We have been going through the Salvation History theme and this week have looked at the words of hope from Isaiah. This weekend we celebrate All Saints’ Day, and the Boarders will go into the Cathedral for the 10am service. The Cathedral Parish has their picnic at McPhillamy Park from 12.30 on the same day. I hear that the Prefects had a great Leadership Camp.

Mock Trial
We won! Last Thursday the team defeated Bede Polding School in a trial that dealt with fare evasion. We not only won the legal argument but the skills section as well. We are now down to the last 4 schools and we face Canberra Girls’ Grammar soon.

Year 7 – 10 Examinations
Yearly examinations commence for Year 10 on Thursday, 6th November and conclude after the School Certificate examinations on Monday and Tuesday, 10th and 11th. Examinations for Year 7 – 9 are scheduled to commence on Tuesday, 11th and conclude on Friday, 14th however there may be a day at the beginning or end where classes will take place. Students must be preparing themselves by now for these important assessments and a timetable will be issued shortly so check them. Year 9 students have been informed that some elective examinations will take place during the Year 10 timetable.

Student Absences
A reminder to parents that we need a note if a student is absent from school. If you know in advance of an activity that will take your son or daughter out of school, a request for leave is required to Mr Miller or myself. This is particularly important for those students receiving Austudy, Living Away from Home Allowance or other forms of assistance. We are required to notify Centerlink if any absences are unexplained or unauthorised. This may affect payments.

Cathedral on Sunday
All Saints’ Day will be celebrated at the Cathedral on Sunday. All students attending (day or boarding) must wear school uniform.

Thought: Forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future. Christian D. Larsen

From the Head of College
Mr Stewart Ross

Dance Academy Open Day
So... you think you can dance? Why not join one of the fantastic classes at Bathurst Academy of Dance in 2009? We offer classes in jazz, tap, ballet, modern, hip hop, contemporary, Irish... and we even cater for boys! Come to our Open Day on Thursday, November 6 between 4pm and 6:30pm at our studios at the Bathurst Baptist Church on Eglinton Road. For more information, please contact Jodie Griffin on 6331 3233.

For Sale

College Calendar
Thursday 30 October
Year 9/10 Soiree 7.30pm

Friday 31 October
Yr 7 & JS 2009 Orientation Day

Saturday 1 November
All Saints’ Day
Watson AHoH Duty

Sunday 2 November
Yr 3/4 to Cathedral
All Saints’ Day Service (Boarders to Cathedral)

Wednesday 5 November
8.15 Staff Chapel

Thursday 6 November
JS Music Night 7.30pm
Transition 2 Day Orientation Day

Yr 10 Exams

Friday 7 November
AICES Golf Championships
Transition 3 & 5 Day Orientation Day

Yr 10 Exams

Saturday 8 November
Watson AHoH Duty

Sunday 9 November
26th Sunday after Pentecost

Monday 10 November
School Certificate Tests English & Science

Tuesday 11 November
Remembrance Day
School Certificate Tests Mathematics & Geography, History, Civics, Citizenship
Yr 7-9 Exams Commence

Wednesday 12 November
School Certificate Tests Computing Online
AICES Waterpolo Trials (Homebush)
Yr 7-9 Exams

Capital Development Meeting
Finance Meeting
8.15 Staff Chapel

Thursday 13 November
Yr 7-9 Exams

Friday 14 November
Yr 7-9 Exams

Saturday 15 November
Marsden AHoH Duty

Sunday 16 November
27th Sunday after Pentecost

Assessment Tasks

Friday 31 October
Yr 10 Drama

Thursday 6 November
Yr 7 Maths

Wednesday 12 November
Yr 11 Maths (HSC)
Yr 11 General Maths (HSC)

Friday 14 November
Yr 11 Extension Maths (HSC)
### Cricket: Saturday, October 26 2008

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### Survey on Teenage Drinking

At the end of last term a number of secondary students participated in a Research Project on behaviours and attitudes relating to teenage drinking. The survey was undertaken by the Centre for Health Initiatives at the University of Wollongong. The University would like to know if there are any final objections from parents of the students who participated before they use the data collected in the survey. If you have any concerns regarding this issue please contact Michele Fulton in the Clinic by Friday, 7th November. If there are any objections the data will not be used.

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**Valedictory Dinner**

**Photo Orders now available in Reception**

- 6x4” $1
- 6x8” $5
- 5x7” $3
- 8x10” $12

Last week for orders - get in quick

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**FOR SALE**

**ADIDAS cricket spikes. Bought new last season.**

Size 10 1/2. $60.00. Contact Jessica Symonds, Year 9 Lyon House.”

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**headspace Youth Mental Health Forum**

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- Share the latest mental health research and evidence available to as many people as possible in the community
- Raise awareness and break down stigma
- Provide the opportunity to gain a better understanding of services available
- Raise issues around mental illness
- Learn about mental illness
- Talk about mental illness
- Create a sense of connectedness with the community
- Help reduce the stigma associated with mental illness

Professor Patrick McGorry will be the guest speaker for the evening. He is a renowned leader in the field of youth mental health and is the Executive Director of ORYGEN Youth Health and ORYGEN Research Centre. We will also have a young person speaking about their experience with a mental illness as well as a parent of a young person who experienced a mental illness. The forum will conclude with a panel discussion.

For further information please contact headspace on 6338 1100.