



From the Head of Junior School

Mr Chris Jackman



Year 3 Instrumental Music Night

The Year 3 students will be performing to their family and friends in the Music Centre on Thursday, 7th May at 6.00pm.

Under 7 Rugby

The mighty Under 7 rugby players visited The Scots School last Friday afternoon for a friendly game of rugby. The boys had a fantastic time and really enjoyed the match. On Friday, 8th May we will be reciprocating by hosting The Scots School for a match at 4.00pm. There will be a sausage sizzle after the match.

Junior School Disco

The Junior School Disco is on Friday, 1st May. There is a Jungle theme so I expect to see lots of tigers and monkeys there. Pre-Kindergarten and Infants are from 5.30 – 6.30pm and Primary starts at 6.45pm and finishes at 8.30pm. Entry is \$2.00 and children are asked to bring a plate of food to share at the intermission. Parents must drop off and pick their children up from the Dining Room (not from the carpark).

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 |
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| 1 | 24 April | No Assembly – ANZAC Service 10.20am |
| 2 | 1 May | Kindergarten |
| 3 | 8 May | Year 6 |
| 4 | 15 May | Year 5 |
| 5 | 22 May | Year 4 |
| 6 | 29 May | Year 3 |
| 7 | 5 June | Year 2 |
| 8 | 12 June | Year 1W – Last assembly of term |

Important Dates for the Calendar

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| 1/5/15 | Junior School Disco |
| 12-14/5/15 | NAPLAN Tests for Years 3 and 5 |
| 29/5/15 | HICES Cross Country |
| 11/6/15 | CIS Cross Country |

Button Box Working Bee

The Button Box – Working Bee Reminder: Sunday, May 3 commencing 1pm in the Kindergarten classroom there will be working bee for the Infants Performing Arts night costumes. Thank you so much. Gabrielle Darlington Infants Coordinator

PRE-KINDERGARTEN 2016

Intending families are reminded that applications are now open for 4 year olds to attend the wonderful All Saints' Pre-Kindergarten Program in 2016. The 2, 3 and 5 Day classes are now filling rapidly, so please contact the College on 6331 3911 or download an application from the College website to secure an interview. Please pass this Pre-Kindergarten information to family and friends.



Strong Helpers Wanted

Helpers are needed on Saturday, 16th May, at 9.00am to assist with putting up Art Show boards in the Bickerdike Centre for the Festival of Art.

Please confirm with Rosie Bayliss on 0419 170854.

Uniform Shop Hours: Monday 8.30am to 5pm; Tuesday closed; Wednesday closed; Thursday 12noon to 4.30pm; Friday 9am to 3pm
Cash, Cheque, Eftpos available; Phone: 6332 7303 or email l.moller@saints.nsw.edu.au

PRE-KINDERGARTEN NEWS



Nia and Eliza creating beautiful bright paintings.

This week in PK 5, we are exploring many wonderful things. The ck sound with letters c and k, autumn, the number 2, more about Mums and musical instruments.

The children have been making crowns, matching pairs, learning about clouds, crocodiles and we went for a farm walk where we saw alpacas, horses, chickens and fed hay to the goat and sheep.

We have been preparing songs and presents for next Friday's Mother's day Morning Tea and creating beautiful Monet replica artwork for the travelling art show. Some eager students enjoyed soccer training and the excitement is building for this Friday's jungle themes disco - although there may be some lost princesses turn up to the jungle, I'm not sure. We also want to wish Elleesa a very Happy Birthday for Friday.



Jenson, Felix, Eli and Elle worked together to build an amazing tall tower.



Tyson, Nia and Harrison showing great skill and fairness in the tricky game of fiddlesticks.



Jayden, Amelia, Tarani, Elle and Callum played their instrument for us while we all sang our 'We are in a band' song.



Zoe made a beautiful picture with kids pix.



Jenson and Elle matching superhero pairs.



Making kings and queens crowns.



Feeding hay to the sheep on our farm walk.



Bridget has made her leaf body to hang on our autumn tree.



Fingertip "piano" painting a Monet masterpiece.

FROM THE CHAPLAIN

Reverend Tony Card



"There is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among mortals by which we must be saved." (Acts 4:12, NRSV)

I don't know about you, but for me this past week has been a mixed up roller coaster ride of emotions! I ended last week joining with the College Community to remember the centenary of the Gallipoli landing. This was a moving and respectful service and all students should be pleased with the way in which they connected to the memory of our Diggers. There are photos of this service on the College web site if you haven't seen them yet.

Over the weekend a number of our students attended the annual Katoomba Youth Convention – KYCK. There we joined with 1400 other teenagers to hear from speakers John Dickson and Chris Colgan as they spoke from the Gospel of Luke, showing us how we can trust in God's word as revealed in Jesus. There was great singing with some new songs being added to our chapel play list. Some of our students joined with close to 400 others in making a commitment to follow Jesus.

On Tuesday I attended the funeral of a brother priest, Fr Adrian Horgan, who was the Catholic priest when I was in Oberon. Fr Adrian had an enormous energy and love for Jesus that shone through to everyone he met. Hundreds of people from all walks of life and nationalities gathered for his funeral in St Martha's in Strathfield. It was a joyous celebration of his life.

On Wednesday we woke to the news that the Indonesian Government had proceeded with the execution of eight men, including Andrew Chan and Myuran Sukumaran. Whilst I can't defend their crimes, I was saddened by the waste of life that their executions resulted. By all reports these two men had completely rehabilitated and were making a positive contribution to those around them. I was particularly encouraged by Andrew Chan who had committed his life to Jesus and had been ordained as a pastor, leading others to faith in Christ.

Through each of these events over this week I have been reminded of the truth in Peter's words that it is only through Jesus that we attain our salvation. It is only through our faith in Jesus that we are assured of eternity with God. The sacrifice of the ANZACS was enormous, but even many of them knew that without faith their sacrifice would be futile. There are many inspiring stories of faith among the diggers. The 5500 youth who

gathered at KYCK over three weekends and the 700 plus who committed to Jesus realised the truth in Peter's words and have set about becoming better people through their faith. Fr Adrian was confident in this promise and expressed it to everyone he met, so much so that the grief of his family and friends was enormously softened by their knowledge that they knew he was with his Lord. The example of Andrew Chan and the other who were executed shows their understanding of God's promise. Last night's news reported that they faced the firing squad with dignity, refusing to be blindfolded and singing songs of praise to God that were only silenced by the bullets.

There is no other way that we can be in relationship with God than through faith in Jesus. There is no other way that we can have eternity with God than through faith in Jesus. Of this I am convinced. May we all be of the same mind.

With every blessing,
Rev. Tony Card.

Thought for the week: 'But many of those who heard the word believed; and they numbered about five thousand.' (Acts 4:4, NRSV)



Mother's Day Chapel
 Sunday 10th May 10.30am at the
 ASC Chapel
 Come along and give thanks for Mum
 All are welcome

Soccer Draw for Saturday 2nd May 2015

| Team | Time | vs | Venue |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Under 6 Zebras | 11.30am | Oberon United Black | Oberon |
| Under 6 Lions | 10.30am | Oberon United Gold | Oberon |
| Under 6 Gazelles | 9.30am | Oberon United Purple | Oberon |
| Under 7 Springboks | 10.00am | Pandas | Proctor Park 10 |
| Under 8 Alligators | 9.30am | Oberon United Gold | Oberon |
| Under 9 Meerkats | 9.00am | Macquarie United Straycats | Proctor Park 13 |
| Under 11 Antelopes | 12.00pm | Macquarie United Cheetahs | Proctor Park 14 |
| Under 12 ASC | 9.00am | Bathurst 75 Barnson Bullets | Proctor Park |

Netball

Welcome to netball for 2015. We hope the weather is fantastic for the first games this Saturday May 2.

Draws: Saturday May 2

ASC Leopards 9:55 Court 8 Captain Lauren

ASC Jaguars 11:05 Court 13 Captain Kate

ASC Tiger Cubs 11:05 Court 4 Captain Milla

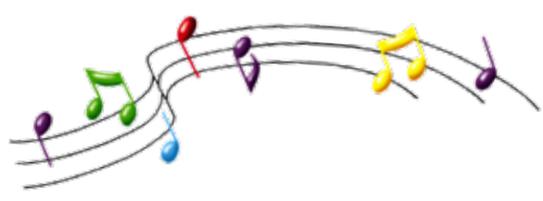
All players need to be at the courts 30 mins prior to the commencement of the game, please.

U10 and U12 teams, please note that rounds 9 & 10 are Saturday and Sunday games (July 25 and 26). Have a great first game, everyone! Good Luck!

Gabrielle Darlington
 Junior School Netball Coordinator



Junior School Jungle Disco



WHEN: FRIDAY 1 MAY

WHERE: DINING ROOM

TIMES: PRE KINDER & INFANTS—5.30PM TO 6.30PM

PRIMARY—6.45PM TO 8.30PM

COST: \$2.00

**PLEASE BRING A PLATE
OF FOOD TO SHARE.**

