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The Rector



Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews

I trust that all families had an enjoyable break over the holidays. This week, we will see the issuing of Semester One reports and this will be followed closely by Parent/Student/Teacher (PST) interviews on Wednesday July 19 and Monday July 24. A

look at the calendar for the start of this term shows that College co-curricular life is certainly very busy, however our core business as always is teaching and learning.

While a lot of energy goes into the issuing of academic reports, the report is only as good as the subsequent conversation that it generates. These conversations, which begin firstly at home and then continue at Parent/Student/Teacher interviews, are not driven by comparisons to others in the class or the number of "As" awarded, but are focused on whether the student has done their best. As parents and teachers this is our hope for our children. While there are many factors that contribute to improving student learning, research tells us that feedback is amongst the most significant influences. To this end, the PST Interviews provide a great opportunity for parents/guardians to be present when their son receives this feedback from their teacher. Without these meaningful conversations, the report becomes merely a transcript of results and the opportunity to improve or celebrate learning success is lost.

All boys will also be asked to complete a review of their results and learning attributes for Semester 1 prior to attending the interview.

All parents are encouraged to attend the interviews, even if the teacher has not requested an interview.

Classroom focus – Assessment Capable Learners

Ensuring our students are assessment capable learners is one of the most important things we do in schools to raise student achievement. This term, our teacher professional learning program is focusing on building assessment capable learners through the use of learning goals and success criteria. John Hattie says that assessment capable learners:

- Know about their learning and can plan their next learning steps
- Are active in their learning
- Understand the assessment tasks being used and the results
- Understand the learning goals of each lesson
- Use success criteria to check if they have met the learning goal
- Can answer – How am I going? Where am I going with my learning and Where can I go to for help?

This term our teachers will be using Learning Goals and Success Criteria in order to make learning more visible to students. Being clear about the learning intention and how students can demonstrate success with their learning is one of the keys to making learning more accessible for our students. These are also a good way for parents to check with their son around what learning took place during the day, hopefully avoiding the stock standard response of 'nothing'.

Welcome to New Staff and Students

This term we welcomed the following new staff to Padua:

Lucy Brindley – Replacing Mark Taylor who is on Long Service Leave for Term 3

Rebecca Potter – Replacing Maria- Nella Di Mauro

Lyn Vickers – Greccio Reception

Confraternity League Carnival

Congratulations to our parents, staff and students who were involved in the Confraternity Rugby League Carnival. The

hosting of the 38th Confraternity Carnival was a big undertaking and the carnival certainly demonstrated the incredible community support at Padua. We have had very positive feedback from many who attended the carnival and almost without exception, they spoke about the community spirit and sense of welcome that was demonstrated by our staff, parents and students.

As the President of QISSRL, I witnessed firsthand the many hours of work that staff from Padua contributed to deliver Confraternity 2017. In particular, I recognise the many hours of work put in by the carnival convenors – Ben Lowrie and Paul Mansfield. Like many others involved in the carnival, they invested their time because they believe in the spirit of confraternity and the benefits that come from such events. The carnival is certainly bigger than the game of rugby league and I know that boys who played in the carnival, along with the parents and staff who supported the carnival, experienced an event that showcased the broader benefits of Catholic education.

Other Holiday Activities

Along with the Confraternity Rugby League Carnival we also had many staff involved in other co-curricular activities over the holiday break. Thanks to the staff who supported the following:

- The Japanese Tour
- The Basketball carnival on the Gold Coast along with the Basketball clinic at Padua
- The Cross Country Camp at Amaroo
- The FCIP Music Camp.

Peace and all good,

Mr Peter Elmore
Rector

The Chaplain



Is today's golden calf, and today's religion nothing more than consumerism? Well the eminent scholar Harvey Cox in "The Market as God" (Harvard University Press, 2017) seems to think so. In his most recent book he argues that the market economy has become deified in our contemporary world. Cox's overall tone is scholarly and genial.

His is not unlike the observations of Pope Francis who even while being critical of the ideology of the business world, notes the ways institutional Christianity has fallen prey to the worship of money as well - think of the World Youth Days in various countries and the cost of young people wanting to attend; or the desire of Holy Years to increase the worldly profits of the innkeepers of Rome.

In the Pope's Letter, 2013 "The Joy of the Gospel" he criticises the notion that when rich people become wealthier, then the poor will benefit - "the trickle-down theory".

Cox argues that the deified Market has formed and shaped humanity into our present state through a series of religious-like elements. He writes, "The content of traditional religions is

made up of narratives: myths, legends, parables, liturgies, and testimonies," and that "Madison Avenue knows this secret too." Like an Omnipotent God, the Market knows our needs and desires via focus groups and big data." As a customer of Amazon Books, I see how Amazon does this most successfully, almost hauntingly too well!

Now, it is not our churches that are full, but our Westfield temple is! Time to reflect again on the words of Pope Francis, "In the prevailing culture, priority is given to the outward, the immediate, the quick, the superficial and the provisional. What is real gives way to appearances." Para 62, "The Joy of the Gospel." Reflecting on contemporary advertising commercials, how true are the Pope's observations.

Now too, we have the language of 'fake news' and 'real news' – and a U.S. President for whom feelings have primacy, whose words have no real meaning, and who too readily communicates important policy measures on 'twitter'!! This is not an easy world in which to live the Good News of Jesus.

Fr John Boyd-Boland ofm

Sacraments of Initiation

I begin a program of instruction this term for boys preparing for Baptism, Confirmation and First Communion. It begins Week 2, 17th July.

PARENTS- if you have contacted me, would you mind confirming this. For any newcomers, please email me by Monday 17th July if you want your child in the program.

Many thanks,

Fr. John (jboyd-boland@padua.qld.edu.au)

*****The Mass at which these boys will receive these Sacraments is on MONDAY 28th AUGUST, 2017 - 7.00PM at The Little Flower Parish Church, Kedron.**

DETERMINATION

I think that most of us have learnt that one of the most important ingredients of success, is determination. Clearly, determination in itself is not a virtue; you might be determined to live a life of organised crime, or determined to do harm to another person. Then too, you might be determined to raise money for some worthy cause, or become a medical researcher seeking a cure for cancer.

Determination is about focusing your energies and effort into accomplishing a goal. You are prepared to make sacrifices for the sake of what you are setting out to do. This takes strength of character and self-discipline. Boys who are involved in cross-country running exemplify this characteristic of determination, those who take up a musical instrument, likewise need the determination to constant practice, as do those who genuinely want to succeed at their studies. You have to admire such young men!

Fr John Boyd-Boland ofm

From the Pastoral Care Team

As members of a society that is increasingly influenced by the rapid development of technology, it is sometimes easy to lose sight of the importance of interpersonal relationships. In building and developing relationships, boys learn to develop resilience, independence, discipline and accountability.

At Padua, we teach the virtues of courtesy and respect as two key components of a successful relationship. Unfortunately, these values are easy to avoid when you are happily behind a screen communicating or interacting with a digital society that includes people you may, or may not know personally. The Pastoral team at Padua frequently notes the correlation between the breakdown of personal friendships and the way boys transfer their communication online, to face to face interaction.

On Tuesday, at our start of term student assembly, all students were addressed on the importance of the use of courtesy and respect within our College and how it assists in creating a harmonious community. This included discussing the need to respect each other's personal space, maintain appropriate boundaries (hands off each other) and most importantly, to treat each other courteously by ensuring interpersonal conversations are respectful, appropriate and friendly.

As a College, Padua understands that young men are easily influenced by the need to be socially accepted and 'fit in' with those around them. This can be witnessed in one form, when what may start as banter between 2 friends online, quickly escalates into a loss of courtesy and respect and the rapid deterioration of a friendship. We also understand that as boys learn their own masculinity in different ways, the temptation to be physically interactive is strong.

Coupled together, a young man's ability to manage the need to be accepted and learning his own masculinity can be quite a challenge. As a College, we endeavour to teach an understanding of these two developmental phases and equip boys with the tools to be good young men. One of these tools is understanding the need to remain courteous and respectful at all times, whether it be online or when interacting personally with those around him, to foster good relationships. As we enter Term 3, I invite all families to have a dinner table discussion about courtesy and respect and their importance as successful components of interpersonal relationships.

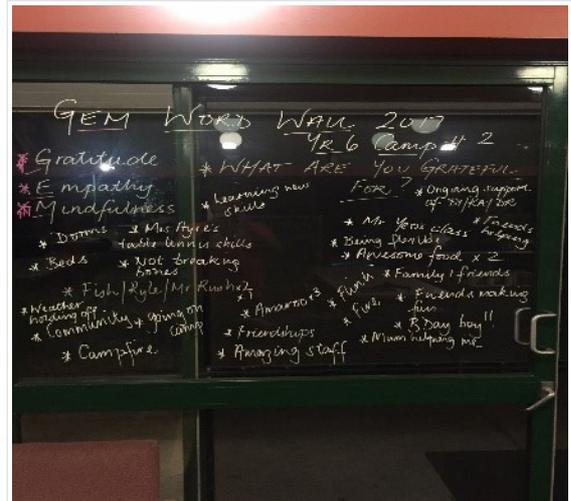
Resilience Project - Greccio Campus

Empathy-Mindfulness-Gratitude-Emotional Literacy, the key terms surrounding the Resilience Project. Since embarking on this journey towards the end of Term 1 our Year 5 and 6 classes have engaged in lessons weekly involving; being mindful, identifying emotions, feelings and senses to list just a few. Further to this, our Year 6 boys created their very own GRATITUDE word wall on Year 6 Camps enabling them to reflect throughout their camp experiences about the many 'things' they are grateful for, both at home and school. The project encourages and challenges the boys to change their mindset and look beyond themselves as well as provide the



boys with positive mental health strategies. Find the time each day to ask your son, 'What is it they are grateful for?'

Mr Ty Casey Pastoral Guardian Greccio Campus



Year 11 PALS Leadership Course

This week the students of Year 11 continue their Leadership Development Course which culminates at the end of this term with the nomination of the student leaders for 2018. Over the next 6 weeks, the boys will partake in a series of leadership seminars that look at types and styles of leadership, successful leaders and what student leadership looks like at Padua. We wish the students of Year 11 all the best for this very important time.

Year 12 Formal

Save The Date – August 15 at the Legend's Room at The Gabba

A formal letter of invitation will be sent home from Mr Elmore this week with details and expectations around this College event for Year 12 students.

Contacting Staff at Padua

A reminder that the Pastoral Care teacher is the first point of contact for all matters at the College. The best way to contact a staff member is using their College email address, which is their first initial, followed by their surname @padua.qld.edu.au eg. Ben Lowrie is blowrie@padua.qld.edu.au

However, should you need to contact your son's Guardian, they can be reached directly on the details below:

Greccio Campus Office: 3857 9933

- Year 6 Pastoral Guardian** – Ty Casey
tcasey@padua.qld.edu.au
- Year 5 Pastoral Guardian** – Chris Webb
cwebb@padua.qld.edu.au

Assisi Campus Pastoral Care Centre: 38579981

- Beirne House Guardian:** Paul Garufi
pgarufi@padua.qld.edu.au
- Boyd Boland House Guardian:** Greg Lavey
glavey@padua.qld.edu.au
- Grigg House Guardian:** Dan Cull
dcull@padua.qld.edu.au

Kirby House Guardian: Chris O'Shea
coshea@padua.qld.edu.au

Mitchell House Guardian: Craig Nicholson
cnicholson@padua.qld.edu.au

Odoric House Guardian: Aimee Asimus
aasimus@padua.qld.edu.au

• Kirby House – 24 August

Email invitations will be sent to you and your son in the weeks prior to your House Eucharist. All staff and students are expected to attend these liturgies. Supper will follow so please bring a plate to share.

Mr Ben Lowrie

Formation

Dear Padua Families

Welcome back to Term 3 everyone! Where has the year gone? This month, from Sunday 23 July to Friday 28 July, we celebrate Catholic Education Week with its theme 'Sharing the Journey'. Amidst many negative stories that have involved the Church in recent times, Catholic Education has been a great success. Schools like Padua exist because of the belief and determination of the many friars and lay staff who have been a part of its story. Importantly too, families play a large role in the success of Catholic schools, and Padua families are no exception. This community has been blessed with a wonderful combination of all three – Franciscans, lay staff and families. As times change we must all work together to find the best ways we can to continue passing on our Catholic tradition that is meaningful and sustainable and brings life to us all.

Ignite Youth Conference 2017

Ignite Youth Conference is a National Catholic Youth Conference held in Brisbane for adults, students, kids, ministry leaders, teachers, priests and religious. It is an annual event which draws participants nationally and internationally. Run over 3 1/2 days from Thursday 21 September to Sunday 24 September, the Conference program includes keynote speakers, lively workshops and lots of faith sessions. If any student is interested in attending Padua is happy to assist with the registration payment. Some Paduans will be working on a Franciscan stall at the conference. For further details please phone Mr O'Brien on 3857 9986 or email mobrien@padua.qld.edu.au

2017 Franciscan Appeal

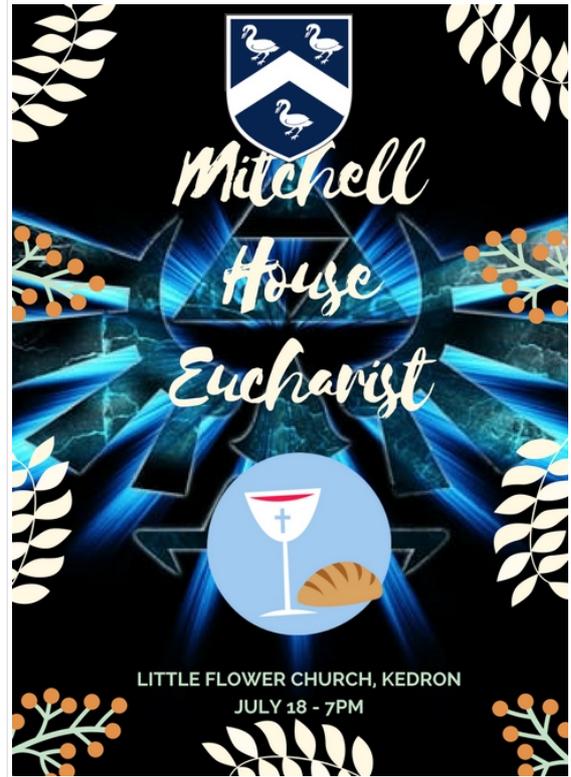
At our St Anthony's Mass on the last day of Term 2 we handed over a cheque for \$40,482.50. This was the total for our fundraising efforts in this year's Franciscan Appeal. A tremendous effort! This year's fundraising seemed like a real community affair with many events and groups all doing something each week. Discussions with the friars in Timor will now take place to decide upon a suitable project for 2018.

Date Claimers - Kirby, Mitchell and Odoric House Eucharists

This is an advance reminder to members of the above Houses about the dates for your House Eucharists coming up in the future.

Please note these dates in your family calendars:

- Mitchell House – 18 July
- Odoric House – 10 August



Attention Mitchell House Members:

Please remember to bring a plate for supper to be left at the tuckshop prior to mass.

Pilgrimage 2018

Still a few spots left for interested pilgrims. Please contact Mr O'Brien on mobrien@padua.qld.edu.au requesting further information. Your enquiry does not obligate you in any way but will be given a prompt and cheerful reply!

Special Prayers and Intentions

Prayer is a powerful thing. Each week there is always someone in our community in need of them. Please let us know of anyone you know who is ill, passed away or just needs to know that others are thinking of them. Names can be sent to mobrien@padua.qld.edu.au

Mass is offered every Friday where your prayer intentions can be requested.

Stay warm and cosy during these winter days. The sun rests for a while, regaining its strength for the newness of Spring.

Peace and all good,

Mr Michael O'Brien

Please pray for the sick:

Mrs Angela Coglan, Mother of Darcy (Year 9); wife of Mr Coglan (staff)

Please pray for those who have died.

Work & Welcome News

During Term 2 Padua College welcomed Ali Ikhlaqi as our Work & Welcome participant. Work & Welcome is a job placement program for refugees funded by the generosity of Padua Staff. The program was founded at Padua College 24 years ago and has since expanded to 20 schools and other organisations in Brisbane, Toowoomba, Yeppoon and Sydney.



Ali Ikhlaqi was originally from Afghanistan, but was forced to flee his country and has since been accepted as a refugee here in Australia. It has been a privilege to welcome Ali into our community. He has worked tirelessly in various parts of the school and presented his amazing story to a number of Religious Education classes. Thank you, Ali, for your cheerful manner, your dedication and the courage you have shown to face the many challenges on your journey so far.

Mr Mark Taylor

Teaching and Learning

Year 10 Subject Selection Information Evening – August 7

The Year 10 Subject Selection Evening will take place on August 7 in La Cordelle. This is an important information session for Year 10 students and their families. The evening begins at 6pm with a presentation on the pathways and the choices available in Senior, and is then followed by an opportunity for students and their families to access staff from each faculty and ask any questions they may have in order to help them finalise their pathway and subject choices for 2018 and 2019. Therefore, **this is a compulsory event** for students who are expected to attend with at least one family member. Important information regarding the Pathway selection process in Year 10 was mailed to families in Term 1. This information outlines the process and is an essential read for families as they navigate the Pathway selection process. This document was also emailed at the same time.

Senior Pathway information for Year 10 Students and Families

For information regarding the Senior Pathway selection process, please refer to the following sources of information:

1. The letter emailed and sent to families in Term 1
2. The monthly Careers Bulletins emailed to families
3. The Senior Subject Selection Handbook available on the College website at

<http://www.padua.qld.edu.au/assets/Teaching-and-Learning/Teaching-and-Learning-General-Documents/Assessment-Documents/Senior-Subject-Selection-Handbook-Years-11-and-12.2017.pdf>

4. Email a question to the Senior Pathways Email Address seniorpathways@padua.qld.edu.au

Year 11 into Year 12 Parent and Student Information Evening – August 21

Non-OP Pathway

As published in the last Bulletin, the Year 11 into Year 12 Non-OP Pathway Parent and Student Information Evening will take place on August 21 in La Cordelle. This is an important information session for Year 11 students in both the Vocational and Mixed Pathways and their families. This session runs from 6pm to 7pm and covers key information to help Year 11 students on a Non-OP Pathway transition into Year 12 and prepare for their final year of schooling. It is expected that all Year 11 students on a Non-OP Pathway will attend with at least one family member.

OP Pathway

As published in the last Bulletin, the Year 11 into Year 12 OP Pathway Parent and Student Information Evening will take place on August 21 in La Cordelle. This is an important information session for Year 11 students on the OP Pathway and their families. This session runs from 7pm to 8:30pm and covers key information to help Year 11 students on the OP Pathway transition into Year 12 and prepare for their final year of schooling. It is expected that all Year 11 students on the OP Pathway will attend with at least one family member.

Semester 1 Reports

As published in previous Bulletins, Reports will be available to families via the Parent Portal in the first week of Term 3, no later than Friday July 14.

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews – Term 3

As published previously and listed in the College Calendar, Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews will occur in Weeks 2 and 3 of this term. These provide the opportunity to you and your son to speak with their Semester 2 Teacher. If you have urgent questions regarding your son's learning that you would like to address before Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews or would like to contact his Semester 1 teachers, please email the relevant teachers directly.

PLEASE NOTE: Bookings for Parent Teacher Interviews will occur via the Parent Portal and the timeline to book for the first night of parent teacher interviews will be short. Bookings for both interview evenings will open for on-line bookings on Friday July 14. Can I ask that you please double check your portal username and password and contact the College IT Department if you need assistance.

The New Senior Secondary System in Queensland

In the last several Bulletins, I have provided links to information on the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (QCAA) website surrounding the new senior system which will

be introduced commencing with Year 11 in 2019. In his article in a previous bulletin, Mr Peter Elmore also addressed the new system. The QCAA have a range of resources designed for families, schools and students. They have recently published a Frequently Asked Questions page for the New Senior System which I made available in the last Bulletin and have published again given that it covers quite a range of questions. The FAQs page provides a clear overview to the changes and addresses some of the common questions that stakeholders have. The link to this page is listed below:

<https://www.qcaa.qld.edu.au/senior/new-snr-assessment-te/faqs>

Mr Jason Pacey

Anyone Can Learn To High Levels

A significant study from the National Institute for Mental Health gave participants a 10-minute exercise to work on each day for three weeks. The researchers compared the brains of those receiving the training and those who did not. The results showed that the participants brains were 'rewired' and grew in response to a 10-minute mental task performed for just 15 days over three weeks. If this type of change can be made in such a brief period of time, imagine what can happen over the course of months and years!

The results of this study highlights the importance of a consistent approach to learning. As a maths teacher, the greatest improvement I see in students are those who study in small chunks consistently. I always encourage students to set aside time every night of the week to consolidate targeted learning. Having a 'time limit' on their homework or study is a great idea as it gives them a tangible goal to work towards.

Mr Matt Hardy

Head of Maths (Year 5 to 9)

References: Boaler, J. (2015). Mathematical Mindsets: Unleashing Students' Potential Through Creative Math, Inspiring Messages and Innovative Teaching. San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass.

Year 6 Camp

Some highlights from our Year 6 Camp!



eLearning

Return to school

The return to school also means time for those holiday games, activities, photos etc to be removed from student devices. Students will be reminded of this and PC teachers will check devices as part of Tech Check Monday next week in PC. Any emails, work that is no longer required should also be deleted or backed up to an external source.

Datacom office change

Over the holidays the Datacom support office moved to become part of IT Help Desk. For students on Assisi, the process remains that they need to sign out at the PC Centre to go to Datacom or IT during class time. They will then sign back in before returning to class. For Greccio students, IT support is provided daily on that campus from 10 am – 10.30 am.

ADP claims

At the end of last term there were several issues regarding students providing incorrect information to Datacom regarding damage to computers. Students will be required to provide information regarding the date and time of the incident (or that it was first noticed), and a description of the incident. Please be aware that when devices are inspected, it is often obvious what the issue is (for example, liquid damage) and the information provided needs to be consistent with what has happened. Some of the key issues surrounding this last term included liquid damage and keys being picked off by students.

Both companies (Lenovo and HP) have clear 'duty of disclosure' statements that are part of the ADP accepted as part of the purchase agreement.

Lenovo: "YOUR DUTY OF DISCLOSURE"

What You must tell Us and why: When entering into a policy of insurance with Us You must answer Our questions truthfully and You have a duty under law to tell Us anything known to You and which a reasonable person in the circumstances would include in response to Our questions. We will use Your answers to decide whether or not to insure You and anyone else named on the Policy, and on what terms We will provide Cover.

Who needs to tell Us: It is important that You understand You are answering questions for yourself and those answers will affect anyone else You want to be covered by the Policy. You have the same duty to disclose this information to Us before You extend, vary or reinstate the Policy.

If You do not tell Us: If You do not answer Our questions in this way, We may reduce or refuse to pay a claim, or cancel the Policy. If You answer Our questions fraudulently, We may refuse to pay a claim and treat the Policy as never having existed."

HP (source: attached PDF):

"Fraud (including, but not limited to, incorrect, misleading, erroneous or incomplete disclosure of how the equipment was damaged to the Customer's adjudicator, the servicer, or HP)".

I would ask that you take some time to discuss with your son the importance of these contracts and providing true and correct information when taking devices for repair.

Mrs Tanya Anderson

Class Act 50 Challenge

This week is a slight diversion from the usual challenges following a discussion in my own home. Digital distraction is becoming the new buzz word and relates to the distractions provided by technology and how we manage these distractions as adults, but more importantly, teach our children to manage these distractions. The technology we see today is not going to disappear any time soon and realistically, will become more ingrained in our lives and our children's lives. This article highlights the importance of teaching our student to better manage their digital interactions

<http://bit.ly/2t8iJNL>

One of the key points from the article highlights the many rites of passage we put our children through to ensure their safety, such as swimming lessons and teaching them to cross the road safely, and how we should also be putting time and energy in to teaching them to navigate the information and distractions of the online world safely. It is certainly an interesting read and worth taking the time to discuss with your son.

Tuckshop

Roster

17 July	Melissa DeBonis Nellie Barichello
18 July	Shannon Railton Jale Navnicagi
19 July	Erica Patterson Tracey Cognetta
20 July	Fiona Smith Pam Michalski
21 July	Kelly White Debbie Blackwood
24 July	Carly Smith Kerrie Corbett
25 July	Caroline Wraight Patricia Mendham
26 July	Leanne Minarelli -
27 July	Yvonne Cruse Jakki Murray
28 July	Claire Van Dongen Georgia Janas

P&F

Dear Parents

Thank you for the amazing responses to our Survey Monkey survey last term regarding the P&F Expenditure. We were very grateful for all the comments and responses to the survey. The results of the survey are in the minutes of the P&F Meeting, and should be on the P&F page of the website within the next week.

The next P&F Meeting will be held on 8 August 2017 at 7.30pm. If you have anything you would like to discuss at the meeting, please don't hesitate to send an email to us at pandfpresident@padua.qld.edu.au, so that we can add it to the agenda.

Stay warm.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs Pascale Weir
P&F President



Padua College P & F is raising funds. Here's how you can help...

Support rollover by buying the NEW 2017 | 2018 Entertainment Membership for your Mum, other family members, or even spoil yourself this Mother's Day. Entertainment Memberships are filled with hundreds of valuable offers for everything you love to do, and you'll be helping our fundraising at the same time!

BUY FROM US NOW.

"The Entertainment Book is such a great way to try new restaurants. It's also a great opportunity to help community organisations. – Ali M"



With just a few of these offers, the cost of the Membership will quickly be covered.



Tickets on Sale
31/07/2017
\$130pp

PADUA MOTHERS' HAWAIIAN PARTY

Padua Campgrounds, Amaroo, 10am, 26th/27th August, 2017
Includes - Accommodation, Gifts, High Tea, Dinner, Limited Alcohol & Buffet Breakfast

Payment – to be made available Monday 31/7/2017 via <http://www.padua.qld.edu.au/news-and-events/online-payments/>
Limited Numbers

Padua Mothers' Weekend Amaroo 2017

Community

BLINGO BINGO SAVE THE DATE for a great night out...

**BLINGO BINGO NIGHT
SATURDAY, 9TH SEPTEMBER, 2017**

Proceeds to support the 2017 USA Basketball Tour



PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN AFTERNOON OF

Fashion & Fizz

SATURDAY 7TH OCTOBER
2.00pm - 5.00pm
La Cordelle (Padua College)

\$50.00 per person – Tickets can be booked individually or as a table of 10. Includes a glass of champagne on arrival and share tapas plates at each table.

CASH BAR, FASHION PARADE, POP UP SHOPS, RAFFLES AND MORE.

Tickets can be purchased online by visiting:-
<http://padua.qld.edu.au/news-and-events/school-events-calendar/detail/34387>

Raising money for the 2018 Padua College European Rugby Tour.

If you have any queries, please email
naree.murray@cba.com.au



PADUA COLLEGE USA BASKETBALL TOUR GOLF DAY



SUNDAY 16th JULY 4 PLAYER AMBROSE
11 AM ARRIVAL \$85 PER PLAYER
NUDGEE GOLF CLUB INCLUDES:
SOUTH COURSE GREEN FEES
1207 NUDGEE ROAD PRIZES TO BE WON
LIMITED TO 18 GROUPS PRE-GAME SAUSAGE SIZZLE
SHOTGUN START AT 12 NOON POST-GAME SITDOWN MEAL

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<http://padua.qld.edu.au/news-and-events/school-events-calendar/detail/34474>

ALL ENQUIRIES PLEASE CALL 0407 177 922

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PRESENTS
**BATTLE
OF THE
BANDS**

SUNDAY 30 JULY 2017
CARNIVAL MAINSTAGE
FROM 1:00 PM

1ST PRIZE \$300
2ND PRIZE \$100
PEOPLE'S CHOICE \$100

ENTRIES OPEN TO STUDENTS FROM
ST RITA'S, NUDGEE, PADUA, MT ALVERNIA,
MT ST MICHAEL'S, ST PATRICK'S, MARIST ASHGROVE

PEOPLE'S CHOICE CASH PRIZE OF \$100
IS DETERMINED BY THE HIGHEST TALLY OF
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND TO ENTER:
[HTTP://BLOG.STRITAS.QLD.EDU.AU/CARNIVAL/ENTERTAINMENT/](http://BLOG.STRITAS.QLD.EDU.AU/CARNIVAL/ENTERTAINMENT/)

FREE ENTRY

ST ANTHONY'S

Disco

FRIDAY 21st JULY 2017
PREP TO YEAR 3 5.00 - 6.30PM
YEAR 4 TO 6 7.00 - 8.30PM
(Padua included, lucky door prizes at the Year 4-6 Disco)

ST ANTHONY'S SCHOOL HALL
Pizza and refreshments for sale on the night.
Glow products available for sale at Junior Disco.
Opportunity for parents to socialise in quadrangle.

Wristbands (\$5 each) for sale in quadrangle before and after school Thurs 20th and before school Fri 21st July.

GBJT: Greater Brisbane Junior Tennis (GBJT) offers juniors up to and including Year 12 tennis fixtures on a Saturday afternoon at the Queensland Tennis Centre and the University of Queensland during school terms. For more information, please visit our web site below or phone Mrs Peta Davis, Secretary on 3374 0516.

<http://www.gbjt.org.au/>

The Brook Childcare

At The Brook, we believe each child is like a precious seedling, we must water their natural curiosity and together with their families support them to blossom into unique and strong individuals.

Become a part of The Brook community and celebrate your child's discoveries and learning. Enquire today to organise a centre visit and meet the Brook family.



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Free offer in Goju Ryu Karate

The AGKK Karate family is pleased to offer students and family member's one free first lesson this Term (All ages welcome)

There are a limited number of spaces available for this offer, and the places will go fast. Please note that a student does not need any experience in karate to sign up for this free lesson offer. The lesson is obligation free and provides helpful essential life skills which are proven to boost - confidence, friendships, respect, self-discipline and self defence skills.

In our Karate family we develop the right mental attitude for achieving their goals and happiness in life. Classes at Taigum, Albany Creek, Bracken Ridge State Primary Schools and Scarborough Southern Cross Catholic College. We are a positive group of people working together in our Karate family reinforcing those essential life skills in all aspects of a student's day to day living.

Students who train in Goju Ryu build great character and strength of mind and body now and many years ahead.

Positive Disciplined Goju training will help you gain positive momentum throughout your life. In good thoughts, helpful actions and words.

In our Karate family children are taught courtesy, respect for their elders, confidence and self-control at home and school. By training in Goju Ryu Karate a student learns to take responsibility for their actions and learn from their mistakes. These life skills are important for future success at school, home, work and relationships in the future. In our Karate family we see the significance of team work, creating leaders, respectful sportsmanship, dignity in all actions and self-control. If you would like yourself, children and families to participate in this offer or need any further information please ring Bernie Sensei on 0409 474 494 - 5th Dan Shihan trained and graded in Japan

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Our next week end will held **4 to 6 August 2017**.

Venue: Santa Teresa Spirituality Centre, Ormiston QLD (on Brisbane's bayside)

For bookings/details contact: Maria and David Murphy, ph (07) 3342 1456, dandmmurphy@optusnet.com.au Information website:

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