Welcome Back

I extend a warm welcome to all students and families of All Saints’ College to the 2016 school year. I look forward to a fantastic school year and seeing all of the students grow and flourish with their pursuits.

2015 Junior School Class Teachers

Pre K 2  Mrs Deborah Porter & Mrs Jacinta Rivett (TA)
Pre K 3  Mrs Deborah Porter & Mrs Jacinta Rivett (TA)
Pre K 5  Mrs Sally Parsons & Mrs Jane Parkinson (TA)
Kinder  Mrs Gabrielle Darlington (Infants’ Coordinator)
Year 1  Mrs Maggie Walsh
Year 2  Mrs Jo Nicholls
Year 3  Mrs Jodie Allen
Year 4  Ms Lisette Dale
Year 5  Mrs Kay Murray & Mrs Karen Maher (TA)
Year 6  Ms Jodie Shurmer

New Students
Welcome to the following new students to All Saints’ College.
Nicholas Dunstall   Kindy
Theo McKenna   Kindy
Harriet Koffmann   Year 3
Gabrielle Pallister  Year 4
Zoe Koffmann  Year 6
Bridgett McFarlane Year 6

ICAS Exams
This year we will be offering students in Year 3 to 6 the opportunity to participate in the ICAS Competition Exams. These exams will not be compulsory for all students. A note will be sent home soon regarding enrolling your child for these exams. Please return this as soon as possible.

Playground Use After School
For the safety of the children, no children should be playing on the playground equipment between 3.15 and 3.30pm.

Swimming Carnival Helpers
If you could help out with timekeeping at the Junior School Swimming Carnival please let Leonie Keogh know by Friday 12th February.

Morning Drop Off
As there is not a teacher on supervision duty until 8.22am each morning, Junior School children are not to be dropped off at school until after this time.

I would appreciate your support in adhering to this rule as the safety of your child is of paramount importance to us.

After School Care
After School Care will now be charged at $10.00 per hour charged in 15 minute increments. If your child is not picked up by 3:30pm (4:45pm on Sport Days Monday and Wednesday) they will be sent to After School Care and will be charged a minimum of 15 minutes. If parents refuse to sign their child out of After School Care they will be charged until 6pm.

Junior School Assemblies
All parents are welcome to attend Junior School assemblies. In the warmer months they are conducted on the Outdoor Assembly area and during the colder months we move into the Kemmis Building. Assemblies begin at 9.00am.

Week  Date              Class
2      5 February         Year 6
3      12 February        No Assembly – Swimming Carnival
4      19 February        Year 5 (Grandparents’ Day)
5      26 February        Year 4
6      4 March            Year 3
7      11 March           Year 2
8      18 March           Year 1
9      25 March           No Assembly - Good Friday Holiday
10     1 April            Kindergarten
11     8 April            Year 6 – last assembly of term

Important Dates for the Calendar
12/2/16 Swimming Carnival (9.00am – 1.00pm) - Wear PE gear.
12/2/16 Head of College Function for New Parents (7.00pm)
15/2/16 P & F Meeting (5.00pm)
16/2/16 Picnic on Junior School Oval Year 5 Grandparents and Special Friends Day
22-24/2/16 Year 3 and 4 Camp – Lake Burrendong
23/2/16 HICES Debating Round 1
25/2/16 Junior School WAS Swimming Carnival – The Scots School
8/3/16 HICES Swimming Carnival – Homebush
17/3/16 HICES Debating Round 2
22/3/16 Combined Independent Schools (CIS) Swimming Carnival
24/3/16 Pre K & Infants Easter Hat Parade (2.00pm)
4/6/16 Pre K & Infants Easter Hat Parade (2.00pm)
8/4/16 JS Parent/Teacher Interviews

Uniform Shop Hours: Monday 8.30am to 4.30pm; Tuesday closed; Wednesday closed; Thursday 1.30pm to 4.30pm; Friday 8.30am to 3pm
Cash, Cheque, Eftpos available; Phone: 6332 7303 or email L.moller@saints.nsw.edu.au

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We have had a sensational start to the year with eager and inquisitive children keen to explore and try lots of wonderful new things and make new friends. We are exploring the theme All About Me and love to see what interesting things people have brought in for NEWS about themselves. We are focusing our art and activities around the colour red, circles and Humpty Dumpty. The children loved playing Rumpty Tumpty (Humpty’s cousin plays a hiding game) and thinking of reasons WHY Humpty fell off the wall. Some great suggestions included: he was sunburnt, she was tired and wanted to go to bed, it was windy and my favourite... he wanted to go watch himself on TV.

We have been to the music centre and are looking forward to going on the bus for our first visit to the Bathurst City Library for Storytime.

Sally Parsons, Teacher Pre-Kindergarten 5 Day
FROM THE CHAPLAIN
Reverend Tony Card

Welcome back
Welcome back to school. I trust that you have all had a relaxing and restful break. It is wonderful to see the students full of enthusiasm with shiny shoes and crisp pages in their books.

A very warm welcome to our new students and their families. Please let me know if I can be of any assistance to you as you settle in to the College.

A reminder to all families that I am available to you 24/7 if you need assistance or someone who will listen to your concerns. I am also available to conduct baptisms, weddings, and funerals in our chapel or elsewhere if you need me. My mobile number is 0429 947 284.

KANGA 9s CRICKET

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10 YEARS CRICKET

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12 YEARS BLUE CRICKET

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Saturday, 6th February All Saints’ Team Fixtures

Kanga 9s  Blaney  Edgell Oval, ASC
12 Years Blue  ASC Red  Stiles 2, ASC
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Please be at the ground at 8.30am for an 8.45 start (unless your coach asks you to be earlier).

If there is wet weather, please check the Bathurst District Junior Cricket Association Facebook Page on Saturday morning to check if games are still on.

AFTER SCHOOL CARE

After School Care operates Monday to Friday from 3:15pm to 6.00pm during school term. If you would like to utilise this service please make a note in your child’s diary or phone Mrs Keogh before 3.00pm on 63327317. Cost is $10.00 p/hr or $2.50 p/15 mins.

We look forward to seeing you this term.

What shall I render unto the LORD FOR ALL HIS BENEFITS TOWARD ME? (Ps 116:12, KJV)

We can learn much from Richard Johnson. He was a strong Christian who lived out the gospel he so enthusiastically proclaimed. He cared for the sick. He stood with the condemned. He built the counties enthusiastrically proclaimed. He cared for the sick. He stood with the condemned. He built the counties enthusiastically.

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Welcome to the 2016 school year. We have a busy start to the year for the P&F, and we would love everyone to come along and help out!

Our first event is the junior school swimming carnival on the 12th of February. We usually run a canteen so we are seeking volunteers to serve food, as well as donations of cakes, biscuits, lollies, jellies and iceblocks to be sold. We would also appreciate if anyone could run the coffee machine for this event. Donations of food can be brought directly to the canteen next to the pool on the day, and if you can help out please contact secretary Sharyn Jenkins on 040193573 or email sharyn.jenkins@hotmail.com.

Our second event is the BBQ/Picnic on the Oval on the 16th of February. This is always a fun family night and we would appreciate help with cooking the BBQ, running the coffee machine as well as donations of biscuits, slices and lollies. The BBQ food is provided. Donations of food can be brought on the night to the junior school oval. If you can help with cooking the BBQ or running the coffee machine, please contact Sharyn Jenkins.

Our AGM and next meeting is the 15th of February in the Library at 5pm. At the AGM we elect the committee for the coming year. Nomination forms are with Scott in the front office. We would love to see you there. Don’t forget there will be snacks and drinks!

We still require class parents for many of the classes. If you are interested in being a class parent, please contact Sharyn Jenkins ASAP. In the meantime, please provide your contact details on the class sheet over the next week.

Kind Regards,
The P & F Executive
Over the Christmas break our family visited the Kingdom of Cambodia.

We were lucky enough to get off the tourist trail and visit the poorest province of Cambodia, Preher Vihear Province.

Preher Vihear is located in Northern Cambodia on the border of Thailand and Laos. The area was the last stronghold of the Khmer Rouge who were finally overpowered in 1998.

We visited the township of Chheab, where my husband Scott is currently working.

As I have mentioned the area is extremely poor, however they possess a richness of character. The residents are resilient and generous people. They have very little, but are always willing to accommodate visitors. During our visit to Chheab we spent a number of hours at Chheab Secondary School.

There are 250 students enrolled from Years 7-9. The school has no freshwater, toilets or electricity. There are only three classrooms so classes are staggered through out the day.

Very few Cambodians in rural Cambodia can speak English, so with a little sign language and some translation from our guide, Mr Sithy of Cambodian Pride Tours we were able to teach the kids how to pass a rugby ball. Rugby was a new concept for the students. The only sports they are familiar with are volleyball, badminton and soccer. During our visit we were able to donate some sports equipment from All Saints’ College. A collection of soccer, rugby and volleyballs which were gratefully received by the principal and student body.

I would like to thank Kay Nelson for organising the donations and Jackson Stanmore, Jack Dunn and Jarrod Colwell who deflated all the balls for transport. The smiles on the students faces when receiving the balls was priceless. Kate Munro
UNIFORM SHOP
HOURS FOR 2016

MONDAY  8.30AM TO 4.30PM
TUESDAY  CLOSED
WEDNESDAY  CLOSED
THURSDAY  1.30PM TO 4.30PM
FRIDAY  8.30AM TO 3PM

Phone  63327 303 or email: l.moller@saints.nsw.edu.au
All Saints’ College Uniform Shop  Second Hand Clothing

The Uniform Shop only accepts second hand clothing in good condition to very good condition. A form (over page) with the information required must be filled in each time clothes are left for re-sale.

Clothes may be left at the Uniform Shop or after hours in reception clearly labelled with this form attached.

The following garments are the only re-sellable items:

- Blazers
- Kilts
- Pinafores
- Red and Navy Jumpers

Kilts, Blazers all need to be dry cleaned. The Uniform Shop will not be responsible for getting items dry cleaned.

The College reserves the right to set prices. Unsellable items will be sent to Charity.

Commission per item is 20%. Prices are set according to condition.

All payments will be credited to the family/student account.

All care will be taken but we do not accept responsibility for any items which “go missing”. (This is very rare).

*Items not sold after one year will be discarded without further notice.*

Revised January 2016
All Saints’ College Uniform Shop  Second Hand Clothing

Child’s Name (Please Print):_____________________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Name _______________________________________              Phone:_______________________

I understand that items unsaleable will be sent to charity.

Please list all items and quantities for re-sale

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I have read and accept the conditions of sale of Second Hand Clothing

Signature:__________________________________________ Date:__________________________
Relay For Life

Relay For Life is a fun and moving overnight experience that raises vital funds for the Cancer Council’s research, prevention, information and support services. Relay is a chance for the Bathurst community to recognise and celebrate local cancer survivors, patients and their carers, to honour and remember loved ones lost to cancer and to raise money to help save more lives.

Join the thousands of Australians who take part in Cancer Council’s Relay For Life each year in the fight against cancer: start or join a team in the Bathurst 2016 Relay today!

Bathurst & District Relay For Life
12-13 March 2016
All Saints College, Bathurst

Register. Participate. Donate.
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