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as; Responding as Catholic Leaders, Marist Youth Ministry, Contemporary Perspectives on Marist pedagogy related to Learning and Teaching, and Marist Solidarity (its worldwide mission) - led to many deep conversations about our ministry and role as a Marist school. In nearly every area of the Marist mission, we as a College, are part of the leading group of Marist schools or, making great inroads to improve our outcomes in all areas. This great work and its positive outcomes is the result of staff commitment and hard work. As always, there are some areas where we are always challenged. Marist Schools Australia is providing strategic leadership in assisting the College to meet these challenges.

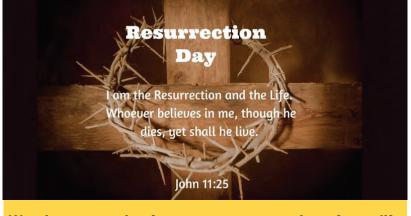
Principal's Report

Dear College Community

As we approach the excitement at the end of Term One it is good to remember that the real excitement in our life is the new life that the resurrection of Jesus brings to us and the endless possibilities we have before us to live out God's plan of kindness and justice for all. How will our new beginning provide us with the enriched life Jesus death and resurrection has provided us with? What will I do as an individual to take this magnificent opportunity I have been provided with to improve the life of those around me and allow myself to reach my full potential.

Good Friday Liturgy will be held with the whole school on Wednesday 28th March in the Bishop Phelan Stadium, celebrated by Dean Peter Bickley. We will take time as a College Community to celebrate the joy of the resurrection of Jesus and our new life.

Recently, I had the privilege of attending the Bi-annual Marist Principal's Conference, held at Marist College Ashgrove, in Brisbane. The conference was attended by most of the 52 Marist charism schools in Australia. Topics as diverse



We give you praise for an even greater sign of new life: the resurrection of your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, that we especially celebrate at the time. The sadness and despair of his death has given way to the bright promise of immortality

We praise you in the Easter Season

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

On Friday 23rd March many of the Year 11 students will attend the Presentation Ball. There has been a lot of dance practice, hard work and excitement surrounding this event and I would like to wish the students who are participating all the best for what will be a very memorable evening for them. I would also like to thank Andrea Simm, Julia Moulton and their team of helpers for their many hours of preparation and support to students leading up to this evening.

We have now completed two of the three Year 9 Camps in Dargo, each of which has been very successful. I know the students attending the final camp will have an enjoyable and rewarding time undertaking numerous activities and challenges. May I take this opportunity to thank all the staff involved for their willingness to return to nature for several nights. Congratulations to Jim Sutton who has overseen the program and ensured all has run smoothly over an extended period of time. Well done to everyone for providing such a rich experience for our Year 9 students.

Learner Advisory meetings for the Year 9 students and parents will take place on Tuesday 27th March in the John 23rd Building. This program has proven to be invaluable in engaging parents in the education process, which in turn has been identified as one of the major contributors to the improvement of student learning and outcomes.

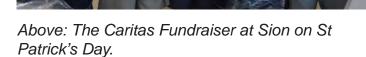
On Sunday 15th April a number of students and staff will be heading to Marist College in Canberra to represent Catholic College Sale at the annual Marist Basketball Carnival. We wish the boys and girls Marist Basketball teams an enjoyable and successful carnival. We wish everyone a safe journey and know that they will represent CCS with pride.

Monday 19th March I will commence long service leave which will lead into attending the 'Sion Schools International Conference' in Paris. Peter Centra will also be representing Catholic College Sale at this conference which is a gathering of all Sion Schools from around the world – approx. 18 Australian schools including Our Lady of Sion Box Hill; Marist- Sion Warragul and Catholic College Sale. Other schools attending are from South America, USA, Canada, England and France. The conference explores how each school is living its Sion Charism and how we can develop new ways to give voice and example to the Sion Charism, in the future.

The end of Term One is at 2.20pm on Thursday 29th March. On behalf of the College I wish everyone a very Holy Easter and a safe, rejuvenating holiday break.

Chris Randell Principal





TERM 3 HOLIDAY VCE PRACTICE EXAMS - SAVE THE DATE -

Practice examinations for Year 12 students and Year 11 students completing a Unit 3/4 sequence will take place during the Term 3 school holidays. These exams provide valuable learning and preparatory experience for students, are taken under examination conditions and give the students valuable practice at exam technique. In addition, these practice exams will enable students to focus on any areas that need improvement for the extremely short amount of time available in Term 4.

We are unable to make these examinations compulsory for students given that they are during school holidays, however they will prove to be a worthwhile experience and students should make every effort to be present and assist the College in its endeavour to provide the best possible preparation prior to the examinations in October/November.

Since the start of the school year, our College community have been focussing on the question of how we can make a difference. I believe our own learning exploration can be a strong starting point. I have been encouraging students in class or outside of class to be empowered to ask questions. This process can clarify thoughts and ideas for the person answering the question and peers around them, driving forward class conversations and deeper understanding.

I would like this process to go one-step further. If students are doing study or homework at night and feel they need further clarification from their teacher, please send an email. This can be a way of sorting out their own ideas around the task that has been requested. Teachers may not necessarily get straight back to students that night but it will allow them to do so as soon as possible and be guided to exactly where clarification needs to be made. All teacher email addresses can be found under the parents and the student's link on SIMON and the PAM.

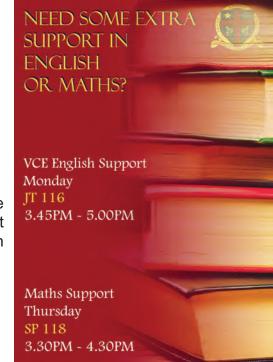
A few reminders of extra support that is available to all students:

- O'Connor Learning Centre is open until 6.00pm Monday Thursday.
- Homework Help is available 3.30pm 4.30pm Monday Thursday.
- VCE English Help 4.00pm 5.00pm Monday.
- VCE Maths Help 3.30pm 4.30pm Thursday.
- VCE Sustained Silent Study 3.45pm 7.00pm Wednesday.

If a student is to reach their full potential, it is necessary to devote study time outside of class time. The VCE guidelines state that student should be doing 3 - 4 hours per weeknight and up to 6 on weekends with an increase as exams approach.

Cindy Foat

Assistant Principal - Learning and Teaching



ELEVATE

An integral part of the SEED program is empowering our community with tools to assist them to flourish in life. Last week the team from Elevate Education, Australia's number 1 study skills provider came to Catholic College Sale to run programs with our teachers, students and parents.

Our annual parent seminar was held on Tuesday March 6 and was attended by around 70 enthusiastic parents eager to help their children succeed at school. James from Elevate discussed many different topics including, study environments, distractions and many strategies of how to reinforce and support the skills covered in the students sessions.

Students from Years 10-12 took part in a study skills session aimed at engaging and encouraging them to diversify their study routines.

Year 10 students took part in the 'Study Sensei' program which looked at why we need to study and effective and non-effective study techniques. Students commented that they now have a better understanding of how to take notes and use trigger words. They were also introduced to the idea that study needs to happen throughout the term and should be started at least 3 weeks prior to exams.

Year 11 students undertook the 'Memory Mnemonics' program which built upon their previous understanding of study skills. They looked in particular at ways of remembering large amounts of connected ideas using a story. They also learnt about ways of minimising distraction and studying in short, but effective bursts of time.

Year 12 students attended the 'Ace your Exams' program which focused on their last year of secondary education. Students commented that the presentations helped them understand the importance of using practice exams and going back to correct their mistakes. They also looked at combating the inevitable stress that comes with the end of year exams.

Quotes from students:

"I rate the program highly because it was an enjoyable experience and was very informative" - Year 10 "Great and different techniques that will help me study easier and better" - Year 11 "Very good: 11/10" - Year 12



'Step Up' Youth Summit

On the 22nd of February at the new Port of Sale Community Hub, the Wellington Shire held its first ever 'Step Up' Youth Summit led by a group of 18 passionate young people from around Wellington that included Lewis Maher, Rose Verey and Alex Nair from CCS. With over 70 young people attending from schools in Yarram, Sale and Maffra, with Amy Mitchell and Tayla Ward from Catholic College also attending the day. Young people discussed several topics on the day which were safety and security in the community, transport, alcohol, awareness of community events, more educational opportunities and acceptance of

diversity. From these topics, the youth came up with several actions that they wanted to put into action to fix the problems they had identified. These were then voted on by everyone at the end of the day. To conclude the day, Victoria's Young achiever for 2017, Laura Pintur spoke about 'What's Normal' which is her organisation that aims to help young people face what the new norms in our modern day society are in regards to pornography, sex, relationships and success and told us about experience being a young person. Overall, the day was a massive success and planning for next years Youth Summit is already starting to take shape.

Alexandra Nair

Welcome to 2018 – a year of growth in the Music Department with many exciting developments on the horizon. The demand for music lessons is continuing to grow which is fantastic news not only for the Music Department but for the College as a whole. Mr Roy Condeza is now working three days a week alongside Mr Cruickshank (Concert Band) and Ms Roffe (Strings). This means that our Rock Band program is fully booked with two Year 7 Rock Bands and two Year 8 Rock Bands, and our Choirs are also expanding.

Eisteddfods

MUSIC

Entries are currently open for the Sale Eisteddfod and later in the year we will suppor the Latrobe Valley (Traralgon) Eisteddfod and Yarram Eisteddfods. See Ms Roffe or your instrumental teacher for details. We will have concerts before the Sale Eisteddfod – see below.

Places available

It is not too late to join in the activities in the Music Department – we have new members joining all through the year! We would particularly like more woodwind players and a cello or two is always welcome. There is also one vacancy at St Pats for acoustic double bass. Pick up an application form from the office and see Ms Roffe, or any of our other music teachers if you would like to start learning an instrument. All you need is enthusiasm and a willingness to practice regularly.



Ensembles

Playing music in an ensemble is an essential part of learning your instrument, and for most students the element that they get the most pleasure from. Joining a suitable ensemble is therefore a compulsory part of the College Instrumental Program. Our ensembles are not limited to those learning an instrument at school, however. If you have an interest in playing in one of our ensembles or singing in one of our choirs just let us know. This applies to parents as well – if you are interested talk to us about how you can get involved.

Calendar Dates

May 9th 5pm: Autumn Concert in the Marcellin Room May 10th 5pm: Autumn concert in the Sion Chapel May 22nd- May 27th: Sale Eisteddfod

I look forward to seeing you at one or more of these events and thank you all for your continued support of Music at Catholic College Sale.

Ann Roffe

Winter Uniform

The Uniform Shop has a good range of secondhand uniforms for Winter, in particular, grey trousers, jumpers and a large range of long sleeved white shirts and sport jackets.

Opening hours are as follows: **Tuesday** 3.30pm – 4.30pm **Thursday** 9.00am – 10.00am

GEOGRAPHY EXCURSION

The Unit 3 Geography class went to Phillip Island in order to investigate the impact of 'land use change' in regards to the habitat of the little penguin colony at Summerlands Beach. We left on the Wednesday at lunchtime and returned the following day.

As group we learnt that that colony is currently thriving due the concerted efforts of the management team in to revegetate and control the feral animal population on the island. The colony was in severe decline and during the 1980's a program of acquisition of all houses on the Summerland Estate (which is penguin breeding habitat) began. It took over a decade and many millions of dollars to buy back all the houses and revegetate the area. Now the penguin colony is expanding and numbers have grown from 800 back in the 1970's to over 32,000 today.

Our guide was Cara, a Ranger with many years' experience and passionate about the Island and its environment. She gave us great insights into the issues surrounding the land use change that has occurred here. She showed us direct evidence as to how habitat restoration can impact on the health of these little creatures and the overall colony.

The night before we had joined 2000 plus tourists to watch the penguin parade. Here the 1207 penguins waddled up the beach to find their burrows. This in itself was quite amazing as visitors are able gain an excellent view of the parents returning to feed their chicks as they peer down from the boardwalk at the burrows.

Geography students are now compiling a Field Trip Report based on the data they gathered. Overall students had a very interesting day and should be able to produce a report that reflects their firsthand knowledge of this site.



YEAR 12 RETREAT















QUEST DAY

On Wednesday the 21st of February, the Year 8 students and the Year 11 RESA class went to the Knob Reserve in Stratford for a great day out. The Quest day was a fun day filled with activities designed to challenge individuals and small and large groups. We had to work with our pastoral groups and complete a range of tasks that required us to use our teamwork, communication and leadership skills.

We had many different activities that challenged us in all sorts of ways, mentally and physically. One of the activities was the Alphabet Aerobics, this activity was challenging but also a very fun way to learn to speak comfortably and is a game of rapping and remembering. Another game is the egg drop, which is a fun game were small groups were only given a certain amount of resources and were required to pack an egg up so when dropped it wouldn't break. One of the hardest activities was the rope game, all the class were blindfolded and they had to take a long rope through the bush by their feet only. There were 6 people that didn't get blindfolded as they were the leaders, they then had to direct the class where to





go and what to do. Another very creative game was the raspberry game, the pastoral classes were all split into 4 groups and all received a pack of raspberry lollies and toothpicks then they had to build a structure that was created earlier. This game was very fun and filled with remembering and the winners got a bag of raspberries to share. There was also a game where everyone was split into groups of three, one person puts on a blindfold, another faces the opposite direction of the person with the blindfold on and tells him what to do and the last person mimes the other person without the blindfold on what to do to complete a challenge. The last game was what we would do if we were the last people on earth, we all had certain jobs and we had to pick three people, of 10 and justify why they should survive over the others.

Rebecca Bourke and Harry Gravener, Year 8





WHERE IS THE LOVE?

As part of our 2018 'Making a difference' theme, students at both campuses took part in the 2018 SEED film clip challenge. This year's song was 'Where is the Love' by the Black Eyed Peas. The aim was to raise awareness of things people can do to make a difference in the lives of others. It was great to see everyone getting involved and it sure was hard narrowing down the footage to a single 4 minute song and even harder for the Arts Cabinet to decide on the awards recipients.

St Patricks campus award recipients in each category were as follows:

- **Best Picture**
- Raphaela
- Best Male Actor
- Josh Manning (Champagnat) - Elise Mijares (Theodore)
- Best Female Actor
- Best Supporting cast - Daly
- Best Costume
- Paulinus Best Cinematography - Allman

Best Staff member Cameo - Niall McPadden (Theodore)

Awards will be announced for Sion shortly. At the Sion Learning Centre displays were set up in the library promoting the 'Where is the Love?' theme. Students and staff are also making friendship bracelets for the East Timor Immersion group to take with them to East Timor later in the year. These are a great connection between Australia and East Timor.

Thanks again to all staff and student who got involved and made 2018 the best year yet!





YEAR 7 CAMP



Last week 150 Year 7 students headed off to Licola for a fun filled 4 days. In pastoral groups we mustered the courage, perseverance and grit to push outside our comfort zones. We walked, swung climbed, danced, paddled, painted, pulled, shot, crawled, hiked, balanced, swam, flew, rode, ran, and sang our way through the week. We made new friends and hang out with some old ones. We laughed with the teachers and learnt lots about each other. The food was great and I don't think we could say we left the dining hall hungry. The weather was great and while the winds tried to blow Sale off the map, we were safe and happy in the valley, with just a little sprinkle of rain and a few small gusts of wind. We were the first CCS group in many years if not ever to see the amazing views from the top of the hill, as we did the 'night hike' at dusk as the sun was setting over the hills only needing our torches once we were back on flat ground heading home. The

fluoro disco and concert were fun, with 7C winning thanks to their juicy wiggle performance.

A big thank you must go out to all the adults that came on camp. Even though they were probably as exhausted as we were they were fun and still managed a smile and a laugh right until the end when we all shuffled off home tired and ready for a very long and restful sleep.











NATIONAL DAY OF ACTION

Dear Parents/Guardians

At our school, Catholic College Sale, we aim to create a safe and supportive school community for everyone.

Friday 16th of March was National Day of Action against Bullying and Violence. Brief assemblies were organised at both Campuses and information on bullying, how to get support and "No Bullying" wristbands were given out to students and staff.

Sometimes, it can be difficult for parents or carers to know what to do when their child talks to them about bullying.

You are an important part of our work to prevent bullying and to respond effectively if it happens. Stopping bullying involves everyone.

If your child talks to you about bullying:

1. Listen calmly and get the full story. Your calm response is important to allow your child to tell you all about the situation. After they've told you their story, ask questions to get more details if you need to: who, what, where, when. Although you may feel some strong emotions about your child's experience, try to keep calm to avoid more distress to your child.

2. Reassure your child they are not to blame. Many children blame themselves and this may make them feel even worse. You

If your child talks to you about bullying:

- 1. Listen calmly and get the full story.
- Reassure your child that they are not to blame.
- Ask your child what they want to do about it and how you can help.
- Visit www.bullyingnoway.gov.au to find some strategies.
- 5. Contact the school.
- 6. Check in regularly with your child.



could say things like, 'That sounds really hard to deal with. No one should have to put up with that.' or 'I'm so glad you told me. You should be able to feel safe at school; that's not fair at all'.

3. Ask your child what they want to do and what they want you to do. A critical part of your response is to avoid jumping in to solve the problem. While it is natural to want to protect your child, helping them to find their own solution is a better option. It helps them feel they have some power in the situation.

4. Visit www.bullyingnoway.gov.au to find some strategies. The website has tips and ideas for different bullying situations. One idea is to practise strategies at home to help your child feel more confident.

5. Contact the school. Your child may be reluctant for you to do this, so discuss the idea and reassure them that the school would want to know and is able to help. Make a phone call or an appointment to meet with your child's Pastoral Teacher /Learning Advisor or the Student Counsellor if necessary. Contact the school immediately if you have a concern about your child's safety.

6. Check in regularly with your child. Keep the conversation going. It can take time to resolve issues, so check in regularly with your child about their experiences and their feelings. Your ongoing support is important.

All students at CCS have a diary, which outlines our Policy on Bullying/Harassment and how to get support. There are two email addresses where students can report bullying bully.sion@ccsale.catholic.edu.au or bully.stpats@ccsale.catholic.edu.au. There are also Student counsellors at both campuses and students can book online under Student Links on SIMON or they can book at appointment at the Student Office at St Pats or the front Office at Sion

If you are looking for support for yourself to deal with a bullying situation, you will find ideas on the Bullying. No Way! website for parents. As well, please contact the school if you would like to discuss any aspect of our approach to preventing bullying.

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Thanks for your support to make our school a great school for everyone.

GIPPSLAND SWIMMING

We had some outstanding results at the SSV Gippsland Swimming Finals at Sale on Thursday 15th March.

Benjamin Hall (12-13 Years Boys) --- FIRST in the 50m Breaststroke, 50m Butterfly, 50m Backstroke & 50m Freestyle

Payge Van Ekeren (14 Years Girls) --- 50m Breastroke (3rd)

Kiana Wedlock (14 Years Girls) --- 50m Freestyle (1st) and 50m Butterfly (2nd)

12-13 Years Boys 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay --- FIRST (Ben Hall, Ryan Feltis, Brodie Tohara and Isaac Wheeler)

12-13 Years Girls 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay --- THIRD (Jessie Slattery, Lucy Jones, Grace Hobbs and Mia Whitford)

Tamiecka Ross (15 Years Girls) --- 50m Butterfly (1st), 50m Freestyle (2nd) and 100m Open Age Backstroke (2nd)

Jake Hutchins (16 Years Boys) --- 50m Butterfly (1st) 50m Freestyle (1st) and 50m Backstroke (2nd) **15 Years Girls 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay** --- SECOND (Tamiecka Ross, Poppy Wheeler, Mimi Noble and Alana Jeffries)

16 Years Boys 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay --- FIRST (Jake Hutchins, James Robbins, Ethan Albrecht and Xavier Moore)

All first place winners have now qualified for SSV State Swimming Finals at MSAC - first week back of Term 2.

As a College, CCS placed 6th overall out of 25 schools.





12 - 13 Years Boys 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay team - L to R: Ryan Feltis, Isaac Wheeler, Brodie Tohara and Ben Hall.

12 - 13 Years Girls 4 x 50m Freestyle Relay team - L to R: Grace Hobbs, Jessie Slattery, Lucy Jones, Mia Whitford.





SSV CRICKET

Our Year 7 & 8 Boys had a comfortable victories over Sale College in Rd 1 of SSV Cricket on Thursday 8th March at the College Ovals.

Year 8

After winning the toss and electing to bat, Lachie Allman was a standout with 57, ably supported by Lakshay Panwar 42no, Ethan Aurisch 41 and opening partner Jake Pendrick 16. The total of 3-173 was imposing, but credit to the Sale College boys for mounting a spirited chase with Mason Annear, Bailey Carubia, Ethan Aurisch, Jake Pendrick and Nathan Nikolajew bowling well and restricting the opposition's score. The boys should look forward to the next round with confidence in the depth of talent available.



Year 7

Batting first, Jos DiMarco and Waltley Sutton set the tone for our innings, with a 55-run opening stand. Jos would end up on 70* retired off 53 balls, while some smart late-innings runs from Angus Heywood (29) and Jack Kelly (19), pushed our total to 181. Our response with the ball was tight and confident from the get-go, as we conceded a mere 22 runs from our first 10 bowling overs. Wickets were spread between Oakley Pearson, Ryan Phelan, Cooper Lett, Jack Kelly, Tyson Dobson and Harry Stables, as we secured victory by 136 runs. We will join the Year 8s to compete at the Division final, later this term.



Year 7 Team

Angus Heywood	Tyson Dobson
Jos DiMarco	Waltley Sutton
Jay Diamond	Cooper Lett
Oakley Pearson	Ryan Phelan
Jack Kelly	Coby Bronts
Charlie Fry	-
12th Man: Harry Stables	



Year 8 Team

Lakshay Panwar James Ethan Aurisch Jake F Seb Pendergast Masor Lachie Allman Tyson Bailey Carubia Charlie Nathan Nikolajew 12th Man: Harry Gravener

James Moutlon Jake Pendrick Mason Annear Tyson Birss Charlie Anderson

EQUESTRIAN

Congratulations to the Catholic College Sale riders – Cohen Wade (Year 9), Riley Cottrell (Year 9), Hanna Lamb (Year 11) and Jack Kelly (Year 7) who won the Interschool Equestrian Challenge on the 21st of February at the Sale Showgrounds.

Individual Year Level Champions and Reserves from CCS were as follows:

Year 7

Champion – Jack Kelly, Catholic College Sale

Year 9

Champion – Cohen Wade, Catholic College Sale Reserve – Riley Cottrell, Catholic College Sale

Year 11

Champion – Hanna Lamb, Catholic College Sale

Team Results are as follows:

Champion – Catholic College Sale (98 pts)

Reserve- Gippsland Grammar 2 (72.5pts) 3rd – St Michael's PS Heyfield (71 pts) 4th – Gippsland Grammar 1 (69pts) 5th – St Paul's Anglican Grammar (63pts) 6th – Sale College/St Gabriel's PS (61pts)

Congratulations to all schools and riders!



SPORT

SSV 9/10 Boys Cricket

Our Intermediate Boys have fallen just short of progression in the School Sport Victoria Cricket competition. Despite a first up win against Maffra Secondary College in the shorted 10-over innings, we were defeated in our 2nd round robin clash at the hands of Sale College by 16 runs.

Game 1 vs Maffra: CCS 3/106 (Z.Russell 38* off 18) defeated MSC 6/72 (Hurley 2/7)

Game 2 vs Sale: Sale 3/101 (Wynd 74 off 40) defeated CCS 4/85 (Morrison 46 off 22)

We encourage the boys to try-out for our 2018 Marist Cricket side, later this year.



SSV Wellington Tennis

Our College Tennis teams have had mixed success at the first round of the School Sport Victoria Tennis competition. Our team saw 20 students from Years 7-10 compete at the Morwell Tennis Club for a spot in the Gippsland Finals.

7 Boys – James Edney, Jonathan Boyd, Hamish Pfeil & Ethan Shipp

8 Girls - Eve Morcom, Abbi Boulter, Ruby Dillon and Ellie Roache

8 Boys - Sirawit Wongsawat, Ryan Heskey, Seb Pendergast and Caleb Barnett

9/10 Girls - Holly Hansford, Lily McCaughey, Isabelle Morcom and Jazmyn Websdale

9/10 Boys - Pawadon Wongsawat, Murray McLaren, Jack Burton and Bradley Burton

While our Year 8 and 9/10 Boys teams fell just short of winning through to the next round, both our Girls teams and Year 7 Boys team won their round robin matches against Sale College and Lavalla and will progress to the Gippsland Finals at Traralgon on April 27th in Term 2. We wish them the best of luck.

Sale-Maffra Cricket Presentation Night

Some of our students have been recognised for their tremendous and consistent efforts at the recent Sale Maffra Junior Presentation evening:

Mason Annear (Year 8) – Won the Under 14 Bowling award for his 14 wickets at an average of 4.86 and strike rate of 16.29.

Seb Pendergast (Year 8) – Won the Under 14 Batting Average (65.33 from 12 innings) and the U14 JCW Bowling award.



Tom Morrison (Year 9) – Won the Under 16 Batting award for his 252 runs at an average of 42. **Archer McGuiness** (Year 10) – Won both the Under 15 JCW Batting and Bowling Awards. **Noah Hurley** (Year 9) - Gippsland Cricketer of the Year U16's.

The College congratulates these students on their success and any students involved with the recent SMCA Cricket Grand Finals.

Left: Intermediate Boys Cricket Team

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Camps Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF)

The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund (CSEF) provides payments for eligible students to attend activities like:

- school camps or trips
- swimming and school-organised sport programs
- outdoor education programs
- · excursions and incursions

Applications for 2018 are now open, through until the end of Term 2, 2018.

For further information about the fund or an application form please visit the following link.

http://www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

Every Victorian child should have access to the world of learning opportunities that exist beyond the classroom. The Camps, Sports and Excursions Fund helps ensure that no student will miss out on the opportunity to join their classmates for important, educational and fun activities. It is part of making Victoria the Education State and the Government's commitment to breaking the link between a student's background and their outcomes.

CAMPS, SPORTS & EXCURSIONS FUND (CSEF)

EDUCATION STATE

Corr School camps provide children with inspiring experiences in the great outdoors, excursions work encourage a deper understanding of how the world works and sports teach teamwork, discipline and leadership. All are part of a healthy curriculum. CSEF will be provided by the Victorian Government to sasist eligible families to cover the costs of anshool trips, comps and sporting activities. www

If you hold a valid means-tested concession card or are a temporary foster parent, you may be eligible for CSEF. A special consideration category also exists for asylum seeker and refugee families. The allowance is paid to the school to use towards expenses refairing to comps, excursions or sporting activities for the benefit of your child.

The annual CSEF amount per student is: • \$125 for primary school students

• \$225 for secondary school students

HOW TO APPLY

Contact the school office to obtain a CSEF application form or download from www.education.vic.gov.au/csef

MORE INFORMATION For the CSEF application closing dates and more information about the fund visit www.education.vic.gov.au/csef



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OPENING THE DOORS FOUNDATION

Opening the Doors Foundation

The Opening the Doors Foundation provides financial assistance to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander families, so that they are able to choose and successfully maintain a positive education environment for their children.

The Foundation covers the extra costs associated with schooling (where this is in a non-government school environment), costs not otherwise funded from government or other educational funding sources, such as school uniforms, books, school camps and other school associated costs.

Applications close on Friday 30th March 2018. Please go the link as listed to obtain an application form.

The form must be completed in full and submitted directly to Opening The Doors Foundation. Should you require a proof of the 2018 Tuition Fees please contact the College 03 5143 9700.

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http://www.openingthedoors.org.au/

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Term Dates

TERM ONE Wednesday 31st January - Thursday 29th March

TERM TWO Monday 16th April - Friday 29th June

TERM THREE Tuesday 17th July - Friday 21st September

TERM FOUR Monday 8th October - Friday 7th December

Events Calendar

Tuesday 20th - Friday 23rd March Year 9 Camp Three

Friday 23rd March Presentation Ball

Thursday 29th March Last Day Term 1

Sunday 15th April - 20th April Marist Basketball Canberra

Monday 16th April First Day Term 2

Friday 20th April Student Free Day **Tuesday 1st May** College Athletics Carnival

Wednesday 2nd May College Photos - St. Pat's campus

Thursday 3rd May College Photos - Sion campus

Friday 4th May Open Day

Uniform Shop

The Uniform Shop is located at **46 Cunningham Street, Sale**. The contact number is 5144 6514.

The Uniform Shop operating hours:

Tuesday 3.30pm – 4.30pm **Thursday** 9.00am – 10.00am

Blazers and hats are purchased directly through the College.

Items must be paid for at the time of purchase and cannot be charged to school accounts.

Clothing is not sold on consignment but purchased by the College Uniform Shop, however, only items in good order will be accepted for sale.

Blazers and winter skirts left for sale must be drycleaned.

Please note we have some second-hand uniforms in stock. However, if you have any excess supply please consider bringing them in for sale.

If you require assistance with the Uniform Shop outside of the regular hours please contact the St. Patrick's office on 5143 9700.

Canteens

Please find linked below the 2018 price list.

Canteen Price List 2018