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Mr Stewart Ross
HEAD OF SENIOR SCHOOL

STEPPING THROUGH THE HSC

On Tuesday, 7th October, Dr Miller held a seminar, in my place, for parents and students titled Stepping Through the HSC. Topics covered included assessment tasks, illness and misadventure procedure, HSC marks and ATARS as well as entry to University. If parents were unable to attend, please contact the Senior School Secretary, Mrs Wade and we will email you a copy of the PowerPoint presentation.

YEAR 10 CAMP

Mr Sinclair has indicated to me that he has received very few Medical forms for the Year 10 Camp. He reminded students on assembly about the need for these to be submitted ASAP. I must reiterate that the camp is a compulsory event and part of our curriculum. Usually a Doctor’s Certificate is the only grounds for exemption. The BOSTES is most adamant that students complete school requirements if they are to obtain a RoSA at the end of the year.

LOOK UP

Mental Health Month is being celebrated in October and this year the Bathurst Mental Health Month Committee, the Bathurst Regional Youth Council, and Headspace Youth Reference Group have a really exciting campaign to deliver in the Bathurst community - Look Up. This year’s Mental Health Month Challenge dares you to Look Up, commit time to being device free and using those tech free moments to indulge in something you never have time for anymore. The challenge is YOUnique, meaning you get to decide how much time you would like to commit being tech free and what you would like to do with that time. You can use Look Up as a personal challenge or invite your family, friends or work colleagues to get involved and Look Up together. The initiative was the brain child of our own Laura Van Uum.

MADELINE SINDERBERRY

Madeline was Runner Up Australian Junior Showjumping Champion in September. Out of 110 horses in the Juniors (12 to 18 yrs) she was 6th in the first speed class, then 1st in the next 2 classes – an AM5 and a Grand Prix. She was one second behind the eventual Australian Champion in the first Speed class and with a new and complicated scoring system, even though she won the next 2 classes, she was 2nd overall. It was a big step in her jumping ‘career’. Madeline was the youngest in the event. She has been invited to apply to represent Australia an International Junior Competition in Chinese Taipei in November.

FAST FACT

When researching you have to judge what resources are useful. There are numerous books, CDs and websites available to you: The secret is to be critical. Do not rely solely on Wikipedia.

Thought:- Let us not say, Every man is the architect of his own fortune; but let us say, Every man is the architect of his own character. George Dana Boardman

Boarding P&F Meeting

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Meeting: 11am
Where: ASC Library
All welcome & morning tea provided

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When: Saturday 18th October
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Children most welcome and bring your own drinks
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Eglinton Road (Locked Bag 9) Bathurst NSW 2795 ABN 43 418 897 717 Telephone +61 2 6331 3911 Facsimile +61 2 6332 2236 Email admin@saints.nsw.edu.au Website www.saints.nsw.edu.au
FROM THE CHAPLAIN
Rev. Tony Card

But you, O Bethlehem of Ephrathah, who are one of the little clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to rule in Israel, whose origin is from of old, from ancient days. (Micah 5:2, NRSV)

Writing some eight centuries before Christ, Micah spoke against false worship and the greed and self-centredness of the leaders of Judah. He was a strong advocate for social justice, demanding a fair go for everyone. Micah’s prophecy regarding where the Messiah would be born is one of his better known and is part of the overall message about the nature of Jesus.

Bethlehem was a small insignificant village. For God to bring the Messiah from such a place sends a message to us. Our importance and significance has little to do with our personal strength or high position in society but with God on our side even the most insignificant place can raise up a mighty leader, and the person who appears weak to society can be one of great strength. Throughout the New Testament the message of strength through weakness and building up through service is clear.

Micah’s prophecies also gives us insight into the origin of Jesus. He comes ‘from ancient days’. He has been here from the beginning. This timelessness of Jesus can be hard for us to comprehend but if we consider closely the characters of those whom God raised up to save his people we can see the spirit of Jesus in them.

The fulfilment of Micah’s prophecy in Luke’s birth narrative of Jesus is a reminder to us that we follow a God who always keeps his promises. We can rely on him and trust him because he has shown himself worthy of our trust.

With every blessing,
Rev. Tony Card

Thought for the week: ‘The hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee tonight’

This Week's Sport Draws
Basketball: Friday, 17 October 2014

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Wool Classing begins at All Saints’

This week saw the commencement of a TAFE accredited Certificate II in Wool Classing at All Saints’.

A dozen agriculture students from Years 9-11 have enrolled and aim to complete the theory and practical sessions by the end of the school term. Lessons are scheduled on Monday afternoons after school.

The focus of this entry level training is shearing shed duties and will give students a nationally recognised qualification. The first session involved differentiating X-Bred from Merino fleeces, skirting fleeces and exposure to the legislation and workplace health and safety in relation to shearing shed duties.

Students will be eligible to move onto the next level certificate in 2015 and strive towards a complete wool classing certificate over the next two years which we also plan to complete at school. Any further students from the College who wish to be join the course or who are interested in enrolling next year are encouraged to make enquiries with the Agriculture Department.
**Year 9 Study Skills**

**When:** Tuesday 21st October 2014  
**Where:** ILC  
**Time:** 6.30 - 7.15pm  
**What:** This session is an extension of the material covered in the introduction to study skills conducted last year. We will be working on making study notes and implementing a study timetable.  
**Bring:** A pen, study notebook and your class exercise book and textbook for one subject.

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**All Saints’ College Bathurst**  
(Incorporating Marsden School)

**140TH Anniversary Ball**  
1874 - 2014

**Saturday, 1st November 2014**  
The Carrington Function Centre & Theatre  
Keppel Street  
Pig Iron Bob playing  
$120 per person  
(Limited seating)

**RSVP:** Friday, 17th October 2014  
See website for booking form  

**Contact:** Mrs Sarah O’Neill  
Independent Learning Centre  
(02) 6332 7331  
s.oneill@saints.nsw.edu.au
Blessing of the Animals
All Saints' College
5pm Sunday 26th October
Everyone is welcome
Bring your animals
BBQ afterwards.
Collection to support the work of the Bathurst RSPCA
Young Diplomats Forum 2014: Register Today!

The Young Diplomats’ Forum 2014 invites students from Years 9-12 to spend a day in November exploring the world of diplomacy and international affairs, alongside like-minded peers from across NSW.

With a theme of **Cloaks and Daggers: Intelligence and Security in the 21st Century**, students will explore:

- *What role do spies and intelligence agencies play in modern global conflicts?*
- *How do we balance respect for civil rights with the need for security at home?*
- *What are some of the big intelligence issues in Australia, such as citizens fighting in Iraq, and how should we respond?*

Your students will investigate these issues and more through a variety of exciting activities, including workshops, engaging speakers, an interactive crisis simulation and much more. No prior experience or knowledge is required!

Registration can be completed by the form on our website.

**Details:**

**When:** Saturday 1 November, 9.30am - 3.30pm

**Where:** St Scholastica’s College, 2-4 Avenue Rd, Glebe NSW 2037

**Cost:** $20 per student.

For more information, click here to visit the website.

For any other enquiries, please see Mrs O’Neill in the ILC or contact Jonty Katz at jonty.katz@unyouth.org.au.

We hope to see you there!

*The UN Youth NSW Team.*
Join WIRES to make a REAL difference in YOUR local environment.

WIRES Central West is holding an introductory Rescue and Immediate Care Course (RICC) on 8-9 November 2014 at All Saints’ College, Bathurst.

The cost is $80 and includes WIRES membership, manual, morning and afternoon tea and a lot of information.

A fundraising sausage sizzle will be held for lunch.

For more information or to register your interest please email: cwwires@hotmail.com

Please note you must be over 18 to join WIRES.
Fundraising Trivia night
Orange Ex-Services Club
24 Oct '14 @ 7pm

$20 per head - includes canapés

Help us to raise money for the ongoing care of our precious and unique wildlife here in the Central West and have fun doing it!

Tickets available from Jane on 0411 186 683 or from Orange Ex-Services Club.

Tables and teams of 10.