



Newsletter

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CARDIJN
COLLEGE

Dear Families, Staff and Friends of Cardijn

Last week we celebrated and acknowledged National Reconciliation week. It is our College tradition to acknowledge and gather on the land of the Kurna people. This Reconciliation Week seeks to build on the respectful relationships shared by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Island people and other Australians. The date of National Reconciliation Week represents significant moments in the country's history. May 27 marks the anniversary of the 1967 referendum when Australians voted to remove clauses in the Australian Constitution that discriminated against Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. This year is significant as it is 50 years since that historic moment. The historic Mabo decision was made on June 3 1992. This decision was particularly significant as it saw the official recognition of native title claims. This year's theme 'Let's take the next steps' is about a chance for everyone to take some fresh action to spark a change in our school or community - no matter how big or small. Reconciliation lives in the hearts, minds and actions of all Australians as we are inspired to take the next steps forward.

Mr Steve Byrne, Principal of Sacred Heart College, Adelaide (a Marist school) presented the College with four upright stands of these four paintings. Together with Sacred Heart College, Marcellin Technical College and Cardijn College we are continuing our celebrations of being Marist and uphold a wonderful tradition at Cardijn in honouring our founding principal Br Walter Smith AM FMS, who was an inspirational leader at Cardijn College and Sacred Heart College.

Cardijn is Year 7 Ready 2019

Next month Cardijn College will officially launch our "Year 7 Ready" campaign. In 2019, Cardijn College will have Year 7 as part of the secondary program. The College will release information about the application process, the Year 7 program and the opportunities for Year 7 students to participate in the life of the College through sport, music, drama, the Arts and many more extra-curricular programs. Information about transition, school fees, transport and classroom accommodation will all be available on our website. We are very excited about Year 7 students joining our community. From July, the number of Principal's Tours will be increased and families are welcome to attend a Q&A with the principal at an informal round table discussion. Details of these events will be published on our website.



Feast Day of St Marcellin Champagnat

On Tuesday 6 June we celebrated the Feast Day of St Marcellin Champagnat. This day is the anniversary of his death and was a special occasion for us in a year when we also celebrate 200 years since the establishment of the Marist Institute by Marcellin Champagnat. Our prayers are especially with the wonderful Marist brothers who continue to work in many facets of our community both in Australia and in the World. We also pray for the extensive Marist communities across the World and especially in education. As a special focus in this bicentennial year, four paintings were commissioned depicting four different Marist stories.

Intercollegiate Competition with Tenison Woods College and Cabra Dominican College

Last week the Tenison Woods/Cardijn Sports Exchange was held in Mt Gambier. This exchange began in 1987 by two sport coordinators of that time, Rob Doyle of Tenison College and Paul Rijken from Cardijn College. This first exchange saw about 40 students and four staff travel by train to Mt Gambier and compete in the traditional sports. This exchange has now journeyed 31 years and continues to be one of the hallmark events in the life of the College. Whilst healthy competition in sports is important it is the wonderful relationship that the two Colleges have established that most people remember and value. Students are billeted by host families some living as far away as Naracoorte and Millicent. The experience of students from a regional country town mixing with students from a suburban city school is a unique feature of this exchange. Wonderful friendships are developed and much is shared in both contexts. It is always very difficult to win the exchange as the away team and this year was no different. The Tenison Woods College team was simply too strong on the day, but our students tried their very best to do their school proud.

FROM THE PRINCIPAL

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IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2017

TERM 2

JUNE

Student Free Day	9
Queens Birthday Holiday	12
Year 8 Immunisation	15
Year 11 Exams	27 - 30
Principal's Tour, 9.30am	28
Year 10 Exams	29 - 30

JULY

Year 12 Trial Exams	
Year 12 Research Project Week	
Year 11 Work Experience	
Year 10 ABW	3 - 7

TERM 2 Concludes

1pm Early dismissal	7
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This week we travelled to Cabra Dominican College for the annual intercol competition between Cardijn College and Cabra Dominican College. Both schools battled for the coveted Smith-O'Grady Cup and the bragging rights for another year to be the best sporting school. The cup is named after Br Walter Smith AM FMS, the founding principal of Cardijn College and Mr Shamus O'Grady the first lay Principal of Cabra Dominican College. In 1985, these two principals organised an informal sporting competition which included a soccer match. Cardijn College and Cabra Dominican College both compete in the Sports Association for Adelaide Schools and the South Australian Catholic Secondary School Girls Association and this intercol provides a foundation for a long-term sporting tradition between the schools. Following our success last year in winning the Smith/O'Grady Cup, Cabra was well prepared and on the day, were simply too strong for us on their home ground. The intercol stands at one all. I extend a huge thank you and congratulations to Ms Emma Boyle, Mr Lachlan Abbott and all the coaches for their effort and organisation of these competitions.



Feast Day of Joseph Cardijn

The Feast Day of Joseph Cardijn is celebrated on 24 July each year. This is the date of his death and in 2017 marks 50 years. As a special commemoration and celebration of his life, Archbishop Philip Wilson has called for a special Mass to be celebrated on Monday 24 July 2017 at St Francis Xavier Cathedral, Wakefield Street, Adelaide. All families and staff from Cardijn and Marcellin are invited to attend this Mass which is scheduled for 5.45pm, with light refreshments after in the Cathedral hall. Our main celebrant will be Archbishop Philip Wilson. All former students, families and staff are also invited as are the extended former and current members of the Young Christian Workers (YCW). This is a date claimer and more information will be forthcoming. A special bus has been organised from Cardijn College to the Cathedral. Details of departure and return and booking for seats will be available soon.



Paul Rijken | PRINCIPAL

2017 TERM DATES

TERM 2 - Mon 1 May - Fri 7 July

TERM 3 - Mon 24 July - Fri 29 Sept

TERM 4 - Mon 16 Oct - Fri 8 Dec

UNIFORM SHOP

The secondhand uniform shop is open every Friday morning 9am-11am, in school terms.

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**.

STAGE 1 BIOLOGY FIELD TRIP



On Tuesday 30 May our Year 11 Biology students went on a field trip to the Southport Dunes and Onkaparinga estuary. The students learnt how to complete a transect determining the succession of sand dunes. They also studied the impact of humans on the biodiversity of the coastal ecosystem. Lastly, they underwent a field study on the distribution of shells at the mouth of the Onkaparinga. The students displayed great enthusiasm and comments such as "this is so much better than simply learning the concepts in the classroom" were often heard.

Anne-Marie Taylor,
Kolbe House Leader

CHISHOLM HOUSE MASS

On Friday 2 June, Chisholm House came together in prayer to celebrate the life and works of our house patron Caroline Chisholm. In the gospel, Father Peter told us the story of how Jesus questioned Peter's love for him, highlighting that at times we all need to make sacrifices to follow Jesus. This call to love can be clearly seen in our house patron Caroline Chisholm.

Students reflected on the effort of Caroline throughout her lifetime and the ways in which we can implement these same qualities of courage, care, commitment and leadership within our house.

Caroline dedicated her life to helping young immigrant women arriving in Australia, being exploited on ships, settle and create a new life for themselves here, giving the very little she did have to those in need.

Students were then encouraged to reflect on how their support of the Australian Refugee Association mirrors this work of our house patron and demonstrates this sacrifice to benefit someone truly in need. We were then blessed to hear a beautiful communion reflection of '10000 reasons' by the Saukuru's, reminding us of our call to love, trust in and follow Jesus.

Adeline Ryan, Chisholm House Captain



NATIONAL RECONCILIATION WEEK 2017



Last week was National Reconciliation Week. As a school we reflected on two significant anniversaries in our nation's reconciliation journey - 50 years since the 1967 referendum and 25 years since the historic Mabo decision. Each year National Reconciliation Week celebrates and builds on the respectful relationships shared by Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and other Australians. It is a time for all Australians to learn about our shared histories, cultures and achievements, and to explore how each of us can join the national reconciliation journey.

27 May 1967 – the referendum that saw more than 90 per cent of Australians vote to give the Australian Government power to make laws for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people and recognise them in the census.

3 June 1992 – the Australian High Court delivered the Mabo decision, which recognised that Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people have a special relationship with the land. This paved the way for land rights or Native Title.

A group of students from Cardijn and Marcellin attended the Aboriginal Veterans Commemorative Service on Friday at the Torrens Parade ground. The photo shows students with Mickey 'Kumatpi Marrutya' O'Brien, a Kaurna elder who presented the Welcome to Country and Smoking ceremony. The students were outstanding in the way they showed respect for our armed forces veterans and represented students from Catholic Schools in South Australia.

Tom Morris, ATSI Coordinator

ITALIAN: FESTA DELLA REPUBBLICA



On Friday 2 June, Cardijn College celebrated Festa Della Repubblica. La Festa Della Repubblica is a national celebration of the day Italians voted on which form of government they wanted their country to have after the fall of Fascism. Over 12 million votes were for Italy to become a republic, with only 10 million Italians voting for the monarchy. This then caused the descendants of the House of Savoy (the Italian royal family) to be sent into exile.

Celebrating this day at Cardijn is important because Italian is one of the two languages studied, and it gives students the opportunity to interact with their language study outside of the classroom. By participating in Italian cultural activities, students realise that even if learning Italian grammar and speaking in Italian is not their strong point, participating in cultural activities demonstrates an acceptance and understanding of other cultures. It is also an opportunity for students to realise that

governments do not always remain the same, and referendums can occur successfully when people are willing to stand for what they believe is right.

Cardijn celebrated by having whole school prayer over the loudspeaker in Italian, gelato, pizza and pasta for sale, Scopa in the library and Italian music playing in the amphitheatre. Staff were also treated to an Italian morning tea. Thank you to the staff and students who participated in this special day.

If you are interested in learning how to play Scopa or Briscola, the App store has several free apps to teach you how!

Grazie mille, Italian Faculty

MUSIC NEWS



Hello Music family and friends of Music! We are back for another update and have so much to tell you!! Another jam-packed fortnight in the life of Music! To begin... at the end of Week 4, we had Athon Day! Athon Day is a community-focused day of fundraising activities for local charities who work with disadvantaged people in the community. The day commenced with the opening ceremony where the Year 12 quartet performed 'You Raise Me Up' as the Athon Day song. The school community gathers to watch performances during lunch and right through the afternoon. We had many acts who performed and did the Music Department proud. The acts were Cardinal Blues, Rock Band, Madison Bennett, Slopknott (I know right?), Megan Davidson, Sisi Saukuru, Aden Quinn, Conor Brown, Ryan Frost, Arivian and Jaya. They all sounded great and put on a wonderful performance. They

should all be very proud of themselves. The whole day was a huge success and it will be remembered forever.

Last Thursday we had a lunchtime concert where our open school choir, Chorale, performed their pieces that they will be auditioning for Catholic School's music festival. They performed '4 Chords', 'Seasons of Love', and 'One Day More'. It sounded beautiful and their hard work showed through these pieces. Along with Chorale, three of the Year 12 soloists Simone Hendrick, Sebastian Macaspac, and Gabriel Walters, performed a piece from their Year 12 SACE 2 Music Program to have a practice in front of an audience. Year 12 Music Performance Summatives are in Week 7. We wish them luck and know they will do well.

Megan Davidson & Hunter O'Neil, Music Captains

SOCCER NEWS

FROM THE SOCCER ACADEMY

Our Year 8/9 Boys and Girls have proudly qualified for the State Finals in Week 8 on the Thursday to be played at Barratt Reserve. Both teams took out the Southern Zone competition convincingly and we wish them luck on their journey towards taking out the state title.

The Year 8/9 Boys played in their first knockout round of the 11-a-side competition, ruthlessly despatching of Wirreanda 17-0 and Woodcroft College 10-0. We wish them the best in their next two rounds, hoping to qualify for the state finals.

Year 10 Knockout is just around the corner, hosting at Cardijn and playing against both Unley and Sacred Heart. Meanwhile, our Year 8/9 Girls host Tatachilla in Week 9 and the Open Boys and Girls indoor state finals occur in Week 10 along with the Southern Zone Development Day.



FROM THE OLD COLLEGIANS

A couple of disappointing results for the first team and reserves on the weekend, going down to Adelaide Vipers and Woodside respectively. Tremendous spirit was demonstrated throughout both contests however inexperience coupled with moments of individual brilliance from the opposition proved the difference.

We are looking forward to your support when we host Unley Rangers on 17 June and Pembroke Kings on 24 June. Come out and support YOUR Old Collegians Football Club! BBQ and raffle to help our fundraising efforts.



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Sean Lang, Soccer Academy Coordinator

AEROSKOOLS

The Cardijn girls competed in their first AeroSkools Competition of the year on Sunday 28 May. This year we entered three teams and all students performed an outstanding routine. The girls looked fantastic and are to be commended on their efforts, both leading up to the comps and on the day. Special thanks to Georgia Alyward who has done an awesome job coaching the girls over the semester.

Michelle Burt, Teacher



TENISON WOODS EXCHANGE



The Cardijn squad of 55 eager students travelled to Mt Gambier on Sunday 28 May for the 3-day annual Tenison-Cardijn Sports Exchange. The schools competed against each other in futsal, basketball, volleyball, touch, debating, football and netball.

Cardijn managed to snatch the win for boys futsal and boys volleyball in absolute nail-biters! It was awesome to observe the display of talent, pride and skill from both colleges, but more importantly, to see students develop life-long friendships with their opponents. Cardijn looks forward to hosting the Tenison Titans in what will be a highly-competitive 2018.

CARDIJN AWARD WINNERS

DEBATING

Cardijn MVP – Conor Brown
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Jett Osborne

GIRLS FUTSAL

Cardijn MVP – Ellie Zeugofsge
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Estelle Ryan

BOYS FUTSAL

Cardijn MVP – Jai Conroy
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Matthias Lehman

MIXED TOUCH

Cardijn MVP – Caelan Shelton
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Chloe Wait

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Cardijn MVP - Mabelyn Norris
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Coco Horseman

BOYS VOLLEYBALL

Cardijn MVP – Blake Lindsay
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Sam Bentley

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Cardijn MVP – Mabelyn Norris
Cardijn Sportsmanship - Coco Horseman

BOYS BASKETBALL

Cardijn MVP – Blake Bruse-Hall
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Noah Simpson

NETBALL A

Cardijn MVP – Taylor Jonas
Cardijn Sportsmanship - Chloe Wait

NETBALL B

Cardijn MVP – Emily Sills
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Claire Gantley

FOOTBALL

Cardijn MVP – Jayden Close
Cardijn Sportsmanship – Sam Bentley

The Rijken/Doyle Medal is a prestigious medal that is awarded to the two most outstanding students from each College that showed great talent and sportsmanship in all they participated in. Congratulations to Cardijn's recipients:

Cardijn Male – Cameron Bullard

Cardijn Female – Chloe Wait



Thank you to Lachlan Abbott for his assistance in organising the Exchange and to the following staff who supported their teams so well leading up to the event and during their games: Sean Lang, Sarah Wilton, Kristen Barnett, Hannah Priest, Nadia Porter, Daniel Rabbett and Tarak Redigolo, plus Tyler Marstrand for prepping the volleyball teams. Your passion and commitment is greatly appreciated!

Emma Boyle, Sports Coordinator

CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to these superstar runners for their fine efforts in the Oakbank Cross Country Championships!

Tanisha Jentz – 27th in U14s

Maddie Webster – 24th in U15s

Tash Bedford – 28th in U15s



2017 CARDIJN YEAR 11 DRAMA PROUDLY PRESENTS

LIVING WITH LADY MACBETH

BY ROB JOHN

Everyone thinks
Lily is very ordinary.

Until now.

Tuesday June 20 & Wednesday June 21
6.30pm
Drama Theatre, Cardijn College

Gold coin donation



COME & TRY DAY

Want to be part of a football Club that helps you develop your football, while having fun as part of a community?

South Adelaide Panthers are holding a FREE Come & Try Day!

Thursday 15 June, 5pm - 6pm
O'Sullivan's Beach Sports Complex
Galloway Road, O'Sullivan's Beach
Come & Try open to all experience levels!

For more information contact:
Leigh Matthews 0412 591 478

PLAYERS WANTED

Want to be part of a soccer Club that helps you develop your football, while having fun as part of a community?

South Adelaide Panthers FC currently has vacancies in our Girls Under 15s & Under 17s teams!

To find out more or to become a Panther today, contact:

Leigh Matthews (Technical Director) - 0412 591 478

Lars Petersen U'17's - 0433 062 80

Morgan Smith U'15's - 0438887987

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