CIS SPORT
Mrs Nelson reports how fantastic the 13 students who were represented our school at the CIS Carnival at Homebush last Tuesday. She was so proud of them. Congratulations to Gabby Mitton, Shot Put and Discus, Alex Mitton, Discus and Bill Hurley, Javelin and Discus who are entitled to represent at the All Schools Carnival during the holiday break.

FAST FACT
Research in Finland found that by age 3, children of professional parents are a full year ahead of their poorer peers. By age 10, the gap is 3 years. When asked about the number of children who don’t complete school in her city, a Finnish official replied, “I can tell you their names if you want”. Acknowledgement: How to Close the Achievement Gap by Mona Moursched and Fenton Whelan, Newsweek

Thought: It requires less character to discover the faults of others, than to tolerate them. J. Petit Senn
The next events on the marketing calendar are Young Show (26-28 September) and Information Nights at Oberon (24 October) and in Sydney (30 October). There is still a great deal to do in terms of tours and follow up with parents and families as they make their decisions on schooling for their children in 2011.

Thank you again to the All Saints community - to students, teachers and staff who are unfailingly polite and friendly to the families I am taking about on tours. This is one of the most important ways we can show what All Saints has to offer and I appreciate your support.

We have had terrific feedback on the Kindergarten packs (pencils, rulers and an All Saints pencil case) which we sent out to all our lovely little people who will be continuing on from Transition and coming into Kindergarten next year. Orientation Days and Information Evenings for our younger new starters will take place next term and we are looking forward to those.

Congratulations to the All Saints folks (Rob Watts, Patrick Sinclair, Michele O’Brien and Garry Anderson) and the kind “iPad guinea pig” students who helped out with their presentation on iPads to Year 7 parents last week. It was a useful presentation and was very well received by the many Year 7 mums and dads who attended. Next year will be a very exciting one for our new Year 7s and we are looking forward to other orientation activities next term.

ATTRACTIONS INCLUDE:
- The incredible model trains
- Children’s art exhibition
- Free activities for the children
- BBQ
- Devonshire Tea
- Stalls

Funds raised will go towards the Creative Arts program at O’Connell Public School.

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Sister School Exchange and Assistant Teacher

There exist two opportunities for All Saints’ College students. One is as an exchange student. The other is an opportunity to work as an assistant teacher at our sister school.

Our sister school, Yachiyo Shoin, is situated in Chiba-prefecture which is adjacent to Tokyo. It is also close to the International Airport (30 minutes by car). The school has a history of 33 years. It was rebuilt four years ago and has brand new, modern buildings. There is a Junior High School (our Years 7 to 9) with 732 students and a Senior High School (our Years 10 to 12) with 2021 students. It is a private co-educational school with a considerable reputation in academic and sporting achievement.

The proposed student exchange period is from October 2011 to January 2012 (Term 4, including holidays). Any student from any Year can apply whether they are doing Japanese or not.

The cost is your return airfare and personal insurance. ASC tuition fee will continue to be paid (this covers the cost of the exchange student at ASC). The student will be home-hosted.

The second opportunity (as an assistant teacher) is only available to students who are finishing Year 12 this year. They don’t have to be doing Japanese at Year 12. The term is January 2011 to January 2012. It is an excellent opportunity for those who are thinking of taking a year off before going to University. Interested students should apply as soon as possible.

The cost will be a return airfare and personal insurance. 50,000 yen will be paid to the assistant each month if home-hosted. This is equivalent to about AU$700. On top of this, 30,000 yen ($400) will be paid as a living allowance if living in an apartment or house.

The job will be assisting English teachers and sometimes teaching English conversation classes. At the moment Morgan Barnes and Robert Armitage are there as assistant teachers.

Interested parents and students should email Mrs Reekie (fudeko@ix.net.au) or send a letter via ASC.
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