

A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG MEN



From the Principal

On Sunday, the Church celebrated the Feast of the Most Holy Trinity. It is a tradition for Catholics at the start and end of prayer to make the sign of the cross as a recognition of this Mystery. When I lived in Ireland, I remember witnessing Irish people make the sign of the cross when an ambulance passed or when they drove past a church. However, no one action or image can capture the mystery of the Trinity. Since God is neither male nor female, it is important to remember that the traditional male language of Father, Son and Spirit is only one way of imaging the Trinity and is not to be taken as a literal description of God who is three in one. Perichoresis, a Greek term suggestive of dancing, is one of the earliest and probably one of the most striking images used to explain this Trinitarian life of God. The Father equates to the Dance; the Son to the Dancer; and the Spirit to the Dancing. The wonder is that we are invited to join the dance!

The ACC Football and Soccer seasons are starting to finish up with some potential success upon the horizon. The 1st XVIII and 2nd XVIII Football teams have semi-finals coming up, as does the 1st XI Soccer team. Both of our Year 10 Football teams finished very worthy runners-up after unfortunately losing Grand Finals last week. Our Year 9A Football team is also into the Grand Final. In the juniors, we are top two in almost all divisions of Year 7 and 8 Football and Soccer with one round to play. A solid week this week should see us heavily represented in Grand Finals in these sports. Parade Badminton teams competed very well across No. 11 19 June 2019

the three competitions in Badminton (Senior, Intermediate and Junior) but did not make finals. Parade also participated in the Open Golf Tournament and finish second overall. I want to acknowledge the excellent performances and participation of all Parade College teams and thank the players and their coaches for their efforts.

Semester Reports will be available to parents on PAM from 3.30pm on 27 June. They will contain, for each subject; a student's learning behaviours, grades for his assessment tasks, progress towards the Achievement Standards (Victorian Curriculum ~ Years 7-10) or Satisfactory achievement of VCE, VET and VCAL outcomes, plus class attendance.

VCE, VET, ERPP and VCAL students and parents are encouraged to make appointments for the important learning conferences with teachers on Thursday 18 July from 3.45pm to 5.45pm and 6.30pm to 8.00pm. Interviews at Bundoora campus will be in Greening Auditorium, while those at Preston campus will be in the Mackillop Centre. Bookings for Student Progress Interviews will be available via PAM at 3.30pm on Thursday 27 June. The final round of Progress Interviews for all students is on Monday 9 September in three sessions: 11.30am to 1.00pm, 2.00pm to 4.00pm, and 5.00pm to 7.00pm. (Monday 9 September is a student-free day.)

I hope that all our students will enjoy a refreshing mid-year vacation. Classes resume on Monday 15 July at 8.35am for all year levels.

Mr Andy Kuppe Acting Principal



From the Registrar

Year 7 2021 Enrolments close on Friday 23 August 2019

Applications are now being accepted for 2021 and beyond.

If you have a son currently at the College you are still required to submit an application form for any younger siblings.

Please contact me on 9468-3304 or email <u>registrar@parade.vic.edu.au</u> to obtain an Information pack.

Parent Contact Details

Parents are reminded that it is vitally important for the College to have up to date contact details for parents and emergency contacts.

If you need to make any changes please email <u>registrar@parade.vic.edu.au</u> so your details can be updated on the College database.

Uniform Shop - Academy Uniforms

The uniform shop at each campus will be closed during the school holidays and final days of trading for this term will be Tuesday 25 June at Preston and Friday 28 June at Bundoora. They will re-open on Tuesday,16 July at both campuses.

The Opening hours at the College are as follows:

Bundoora:

 Tuesdays
 2:45pm - 4:00pm

 Fridays
 8:00am - 9:00am

Preston: Tuesdays

10:30am – 11:00am

If you need to purchase winter uniform items over the holidays Academy Uniforms, 238 Wolseley Place, Thomastown will be open as normal. Trading hours are: Monday to Friday

Saturday

lay 9.00am to 5.00pm 9.00am to 12.00pm.

A reminder that families can order uniform items online. Please follow the instructions below.

- 1. Go to www.academyuniforms.com.au
- 2. Select ORDER ON-LINE

3. Choose Parade College then enter password: Parade

Mrs Angela O'Connor Registrar

Academy Uniforms

238 Wolseley Place

Thomastown

9460 8011

9.00am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday

9.00am to 12.00pm Saturday

Update Your Contact Details

It is important that we have the most up to date contact details for parents at all times.

If you are moving addresses, or you change your telephone number, mobile number or email address please ring our Registrar, Mrs O'Connor, on 9468 3304 or email <u>registrar@parade.vic.edu.au</u> to update your details



From the Assistant Principal - Teaching & Learning

Semester One Reports and VCE/VET/ERPP/VCAL Student Progress Interviews

Semester One reports will be released online via PAM on Thursday 27 June at 3.30pm. Year 9 ExCEL reports for Extended Learning Project 2 will be available from 26 July.

VCE, VET, ERPP and VCAL students and parents are encouraged to make appointments for the important learning conferences with teachers on Thursday 18 July 18 from 3.45pm to 5.45pm and 6.30pm to 8.00pm. Interviews at Bundoora campus will be in Greening Auditorium, while those at Preston campus will be in the Mackillop Centre.

Bookings for Student Progress Interviews will be available via PAM at 3.30pm on Thursday 27 June.

Advanced Notice of final round of Progress Interviews

Monday 9 September from 11.30am to 1.00pm, 2.0pm to 4.00pm, and 5.00pm to 7.00pm for Year 7 to 12

Year 12 Parent Information Session - VTAC Applications for University and TAFE courses 2020

Parents of Year 12 students are invited to attend an information session on the VTAC application process for admission into higher education courses during the scheduled staff dinner break on the upcoming VCE Student Progress Interview Night 18 July.

Thursday 18 July 5.45pm to 6.20pm Rivergum Theatre

Ms Sarah Harvey, Careers Advisor, will explain the key parts of the application process as well as provide key dates for the submission of applications, ATAR release and Tertiary Offer notification.

To help with organisation, please email <u>Sarah.Harvey@parade.vic.edu.au</u> should you wish to attend.

Semester Two Timetables

Students will begin their second semester timetables next Monday June 24. Timetables are built around maximising student elective choices.

At the end of a Semester when students change their electives, many boys will also have a change of teacher for some of their yearlong subjects in Semester Two.

As students' programs become more elective-based, they understand that these changes become more necessary to accommodate their elective selections. Teachers will assist students in making this transition.

All students are encouraged to take time during the upcoming semester break to have a rest in preparation for the new term and to celebrate all that they have achieved.

All students will have novels to read, and senior students should expect to have homework and study tasks to complete, to keep a regular study routine during the non-teaching period.

Year 12 Oral SACs

Year 12 English students are preparing for their upcoming Year 12 English Oral SAC 'Presenting Argument'. They will deliver the oral presentation in Week 1 or 2 of Term 3.

Students have been assigned a time when they will be removed from their usual English class/study period to deliver the oral presentation in Banksia Room in front of an assessor and four other students. Students have been informed of their allocated time by their English teacher and it is also published on Simon under 'Student Links'.

Students are advised to rehearse their presentations at home, ideally in front of an audience. In this time, students should also be re -reading their English texts, with a focus on *The Longest Memory*, which is the next unit after the Oral SAC.

2020 Subject Selection Information

The process for choosing subjects for elective units for 2020 begins with Year level assemblies to students in Years 7, 8 and 11 on Friday 26 July.

Year 9 and Year 10 students and families will receive important subject selection information on the afternoon and evening of Thursday 1 August.

Current Year 11 and 12 students are invited to attend the Tertiary Expo from 3.30pm to 4.30pm on 1 August.

Please note the following key dates:

1 August: Compulsory Attendance for Current Year 9 and Year 10 Students

Compulsory Subject Selection Information Evening for Year 9 into 10 and Year 10 into 11.

The information will be presented three times (refer next page). Current Year 9 and Year 10 families should select one presentation and one Expo to attend.

Year 9 students who have indicated their preference for the Edmund Rice Pathways Program (ERPP) in 2020 need not attend.

For students undertaking the Edmund Rice Pathways Program (ERPP) or Victorian Certificate of Applied Learning (VCAL) in 2020, subject selection will be processed by Mr John Nicholls through the interview process currently underway.

Please note current Pathways students' subject selection/VET selections are also processed by Mr Nicholls.

2 August: Subject Selection Workshop in Tutor Period (current Years 7, 8, and 11)

<u>7 August: Subject Selection online submission due for current Years 7, 8, and 11</u> Printed Web Preferences receipt forms due to Tutor Teacher by 8 August.

9 August: Subject Selection Workshop in Tutor Period (current Years 9 and 10)

<u>14 August: Subject Selection online submission due for current Years 9 and 10</u> Printed Web Preferences receipt forms due to Tutor Teacher by 15 August.

Please note that, except for ERPP and VCAL students, every current student will receive a personalised Subject Selection email. Years 7, 8, and 11 students will receive their email on 26 July, Years 9 and 10 students on 2 August.

TIME	PROGRAM					
	Learning Area & Tertiary Expo					
3.30 – 4.30pm	(Current Year 11 & Year 12 students only)					
	College Hall					
	Year 9 into Year 10	Year 10 into Year 11				
3.45 – 4.15pm	presentation	presentation				
	Rivergum Theatre	The Atrium				
	Learning Area & Tertiary Expo					
4.15 – 5.00pm	(Current Year 9 & Year 10 families)					
	College Hall					
	Year 9 into Year 10	Year 10 into Year 11				
4.30 – 5.00pm	presentation	presentation				
	Rivergum Theatre	The Atrium				
	Learning Area & Tertiary Expo					
5.00 – 5.45pm	(Current Year 9 & Year 10 families)					
	College Hall					
5.45 - 6.30pm	Staff dinner break					
	Year 9 into Year 10	Year 10 into Year 11				
6.15 – 6.45pm	presentation	presentation				
	Rivergum Theatre	The Atrium				
	Learning Area & Tertiary Expo					
6.45 – 7.30pm	(Current Year 9 to Year 12 families)					
	College Hall					

The email contains your son's individualised details for Web Preferences, with instructions and a link for accessing subject details on the Subject Selection Web Pages section of PAM. The subject selection assemblies and evening address all of the subject offerings, prerequisites, completion of the online form etc. The sessions are most important as it is imperative that your son chooses his subjects wisely. We ask all parents of Year 9 and Year 10 students to attend the evening with their son(s).

At the Subject Selection evening on 1 August, College staff will be available before and after each session to answer any queries that may arise about 2020 Year 10 and VCE courses. They will be allocated to Learning Areas in the College Hall and will be able to assist with any matters that may need clarification.

In addition, representatives from tertiary institutions will be present and available to Year 9 to 12 families. While the formal presentations in Rivergum Theatre and The Atrium are aimed at current Year 9 and 10 families, **Year 11 and 12** families, while not required to attend this evening, are encouraged to make the most of the opportunity to discuss courses with tertiary representatives exclusively from 3.30pm to 4.30pm. The remaining times are designated for current **Year 9 and 10** families.

We look forward to meeting with Year 9 and Year 10 families at the Subject Selection Evening on 1 August.

Mr Geoff Caulfield Assistant Principal - Teaching and Learning



From the Assistant Principal - Organisation

Associated Catholic Colleges, Service Awards

In 2016 the Associated Catholic Colleges instituted an award to acknowledge long standing support by individual staff members in schools of the extensive Co Curricular programs it offers. Parade College celebrated Mr Rob Peckham's contribution last month at the ACC Presentation Evening.

Mr Peckham has been involved in the College ACC football and sporting programs over many years and contributed to a range of sporting teams and fixtures.

The College congratulates Rob for his dedication to sport and to the programs that benefit so many young people and we wish him many more years of contribution at Parade and with the ACC.



Commencement of Term 3 Term 3 will commence on Monday 15 July for all staff and students.

Staff Curriculum Professional Development Day – Monday 29 July

Please note that there will be no formal classes for students on this day as all staff are involved in a Professional Development Day.

Information Technology upgrades at Parade

Over the mid-year break, our IT Department will update a number of software packages on the college network.

This software will ensure that our students are supported in learning activities with their learning devices and ensure that our network is secure and maintains its integrity for educational purposes.

If Parents have any enquiries regarding support for the College Laptops, please direct your enquiries to laptops@parade.vic.edu.au or at the IT Service Desk at the College.

Upcoming Community events in Term 3

It is important to note that many of our annual events are booked out long before the events take place. To assist with your planning please take note of the following event details:

Metec Driver Training in Term 3 Holidays

Year 10 students will have the opportunity to be involved in a Driver training session during the school holidays on Friday 4 October at Metec in Bayswater supported by our Parents of Parade.

This event must have its final numbers confirmed by the end of July so that cars and driving instructors can be secured.

The College will send further details to parents via email at the commencement of next term.

Alternatively, students can collect a permission form from Ms Ireland in First Aid.

Students must return the permission form and the payment of \$110 to secure their place no later than 30 July.

I hope many Year 10 boys take up this opportunity.

All enquiries can be directed to community.events@parade.vic.edu.au

Father and Son Winter Games Night Monday 12 August College Hall, Bundoora Campus

The evening will commence at 6.00pm with a BBQ outside College Hall and then the games begin at 7.00pm with activities such as Foosball, Darts, Quoits, Tower Building and Golf Putting. The evening concludes at 9.00pm after some prizes have been awarded.

Sporting prowess and fitness are not required to participate in what will certainly be an enjoyable night. Whilst hand/eye coordination may assist with some activities, the ability to use your powers of 'thinking' will assist in other areas.

The format of the night is based on 'Tabloid Activities' whereby fathers/guardians and sons complete a range of activities. If fathers are unable to attend, then a guardian or older brother is more than welcome to come along and enjoy the evening.

This activity can only cater to a maximum of 160 participants (80 pairs) so please secure your booking via the College website when bookings open on 29 July. Entries on the evening cannot be catered to. A donation of \$10 per family (payable on the night) includes all food and drinks.

All enquiries can be directed to community.events@parade.vic.edu.au

Father's Day Breakfast Wednesday 28 August at 7.00am Yarangabee Centre, Bundoora Campus

The Annual Father's Day Breakfast will commence with a breakfast of hot BBQ and cold foods, with coffee, tea and warm drinks available.

The format of the morning will be based on light entertainment and the opportunity for fathers and sons of the College to interact with other fathers and sons.

There will again be some light entertainment and games provided by our Masters of Ceremonies and the event will conclude by 8.30am to allow students to attend class and fathers to work.

Entry will be a \$10 donation per family (payable on the morning) and includes all food and drinks.

Bookings for the Father and Son Winter Games Night and the Fathers Day Breakfast is through the College website available from 29 July 2019

Specific enquiries can be directed to the College via email: <u>community.events@parade.vic.edu.au</u>

EpiPen's and Excursions

Parents of students that are at risk of anaphylaxis should be aware that, in response to Ministerial Order 706, it is College policy and a requirement of legislation that students who attend the College must have supplied the College with a valid EpiPen and a current anaphylaxis action plan for their personal use.

In order for a student to attend an excursion or event off the premises they must carry BOTH their individual College EpiPen and their spare EpiPen from home. This is to ensure that sufficient medications are available should the student require them.

If parents have specific enquiries about EpiPen's please contact Ms Ireland in First Aid at our Bundoora Campus.

Mr Michael Callanan Assistant Principal - Organisation

Delivery of Messages and Unplanned Departure of Students

Parents and Guardians are reminded that timely delivery of messages and/or personal items is not possible due to constant student movement in a Secondary School.

Whilst every reasonable attempt will be made to deliver *important messages only*, parents are advised that we cannot guarantee timely delivery.

Parents/Guardians arriving unexpectedly requesting to collect students for urgent appointments may face a delay of up to 45 minutes. Please ensure you allow sufficient time prior to the appointment.



From the Director of Ministry

An "Inclusive Community" for All

The theme for our College for 2019 is *Inclusive Community*. This is also an Edmund Rice Education Australia (EREA) touchstone:

Our community is accepting and welcoming, fostering right relationship and committed to the common good



A student remarked to me the other day that when we talk about "inclusive" we often talk about racial inclusion but less often about sexual orientation. I agreed that this was probably true and wondered why this might be the case, given that Catholic Education Melbourne has recently reminded us that

"Catholic schools are faith communities where love abounds and where the wellbeing of each student is paramount, regardless of their colour, appearance, sexuality, ability or disability, religious or cultural background" (Identity and Growth, Catholic Foundation Statement).

In addition, EREA has clearly expressed that

"Catholic schools in the Edmund Rice tradition recognise that to be inclusive communities, students, parents, care-givers and other family members, as well as staff must be valued in all diversity" (EREA Safe and Inclusive Learning Communities Statement).

What wonderful expressions of faith that clearly echo the Genesis pronouncement that we are all made in the image



and likeness of God (Gen 1:26-27) and Jesus' constant challenge for us to be radically inclusive.

So happy *Pride Month* to all of our LGBT parents and family members, staff and students.

We want to acknowledge how much we value you and the richness you bring to the diverse fabric of our Parade College community and we thank you for your patience as we fumble around, trying to be an authentic gospel community that truly loves one another, exactly as God has created us.

Mrs Kylie Kuppe Director of Ministry



JOHN 13:34



Year 12 Ministry Retreats

The Year 12 students have continued to engage in their Tenete Ministry Retreats throughout Autumn and into Winter. The Retreats are held over a 24 hour period, and enable students to visit community service organisations which assist people experiencing homelessness and people living with a disability.

Feedback from the students who have completed the Ministry Retreats has been positive. Julian Citino (T02) shared his experiences of the Year 12 Ministry Retreat – "It was an incredible experience as it allowed us to gain a better understanding of what life is like when one is homeless. We heard some remarkable stories of the things that people have been through while experiencing homelessness... It was really quite moving to be a part of it, even for just a single day".

Another student, Zois Flytouris (H03) also shared his experience of the Ministry Retreat – "The whole two days were a powerful experience, from hearing the story of a man living on the streets to teaching people from across the globe the language that I speak everyday (at AMES) was just amazing".

Anthony Tran T05, Chris Nguyen T07, Sanpreet Rathee L02,



Mokshith Setty T04, Jordan Hor T09, Samuel Edwards-Mensah B03, Zois Flytouris H03, Ethan Magro T09, Michael Manteaw T02 and Jordan Whitty T03 with John at the end of the Justice Walk in Bourke Street



Adriano Macri L01, James Ciccone H01, Noah Catalano H03, Truong Dang L05, Ryan Perera T04, Thomas Ho L07 and Ayan Rizvi T01, lending a hand at the Fr Bob McGuire Foundation HQ in South Melbourne

Students often report that they have a new-found appreciation of their family, home and the opportunities they have following the Retreat, as well as more understanding and compassion towards people who live with a disability or experience homelessness.

The Ministry Retreats help students experience the essence of the Edmund Rice Tradition – which is offering students a liberating education based on a gospel spirituality, within an inclusive community committed to justice and solidarity.

Parade College extends it's appreciation to the organisations that welcome our students during their Year 12 Ministry Retreat. These organisations include Corpus Christi Community, Council to Homeless Persons, The Exodus Community at Olympic Village, AMES, Araluen, St.Pius X Primary School, Concord School, The Father Bob Foundation and Sacred Heart Mission.

Mr Andrew Pickard Ministry Team





From the Director of Music

Battle of the Bands

The dust did not settle for long in the Performing Arts once the production was over! Monday 27 May saw the annual Battle of the Bands with Parade's finest rock muso's (including our wonderful staff band) taking to the stage to battle it out.

The winners were Year 8's K.E.I.F. who will gain automatic entry in to the ACC Battle of the Bands competition in August, along with some recording time in the new studios. They put on a highly entertaining and musically tight performance of their chosen pieces. Well done boys!

Special thanks to Mr Richard Linton and the VET Music Industries students for their wonderful work in setting up and running the event.

Semester 2 Instrumental Music Lessons

Thought of learning something new? Instrumental Music Lesson enrolments for Semester 2 are now open. Click on the link to enrol! <u>https://www.parade.vic.edu.au/Forms/</u> Instrumental Lesson Booking Form.aspx

All New Vocal Ensemble

Parade College now has a Vocal Ensemble! All students are welcome to attend the Parade Vocal Group at lunchtime on Mondays in W44, no experience necessary! It is a great way to meet new friends, develop your music ability in a fun and relaxed way. Singing has plenty of health benefits including reducing snoring, releasing feel good chemicals to the brain to boost your mood and plenty more!

Year 7 and 8 Bands

Parents please note, students from the Year 7 and Year 8 music classes will soon be receiving an invitation to join the combined class bands and junior big band. This is an excellent opportunity for students to continue to develop their music playing skills and perform together.

Ms Melissa Calia Director of Music



















Tutor Group Mass When: <u>every</u> Friday morning Time: 8.10am to 8.30am Where: Chapel of the Holy Spirit 21 June: L11/L02 28 June: B19/B01 Parents, Grandparents and community welcome

Parade College PRESTON



Years 7 to 9 Mass When: Friday 21 June Time: 12.00pm to 12.40pm Where: Sacred Heart Church

Parents, Grandparents and community welcome



Lamp Excursion

Lamps. Stylish lamps. Standard lamps. Lamps with a personality. There are many different kinds of lamps. All are practical and they suit the user in some way.

On Thursday 6 June, our Year 7 Altior Science class took a trip to the Nillumbik Tech School, to learn about the design process. The design process can be used it if you want to build or create an item. It helped us to make small-scale 3D printed models of the lamps we designed.

As we arrived we were taken through a PowerPoint of the design process to further our understanding. We then conducted a "marketplace" where we got to show our design and see other people's designs, while we gave feedback.

Then came the fun part. We had a cardboard model and we tried to fix it up by using less masking tape, more hot glue and super-tac.

After recess we went into the computer lab where we proceeded to design our lamps in a 3D computer modelling tool, Tinker Cad.

It took us a while, but after a few hours (although it felt like several days) we finished our design and we moved onto the 3D printing stage. It was really fun and satisfying to just sit back and watch our model print while we did hardly anything.

At around 2.20pm we got back to school where each group shared what their design was. The other groups gave feedback, both positive and constructive.

I had a really fun and interesting day. I learnt when you make something, there is a lot more to it than planning and building your final design straightaway.

Andrew Katsaros Year 7 T15







House Report



In a recent Newsletter Mr Cameron Elmore (Bodkin Lower House Leader) noted the names of students that volunteered for the 2019 House Committee. In addition, I acknowledge the wonderful work of the Bodkin Prefects;

> Jack Goulding B01 Youssef Abou Zeid B07 Anton Barbaro B04 Alex Bullock B01 Konstandinos Georgiou B03 Herath Hasitha B07 Gary Huang B08 Kananke Hirusha B06 Christian Lugli B05 Thomas Maruff B05 Salvatore Piacente B08

They have demonstrated great leadership in the organisation of fundraising activities and Bodkin House activities. Their efforts have encouraged students involvement in House activities and they have all served as excellent role models.

Bodkin House once again came together on 24 May for our celebration day festivities. Students were provided with Hamburgers that were cooked by the wonderful culinary expertise of the Prefect Team and House Committee.

Dishing out over 500 hamburgers within an hour requires a lot of collaborative work!

The House, once again ,was entertained by the Bodkin staff band who kept everyone in the groove. Ms Rowan showed us her skills at the popcorn machine as she churned out the buttery delights.

It was a great opportunity for staff and students to spend some time together outside the classroom and to build upon good relationships.

Mr Tony Trantino Bodkin Upper House Leader











Year 11 Parade College Business Showcase

Shark Tank had nothing on a number of Year 11 Business Management students who were chosen by their subject teacher to participate in this year's Business Showcase.

Year 11 students worked on a business idea as part of their Unit 1 assessment. They developed a business plan that included all of the important factors to consider when starting a business.

The winners of the 2019 Showcase were:

1st Christian Stranieri B05 2nd Patrick McCullum H08 3rd James Incani T07

Ms Anne-Marie Morello Community Action Convenor



Business Plan Pitch

On Monday 27 May, myself and ten other students had been given the opportunity to pitch our business plans to Mr Nilsson, Mr Dib and Mr De Bolfo.

The presentations were set up in the Nash Learning Center, in the F.I.R.E Carrier Room, where each student assembled and arranged all their props and designs.

We then presented to each judge, where they assessed us on how innovative/creative our idea was, how we presented it, how we believe it can become a success to name a few.

It was truly a great experience; we were able to express our creative and innovative ideas and we also further developed our public speaking skills.





On behalf of the students I would like to thank our business management teachers, Mr Simpson, Ms Morello, Mr Daquino and Mr Trantino for being able to initiate this program which was well received by all involved.

Patrick McCallum Year 11 H08

Nothing Great was ever achieved without enthusias.

~Ralph Waldo Emerson

Feeling cold lately? Imagine if you were on the streets!



Community Action Winter Coat Collection

Community Action has started its annual winter coat and winter accessories (beanie, gloves, scarves) collection for the homeless and rough sleepers.

If you have any secondhand winter clothing that is in good condition bring it in to Reception at either Bundoora or Preston, or to the Community Action Centre.

THE WORLD IS FILLED WITH NICE PEOPLE, IF YOU CANT FIND ONE BE ON E.

Our biggest project yet!

Parade College is joining with Envision Hands and their mission to create 100 prosthetic hands out of recycled plastic from bottle caps using 3D printers.

These hands will be donated to under-privileged children in need.



The bottle caps are turned into filament for 3D printers and are used to print out the components that make up the hand.



There will be drop boxes in each Tutor Group for you to deposit your caps into. You will receive House points for your donation.

Any form of plastic bottle cap is accepted.

https://envision.org.au/envision-hands/



From the Business Manager

Monthly Statements

The College issues statements via email at the end of every month. Printed copies are only posted in the first week of each term.

If you are not receiving your statements please contact Emily Hosking on 9468-3327 immediately.

Overdue Balances and Late Payment Fees

Families that have not established approved payment plans will be charged with Late Payment Fees. This is in fairness to those families meeting their fee obligations.

Please be aware that the College expects families to meet their fee obligations.

If you have any questions about your fee statements or are experiencing financial difficulty with meeting your fee obligations please contact Ms Emily Hosking on 9468-3327 or via fees@parade.vic.edu.au.

Alternatively if you would like to make a confidential appointment with the Business Manager to discuss your situation, please contact the College.

Payment Options

We also offer a fully automated credit card payment service which is available 24 hours x 7 days per week.

Simply call 1300 276 468 at your convenience then enter your Bpay biller reference number followed by your credit card details for a fully secure payment service.

Email Addresses

Please advise us if you change your email address. The College regularly uses email to communicate with parents/ guardians about important matters including fee statements and newsletters. The provision of regular fee statements is designed to assist families to keep track of their payment plans and act as a reminder for any payments in arrears.

Please ensure you advise us of any changes to your email address.

Finance Committee Members

The College Finance Committee is looking for potential members.

If you are interested in joining or would like to know more please contact the Business Manager, Mr Paul Harris, on 9468-3309 or via <u>paul.harris@parade.vic.edu.au</u>

Mr Paul Harris Business Manager

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From the Director of High Performance Sport

Kobe And Alex Play for the Kickstart AFL Victorian Indigenous State Under 15 Team

Congratulations to Year 9 students, Kobe Knight T16 and Alexander Rigney L19 who were selected from over 600 players to represent Victoria in the National Football Championships which were played earlier this year.



L-R Kobe Knight and Alexander Rigney

From his performance at the Championships, Kobe is one of eight Victorian players who has now been selected in the AFL Indigenous Flying Boomerangs National Under 15 Squad. The squad of fifty joined together last weekend and played a trial game at the GMHBA stadium in Geelong. The squad will be trimmed to twenty-five for further games in July. From these trials in July, ten to twelve Boomerang players will join the World Team Program to form an All Stars Team in November.

Congratulations once again to both boys on their achievements and all within the Parade community wish them the very best in their future sporting pursuits.

Football Tour to China with Melbourne City

Melbourne City, in conjunction with students from Parade, Overnewton and John Fawkner Colleges will be sending a football team to China to compete in an International Tournament.

This competition is being organised by the Chinese Ministry of Education, in conjunction with the Federation of Returned Overseas Chinese and the Shanghai City Government. There is a strong push to develop soccer at a school level in China and one of the methods in this development is to showcase the skills of students from other countries in an international tournament.

Accompanied by Parade staff member, Mr Michael Miller, six Year 11 Parade students featured below have been selected into the team. The Tour commences on Sunday 7 July and concludes on Tuesday 16 July.

This is a great opportunity for the students to test their football ability against international competition and to experience the Chinese culture.

All within the Parade community wish the entire touring party a safe and rewarding trip.













L-R 1st Row Anthony Polidori B08 and Matthew Dolcetta H09, 2nd Row Daniel Caiafa H03 and Liam Farrugia T06, 3rd Row Joel Bowring H04 and Christopher Dollas H10

Term 2 ACC Sport Photos

The Parade ACC Sports Team photos for Term 2 sports will be developed from the students' individual portrait photo taken at the beginning of the year.

To ensure all students who represent the College in a specific team are truly acknowledged, students are asked to check team lists which are posted on the Sports Noticeboard above the Senior Canteen (Bundoora Campus) and on the Sports Noticeboard (Preston Campus).

If a student represented a team, but their name is not included on the team list, then they must see Mr Gaut (Bundoora) or Mr Watson (Preston) by Friday 29 June.

Teams posted are as follows -

ACC Football – Years' 7 to 12 ACC Soccer – Years' 7 to 12 ACC Badminton – Years' 7 to 12 ACC Senior Golf

Rugby 7's

The Melbourne Rebels are conducting a Rugby 7's Gala Days enabling schools from around Melbourne to compete against each other in a Rugby 7's competition.

The event will be held on Thursday 8 August for both the Junior (Years' 7 and 8) and Intermediate (Years' 9 and 10) teams.

Students who wish to be involved in a team must attend training which is being held each Tuesday after school at the Bundoora Campus from 3.30pm to 4.30pm.

Students from the Bundoora Campus should see Mr Gaut in E44 and Preston students should see Mr Hazzaz for further details.

South East Clay Target Championships

The South East Zone Schoolboys Clay Target Shooting Championships which will be held at the Frankston Clay Target Shooting Club (Rossiters Road, Carrum Downs – Melways 98 C 9) on Thursday 1 August. The Championships are not for beginners and all participants must have their own firearm and licence.

Bundoora students interested in being involved in the Championships should see Mr Gaut in E44, while Preston students should see Mr Watson for further details.

ACC Cross Country

The ACC Cross Country Championships is being held at Bundoora Park on Wednesday 11 September.

Training for Bundoora students will be held each Tuesday and Thursday morning from 7.30am to 8.15am and commences on Tuesday 16 July. Students are to meet at College Hall.

Preston students wishing to be involved should see Mr Watson for further information.

Mr Phillip Gaut Director of High Performance Sport



Plans are currently underway for our next CI Card Course

A CI Card is required for any work on constructions sites in Victoria.

Parade College offers complete training for the Construction Industry Card across two evenings.

Please register your interest by calling Tony McKay 9468-3300 or email tony.mckay@parade.vic.edu.au



Parents of Parade (POP)

Major Fundraiser POP Mega Raffle for 2019

Click <u>here</u> to purchase raffle tickets https://www.rafflelink.com.au/pop_mega_raffle_2019

1st Prize - Tuition Fees for 2020 (value up to \$6900) 2nd Prize - \$500 Academy Uniforms Voucher 3rd Prize - \$250 Academy Uniforms Voucher

Tickets are \$10 each and you can buy as many as you like to increase your chances of winning,

The raffle will be drawn on 11 September.

Funds help support Eddies Brekky Van and our METEC Driver Education for Year 10's

Term 3 Events

Parent helpers are needed to assist with the running of the following important events being held in Term 3:



Father and Son Winter Games Night 12 August

Fathers Day Breakfast 28 August

2019 College Drama 29, 30, and 31 August

Metec Driver Education 4 October

For more information, or to register your intent to help, please email pop@parade.vic.edu.au

Upcoming Meetings

The dates for our Term 3 meetings are as follows:

17 July 14 August 11 September

All parents, guardians, and caregivers at Parade College are invited to the monthly POP meetings, which are held in Boardroom at Bundoora commencing at 7.30pm.

Jeff Warke President Parents of Parade 0409 174 208 pop@parade.vlc.edu.au



How to be a good passenger

- Be respectful to bus drivers and don't distract them while they are driving
 they have an important job to drive the bus safely.
- If you see something wrong, say something to the driver or call the police.
- Ensure people with special needs can access the priority area.
- When the bus is crowded please move towards the rear.
- Offer your seat to someone that needs it more than you do.
- If there's a seatbelt, wear It It's the law.
- Safely store your bags to reduce trip hazards.

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Nationally Consistent Collection of Data (NCCD) On School

Students with Disability

What is the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data?

Schools must now complete the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data on School Students with Disability (NCCD) every year. It counts the number of students who receive additional adjustments or "help" at school because of a disability. The NCCD helps governments plan for the needs of students with disability.

Who is counted in the data collection?

To count a student in the NCCD, schools must think through some key questions:

- Is the student getting help at school so that they can take part in education on the same basis as other students?
- Is the help given because of a disability? The word 'disability' comes from the <u>Disability</u> <u>Discrimination Act 1992</u> (DDA) and it can include many students.
- 3. Has the school talked to you or your child about the help that they provide?
- 4. Has the school kept records about the help they provide, the student needs and the reasons that the student needs this help? The school will need to keep copies of tests, student work, assessments, records of meetings, medical reports or other paperwork and information about how the student's learning is moving along over time.

Once the school decides that the student should be counted in the NCCD, they then choose a disability group and one of four levels of help that has been given to the student.

What does the word 'disability' mean in the NCCD?

In the NCCD the word 'disability' comes from the <u>Disability Discrimination Act 1992</u> (DDA). There are four types of disability that the school can choose from: sensory, cognitive, social-emotional and physical.

Many students that need help at school can be counted in the NCCD. For example, students with learning problems, e.g. specific learning disability or reading difficulty (sometimes called dyslexia), health problems (e.g. epilepsy or diabetes), physical disability (e.g. cerebral palsy), vision/hearing loss and social-emotional problems (e.g. selective mutism, Autism Spectrum Disorder, anxiety).

Letters from doctors or specialists can be very helpful for schools as they plan how to support students with their learning. Schools do not need to have these letters before they can count a

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student in NCCD. Teachers can use all that they know about the student's learning and the records that they have collected over time to decide if a student can be counted in the NCCD.

What sort of help does the school give students?

Students need different types of help at school. Some students need a little help sometimes while other students need a lot of help nearly all the time. The type of help given depends on the needs of the student. The help can include changes to the school buildings or grounds (e.g. ramps or things like special desks or chairs), extra teacher help in classes, special learning programs, changes to the work they give the student or extra adult help.

How will the NCCD be different this year?

All schools have been counting students in the NCCD since 2015. The government will use the NCCD data as part of the funding to schools.

What will the school need to know about my child for the NCCD?

Schools work together with families to understand the needs of each child. It is helpful if families give their child's teacher a copy of any letters or reports they have. The letters or reports will help the school understand the child and the help that they might need. Letters from doctors, psychologists, speech pathologists, doctor, and occupational therapists etc. can be very helpful for schools. These reports along with information that the teacher has (i.e. school based tests, your child's work and learning plans) helps the school to understand and meet your child's needs.

What happens to the NCCD data? Who will have the NCCD information?

Each school principal must check the NCCD data in August of each year. The school will give the information to the Catholic Education Office. The school will work with the Catholic Education Office to make sure that the NCCD data is OK before they give the data to the government. The government will not be given the names of any students or any letters or records. Please ask your school for their privacy policy if you need to know more.

Does the school need me to agree with them about counting my child in the NCCD?

Amendments were made to the <u>Australian Education Act 2013</u> and <u>Australian Education Regulation</u> <u>2013</u>). Schools do not need you to agree to let them count a child in the NCCD. You cannot ask the school not to count your child.

Where can I find out more?

Please contact your child's school if you have further questions about the NCCD and/or refer to the national <u>NCCD Portal</u>.

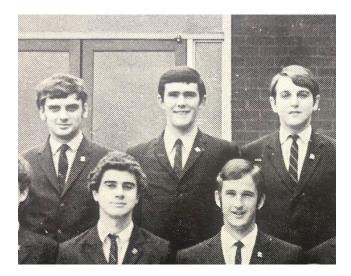
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From The Old Paradians

OP Jeremy Johnson awarded OAM

Jeremy Johnson, a final year Parade College student of the Class of 1971 and the long-time chief executive officer at Sovereign Hill, has been named a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) in the recent Queen's Birthday Honours List.



Jeremy was honoured for his years of service to the tourism industry and Ballarat community as a whole.

He was unavailable for comment this week, but in an earlier interview with *The Courier's* Greg Gliddon, the seventh



generation Australian of convict ancestry was quoted saying: "These things come along unexpectedly and at the same time it's a great privilege". "My ancestors would be amazed to think someone in the family has achieved such an honour," Jeremy said.

"It's a great personal pride when something like this comes along and it makes me reflect on all the support I've received."

Full report, click here - <u>http://www.oldparadians.com.au/</u> old-paradian-stories/op-jeremy-johnson-awarded-oam

Brian's old Paradian blazer finds a new home

A glorious Old Paradians sports blazer, thought to have been hand-woven around the time of the Second World War, has been donated to the Old Paradians' Association.

The purple, green and blue striped blazer, featuring the original Old Paradians crest with motto *Signum Fidei* (*Sign of Faith*) and the Roman numerals "XI" and "XVIII" (cricket and football) on the pocket, was once owned by Brian Corrigan, a final year Parade College student of 1932. The item was handed in by Brian's son Peter.



"Brian, my father, was born in 1917, and as far as I know only attended Parade College until Year 8," Peter said. "On leaving school, he joined CUB for what would be a 43-year association with the company, during which time he became 2IC and controlled all the hotels in Victoria. In his retirement he relocated from Beaumaris to Kew and bought the Orrong Hotel."

Full story, image, click here - <u>http://</u> www.oldparadians.com.au/old-paradian-stories/brian-s-oldparadians-blazer-finds-a-new-home

Mr Tony De Bolfo Old Paradians' Association CEO

Calendar				*	Handld Cum Chield Comi Final (Canier)	
			17 July			Herald Sun Shield Semi-Final (Senior)
The following important dates in the College calendar can also be found on our website under the 'News' tab					*	Senior Sport
17-28 June		VCAL Years 11 & 12 Work			*	Homework Club
		Experience				Parents of Parade Meeting, 7.30pm Boardroom
19 June	*	Senior Sport Finals	18 July		*	Family School Tour Bundoora
	*	Staff Report Finalisation Day - Student Free Day			*	Herald Sun Shield Semi-Final (Intermediate)
20 June	*	Years 8 to 11 Exam Feedback Day 1			*	Years 7/8 Sport
	*	Krispy Kreme Fundraiser			*	VCE/Years 11&12 VCAL/Year 10
21 June	*	Years 8 to 11 Exam Feedback Day 2				ERPP Progress Interviews 3
	*	Year 12 VCAL BBQ (Sports	19 July		*	Read Aus Day
		Academy)	23 July		*	Year 9/10 Sport
	*	OPA 1979 Reunion			*	Year 7 RE Incursion
22 June	*	Saturday Detention			*	Homework Club
24 June	*	Family School Tour Preston	24 July		*	Senior Sport
	*	Year 7 Elective Changeover			*	Homework Club
	*	Years 7-11 Semester 2 Commences	25 July		*	Year 7/8 Sport
	*	Finance Committee Meeting			*	Strategic Planning Meeting
25 June	*	Family School Tour Bundoora	26 July		*	Year 9 ExCEL ELP 2 Reports released
	*	Homework Club				online to parents at 10.00am
26 June	*	Ministry Retreat #9	27 July		*	Saturday Detention
	*	Senior Sports Finals	29 July		*	Staff Formation Day - Student Free Day
	*	Year 11 Retreat - Seminar Choicez			*	Finance Committee Meeting
	*	Homework Club	30 July		*	Year 9/10 Sport
27 June	*	Ministry Retreat #9			*	Homework Club
	*	Years 7-12 Reports released online to parents at 3.30pm				
	*	Years 7/8 Sports Finals	*******			
28 June	*	Term 2 Ends		*	١	Norking Bee 🅈
30 June-3 July	*	NAIDOC Week		* ****		
10 July	*	OPA Luncheon		* Sunday 18 August *		
15-24 July	*	Year 12 English Oral Assessments				
15 July		Term 3 Commences		⋇	8.	00am to 12.30pm 💥
		OPA Executive Meeting	A Executive Meeting		Bundoora & Preston 💥	
16 July		Years 9/10 Sport		* *	50	*
		Homework Club		*		Campuses 💥
	*	2020 Prefect Training Program Commences			✻	*****



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