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'AS MUCH AS YOU CAN DO, SO MUCH DARE TO DO'

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER OF SAINT IGNATIUS' COLLEGE, RIVERVIEW

MISSION STATEMENT: Saint Ignatius' College, Riverview, is a Catholic School run by the Society of Jesus. As such, it is grounded in and informed by the values inherent in Ignatian education. Our Mission is to provide an all-round education for boys that inspires them to a life-long development of their faith. This means they will seek understanding, strive for justice and commit to the service of others with discernment, conscience and courage.

Crossing the all-changing threshold of life

FROM THE RECTOR

'FAREWELL' meaning 'journey well', as we say with special emphasis to the 2009 Year 12s at this time of year. Life's a journey is one of those clichés that happen to be true.

At 18 the Year 12s are somewhere between a quarter and a fifth of the way through – well on the way indeed, but now crossing the all-changing threshold from protected childhood and youth to make-your-own-life adulthood. 'Off you go', we

say, rather baldly, or 'Bon voyage', which may be a toast, or 'Godspeed', which turns 'farewell' into a prayer.

Journeying prayerfully, however mute the prayer, is to make the journey a pilgrimage.

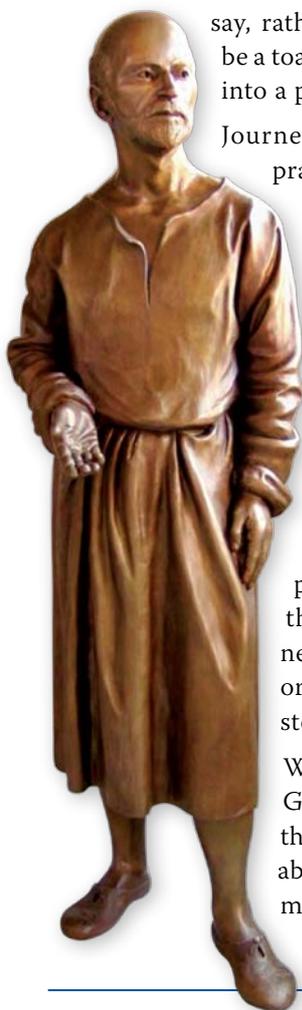
For those in the know, it's the only way to travel. Pilgrims travel light, even though they do it tough. Because the goal is some holy place, the whole trip is open to the holy. Indeed the whole trip is about being opened up to the holy, which is there on the way as well as at the goal. So we know that surprises, however difficult, can be moments of felt grace – lost luggage is lost baggage; lost connections and plans gone awry can be turning points that turn a life around; the boring neighbour in seat 13A may be an angel or at least a messenger with a long, long story to pour into some charitable ear.

We journey to the holy place to be where God was amongst us – it's an identity thing, and have we got a story to tell about that. We go there to be healed, made whole and holy. And to find our fellow-travellers.



The 14th century Basilica of Santa Maria de la Seu, overlooking Manresa, Catalonia, Spain.

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Ignatian people know that in our tradition Ignatius is a special fellow pilgrim. Throughout his 'Autobiography' he called himself 'the pilgrim' as it was his self-definition, or better still his God-given definition. In the new 'Ignatius the Pilgrim' window in the Dalton Chapel the passage embedded in the glass tells of what happened to Ignatius in Jerusalem, the place of his converted heart's desire, the place where Jesus walked and worked. Ignatius, wanting to be as close to his Lord as possible, wanted to remain there for the rest of his life. But that put the welfare of other Christians there at risk and so the priest with the Church's authority to decide ordered him back to Europe. Ignatius obeyed, 'since it was not Our Lord's will that he remain in the holy places', a liberating, faithful and accurate way of putting it. This is how extraordinary the journeying can get: what we think is the holy goal – Jerusalem – may have to be put aside, as God surely has bigger dreams for us than we do for ourselves.

So folk go on pilgrimage, and often in springtime to discover their story, to be surprised by God, sometimes en route and sometimes at the destination, which then turns into another stop-over. And to come homewards bettered, as T S Eliot told us ages ago in 'Little Gidding':

'We shall not cease from exploration
And the end of all our exploring
Will be to arrive where we started
And know the place for the first time.'

Year 12 off you go.

Fr Andy Bullen SJ

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A Time for Rest, Reflection and Preparation

FROM THE HEADMASTER

AFTER A LONG WINTER TERM I hope everyone enjoys the break. Let's hope there will be plenty of warm days and some rain to chase away the last of the winter bugs.

As happens every school holidays the next two weeks will see a number of significant events taking place – events which support and enhance the overall education of our students.

While some of the Year 11 students will be going on an Immersion to Micronesia and other students will be taking part in camps for various summer sports teams, obviously our Year 12's should be spending long days preparing for their HSC examinations.

May I ask you to pray for the graduating class of 2009 now and in the weeks ahead during this most important period in their lives.

At the time of writing this 'Viewpoint', I am putting the finishing touches to the speech I will give at the Valet Assembly this Thursday. This assembly provides us with the opportunity to acknowledge and congratulate our graduates for the many contributions they have made to Riverview not just in their final year but also throughout their schooling at Riverview. It is an opportunity for the entire school to applaud – and reward - the excellence they have shown in the classroom, on the sporting field, on stage and in the community.

I have chosen as the theme for my Speech Day address: 'What Next?' – and on Thursday will put the following challenges to the Class of 2009: what will you do with the Jesuit education you have received here at Riverview; what will you take away from this school and how much of this will you give to others, for, if you do nothing then all the education you have been given will have been wasted.

IGNATIAN SERVICE

I am currently reading the Housemasters' letters to Year 9 parents and note that a significant number of boys are yet to complete their Ignatian service. Clearly the holiday period will provide both dayboys and boarders with the opportunity to fulfill this most important requirement of their education at Saint Ignatius' College.

It's interesting to note that while students revel in the academic and co-curricular programs the school has to offer, some don't fully understand or appreciate the importance of the formation of their heart and soul in Jesuit education – a formation that develops through their involvement in Ignatian service. Certainly it is very hard to do and yes it does require plenty of family

support and lots of organization, but Ignatian service is a central part of the overall education a boy receives at the College and one that needs to be completed by each student every year.

To be realistic, I am fully aware that it is very difficult for a Year 9 boy to find meaningful service opportunities in the community. Without the support of his parents, it can become quite a challenge for him to contact places such as nursing homes, special schools or the local council to try to find a placement. He needs parents to help and encourage him - and more often than not he also needs his parents to provide some of his travel arrangements.

Parents are always telling me they want their son to come to Riverview because they want him to receive a Jesuit education. It is important that parents realise this involves their participation in every aspect of their son's education, including his Ignatian service.

STAFF CHANGES

The College is delighted to announce that Mr Guy Masters, currently Head of our History Faculty, has been appointed the new Director of Boarding at Riverview, replacing Mr Mark McGinnity. Gus, as he is known, has had past boarding experiences at Geelong and at St Joseph's College, Hunters Hill. The announcement of his appointment has been warmly received by the boarders and all staff. There were several applicants for this significant position at the College and we were delighted that two boarding parents were able to join us on the selection committee. Gus will take up his appointment at the start of first term next year. In the meantime, Mr Neil Mushan will be Acting Director of Boarding during fourth term.



Mr Gus Masters



Mr Jean Agior-Tis

I would also like to acknowledge at this time that Mr Jean Agior-Tis, a long term staff member of the College and the Head of Learning Support has announced his retirement.

Jean has been most inspirational in his support for College programs such as SEIP (Special Education Inclusion Program), indigenous academic support and educational support.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to three of our teachers involved in our Advanced Teacher Program who last week were observed by representatives from the NSW Institute of Teachers as part of their accreditation as leading teachers.



Mrs Anne Furlan



Ms Kiersten Check



Mr Robert Graham

Anne Furlan (Y7 Homeroom teacher), Kiersten Check and Robert Graham (both Science teachers) are among the first group of teachers to apply for accreditation at this level with the Institute. Last week's school visits by external observers required them to deliver a number of lessons in order to meet specific professional teaching standards. The feedback from the observations was outstanding and reflects both the effective practice of this group of leading teachers and the College's commitment to professional learning.

Shane Hogan, Headmaster

FROM THE DIRECTOR OF STUDENTS

1. VALETE FOR THE FINAL TIME

In our current Year 12, there are 123 families finishing their time with us this year.

Some of these have been long serving. They have entrusted their sons and, in some cases, the generations of their family to our care at Riverview.

At the Valette Dinner on Friday evening we will, with much gratitude, acknowledge and celebrate these families who have placed their complete trust in us:

The final brothers in the family – Year 12, 2009

Some long serving or prolific families who are finishing in 2009.

Tom Alagna	3rd generation: father – Richard (OR1974) also great grandfather was at Xavier college in 1911 grandfather – Joe (OR1933)
Will Bigelow	2nd brother – Peter (OR1993). Will finishes 21 years after Peter started here and he is a great great nephew of Arthur Cosgrove (SIC 1880-1882) and John Cosgrove (SIC 1880-1881)
Mark Booth	5th generation father – Jim (OR1978) grandfather – Arthur Booth (OR1947) great grandfather – Fred Sedgwick (OR1921) and great great great uncle – James Fitzpatrick (SIC1893-1896)
Patrick Burfitt	grandfather - Thomas Burfitt (OR1930) great grandfather - Walter Burfitt (SIC1890-92)
Harry (Harrison) Chapman	2nd brother - Jeremy (OR 2004) father - Mitchell (OR1975)
Tom Clifton	3rd brother – James (OR2002) Alistair (OR2006) and 3rd generation: father - Robert (OR1973) grandfather - Kevin (OR1937)

Harry Cook	3rd generation father - Andrew (OR1978) great uncle - Michael Schiller (OR1961)
Ben Coulthurst	3rd brother – Joshua (OR2005), Daniel (OR2007) and 3rd generation: father - Nick (OR1976) grandfather - Leo Feain (OR1947)
Alex Crampton	2nd brother – Nick (OR2007) and 2nd generation: father – Richard (OR1971)
Matthew Curtin	father - Anthony (OR1975) great grandfather - Austin Curtin (SIC1897-1901)
Sean Dooley	4th generation: father - Michael (OR1971) grandfather - Owen Dooley (OR1942) great grandfather - Vincent Cunningham (OR1906)
Tim Dowling	2nd generation: father – Tim (OR79) 2nd brother – Ben (OR05)
Morgan & Elliott Fahey	grandfather - John Russell Fahey (OR1939)
Jack Fernon	3rd brother – Edward (OR2005), Tom (OR2007)
Rowan Fessey	2nd brother – Ben (OR2007) and 2nd generation: father - John (OR1974)
Sam Garling	4th brother – spread over 25 years Christian (OR1989) Jeremy (OR1993) Kim (OR2006) and 2nd generation father - Kim (OR1966)
Damien Giblin	3rd generation: father - Michael (OR1971) grandfather - Dexter Giblin (OR1937) – Captain of the College
Simon Gillespie	2nd brother – Tom (OR2006) 2nd generation father - Michael (OR1973)
Lachlan Gorman	3rd brother – Harry (OR2007), Mitchell (OR2004) and 2nd generation: father – Andrew (OR1977)
Steve Hanna	4th brother – Gerard (OR2000), Matthew (OR2002), Dominic (OR2007) 3rd generation uncles - Glen (OR1972), John and Vincent Joseph and great uncle Farmey (OR1941)
Hamish Hardy	4th brother – Ben (OR2002), Nat (OR2004), BJ (OR2007)
Lachlan Hay	3rd brother – Vaughan (OR2005), Bryce (OR2007)
Nicholas and Simon Heazlewood	2nd and 3rd brothers – Joshua (OR2008)
Liam Hogan	2nd brother – Dominic (OR2003) father – Shane, current Headmaster
Matthew Horgan	3rd generation father - Max (OR1979) great uncle - Frank Slocum (OR1938)
Elliot Johnson	2nd brother - Jeremy (OR2006) grandfather - John Schell (OR1945 - Dux)
Nick Kennedy	4th brother – Tom (OR2002), Jack (OR2005), Tim (2007)
James L'Estrange	3rd brother - David (OR2004) Tim (OR2008) grandfather - Jim L'Estrange (OR1938)
James L'Huede	3rd brother – Timothy (OR2002), Anthony (OR2005)



Andrew Manna	3rd brother - Robert (OR2005) Stephen (OR2007)
William McCoy	4th brother - Cameron (OR2001) Edward (OR2005) Xavier (OR2008)
Robert McCormick	3rd generation: father - Michael (OR1978) grandfather - Robert McCormick (OR1949)
Matthew Morrow	3rd brother Alex (OR2000), Greg (OR2002)
Hugh O'Brien	3rd brother Charles (OR2002), Jack (OR2003) and 2nd generation father - Paul (OR1964)
Tom O'Brien	3rd generation father - Chris (OR1982) grandfather - William (WJ) O'Brien (OR1943)
Tim Pascoe	4th brother - spread over 18 consecutive years Nicholas (1992-99) Christopher (OR2002) Dominic (OR2004)
Alec Preece	grandson of William Love (OR1949)
Angus Remond	3rd generation: father - David (OR1976) grandfather - Paul (OR1944)
Jarrold Rixon	3rd brother - Adam (OR2003) Mitchell (OR2006) father - Bruce, formerly head of Performing Arts at SIC
Tom Roper	2nd brother - Lewis and directly related to Sir Thomas More
Lachlan Smith	3rd brother - Daniel (OR2004), Cameron (OR2007)
Will Tait	3rd brother - Toby (OR2001), Patrick (OR2003) 4th generation: father Paul (OR1971) great great nephew of Rene Unger (SIC 1903-07)
Toby von Sperl	2nd brother - Ben (OR2005) 3rd generation: uncles Craig Pudig (OR1975) and Paul Pudig grandfather Paul Pudig (OR1945)
Andrew Watson	3rd brother - James (OR2006) Mark (OR2008) and 2nd generation: father - Robert (OR1973)
Oliver White	father - Hugo (OR1974) great great grandfather - John Henry McEvoy (OR1884)
Chris Wylie	3rd brother Stephen (OR2006) Matthew (OR2007)

2. REFLECTION

Some recommended reading for those who would like to be inspired by a book's values

' "To kill a Mockingbird" by Harper Lee is about standing up for your values, but in a thoughtful way, not in a rigid way. Because in the end, Atticus connives in a lie about the man who was trying to kill his daughter. It's also about Atticus standing up for the law as he sees it in the face of a lot of community pressure ... he's prepared to resist pressure and do what he knows is right'

Originally from Sian Powell 'Briefing Books' in 'The Australian' 24 November 2007

3. BIRTHDAYS

Luke	O'Brien	02	October
Samuel	Gleeson	02	October
Joseph	Wehbe	02	October
James	Wilson	02	October
Jordan	Wilson	02	October
Sam	Johnston	03	October
Jacob	O'Connor	03	October
James	Bliss	03	October
Luke	Gummer	03	October
Mark	Booth	03	October
James	Crosby	03	October
Matthew	Donnellan	03	October
Thomas	Henley	03	October
Nicholas	Waugh	03	October
Matthew	Laniewski	04	October
Zachariah	MacMahon	04	October
Matthew	McCormick	04	October
Jack	Ballhausen	04	October
Michael	Dempsey	04	October
Patrick	Hunter	04	October
Alex	Jalloh	05	October
Joshua	Taylor	05	October
Samuel	Cox	05	October
Thomas	Boyd	06	October
Jack	MacDonagh	06	October
Angus	Callister	06	October
Samuel	Carroll	06	October
Zachary	Gillespie	06	October
Henry	Hughes	07	October
Lawrence	Hughes	07	October
Jack	McPherson	07	October
Clark	Wenborn	07	October
Timothy	Egan	08	October
Hugh	McKinn	08	October
Hamish	Mort	08	October
Thomas	Higham	08	October
Joseph	Strada	08	October
Jack	Jamieson	09	October
Michael	Ritchie	09	October
Liam	Ryan	09	October
William	Dempsey	09	October
James	Horan	09	October
Denford	Moore	09	October
Henry	Stack	10	October
Charles	Curtin	10	October
Luke	Hayward	10	October
Joseph	Murphy	10	October
Sam	Reaburn	10	October
Jack	Curtis	11	October
James	Campbell	11	October
Hamish	Hardy	11	October
Luke	Harris	11	October
Matt	Brooks	12	October
Patrick	Teys	12	October
Llewellyn	Cross	12	October

BIRTHDAYS (Continued)			
Ken	Hanna	12	October
William	McCoy	12	October
Marc	Rahme	12	October
Aidan	McCabe	13	October
Jack	Gohl	13	October
Jason	Holst	13	October
Matthew	Laba	13	October
Sebastian	MacGougan	13	October
John	Arena	14	October
Benjamin	Bouvier-Farrell	14	October
Floyd	Higgins	14	October
Nicholas	Roubicek	14	October
Max	Welsh	14	October
Ben	Cobb	15	October
Michael	Long	15	October
Devlin	Walsh	15	October
Jock	Melville	15	October
Henry	Sinclair	15	October
Lintyn	Basha	15	October
David	Conlon	15	October
Louis	Kelly	15	October
Mark	O'Dare	15	October
James	Pascoe	15	October
Alexander	Vipond	15	October
Samuel	McCaffrey	16	October
Luke	White	16	October
Liam	McGlinchey	17	October
Conor	Barnes	17	October
Michael	Gunnis	17	October
Harry	Lawless	17	October
Jonathan	Mann	17	October
Hayden	Protich	17	October
Oliver	Young	17	October
Timothy	Zlotkowski	17	October
Declan	Connor	18	October
Thomas	McKellar	18	October
Edward	Ridgway	18	October
George	Wilcox	18	October
James	Grant	19	October
Marcus	Collignon	19	October
Joseph	Druce	19	October
James	Ireland	19	October
Marcus	Lucchese	19	October
Luke	Mildren	19	October
Callum	Moran	20	October
Brian	Naylon	20	October
William	Bowie	21	October
Conor	Briggs	21	October
Alexander	McManis	21	October
Sean	Conlon	21	October
Hugo	MacDonagh	21	October
Lachlan	Gorman	21	October
William	Newnham	21	October

Mr James Rodgers

HOT POTATO SHOP

MIRANDA DEVINE

Miranda Devine is a parent at Saint Ignatius' College, a Catholic, a journalist and a columnist for the Sydney Morning Herald. On Monday 22 September, Ms Devine spoke at The Hot Potato Shop to an assembled crowd of about seventy students, staff and parents who were all taken by her presence and perspective on life.

Her job, as Ms Devine puts it, is to write about anything of interest to readers and to state an opinion about a topic, which is often a controversial one that raises passions. However, it became very clear on Monday that Miranda's self-professed 'conservative'



Miranda Devine

point of view is far more complex than the one-word title that it bears. Ms Devine was adamant in her opinion that her articles are always an attempt at getting Australians to think and that she has long come to terms with the copious amounts of criticism that she receives as a result of her work.

Ms Devine spoke about an important issue in mainstream media today, which she aptly called 'the post-modern disease of the age': the fact that there are no absolute truths, and that many schools of journalism promote the idea of relative truths and multiple realities. For Miranda, this phenomenon represented the one of the gravest risks that our society faces. Ms Devine quoted George Weigel, biographer of Pope John Paul II saying: 'humanity's great democratic project is under threat because of the rise of moral relativism. To survive, democracy needs to re-discover moral truth.' Miranda spoke of, what she saw as the decline of such values as integrity, self-discipline, prudence, respect and modesty in our western culture of secular utilitarianism. 'This culture is self-cannibalising; it eats its own foundation.'

The main thrust of Miranda's speech on Monday was that we (as a society) have been living off the moral capital of the past few decades and that '... we are seeing now what happens when the moral capital runs out, when people lose the previously instated social-norms and universally accepted moral code and thus have nothing to guide them through the minefield of human frailty.' She spoke of the danger of a societal acceptance of the notion that there is no right or wrong, just shades of grey in between.

But Miranda's speech acknowledged the potential of, and her faith in Generation Y, the generation that make up the student body at St Ignatius' College. She spoke of the idea that Generation Y has the ability to see the nobility of life and not simply the utility of it, and that we hold instinctual regard towards the trends of social revolutions of the 60s as being lethal to the course of freedom. 'We must always remember that character is destiny'.

So it seemed that, once again, our speaker at The Hot Potato Shop stressed the importance of one's own values in life. Ms Devine sees the restoration of institutions of morality as a responsibility of my generation, Generation Y, and that we are only capable of doing so by embracing the values of integrity, modesty and self-respect, that were so commonplace in our past,



but now seem to be fading into antiquity. Miranda made the point that social change will always have its many benefits and detriments, but social change does not necessarily require a change of societal heart; a change in consideration towards such notions of righteousness and the values of humanity.

Miranda's ideas resounded strongly in the minds of those students gathered in the Theatre on Monday and also prompted many insightful questions, even from the younger members of the audience, boys from the Regis Campus.

The display of eloquence from Ms Devine as well as her great faith in my generation was quite inspiring, as was her willingness to express herself and speak to the young men of Riverview. Like her, love her, or as Miranda admits some critics do, dislike her, she is an intelligent and thought provoking person and an Australian with a patriotically loud voice.

Throughout the term Saint Ignatius' College has been fortunate enough to host such guests as Miranda Devine, Thomas Keneally, Peter Fitzsimons, Guillaume Brahimi and Barbara Holborow. All have been highly impressed with the calibre of young man attending the Shop. They all spoke from the heart, each having a different tact, giving a different speech, sending a different message to those who cared to listen. For those who weren't able to get to the Hot Potato Shop, the speakers were all recorded and the Podcasts are available for download on 'Quantum'.

Thomas De Angelis, Year 12

FROM THE CAREERS COUNSELLOR

As a school partner of Macquarie University students can apply under the Preferred Admissions Scheme to gain an extra 5 bonus ranks on top of bonus ranks from other schemes at the university (only 2 students from Riverview will be granted this and be given a maximum of 9 bonus ranks and the university has the final decision on who receives these ranks). School Partners Scholarships are also available for students who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in sport and recreation, performing arts, event management, social sustainability and retail services. Interested students can get an application form from the careers office.

A FREE seminar for parents and students of Year 12 2010 on how to prepare for the HSC will be held on Wednesday 28th October 6:00pm-8:30pm at Burwood, or Saturday 31st October 10:00am-12:30pm at Burwood. Call 97083666 or visit www.hscplus.com.au for more information and registration.

Alpha Omega Education has free workshops designed for students currently in Year 10 who will be sitting the School Certificate. The workshops will address English, Mathematics and Science and will cover common questions that students can expect as well as hints and tips on how to reach their potential. Dates: Auburn: Tuesday 6th October, Bondi: Tuesday 6th October, Burwood: Thursday 8th October, Liverpool: Wednesday 7th October, 9:00am-3:00pm (All venues) to register <http://www.alpha-omega.org.au/Year10-Workshop-CMS.aspx>

CSI:SYDNEY is holding School Holiday Forensic Investigation Workshops on 12 and 13 October and 14 and 15 October and Cyber Crime Investigation Workshops on 12 October and 13 October To enrol visit <http://www.nsg.unsw.edu.au/CSI.html> or telephone : 1800 727 640.

IMPORTANT DATES.

- ✦ International College of Management, Sydney has a number of career weeks for students to experience ICMS first hand over 3 days. \$299 covers accommodation and all meals. 7 October - 9 October. Registration required. <http://www.icms.edu.au>
- ✦ TAFE NSW Course Applications for Semester One 2010 are now open and close 30 October. Applying and enrolling are two distinct processes. Applications are only required for those courses that have the application closing date under their course name. For information <https://www.tafensw.edu.au/applyenrol/>
Ms Sandra Brackenbury, Careers Counsellor

FROM THE CHRISTOPHER BRENNAN LIBRARY

HOLIDAY READING

The holidays are an ideal time to catch up with your reading. Today's list is inspired by the theme of 'Series'.

The entire list will be linked to on Quantum in the Library area, under Books and Reading. If you are looking for further reading recommendations then have a look at The Books and Brain Food Group's book blog: www.rivreads.wordpress.com. There you will find reviews and thoughts on recent books read by the book club.

When selecting keep in mind that these books are for a range of readers from year 7 through to adult.

HOLIDAY READING LIST				
Author	Title	Genre		
Dan Brown	<i>The Robert Langdon series</i>	Adventure		
	Angels & Demons The Da Vinci Code The Lost Symbol			
	Jeffrey Deaver	<i>The Lincoln Rhyme series</i>	Suspense/Adventure	
Naomi Novik	The Bone Collector The Coffin Dancer The Empty Chair The Stone Monkey The Vanished Man The Twelfth Card The Cold Moon The Broken Window			
	Naomi Novik	<i>The Temeraire series</i>	Fantasy	
	Matthew Reilly	His Majesty's Dragon Throne of Jade Black Powder War Empire of Ivory Victory of Eagles		
		Matthew Reilly	<i>The Shane Schofield series</i>	Adventure
		Michael Scott	Ice Station Area 7 Scarecrow Hell Island	
			Michael Scott	<i>The Secrets of the Immortal Nicholas Flamel series</i>
			The Alchemist The Magician The Sorceress	

As always the library staff wish you a safe and happy holiday.

The Christopher Brennan Library Staff



FROM THE MATHEMATICS FACULTY

All students are welcome to attend Maths Tutorials that take place on Monday afternoon (3.30pm-4.30pm), as well as Tuesday and Wednesday mornings (7.30am-8.30am) in VA 201. Years 7 and 8 tutorials are on Monday and Friday mornings (7.30am-8.30am)

I-POD COMPETITION – SECOND SEMESTER

We enter the second week of the competition for our junior mathematics students (Years 5-8). The first student to answer 8 puzzles correctly, with complete worked solutions will be the winner of this competition.

Junior Division Maths Puzzle #1

Solution provided by Lachlan Williams 7.4

How many integers in the set 100, 101, 102, , 999 do not contain the digits 1 or 2 or 3 or 4?

Solution:

The numbers between 100 and 499 all have the numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4. So you have to find the integers between 500 and 999. For every hundred the integers are the same except for the first number:

500, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509
 550, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559
 560, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569
 570, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579
 580, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589
 590, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599

To work out the integers you just work out the first few in the hundred then you see a pattern: The start of every ten from 550 (500 included) and the last five numbers of the ten. As here there are 36 integers in a hundred and there are 5 hundreds between 500 and 999 so you would do: $36 \times 5 = 180$.

Junior Division Maths Puzzle #2

Phil has a dodgy analogue watch that loses 10 minutes every hour. He synchronises his watch to One O'clock with the Grandfather clock in the hallway of his home. The Grandfather clock keeps perfect time. If it was 1pm on Friday 25 September when Phil set his watch, when is the next time that both the watch and the grandfather clock show One O'clock at precisely the same time? (Assume that the watch continues to lose 10 minutes every hour)

Remember to include reasons for your answer as well as the name of your Homeroom teacher or your Mathematics teacher.

All entries are to be submitted to Mr Newey before 3.30pm Monday afternoon. My email address is jpnewey@riverview.nsw.edu.au

*Mr John Newey, Mathematics Faculty
 (Acting Assistant HOF)*

FROM DIRECTOR OF CO-CURRICULUM

The College celebrated the end of our co-curriculum year with the **Semester Two Co-Curriculum Awards Assembly** this week. It is indeed easy to acknowledge and celebrate as a community when there is a genuine sense of achievement and respect, graciousness and humility. These are characteristics of this year.

It was our largest ever Awards Assembly with many students receiving acknowledgement for individual and team performances in areas of Activities and Sports. Our guest was Mr Laurie Daley –former Australian, NSW and Canberra Raiders player. The Regis Campus will acknowledge their achievements for Semester Two presentations next Term.

Thank you to all for your appreciative, respectful and generous response to all recipients.

THANK YOU FOR ASSISTANCE AT SEMESTER TWO CO-CURRICULUM ASSEMBLY

To Year 9 Dalton House boys Hugh Greenwood, Daniel Gross, Chris Pike and Sebastian White and Messrs Bartelme, Baxter, Collins and Co-ordinator Peter Steffan and my Administrative Assistant Mrs Nicole Beamish; for your diligence and professional assistance in the Wednesday ceremony.

SPECIAL COMMENDATIONS

To Lachlan Stewart (Year 8) who represented the College in the 13Years Shot Putt at the CIS Track and Field Championships and gained a Bronze Medal, a wonderful reward for the consistent training he has completed this year. He has qualified for the NSW All-Schools Championships in November.

To our winning SDN Years 9 & 10 and Senior B Debating teams in last Friday's Grand Finals here at the College. (see full Report)

BEST WISHES

To the College Basketball squad playing in the Seventh Annual Jesuit Carnival hosted by the College commencing this Sunday through to next Tuesday 6th October in the Gartlan Centre.

To the College Senior Basketball squads preparing in the second week of the holidays as preparation for the forthcoming GPS Competition which commences Saturday 17th October prior to Term 4.

To the College Senior Cricket squad playing trial matches with Saint Aloysius', Barker, Trinity and The Armidale School and another final Internal 'Blue -White' internal trial match as preparation for the forthcoming GPS Competition next Term.

FINAL INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION RESULTS

The inter-House competition has basketball, cricket, touch rugby, football, swimming, track and field this year. Congratulations to the winners Cheshire House.

INTER-HOUSE COMPETITION: FINAL RESULTS:		
CHESHIRE	16	NB - THE LEAST NUMBER OF POINTS WINS! - scoring system: 1 point for first; 2 for second etc So, Cheshire wins!
CLAVER	17	
MORE	18	
DALTON	19	
XAVIER	21	
RICCI	21	
SOUTHWELL	23	
CAMPION	24	
OWEN	27	
MACKILLOP	31	
GONZAGA	32	
CHISHOLM	32	

SATURDAY 18TH OCTOBER:

All sports will complete trials on the first weekend next Term some games with The Scots College and for the 1sts and 2nds Basketball Round Two and 1st XI and 2nd XI Cricket Round One of their respective GPS Competitions.

Details are current as per Fixtures and will be confirmed again at the commencement of Term.

PHOTOGRAPH ORDERS SEMESTER ONE AND TWO

Our photographer The Melba Studios advises the Semester One and Two photographs are now available for viewing online and ordering. The following are available for purchase.

SPORTS – ALL Teams in the following:

- ✦ Summer and Winter Sports
- ✦ Boarding Divisions and House Groups – all twelve Houses
- ✦ Music Ensembles
- ✦ Debating teams

Please note there are a few teams that are still to be taken next week

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5. Follow the on-line ordering instructions to view the photos and complete order
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Delivery Options: Please note, these charges are irrespective of the quantity ordered.

1. Free of charge to be collected from my Office
2. Unframed orders \$5.00 to your home
3. Framed orders \$10 freight overnight to your home

This system permits Melba Studios and my Office to monitor the status of orders from the time of placement to despatch.

Processing and Delivery can commence immediately as the Studios have names and titles of all photographs taken.

Sports Action Photography: Anthony Pearse (OR 95) has spent the summer and winter sport seasons photographing at various Saturday sport fixtures. A collection of action photos from different sports across age groups is available for viewing and purchase online at www.pearsephotography.com.au

For access please visit the following sites:

Summer Sport: <http://app.oliz.biz/events.php?eventid=250>

Winter Sport: <http://app.oliz.biz/events.php?eventid=135>

Mr C J Kitcing, Director of Co-Curriculum

CRICKET

Thank you to all the boys who have trialled thus far. Coaches have been impressed with the enthusiasm and commitment and are looking forward to a great season ahead. Coaching staff have done their best to be fair to all boys and to select the initial teams based on merit.

In Term Four: Group 1 (1sts-2nds-3rds-A teams) will commence competition on the first Saturday 24th October whilst the remainder of teams will have trials with The Scots College and other schools. More details will follow as we commence next Term.

Most boys will be made aware of their gradings upon their return to school or within the first week of Term. It has been wonderful to see so many players at training and taking advantage of the specialist sessions we have run throughout this Term.

We intend to follow up with some more specialised skill sessions in Term Four and look forward to seeing the boys take advantage of such opportunities.

TERM FOUR PRACTICE SCHEDULE:

Team	Coach	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
1sts	Mr Kitcing		1b Nets		1b Nets	1st Fld - Fielding
2nds	Mr Bryant/ Mr Rodgers		1b Nets	1st Fld - Fielding	1b Nets	
3rds	Mr Szabo		1st Fld - Fielding		1b Nets	
4ths	Mr Diggins		2nd Fld Nets			
5ths	Mr Guthrie		2nd Fld Nets			
16A	Mr Reilly		1b Nets		1st Fld - Fielding	
16B	Mr Steffan	1st Fld - Fielding		2nd Fld Nets		
16C	Anthony Pirrottina			2nd Fld Nets		
15A	Mr McLachlan		1st Fld - Fielding	1b Nets		
15B	Jack Hunter	1st Fld - Fielding		1B Nets		
15C	Nick Fergus	1st Fld - Fielding		1b Nets		
14A	Mr Walker		2nd Fld - Fielding		2nd Fld Nets	
14B	Remington Tonkin			1st Fld - Fielding	2nd Fld Nets	
14C	Mr Lancaster			2nd Fld - Fielding	2nd Fld Nets	
14D	Ms Hoare/ Alistair			2nd Fld Nets	2nd Fld - Fielding	

Mr M Robertson, MIC Cricket

FENCING

2009 COLLEGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Last Saturday the annual College Championships in U/13, U/15 and Seniors Divisions were held in the Gartlan Centre. All fencers had opportunity to display their techniques, strategy and spirit on a competitive level. After Round-Robin then direct Elimination Finals the placings were:

Senior Division	U/15 Division	U/13 Division
1 Stephen Dooley	1 Sebastian Ward	1 Matthew Stejer
2 David Lynch	2 Lachlan Sheetan	2 Patrick Sheridan
3 Tim Zlotkowski	3 Matthew Kaye	3 James Stillone

c/o Mr Andrew Szandurski, Master of Arms

SNOWSPORTS SKIING

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

This year's Championships were held at Falls Creek in Victoria where we performed with great tenacity and gained improving credibility amongst all schools competing.

DIVISION 1 (YEARS 11/12)

Our Div 1 Snowboard Cross team of Simon Parsons, Cameron Taylor and Ed Hortense competed in the Snowboard GS and the Boarder Cross. Simon finished 14th and 15th in both events respectively with Edward 25th and 28th and Cameron 28th in the Boarder Cross in the GS.

DIVISION 3 (YEARS 7 AND 8)

Our Year 7 Team of Jack Hayson, Will Lenehan and Jake Perko-Bennett who were state title holders in the Moguls again were strong contenders although competing in their first of two years in the division!

The Alpine and Ski Across team events were also boosted with Jake finishing 6th in the Junior Australian individual event the weekend before these events.



Jack Hayson, Year 7

Our Skiers all completed fantastic runs to be the most consistent of all teams. Jack was scored 6th with only a slight degree of rotation between him coming in first. Will came in 8th.

With only two skiers' results needed to make a team score the boys were runners-up to Melbourne Grammar by the smallest of margins. The boys were gracious in accepting their silver Australian medals and congratulated the Melbourne boys and went off to prepare for the next event in a busy schedule!

Jack Hayson was the stand out individual performer with a second place in the Cross Country Classic. This was a tough event with Will and Lachlan Kelly teaming up with him for the teams' event. Jack, Will and Lachlan then were racing older Year 8 boys and after a third in the State Championships Skate style found the course much tougher. Jack was beaten to the line by the smallest pop and slide of the ski.

A great spectator event, with such a nail biting finish ensured good support from the crowd. The team finished in eighth place, with all showing great improvement over the season.

The boys then competed in the relay event. Jake, Will and Lachlan lined up, each tagging each other as they rounded the course, Lachlan collapsed with exhaustion as he crossed the line. Our 9th place overall was a great effort against some experienced Victorian Schools.

Lachlan also teamed with Jake, Will and Jack in the Alpine event. The course was moved to a slower less challenging course! In slow condition our boys being mostly younger and lighter were at a disadvantage also making the margin of difference smaller. Jake came in 12th with Jack 30th just two seconds behind with Will 33rd and Lachlan 41st 3 seconds behind them. The team finishing a close 6th in a very competitive race! Skier cross was on a similar course Jake finishing 13th, Jack 23rd and Will 24th giving the team an 8th place.

DIVISION 4 (YEARS 5/6)

Our Div 4 team meet all the challenges in the spring conditions. Xavier Winston Smith, Harry O'Connor and Jack Keighery (taking Ed Swan's place) all competing in Skier Cross and Alpine. Xavier finished 15th in Skier Cross but had misfortune in his runs on the icy Alpine course. Harry finished 30th in Skier Cross and 23rd in Alpine and Jack had a 29th finish in Skier Cross but also missed out in one of his Alpine runs. The team spirit was great with students watching one another compete.

A very sincere thank you to all the parents and coaches for your wonderful effort and support at these Nationals and throughout the season. We look forward to further improvement in Snowsports in the years to come!

Mr S Causley

TRACK AND FIELD

The NSW All-Schools Championships are held next Term on 5th - 8th November at Sydney Athletic Centre, Homebush. The Championships are for all secondary students from all sectors of the education system including Independent, Catholic and Government students. Students of all abilities are able to compete aged between 12 and 19 years inclusive ie: born between 1990 and 1997.

Entries are completed online at www.nswathletics.org.au
Entry Fee is \$18 for the first event and \$8 for each event after that.
Entries close 12.00noon Friday 16 October.

Competition schedule is available also online at: www.nswathletics.org.au and the final schedule will be determined after the close of entries.

Mr C Kitching

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

YEAR 8 LATIN CAMP

The annual Year 8 Classics Camp was held on the weekend of 19-21 September with a record number of 204 students attending. Patrick Clarke, Benjamin Watson and Matthew Kaye represented the College at the camp. Students were divided into tribes (Gauls, Athenians, Phoenicians, Britons, Etruscans etc) and engaged in activities encompassing language, history, mythology, literature and sport! The camp was a huge success, with students demonstrating a lively interest in all things ancient. Our boys participated enthusiastically in all activities and were a credit to the school.

Mrs Louella Perrett, Head of Languages Faculty

DEBATING

SDN Grand Finals

Last Friday night, Saint Ignatius' College hosted the Grand Final of the SDN competition for 2009 and we were victorious with three of our five teams to be the most successful school for the third time in the fourteen years of competition.



Senior B team: *Jack Gracie, Michael Samaha, James Wilson, Matthew Asimakis,*

Our Primary A and B teams were formidable opponents for both Ravenswood and Pymble Ladies' College respectively but unfortunately they had strong competition from both schools and were defeated in debating the topic areas: 'Banning of mobile phones' and 'Compulsory team sport'. Irrespective of the result, the boys are to be commended for their erudite and polished presentations and the personal and intellectual development they have undergone to achieve such a high standard of debating.



Jack Gracie (Year 11) receives the John Lang-Rex Morgan Trophy for most successful school in the SDN Finals 2009

Congratulations to our wonderful Year 9, Year 10 and Senior B teams who won their debates on the night, competing with Roseville College, Pittwater House and Redlands respectively. Years 9 and 10 retained trophies won last season. All the boys were praised for their grace, humility, acumen and comportsment not only last Friday night but throughout the SDN season. These victories secured the John Lang-Rex Morgan Trophy for the Champion School in debates won in the Finals.

Winning Teams:

Year 9: Joseph Baine, Patrick Hall, Joshua Herschderfer, Nicholas McNamara

Year 10: Timothy Asimakis, William McCaughan, Patrick Rodgers, Doug Roles

Senior B: Matthew Asimakis, Jack Gracie, Michael Samaha, James Wilson

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff who have coached and managed the debaters throughout the Term and who have shown me their support every Friday night. Likewise, my thanks go to all our parents who take time out to support their sons in debating and who make my evenings enjoyable.

Ms C Troncone, SDA Co-ordinator

PUBLIC SPEAKING

The Introductory/Basic Public Speaking and Leadership Course will be conducted next Term. This Basic Course will be held commencing in the first week of next Term Thursday 22 October for six consecutive weeks with a concluding Graduation on 26 November

Boys from Years 7-11 are instructed to present impromptu and prepared speeches as well as assumed roles of coach and judge in prepared speeches. Learning skills for meetings in parliamentary style is also a most entertaining and educational section of the course.

Course Fee is \$150 per student. Each Term the graduates set a fine standard for the year and I encourage as many students taking the opportunity to take advantage of the course.

Application Forms and details can be found on the College website Home page under NEWS, Please complete and forward to Mr Michael Iggulden.

Mr C Kitching

MUSIC

College Symphony Orchestra and Choir Concert

On Wednesday 28 October (Week 2 of Term 4), the College Symphony Orchestra and Choir will perform a concert in the Chapel. As the venue has limited seating we will need to gauge numbers for the event to decide if it should be held over 2 nights. Please email DJThomson@riverview.nsw.edu.au with the number of guests you will bring to this event.

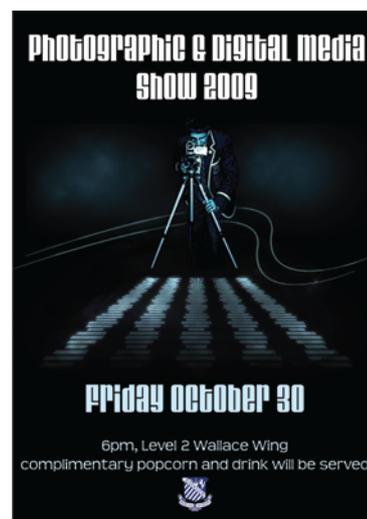
We will also have an extra rehearsal of the Orchestra and the Choir from 1 to 4 pm on Sunday 25 Oct (first week back).

Mr Dev Gopalasamy, Head of Performing Arts

MEDIA SHOW

Please join us for the annual Media Show where we will be celebrating the work of Year 9, 10 and 11 Photographic and Digital Media students. On display will be student animations, TV advertisements, black & white photography, digital photography, feature film trailers and posters, and a live news studio. We will also be awarding the 2009 Iggy Awards at 7pm on the night and complimentary popcorn and drinks will be served. So don't forget to put the date into your diary for Week 2, Term 4. We look forward to your support on October 30th from 6pm.

*Ms Cigdem Aydemir and Ms Justine Gesterkamp
Photographic and Digital Media*



FROM THE PARENTS & FRIENDS

We are at the end of another very busy term and the year seems to be disappearing all too quickly. I was taken aback last week to see that Christmas decorations have started appearing in shops already! It really does make the end of year seem very close.

At the moment, the P&F Executive Committee is planning for Term 4. Our financial year-end is 30 September, so our treasurers are currently busy tying up final numbers, getting ready for our auditors and preparing financial statements. We have a few more functions to host in October, our AGM is on 16 November, signalling the handover to the new committee for 2010, and then our final celebration supper is on 27 November. Information on all of this will be coming to you via email, very soon.

ADDITIONAL CANTEEN DATES 2009

Last Saturday's canteen was very successful and my thanks go to the volunteers who were able to help out during the afternoon. We are still looking for a few more volunteers to staff the canteen next week, during the school holidays on 5, 7 and 9 October, when the college is hosting the Australian U16 Rugby Championships. If you can spare a couple of hours on any of these dates, and would like to take the opportunity to watch some great rugby, please let us know as soon as possible. If you are available please would you contact Elizabeth Montano on 9988 0241 or elizabeth.montano@bigpond.com

YEAR 12 (2010) PARENTS' INFORMATION & SOCIAL EVENING

The Information and Social Evenings for parents and boys in Year 12, 2010 year is being held on Monday 19 October at 7pm, which is the evening before the first day back in Term 4. As the year 11 parents know, Year 12 work actually begins in Term 4, so it makes sense that this evening is held as soon as possible rather than in January. This is the only information night that is compulsory for our sons to attend as important information regarding the HSC is discussed by various Heads of Faculty. Invitations were sent to you via email last week. Please would you ensure that you reply as soon as possible.



MOTHERS' MASS & REFLECTION

Father Andy Bullen is once again offering us a morning of quiet as the term begins, on Tuesday 20 November at 9am. These mornings have always been very relaxed and enjoyable. Please join us, with Fr Bullen, for a morning of mass, reflection and catching up with morning tea.

An invitation, containing more information, has been sent out via email. Please would you reply to Ros Gibson at: igibson@bigpond.net.au so that we have an idea of numbers.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Thursday 29 October – P&F Golf Day Our annual golf day is being held at Ryde Parramatta Golf Club. Whatever your handicap, even if you don't have a handicap, join us for a great day of fun & golf. More details will follow in coming weeks.

I hope that you all enjoy the holidays – I am very much looking forward to the break from school routine. Please keep our HSC boys (and girls) in your prayers.

Jennie Picton (jpicton@gotalk.net.au) ph 9969 1888

Elizabeth Montano (elizabeth.montano@bigpond.com) ph 9988 0241

BOARDER BITS

As another term finishes resting through the holidays is of prime importance! Enjoy a safe and happy holiday with your family.

We wish Mark and Sue all the best as they head off to Melbourne. Don't forget the Boarding Parents' Association Meeting and AGM in the Manresa Room, on Monday 19 October at the early time of 5.30pm to accommodate those who are attending the Year 12 information night later in the evening. Nomination forms will be circulating soon for new committee members, so think about putting your hand up. Come and enjoy a cuppa whilst catching up with other boarder parents. Supper will be provided. We wish all Boarding families a safe and enjoyable holiday break. If anyone has any seasonal work in regional NSW for two enthusiastic American girls please call me.

On behalf of the boarding parents, welcome to Mr Masters, we look forward to working together in the future.

Mandy Tooth

Boarding convenor ba.tooth@bigpond.com 0410563106

LICONA

Monday and Tuesday 8am-2pm. Wednesday - Friday 10am-4pm Phone Number: 9882 8388

School Holidays: The Licona will close for the school holidays on Thursday, October 1 at Midday. The Licona will re-open on Monday October 19 at 9.30am -5pm

Summer Uniform Term 4: All summer uniform items are now available. Please check your requirements and send your son to the Licona. We are coming up to the time where we fit new boys for the College Uniforms and would ask you to take the time to look at your boys uniforms for summer and if you have anything in good condition that could be donated to the Recycled Schoolwear it would be appreciated.

Found Student Property: The following Students have property that can be retrieved from the Licona ASAP. This is a modified list. Please note that these items will only be kept until the end of term.

FOUND STUDENT PROPERTY

'K'	James Kelly – Y9, David Kelly – Y12, Lachlan Kelly – Y8
'L'	Patrick Lester –Y10
'M'	Sean Maroney – Y11, Liam McElduff – Y8, Chris Masson – Y12, Alex Martinez – Y11, Matthew Horgan – Y12, Jarryd Minton – Y7, Nicholas Maunsell – Y8, Chris Masson – Y12, Sean Maroney – Y11, Nick Meagher – Y7, Callum Moore Y1, Nicholas Mackay – Y7, Matt Marshall – Y9, Timothy Mort – Y12, Rhys Mirabelle – Y11, Same Mete – Y8, Jarryd Minton – Y7, Taylor Mathieson – Y10

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

MEETING JESUS IN THE GOSPEL: PARENT FORMATION PROGRAM

In Term 4, the Ignatian Centre will be conducting a five week program for parents on discovering who Jesus is by focussing on the Gospels. It will be led by Fr Andrew Bullen SJ. The program will be held each Thursday evening commencing Thursday 29 October in the Manresa Room from 7.30pm-9pm. There is no charge for this program. Throughout the course we will be using the NRSV edition of the Bible- copies of this bible will be available for purchase at the seminars. For more information, and to register for the course, please contact Sue Bennett on (02) 9882 8212 or SBennett@riverview.nsw.edu.au

RIVERVIEW FATHER & SON GOLF DAY

Sponsored by the OLD IGNATIANS' UNION

This event is a fun day for Riverview families with all levels of experience. Surrogate fathers are welcome! The field is limited so get in early-book before you go on holidays. Ryde-Parramatta Golf Club, Monday 19 October (Last day of school holidays). Shotgun Start 11am Sharp. 2 ball Ambrose - father and son play as one team. BBQ Dinner afterwards in the Club house Dining Room

COST: \$115 for players (adults) \$85 for players under 18
Includes 18 holes of golf and BBQ Dinner

RSVP Friday 2 October. See the College website for full details www.riverview.nsw.edu.au. Enquiries contact Jennifer Kirkby: jakirkby@riverview.nsw.edu.au

PUBLIC SPEAKING COURSE VACANCIES STILL AVAILABLE FOR TERM 4 BEGINNERS' PUBLIC SPEAKING COURSE

Parents wishing to enrol their sons in the fourth term of the Beginners Public Speaking Course for Year 5 and Year 6 boys, please make immediate contact with Ms Kaye Walker on 9882 8421 to secure a place. The course will commence Friday 23 October in the Assembly Room of Regis Campus from 3.30pm to 4.30pm and it will run for six weeks.

YOUTH AND HSC MASS AT ST MARK'S DRUMMOYNE

Students Studying for their HSC are invited to St Mark's Catholic Church, Drummoyne for the special HSC and Youth Mass 6pm Sunday 18 October and afterwards for pizza and drinks. All welcome. Further details contact debra wing on 9181 1795.

SPIRITUALITY IN THE PUB

Passionate Life : Prophetic Voice In the Arts

Speaker: Fr Andrew Bullen SJ

Venue: Upstairs at The Union Hotel, Cnr Pacific Hwy & West Street, North Sydney **Date:** Monday 19 October at 7.30– 9.00pm.

Parking: Street parking or an easy walk to St. Mary's Ridge St car park. **Enquiries:** Michelle 9958 5963

Come along and raise your spirits with challenging conversation. Raise a glass to a better world. Delicious counter meals available.

TERM DATES 2010

TERM ONE

Friday 22 January	New Staff Induction Day
Tuesday 26 January	Australia Day – Public Holiday
Wednesday 27 January	Boarders return 4-8:30pm
Thursday 28 January	Term One Commences 8:45am Years 5, 7-12
Friday 29 January	Term One Commences 8:45am Year 6
Wednesday 31 March	Term One Concludes 3:30pm
Thursday 1 April	Holy Thursday - Boarder's Travel Day Boarding House closes at 9am
Friday 2 April	Good Friday – Public Holiday

TERM TWO

Monday 19 April	Parent Teacher Interviews – times tba Boarders return 4-8:30pm
Tuesday 20 April	Term Two Commences 8:45am
Saturday 24 April	Boarding House closes at 5pm.
Monday 26 April	ANZAC Day – Public Holiday Boarders return 4-8:30pm
Friday 11 June	Boarder's Travel Day (Boarding House closes at 9am)
Monday 14 June	Queen's Birthday – Public Holiday Boarders return 4-8:30pm
Thursday 24 June	Term Two Concludes 3:30pm
Friday 25 June	Boarder's Travel Day (Boarding House closes at 9am)

TERM THREE

Monday 19 July	Parent Teacher Interviews – times tba Boarders return 4-8:30pm
Tuesday 20 July	Term Three Commences 8:45am
Friday 30 July	Saint Ignatius' of Loyola – Feast Day Celebrations
Thursday 23 September	Valete Assembly 10:30am (Ramsay Hall)
Thursday 23 September	Blue & White Ball (Acer Superdome – Homebush)
Thursday 23 September	Term Three Concludes 12 Noon
Friday 24 September	Boarder's Travel Day (Boarding House closes 9am)

TERM FOUR

Monday 11 October	Boarder's return 4-8:30pm
Tuesday 12 October	Term Four Commences 8:45am
Wednesday 8 December	College Speech Day (Ramsay Hall)
Wednesday 8 December	Term Four Concludes 12 Noon
Wednesday 23 December	Reception/College Office closes (Office re-opens Wednesday 5 January 2011)