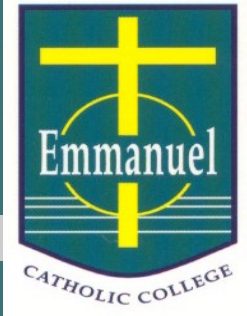


# Newsletter



Dear Parents, Students and Members of the Emmanuel Catholic College Community,

Our final term for the year is underway and with it a series of busy weeks filled with a very busy schedule of important events. After the two week break it's nice to be back and finally enjoying the sunny warmth of Spring. We also welcome back Mr Cordina, who has enjoyed a long service leave break, much of it travelling overseas. My thanks to Mr Harvey and to Mr Alweyn for stepping up into replacement roles in his absence.

On our first day of term the staff participated in some important professional development. It focussed on the implementation of our first Teacher Designed Schools strategic priority, developing a better understanding of the Person of Jesus (as part of one of our core values – Modelling Christ in our Behaviour) Many thanks must be extended to both Mr Cordina and Mr Mervin who facilitated the sessions and offered significant and personal insight into this theme, for all of our staff. Further work will follow later in term four.

Important planning and preparation work for the new academic year is well underway also, by this stage. I thank the Executive team for once again giving up a number of days during much of their holidays to work on important planning for the timetable and staffing for 2010. The coming weeks will hopefully see much of that work finalised.

The end of this first week will see the conclusion of our Year 12 final school examinations which began in the second week of the holidays. It's another important milestone reached by many of final year students as they now set their sights firmly on the finish line. At the end of next week their final attendance at Emmanuel will wind up with our traditional Year 12 finish - a breakfast together in Fremantle, followed by their final College Assembly, rehearsals at St. Jerome's and their important final Graduation Mass and Ceremony. We all look forward to it being a great celebration of their years here and the promise of great things ahead.

We look forward to joining with the staff of Mater Christi PS for one of our annual social get togethers, this time a sundowner to be held at the primary school in week five. In the meantime I wish everyone a good term as another year rapidly gathers pace towards Christmas.

**John Bormolini**  
PRINCIPAL

## COMING EVENTS AT ECC

October 21st	Emmanuel Arts Night
November 2nd	Year 9 Exams commence
November 6th	Year 10 River Cruise
December 11th	Last day school for Year 7-10

### **Study Tip #16 – Lists!**

Developing a list is an effective memorisation technique. When memorising dates, formulae, etc., some find useful the most bare method of all--the list. When memorising the scientific names of different organisms for a science class, for instance, a student could create two columns side by side--one listing the common names, the other listing the scientific names. By reading the list over several times and then covering up pieces of information so that you are forced to remember them, you can teach your brain to associate the two names more quickly.



### **Year 7 Immunisations**

Year 7 girls and families are reminded that the Schools Immunisation Team will be present at the College on Tuesday 20 October to administer the third and final round of the Gardasil vaccination. Only girls who have previously received the first and second round vaccinations are able to be immunised at this time. If a student is absent on this day, families will be required to seek the services of their private health provider for the final round of this immunisation program. Feel free to contact Mrs Price at the College for further details.

### **After School Homework Program**

Students who have previously been involved in the After School Homework program are reminded that the Wednesday afternoon sessions for Term 4 will re-commence on Wednesday 21 October.

Students who wish to join the program in Term 4 need to collect an information sheet and reply slip from Student Services and return it as soon as possible to Mr Harvey. Students will not be accepted into the program without a completed slip.

### **Year 9 Examinations**

A reminder to all Year 9 students and families that the Year 9 Examinations will take place during week 4 of this term, commencing on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> of November. The timetable for the exam week is as follows;

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| * | Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November – Periods 3 & 4:   | Society & Environment |
| * | Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November – Periods 1 & 2: | Science               |
| * | Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> November – Periods 1 & 2:  | English               |
| * | Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> November – Periods 3 & 4:    | Mathematics           |

Examinations will be in Year 9 Extension and Mainstream classes only. Enrichment students will be participating in other learning activities.

Students will be completing revision activities and a study skills program as preparation for the examinations, whilst parents are encouraged to assist students with home based preparation. Please feel free to contact the College for any assistance required.

The newsletter provides weekly study tips for all students throughout the academic year, which can be a useful tool for students at all times, not just in the lead up to examinations.

**Mr S Harvey**  
**Deputy Principal (Year 7 – 9)**

## SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

### YEARS 10 & 11 SEMESTER TWO EXAMINATIONS

The Years 10 & 11 Semester Two Examinations will take place as indicated below.

**Students are reminded that the minimum entry requirements for particular courses that they wish to do in 2010 must still be met on their forthcoming End-of-Year Report.** These minimum entry requirements can be found in the relevant 2010 Curriculum Handbook distributed in Term Two. Where a student no longer satisfies a particular minimum entry requirement based on their End-of-Year Report, it is standard procedure that they will be required to look at choosing a different course for next year.

**All students in Years 10 & 11 are strongly encouraged to fully commit themselves to their studies in the remaining weeks of the term so that they can look forward to achieving their best possible results.**

**Year 10: -----      Monday 30 November – Friday 4 December**

Year 10 students will attend classes as normal, except for when they have an examination.

**Year 11: .....      Thursday 12 November - Friday 27 November**

#### **Year 11 students sitting for 4 or more examinations:**

These students will conclude their formal classes on **Wednesday 11 November**. From then on, they are only required to attend school to sit for their examinations; at other times, they are permitted to study at home.

#### **Year 11 students sitting for less than 4 examinations:**

These students will conclude their formal classes on **Friday 13 November**, providing all assessment tasks have been submitted. Where all assessment tasks have not been submitted, students will be required to return to school at the beginning of the following week as normal. Where a student is doing a "non-university bound (non-ATAR)" programme, but is also enrolled in a course that has an examination associated with it, then he/she is permitted to study at home on the day prior to the day of the examination for that course.

Should Year 11 students involved in examinations wish to meet with particular teachers during the examination break, it is strongly recommended that a prior appointment be made to see the teacher concerned. **Students who come onto College grounds during the examination break for any reason whatsoever must be dressed in normal school uniform.**

Mr R. McCarthy  
Deputy Principal (Years 10-12)

## YEAR 10 NEWS

### LETTERS OF INVITATION TO YEAR 11

Through the displaying of sound work attitudes and habits, most Year 10 students have now received their Letter of Invitation from the College Principal, inviting them to continue their enrolment at Emmanuel Catholic College in 2010. It is hoped that within a few weeks, all students will have met the necessary criteria in order to receive an Invitation.

It should, however, be clearly understood that the Invitation to Year 11 is conditional upon maintaining sound work attitudes and habits across all subject areas for the remainder of the year. That is, no Year 10 student can afford to ease off with regard to application to his/her studies. Where this does occur and work attitudes and habits deteriorate, then for such a student, the Letter of Invitation may be withdrawn.

All students are expected to apply themselves fully at all times in each subject, not only so that they can **secure their Invitation to Year 11, but also to ensure that any pre-requisite academic results for desired Year 11 courses can still be met at the end of Year 10.**

Mr R. McCarthy  
Deputy Principal (Years 10-12)

Ms N. Larsen  
Acting Head of Year 10

## P&F NEWS



Welcome back to school. As the end of the year is fast approaching, now is the time to think about your Parents and Friends Committee for next year. Our Annual Community Meeting is to be held on Tuesday December 1<sup>st</sup> 2009.

Please take some time to read the nomination form included in this newsletter. It gives a little information about the P&F and what we do and we hope to encourage some new faces to our meetings (as well as hang on to the old ones).

Why not grab a friend and come together to check out what is going on? All are welcome at our meetings and you won't be "given a job" just for turning up.

Our next meeting is on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> October at 7.00pm in the Board Room. ALL WELCOME

### **Invitation to the cherished college staff, students and their families**

**Feast of All Saints, Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> Nov 2009**

**Spring affair at the Schoenstatt Shrine, 9 Talus Drive, Armadale, from 9.30 am till 2 pm**

This is the opportunity of a life time to come to the Shrine.

Besides spending money at the Spring affair where all sorts of things will make you wish you hadn't brought so much,

you will be able to have November Masses offered up for the deceased members of your Family. This very special offer will help us to stay close to those who have gone before us and be united with them in prayer. What better place than the Schoenstatt Shrine to do so.

Hoping to see you all there.

Sister M. Lisette  
9399 2349

EMMANUEL CATHOLIC COLLEGE P&F ASSOCIATION

**The Annual General Meeting of the Emmanuel Catholic College Parents and Friends Association will be held in the Library on Tuesday December 1<sup>st</sup> 2009 at 7.00pm together with the College Board.**

The P&F directs its energies to community building, fundraising and other activities to support the operation of the School. Over the past few years it has supported the school greatly with various projects. Your children are the ones who directly benefit from the funds raised through the P&F levy and community building events. We ask that parents consider nominating for a position on the P&F executive or committee and by doing so, become actively involved in assisting the staff in the task of educating your children.

The period of election to the P&F and Committee is one year, and after this time all positions will be declared vacant. The Executive Committee consists of President, Secretary and Treasurer. Voting takes place when there is more than one nomination received for the executive positions. None of these jobs are particularly time consuming and help will be given to you if needed.

A general committee is also needed to attend regular meetings to enable fair decisions to be made and discussion to take part. These meetings are open for any parent to attend. It is hoped that all families attend at least one meeting a year.

**Meetings are open for all parents and friends of the school community and are held on the fourth Monday of each month at 7.00pm in the staff room.**

Please return this nomination form to the College by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2009.  
Please consider attending the AGM, even if you do not wish to nominate for a position.

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**EMMANUEL CATHOLIC COLLEGE P&F ASSOCIATION**

I wish to nominate for the following position

- PRESIDENT
- SECRETARY
- TREASURER
- COMMITTEE MEMBER

Name-----

Address-----

Phone Number-----

Signature of Nominator-----

Signature of Nominee-----



**Canteen roster week commencing 19/09/09**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Marie Collier			Cathy Giesige	

**Seminar on Catholic Social Teaching (CST)**

The Catholic Church has always made a valuable contribution to civil society through schools, hospitals and social support. It also strongly defends human dignity at all stages of life. **CST is the basis of a committed Catholic life, it helps us to SEE, to EVALUATE and to ACT effectively.** This seminar provides a range of skills and resources to address social justice issues. **Presenter: Ms Sandie Cornish Loyola Institute Sydney****WHEN: Saturday 17 Oct 2009, 2 PM – 4 PM at the Catholic Pastoral Centre 40A Mary St HIGHGATE. COST: \$5.00 unwaged gold coin.** Sponsored by the Catholic Social Justice Council, RSVP Friday 16 Oct 2009, Miriam Romiti, 9422 7900.

**Women and the Australian Church: Capturing the Vision**

What are the issues for Catholic women today? How do we promote the Gospel vision of the equal dignity of women and men? This seminar covers:

- o the research done for the Bishops’ report 10 years ago;
- o today’s priorities;
- o what we can do
- o indicators of progress

**Presenter: Sandie Cornish Loyola Institute, Faith Doing Justice Project.**

**WHEN: Sunday 18 October 2009, 1 PM – 4 PM (Gather at 12.45 PM) at the Catholic Pastoral Centre 40A Mary St HIGHGATE** Sponsored by the Council for Australian Catholic Women. RSVP Friday 16 Oct, Miriam Romiti, 9422 7900.

**SATURDAY HELP CLASSES - ACADEMIC TASK FORCE**

Saturday classes for years 8, 9 and 10 in English and Mathematics provide on-going help for students. They are small group classes with very experienced teachers.

For more information please contact Dr Pam Bagworth or Dr Robert Hallam on 93174421

**MATER CHRISTI PARISH NEWS**

Parish Clergy: Fr Bryan Rosling & Fr Jim Corcoran  
340 Yangebup Road, Yangebup, WA 6164 **Ph:** 9417 4763  
**Fax:** 9417 7946 email: [materchristi@iprimus.com.au](mailto:materchristi@iprimus.com.au)

**UNIFORM SHOP - OPENING HOURS**

Tuesday	8.00am—4.15 pm
Wednesday	8.00am—11.30 pm
Friday	8.00am—4.15 pm

There is also a large range of second hand items available.

Contact Terrell and Faye on 9414 4017

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