Holidays!
I would like to wish all of the Junior School students and their families a safe and enjoyable holiday. I look forward to seeing everyone back all rested and enthusiastic next term. I encourage all students to continue to read on a regular basis during the break, it is a most important skill to master that can bring great pleasure and knowledge.

Please remember that Term 2 classes for students commence on Tuesday 29th April.

Cross Country Carnival
Congratulations to Esrom House (436 points) for winning the Cross Country carnival that was held on Wednesday. Bradwardine was not far behind with 412 points.

It was a pleasure to have Orange Anglican Grammar School (OAGS) join us for the Cross Country Carnival. We also attended a combined Primary Chapel Service before the carnival with OAGS.

ASC Website
I encourage everyone to make time to look at the News and Events section on the All Saints’ College website, www.saints.nsw.edu.au.

2009 Scholarships
2009 Scholarships for entry into Year 5, 7, 9, 10, 11 close on April 11, 2008. See Registrar Helen Schwab for more information.

Vacation Care
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Congratulations! Star Swimmer
Thomas Geyer swam a personal best time in the U/10 50m Breaststroke of 51.63 at the Combined Independent Schools (CIS) Swimming Carnival at Homebush last week. Well done, Thomas.

Terrific Tennis Player
Courtney Moller finished first in Division 3 in the Bathurst Tennis Competition at the close of the season last weekend. Well done Courtney.

The Jackman Challenge
There will be no question until the first VIM next term.

Important Dates
12/4/08 School Holidays begin
29/4/08 Term 2 commences
7/5/08 WAS Cross Country Carnival
13-15/5/08 National Assessment Program Exams Year 3 and Year 5

Basketball concludes
The Junior School basketball season finished on Friday, 28th March.

The boys played excellent games throughout the season but were unfortunate not to make the semifinals. The girls played in the semifinals on Friday and played the best game of the season. By the end of the game, the scores were 22 all, so 3 lots of extra time were played without a goal being scored by either team. Unfortunately, because we were lower on the points table, the opposition automatically progressed into the final.

A big thank you to all the parents that cheered on the sideline and to Mrs Bronson Breen for her excellent coaching skills.

We are really looking forward to next season and are encouraging more students to play.

Mrs Kay Murray, Miss Alisa Thompson
6 YEARS MUSTANGS
Finally after a long pre-season build up, the 6 Years Mustangs team of Lachlan Roach, Mitchell Nelson, Alex Buckley and Andrew Jackman took to the field for their first match against the White Lightning. Battling hot conditions and short on back up players, the team played with spirit and tenacity beyond their years. Experienced player Alex and booming kicker Andrew displayed agility and accuracy to lead the scoring. Mitchell and Lachlan had great debut matches, and will come on with each match they play. As the full time whistle blew, the team were left gasping for breath and wiping sweat from their brows exclaimed, “that was fun, I can’t wait for the next match!”

Mr Roach

9 YEARS SOCCER
Saturday brought favourable weather and lots of enthusiasm for the first game of the season. It was not only the first game of the season but the first game in which the players played in fixed positions.

Our first goal of the season came about with Thomas controlling the ball from the midfield, and with the help of Riley, Henry, Chris and David defending, brought it all the way down and then with a quick pass sent it into Cameron who found the back of the net.

Henry and Jack need special mention for their strong kicking and defending, Anna for her work in goals - a position she does very well at and Riley deserves praise for kicking, passing and marking his opponent throughout the game.

The team’s second goal was scored by Thomas who was helped along with great team work in a few intense moments up near the goals and the final goal was well placed by Chris.

The Player of the Week was awarded to Bud Lambeth who was exceptional in his commitment, determination and courage after a nasty blow to the head from a ball propelled rapidly from close range. Bud also made valuable contributions in the midfield after his stint in goal.

The game came to a brilliant close with all players exhausted and at 4 – 3 in favour of the Pandas it was only just a loss. Everyone is looking forward to next week. We also welcome Abercrombie House and Lang Financial as new sponsors of the team for 2008.

Mr Redpath and Mr Geyer

10 YEARS SOCCER
The competition began with an exhausting match away against Oberon. The conditions were glorious but with a ten players versus sixteen it was always going to be a challenge. Oberon opened the scoring within the first ten minutes but a late reply by Henry Marson produced a 1-1 half-time scoreline that was a just reward for our hard work. The second half saw Oberon convert two scoring opportunities and again sheer skill from a number of ASC players gave us a second goal (to Fletcher Begley) and chances to level up the game.

Will, Marcus, and Mathew all had great first games for the team, Victor (player of the week), David, Lachlan W, Fletcher, and Henry all provided great leadership and Lachlan Mac and Roan were great at the back. We look forward to growing as a team, bring on week two.

Mr Van Heekeren

6 YEARS BRUMBIES
5 little brumbies galloped off to Oberon last Saturday to play their first game of soccer for the season. The players enjoyed a spirited match against the Oberon team and showed great spirit and determination throughout the game. Patrick Roach took the opposition by storm and scored two wonderful goals, whilst Nadia Pandoulis defended well and showed a lot of enthusiasm. James Denovan took some excellent goal kicks and ran until his little legs could run no more. Angus Crozier and Ben Cant both scored goals and passed the ball thoughtfully. Well done team – a great start to the season.

Mr Cant

7 YEARS BRONCOS
Watch out Proctor Park, the Broncos are full of enthusiasm. The game started off at a fast pace with both sides not afraid of attacking the goals. Elycia Chua and Lachlan Buckley showed determination to shoot goals while Chelsea Griffin and Simon Pandoulis were keen to pass the ball to their team mates. Hannah Griffin showed her dribbling skills throughout the game while Tim Jackman never gave up kicking the ball away from their opponents. Well done to the Broncos for a 6-2 win against the Pandas. We look forward to another fun week this Saturday. Well done team.

Mrs Griffin

Jackaroo Ranch
Horse Riding
Autumn School Holiday Riding Camps
1st Week: Saturday 12th April – Saturday 19th April
2nd Week: Saturday 19th April – Sunday 27th April

Shorter stays are possible. These camps are for “Horse Mad” children aged from 6-16 years.

Five to six hours per day are devoted to horse activities including a one hour lesson and three hours trial riding in the beautiful Turon Valley. As well, campers are taught grooming, saddling, haltering, catching a horse, safety aspects and many other facets of horsemanship. Previous experience is not necessary as beginners to advanced riders are catered for.

We specialise in teaching nervous riders and developing their confidence. Other activities include gold panning, cattle feeding/checking, cattle mustering, camp fires and native wildlife spotting. This is “not just a camp” – it’s a wonderful farm experience your child will treasure forever.

For more enquiries phone Pattie Hudson on 63377173.

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