Dear Parents

The holidays are upon us. Over the last month, there has been much activity in terms of assessment, QCS Tests, camps and co-curricular activities. I’m sure the students are ready for a break. The teachers certainly are. Thank you to everyone for all they have contributed to Padua over the last term. I hope that during the holidays, everyone can reflect on a good term and a job well done.

Recently, we have received notification of our students who were successful in their applications to the University of Queensland Young Scholars Program. Congratulations to Daniel Akers, Gurkirat Shergill, Hayden Wall, Joseph Moroney, James Weston and Jeff Zhou who will participate in the program towards the end of Term 4.

Later in the Bulletin you will find a Privacy Notice from the Australian Curriculum Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA). This outlines the provision and use of some information as part of their reporting process.

I hope that everyone has an enjoyable holiday and that everyone returns to Padua in Term 4 refreshed and ready for that dash towards the end of year.

Pace e bene

Robert Out
Some weeks ago there was a short article in *The Courier-Mail* about the dilemma facing priests who are asked to Baptise children of non Catholic parents. More often, I am asked to Baptise children of non-practising Catholics. Is there much difference in the requests?

Discussing the question in a Year 11 class, one lad opined that the Church should be open to all, another suggested in the Gospel terms, the sins of the parents should not be visited on their children!

What saddened me was the observation of another boy who said he was Baptised, but never went to Mass. Was such a boy only Baptised so he could possibly get to a Catholic school? Who knows!!

It is a total misinterpretation of what Baptism is about, and a exercise in hypocrisy to see Baptism in utilitarian terms (getting into a Catholic school). Baptism is the *fundamental* sacrament of the Church, where those baptised become members of the Church, the body of Christ. Only those baptised can receive the other Sacraments of the Church. And as the Liturgy of Baptism states, the baptised join a special Holy Community, with its own dogma (set of beliefs), it own rituals (especially the Sacrament of the Eucharist) and its own behavioural expectations (preferential option for the poor and vulnerable, and the values of the Sermon on the Mount etc) based on the teachings of Jesus Christ.

When, in the Liturgy of Baptism, I ask the parents if they are happy to raise their child in the Catholic faith (at which prayerful celebration of the Eucharist is a fundamental part), and such parents respond "Yes", clearly some really don't mean it, and make the Sacrament of Baptism nothing but a fraud.
One may well ask oneself whether children who have been Baptised, presumably because parents want them in Catholic schools, but then grow up without conscious Catholicism, should really be called Catholics, and members of the Church?

Maybe in admitting children into Catholic schools, the question should be asked, not if your child was baptised, but are and your child regular member of a worshipping sacramental Catholic community? Our schools may then be smaller, but they may more truly be Catholic Schools, and not moderate fee paying non-government schools.

Fr John
Please Pray for

Those who are sick
Especially
Br Matthew Beckman ofm
Ms Rosie Bozzi
Mother of Chris (Yr 6)

Those who have died
Mrs Cassandra Kerrisk
Mother of William (Yr 8)

From the Vice Rector Formation

Odoric and Boyd-Boland House Eucharists
A reminder that our last two House Eucharists for the year are scheduled in October. They are: Odoric House (16 October) and Boyd-Boland House (22 October). All families should have received their letter already. Your prompt reply is appreciated. Our House Eucharists are important College events which should be given a high priority by families. If unable to attend, your inability should be in the form of a written communication addressed to the House Guardian. Supper afterwards is always a good way to catch up with other families and staff. For Boyd-Boland Families this liturgy is significant because it is the first one and will be led by their House Patron, Fr John.

As part of our service to one another each of the Houses has assisted with the setting up of supper for the other Houses. This time, it is the turn of Boyd-Boland House families and their Student Leaders to look after supper for Odoric House and vice versa for Odoric House assisting with the supper for Boyd-Boland House. This does not mean you provide the supper but merely to help set it out what is brought along for everyone to enjoy after Mass. Please contact your House Guardian if you can help.

Timor Trip#2
Only a matter of days now before we leave for Timor again. This trip will be from 23 September to 1 October. Assisi school will be on exams when we arrive and will commence their FIRST school holidays since they started school at the end of January at the end of October! Teachers will be expected to remain at work and undergo professional development courses for the next three months until school resumes there in January. This has caused extra financial hardship on the school because it must continue paying its staff (those who are not hired by the Timorese Government) even though it will not be collecting school fees to pay them. Through the generosity of several other Franciscan Parishes and schools and the Provincial Justice, Peace and Integrity of Creation (JPIC) Committee I have been able to secure the necessary US$5,700 required for these teacher’s salaries. A significant portion of the teaching staff at Assisi School are called ‘Volunteer’ Teachers. They are paid by the school itself with a wage ranging from US$30 – US$90 depending on their training. Many of the Elementary School Teachers have little or no teacher training. This is an area we are looking into improving for the school in the future as part of our relationship with Assisi School.

Also, I will be looking at a scheme whereby individuals and families may wish to sponsor a child of the school. This sponsorship would include their school fees for a year and basic equipment. Ben Lowrie and I took this opportunity of doing this when we were there last time. For me, it is the chance to support a bright boy in Year 9. His name is Costanzo. I look forward journeying into the future with Costanzo until his graduation. You may wish to take up that opportunity yourselves when I bring back more information from this next visit. My commitment to Costanzo is $60 a year – an investment in the future of Timor-Leste! The School
From the Vice Rector Formation

fees range from: Senior School- $5 / month, Junior High - $3 / month, Elementary School - $1.50 / month, Kindergarten $1.50 / month and Boarding School fees $18 / month. If you would like to be considered for this type of sponsorship send a message via email mobrien@padua.qld.edu.au. This will be obligation-free.

Red Cross Blood Van
Padua’s community’s generosity never ceases to amaze me. Our Blood Donation Outreach keeps getting bigger all the time. I have over 60 boys who have returned their Consent Forms and more forms are still coming in! Notwithstanding the current issues with having no Donor Van available, I am looking at a plan involving transporting the boys to the Chermside Donor Centre to donate. This activity would be spread over a week or so. I will need parents to give permission for the boys to leave the school grounds for this as well. More details will be given to you when we return from holidays.

Franciscan Schools Social Justice Day
On Tuesday 15 October 10 Paduans will join others from Mt Alvernia, St Francis Crestmead, Assisi College Upper Coomera and Marymount College on the Gold Coast. This annual day is the fourth we have run with the theme of ‘Refugees and Asylum Seekers’. The day will include presentations, interactive games, discussion and a visit to an Eritrean Refugee Restaurant at Moorooka for a cultural immersion experience and lunch. The Franciscans are committed to the support of refugees and asylum seekers through many ministries it coordinates.

Islamic College of Brisbane (ICB) Student Visit
Also visiting the College on 15 October will be a group of Year 11 students from Brisbane’s only Islamic School. Their visit will be complement an earlier trip to their school by our Year 12 SOR students. Both girls and boys will join us for a morning of communal prayer, discussion, networking and interaction. The ICB girls will meet with girls from Mt Alvernia while the boys will enjoy a morning with our Year 11 boys. These events have become quite important to our two schools over these last couple of years. Meetings such as these dispel commonly held ignorance as well as help build new friendships based on mutual respect and fraternity.

Franciscan Week 2013
Our first week back next term is Franciscan Week!. Throughout the week we will have many events organised to celebrate our Franciscan heritage and tradition. A Programme of events is included in this Bulletin for your information.

The Feast Day of St Francis is Friday 4 October which falls in the holidays. If you could attend mass on that day or celebrate it in some small way yourselves you will join the many thousands of Franciscans worldwide who will be doing so. Pope Francis, himself, will be in Assisi this year to celebrate the day. The Feast Day begins the night before in an event called ‘The Transitus’ which commemorates the passing of St Francis from life into death during the night. Happy Feast Day everyone for 4 October.
Pilgrimage Fundraiser
Tickets for $10 are on sale for a visit to the Estee Lauder Warehouse at Milton on Saturday 26 October. This is a great way to bring your Christmas shopping at greatly discounted prices! Your ticket purchase assists the boys going on next year's Franciscan Pilgrimage in Sept/Oct. Call Sharyn Biddle on 3857 9907 to purchase and reserve your tickets for a great morning of fun!

Congratulations Year 6!
A big congratulations to our Year 6 boys and their teachers for preparation and attendance at the Parish Mass yesterday morning. The boys have just concluded a Unit in RE called 'Sacraments' and what a fitting way to end it by attending mass. A beautiful morning tea was shared under the tree with parents and parishioners. It was a lovely morning. Thank you to Fr Joseph and Mr Casey for their important roles in making this event a really special one for Year 6.

Peace and all Good everyone! Have a great holiday as prepare for the final term of the year.

Michael O’Brien

Franciscan Pilgrimage
Estee Lauder Warehouse Visit
Saturday 26 October
10am-4pm
$10 per ticket
RSVP: Sharyn Biddle
Ph 3857 9907 or email sbiddle@padua.qld.edu.au
FRANCISCAN WEEK PROGRAMME 2013

MONDAY (7 OCTOBER)
• Public Holiday

TUESDAY (8 OCTOBER)
• Daily Morning Prayer (AM PC)
• October Rosary – Yr 5 (Marian Grotto – Little Flower Church) M/Tea
• Lunchtime Basketball Match Staff v Students / Lunchtime Concert – FCIP Percussion (La Cordelle)
• St Vinnies Mens Hostel Roster Visit
• Sacramental Mass 7 pm (Little Flower Church)

WEDNESDAY (9 OCTOBER)
• Daily Morning Prayer (AM PC)
• Blessing of the Animals 9.00 am – 10.00 am (Greccio Campus)
• “Francis Remembers” Prayer Service (Mt Alvernia College)
• Parish Wednesday Mass and Morning Tea
• October Rosary – Yr 6 (Marian Grotto – Little Flower Church) M/Tea
• Lunchtime FCIP Concert - FCIP Rock Band (Assisi Campus)

THURSDAY (10 OCTOBER)
• Daily Morning Prayer (AM PC)
• St Francis Eucharist (La Cordelle 1.30 pm)
• Staff Lunch (St Francis Hall)
• Morning Tea Concert – ‘AllThingsLost’ Guest Band
• October Rosary – Yr 7 (Marian Grotto – Little Flower Church) M/Tea
• Padua Primary/St Anthony’s Dance (La Cordelle) 6.30 pm – 8.30 pm

FRIDAY (11 OCTOBER)
• Casual Dress Day (Whole College)
• Daily Morning Prayer (AM PC)
• BCE Launch of New RE Program - Brisbane
• October Rosary – Yr 8 (Marian Grotto – Little Flower Church) M/Tea
• Padua/St Anthony’s Games Rotation & BBQ (11.00 am – 12.30 pm)
• House Celebration Day (Winning House)
• Franciscan Week Staff Convivium (Friary 3.30 pm – 5.00 pm)
• St Francis Dance (Years 9-12, Venue TBA)
From the
Pastoral Care Team

Nally Cup Winners

This week Padua College announced the winners of the Ed Nally Cup. The Ed Nally Cup is the Inter-House competition that allows each boy to amass points for their House through participation, community service, academic excellence and a variety of other College activities.

The battle for the Nally Cup is one of the most fiercely fought competitions in the school as enables the winner 12 months of bragging rights and a trip to Wet ‘N’ Wild during Franciscan week.

Congratulations must go to House Leaders, Jackson Hanley and Cal- lum Brady and to Mr Cull and all of Grigg House for taking out the 2013 Nally Cup.

Information for parents regarding the visit to Wet ‘N’ Wild will be distribut- ed to families in the coming weeks.

Term 4 Uniform

With the holidays fast approaching I would like to remind all families of the change of uniform for Term 4. All students will revert to the summer uniform. This includes the College short sleeve shirt and College shorts. Stu- dents will also be expected to again wear the College socks pulled up to just below their knees with an accompanying garter.

Upon their return, students will also be expected to meet the hair and grooming expectations of the College. Students who do not meet these ex-pectations may be sent home and asked to refrain from attending school until these expectations are met.

Bike Theft

Over the last few weeks there have been two bike thefts from the College. To ensure the safety of student pushbikes, parents and carers are asked to check any boy who rides to school has their own bike lock and uses it appropriately.

Student Absence

In the event a student is absent or is going to be absent, all families should prioritise contacting either:

The College Absentee Line: 3857 99 00
College Absentee Email: absent@padua.qld.edu.au or absence@padua.qld.edu.au

All Absentee information should come from a parent, guardian or carer. Stu- dents emailing their own absentee information will not be accepted.
Term 4 Exam Blocks

I have already had requests for term time absence, the procedure for which is listed below. For your reference, I have included a guide below to when exams will be taking place in Term 4. In addition, please note that the College has decided to provide the Year 10’s with the same exam privileges in Term 4 as their Year 11 counterparts and therefore, the Year 10’s will take part in an external exam block, meaning that they are only required at the College for published exams during that time. Exam Timetables and Assessment Calendars will be issued next term.

Year 12 (External) – Tuesday 05/11 to Tuesday 12/11
Year 11 (External) – Thursday 21/11 to Friday 29/11
Year 10 (External) – Tuesday 26/11 to Friday 29/11
Years 8 & 9 (Internal) – Tuesday 26/11 to Thursday 28/11 (Exams and study times allocated)
Years 5, 6 & 7 – No formal exam block will be allocated – Students will sit exams and submit assessment as stipulated by the teacher – An Assessment Calendar published in Term 4 as a guide but these Calendars are subject to change.

Requesting Term Time Absence

The procedure for requesting term time absence for your son is outlined below. All requests for term time absence should be directed to the Rector and upon receipt of that communication, you will be emailed the procedures and considerations and a notification form which must be submitted to the Vice Rector of Teaching and Learning at least two weeks prior to the planned absence.

Extended absence is considered detrimental to a student’s academic progress because students miss valuable learning experiences including preparation for assessment and examinations. Accordingly, it is the expectation of the College that students are in attendance during the term as specified in the calendar and that parents make vacation arrangements during the sixteen weeks scheduled for school holidays. As such, Teaching and Learning programs and assessment schedules are developed on this premise. However, should there be a need to remove a student from the College for a planned reason, the following procedure and considerations apply:

The College Calendar listing term dates is available on the College Website. Prior notice of examination dates and times are provided in the Assessment
**Calendar and Examination Timetable.**
A written communication to the Rector should be sent with at least four weeks’ notice of the planned absence.
The notification form will be emailed to you upon receipt of your email to the Rector and must be completed and returned to the College at least two weeks’ prior to the planned absence.
Teachers will be informed following the return of the notification form.
The College is not under any obligation to provide any additional work for the student.

Students in Year 11 and 12 must adhere to QSA policies and planned absence resulting in missed assessment will impact on the student’s ability to fulfil the requirements of the course.

Should a student miss a scheduled assessment item, parents need to be aware that the College will not reschedule the assessment at an earlier time as this invalidates the integrity of the assessment. The possibility of rescheduling after the set date will be considered on a case by case basis in consultation with the Heads of Curriculum and the Head of Curriculum 5-9 or Head of Curriculum 10-12.

Should an assessment item be missed completely due to term time absence, the teacher will negotiate with the Heads of Curriculum to determine what action will be taken. QSA policies apply for students in Years 11 and 12.

It is expected that all work missed by the student will be followed up by them on their return and it is the responsibility of the student and their families to monitor their progress.

**Online course materials via Blackboard may be available to support this process.**

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**Reports**

This term, you will receive a Pastoral Care Report for your son, and not an Academic Report. The Pastoral Care Reports will be mailed after the Holidays and should arrive home around Week 2 of Term 4. The next Academic Report will be for all of Semester 2 and will be mailed home in the first week of the Christmas holidays.

**Student Support**

A common question that parents often ask is what support Padua offers for students. The boys are well aware that our Library is open from 8am every morning, and closes at 4pm every afternoon. In addition, our Head of Senior Studies, Ms Dwyer, opens Sem 4 most lunch times as a senior study room for Years 10, 11 and 12 and our Academic committee runs peer tutoring sessions once a week for students in years 8 to 10. If your son requires additional support, he should contact his teacher directly, utilize the Library or avail himself of one of the study or peer tutoring sessions.

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**One Punch Can Kill**

This very circumstance could happen to you.

Always ‘Walk Away and Chill Out.’

One punch can kill!
School Fee Accounts

School fee accounts for Semester 2 were sent by mail on the 19th July, 2013 and were due for payment by the 20th August, 2013. This was the final account for the year.

If you are NOT paying your account by direct debit your fees are now overdue. Please arrange for settlement of your account prior to commencement of Term 4.

Please Note: All parents receive a statement – whether you pay directly to the College or have a Direct Debit in place.

Compulsory School Bags
Will be introduced in 2014.
More information will follow in subsequent Bulletins.
As we enter another holiday period, a couple of tips regarding the iPads:

Vitamin D and exercise are important for good health and good sleep patterns.

Parental controls can be set to ensure that your son doesn’t spend large amounts of money buying coins and gems in online games. [Link](http://support.apple.com/kb/HT4213)

Make sure you haven’t got credit card detail on your son’s itunes account!

Household chores = iPad time (great for getting your son to do jobs around the house!)

Don’t be afraid to take your son’s iPad with you if you are concerned about the amount of time he spends on it!

*Extract from article on Internet Use Disorder (AccessEAP)*

**Are you addicted to the internet?**

- Do you start to become angry or irritable when your internet use is reduced or taken away?
- Can you control the time and use of these devices?
- Does your use cause conflict in relationships, job, study or family?
- Does your health start to suffer eg. Lack of sleep, exercise, poor diet?
- Have you become socially isolated spending more time on the computer and phone than with friends or family?

**10 Tips to Reset the Brain**

1. Start limiting your use of the smart phone, internet or gaming activity.
2. Exercise regularly as it is a key factor in changing neurological patterns and obsessions.
3. Be conscious of spending time in nature and leaving technology at home for a few hours.
4. Meditate for 10 minutes a day, which means closing your eyes and breathing.
5. Every 2 hours take a walk away from technology for 10 minutes.
6. Focus on connecting with people either by reconnecting with friends or family or exploring new social activities or hobbies.
7. Create a good sleeping pattern by going to bed in the evening and having 7-9 hours sleep and eat a nutritious diet.
8. Be aware of any other addictive behaviours ie. Smoking, drugs, alcohol, that do not enhance your well-being.
9. Expand your interests and hobbies eg. a sporting activity, dancing, learn a musical instrument or language.
10. Do something every day that makes you feel good and that does not involve using technology.

*Please remember that your son’s iPad will be checked by his PC/Class Teacher on the first day back to ensure that all holiday entertainment (games, movies etc) have been removed.*

Have a happy and safe holiday.

Tanya Anderson
Book Week 2013 has been a great experience for our Greccio Campus students. Our week began on Monday with classes visiting the library for art and craft activities based on the Children’s Book Council of Australia’s short listed books. On Tuesday, Greccio was graced with many brilliant book characters at the Book Parade. Congratulations to all for the effort put into creating these amazing costumes. Prizes were awarded to the following students:

Year 5
Ethan Patti (Chitty Chitty Bang Bang),
Joe Downes (Tashi),
Jacob Williamson (Hagrid),
Blake Gladwin (Jack Sparrow), and
Artie Nicholls (Pirate)

Year 6
Joshua McBay and Mason Wilson (Tweedle Dee and Tweedle Dumb),
Tom McColl (Billy the Punk), and
Ethan Apruzese (Greg Heffley)

Year 7
Joe Cox (Thing One),
Tom Brunker (Hagrid),
Noah Magnus (Skulduggery Pleasant)
Best staff costume was awarded to Year 5s Mr David Yeo (Tin Tin).

Readers Cup Challenge and Trivia Quizzes
We witnessed some super team work during the Inaugural Padua College Year 6 Readers Cup Challenge. The boys competed well, in what was to be a very closely contested fight for final placings. All are congratulated for participating with enthusiasm and commitment.

Congratulations to ‘The Book Breakers’: Joey De Pasquale, Douglas Carr and Nihshon Pereira as the 2013 Readers Cup Champions for Year 6!

The Year 7 Readers Cup Challenge was contested on Thursday to conclude this term’s reading initiative. Congratulations to the ‘Dumbledorks’: Alex Downes, Nik Moffatt-Klokiw, Zac Simpson and Ken Mossop, as the 2013 Readers Cup Champions!

Wednesday and Thursday highlighted not only our Year 5 book trivia experts but also the boys’ ability to work and have fun in teams.
Visiting Author

Best selling author, Michael Gerard Bauer captivated each year level on Friday with his hilarious anecdotes and tips for weaving lived experiences into the writing process. He loved our ‘Wall of Eric’ tribute to his character Eric Vale, on which every student posted his own name in rhyme.

Congratulations to students and staff for their enthusiasm throughout Book Week 2013.

Many thanks also, to parents, friends and loved ones who encourage reading for both fun and learning.

We look forward to Book Week 2014!
A unique opportunity to promote your business directly to the Franciscan Community in a targeted marketing approach that ensures the audience is receptive to your values & ethos.

To secure your online advertising spot or for more information, email fothdirectory@pcgraphicart.com.au or call 07 3358 4654.

PC Graphic Art will manage all FOTH Directory bookings & payments on behalf of the FOTH Schools.
Padua College Race day 2014

PADUA COLLEGE FOUNDATION RACE DAY

Derby Day
Saturday November 2 2013
12.00 pm
Eagle Farm Race Course

TICKETS $140
THIS INCLUDES
Entry to the track + Past the Post Marquee
5 Hour Food and Beverage package

Dress Code
Gentlemen are required to wear a collared shirt, tailored trousers, covered dress shoes, plus either a tie or suit jacket or blazer.

Ladies are required to be dressed neatly in keeping with contemporary standards, no bare midriffs.

To purchase your tickets (no refunds) contact Sharyn Biddle on 3857 9907
Tickets are limited so get in early to avoid disappointment.
Invitation 2014 Europe Rugby Tour High Tea

Please join us for an afternoon of champagne, high tea and shopping as we fundrais for the 2014 Europe Rugby Tour

Date: Saturday 12th October, 2.00pm start at La Forneta following by high tea at 2.45pm in La Corielle
Price: $50 per person
Includes: Sparkling on arrival, sweet and savoury high tea, tote bag gift, lucky door prizes, raffles, auctions and a fashion parade by the rugby team!

Please complete the attached booking form and return to Padua office or fax to 5837 9888 by 20 September 2014. Please let us know of any dietary requirements.
Padua High Tea
Saturday 12 October, 2pm
Supporting the 2014 Europe Rugby Tour

Name:
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Address:
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Mobile number:
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Are you joining a particular table?

PAYMENT

Amount ($50 per person)

$______________________________

☐ Direct Deposit BSB: 064 786 Account No.: 100896002 Account Name: Padua College

Please ensure you enter surname and High Tea and email nicoler@bigpond.net.au to advise payment has been made.

☐ Mastercard ☐ Visacard

Card number: __________________________

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Signature: __________________________

Upon payment this becomes a tax invoice. Padua College ABN 20 072 693 700.

Post: Padua College, PO Box 111, Kedron QLD 4031 Fax: 073357 9988

For more information and table selection please email: nicoler@bigpond.net.au

Booking Form – Fax to 3857 9988
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PRIVACY NOTICE

Information required to determine the *Index of Community Socio-educational Advantage* (ICSEA) for schools

This notice is from the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA), to advise you that ACARA has requested your child’s school to provide ACARA with information about you and your child. Your school may disclose to ACARA information such as your child’s gender, date of birth, country of birth, background language, residential address, parental occupation and parental education.

This information is disclosed to ACARA under the *ACARA Act 2008* for one or both of the following purposes:

- formulating national reports consisting of aggregated data on school performance; and
- assisting government to formulate policies in relation to education matters.

ACARA will not disclose this personal information to any third party. If you do not want your school to provide this information to ACARA, please advise your school within seven (7) days of receiving this notice.

Further information about ACARA can be obtained from the ACARA website at [www.acara.edu.au](http://www.acara.edu.au).
GALA NIGHT FOR PADUA COLLEGE BASKETBALL TOUR USA 2014

Walk the red carpet to support the first Padua College Basketball Tour USA 2014

SATURDAY 26TH OCTOBER 6:30 FOR A 7PM START

LA CORDELL | PADUA COLLEGE | TURNER RD | KEDRON

$45 PER HEAD INCLUDES 2 COURSE SPIT ROAST DINNER
PRIZES | AUCTIONS | NOVELTIES & ENTERTAINMENT | CASH BAR

HOSTED BY RADIO PERSONALITY AND CELEBRITY AUCTIONEER
PAUL "CAMPO" CAMPION

BASKETBALL MONSTER RAFFLE DRAWN ON THE NIGHT

GREAT AUCTION ITEMS, RAFFLES, $100 KNOCKOUT
(100 TICKETS @ $100 EACH, LAST PLAYERS STANDING WIN $$)

Ticket inquiries: paduabballtour@gmail.com

Ticket orders - reserve your tickets before the night is sold out using the attached Ticket Order Form

DRESS UP IN GLAMOROUS HOLLYWOOD STYLE
BASKETBALL GALA NIGHT
Inquiries and table information: paduabballtour@gmail.com

1. (Tickets are $45 per person, 10 guests per table)
2. Cash payments can be left in sealed envelope with this form at Padua College Office
3. Bank transfer - payments to the bank below and email the details on this form to paduabballtour@gmail.com or leave at college office

Name ......................................................................................................................
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Nominate to join a table or name your own table:
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Inquiries and table information: paduabballtour@gmail.com

PAYMENT DETAILS- please complete
☐ Tickets @ $45 each    Total $________
☐ CASH or ☐ BANK TRANSFER

Bank Transfer to
ANZ Bank    Eagle Street
BSB: 014015   A/C NO: 285633329
   Name: Padua Basketball Tour

(PLEASE send this form to Padua Office or directly email paduabballtour@gmail.com AFTER TRANSFER)

Upon payment this becomes a tax invoice (Padua College ABN: 20 072 693 700)
As our year end approaches, I would like to remind everyone that when placing second hand clothing for sale, all items must be in good, wearable condition.

**Blazers** must be in good order, dry cleaned, on a coat hanger and still covered in the plastic bag from the dry cleaners. These will be held for three years. If they are not successfully sold, you will be informed so you can decide what you would like done with the blazer.

All other second hand clothing will be kept for one year only. It will then automatically be donated to the Missions.

The Convenor will price all items and also decide if an item is suitable for resale or not. Clothing bought second hand cannot be resold again, EXCEPT FOR BLAZERS.

Cheryl Caccola
Convenor

### Special Trading Days

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As the AIC Sporting seasons break for the September holidays there is still much to achieve upon our return in Term 4. The Basketball and Tennis season have three round remaining and, of course, the AIC Track and Field Championships take place two weeks after the holidays. There will be information following that will outline the expectations for the Track and Field Athletes over the next two weeks.

Congratulations to all the CIC coaching staff and sportsmen on the conclusion of the CIC Sporting season. Many hours of training have taken place across the year and the boys are fortunate to have such dedicated staff. The 3rd place finish at last week’s CIC Track and Field Championships was a fine result and a positive way to conclude the primary sporting calendar. In 2014, the CIC competition will change in nature with the GPS schools no longer involved. 2013 was the last of a long history for the association in its current form.

The Padua boy’s Hockey team finished the Brisbane Schoolboy competition in a credible 3rd place after defeating BBC in their final game last Friday. The 5-4 victory was a real opportunity for our two Australian representatives to display their talents and they certainly didn’t disappoint. Danny Fletcher and Adam Battans produced stunning games to lead the team to a much deserved victory. Congratulations to all the players and Mrs Lyn Welch and Mr Michael Speranza for looking after the team throughout the season.

As mentioned earlier, the AIC Track and Field Championships take place after the holidays. It is important that the boys take advantage of training and competition opportunities that are provided for them. Below is the timetable of training in the first week of the holidays and the Invitational meet and Training clinic that will occur across the last weekend. Please be aware that Monday October 7 is a public holiday, however we are still holding a Training Clinic for all squad members on that morning.

**Padua College Track and Field**

**September Holiday Training Schedule - 2013**

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**Acting Head of Sport**
*** Except for Middle distance all training at Padua as normal.

All students who attend the Invitational meet and the Training Clinics will be charged $35 (this will be added to your Term 4 Fees). This will include covering costs for hiring of the venue, specialised coaches and a Track and Field Tee Shirt. Those selected to compete at the AIC Championships will also receive the official Team Shirt.

Each day you are to bring your own morning tea or money to purchase food/drink.

These holiday sessions are VERY important to our preparation for the AIC Championships. It is an expectation that all members of the Training Squad will be in attendance.

I would like to wish all Padua sportsmen and their families a restful holiday and that the boys recharge their batteries for the final weeks of competition when we return to school.

Yours in Sport

Justin Carroll
Last Tuesday, the P&F held the September meeting. At this meeting, Mr Peter Morris and two of the boys who attended the International Space Settlement Design competition in America, presented to the meeting. It was an insight into the wonderful journey they took to America to attend the competition. The team were successful finishing second in the world. Well done boys.

Further discussions were had regarding the P&F’s commitment for funding to support the College. This year, the P&F will hand over approximately $40,000. This will be put towards renovating the Entrance into the Padua Playing Fields at Banyo.

The P&F also provided a financial contribution to student, Danny Fletcher, who has recently competed at the National Hockey championships and was selected for the Australian Hockey Team, well done Danny and good luck for your trip to South Africa.

Next month the P&F will be hosting the Thank You Dinner for volunteers. If you have volunteered your time at the College this year, whether it be in the classroom, tuckshop or at P&F events, you are most welcome. Please make sure you respond to the flyer in the Bulletin.

**Date claimers:**

- 8 October 2013 - general meeting
- 18 October 2013 - P&F Volunteer Thank You Function
- 12 November 2013 - Annual General Meeting with a guest speaker from QPsych

Don’t miss these wonderful opportunities, supper will be provided afterwards.

*Regards*
Karen Caughey
P&F Volunteers
Thank You Function

Where  Outside the Tuckshop @ Padua College
When   6.00pm Friday 18 October 2013
RSVP   14/10/13 to admin@padua.qld.edu.au
or Robyn Layton rlayton@padua.qld.edu.au
or call 3857 9999
Dear Parents,

We are on the Padua P&F Association committee for 2013 as the Pastoral Care Parents or we like to think, Community Care Parent. Our aim with the P & F is to bring families together to “enhance the Franciscan values of hospitality and welcome”.

**Parent Pastoral Care House Committee**

We thank those parents that have returned the ‘Family Response Sheet’ earlier this year. At the Assisi campus, we have now emailed out a contact lists for each House. There is a parent representative for each House. Should the need arise to provide a meal and to provide House Eucharists event support, these representatives will be in contact via email from their contact list. It is never too late to join your House contact list, please fill in Family response sheet return to the office or via email admin@padua.qld.edu.au

**House Eucharists**

Traditionally, families provide a plate of food for supper to enjoy after each House Eucharist. **Odoric House** will hold their Eucharist on 16 October. Greg Lavey will contact Boyd-Boland families for assistance on this evening. Similarly, on the 23rd October 2013, **Boyd-Boland** House have their Eucharist. Marty Raadschelders, Acting Odoric House Guardian, will send an email to Odoric families looking for volunteers to help set up, serve & clean up after the Boyd-Boland Eucharist.

If you would like to volunteer for this House Eucharist evening, please fill in the Family response sheet as mentioned earlier. In addition, to assist with our tasks and help us with our communications, we would appreciate it if you can indicate on this form ways your family can contribute or suggestions for how to help in the Padua Community.

Thank-you for your support,

**Have a happy & safe Term break**

Dianna (Di) Morris  
Community Care Coordinator  
Assisi Campus

Lisa Marini  
Parent Pastoral Care Coordinator  
Greccio Campus
# Padua Parent Community Care Program – Family Response Sheet

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## Parent Pastoral Care Committee:
I would like to nominate for a role on the Pastoral Care House Committee for 2013  

## Pastoral Care Assistance:
I am happy to help:  
Supply a meal  
Provide transport to/from school  
Help out school events  
Other: Please specify:  

I give my permission for my contact information to be included on the list for my son’s year/house: YES  
NO

Parent signature:  

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Padua Year 8 Parents

Fancy a drink, coffee or maybe dessert?

While our boys are putting their recently acquired moves into action at the Year 8 Dance, all parents are invited to a casual get-together.

Venue: Brothers Grange Community Sports Club
       41 Agincourt Street, The Grange

Date: Thursday 19 September 2013

Time: 7.30pm til around 9.15pm.

(Parents are invited to La Cordelle from 9.25pm to watch the students or take photos. Dance finishes at 9.45pm).

RSVP: By 16.9.13 to Melanie Kamp milkamp@idcloud.com

NB: The club requires you to sign in as you enter.
   The club’s kitchen closes at 8pm for meal orders.
   Bar will be open and hot beverages, cakes and desserts available all night.
Padua & Mt Alvernia College

30 Year Reunion
(Yr10 – ’81, Yr11 – ’82, Yr12 – ’83)
Saturday 12th October

9:30am Meet at respective school for a tour
10:30am Morning tea at Kids Space, Chermside (Family)
6:30pm Dinner (Adults) – Chermside Bowls Club, 468 Rode Rd, Chermside. Barefoot bowls and cheap drinks will also be available on the night.

If you are interested, or know of an Old Boy or former Mt Alvernia from these years, please get in touch with Giga Jayawardhana Ph:07 32631768 or e-mail: pj@acclique.com

Taken at 10 Year Reunion
Class of 1973

40th School Reunion
FRIDAY 22nd November
Further details to be advised.
Contact: Peter McCabe -
Work 312 42 069 or
e-mail:
pmccabe @abm.net.au
to register your
interest
Dear Parents

Padua Amateur Swimming Club will commence the next swimming season on Friday 11 October 2013 at Padua Senior College pool.

As many would be aware the Padua Swim Club runs a family orientated yet competitive meet that runs on Friday nights during Term 4 2013 and Term 1 2014 at the Padua Pool. Club nights start at 6pm with the first race commencing at 6.30pm.

Membership of the club provides the following benefits.

- Participation in at least 15 family-orientated Friday club nights
- Qualifying swimmers can compete at Club Championships
- Prizes at the end of the year for all swimmers
- Ability to nominate for and compete at BSA/QSA events

Club membership

- $70 per child (for child 1 and 2 in a family)
- $50 for the third child in a family
- $30 for 4th and subsequent swimmers in a family

Padua Swim Club gives children the opportunity to swim in races within their own age groups and improve their swimming in a friendly and social environment. If your child is 7yrs of age or under at the time of registration you are not required to pay the membership fee of $70 however you will still need to complete the registration form for each child.

Races start at 12.5 metres for young children first starting to swim at the club up to the senior students. All applications to join the club will be taken again this year online at http://www.paduaswim.org.au/.

The committee is looking forward to another great swimming season. I look forward to seeing you all at the first Padua Amateur Swimming Club Night on Friday 11 October 2013.

If you have any questions or other inquiries please do not hesitate to call me for assistance.

Yours sincerely

Mick O’Dowd
President
Padua Amateur Swimming Club
0410 524 638
SAFE SCHOOLIES 2013

Do you have a student who wants to go to schoolies in 2013 or 2014?

If so come along to a free Parents and Students seminar being held by Police from North Brisbane District on helping your school leavers to experience a Safe Schoolies.

There will be guest speakers on hand to provide a variety of information including, Laws and Consequences, Rights and Responsibilities, common problems faced by students at Schoolies, Strategies to celebrate safely and to answer any other questions you may have.

6.45pm for 7pm start Wednesday 16th October 2013
Longtan room
Kedron Wavell RSL, Hamilton Rd Chermside.
Cost: FREE
Light refreshments will be provided.

Due to limited spots and catering BOOKINGS are ESSENTIAL.

To Book or for further information please call 3364 3313.

This event is being run by North Brisbane District Police Crime Prevention Unit and is supported by Blue Light Qld.
Students have thoroughly enjoyed clinics recently conducted by Queensland Oztag at schools throughout the area.

Oztag is a non-contact sport for boys & girls in a friendly team environment where the children are encouraged and praised for their efforts. Oztag referees are trained to get all players involved and also coach players as they referee.

The Junior Season starts on the 11th September with Registration sessions on the 28th August & 4th September.

The Wavell Heights Competition is played at Shaw Sports on Shaw Rd and runs for 10 weeks with games between 4 & 6pm; please note games are not played through school holidays. Cost is $80 per junior player. Compulsory Oztag shorts are $20.

Teams can be submitted or you can register individually (or as a group) and be placed in a team. 10 players are recommended per team and girls and boys can play. For further information please visit www.wavellheightsoztag.com, email us at wavellheights@oztag.com, or phone Troy on 0438 566 435.

If you’re looking for a Summer sport, bring them down and play this great game in a fun, friendly & safe environment.
Resilience skills for a new Generation!

Book now for Term 4 groups!

Confident Kids is an innovative and interactive program for kids aged 5 - 14 designed to boost confidence, emotional resilience, social skills and brain power.

Kids learn simple strategies to reduce worries, anxiety, self-doubt or negative thinking so they can achieve their full potential. The Confident Kids program will give your child self-esteem tools to keep confidence steady and strong throughout their life!

Program includes parent support and workshop. Facilitated by experienced psychologists who are passionate about helping kids be all they can be. Places are limited so hurry.

Groups held at our Paddington clinic. Medicare and Private health fund rebates apply. For more details visit www.confidentkidsandteens.com.au or email info@positivefamilies.com.au for an Information pack, or phone us on 3368 1307.
ASPLEY ATHLETICS CLUB

Established 2001 Affiliated with QLD Athletics Association Ltd
Kedron-Wavell Services Club Ltd & Aspley Little Athletics Centre
Website: www.aspleyathletics.org.au

Ages
All Ages to Masters

Season
1st October 2013 - 30 September 2014

Coaching
Mon & Wed Evenings
7.00pm - 8.30pm
All Track and Field Events

Where
Paul O'Brien Oval, Bowden Park
Maidencombe St, Geebung

Cost
$250 P Platinum
$150 Traditional
$100 Gold Pass
$60 Dual Registered Athlete
$60 QA Base Membership

Refer to Queensland Athletics Website for full details of the various membership levels.

This includes membership of Kedron-Wavell Services Club for one adult for two years – 2013-2014. And club membership of $30.00

For more information contact:
A) Mark Tarnawski • 0412 033 698 • tarnawsk@optusnet.com.au

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