All Saints’ Festive Wine Offer

All Saints’ College, with the generous support of Elliot Rocke Estate Mudgee, are again able to make a fantastic wine offer to our community just in time to stock your cellars for the Festive Season. These premium Elliot Rocke wines are for sale at a significant discount of 30% to 50% off the recommended retail price. The College will also benefit from your purchase by receiving 15% commission on each sale which will go towards the costs of refurbishing the Health Centre.

Varieties available include Semillon, Semillon Sauvignon Blanc, Sparkling Brut Reserve and Shiraz. Tasting notes are included on the order form and further details can be found on the Elliot Rocke website www.elliotrockeestate.com.au. Wine may be ordered in straight dozens or in a selected mixed dozen.

All orders, with credit card details, must be received at the College Reception by close of business on Monday, 23rd November. Orders can be picked up at the College from Wednesday, 2nd December until Friday, 4th December.

Don’t miss this wonderful opportunity to buy some good wines at great prices and help the College in the process. You won’t do better!

FROM THE CHAPLAIN

Mr David Veness spoke about his second cousin, a former student at All Saints’ College. The new venue, under the trees was a welcome relief. The College has been selected to attend the prestigious Cordon Bleu School this week. Next week Damian Honeyman has been selected to attend the prestigious Cordon Bleu School this week. Next week Damian Honeyman has been selected to attend the prestigious Cordon Bleu School, a scholarship prize that is around $2500. Two master chefs in the making.

THOUGHT: All Nature wears one universal grin. Henry Fielding

Uniform Shop closed Tuesday mornings

The Uniform Shop will be closed on Tuesday mornings until the end of term. Appointments for Uniform fittings can be made via Reception.

Assessment Tasks

Friday 13 November
Yr 10 English Monologues
Yr 11 (HSC) English Advanced Oral Presentation this week
Yr 11 (HSC) English Standard Oral Presentation this week

Monday 16 November
Yr 11 (HSC) Maths 2U & General

Tuesday 17 November
Yr 11 (HSC) Mathematics
Yr 11 (HSC) General Mathematics

Wednesday 18 November
Yr 11 (HSC) Maths Extension 1

Friday 20 November
Yr 9 English Monologues

Wednesday 25 November
Yr 11 (HSC) Music 2
'What's happening to our girls?

Too much, too soon.'

'Why are girls as young as five years old concerned about their looks and addicted to shopping? In a few short years our girls have become vulnerable – not just teen girls, but also young girls and baby girls. They are being forced to grow up quicker than ever before.'

Maggie Hamilton, author, teacher and publisher will be visiting the Central West to share her insights into this modern, 'pop culture' dilemma and what we can do about it.

FROM THE REGISTRAR
Mrs Roslyn Cox

This has been a very busy week for the Registrar’s Office, with Orientation Day for new Kindergarten to Year 10 students last Friday and Orientation Day and Parent Information evening for the new Transition students later this week.

I would like to say a special thank you to the many people around the College who have been so helpful as I try and get to grips with this busy role. There is a great deal to learn and I really do appreciate the support and help which has been so willingly given.

A reminder that ASC has wonderful programs for Vacation and After School Care – which may be of assistance in the lead up to Christmas and during January.

After School Care

After School Care is available for students, from Transition to Year 6, every afternoon during term-time – from 3.15pm to 6.00pm. Children can take part in sporting or play activities, or do homework.

Parents can book this service for a half-hour or for the whole afternoon. Please contact Leonie Keogh in the Junior School Office on 6332 7317 or email: l.keogh@saints.nsw.edu.au.

Vacation Care

Vacation Care is available for all children aged four to 12 years, and the service is available to ASC students as well as children who do not attend our school. Care is available from 8am to 6pm and can be scheduled for the 21st, 22nd and 23rd December – and from the 4th until the 22nd January.

Some terrific activities are planned for the holiday program. For an information pack, please call Belinda Thompson on 6331 3911 or email: b.thompson@saints.nsw.edu.au. Bookings are essential.

REMINDER REGARDING PRIVATE VEHICLE CONVEYANCE (PVC) SUBSIDY

Please ensure that you send all weekend travel dates for this Semester (i.e. Term 3 and 4) to Mrs O’Neill by Monday, 30th November. If no notification of extra travel dates is received by 30th November, only the standard PVC Subsidy of two return trips will be claimed.

Please don’t hesitate to contact Mrs Sarah O’Neill in the Bookshop if you have questions. Phone: 6332 7302; Fax: 6332 2236; Email: s.oneill@saints.nsw.edu.au.
11 November 2009

Changes to Senior School Houses in 2010

Dear Senior School Parents

2010 will see the implementation of a reviewed House system in the Senior School at All Saints’. This is an important letter to explain the changes.

Currently, there are four boarding Houses and four day Houses in the Senior School, in addition to the Year 7 group as a pastoral care unit. In recent years these have been the basis of the organisation of formal pastoral care. There are also three “sporting” Houses (Bean, Barton and Long) used as the basis of sport and cultural Inter-House events.

From 2010 onwards the structure will be simplified. There will be four boarding Houses involving boarders only and three day Houses incorporating all Senior School students (boarders and day students). The reviewed House system in 2010 will utilise the three Houses of Bean, Barton and Long as the basis of the formal pastoral care for students in Years 8 to 12 inclusive during their school day. Year 7 will remain as a separate group for pastoral care purposes, but will still be involved in Bean, Barton and Long at the Inter-House events. In effect, boarders will become like day students in the course of the day at school because they will be fully integrated into the day House.

This new structure will bring together boarders, day students, boys and girls in one house. Membership of Bean, Barton or Long will now mean a lot more to each student than the occasional Inter-House event. It will be their point of connection during the school day.

In 2010 the Head of Barton House will be Mrs Tinker, Head of Long House will be Mr Wainwright and Head of Bean House will be Mr Thornton. Each Head of House will be assisted by a Senior Tutor who holds the position of Head of a Boarding House. Other members of the teaching staff will be involved in each House in a variety of ways to assist in the pastoral care of all students.

At All Saints’ College, the care and support for our students is the collective responsibility of all staff and does not rely solely on a formal pastoral care system. However, this reviewed structure will assist in connecting all students with the College in some new ways, in addition to building on the excellent practices of pastoral care of the past. It will also serve our Senior School students well in assisting them at school to the successes they strive to achieve.

I hope this letter is helpful to you as we look to the future needs of our students and how we might best meet them.

Yours sincerely

[Signature]

Dr Peter D. Miller
Head of College
**All Saints' College Wine Order Form & Tasting Notes**

Elliot Rocke premium wines are available in mixed or straight dozen orders only. Orders to be made through All Saints' College and will be open until November 23, 2009. Orders will then be finalised and submitted to Elliot Rocke Estates. All deliveries will be made to The College for pick up on December 2, 3 and 4 2009.

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<td>This Semillon has a vibrant green straw colour. The nose has lifted citrus aromas of lemon and lime with hints of lemon grass and tropical fruit. The palate is crisp and light, displaying citrus and mineral overtones with a long clean finish. 1-3 years.</td>
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<td><strong>2008 Semillon Sauvignon Blanc</strong></td>
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<td>This Semillon Sauvignon Blanc is straw green in colour, with aromas of citrus and lemongrass, overlaying hints of stone fruit. The palate is lively and clean with lemon, lime, and herb characters. 2-4 years</td>
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<td><strong>Sparkling Brut Reserve</strong></td>
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<td>This stylish Australian Brut Reserve sparkling wine from South Eastern Australia has been carefully blended and matured to produce a supremely refreshing wine with rich fruit and soft, full flavours. Expressive with delightful, rewarding complexity, this sparkling wine is perfect with all kinds of food and ideal for all occasions.</td>
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<td>This Shiraz displays a ruby red colour. The nose has a ripe dark berry finish and a hint of chocolate and vanilla, It is a richly structured Shiraz with great depth of fruit balanced by ripe tannins providing a sweet long finish. 3-7 years.</td>
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Elliot Rocke Estate's highly respected vineyards (established 1858) produce wines widely esteemed for their varietal integrity and complex characteristics.
Peru's diverse landscapes and colourful history are worthy of intimate exploration. This itinerary does just that combining the historical and natural attractions with a trek along the classic Inca Trail and a fascinating and worthwhile community project. The range of highlights begins in Lima where we gain a fascinating insight into Peru’s history with visits to the well adorned museums and galleries. Next, we cruise to the Ballestas Islands (Peru’s Galapagos) taking in the marine mammals and birdlife, then continue to the fascinating Nazca Lines. From Arequipa, the beautiful ‘white city’ where the 16th century Santa Catalina convent is located, our journey continues to the Colca Canyon, the deepest in the world, where significant numbers of butterflies and condor proliferate. The cultural section of our itinerary concludes with a homestay with the Uros Indians on Lake Titicaca, followed by our exploration of Cusco and the Sacred Valley where we are presented with a living day collection of the Inca legacies. It is in the Sacred Valley in a small village called Tastay where we spend 2 days working alongside the locals on a variety of tasks such as assisting in the construction of the small school library, helping out in their community run greenhouses or giving some lessons in the school. This time will be rewarding and fascinating, and maybe even a little hard work!

**Inclusions:**

- All international and domestic flights on LAN Chile in economy class Ex Sydney
- Accommodation in twin-share basis
- Most meals
- Private Vehicle Transport throughout
- All guide fees entrance costs including the Machu Picchu National Park
- All group camping equipment and gear kit
- Pre departure Information Kit including suggested gear lists etc
- Trekking Services: Guides, cooks, drivers and porters
- Professional leader/guide
- Wilderness first aid medical kit

**$5290**

Costs based on a minimum of 18 people in twin share accommodation, includes international flight with Lan Chile airlines, excludes departure taxes.

To register your interest or for a set of detailed trip notes please contact Mr Ross

information night
Wed Nov 18th
6pm

All Saints’ College Bathurst

departure date
27th June to 18th July 2010