Dear Parents

It is hard to believe that this is the second last Bulletin of 2012, but it is and it is either an indication of the pace of modern life or my age. Nevertheless, there are only three weeks of school remaining and there are some very important assessments and/or exams during this time. I would ask that parents keep their sons as focused as possible on their school work and ensure that they put an appropriate amount of time into their preparations for exams or completion of assignments.

Next week, there are some very important events that bring closure to the school year. The Prize Giving Night is on Wednesday at 7.00pm in La Cordelle. This night is compulsory for students in Years 5, 8 and 12, but I would urge all students and parents to attend to show their support for some very talented students as well as those students, who are very community minded.

Last weekend, the FCIP held their end of year concerts. Once again, there was some wonderful talent on display and I am grateful to Mr Dodemont, Mr Tweddell and Mr Beyer, as well as the other music teachers for all the effort that they put into the programme and for the way that they nurture their students.

Last Saturday, the Padua Race Day was held. It was a great community day, though I am not sure it was a day of great financial reward. Nevertheless, our thanks go to Mr Matt Hardy and his committee for organizing this wonderful opportunity to share each others company.

The next fortnight will be very busy for us all. I wish all families well for a good end to the year.

Pace e bene

Robert Out
There is a strange refrain heard in some parts of the Church that the Second Vatican Council undermined the firm and steady edifice of Roman Catholicism. The counter claim suggests that the Council saved a moribund Church from irrelevance, and reinvigorated it with a new spirit, as Catholics broke out of the ghetto and engaged with the world offering the world deeper insights and a renewed Gospel spirituality.

It is the pity of history that as Vatican II's documents were being implemented, there were student revolts first against the Vietnam war, then in family life, in expressions of sexuality, the role of women in society and in the economy, and finally in attitudes to all forms of authority.

The imperative of this age became personal self-fulfillment, libertarian personalism, and hedonist individualism.

The challenge Blessed Pope John XXIII placed before us was that we should nonetheless engage with such a world, that surely needed to hear the liberating voice of Jesus. That great temptation is for us to reject the world, and shrivel up into being a remnant, a museum, buried in the past, pessimistic, and joyless. But the good Pope said, we are "to make the human journey on earth less sad." That we should put aside harsh judgment, and use "the medicine of mercy." That life is about loving, living, and laughing.

The Synod of Bishops meeting that recently concluded in Rome, seems to echo the desires of the Pope - no surprise there!! The Pope seems to want to turn the church away from the world and what he repeatedly identified as dangerous secularism. So we have the reform of the reform - a desire to turn the church back into its glorious isolation from the world's evils to an imagined golden age where it lived life largely within itself as a "perfect society" in whose
hierarchical gated community everyone knew everyone, and we all knew who to obey.

We have the choice to live in the past with its trappings of splendour, living in fear of the world, falling back on some idealogical past, or to live in our own time, at ease with pluralism, and wishing to engage in public conversation with our world. In the words of Vatican II's "The Church in the Modern World", that the church stands beside people in our world sharing its pains, sorrows and struggles, but also it's joys and hopes, reading the signs of the times and interpreting them in the light of the Gospel.

If we are to be faithful to the church's mission, then we must resist the temptation to stand on the sidelines of the worldly arena. If we are to be leaven, we must be willing to get our hands dirty.

Fr John
Red Cross Mobile Blood Van

Last week nearly 100 staff and students from Padua and Mt Alvernia donated blood to the Red Cross Mobile Blood Van. That was a great response! This number of donations will go onto to directly affect nearly 300 lives when the blood from the donations is used for whole blood donations or parts thereof. Unfortunately, due to changes brought about by the Red Cross in relation to people under 16 years and blood donations, the van will only be visiting Padua once in 2013. This will be in October for three days. Thank you Padua and Mt Alvernia!

2012 Year 12 Graduation

Next week we formally farewell the Class of 2012 over three days of events. This starts with Prize Night on Wednesday night, continues with the Vale Liturgy on Thursday morning and concludes with the Graduation Mass and Dinner on Friday night. These are important moments in the life of the college when we are able to reflect upon and give thanks for the lives of our Senior boys and the contribution they have made to the college. Thank you Year 12 for your leadership, friendship and presence during 2012. Good Luck, Farewell, and God Bless!

St Vincent de Paul Christmas Hampers

Has your son contributed to this year’s appeal yet? Each class is asked to fill a hamper with a shopping list given to them. The hampers will be formally presented to the Kedron Conference of the St Vincent de Paul at our Christmas Liturgy on Friday 30 November.

If you would like to add a gift for a child, please send along a wrapped present with a label indicating the age and sex of the intended recipient. A Christmas cake or pudding for each hamper would also be greatly appreciated.

St Vinnies, Rosie’s Street Van and Good Samaritans Volunteers

During the year nearly 150 boys in Years 10, 11 and 12 have volunteered to help out in one or more of these community outreach tasks. Having accompanied most of the boys on these visits I know the profound effect that doing this work has had on some of them. The generosity of the boys and their families of this college community in giving of their time and resources never ceases to amaze me. We are lucky to have this spirit of giving so alive and active in our very Franciscan community! Thank you one and all.

Peace and all good

Michael O’Brien
Franciscan Reflections

Franciscan Readings for the Christian Year – gladly hosted by the Franciscan Friars

(Holy Spirit Province) in Kedron, and written by Br Matt Hufer OFM.

http://bromattisafoth.wordpress.com/

www.facebook.com/bromattisafoth
St Vinnie’s Christmas Appeal

ST VINNIES
CHRISTMAS APPEAL
SHOPPING LIST
Please choose one item from List 1 and one item from List 2 as your contribution to the PC Christmas Hamper.

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From the Vice Rector
Formation continued
Curriculum Matters

Farewell Year 12 of 2012.

This week marks the beginning of the final month of the school year for 2012. The Year 12 students are now on their final Exam Timetable and will soon have completed all of the academic commitments of their final year at Padua. Next week we will farewell them and wish them well for the future. On behalf of all at Padua I thank them for all their contributions to our College and congratulate them on their commitment to their studies. We sincerely hope that all our graduating seniors will have the opportunity to move on either to tertiary study, vocational training or employment in their chosen careers.

We especially thank the Seniors of 2012 for the inaugural Academic Committee led by Stephen Chinnery, ably assisted by many of his classmates. Their initiative of providing lunch time tutoring to students in other year levels was much appreciated by the younger boys – as well as their classmates.

Prize Giving Evening:

Next week we will have an opportunity to honour all of the students throughout the College who have achieved academic success this year, when we gather for the Annual Prize Giving Evening on Wednesday 14 November in La Cordelle. I commend this evening to all Padua families and encourage you to attend, whether or not you expect that one of your family will receive an award. A wide range of the aspects of College life and students’ achievements will be recognized and celebrated.

Assessment time – again!

With just three weeks of the school year remaining, all students in all year levels should be once again engaged in a number of assessment tasks and in preparation for their final exams which will occur in the last week of this term, which is the last week of November. At Padua the students in Years 8 to 11 will be engaged in assessment
until the end of the last week of the term, with an “Exam Timetable’ being created for all year levels during the final week. These will be published to students in print and on the College website.

Parents are encouraged to ascertain your sons’ list of assessment tasks due during the next few weeks. The Exam Timetables will be published as soon as they are prepared.

**Family holidays and students’ absence during the term:**

Once again this term we are receiving messages from parents who have organized family holidays and similar events which will take their sons out of school before the holidays officially begin. Please be aware that we have previously requested all Padua parents to refrain from planning family holidays and other events during school terms. This becomes more common and more challenging as we approach the end of the school year this month.

Padua’s statement of our guidelines for parents in this regard is published in the *Students’ Handbook*. Parents are respectfully requested not to plan family holidays or similar events during term time. We cannot re-schedule all assessment tasks which might occur during the days or weeks when students are absent from school for such reasons. Thus, we ask all parents to assist us to ensuring that your students can attend all of their scheduled assessments in the remaining weeks of this year and next year. Thank you.

Best wishes to all students for success in their studies during the final month of this year.

Trish Dwyer

Vice Rector, Curriculum.
Year 7 – ‘Set For High’

Last Friday, eight year 11 students, with Ms. Dwyer and Ms. Logan (Student Counsellors) visited all of the year 7 classrooms to talk about what to expect when starting secondary school next year. The “Set 4 High” program included the year 11 students playing “get to know each other” games with the younger boys and a presentation from the Counsellor about what the boys can do to manage themselves during the early days in their new schools.

The highlights of the day were all the boys playing football on the oval with the older boys and the candid responses that were given to the younger boys about everything they needed to know about high school. A lot of fears were put to rest!

All of the students were interested and engaged, and a special mention goes to the year 11 students, who conducted themselves with maturity and responsibility.

Exam Block – Year 11 and 12

This week the Year 12 students commenced their Term 4 exam block, with the Year 11’s beginning their exam block in a matter of weeks. Could all families please be aware that should your son be in Year 11 or Year 12, there are certain conditions he must meet as a part of his exam block privilege;

During exam block, students should either be at home or at school studying. Students are not permitted to work (unless previously organised) during this time. Regular work placement/School based apprenticeships are the exception.

- When transiting to and from the College, students should not be at local shops, shopping centres etc.
- When attending school, all students should be in full school uniform, including hats. Students should also meet the usual College expectations regarding hair and grooming.
From the Pastoral Care Team

- Students should arrive to school at least 30 minutes before each exam and will be required to attend for the duration of their exam.
- Any failure to meet these exam block conditions may see a student’s privileges revoked.

**Year 12 Responsible Service of Alcohol Course**

Congratulations to the 93 year 12 boys who last week completed their Responsible Service of Alcohol course. The online course offers a nationally recognised certificate and enables the holder to work in licensed venues across the country. It is also a major part of the College’s pre schoolies education program.

**General Expectations**

Families are reminded that all the normal College expectations regarding uniform, grooming and appearance should be adhered to until 3pm on the last day of school this year. In the event of ripped or damaged uniform, parents are asked to please replace or repair their son’s uniform accordingly. This same expectation also applies to the College hat.

Regards
Ben Lowrie
Vice Rector Pastoral Care
Day One
We arrived at the airport at 7:30 am, and took ages to book in and pass security. Once we did that we waited for an hour or so, but it felt like five hours and then when we finally boarded the plane we arrived around 2:00 pm. We went to straight to Questacon where most of us rushed to the earth quake house. Everyone wanted to go on the six meter drop. It was really good.

Day Two
We visited Parliament house where we learnt about the House of Representatives and the Senate. We then learnt a lot about the history of court at the High Court. during the afternoon we drove out to the Deep Space Centre. This was many people’s favourite place as we learnt many interesting things about current space exploration. That night we went to CSIRO where we did different experiments. Many people liked the Jaffa machine.

Day Three
We drove to Old Parliament House. While we were there we learnt how to vote, and learnt more about Australia’s early parliamentary history through exploring many displays.
After this we did a drive by of the different embassies. Different people liked different embassies depending on how they were built. This was followed by a tour at the National Library. At the National Museum we created future homes and vehicles. The best part of this day was the A.I.S were we were given a tour and played lots of sporting games.

Day Four
The best part of the trip was the War Memorial where we saw many exhibits including a Lancaster Bomber that completed 89 missions. We saw a movie about WW1 planes. All of us went in a WW1 trench and a Vietnam helicopter. Most people enjoyed the War Memorial.
At the end of the day we drove to the tallest man made point in Canberra, the Telstra Tower where we had a great view of Canberra from up high.

Day Five
After visiting Government House, we finally made it back to Canberra airport and left for home.

A special thanks must go out to all the teachers who came out with us including Mr Egan who went home on day two because he had an accident which cut off 1cm of his ring finger!
Late QTAC applications
The on-time application due date for applying for tertiary courses through QTAC was 28 September 2012. However, for a higher processing charge ($84), Year 12 students can still apply for all courses except those with a fixed closing date that has already passed (see page 4 of the QTAC Guide). If the course you are applying for has its major offer round on 13 December, the due date to apply and provide supporting documentation (e.g. Educational Access Scheme applications) is 3 December. For all other courses, applications received after 12 December and supporting documentation received after 17 December may not be assessed in time for the 17 January offer round.

Changing preferences
You can change preferences, delete preferences or add new preferences (except for courses with a fixed closing date) through the QTAC Current Applicant online service. The 10 January 2013 is the final date for Year 12s to change preferences for the 17 January offer round. You can change your preferences on three occasions for free. Further changes incur a fee of $17 each.

Course changes
There have been many course changes since the publication of the QTAC Guide. To access a list of changes, visit www.qtac.edu.au/Courses/CourseChanges.htm.

Applicants with a disability
If you indicated on your QTAC application that you would like further information about the disability support services offered by the institutions to which you applied, you will be provided with the ‘Applicants with Disability’ information sheet. This information sheet can also be downloaded at www.qtac.edu.au/InfoSheets/disabilityinformation.html. It is recommended that you make contact with the institution disability services staff before you commence your studies.

Educational Access Scheme (EAS) applications
If you indicated on your QTAC application that you intended to apply for EAS, it is important that you submit your EAS application (i.e. cover sheet and required supporting documents) to QTAC as soon as possible. See your Guidance Counsellor if you require assistance with your EAS application.

Receiving your Year 12 results
Year 12 students will receive their Senior Education Profile from the Queensland Studies Authority in the mail from Monday 17 December 2012. The Senior Education Profile will be made up of one or more of the following documents (depending on the student’s eligibility).

- Queensland Certificate of Education
- Tertiary Entrance Statement (OP and FPs)
• Senior Statement

Queensland Certificate of Individual Achievement.

All results contributing to the Queensland Certificate of Education and OPs and FPs will be available in students’ learning accounts on the Student Connect website at https://studentconnect.qsa.qld.edu.au from 9 am on Saturday 15 December 2012. Students must know their Learner Unique Identifier (LUI) and password (originally the day and month of birth) to log in and check their results. Students will be able to access their results more quickly if they have previously accessed their learning account.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarship applications
The application due date for many university scholarships is rapidly approaching. Do not wait until the last minute to submit these applications. A fully prepared application has a better chance of success. Below is a selection of academic scholarship application due dates.

October
University of Southern Queensland Chancellor’s Scholarship www.usq.edu.au/scholarships
University of Queensland academic scholarships www.uq.edu.au/study/scholarships/

31 University of the Sunshine Coast Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarship www.usc.edu.au/study/scholarships/

November
16 Griffith University Sir Samuel Griffith Scholarships www.griffith.edu.au/scholarships
16 Queensland University of Technology Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarships www.qut.edu.au/study/fees-and-scholarships/scholarships-and-prizes

December
Pro-Vice-Chancellor’s Scholarship in Arts, Education and Social Sciences www.public.jcu.edu.au/scholarships/

Scholarships for students needing financial support at ACU

The Australian Catholic University (ACU) awards 20 ACU National Equity Bursaries each year to financially assist students from low socio-economic backgrounds. These are once-only bursaries valued at $2,000. For more information on scholarships available at ACU, visit www.acu.edu.au/apply_and_enrol/how_to_enrol/scholarships_and_bursaries.
ACU Early Achievers

Australian Catholic University (ACU) is a university that aims to empower its students to think critically, and ethically, and gain the skills to bring about change in their communities, professions and industries. An Early Achiever is a person who wants to do just that.

We look for students who, like us, understand the importance of working toward the common good and have a willingness to make a contribution to their communities, whether it be at school or church, or through sporting, cultural or charitable organisations.

We believe these students should be recognised for their contribution and leadership potential, and that is why we grant them status as Early Achievers, assuring them a place at ACU ahead of other applicants.

**13 August** - EAP applications open

**21 October** - EAP applications close

**By 28 November** - EAP applicants notified of outcome

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Dean’s Scholars Program in Science and Technology at QUT

Applicants accepted into a Queensland University of Technology (QUT) Dean’s Scholars Program are provided opportunities to access valuable industry exposure, international exchange programs, and mentoring. Students expecting to get an OP of 1-3 and have demonstrated leadership qualities should apply. They must apply through QTAC for and be accepted into one of the following QUT courses and submit a Dean’s Scholars Questionnaire:

- B Corporate Systems Management – Dean’s Scholars Program
- B Engineering - Dean’s Scholars Program
- B Games and Interactive Entertainment - Dean’s Scholars Program
- B Information Technology - Dean’s Scholars Program
- B Science - Dean’s Scholars Program
- B Mathematics - Dean’s Scholars Program
- B Urban Development - Dean’s Scholars Program.


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Bond scholarship in sustainable development

Bond University’s Mirvac School of Sustainable Development is offering a scholarship valued at
$12,500 to a student wishing to enrol in the Mirvac School of Sustainable Development in 2013. Applications close Friday 19 October 2012. To apply, visit www.bond.edu.au/mirvac-scholarships.

Southbank Institute of Technology (SBIT) scholarships

The SBIT scholarship application round for 2013 will open on 15 October 2012. Application forms are available online from this date at www.southbank.edu.au/scholarships.

Coffee and RSA School in Fortitude Valley is running a professional Barista one-day course for $90 per person. Call 3257 2001 to book or make enquiries.

Confirmation of Aboriginality

Sonya Kadel is the Participation Officer for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education for Brisbane Catholic Education. She would like to encourage eligible students to apply for confirmation of their Aboriginality. Benefits for students and adults for having a confirmation of Aboriginality:

Applying for specific Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander scholarships at university.

Applying for a home loan

Applying for identified persons where an Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander person is required

It is a piece of paper that is stamped and signed by a group of Elders who acknowledge the family and their contributions within the Aboriginal community.

Sonya would be happy to talk to any families further about the process. She can support families through the process and making connections with the organisations who conduct the interviews.

Sonya Kadel | Participation Officer | Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Education

School Services North
Brisbane Catholic Education Office
p. (07) 3490 1735 | f. (07) 3844 5101 | e. sjbird@bne.catholic.edu.au

Jane Goodwin
Careers Counsellor
The boys had a clean sweep to win the 13B Premiership. They showed wonderful commitment to their training, development of skills and actual games that was a credit to themselves and the College. The boys were well supported by their families which was much appreciated. Congratulations boys - Well done! A great effort!

Coaches: Matt Stinson and Lyn Welch
Parent Information Nights

WHEN
Tuesday 20 November (new enrolments and current Yr 5 – 7 families)
Wednesday 21 November (current Yr 8 – 11 families)
Monday 26 November (any families unable to attend the previous sessions)

WHERE
La Cordelle starting 7 pm

AGENDA
- College iPad program for 2013
- Outline of expectations regarding use of iPads
- Key elements of Student Agreement
- Release of updated College website
- How we envisage classroom delivery being enhanced in 2013

Please note that families need only attend one of the nights if you have students in different year levels

Attendance is compulsory – if you are unable to attend any of these nights, please contact Tanya Anderson by email: tanderson@padua.qld.edu.au
Is your son leaving Padua at the end of 2012? (excluding current Year 12 students)

To enable us to plan for College numbers in 2013, please remember that we require a Term's notice (in writing) for you to withdraw your son from Padua, otherwise one Term's school fees will be charged.
Michael Egan (Senior 2009) completes his four year Electrical Apprenticeship on December 1st, 2012, just 3 years after graduating from Padua College. He was able to do this due to the School-Based Apprenticeship Program that students can undertake at Padua. Michael completed most of the first year of his apprenticeship while in Year 11 and 12. He also successfully completed his Senior studies, including 4 OP subjects.

At the recent ECA and Master Electricians Awards night, Michael took out the top award for apprentices in 2012.

He is also presenting a speech at the next ECA conference in a few weeks time.

Michael Egan will continue to work as a qualified electrician for Rob and Helen Davis of R & H Electrical (who have also employed Paduan 2010 Senior Jordan Bradley as an apprentice.)

Peter Egan
Year 6 Teacher
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Wednesday 14th November
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M Bishop
R Donzenac
C Palmer

Thursday 15th November
F Smith
R Wiseman
L Carey
C Perrett
K Cotter

Friday 16th November
H Hart
D Wood
L Hawthorne
K O’Rourke

Monday 19th November
N Andrews
P Hayes
R Bannerman
A LaRocca

Tuesday 20th November
M Bensted
S Harris
S Lipscombe
J Kennedy-Creighton
L Byrne

Wednesday 21st November
C Lewis
W Bell
C Brooks
S Brooks

Thursday 22nd November
L Millard
L Jones
S Usher
S Hoole

Friday 22nd March
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CRICKET AND VOLLEYBALL TRIALS (FOR 2013)

CRICKET

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VOLLEYBALL

Trial Time: 3.30pm – 4.30pm

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The final P&F meeting for the year will be held on the 13th of November, which will be the Annual General Meeting, including general business. Also at the meeting, all positions will be declared vacant and nominations called. Everyone is welcome, so please come along to show your support for the P&F and the college.

The meeting will be held in the staff room, located in St Francis Hall starting at 07:30pm, with a light supper provided afterwards.

Regards
John Titmarsh
P&F President
**G Sports Clinics** is a brand new program being offered exclusively to current and incoming **Padua primary** students during the first week of the Cath Ed. Christmas school holidays.

G Sports Clinics is designed to keep kids **fit and active** through the participation of a variety of sports and fitness activities in a safe, fun and supportive environment.

Great way to **meet** other boys starting at Padua Primary in 2013

**Play** cricket, soccer, touch football, basketball, volleyball, water polo, handball and heaps more.

Have exclusive **access** to Padua facilities including indoor gymnasium, basketball courts, swimming pool, cricket nets and oval.

Receive a **free** G Sports shirt

**DETAILS**

- **When:** 8am – 4pm  
  Mon 10\textsuperscript{th} - Friday 14\textsuperscript{th} Dec 2012  
- **Where:** Padua College 80 Turner Rd Kedron [secondary campus]  
- **Cost:** $35 per day or $150 for the week  
- **What to bring:**  
  - Morning tea, lunch, afternoon tea  
  - Hat, sunscreen  
  - Suitable footwear for sport [no football boots]  
  - Water Bottle  
  - Positive attitude

Limited positions available – contact Mr. Sean Graham (Padua Primary Teacher) for booking details:  
gsportsclinics@gmail.com or 0403726599
Second Hand Clothing

BLAZERS

- All blazers given for sale must be dry cleaned and on a hanger with covers.
- They must be in good wearing order with no rips nor stains.

ALL OTHER CLOTHING

- Must be in good order.
- No buttons missing.
- No paint or ink stains.
- No worn collars or ripped pockets.

Any clothing not deemed saleable by the convener will automatically be given to the Missions.

Clothing is kept for 12 months only and then automatically given to the Missions.

I would also like to thank all the helpers who give so tirelessly of their time during the year to help on the roster. They are a great asset to us and the shop would not turn as well as it does without their invaluable help.

I wish all of the Padua community a very Merry Christmas and a safe and prosperous 2013. To our Seniors, I wish all the luck in your endeavours and I hope you achieve all your hearts desire.

Cheryl Cacciola