Dear Families, Staff and Friends of Cardijn

Opening of New Buildings
On Wednesday 8 June 2016 we were delighted with the official blessing and opening of our new buildings. We are most grateful for the outstanding facilities and acknowledge the sacrifices our school community had made to bring this to a reality. As well for our families who have been faithful and supportive of our endeavours in bringing a first class Catholic education to the families of the south, with their trust and confidence and of course their contribution to funding this project has been instrumental in our success.

Our community endured three years of building turmoil with temporary facilities, lack of onsite car parking and the inevitable mud everywhere. We thank Archbishop Philip Wilson for blessing and officially opening our buildings, we are very grateful for his support, prayers and special interest in our school community. We also thank Ms Helen O’Brien, Director of Catholic Education for her tremendous interest, support and confidence in the life of our community. Fr Charles Gauci and the priests of our parish who are instrumental in the work that we do with our students, we are very blessed to have them and thank them for their fantastic support.

To the people who were at the sharp end! Tridente Architects (Nick Tridente and Paul Boyce), Nick and Paul who have been involved in the master planning and design of the College for over 16 years, their creative thinking and development of a design which not only fits the educational brief but realises a contemporary space fitting of 21st Century learning is just outstanding and no wonder a number of our buildings have won architectural awards. We extend our gratitude to our consultants; BCA Engineers, Patrick Campbell, Walbridge and Gilbert, Nick Lelos, Heinrich consulting, Tom Heinrich cost consultant. Our builders; Hansen and Yuncken, Goran Colovic and Anthony Battaglia, Colin Russell, former staff member at Cardijn and builder, who returned from retirement to complete the build of stage 1 as a result of the Tagara demise.

Amanda Rishworth, Federal member for Kingston, Chris Picton, State member for Kaurna (represented by Ms Gemma Paech), The Mayor of Onkaparinga, Ms Lorraine Rosenberg are great friends of Cardijn; their support and interest in our community is just outstanding, they always make their time available to be at Cardijn on these special occasions.
To the school board and especially, the Chair, Ms Helen Bates and the Chair of the Board in the early stages of our planning Mr Wayne Copley, who have led the board to develop a vision for Catholic Education in South, we are most grateful for their leadership and care.
**Cardijn College**

**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.

**FROM THE PRINCIPAL**

And lastly, we extend our gratitude to Johnny Ioannou, Business Manager and Ivan Cauvuto, CESA Project manager. We are indebted to these two men for their commitment, dedication, energy, problem solving and patience in guiding us through this three year journey. Much of what we see today has been through their leadership and tenacity to bring the very best outcomes for Cardijn College.

**Intercollegiate Competition with Cabra**

We were delighted to host the very first official annual intercol competition between Cardijn College and Cabra Dominican College. Both schools were competing for the coveted Smith-O'Grady Cup and get the bragging rights to win the very first Intercol between the two colleges. The cup is named after Br Walter Smith 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 to a long term sporting tradition at both schools. Cabra Dominican College are celebrating their 130 year anniversary since the foundation of Cabra with their Dominican tradition dating back 800 years. We are very privileged to have Cabra Dominican College as our intercol competitor. At the end of the day, Cardijn College prevailed with a very exciting hard fought battle in football, soccer and netball. Unfortunately our basketball team was overawed by the might and depth of talent in the Cabra outfit. In Football, Jackson Daniels won the MVP, Tyler Orr MVP in Netball and Kai Tamakuni-Keast in Soccer. Our thanks to all the competitors who represented the College with pride and with their very best, the parents and staff who came to watch and support our teams and most importantly Ms Emma Boyle, our Sports Coordinator who organised and championed the genesis of this new tradition for Cardijn College.

**Pathways and Student Destination Survey**

Thank you to parents and students for completing the recent pathways and destination survey. The College leadership team is analysing the data and we will publish the results very soon. We are in the process of reviewing our curriculum for 2017 and will advise you of potential new pathways/programs on offer early next term.

Paul Rijken | PRINCIPAL
Outdoor 5-a-side Southern Zone (boys and girls)
The Cardijn College Middle School Soccer Academy representatives enjoyed an excursion out to Reynella East College to participate in the Secondary Schools of South Australia Outdoor 5-a-side knockout competition. We were able to field four boys teams - coached by Mr Vic Bandiera and old scholars Jake Dowsett, Josh Partridge and Daniel Milovanovic while our girls team was coached by Miss Eleni Takianos. Our opponents for the day included schools such as Hallett Cove, Reynella East College, Mt Barker, Aberfoyle Park, Mt Compass and Woodcroft College.

The boys teams did extremely well to qualify for the state finals of the competition, finishing second out of 24 teams. The girls topped their group and participated with aplomb, but were unable to proceed past the semi-finals, finishing third.

The state finals are on the Thursday of Week 7 - 16 June at West Beach Sports Complex. Mr Sean Lang and Jake Dowsett will coach the team on the day and will consist of a mixture of Year 8 and 9 Soccer Academy boys.

Year 8/9 Knockout Soccer
The Cardijn College Year 8/9 boys soccer team travelled to Woodcroft College to participate in the first round of the Secondary Schools of South Australia knockout soccer competition, facing the hosts as well as Seaforth Secondary College.

The first half performance demonstrated an ability to dominate possession and territory without creating enough clear cut chances. The students worked well as a group but need to learn the importance of fast ball movement, communication, mental speed as well as physicality and work ethic. Deacon Penn, Dylan Lewis and Auckland Heys were standout performers as well as goal scorers. Jordan Steer, Wes Weetra and Connor Smith were also impressive.

The boys then faced Seaforth Secondary College in what would be a much tougher encounter than anticipated. After Dylan Lewis scored, it looked to be business as usual for the boys. Instead, Seaforth scored an unlikely equaliser and got bodies behind the ball and made life difficult for us. After some stern words at half time, Cardijn came out the blocks firing and scored at will with the game ending up 9-1. Creditable performances go to Matthew Edmonds, Kobe Rosser and David Montgomery.

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Sean Lang | Soccer Academy Coordinator

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**YOUTH MINISTRY**

Exciting times in the youth office at St Luke’s!

This term we welcomed Tahlia Sully, employed to run the YCS program within our community. Tahlia is a Cardijn old scholar and recipient of the Joseph Cardijn award in 2015! Tahlia will prove to be a great asset to our community!

A newly formed youth council has begun meeting to improve the faith experiences for young people within our parish community. This group will focus on innovating concepts as well as traditional worship. The group is made up of current Cardijn students, old scholars and young people in the Parish.

Don’t forget about all of the wonderful opportunities we provide for young people in the community for all ages! A Middle School youth group meets fortnightly for fun and games as well as some sharing and reflection. Antioch Youth for young people aged 15 - 25 meet on a regular basis on a Sunday evening and each Sunday a Youth Mass is held at St Luke’s at 5.30pm.

Please feel free to contact Shanna Ridings for any more information!

Shanna Ridings | Youth Minister- St Luke’s Noarlunga-Seaford Parish

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Chisholm House celebrated their House Mass on Friday 3 June with Father Charles, friends, families and local parishioners. Coming out of Reconciliation Week, we paid special respects to the traditional land-owners, the Kaurna People in order to move forward with a sense of deep listening, respect and understanding. The liturgy’s readings reflected the unconditional love and commitment of God. One of our House Captains, Kim Cawaling, reflected on the qualities of a leader that our house patron, Caroline Chisholm displayed in her life’s work. We also took this time to honour and thank Therese Moyse, a loyal Cardijn and Chisholm House member of 27 years as she retires from her years of service to the College. The liturgy celebrated a time of connection within the house and wider community.

Kim Cawaling, Chisholm House Captain

ARCH D RADIO

In 2016 Cardijn College has continued working closely with Arch D Radio and the program has expanded again to include even more students. Arch D is broadcast every Wednesday night at 9pm and every Saturday night at 10pm on 107.9 Life FM, with an audience of 47,000 people. Cardijn College featured on a special episode of Arch D Radio recently, where the College Captains, Mission Captains and Year 12 representatives from each house spoke about Athon Day, house patrons and house charities. So far, the podcast of this episode has been downloaded more than any other episode of Arch D Radio!

In another exciting initiative, Cardijn students are investigating the process of starting their own radio station ‘CC Radio 516.8’. With the support of James Meston from Arch D Radio, students have had their first recording experience using the recording studio in the new Music Centre. The CC Radio team are very excited and have already started brainstorming possible segments for the show.

Episodes of Arch D Radio are available to download as podcasts for apple and android devices. If you are interested in hearing students on the air, tune in to Life FM or download the episodes from the links below.

On iTunes (iPhone/iPad/Mac Users):

On Soundcloud (Android/PC):
https://soundcloud.com/archdradio/13-cardijn-college-athon-day-special

Ms Danielle Greig | Acting Director of Teaching & Learning
Week 6 was one of the biggest weeks for Music in Term 2. First and foremost, we would like to congratulate everyone on the success of Athon Day, it was truly an amazing day where music students were able to show off their talents and perform to the school. It will be a day all students will remember.  

Also, last week our school held the annual Tenison Woods Sports Exchange and we thank and acknowledge Aiden Quinn and Sisilina Sakura for their performance at the exchange opening ceremony.  

Last week, our Music Coordinator Mr Gauci ran a series of Year 8 Music audits. This was an opportunity for all Year 8s to have some one on one, vocal, rhythm and listening time with Mr Gauci to discover if any students were interested in joining an ensemble or taking up music instrumental lessons at the College. It was a good opportunity for students to have an assessment of their voice and to receive some health tips in order to protect it.  

Week 6 will see our Ensemble Music Nights held on Wednesday and Thursday. All of our ensembles will be performing over the two nights and have been working hard on their repertoire for the shows. We hope to see many of you there. Wednesday afternoon will also see the official opening of the Music Centre, along with the other new college buildings. The College is privileged to have Archbishop Philip Wilson bless and officially open the buildings.  

Shaun & Caleb, Music Captains 2016

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TENISON WOODS EXCHANGE

On Sunday 29 May Cardijn College hosted the 30th Annual Sports Exchange. 55 students and 6 teachers from Tenison Woods, Mt Gambier travelled down to Adelaide for three days of sports competition. Congratulations to all who were involved in the event and thank you to the coaches, staff and families who supported the exchange; without you the event could not go ahead.  

Emma Boyle | Sport Coordinator
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- Cyberbullying: [Click Here](#)

**Southern Vales Community Career Expo**

**When & Where**
- **Wednesday 15th June 2016**
- 8pm - 9pm
- Cardijn College Gymnasium

**Come & See**
- Flinders University
- Adelaide University
- University of South Australia
- Marcellin Technical College
- ATC
- City of Onkaparinga
- Institute of Chartered Accountants
- The International College of Hotel Management
- Tabor College
- Motor Trade Association
- Torrens University
- Australian Honour & Mondernity Federation
- Project Aile
- TAFE SA
- Master Builders Association
- Cultural Care AU Par
- Academy of Interactive Entertainment
- Strategy Training Group

**Cardijn Community Concert**
- Arts Centre Pt Noarlunga
- 25th June 2016
- 6.30 pm
- Chris Finnen Band
- Bluecasters
- Jack Humphries

**Bar Facilities, Prizes**

**Tickets Are Free!!!**  
See Sue Turner in General Reception before they run out!

**Inspiring the best**

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