

**FROM THE ACTING HEADMASTER**  
**Mr Chris Caldow**

**Olympics**

If you are like me, much of your spare time in the past fortnight has been taken up viewing the myriad of performances at the London Olympics. Whilst I constantly marvel at the athletics talents of not only our own athletes but those from the rest of the world, I believe there are a number of things that we can reflect upon when viewing these performances.

The most obvious of reflections is recognition of the time and effort that each of the athletes have devoted in their efforts to be their best on the day that it is required. We can all admire the perseverance and persistence that each athlete has had to display on their journey to the London Olympics. Despite many of the best athletes making it look effortless, we would all acknowledge that it has taken years of concerted effort to achieve their best. Studies have shown that the most important way to achieve excellent performance in fields such as sport, music, professions and scholarship is to [practice](#). Achievement of excellence in such fields commonly requires approximately 10 years of dedication, comprising about 10,000 hours of effort.

I would like to focus upon a couple of more obscure reflections that I believe are pertinent to our boys. It has been interesting to note how different athletes have used social media such as Twitter and Facebook throughout the games. Anna Meares was a cycling gold medallist and she signed off from both twitter and facebook in the weeks leading up to the Olympics. Her message was simple, "I'm sure that you all understand that my focus must be upon my performance for the Olympics and as a result I will not be distracted by using either Twitter or Facebook until after the Games finish." This seems sound advice particularly for the young men in Year 12 as they prepare for their end of year exams. Emily Seebohm was a silver medallist in the 100m backstroke and admitted that her use of Twitter and Facebook may have distracted her from achieving a gold medal, when she said "I began to believe my own press in thinking that all I had to do was turn up to win the Gold."

The final thing that I would like you to reflect upon is the way in which the athletes manage the expectations of others. There has been significant comment in the media about the way in which some of our high profile athletes have responded to disappointment or things not going to plan. James Magnusson was expected to win gold in both the 4 x 100m freestyle relay and the individual 100m freestyle. His personal disappointment in the relay was palpable in his post-race interview to the point where he did not really respond to the interviewer. He was pilloried in the media but responded much more positively to his loss in the individual 100m freestyle by an agonisingly close 0.01 seconds. This was contrasted with the delight expressed by Brenton Rickard when he won a silver medal in the 100m breastroke. Brenton readily admitted after the race that no-one expected him to win and as a result he was able to swim to his best.

We often have to manage the expectations of others whether it is our parents, teachers or friends. If you are realistic with your expectations but don't undersell yourself, generally others are pleased. The common mistake made by boys in regards to their academic performance is that they under-estimate the amount of work that is required and over-estimate their abilities. I thought this prayer was most apt and I would like to share it with you.

Lord, inspire me to give of my best and make good use of the talents you have given me. Show me how to be positive in attitude, appreciating and valuing others, always being ready to encourage and give praise.

Sometimes I draw conclusions about people in terms of what I think is meant by "success" and "failure", but the "failure" of one person might count as a great "success" of someone with other talents.

Lead me never to judge people but to accept others as they are, knowing that it is together, each with our differences, that we build up your Kingdom. Amen.

Please keep our Headmaster, Dr Peter Casey, and his family in your thoughts and prayers. Peter's sister, Mrs Lois Cooper passed away on Saturday night, August 11.

**Good Luck**

Our First XVIII Football team play in the Herald Sun Shield Grand Final this Sunday August 19 at the MCG, commencing at 1.00pm. The game is against St Bernard's College, Essendon, a fellow EREA school, and we wish the boys the best of luck for the game. We will be proud of your efforts regardless of the result. My thanks to the staff involved with the team including Mr Howard Clark Director of Football and First XVIII Coach, Mr Andrew Chamings, Mr Gavin Webb, Mr Tim MacKenzie, Ms Tamara Westwood and Mr Chris Gleeson.

**Melbourne Legends Dinner**

I am looking forward to the Melbourne Legends Dinner to be held this Friday, August 17, at 'Il Gambero' restaurant in Lygon Street. The three legends to be inducted are:

Bishop Brian Finnigan (SPC 1960-62)  
Patrick Payne (SPC1988-89)  
Robert Smerdon (SPC 1967-72)

**Seeking Help**

Social researchers tell us that school communities are also welfare organisations. That is, that they are placed perfectly to intimately know the stories of families and their children and if schools are doing their job well enough, parents form trusting relationships with the many staff at their school who can support them.

I write about this because I wanted to mention a side of school that often receives very little attention, either in the media or in wider community discussions. That is the various support services that look after young people when they fall on difficult times. As well as being blessed with the opportunity to do all sorts of exciting things with young people who are full of promise, vitality and curiosity, schools are also in the position to be important carers.

At St Patrick's College we have high quality counselling services conducted by Mr Gerard Knobel, Ms Cathy McGowan and Mr Eric Hayes, as well as credentialed and qualified Year Level Coordinators, Pastoral Tutors and other staff who work side-by-side with students to ensure that they are cared for, at what can be for some, the most vulnerable time in their life. We know we are not able to handle every situation that comes our way and readily access support for students whose needs are more specialised than we are able to offer.

One of the things I noticed when I was a teacher in co-educational schools is that boys often were reluctant to use counselling services as they considered them something that girls did. In the two boys schools in which I have now worked, this has never been a problem. Boys feel very comfortable talking about issues that range from disputes with friends right through to family bereavement. Our staff are also very ready to look out for any circumstance where a boy may need to be encouraged to get a bit of extra support.

One of the things that I am fond of saying about our College life at St Patrick's College, is that everything we do is associated with learning. Even in situations where boys need counselling the aim of the counselling is still connected to learning. Learning to seek support, put things in perspective, hear alternative views, overcome anxiety, not take on board other people's issues; and most of all learning to be resilient. That is bouncing back from whatever misfortune happens to come your way.

Those of us who are a little bit older know that life has its many ups and downs and one of the real tricks of living is to be able to cope with the downs and bounce back. But we also know that we cannot will ourselves to do that. There are specific skills and attitudes that we need to develop. Our counselling services at SPC not only make a difference on that particular week or that particular month, or in some cases, that year; but in the case of some, they can have an impact that enables a young person to continue to pursue the life they richly deserve.

**DIRECTOR OF MISSION**  
**Mr Geoff Brodie**

One of the few remaining holy days of obligation in our liturgical year is the **Feast of the Assumption**. On these holy days of obligation...

*"(t)he faithful are to refrain from engaging in work or activities that hinder the worship owed to God... the performance of the works of mercy, and the appropriate relaxation of mind and body."* (CCC2185) The Catechism also quotes Church teaching to remind us that *"on Sundays and other holy days of obligation the faithful are bound to participate in Mass"*. (CCC2180)

Given this, I think it is fair to ask why, on this day, the College did not offer Mass in our community. Where did we 'break' the normal routines of offer *relaxation of mind and body*? St Patrick's College is a community of over 1500 people on any given day. We draw our direction and energy from the **whole** of our Catholic tradition and identity. It is important that we do not fall into the culture of a *selective religiosity* that adheres to only parts of the tradition, according other concerns. For my part, I can only apologise for this omission in 2012.

The fact that our Christian identity concerns the whole of our life also impacts on the daily routines of our College. I am thinking here of the uniform and litter around the College grounds. With respect to the uniform, fashions will come, and thankfully, most of them will go. Not having one's tie done up and shirt tucked in is not going to upset the laws of gravity or end the chance of world peace.

But wearing the uniform properly is a public statement of the value that a student places in their community. It says: *I confirm that being a living part of the St Patrick's community is a meaningful and valuable part of my life and I show this by freely adhering to its cultural expressions*. The uniform is an opportunity for an education in the freedom that invigorates and inspires a community – it is not a rule that seeks oppression and subservience of the individual. The effort to place rubbish in the bin also bears the same public statement. School rules of themselves are not of ultimate importance. The opportunity of a free choice to contribute to the life of their community is.

So whether it is engagement of the whole community in the rituals of the universal Catholic tradition, or the free and joyful commitment of individuals in the emerging cultural expressions of our identity, the mission of the College is a living thing. It is nurtured by each person, each day, and must be renewed, every day, in our every choice and action.

**ACTING DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION**  
**Mr Joe Carmody**

**2013 Subject Selections**

Over the next few weeks students will be required to enter in their 2013 subject selection via **Web Preferences** which is a web application that allows students to enter their subject preferences online. Current Year 9 students will undertake this during class time in Week 5. Please see below.

**Monday August 20**  
**Day 6**

Class	Session	Teacher	Lab
RE 11G	Session 2	Mr Tony Beggs	MAC114
RE11C	Session 4	Mr Ian Fernee	MAC114
RE10A	Session 6	Mrs Kristine Smarson	MAC114
RE10G	Session 8	Mr Shane Hayes	MAC113
RE11F	Session 9	Mrs D Tuolly	MAC113

**Tuesday August 21**  
**Day 7**

Class	Session	Teacher	Lab
RE10B	Session 1	Mrs Elizabeth Ryan	MAC114

**Wednesday August 22**  
**Day 8**

Class	Session	Teacher	Lab
RE 10I	Session 2	Ms Brooke Brown	HEA004
RE11H	Session 3	Mr Danny moore	HEA004
RE10H	Session 4	Mr Art Nichols	MAC113

RE10E	Session 6	Mr Michael Busscher	HEA004
RE11D	Session 6	Mr Joe Carmody	In class
RE11A	Session 8	Mr Gavin Webb	Trolley - WIL005 (I)

**Thursday August 26  
Day 9**

Class	Session	Teacher	Lab
RET11A	Session 2	Mr Tony Beggs	MAC113
RE11E	Session 2	Mr Art Nichols	Trolley - WIL009 (D)
REY11A	Session 3	Mr Geoff Brodie	MAC113
RE10D	Session 4	Mr Howard Clark	MAC114
RE10J	Session 6	Mr Michael Busscher	MAC114
RE10C	Session 8		MAC114

**Friday August 24  
Day 10**

Class	Session	Teacher	Lab
RE11D	2 & 3	Mr Joe Carmody	In class
REY11B	Session 4	Mrs Kristine Smardon	HEA004

**Tuesday August 27  
Day 2**

Class	Session	Teacher	Lab
RE11B	Session 1	Mr Tony Beggs	MAC114
RE10F	Session 6	Mr Danny Moore	HEA004

**Motivational Media Presentation**

On Tuesday, August 21, all students will be involved in the Motivational Media workshop held in the O'Malley Sports Centre.

**PTO Online**

**2013 Year 11 Subject Selection**

Parents are encouraged to re-visit PTO Online on the College website at [www.stpats.vic.edu.au](http://www.stpats.vic.edu.au) to book interview times for Year 11 Subject

**Subject Selection Forms** for each year level are due on the following dates.

2013 Year 10 on Thursday, August 16

2013 Year 11 on Wednesday, August 22

2013 Year 12 on Wednesday, August 22

**HEAD OF SENIOR SCHOOL  
Mrs Elizabeth Ryan**

**Headmasters Excellence Awards**

In 1987, in an effort to address the criticism that the Higher School Certificate (HSC) unfairly assessed a Year 12 student's academic ability by their performance on five three hour examinations held at the end of the year, the Victorian School Certificate (VCE) was introduced.

A significant feature of the VCE was the introduction of school assessed coursework (SACs) and school assessment tasks (SATs). In most Unit 3 and 4 subjects SACs and SATs now contribute up to 50 per cent of the marks awarded in each subject.

The remaining 50 per cent is derived from a student's November examination performance. This week, at the College Assembly, we acknowledged those boys who have maximised their opportunity to gain their highest possible score through their SAC and SAT performances in each Unit 3 subject thus positioning themselves well prior to the commencement of Unit 4 and the all important VCE examinations which commence on November 1, 2012. The following students were awarded Headmaster's Excellence Awards at the College Assembly this week and are to be congratulated

Name	Surname	Subject
Jordan	Atkinson	Business Management
Nicholas	Beaver	Economics
		Legal Studies
Cameron	Butcher	Mathematical Methods (shared)
Gerard	Clifford	History: Australian History
Michael	Cocomazzo	Music Style and Composition
Timothy	Crowe	Further Mathematics
Christopher	Debono	Product Design and Technology (shared)
James	Fahey	Biology
		Chemistry
		English
		Physics
		Specialist Mathematics
Andrew	Fay	Physical Education

<b>Alexander</b>	<b>Fitzsimons</b>	Studio Art (shared)
<b>Edward</b>	<b>Forbes</b>	Food and Technology (shared)
<b>Riley</b>	<b>Fullerton</b>	Mathematical Methods (shared)
<b>Louis</b>	<b>Gillett</b>	History: Revolutions
<b>Andrew</b>	<b>Groch</b>	Certificate III Technical Production
<b>Edmund</b>	<b>Howes</b>	Texts and Traditions
<b>Alistair</b>	<b>Kane</b>	Systems Engineering
<b>Hamish</b>	<b>Kelly</b>	Health and Human Development
<b>Nicholas</b>	<b>McKee</b>	Japanese
<b>Jacob</b>	<b>Mitilineos</b>	Product Design and Technology (shared)
<b>Bradley</b>	<b>O'Loughlin</b>	English Literature
		Studio Art (shared)
		Visual Communication and Design
<b>Kieren</b>	<b>O'Riley</b>	Food and Technology (shared)
<b>Charlie</b>	<b>Powlett</b>	Media
<b>Timothy</b>	<b>Ryan</b>	Software Development
		Religion and Society
<b>Jordan</b>	<b>Stones</b>	Business Management (Shared)
		Studio Art (shared)
<b>Alex</b>	<b>Thompson</b>	Product Design and Technology (shared)
<b>Nicholas</b>	<b>Treloar</b>	Outdoor Education
<b>Nicholas</b>	<b>Willowhite</b>	Accounting

## HEAD OF MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mr Neal Arthurson

### Year 9 Assessment Planner

Week Due	Subject	Task
<b>6</b> August 20 – August 24	<b>Japanese</b>	Listening Comprehension Task
	<b>Science</b>	Presentation on Earth Science Concept
	<b>IT</b>	Infographic Assessment Task
	<b>English</b>	Oral Presentation
<b>8</b> September 3 – September 7	<b>Religious Education</b>	Prophets and Saints Assignment
	<b>Maths</b>	Geometry Test
	<b>Science</b>	Presentation on Earth Science Concept
<b>9</b> September 10 – September 14	<b>Multimedia</b>	Stop Motion Animation Video
	<b>Design Metal</b>	Design Folio
	<b>Maths</b>	Geometry Application Task
	<b>IT</b>	Animoto Video
	<b>English</b>	Persuasive Writing Task
	<b>Public Speaking Humanities</b>	Formal and Impromptu Australian Identity
<b>10</b> September 17 – September 21	<b>Healthy Living</b>	Digestive System Story
	<b>Science</b>	Topic Test

## HEAD OF JUNIOR SCHOOL

Mr John Richards

### Year 8 Camps

#### Camp dates below:

#### 8C and 8J

Monday, August 20 – Wednesday, August 22

#### 8H and 8I

Wednesday, August 22 – Friday, August 24.

### Year 8 Maths Tutoring

Year 8 Maths Tutoring will take place each Wednesday afternoon from 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm in O'Malley Wing 102 for all Year 8 boys wanting to attend.

The tutoring sessions are a great opportunity for boys to improve their general maths skills or to address specific mathematics questions. Please contact your son's mathematics teacher for any queries.

May God's peace be with you and your families.

## CONDOLENCES

Our prayers and thoughts are with the Headmaster, Dr Peter and Anna Casey and family at the passing of Peter's sister Lois Cooper on Saturday. Please keep the Casey family in your prayers.

The College community also extends condolences to Jamie Bobrowski (Staff) and family on the passing of his grandmother Christine Bobrowski on Tuesday evening this week.

## DIRECTOR OF SPORT Mr Chris Gleeson

### Herald Sun Shield Grand Final

Good luck to Mr Howard Clark, Director of Football, the 1<sup>st</sup> XVIII and support staff on Sunday as they take on St Bernard's College, Essendon at the MCG.

This weekend the boys aim to win a third straight Herald-Sun Shield. It is a feat which is unprecedented in the College's rich tradition of excellence. We wish them all the best as they once again prove that St Patrick's College is Ballarat's Best for Boys.

## DIRECTOR OF ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT Mr Jamie Bobrowski

It might be cold and wet outside but the Maintenance team are soldiering on and maintaining the gardens, grounds and facilities in their polar fleece jackets and beanies.

Programmed Maintenance are currently painting the College Chapel and they will remain on site through to the end of the Christmas holiday period, ensuring that the College is maintained to its high standards.

An interesting fact for you regarding the painting of the Chapel – it will take 350 man hours and 300 litres of paint just to paint the inside.

### Summary of works completed since the July School Holidays:

1. Cricket nets wire replaced.
2. Significant number of repairs to boarding houses, boarder's kitchens and McCunnie House which is a routine each holiday period;
3. Repaired and introduced asphalt and concrete paths to Nangle House and other areas within the grounds of the College;
4. Preparation of all College annual garden beds;
5. The planting 50 Manchurian pear trees at the Eastern Entrance of the College (near the O'Malley Sports Centre) and in Chapel Court;
6. Bus decals replaced on the 35 Seater bus, 12 seater bus and College Twincab;
7. Routine maintenance and repairs to all College heaters and air conditioners;
8. Repairs and replacement of Honour boards in Boarding houses and at the Boatshed;
9. Garden works in Chapel Court, Rice Court and the front of the College;
10. Transferring of rocks to the Indigenous garden behind the Stewart Theatre;

11. New fencing introduced to McCunnie House and Nangle House;
12. Building repairs and major works in the College Administration Wing;
13. Introduction of recycling bins and the Recycling programme to Boarding Houses; and
14. Non slip painted surfaces of the Canteen area.

## 2012 FLANAGAN ART EXHIBITION

### 2012 Flanagan Art Exhibition

August 31 – September 9  
Old Collegians Pavilion

Gala Launch  
Friday, August 31, 7 pm to 10 pm

Tickets for the Gala Launch are sure to sell quickly and can be purchased from the College Shop for \$25. The ticket price includes exhibition viewing, sumptuous finger food and regional wines. Tickets are strictly limited so please get in early to avoid disappointment.

The Exhibition will feature 83 pieces of work for display from over 150 entries, with the quality of work in 2012 being extremely high.

The Gala Launch will also feature the announcement of the winners of the Flanagan Art Prize, University of Ballarat Emerging Artist Prize and the Lifestyle Travel St Patrick's College Affordable Art Prize

Major Sponsors:  
Viatak, University of Ballarat and Lifestyle Travel



Please get a group of friends together and enjoy a wonderful night of entertainment.

For all ticket enquiries please contact Mrs Caitlin Bennett on 53 311 688 or [cbennett@stpat.vic.edu.au](mailto:cbennett@stpat.vic.edu.au)

### Sponsors of the Flanagan Art Exhibition

The Exhibition Committee would like to thank the following sponsors of the Flanagan Art Exhibition:

**City Oval Restaurant and Bar**  
Rob and Debbie Gayton, Past Parents

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**Peter Ford Catering**  
Peter Ford, Past Parent

**The Turret Café and Catering**  
Carmel, Past Parent

**The Western Hotel**  
Mr Dan Cronin, Past Student (SPC 1986-91)  
1221 Sturt Street, Ballarat



Receive a FREE coffee or juice with Sunday Breakfast on presentation of The Crest promotion. The Western Hotel offers Breakfast on a Sunday from 9 am – 12 pm in our Bistro.



**Sweet  
Decadence and  
Sweet**

**Decadence at the Gallery**

Brian and Michelle and Staley, Current Parents

**Yummy Cakes Patisserie**

Alison Burns, Current Parent

**Robbins Bakery**

**Austins Wines**

Scott Austin, Sales Director

Austins Wines is an outstanding vineyard and winery at Sutherlands Creek, in the heart of the Moorabool Valley, north west of Geelong.

**Austins Wines Promotional Offer**

Austins Wines would like to offer recipients of The Crest 20% off cellar door. Please call 52811799 for orders or email [info@austinswines.com.au](mailto:info@austinswines.com.au)



**Volunteers Wanted**

The Committee led by Mrs Leonie Spencer have been working since last October to make this an even more successful event than the stunning 2011 Exhibition. While all administrative details are in place the Committee would still love to hear from volunteers who can give up four hours during the week of the Exhibition.

Jobs required to be filled include food and drink service, reception, event set-up and art sales. No knowledge of art is necessary just a willingness to get involved and assist the boys of the College.

If you can assist as an event volunteer please contact Karolyn Malone on 0400 873 943 or Caitlin Bennett at [cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au](mailto:cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au)

The College is indebted to event sponsors Viatek, the University of Ballarat and Lifestyle Travel for their generous support of this significant community initiative.

**THE COLLEGE SHOP  
Ms Michelle Lloyd**

**College Shop Hours**

The College Shop is open from Monday to Friday each week from 8.45 am to 3.30 pm. All other times by appointment.

**The College Shop stocks Suit Coat buttons. \$1 per large button, 50 cents per small button**

**Coles Sports for Schools Programme**

The Coles Sports for School programmes has now finished. Please don't forget to bring in your vouchers to the College Shop so we can add to our total!

**EVENTS AROUND THE COLLEGE**

**Canteen**

Canteen Roster Monday August 20 to Friday August 24. Please, if unable to attend phone Veronica 5335 6244, Cheryl 5339 3655 or the College Canteen on 5322 4481.

**Monday August 20**

Elaine Collier, Jenny Gilbert, Janet Santilli, Jill Watkins, Louise Miles, Denise Gillingham.

**Tuesday August 21**

\*Kerry Fiegert, \*Helen Turley, Maria Madden, \*Debbie Lauton, \*Lauretta Gaffrey, Loretta Toohey.

**Wednesday August 22**

Helen O'Brien, Monica Kirby, Gabrielle Fraser, Robyn Lavery, Molly Martin.

**Thursday August 23**

Kerryn Guest, Sharren Mullane, Christine Jennings, Jo Alexander, Maxine Pryor, Louise Martin.

**Friday August 24**

Janice Holloway, Debbie Jew, Barb Peters, Jodie Butler, Julia Walker, Jodie Ilsley, Amanda Elliott, Heather Savage/Trudy West, Karen McPherson.

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

**EVENTS OUTSIDE THE COLLEGE**

**Girl's Night Out with KORA Organics by Miranda Kerr  
Wednesday, August 22 2012**

Come and join Theresa Kerr (mother of International Supermodel Miranda Kerr) and participate in a 'Do It Yourself' facial using KORA Organics Certified products.

**Wednesday, August 22 2012**

6.45 pm for a 7.00 pm start  
St Patrick's College OCA Pavilion  
Please enter via Junction Street or Wanliss Road

\$20 booking fee redeemable off RRP of a single transaction on the night.

The night includes a hands on demonstration with Therese Kerr, complimentary drink, light supper and the chance to win KORA Organics Skin Type Packs and a personally signed copy of Miranda Kerr's book "Treasure yourself".

Numbers are strictly limited, Please RSVP to Sturt Street, Bridge Mall, Wendouree, Bacchus Marsh and Fairfield UFS Stores.

## Djerriwarrh Health Services

### Inaugural High Tea Tennis Tournament - Friday November 23 2012

Ladies Doubles Round Robin @ Bacchus Marsh Lawn Tennis Club  
\$60 per Doubles Pair. High Tea lunch included

Please contact Nadine Homewood on Ph: 0431 444 920

**Nazareth House Auxiliary Coffee Party**  
**Nazareth House Hall**

### Friday August 31

**Time:** 1.30pm

**Admission:** \$5.00

**Details:** Entrance Prize, Raffle, Spinning Wheel, Produce and Fancy Goods Stall

### The Ballarat Lawn Tennis Club Attention Tennis Players

The Ballarat Lawn Tennis Club, one of Ballarat's most successful clubs, is currently seeking Junior (up to 18 and under) and senior tennis players to play in Saturday morning and afternoon team competitions.

If you would like to play tennis in a team or require more information, please contact Denis Day on 0401989882 or by email [denisdaywb@dodo.com.au](mailto:denisdaywb@dodo.com.au)

## COMING EVENTS

### Monday August 20

Year 8 Camp/Retreat

BAS Intermediate Hockey (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

1st XV Rugby Presentation Night (7:30 pm-9:00 pm)

Year 9 Social (7:30 pm-10:00 pm)

### Tuesday August 21

Year 8 Camp/Retreat

Motivational Media Presentation

Carmen's Road Safety Programme (Year 11) (9:00 am-10:30 am)

Year 11 Justice Retreat (3:30 pm-11:59 pm)

BAS Table Tennis (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

Year 7/8 Basketball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

### Wednesday August 22

Year 8 Camp/Retreat

Year 11 Justice Retreat (12:00 am-5:30 pm)

2013 Year 12 and 11 Enrolment subject selection form due

Melbourne School Bands Festival: Concert Band 1 and 2

2013 Year 9 Student Information (1:55 pm-3:25 pm)

BAS Lap of the Lake (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

### Thursday August 23

Year 8 Camp/Retreat

1st V Basketball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

1st XI Hockey (4:00 pm - 5:00 pm)

BAS Squash and Racquetball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

### Friday August 24

Year 8 Camp/Retreat

UBSPCOCA Rugby Presentation Night (6:00 pm-10:00 pm)

### Saturday August 25

OCA Reunion Programme - 40 Year Reunion (6:00 pm-10:00 pm)

### Monday August 27

Year 9 Immersion Week

Unit 2 Outdoor and Environmental Studies Bushwalk to Mansfield (Class B)

BAS Intermediate Hockey (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

### Tuesday August 28

Year 9 Immersion Week

Unit 2 Outdoor and Environmental Studies Bushwalk to Mansfield (Class B)

College Assembly (10:15 am-10:55 am)

Year 11 Justice Retreat (3:30 pm-11:59 pm)

BAS Table Tennis (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

Year 7/8 Basketball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

Parents and Friends Bacchus Marsh Dinner (6:30 pm-10:00 pm)

### Wednesday August 29

Year 9 Immersion Week

Unit 2 Outdoor and Environmental Studies Bushwalk to Mansfield (Class B)

Year 11 Justice Retreat (12:00 am-5:30 pm)

BAS Intermediate Basketball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

BAS 1st XI Soccer Grand Final (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

### Thursday August 30

Year 9 Immersion Week

Purton Oratory (2:00 pm-6:30 pm)

1st XI Hockey (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

1st V Basketball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

BAS Squash and Racquetball (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

### Friday August 31

Year 9 Immersion Week

Unit 4 Interim Reports Mailed Home

Father's Day Mass and Breakfast (7:00 am-8:30 am)

St Patrick's College Art Exhibition – Gala Launch (7:00 pm-11:00 pm)

### Saturday September 1

St Patrick's College Art Exhibition

### Sunday September 2

St Patrick's College Art Exhibition

### Monday September 3

St Patrick's College Art Exhibition

BAS Intermediate Hockey (4:00 pm-5:00 pm)

# Fathers Day Mass and Breakfast

Friday, August 31, 2012

St Patrick's College Chapel and  
The College Dining Room



The Headmaster, Dr Peter Casey cordially invites fathers, grandfathers, male guardians and friends to Fathers Day Mass and Breakfast.

Mass will be celebrated at *7:00am* in the College Chapel. Following Mass, breakfast will be served in the College Dining Room.

This is a wonderful opportunity to share a special morning with your son.

Please RSVP to Mrs Caitlin Bennett on 5331 1688 or [cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au](mailto:cbennett@stpats.vic.edu.au) prior to Monday August 20, 2012 for catering purposes.



Tickets will be sent to all families who RSVP for the Breakfast.

