

NEWSLETTER 5/4
Friday November 7, 2008

FROM THE HEADMASTER
Dr Peter Casey

Dear Friends

Cup Week has come and gone with the experts confounded and local talent winning against the odds. As ever there is a St Patrick's link to the Cup success with winning jockey Blake Shinn being the brother of old boy Ryan Shinn, a boarder at SPC from 2002 to 2003. Maybe there is something to be said for keeping faith with our commitments!

This has been a relatively short week but one still fraught with great outcomes for us all across the three schools. The senior boys seem to have been well satisfied with the start to the VCE exams so that has set them in a good frame of mind for the other exams that follow. Thanks for all the good work that continues across all levels!

On Friday, we welcome Mr Paul Herrick, the new Edmund Rice Education Australia (EREA) Regional Representative who will visit us. Paul is a former Principal of Marcellin College, Bulleen, Newman College, Perth and founding Principal of Marymede College at Morang South. Paul will be our first port of call for all matters relating to EREA. I thank the staff and students for their welcome of Paul who is a long-time friend and colleague. We wish him well in the position.

Regards

PeterC

FROM THE DEPUTY HEADMASTER
Mr Steven O'Connor

Exams

The VCE exams commenced well last week and the boys involved have been preparing well. I trust that the boys will receive the results they deserve, results that will reflect the level of work and effort they have put into each of their subjects over the last couple of years.

End of semester exams are approaching for all other year levels and I spoke recently to the boys at a College assembly about the importance of commencing their revision and study well in advance of these exams. To start, I would encourage all boys to communicate with their subject teachers about the format and nature of the exam – for example; what areas will be covered, what are the types of responses required and what is the length of the exam? All of these questions are important and avoid disasters where boys were not aware of important aspects relating to the exam. A regular revision programme should be in place by now for each boy and again, I would encourage all boys to develop these with the assistance of their teachers and Pastoral Care Tutors.

Speech Night Prize Winners

I am pleased to be able to publish the list of boys who will be presented with awards and prizes at this year's Speech Night. I congratulate all boys who have been nominated and accepted as recipients of these prizes. *Please note that at the end of year Assemblies for the Junior, Middle and Senior Schools a number of other important awards will be presented to boys in those Schools.*

Please find the list of Speech Night prize winners for 2008 below:

1.	Thomas Kavanagh	Headmaster's Award for Leadership
2.	Seamus Herrick	Howard Award for Excellence
		First presented in 1955, this award is the gift of the Howard Family in gratitude for all St Patrick's did for the four sons who attended SPC from 1923 through to 1937. It is given for All Round Excellence, Character, Leadership, Participation, Academic Pursuits and Culture or Sports.
3.	Kieran McDowell	Little Family Award for School Spirit
		This award is presented in honour of the Little Family whose five sons attended SPC between 1904 and 1924. It is presented to a senior student who has displayed and developed school spirit among the students through his dedication and general service to the College.
4.	Jack Ferguson	Edmund Rice Award for Ministry
		This award recognises a student who has embodied the spirit of Edmund Rice through his involvement in justice, action and reflective practice within the College, the community and the Edmund Rice Network.
5.	Michael Keem	Dorothy Irene Ellis-Thomas Scholarship
		This scholarship is awarded each year to a hardworking conscientious and worthy student who has shown an overall endeavour to pursue excellence in all areas of their school life and who wishes to continue to do the same in the future.
6.	Damien Farrell	De Coubertin Award for Sportsmanship
		The Award recognises students who demonstrate consistent participation and commendable sporting behaviour in line with the Olympic ideals of participation.
7.	Matthew Norman	Middle School Award for all-round excellence
8.	Alexander Eva	Junior School Award for all-round excellence
9.	Benjamin McOwan	Year 11 Dux
10.	Daniel Sharp	Year 11 Approximate Accessit

11.	Daniel Sharp	Year 11 Religious Education Prize
12.	Lachlan McLean	Year 10 Dux – University of Ballarat Prize
13.	Ben O’Shea	Year 10 Approxime Accessit
14.	Lachlan McLean	Year 10 Religious Education Prize
15.	Ben O’Shea	Dr Frank McArdle Prize Year 10 Science
16.	Matthew Norman	Year 9 Dux
17.	Daniel Baxter	Year 9 Approxime Accessit
18.	Anthony Zreikat	Year 9 Religious Education Prize
19.	Zachary Weightman	Year 8 Dux
20.	Alexander Eva	Year 8 Approxime Accessit
21.	Austin Miller	Year 8 Religious Education Prize
22.	Andrew Groch	Year 7 Dux
23.	Tim Crowe	Year 7 Approxime Accessit
24.	Mark McOwan	Year 7 Religious Education Prize

MUSIC		
25.	Nathan Antony	Performer of the Year
26.	Mark Torpy	Band Executive Award for Dedication and Commitment
27.	Jacob Bowker	Sir Bernard Heinz Award for Overall Outstanding Musical Achievement
28.	Joseph Zreikat	Junior Music Award
29.	Finlay Gustus	Bandsman of the Year

PUBLIC SPEAKING		
30.	Michael Keem	Purton Oratory
31.	Stephen Kirby	Sir Hugh Devine Impromptu Speech
32.	Stephen Kirby	W.T. Doyle Debating
33.	Thomas McKinnon	W.T. Doyle Debating
34.	Liam O’Riley	W.T. Doyle Debating
35.	Kieren O’Riley	Breach Oratory
36.	Riley Grenfell	Mary Purcell Debating
37.	Peter Oakley	Mary Purcell Debating
38.	Charles Robinson	Mary Purcell Debating

SPORT		
39.	Tom Vadala	Stephen Moneghetti Award for outstanding athlete at the BAS carnival
40.	Mark Torpy	Award for A Grade Badminton
41.	Matthew Van Der Ploeg	Peter Farley Award for 1 st V Basketball
42.	Mathew Begbie	Leo O’Brien Award for 1 st XI Cricket
43.	Christopher Munn	Award for Senior Cross Country
44.	Rex Hickman & Ben Hayes	Br W.T. O’Malley Award for 1 st XVIII Football
45.	Shaun Lyle	John James Medal for Best on Ground BAS Grand Final
46.	Benjamin McOwan	Br H.T. Breach Award for 1 st XI Hockey
47.	Andrew McNiece	Brian Vear Award for Senior Rowing
48.	Daniel Considine & Damien Farrell	Award for 1 st XV Rugby
49.	Kyran Taylor	Award for 1 st XI Soccer
50.	Christopher Thornton	Award for Senior Squash
51.	James Edmonds	Award for Senior Racquetball
52.	Dylan Rodger	Br B.J. Davis Award for Commitment to SPC Swimming
53.	Julian Atwood	Award for Senior Gymnastics
54.	David Blomeley	Award for A Grade Table Tennis
55.	Shaun Lyle	Award for 1 st IV Tennis
56.	Matthew O’Sullivan	Award for 1 st VI Volleyball

HOUSE AWARDS – an Award for a senior boy who has displayed an outstanding attitude towards and made a significant contribution to academic, cultural, sporting, and social justice activities.		
57.	Kieran McDowell	<i>The Br J.B. Galvin Award</i>
58.	Jack Ferguson	<i>The Br E.F. Keniry Award</i>
59.	Edward Long	<i>The Br M.P. Nunan Award</i>
60.	Damien Farrell	<i>The Br J.L. Ryan Award</i>

Photos for all prize winners will be taken at 2:00pm on Thursday, November 20 at the front of the College. All Speech Night prize winners are asked to attend in College uniform for these important photos at this time.

These boys must be in attendance at Speech Night and will not be required to purchase an entry ticket. Again, congratulations to all on their achievements in these important areas of College life.

Arrangements for Speech Night

Speech Night will be held at Her Majesty's Theatre on Friday, November 21 commencing at 7.30pm. Tickets will be available for Year 12 parents from October 27 - 31 through the Majestic Box Office. Year 12 students will need to purchase a ticket for the event.

Majestic Operating Hours are: Mon - Fri: 9.15am–5.00pm

In preparation for Speech Night, we would like all Year Twelve students to attend two rehearsals. The first rehearsal will be at 2:00pm on Thursday, November 20 at the College. The second will be held on Friday, November 21 at 11:00am at Her Majesty's Theatre. On the night we would ask students to arrive at the Her Majesty's Theatre by 7.15pm and register their attendance with their Head of House, before taking their seat. It is the College's expectation that all Year 12 students attend Speech Night. If there are difficulties with attending the rehearsals, a phone call to the College would be appreciated.

Speech Night: Friday, November 21 2008

Ticket Prices

The price of Speech Night tickets are as follows:

Adult	\$15.00
Concession	\$8.00
Children under 15	\$8.00
SPC students with parents	\$5.00

Speech Night Ticketing Arrangements

Unfortunately due to the limited number of seats that are available at Her Majesty's Theatre and based upon previous years demand for Speech Night tickets, (and to ensure that family members of Year 12 students and academic and sporting prizes winners are able to attend Speech Night), the following arrangements for the sale of Speech Night tickets have been put in place:

- All Speech Night tickets are to be purchased through Majestic (Her Majesty's Theatre Box Office).
- Year 12 ticket sales to occur from October 27 – 31. A limit of four (4) tickets per family will apply. The three tickets include a ticket for Year 12 students: i.e. one ticket for each parent, student and one other.
- Ticket sales for parents of Prize Winner's will occur from November 3 – 7. A limit of three (3) tickets per family will apply. Seating will be provided for Prize Winners – ie no ticket is required for the boy receiving a prize at Speech Night.
- Open ticket sales for all members of the College to occur from November 10 – 20.
- Students who are receiving awards or who are performing in programmed acts are not required to purchase tickets. All other students must purchase tickets.

DIRECTOR OF MISSION

Mr Joe Doolan

The Other Africa- 'It Pays to Advertise'

Recently, several St Patrick's students and teachers attended the launch of a documentary exploring the Christian Brothers efforts in Africa. Entitled *The Other Africa*, the film traced the development of several missions in that vast continent and noted progress made in various locations.

This Albert Street Productions film brilliantly captures the achievement of the Christian message in an ancient land. The opening scenes skim across the continent, displaying the beauty of the place reminiscent of a 'Get-away' programme but the title alludes to the problem: panoramic vistas give way to the squalor of life on the margins of the metropolis; here we

find the Christian brothers and their volunteers. The dignity of the people in their cramped conditions and their appreciation for the work of Australian doctors and teachers underscored the heroic component of the work.

During the launch I was reminded of the words of Brother A. A. Loftus at the 1968 dinner celebrating the centenary of the congregation in Australia. The venue was the Royal Ballroom in Carlton and this World Leader of the Order urged the Brothers to be more vocal about their good works. He stated that as an American he knows "it pays to advertise" and his mild chide was that they were too humble. This stunning new documentary presents the outstanding work of the Order in Africa but once again the tone is reserved, self-effacing and Ricean.

The film surprised me. Rather than concentrating upon misery of the multitudes, and the biblical proportions of their sufferings, the text modestly narrated the sizeable inroads achieved, covered the impressive successes and envisaged future endeavours. The innovative techniques and world's-best agricultural systems, combined with the transparency of the needs, were heartening to note. The facilities in some places rivalled our own, an astounding testimony to the vision, energy and commitment offered.

The interviews included in the documentary poignantly outlined the vital role that Australian benefactors have played in the projects. The film will find wide circulation amidst the philanthropic old collegians of Christian Brothers Colleges here and abroad but the sell is soft, the commitment to Christ suffering in these people is inferred.

The narrative offers an insight into the forbearance of Edmund Rice Education Australia here and in Africa. The cooperation of young people in the vision seemed benign enough until the narrative turned to the tragic death of one of the key volunteers. This account offered a chilling reminder at the conclusion of the film of the precarious nature of the work. The task involves self-sacrifice and, for some, the cross.

The Other Africa must be compulsory viewing for all students of Christian Brothers Colleges throughout Australia. Religious Education faculties should create modules of work to accompany the text. Parent groups need to be invited to a screening, preferably on a large screen. Despite the current cash-strapped economy in which we struggle in the western world, the documentary is a reminder that the homeless, the poor and the dying are Christ for us. The Christian Brothers, in typically humble mode, are responding to God's call to discipleship. It pays to advertise their great work.

DIRECTOR OF PASTORAL CARE

Mr Kelvin Porter

'Fit 2 Drive' Workshop

By Austin Murphy and Liam Young

On Friday October 25, the Year 11 students were treated to a presentation entitled Fit 2 Drive, regarding safety whilst driving and the dangers involved with driving. The programme was specifically aimed at ensuring that the boys are aware of the regulations and risks involved with getting behind the wheel of a car.

Firstly, the students were introduced into the programme and given a small presentation regarding a young girl who fell victim to the peer pressure that can be associated with drink driving. She reluctantly drove a car that was over loaded and paid the ultimate price. The boys were able to relate to the story, being the same age as the people affected. After that heartfelt story, the boys then broken into groups of for group based activities.

This was a good opportunity for individuals in the group to give their opinion on a variety of different issues regarding safe and unsafe driving circumstances. Each group was given a leader, each of whom conducted several activities, allowing the boys to be placed into various situations and seeing how we would react to the different circumstances. Each group established their own rules and they were abided to well, ensuring each student had the maximum enjoyment out of the day.

The students gathered back in the Pavilion for another presentation, this time by Police Officer Grant Caudry. He enlightened students with some of the facts associated with drinking and road accidents. Some of the facts were very interesting; an example of this was in regards to the time it takes to lower your Blood Alcohol level to .00. It takes 16 hours for a reading to return to .00 from a peak level of .16. This was a fact many students found surprising, and was probably the major talking point amongst students at the completion of the workshop.

The boys then regrouped and were given more situations in which to make decisions thus concluding the workshop. Overall, the programme was a valuable experience for the Year 11 boys who gained an increased knowledge of safe driving through an interesting and educating day.

COLLEGE DEAN
Mr Stephen Hill

SPAM - St Patrick's Awards for Media

To celebrate the films made by the Year 12 Media students, there will be a dinner and presentation evening held to acknowledge student work.

When: Thursday, November 20 2008

Where: OCA Pavilion

Time: 6:30 pm for 7pm

Dress: Formal

Cost: \$20 per head

Please register your interest and purchase tickets from the College Front Reception.

DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION
Ms Elizabeth Till

Welcome back to all following the mid-term break.

End of Year Exams

The start of November brings the last of the Senior School classes. Year 11 Examinations commence next Thursday, November 13 and Year 10 on Monday November 24. At the conclusion of this Crest is the Exam Timetables for Year 10 and 11.

Year 7 to 9 exams will not commence until the start of December and a copy of the examination timetable will be attached to future editions of The Crest.

Good luck to all the boys as they start their exam revision programme.

SENIOR SCHOOL
Head of Senior School
Mr Hamish McCrum

Year 12 Jumper and Tie 2009

College Jumpers and Ties for all current Year 11 boys for Year 12 2009 will be charged to the family account. The cost of the jumpers will be approximately \$80.00 and the Tie \$30.00. Final costings for these items is still to be confirmed.

Please contact the College if your son does not wish to purchase a Year 12 2009 Jumper or Tie as soon as possible.

MIDDLE SCHOOL
Head of Middle School
Mr Terry Blizzard

Term Four Outdoor Education Experience

The Year 9 boys will attend the Term Four Outdoor Education Experience, which is a further part of the experiential learning inherent within Middle School. The dates are listed below. You may note a change with the dates from those listed on the College calendar. This is to do with staffing and hopefully will not inconvenience parents.

The camps will be held over three days and two nights. During the camp the boys will participate in two overnight camps, rock-climbing, abseiling, mountain bike riding and a significant bush hike.

Dates

PEL000 & 003 – Monday November 10, Tuesday November 11 & Wednesday November 12.

PEL009 & 010 - Wednesday November 12, Thursday November 13 & Friday November 14.

PEL006 & 008 - Monday November 17, Tuesday November 18 & Wednesday November 19

The students will be camping in small dome tents at various locations. Each student will be required to provide his own food and will have had lessons on camp nutrition, menu planning and cooking on a Trangia prior to the experience. Menus should be checked by parents and teachers prior to camp.

I am sure this will be an enjoyable experience for all involved.

JUNIOR SCHOOL
Head of Junior School
Mr John Richards

Edmund Rice Awards are presented to students displaying positive behaviours in line with the charisma of Blessed Edmund Rice.



YEAR 8: KIERAN MISSEN

For his very positive attitude towards his studies and for always displaying a pleasant manner.



YEAR 7: MITCHELL RYAN
 For being a Goal Umpire for the
 1st XVIII.

SPORT
Director of Sport
Mr Chris Gleeson

Director of Cricket
Mr Damian McKee
First XI

Practice Match

St Patrick's 7/192 defeated Geelong College 10/160

The first match for the season was a 'friendly' against The Geelong College. Captain, Brad Whittaker won the toss and batted. Two forty plus partnerships were shared between Brad Crouch and Peter Colbourne and Mathew Begbie and Brad Whittaker. The top score for the innings was Brad Whittaker with a fine 62. Peter Colbourne 37 retired, Brad Crouch 16 ret. and Mathew Begbie 23 were also contributors to the score of 7/192 in the allotted 55 overs.

The Geelong College started confidently but some quick and accurate bowling from the Under 15 Australian representative, Nick O'Brien (11/5/2/13) enabled the team to make early inroads into Geelong's middle order and they were unable to recover. Others who performed well with the ball were David Dickinson (10/4/1/16) on debut; Mathew Begbie (11/1/1/31) and Year 8 leg spinning debutant Jayden Hayes (8/1/3/38).

BAS Round 1

St Patrick's 9/172 & 3/59 defeated Ballarat and Clarendon College 10/95

The First XI convincingly won the first BAS match for the season with a 77 run win over Ballarat and Clarendon College. Playing at home on arguably the best wicket in many years, SPC won the toss and batted confidently against a spirited College attack. Mathew Begbie certainly looked 'a cut above the rest' as he nonchalantly compiled 35 and shared a 51 opening partnership with Justin O'Brien (20). Skipper Brad Whittaker (42) combined with Liam Hunter (24) for a 49 run partnership for the fourth wicket. With light fading late on Friday evening, Year 7 student Matthew Crouch took to the crease with his skipper and confidently saw the team to stumps at 4/127. The following day saw Matthew take the leadership role after Brad's dismissal, finishing with an audacious innings of 31 not out.

SPC were never in trouble with the ball. The fast wicket enabled the bowlers to vary their length well and placed the opposition on the back foot, at the same time attacking the off stump line with accurate bowling. Wickets were shared around; Nick O'Brien (8/1/2/20), Liam Young (6/1/1/13), Brad Crouch (6/1/2/15), Cameron Carter (3/0/2/5) and Jayden Hayes (4/0/1/21).

This was a pleasing effort considering the team contained six BAS debutants; Liam Hunter, Tom McGregor, Jack Wilson, Cameron Carter, Matthew Crouch and Jayden Hayes. The two youngest players performed very impressively. Matthew Crouch played a major role in our batting success and Jayden Hayes bowled well, tossing the ball up on a length with his leg spinners.

Intermediate Cricket

BAS Round 3

SPC Green 4/122 lost to Ballarat High 4/137.

Jack Wilson 47 not out, Sam Higgins 42 not out, Jacob Perkins 6/1/2/21, Alec Del Papa 6/3/0/9, Joe McKee 6/ 1/ 1/20, James Blood 5/0/1/22

BAS Round 4

SPC Blue 5/84 defeated SPC Green 6/72

Liam Mullen 28, Grant Trevenen 15 not out, Luke Thomas 21, Sam Higgins 26 not out, Jack Gudgeon 4/0/4/9, Joe McKee 1/1/3/0.

Junior Golf
Mr Scott Kruger

Round 2 Results: Wednesday October 29

DC 1 defeated DC 2 (2 and 1)
SPC 1 defeated BHS 2 (4 and 3)
BHS 1 defeated SPC 2 (1 up)
BCC defeated BGS (4 and 2)

Position	Ladder	Pts	Games +
1	SPC1	8	8
2	DC1	8	5
3	BHS1	8	4
4	SPC2	4	4
5	BCC1	4	1
6	DC2	0	-4
7	BGS	0	-4
8	BHS2	0	-7

Junior Hockey
Mr Art Nicholls

Round 3 Results

SPC 2 Defeated BHS 1

Despite their inexperience, the boys continue to show great tenacity in producing outstanding play to defeat Ballarat High School. There were some excellent efforts from Luke Polmear, Kieran Missen, Mark McOwen and Andrew Groch.

Junior Volleyball
Mr Juri Kaczowski

Round 3 Results

SPC lost to BHS 1 Set to 2 (45 Points to 55)

Despite this week's loss the Junior Volleyball team continues to improve and were evenly matched against the strong Ballarat High School Opposition. There is still room for improvement in the coming weeks ahead.

Intermediate Volleyball
Mrs Fiona Carroll

Round 3 Results

SPC Green Defeated SPC White 2 sets to 1 (64 points to 52).

SPC Blue Defeated BGS 2 sets to 0 (52 points to 40).

The strong SPC blue team continued its winning ways with a resounding win against Ballarat Grammar School. The team has progressed through the Junior competition to become an outstanding unit and continue to display great skill and determination. In the local derby the two SPC teams made up of many first time players participated in a close match with their skills continuing to improve each week.

Student Achievements

If anyone is aware of any other student achievements please forward via email to Mr Chris Gleeson at: cgleeson@stpats.vic.edu.au

DEVELOPMENT MANAGER

Mr Mark Waddington

Boarding – Visit to Rostrevor College

Over the mid term break, two staff and six members of the boarding community visited fellow EREA school Rostrevor College in Adelaide. Rostrevor is widely regarded as one of the nation's leaders in the delivery of programmes that enhance educational outcomes for Indigenous students. Rostrevor operate an Indigenous Sporting Academy and have over 25 Indigenous students from Queensland, NT, WA and SA within their boarding community.

St Patrick's students involved in the trip were all from the Timber Creek community in the Northern Territory and were overwhelmed with the hospitality they were afforded by staff and students at the school. Boys enjoyed classroom immersion time, a trip to a local wildlife park, a day at Victor Harbour and time to wander through the Adelaide market and Rundle Mall. The group travelled to and from Adelaide by train further enhancing the experience for students.

The trip, follows on from a visit by Rostrevor in May to participate in the 'Long Walk', a reconciliation initiative organised by AFL Legend and Indigenous leader Michael Long. It is hoped these links can be formalised to provide a medium for regular student interaction and an invaluable professional development opportunity for staff.

St Patrick's College has already learnt a great deal from Rostrevor and is excited to be able to announce the appointment of Mr Brett Goodes to the role of Indigenous Education Manager in 2009. Brett is a recognised leader within Indigenous communities, a VFL Premiership player with North Ballarat Football Club and is committed to mentoring students and assisting the College in developing additional vocational pathways to ensure that all students are able to achieve meaningful educational outcomes.

In 2009 the College will have in excess of 25 Indigenous students, with boys coming from communities such as Ballarat, Framlingham, Heywood, Shepparton, Alice Springs and Timber Creek. These boys add a great richness to our community and provide a poignant illustration of what is at the heart of an education in the Edmund Rice tradition – what we seek for these boys is equality of opportunity, just as Edmund did with the poor and oppressed boys he encountered in eighteenth century Ireland.

Our visit to Rostrevor, an inspiring and insightful Edmund Rice school, reminds us of this calling and better informs our practice in this important and highly complex educational area.



St Patrick's College Boarding visit to Rostrevor College

Movie Ticket Fundraiser

A reminder to families to utilise the discounted Regent movie tickets sent out recently. \$3 from each ticket will be paid to the College for use in co-curricular projects. The tickets also give adults a \$3.50 discount at the Box Office. If you require additional tickets please contact Ms Caitlin Bennett on 53 311688, cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au or drop into the Front Office.

Some of the films to choose from over the coming weeks include:



How To Lose Friends and Alienate People

(M) 110 mins
 Cast: Simon Pegg, Megan Fox, Kirsten Dunst
 Synopsis: Sidney Young (Simon Pegg) is a disillusioned person who both adores and despises the world of celebrity, fame, glitz and the glamour. His magazine, Post Modern Review, pokes fun at the media-obsessed world in which we live.



Women, The (PG) 114 mins
 Cast: Meg Ryan, Annette Bening, Eva Mendes
 Synopsis: The women is about friends and mothers and daughters. It's about breaking up and finding your way back. It's about reinventing yourself. It's about walking through fire for what you believe in. It's...



Saw V (MA15+) 92 mins
 Cast: Tobin Bell, Julie Benz, Scott Patterson, Meagan Good, Shawnee Smith, Costas Mandylor
 Synopsis: Forensics expert Hoffman (Costas Mandylor) is seemingly the last person alive to carry on the Jigsaw legacy. But when his secret is threatened, Hoffman must go on the hunt to eliminate all loose ends.



Max Payne (MA15+) 101 mins
 Cast: Mark Wahlberg, Chris O'Donnell, Ludacris
 Synopsis: Based on the legendary, hard-hitting interactive video game, Max Payne tells the story of a maverick cop determined to track down those responsible for the brutal murder of his family and partner.

EVENTS AROUND THE COLLEGE

Canteen

Canteen Roster Monday November 10 to Friday November 14. Please, if unable to attend phone Veronica 5335 6244, Cheryl 5339 3655 or the College Canteen on 5322 4481, preferably the evening before your rostered day.

Monday November 10

Leisa Carey, Colleen Flynn, Miranda Fraser, Marlene Murphy, Fiona Thomas, Josie Donegan, Melinda Murphy.

Tuesday November 11

*Joanne Dickson, *Nicki Quinlan, *Susanne Boswerger, *Debbie Hill, Marty Forbes (6 weekly), Veronica Inglis, *Bernadette Scott, Sharon Sewell, *Sandra Nibloe, Angela Langdon.

Wednesday November 12

Laureen Duffin, Lyn Weightman, Michelle Drummond, Andrea Perkins, Raelene Harty, *Sam Fraser, *Annette Barresi, Gary Lenneke, Mark Allan.

Thursday November 13

*Angela Cushing, Gayle Edmends, *Maree Torpy, Anna McIntyre, Francis Powlett, *Jacqui McMaster, Maree Dodd, Carla Taylor, *Liz Quick.

Friday November 14

*Francis McDaid, Karolyn Malone, *Julie Delahay, *Jenine Leonard, *Robyn Clarke, Anne Jreige, *Janne Ferguson, Doris Razbocan, *Marika Rawlings, *Andrea Tully, *Mandy Simpson.

***Not in attendance for the entire canteen duty.**

Dobson's Uniform Shop

Sale on now until Thursday November 20. Be quick!

Please contact Annette on 5333 7486 for personal fitting appointments.

**Extended Trading Hours
 December 2008 - February 2009**

Trading Hours December 2008

Tuesday December 2: Orientation Day	9am-12 noon & 1.30 pm-4.30pm.
Wednesday December 3 - Friday December 5	12 noon - 4pm
Tuesday December 9	12 noon - 4 pm
Thursday December 11	12 noon - 4 pm

Trading Hours January 2009

Thursday January 21	2.00pm -5.00pm
Friday January 23	2.00pm -5.00pm
Monday December 26	Closed - Australia Day.
Tuesday January 27	1.00pm – 5.00pm
Wednesday January 28	1.00pm – 5.00pm
Thursday January 29	8.30-10.30am & 1pm-5pm. School resumes.
Friday January 30	1.00pm -4.00pm.

**Lost Property
 Edmund Rice Centre**

The following items have been found and are located in 'Lost Property' in Student Services.

The following items are named:

- 1 school jacket
- 3 school jumpers (one is a VCE jumper)
- 1 school shirt
- 1 pair of shorts
- 1 pair of shoes
- 2 black belts
- 1 USB stick

There are also a number of items that are not marked with a name. Anyone wishing to claim a missing item should contact Student Services.



Eureka Orienteer's and St Patrick's College, Ballarat are proud to present the second annual **aMAZEing Ballarat**

Saturday November 29

A unique event which combines strategy, tactics, general knowledge, teamwork, some physical challenges and surprises, and is set amidst the beauty and history of Ballarat.

Teams of two, three or four will compete on foot in a variety of tasks and challenges over a period up to four hours with the winner being the team which completes all tasks correctly in the shortest time.

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Tasks will be of three types

A. The collection - a series of items to be found or purchased along the way.



B. The locations – a series of places to be travelled to during the event.

C. The activities – a series of mental and physical tasks to be completed by one or more of the team members.

Instructions for many of the tasks will be written in a format that will require some thought and enterprise, and you may organise for someone to assist you away from the event and be contactable via mobile phone.

For all entry enquiries and information please contact Mr Jamie Bobrowski – jbobrowski@stpats.vic.edu.au or 53 311688.

EVENTS OUTSIDE THE COLLEGE

Napoleons Primary School Twilight Fair

Napoleons Primary School will come to life with a fun twilight fair event designed for the whole family.

When: Thursday November 20

Time: 5pm — 8pm

**Napoleons Primary School
4721 Colac-Ballararat Road,
NAPOLEONS**

Market stalls, sideshows, games, sports clubs, emergency service displays, showbags, recipe books, face painting and raffles. Something fun for everyone! A variety of food will be available including hotdogs, sausages and hamburgers, pancakes, drinks and cookies.

For further info please contact the School on 5342 0414.

Relay For Life Fundraiser

Come along and support Cancer Research and see 'Australia' starring **Nicole Kidman and Hugh Jackman**.

Where: Regent Cinemas

When: December 1 at 8.30 pm.

Tickets: \$13.50 each with \$5.00 from each ticket going to Cancer Research.

For tickets please contact John or Jan Cosgriff on 5341 7642 or 0408 526 052 ASAP.

COMING EVENTS

Saturday 8 November

1st XI Cricket BAS Round 2 SPC vs BG

Sunday 9 November

OCA Golf Day
Ballarat GC 8.00 am

Monday 10 November

Year 9 Grampians Camp – PEL000, PEL003

Tuesday 11 November

College Assembly
Year 9 Grampians Camp – PEL000, PEL003
Jun B Hockey
Inter B Cricket

Wednesday 12 November

Year 9 Grampians Camp – PEL000, PEL003
PEL009, PEL010

Croquet
Jun B Volleyball
Inter B Cricket

Thursday 13 November

Year 9 Grampians Camp - PEL009, PEL010
Year 11 Exams
Inter B Volleyball
Extra Transition Day – 9.00 am – 10.50 am

Friday 14 November

Year 9 Grampians Camp - PEL009, PEL010
Year 11 Exams
Primary Transition Day – St Patricks/St Aloysius 9.30 am – 1.00 pm
1st XI Cricket BAS Round 3 BHS vs SPC

Saturday 15 November

OCA Class of 1978 Reunion – Dinner 6.00 pm
1st XI Cricket BAS Round 3 BHS vs SPC

Monday 17 November

Year 9 Camp – PEL 008 & PEL006

Tuesday 18 November

Year 9 Camp – PEL 008 & PEL006
Jun B Hockey
Inter B Cricket

Wednesday 19 November

Year 9 Camp – PEL 008 & PEL006
Jun B Volleyball
Inter B Cricket



**Year 12 VCE Examinations in the
OCA Pavilion**



ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE
Year 10 Exam Timetable November 2008

Time	Monday 24 Nov	Tuesday 25 Nov	Wednesday 26 Nov	Thursday 27 Nov	Friday 28 Nov	Mon 1 December
9.00 am – 10.30 am (90 min)	Year 10 Assembly – Chapel Religious Education (starts 9.20 am)	Physical Education	Biology Unit 2	Information Technology Media Studies	IT – Web Technology Systems Legal Studies Unit 2	Mathematics Modified Maths
10.55 – 12.25 (90 min)	English	Health Visual Communication	Chemistry Music Art 2D	Japanese (Finish 12.35 pm)	Senior School Awards Ceremony	IT Programming Business Management Unit 2
1.55 – 3.25 pm (90 min)	Food Technology (finish 3.15 pm)	Architectural Design Art 3D General Maths (Spec)	Technology Metal Technology Wood (finish 3.15 pm)	IT Hardware Australian History	General Science Physics	Outdoor Education Unit 2

ST PATRICK'S COLLEGE
Year 11 Exam Timetable November 2008

Time	Thursday Nov 13	Friday Nov 14	Monday Nov 17	Tuesday Nov 18	Wednesday Nov 19	Thursday Nov 20	Friday Nov 21
9.00 – 10.30 (90 min)	<u>Assembly</u> Chapel English (118) <i>(start 9.20 am)</i> Vocational English (18) <i>(start 9.20 am)</i> <i>Finish 12.30 pm</i>	Systems Engineering (18)	OES (17) Visual Communication (10)	Biology (42) Economics (14) Health and Human Development (24)	Food Tech (31) Legal Studies (16)	Accounting (15) Design Technology (27) Chemistry (35)	COLLEGE SPEECH NIGHT Year 11 Rehearsals and Catch Up Exam Day
10.55 – 12.25 (90 min)		Music (8) PE (50)	General Maths (76) Methods 1 (52) Finish 12.10 pm Maths Foundation (28)	Methods 2 (52) (Start 11.20- (finish 1.30)	Literature (24) (Finish 1.05 pm)	Religious Education (149) <u>Assembly - Chapel</u>	
1.55– 3.25 (90 min)	Physics (26)	Studio Arts (25)	Media (36)	Architectural Design (22) Japanese (9) (1.40 pm start)	French (6) (1.40 pm start) History (21) Information Technology (32)		

St Patrick's College

2009 Term Dates

TERM 1:

Thursday, January 22	Leadership
Friday, January 23	New Staff Induction Day 2
Tuesday, January 27	All Staff – Staff Day 1
Wednesday, January 28	All Staff – Staff Day 2
Thursday, January 29	Students Commence Term 1
Friday, April 3	End of Term 1

TERM 2:

Monday, April 20	Classes commence for all students
Friday, June 1	End of Term 2 classes for students
Monday, June 22	Report writing day
	Work Experience commences for Year 10
Tuesday, June 23	Staff PD Day
Wednesday, June 24	Report Collation and Schools' PD Day
	End of Term 2

TERM 3:

Monday, July 13	Staff PD Day
Tuesday, July 14	Classes commence for all students
Friday, September 18	End of Term 3

TERM 4:

Monday, October 5	Staff PD Day
Tuesday, October 6	Classes commence for all students
Friday, December 4	Last day of classes for Year 7-9 students
Friday, December 11	Last day for teaching staff
Friday, December 18	College Office closes