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HEAD OF SENIOR SCHOOL
Mr Stewart Ross

EMILY SINDERBERRY
Emily was awarded the RYCOTT (Rotary Youth in Cotton) Industry Cadetship as a result of her participation in the ‘Cotton Camp’ in Narromine a few weeks ago. Emily was chosen from the 15 participants to be awarded $2000 and the opportunity to train with a cotton farmer, a cotton gin, a cotton seed distributor and an agronomist over the next 12 months. She is looking forward to these four weeks of industry training.

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BOARDING P&F Sub-Committee Meeting

PLEASE NOTE TIME CHANGE
When: Saturday, 23rd May 2015
Meeting: 10am
Where: ASC Library
All most welcome & morning tea provided

RUGBY HOME GAME
All Saints’ College is hosting Central Coast Grammar this weekend 16th May.
The BBQ will be in full swing cooking up a storm and the Canteen will be open selling drinks, sweets and a variety of cakes and slices. We would really appreciate lovely donations of cakes, slices, muffins etc to sell on the day.
Also just a gentle reminder, as per the ASC Rugby Season at a Glance, the 1st XV is the rostered Duty Team and support from parents to help with the BBQ and Canteen will be greatly appreciated.
THANK YOU.
Today is Ascension Day when we celebrate the return of Christ to sit at the side of the Father. He has spent 40 days with his disciples following his resurrection, equipping them for their mission to the world. They are now ready to go it alone.

The Festival of the Ascension is one of the earliest Christian festivals and dates back to 68AD, just over 30 years after the resurrection. The early Church recognised the importance of this time when Jesus gave his final commands. Our observance of this day reminds us of what we are to do as followers of Christ.

Jesus’ instructions to us are fairly simple: as his followers we are to proclaim to the world about the good news of Jesus. The word ‘proclaim’ is significant and gives our mission extra importance. The word means to ‘announce officially and publicly’ or to ‘indicate clearly.’ Proclaiming the good news of Christ requires us to do more than just believe and follow. It demands that we announce the good news through our words and through our actions. Our actions should indicate clearly that we not only believe that Jesus has saved us but that we are prepared to live a life of love and caring to the whole creation; humankind, animals, and the environment.

This life of love and caring doesn’t mean that we just accept everyone and everything as they are without encouraging them to believe in and follow Jesus. Jesus loves us just as we are BUT he loves us too much to leave us just as we are. He wants us to change for the better. Just as he wants us to change, so to we should want others to change for better. He makes it clear to us that the one who believes and is baptised will be saved from an eternity of torment, but the one who rejects his message will be condemned.

Jesus doesn’t leave us to our own devices in this. As we can see from the example of his first disciples, when we do as he asks he works with us to deliver his peace.

Ascension Day presents us with a challenge: as Christians we are to come out and proclaim our faith in word and deed and let the whole creation know of the creator’s love.

With every blessing,
Rev. Tony Card.

Thought for the week: ‘And they went out and proclaimed the good news everywhere, while the Lord worked with them and confirmed the message by the signs that accompanied it.’ (Mark 16:20)
On Thursday, 7th May, Wheelchair Sports NSW and Instructor Brett Henman visited All Saints’ College and spent time with the Year 9 PDHPE and Year 10 PASS students. Brent shared his story, explained his accident and injury and how it has changed his life and that of friends and families. Although these are challenging times he explained that with these challenges comes opportunity that he did not previously have.

The students were spoken to about the risks they may take in life and the consequences if there is an accident, whether it be a road accident or any other type of injury. These sessions focused on road safety, the mental health of affected person and families, recovery or non-recovery from injuries and modified sports and activities for disabled sportsmen and women.

The students then participated in a round robin of 6 a-side Wheelchair Basketball. All students enjoyed the games and quickly developed new skills which included how to manoeuvre their wheelchair and play as a team in this particular game.

Students quotes following the sessions included:
- “This experience was a great eye opener to the difficulties and challenges of being in a wheelchair. Although we had a fun time playing basketball, Brett talked to us through the dangers and consequences of one irresponsible action” - Lucy Corbett-Jones Year 9 PDHPE
- “I thought the NSW Wheelchair Sports session was a great opportunity because I was able to experience the consequences of taking risks, and how I should try to think before acting. It was good to see that people with disabilities can still participate in many sports and have fun doing so.” - Rhys Clyne, Year 10 PASS
- “Wheelchair Basketball was an amazing experience that was not only a lot of fun but also a proper experience. Brett was a very motivational speaker with a very moving and inspirational story. He taught us some important life lessons.”
- “I found the session with Brett very informative. His story of being a rock climber who suffered an injury was interesting. How he is still able to do things that he loves now is inspiring. It was interesting to see how people with disabilities have modified sport so they can still play and compete. The wheelchairs were a fun experience, Brett said that “This is the best fun you will have in a wheelchair” as most of the time being in a wheelchair is a challenge.” - Hudson Sim Year 9 PDHPE

For more information go to: http://wsnsw.org.au

Mr Bradley Allen

FROM THE REGISTRAR

Mr Michael Hissey

DUBBO BOARDING SCHOOLS’ EXPO 2015

This weekend will see All Saints’ College represented at the Dubbo Boarding Schools’ Expo for 2015. This event is another very important means for regional families to assess the suitability of schools for their children. The Expo will be held in the Dubbo Regional Convention Centre and will open at 12.30pm on Friday, 15 and run until 3.00pm on Saturday, 16 May. Please encourage regional friends and family who may be investigating schools for their children to pop in and have a chat at the All Saints’ display area.

YEAR 7 2016 INFORMATION EVENING

Looking ahead, Thursday evening 21 May at 7.00pm will see the Year 7 2016 Information Presentation in the Kemmis Building. This brief presentation forms part of the high school entry orientation programme and is designed to assist:

- All currently enrolled All Saints’ Year 6 2015 students and their families
- Families and students who are currently enrolled to attend All Saints’ Year 7 in 2016
- Families interested in finding out more about All Saints’ Year 7 2016

The event will feature a vital presentation on the Stepping into Year 7 programme and a number of fun activities for the students. Please reserve this date.

DUBBO ‘MEET AND GREET’

In the wake of the Dubbo Boarding Expo Dr Miller will host a follow up informal gathering on Tuesday, 26 May at 7.00pm to be held in the Longyard Room of the Cattlemen’s Country Motor Inn, 8 Wyllyandra Street, Dubbo. Please RSVP for this event to Mrs Lisa Ellery lisa.ellery@ saints.nsw.edu.au

FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE FAMILIES OF YEAR 6, 2015

Families of our current All Saints’ Year 6, 2015 students should note that the College will offer guaranteed placement in Year 7, 2016 to every current Year 6 student at the College. Whilst entry to Year 7, 2016 is guaranteed for our Year 6 students, families have received now copies of the new College application for enrolment for completion for Year 7 entry. Please return your completed application to the Year 6 class teacher. (No further documentation is required). Year 6 families should notify this office as soon as possible if their child will not be continuing in 2016 into Year 7. (No enrolment fee is payable for current, continuing students).

ENROLMENTS AND PRE-KINDERGARTEN 2016

Enrolments at the College are steadily increasing, and being placed on a waiting list for entry can be unsettling for families. To avoid disappointment, a reminder to families who are considering enrolment of their children at All Saints’ in the near future to please ensure that an application for enrolment has been submitted to the office of the Registrar. Please encourage any families known to you who are considering enrolling their child in the All Saints’ Pre-Kindergarten classes for 2016 to get in touch. Interviews for the 2, 3 and 5 day groups have now commenced.

Michael Hissey
All Saints’ College P&F invites you to the 2015 Festival of Art

OPENING NIGHT
Friday May 22nd 7pm
- Entry $20 per person
- Official Opening 8pm
- Includes:
  - Music and Hors d’oeuvres
  - 2 x drink vouchers
  - No children

Saturday May 23rd
9am - 4pm
Sunday May 24th
10am - 3pm
Children welcome
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Fabulous snacks and coffee available all weekend
All Saints’ College Bickerdike Centre Eglinton Road Bathurst

Reservations for Cambridge Immerse 2015 close on June 30th 2015

Cambridge Immerse is a two-week residential educational experience that allows participants to gain an unrivalled insight into a chosen discipline, ranging from the arts to the sciences. Subjects offered include Medicine, Law, Economics, History and Engineering and many more. Tutorials and seminars are taught by highly regarded tutors from Oxford and Cambridge University in an optimal learning environment that stimulates academic enquiry; yet the carefully planned schedule ensures that the programme not only meets the academic needs of the participants, but also provides a unique insight into the university city through an abundance of activities.

Students reside in Queen’s College one of central Cambridge’s most beautiful university colleges. Within its historic walls, we pride ourselves on providing unique experiences of leadership and academic excellence through a programme for participants that instills the confidence and passion for learning that are essential to success in higher education.

To find out more & to apply
Enrolment in the program is ongoing, and students aged 15 and above are welcome to apply at www.cambridgeimmerse.com. A PDF version of our prospectus is also available to view at https://www.cambridgeimmerse.com/CambridgeImmerse2015.pdf

If you are interested in reserving your place, please apply online through our website, or alternatively, if you require further information please don’t hesitate to email enquiries@cambridgeimmerse.com.
In support of Darrin and his family. Darrin was a former employee in the All Saints’ College Kitchen.

The Masters Family Fundraiser

Date: Sunday the 24th May 2015
Time: 3pm
Location: Pat’s club
For more information please call Jason Gay on: 0428 628 638

On the 10th of January 2015, young mum Kirsty Masters passed away in her sleep at 37 years of age. Leaving behind her husband Darrin and her 3 kids: Annabelle 12, Frances, 8 and Phillip, 6. Due to unforeseen circumstances the family have been left in dire states. Your donation will help the Masters family until they find their way. All donations will be acknowledged at the Masters family fundraiser. Please help us. Donations can be made directly at the Greater Building Society Bathurst.

Please come along and help us support this family in need

ACTIVITIES ON THE DAY
- AUCTION
- BBQ
- FIRE BREATHING
- RAFFLE
- KARATE DEMONSTRATION
- BOARD BREAKING

- FIRE TRUCK
- FACE PAINTING
- CHOCOLATE WHEEL
- SPRAY ON TATTOOS
- DANCE PERFORMANCE
- COIN TOSS
- LIVE MUSIC
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- Three summers of domestic and international experiences
- Leadership and professional development opportunities
- Extensive community of Robertson Scholars, alumni and staff

Australian selections are organised through UNSW. For more information about the selection process and to access Application Forms, please visit www.scholarships.unsw.edu.au.

Applications close Friday 4th December 2015

Learn more at www.robertsonscholars.org

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- Social workers
- Psychologists
- Nurses
- Marketing professionals
- Finance professionals
- Business Managers
- Lawyers

A person with a disability has the same rights as any person
Caring is a universal human experience; care careers are diverse and rewarding
Discover a career path where you will develop and learn new skills
The opportunity to make a difference
A career where you support someone to achieve their goals
Your positive interactions will break down barriers
A career where you support people to participate in their communities
A career where you’re an ambassador for the rights and dignity of others

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THE HSC AND CAREERS EXPO 2015

Thursday 28 May and Friday 29 May, 9am-3pm
Saturday 30 May and Sunday 31 May, 10am-3pm
Royal Hall of Industries, Moore Park, Sydney

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- subject selection advice for Year 10 students
- The ATAR and UAC application processes
- gap year options
- resume writing and job interview advice

Exhibitors including:
- universities, tertiary institutions and training colleges
- HSC textbook and study guide publishers
- providers of career and employment advice
- providers of gap year and student exchange programs
- apprenticeship and employment organisations

$5.00 admission for students in schools groups attending on Thursday or Friday
General admission $10.00. Family discounts available

Tickets are valid for all 4 days of The Expo and include all seminars

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The University of New England would like to invite all Year 12 students to attend a free HSC Booster event from Monday June 1st to Wednesday June 3rd 2015. During these three days, UNE and specialist lecturers will present various sessions in the Maths and Science disciplines as well as Economics, Business and Legal Studies. These sessions are jam packed with relevant information to assist Year 12 students reach their full potential and in many sessions students are able to undertake practicals that are not possible at school.

The sessions are aligned with the HSC Curriculum and designed to enhance discipline knowledge, as well as inspire the students in their learning areas.

Morning tea, afternoon tea and lunch is provided to students and accompanying teachers. Accommodation, meals and bus subsidies are also provided to those that are travelling over 100 km.

Online registrations will be open on Monday April 20th at: une.edu.au/hscbooster

Contact Details: Sally Strelitz  
sally.strelitz@une.edu.au • 02 6773 1249

The 2015 RACI Titrations Competition  
will be run in conjunction with the UNE HSC Booster event.  
To enter a team of three students please complete the online registration form at: nswtitration.com  
Cost: $13 per person