Dear Families, Staff and Friends of Cardijn

Welcome to Term 4 which brings many exciting events including our farewell of our Year 12 students next week, their final Mass and of course their exams. Term 4 begins with our important subject selection process for students in Year 10 and 11, summer sport and the first bout of real spring weather. At the end of last term, I spoke to the students about our Catholic Year of Mercy. Each year the Pope declares a focus for all people. This year it is mercy and my challenge to each house is how they can create a door of mercy for their house. The students have responded with great energy.

The Doors of Mercy are as follows:
1. Chisholm – Humanity
2. Faulkner – Inclusion
3. Lombard – Generosity
4. Kolbe – Dignity
5. Mitchell – Mercy & Justice
6. Mackillop – Compassion
7. Romero – Acceptance

To bring a context to each of these doors, our Year 8 -11 homerooms brainstormed ideas as to how we can connect with these virtues and practise ‘SEE, JUDGE, ACT’.

Parents were asked to rate Cardijn College on a whole range of important aspects which are considered critical in the success of a school. Cardijn rated above and, in some instances, well above the average rating for Catholic schools in SA. This is most affirming of the great work we do at Cardijn, remembering that it is the collective of students, staff, parents, wider community and the great work of the College Board that provides a unique Cardijn experience. So, congratulations Cardijn College.

Staffing
We welcome back to Cardijn College Ms Nicole Brown who returns to us from maternity leave. We farewell Ms Jessica Hischausen who completes her contract at Cardijn College and prepares for the birth of her first child in the coming weeks.

With best wishes

Paul Rijken | PRINCIPAL

School Leaders
Last term I was delighted to announce our College Captains for 2017, Chelsea Fernandez (11KO) and Sebastian Macaspac (11MA). This week I am also delighted to announce our Mission Captains, Alice Chizmesya (11FA) and Jessica Madathil (11MI), as well as the appointment of 28 Senior School student leaders as Captains and Vice-Captains of their respective Houses. In addition, we have also appointed the Sports, Music and Drama Captains for 2017. The names of the successful students are listed in this newsletter. Congratulations to all students appointed into a leadership position.

Parent Satisfaction Surveys
A big thank you to parents for your time and effort to complete a parent satisfaction survey which was conducted by an external marketing firm on behalf of Catholic Education SA. The survey results are now published.
## ATTENDANCE MATTERS

If your child is going to be absent, late, leaving early for an appointment etc, please send either an SMS text message on 0428 937 348 or leave a message on the Absentee Line - 8392 9505.

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2016

### 2016 TERM DATES

**TERM 1** - Mon 17 Oct - Fri 9 Dec

**TERM 4** - Mon 30 Jan - Thurs 13 April

### 2017 TERM DATES

**TERM 4** - Mon 17 Oct - Fri 9 Dec

### SUBJECT SELECTION EVENING

**2017 subject selections evening for current Year 10 and 11 students**

On Monday 31 October the gym will be filled with teachers, parents and students as they undertake their subject selections for 2017 moving into Year 11 and 12. This is a vital part of the process in ensuring that students moving into the last two years of their secondary schooling make informed decisions regarding their subjects and future pathways.

The evening runs from 3.20pm to 7.00pm and families should have made an appointment time for a counselling session through their child’s homeroom teacher. If you have not done so, please contact the homeroom teacher to make an appointment urgently.

Chris Burrows | Assistant Principal

### 2017 SENIOR STUDENT LEADERS

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### 2017 STA Photos

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- MacKillop Captains: MacKillop Vice-Captains
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- Kolbe House Captains: Kolbe Vice-Captains
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  - Jett Osborne and Matthew Milovanovic

- Faulkner Captains: Faulkner Vice-Captains
  - Graham Galloway and Jazmyn Morgan
  - Casey Crunkhorn and Emily Wilson

- Lombard Captains: Lombard Vice-Captains
  - Pavlina Vagner and Tamika Johns
  - Lohia Norris and Martina Beka

- Romero Captains: Romero Vice-Captains
  - Jake Vidler and Grace Franklin
  - Isaac Turner and Brad Baldago
The 8/9 Futsal final played at Marden this year saw the top eight indoor soccer teams come together in Week 10, Term 3 to play in the State Final.

As has been the case every time we make the State Final, the standard of play is outstanding. The Cardijn team competed with great endeavour all day and although our skill was matched with our opponents, our physique was a challenge on the day.

The boys had a quick lesson of one touch football in our encounter against Gleeson and were over powered in the first challenge. We were unable to defensively click allowing for too much space for our opponents resulting in many shots on goals with little time to counter attack.

The boys managed to re-group after this first experience and played more cohesively during the next two games. The strong starts in both these games unfortunately were unable to be sustained. It was a great experience for the Year 8 boys who stepped up and represented the College well.

Vic Bandiera, Soccer Coordinator
Year 9 Kolbe and Lombard were privileged enough to go to the Flinders Ranges for our Year 9 Camp. It began with a five hour bus ride, which was lots of fun, as we sang and chatted with our friends. Once the tents were set up we went on a fantastic nature walk over bridges and creek beds and then through the township of Melrose. It was after this that we were given the news of an impending storm, which meant we would have to return to Adelaide the next morning. After another walk through nature (this time in the dark!) our camp ended with a magical bonfire, where marshmallows were toasted and lots of funny stories were told. Although short, our Year 9 Camp was a great experience and we would like to thank all the teachers for organising it.

Katelin Lawrie, 9 Kolbe
FROM THE MUSIC CAPTAINS

Hello everyone!

Hope you all enjoyed the Term 3 break. In the final week of Term 3, the College was involved in the Catholic Schools music festival. We would like to congratulate the College Chorale, Big Band and Cardinal Blues for representing Cardijn at the event, everyone performed exceptionally.

On the agenda for Term 4: Choral and Vocal Jazz are preparing for their next performance at the Antonio Catholic Primary School fete on Saturday 29 October. In November, Cardinal Blues will be performing at the Onkaparinga Lodge, providing a concert for the residents.

In other exciting news, the Music Centre has recently purchased a Timpani set. This is an exciting addition to our College’s instrument collection and we will be sure to make full use of these amazing instruments.

Coming up next Tuesday is the Parents & Friends of Music meeting for Term 4. All parents and friends are welcome to attend. The evening will involve discussing fundraising, Music Week and the Week 5 Music BBQ.

FROM CAREERS

Year 12 students are coming to the end of their time at school. They are to be congratulated in making it through the year.

The time ahead will be a great adventure as they embark on the next part of their journey. Remember the journey ahead will be both exciting and worrying but there are always options. If you feel you have chosen the wrong course at university then talk to the university and check out the best pathway forward. Remember changes can be made until Tuesday 3 January, 2017.

The Equal Consideration closing date is Monday 5 December 2016.

Change of Preference online must be done by Tuesday 3 January, 2017 in order to be guaranteed equal consideration.

Once you start at university there are still many options and if you feel this is not what you expected, then once again speak to the student counsellors as they are there to help whenever you feel the need.

If you have deferred your course and find you are ready to commence mid-year once again speak to the student counsellors as in many cases, there are mid-year entries available.

If you plan on going to TAFE SA then you can do this via the SATAC website until Wednesday 30 November 2016.

The Change of Preference Deadline is Wednesday 28 December, 2016.

Good luck to all our students. Have confidence in your choices rank them according to your choice, not the ATAR!

Marlene Maney, Careers Counsellor
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Children and parents of Cardijn College are invited to a star gazing evening.

Tuesday 8 November 2016
from 7:45pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION & ADVERTISEMENTS

2016 SPORTS PRESENTATION NIGHT

to celebrate your participation and success in sport in 2016

Monday 14 November

College Gym
Doors open at 7pm for a 7:30pm start
Neat casual dress
Students to bring nibbles and drinks to share

RSVP: FRIDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2016

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