEK**

The students all seem to be enjoying the variety of foods on offer with our daily specials so we will continue with them. Please check the whiteboard for the “Special of the Day”. And remember: please order before school!

**CANTEEN ROSTER**

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Mrs Dianne Pinkstone
Canteen Manager

**WEEKEND MASS TIMES**

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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.