



## "Prima Primum" - First Things First

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### PRAYER

Over the past few weeks Year 7 have been engaged in a study of our relationship with God and creation in their Religious Education classes. As part of their study, they have explored the biblical call to be stewards of all of God's creation and Pope Francis' urging that we should care for our common home - not to elevate the natural world above ourselves, nor to elevate ourselves above it. Their prayer focus in this unit has reflected on the words of Pope Francis in his encyclical Laudato Si.

*Lord, teach us to discover the worth of each thing,  
to be filled with awe and contemplation,  
and to recognize that we are profoundly united  
with every creature as we journey towards your infinite  
light.*

*We thank you for being with us each day.  
Encourage us, we pray, in our struggle for justice, love  
and peace.*

St Paul pray for us.

Blessed Edmund Rice, pray for us.

Live Jesus in our Hearts, forever.

### COLLEGE PRINCIPAL

This week the College welcomes Mr Nick Westhoff who has commenced in the role of English teacher. This is something of a homecoming for Mr Westhoff, who first came to St Paul's as a beginning teacher in the 1990s and now returns as an accomplished and experienced educator.

#### Year 12, 2022

Congratulations to Year 12 who have now successfully completed their HSC Trial Examinations, which represent an important milestone in the final stages of their secondary school education. Importantly though, nothing is over yet. Though their school-based assessment has now been finalised, the

remaining weeks of Term 3, and the pupil vacation that follows, represent a great opportunity to learn from their teachers' feedback, refine their written responses, and put the polish in their final performance.

It remains as important as ever that Year 12 are present at school and remain present in their classes right through to the end. We look forward to celebrating their achievements at the proper time and are confident that there will be much to celebrate.

#### Tell Them from Me

Each year our college, together with every school across our diocese, participates in the Tell Them from Me survey, as a means of providing a voice to all members of the community including students, parents and staff. **In the coming week a link to this survey will be shared with all families via Compass email.** Each student will be given a direct link to complete the survey at school.

The results of the survey are aggregated by a third party and presented to the College without any identifying information, i.e., the survey remains confidential. This means that it is not possible to raise a specific concern via the survey. Any parent that wishes to address a particular concern to the College should contact their son's Leader of Student Wellbeing or our Assistant Principal, Ms Karen Shawcross.

#### Parent Advisory

Thank you to those parents that have expressed their interest in joining our re-structured Parent Advisory. We will be in contact soon to arrange our first gathering. There remains an opportunity for parents of students in Year 11 to lend their voice to this important advisory body to ensure that our whole community is represented.

#### Father's Day BBQ Breakfast

Finally, we are pleased that our annual Father's Day BBQ Breakfast will return next week on Friday 2 September. This is an opportunity for students in Years 7 & 8 to celebrate their fathers, grandfathers and those significant male figures that

provide a model to our young men to look up to. Details have been sent out this week via Compass and our Facebook page.

*Prima Primum*

God bless.

**Mr Michael Reid**  
**College Principal**

## COLLEGE CALENDAR 2022

For 2022 school dates please refer to the Google Calendar



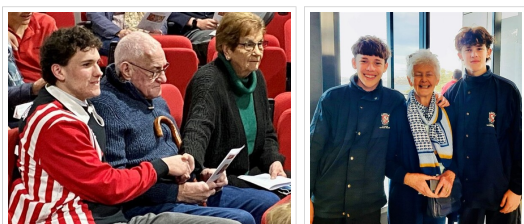
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## ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

The middle of the Term has certainly come into effect with many events happening. Our Year 8 cohort had their Reflection Day last week and looked at how they can protect the environment in which we live. Our Year 11 cohort spent a day working through the understanding of Leadership, not just what it means to be a college prefect but what does it mean to be a Year 12 student at the school. The HSC trials have also been completed and it is now a time for these students to seek feedback on their efforts. The trials and the feedback are an opportunity to determine what is not known and what still needs to be done. Also, this week we have had our Year 7 and Year 8 students participate in the 'Man Cave' programme. We held our Grandparents Liturgy and Morning Tea on Thursday morning.

The 'Man Cave' programme is designed for Year 7 and Year 8 students and is a preventative mental health programme that empowers young men to understand their emotions and strives to educate young men to have positive healthy relationships. The young men who led the programme did so in a manner that resonated with our students. I encourage you to discuss with your son his reflection of the day.

Our Grandparents Liturgy and Morning Tea was a lovely way to spend Thursday morning. Whilst cold, it was a clear day allowing for Sydney Harbour to be a great back drop for the morning. The grandparents that attended were delighted to spend the morning with their grandson, in reflection and prayer.



This week we had the final competition round of Enterprise in the Community. This is the programme that our Stage 5 Commerce students participated in last Term. They worked with local businesses to solve a real problem and the winning team here at the College represented at the finals. Our team consisted of Joshua T, Jayden D, Charles H, Banjo L, Lachlan

D, and Austin H; all in Stage 5, the competitors were in Year 10 and Year 11. Our boys held their own and were the only team whose business has already reserved the domain and applied a copyright to their slogan. They represented themselves, their families and the college to finish a respectful third place. Congratulations to the team and to Mr Falconer who has worked with them in their Commerce class.

This week we also had Australian Outdoor Education speak with the Year 8, 9 and 10 cohorts during COURAGE in regard to the Duke of Edinburgh Scheme. I encourage you to discuss the award with your son and seek further information if needed. The award is a wonderful experience of fitness, skill, community service and an outdoor adventure which teaches resilience and determination.

This week we have been notified by Keolis Downer (Northern Beaches buses) that they are experiencing a driver shortage (like many industries they are impacted by illness) and whilst public buses are being affected, all school services will still be running as normal. They have updated their website with a new search function to assist students in finding school services that operate. Use this link and type in the school's name. A list of school special services (indicated with an 'n' after the 3-digit route number) will appear, if you follow a selected link for a route, it will redirect you to the trip planning site for Transport for NSW, including bus stops and route map. The service and route details displayed on this web page also lists the relative public bus services that operate in the vicinity of our school.

I would also like to express my gratitude for the support of all parents in the closure of the student bathrooms last Friday. It is an ongoing issue that students regularly damage the bathrooms, and it is a difficult area to determine who is ultimately responsible all the time.

**Ms Karen Shawcross**  
**Assistant Principal**

## DIRECTOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### RE Classes

Year 7 have continued learning about Our Common home and completed the first part of their assessment last week. The unit has been well received with the boys beginning to engage with Pope Francis' Laudato Si. They have looked at petitions which seek change in our treatment of the environment and created their own.

### Bishop's Art Prize

The artwork is in! It is of an amazing quality and the hard work of judging begins.... So, watch this space!

### Retreat and Class Masses

Year 8 visited the beach to pick up the small and often ignored pieces of plastic and litter. On return to the College, they made products out of plastic to explore recycling. See The Youth Minister's report.

Class Masses recommenced this week with Fr John saying Mass for Year 7 PC1 on Thursday morning. In a fortnight it will be 8PC3.



## Grandparents Liturgy

It has been a few years since we first held a Grandparents' Liturgy and Morning tea because of the interruptions by COVID. The original Liturgy date this year was to celebrate Jesus' own grandparents' feast day. We celebrated a great day on Thursday this week with many grandparents in attendance. The College House Captains served the morning tea, and the junior students ran the Liturgy.



**Mr Steven Callow**  
*Director of Religious Education*

## TEACHING AND LEARNING

Year 8 and 9 students are in the final stages of their 2023 subject selection process. I would like to thank Mr Waller, Mr Endacott, Mr Newton, Mrs Kibby and Mr Murray for their face to face and digital presentations providing outlines of the different elective subjects being offered at St Paul's in 2023. Subject preferences are due this Friday, 26th August.

The Trial Examination Period for Year 12 has concluded. This is the final school-based assessment for Year 12 students, and their first assessment period in the style of HSC examinations. Given the lack of experience with formal examination blocks, students generally engaged in their examinations with a positive attitude. It is critical that they now respond appropriately to teacher feedback and recommendations to set themselves up for success. All students should now be looking forward to the upcoming HSC examinations and making the most of the time available to prepare effectively for their scheduled examinations. HSC examinations will commence on Wednesday 12th October and conclude on Friday 4th November.

Year 11 students will be sitting their End of Preliminary examinations from Thursday 15th September until Friday 23rd September. This examination period not only allows them to

demonstrate their knowledge and understanding of the courses studied this year, but it also replicates the formal examination blocks they will have in their HSC year, providing them with some insight into what is required of them to be successful in their Year 12 Trial and HSC examinations. I encourage each student in Year 11 to begin to develop a study program that will not only support them as they prepare for their upcoming examinations, but also set them in good stead for their HSC year.

Given that the focus of this newsletter article is about preparation for and execution of formal examinations I would encourage all students in Years 7 – 10 to consider how they apply themselves to the demands of their secondary education. It is important to understand that being successful generally requires effort outside of school hours. This includes not just completing set tasks in the form of homework and/or assessment tasks, but also revision and study. Developing this capability early equips a student to successfully navigate the learning progressions that they engage with throughout their schooling.

**Mrs Trish McGregor**  
*Director of Teaching and Learning*

## COLLEGE COUNSELLOR

Michael Grose presents: Changing parenting gears for the teenage years

Finding skilful ways to manage strong emotion that get triggered in everyday life can be one of the most challenging aspects of raising a family.

**Mrs Mary Thomas: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday**  
**Mrs Danika Mouldsdales: Thursday, Friday**  
*College Counsellors*

## VET (VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING) AND POST SCHOOL OPTIONS

### Careers Bulletin

Click this link for the latest edition of the Careers Bulletin.

### 2022 University Early Entry Program Information

Click this link to see the cheat sheet for the 2022 Universities Early Entry Program.

### 2022 University Open Days

Click this link to see a summary of the University Open Days.

For more Careers information see the links below:

<https://st-pauls-catholic-manly.jobjump.com.au/>

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me at [garth.aird@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:garth.aird@dbb.catholic.edu.au)

**Mr Garth Aird**  
*Leader of Learning VET and Post School Options*

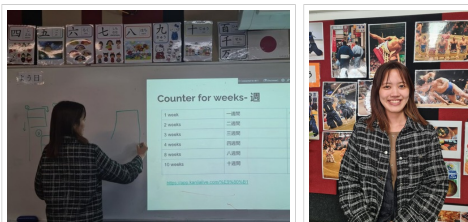


# JAPANESE NEWS

## Japanese assistant

This week we have welcomed Yuna, a Japanese assistant to the College to help and assist us in our lessons. Already, she has been an asset to our classes with speaking practice and helping us to write new Kanji. Yuna comes from Waseda University in Tokyo, which is the same University that our sister school is affiliated with.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Yuna for her time to volunteer to work with us.



**Mrs Amanda Kibby**  
**Leader of Learning Languages**

## MATHEMATICS

Year 7 have finished decimals and fractions moving onto algebra, which is the lynchpin of High School mathematics.

Year 8 are revisiting Algebra from Year 7 but extending their skills to solving algebraic equations.

Year 9 are exploring similarity in geometry, which has applications in the real world (maps, building plans.)

Year 10 are revising right angle Trigonometry from Year 9, moving onto non-right-angle trigonometry.

Year 11 Advanced and Extension 1 are on target to finish the Preliminary courses in readiness of the End of Preliminary Exams during weeks 9 and 10.

Year 12 have sat their first 3-hour trial exams. We have 58 days to prepare for their HSC, this will involve days during the next term break to sit past HSC papers as well as daily sitting past HSC multiple choice papers.

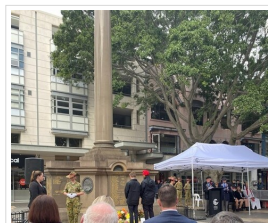
**Mr Simon Baker**  
**Leader of Learning Mathematics**

## HSIE

Year 10 students Tyler Osborne and Jaush Singh along with our Leader of Learning HSIE, I represented the College last Thursday 18th August at the Vietnam Veterans Day 2022 Memorial Service held at the Manly War Memorial.

On this day, we remember all those who served our country during the conflict in Vietnam and associated theatres, especially the men and women who paid the ultimate sacrifice.

Tyler and Jaush met Vietnam veteran and former St Paul's staff member, Mr Richard Morgon at conclusion of the service.

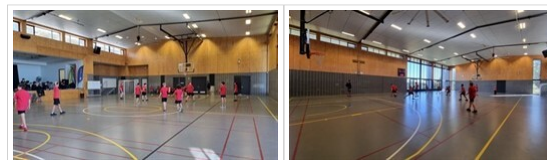


**Mr Stephen Murray**  
**Leader of Learning HSIE**

## PDHPE

### Year 7

Year 7 students are undertaking the opportunity to extend their understanding of personal challenges and how to seek help for such issues. This is accompanied through the integration of their new area of study, named "We Are All in This Together". Students will also be undergoing the learning topic of "Being Health Savvy" where they are challenged to analyse and suggest ways in which health services on the Northern Beaches would better suit teenagers in our peninsula.



### Year 8

Year 8 PDHPE students continue their unit of study "Rights and Responsibilities" into Term 3, in preparation for their learning task. This unit continues to explore promoting equality, recognising inequality in relationships as well as strategies to promote healthy relationships.

The practical component of the students' involvement in PDHPE this Term is the learning unit "On the Ball". This unit focuses on the Development of ball games enhancing skills and allowing inclusive participation.



### Year 9

Year 9 PDHPE students will be covering content in the unit of study "Help and Support". Within this unit students will be challenged to understand conflict in relationships, how to recognise unhealthy relationships and how to seek and offer help. Skills developed in this unit of study include self-awareness, inclusivity and sociocultural differences.



## Stage 5 PASS

Students undergoing the unit of study “Advanced skills of Floorball”, have now mastered their practical skills involved in the modified version of field hockey. The second half of Term 3 turns focus to their new area of study “Technology in Sport”, aiming to develop students’ knowledge and understanding of how technological developments are used in sport, and the current impact and future implications of technological developments on sport and the sport performer.

## Year 10

Year 10 PDHPE students will cover the learning topic of “Turning Knowledge into Action” during Term 3. This unit of study involves taking a mature approach to understanding the reasons for barriers faced by a marginalised group in Australia. Students aim to understand why marginalisation of these people has happened and what is being done to reduce and stop it.



## Year 11

Year 11 PDHPE students have been thoroughly enjoying their new area of study “Fitness Choices”. This module examines the exercise options that are available to meet the varying fitness needs of individuals. Students investigate what exercise means to different people and the factors that influence exercise choices. As the Term nears an end the cohort are preparing for their End of Year Exams, which also marks their final assessment for the year as a Year 11 student.

## Year 12

Year 12 students have now completed their PDHPE Trial HSC Exam. It is now crunch time where they will have their heads in their books, revising, resynthesizing, and rehearsing what they have learnt in the last two years in PDHPE in preparation to put their hard work on show in the final HSC Exam on November 2nd.

**Mr Lionel Newton**  
**Leader of Learning PDHPE**

## YEAR 8 WELLBEING

On Tuesday 16th of August Year 8 had their student Reflection Day and went to Little Manly and Shelley Beach, to pick up litter to help clean our environment. We took this day to reflect on the outstanding year we have had so far and to raise awareness of how plastic impacts our environment locally.

After we did this, we walked back to school and had our recess, then we went to the food technology kitchen and melted plastic with a shape inside of it as well as creating an art insulation on reclaimed plastic in IRC (Information Resource Centre). The purpose of these tasks was to gain greater awareness of plastic pollution particularly in our waterways.

While doing this we learned that we have to be mindful of what type of plastic we use and how being mindful of plastic use we can have an impact on our environment. We have learned that throwing away and littering plastic is a waste, and we should always try to recycle it to protect the environment.

We also had a pizza lunch enjoying times with our friends and ended the day with a Liturgy where we reflected on taking care of our environment.

Written by Jesse Reveyrand and Aaron Smith

**Dr Natasha Perrett**  
**Year 8 Leader of Student Wellbeing**

## YEAR 10 WELLBEING

Year 10 has started Term 3 in a positive manner. Courage lessons have given the opportunity for students to both reflect on their semester 1 results and plan for the term ahead. There has been a focus on ‘grit’ and ‘never giving up’.

In Week 2 Year 10 were given the opportunity to reflect on their Half Yearly reports for each subject. They considered how they performed in that subject, were they happy with their results and outlined one thing they could improve on in Semester 2.



Half Yearly Report Reflection



Access your half yearly report on Compass. Spend some time reflecting on your mid year report by completing the table below

Column 1: Each subject - you will need to type in your electives  
Column 2: Were you happy with your report for this subject? Why or why not?  
Column 3: State 1 thing you can do to improve in this subject.

Subject	Were you happy with your report for this subject? Why or why not?	What can I do to improve in this subject?
Maths		
English		
Science		
RE		
PDHPE		
HSIE (Geography/History)		
Elective 1		
Elective 2		

The following week students were able to set goals for Term 3 based on their Half Yearly report reflections. These goals were completed in Compass. Parents, teachers and students are able to access these goals through the ‘Insights’ tab on the student’s Compass profile.

Questions	Courage Goal Setting Term 2 2022	Courage Goal Setting Class of 2024
Question for Students: My learning goals are (write 2 learning goals)		
Question for Students: Things I already do well		
Question for Students: Things I need to improve on		
Question for Students: I can achieve my learning goals by doing the following things		

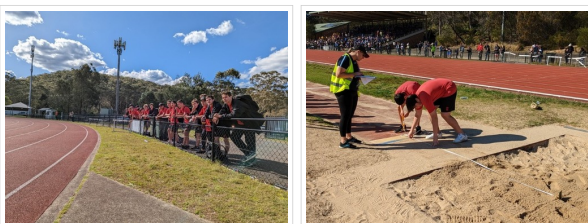
Our Week 5 Courage lesson coincided with 'Never Give Up Day'. This linked well with the 'G' in Courage which stands for Grit. Year 10 will need to use their grit and determination as they move into the back half of Year 10 and into their Senior studies next year. A 'Never Give Up' attitude will serve the boys well into the future.

**Mr Anthony Noyes**  
**Year 10 Leader of Student Wellbeing**

## YEAR 10 AT THE NORTHERN CLUSTER PRIMARY SCHOOLS ATHLETICS GALA DAY

Last week students from Mr Rowse's 10 PDH class headed out to the Sydney Academy of Sport to lend a hand with the smooth operating of the Northern Cluster Primary Schools Athletics Carnival. Our student's effort and attitude matched the beautiful sunny weather – full of positive energy for the duration of the day. From measuring jumps, setting up and packing down equipment, tallying results, running refreshments to staff, or barracking for the relays at the conclusion of the carnival, St Paul's boys were a valuable addition to the day.

The convenor of the day commented: "how wonderful it was having the help of the St Paul's boys who were so responsive to whatever was asked of them by the teachers". Thanks for your work on the day gents. There's more to come from Year 9 and Year 10 students in the Primary school Gala days later this term.



## YEAR 11 LEADERSHIP FORMATION DAY

Week 5 concluded with a day for Year 11 students to think about their senior year and who they want leading them as the Class of 2023. It was Year 11's Leadership Formation Day – a day for all students of the group to think about their own personal endeavours and the needs of the group and the St Paul's community going forward.

It was a day where we were privileged to have Shannon Nevin of @walkntalkforlife leading the boys in an intense and rewarding session about Men's Mental Health, and the simple

but significant things we can do for our mates and ourselves. The day was also hands on with a beach activity that challenged the boys to work collaboratively, and problem solve – the exact skills that will be on show as College leaders in 2023.

Enormous thanks go to Shannon from the boys for the great work he did and the generous sharing of his experiences in his position with the Walk n' Talk for Life organisation. Also, to the Year 11 PC team, Mr McDonnell, Mr Falconer, Mr Newton, the assistance of Mr Callow and the leadership of Mr Rowse – your contributions were invaluable to creating such a positive vibe and atmosphere to develop our leaders in.



**Mr Ben Rowse**  
**Year 11 Leader of Student Wellbeing**

## MUSIC



Yesterday morning at St Paul's was the Grandparents' Liturgy. Following the service, a morning tea was served in the hall by a team of students and teachers, as well as light musical entertainment by our very talented Stage 5 Elective Music class.

You will agree that it is encouraging to see so many young men actively engaging in events such as this and contribute their time towards the community. The music staff are inspired by the performances today and look forward to supporting music students for future ongoing opportunities.

Truly this event was a success because of the participation and service from the St Paul's boys, as well as the St Paul's staff who unwaveringly offer their time and skills.

**Mr Callum Jan**  
**Music Teacher**

## YOUTH MINISTRY AND SOCIAL JUSTICE NEWS

### Alpha Bites

Alpha youth continued this week for Year 7 students. Alpha is a weekly program that invites students into looking at deeper questions and exploring the meaning of life and faith.





## Year 8 Reflection Day

Year 8 students enjoyed some beautiful weather for their Reflection Day last week. The day focused on “Caring for the Environment” a central focus of Pope Francis in his encyclical *Laudato Si*. Students picked up rubbish from Shelley Beach and Little Manly and sorted it into different piles to reveal that the bulk of rubbish comes from our consumerist choices and that we all can do something to create change in our environment and it begins with each of us.

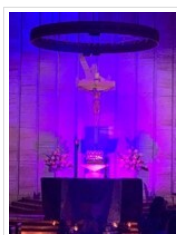


Thank you to Ms Vicki Broome and Mr Adrian Walker for facilitating art workshops that looked at using recycled plastic.

We concluded the day with a liturgy.

## Praise and Worship

Students enjoyed an incredible night of Praise and Worship at The Entrance Parish last Friday Night. Students were treated to some awesome hospitality and a BBQ before a great night of music, testimony, prayer, Eucharistic Adoration and Sacramental Reconciliation. Thank you to the team at Catholic Youth of Broken Bay for making it such an awesome night.



## World Youth Day 23 Update

The Diocese of Broken Bay held a WYD23 Information night this week for all intending pilgrims and their families. Students who are interested in applying to attend WYD23 are invited to submit their application in consultation with the Youth Ministry Coordinator and Principal before submitting their online registration via the link below.

<https://bbwyd.org.au/>

If you have any queries at all, please contact Youth Ministry Coordinator [joanne.kalayzich@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:joanne.kalayzich@dbb.catholic.edu.au) Applicants are encouraged to begin the process of applying for a passport if they do not have a current one. WYD23 is open to all students currently in Year 9 & 10 only.

**Ms Joanne Kalayzich**  
Youth Ministry Coordinator

## SPORT

### Internal sport

How's the serenity?!

Our Year 8 students enjoyed casting a line at Narrabeen Lakes. Some even caught a fish or two, very impressive!



Years 7-10 participated in Crossfit, futsal, basketball, rock climbing, rugby union and fishing during Term 3 Thursday Sport.

St Paul's Catholic College, Manly 2022  
Term 3 Thursday Sport Arrangements for Years 7 to 10

Year	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
7-8	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit
9-10	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit	Crossfit

VENUE and TRANSPORT ARRANGEMENTS

Sport/Co-Curricular	Venue	Transport	Dismissal Arrangements
Boat Rowing	South Shireway Wharf	Walk to and from venue	Dismissed from venue
Canoe Country	Manly Park	Walk to and from venue	Dismissed from venue
League Tag Rugby	Manly Park	Walk to and from venue	Dismissed from venue
Handball	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Cricket	Cricket Club Community Centre	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
U16 Football	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball A/B	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball C/D	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball E/F	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball G/H	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball I/J	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball K/L	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball M/N	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball O/P	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball Q/R	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball S/T	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball U/V	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball W/X	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school
Netball Y/Z	School	Walk to venue	Dismissed from school

## Basketball

Basketball Semester 2 Competition continues to progress without any COVID interruptions.

The Broken Bay Basketball Championships in Terrigal will be held next week. Good luck to the boys.

## Rugby Union Peninsula Cup

Rugby Under 14s and 16s seasons continue with some mixed results. Hopefully, the boys can progress to the finals.

## Rugby Union Sevens

Three teams entered the NSWRU Secondary Schools Rugby Union 7's. Well done to the U18s as they just missed out on the Grand Final. An enjoyable day was had by all.

## Upcoming Events

<b>Tuesday 30th August</b>	BBSSSA Athletics	SOPAC, Homebush
<b>Friday 2nd September</b>	BBSSSA Golf	Shelly Beach, Central Coast
<b>Tuesday 13th September</b>	BBSSSA Rugby 7	EDSAAC, Bateau Bay

All Sport enquiries, please contact me at [timothy.emmerson@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:timothy.emmerson@dbb.catholic.edu.au)

**Mr Tim Emmerson**  
Leader of Sport

## YEAR 12, 2023 TEXTBOOKS

The list of Textbook requirements for Year 12, 2023 is now available at the link below. Year 11, 2022 students please place your order online using the following 4-digit access code “YMV6” (not case sensitive) by Wednesday 14th September 2022.

<https://www.campion.com.au/>

All new Textbooks will be delivered to your nominated address during the week ending Friday 7th October 2022.

## Secondhand Books

Parents are invited to buy and sell their secondhand books online via:

<https://www.sustainableschoolshop.com.au/booklist/st-paul-s-catholic-college-manly>

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to telephone the College Reception on 9977 5111.

**Mrs Nicola Pervan**  
**Information Resource Centre**

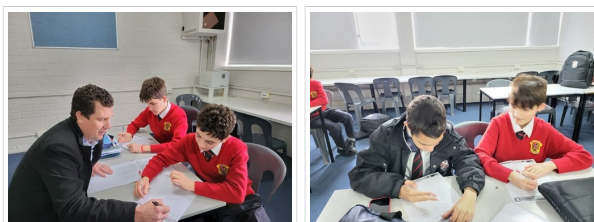
## DIVERSE LEARNING

Diverse Learning supports all learners at St Paul's and provides dedicated, focused support for students with disabilities who require adjustments. Through the NCCD, schools are required to submit data on the number of students requiring adjustments and the level of support. Details of this data collection can be found on the Australian Government NCCD Parental Fact Sheet . For further information please contact Mr Arthurs, Leader of Diverse Learning.

<https://www.nccd.edu.au/sites/default/files/fact%20sheet%20for%20parents%20guardians%20and%20carers.pdf>

## Homework Club on Monday Afternoon

Homework club runs each Monday afternoon from 3:30pm to 4:30pm in S21. On Monday 15th August homework club was buzzing with Maths and Physics. Great to see Sam Smythe from Year 11 supporting the learning and discussing senior physics with a Year 7 student. All students and subjects are welcome, especially Seniors willing to support our junior students.



## Homework Club support staff:

- Mr Ben Arthurs
- Mrs Trish McGregor
- Ms Julie Jones
- Ms Andrea McKenzie

We look forward to seeing many students there!

**Mr Ben Arthurs**  
**Leader of Diverse Learning**

## NOTICEBOARD

### Enrolments and College Tours

We are currently enrolling students in Year 7 2023 and Year 7 2024.

Prospective families are invited to join one of our regular Tours of the College from 9:15am to 10:30am with our Principal Mr Michael Reid.

To register for a Tour please email [stpauls@dbb.catholic.edu.au](mailto:stpauls@dbb.catholic.edu.au) or telephone our Reception on phone number (02) 9977 5111

Our next Tour dates are:

- Tuesday 30th August
- Monday 12th September

## Collection Notice information for parents

### Music Lessons at school

### Dee Why Mobile Blood Donor Centre

Got a bit of time? Time to give blood and change lives? 1 in 3 people in Dee Why will need blood, and they need people like you to give it. We're coming into town from Tuesday 30 August to Sunday 4 September. Don't forget to pre-book your spot at [Lifeblood.com.au](http://Lifeblood.com.au), on our app or on 13 14 95.

<https://www.lifeblood.com.au/>

## MANLY FRESHWATER PARISH

### Position Vacant: Part Time Parish Coordinator, Administration Assistant, 3 days per week

Manly Freshwater Parish is seeking to recruit a part time Parish Coordinator, Administration Assistant, 3 days per week. This role plays an important part in the Parish Team, providing support for Parish groups, parish functions and administration financial processes.

We are seeking a candidate with excellent people skills, a comprehensive knowledge of office administration processes and procedures and bookkeeping experience. A sound understanding of Microsoft Office and MYOB is necessary.

An ability to work independently while remaining a team player, with a commitment to be accountable for performance, and an ability to work collaboratively across a wide range of groups, supported by a good understanding of, and commitment to, Catholic values and teachings will be crucial to your success.



If this role interests you and you would like to join the Parish Team, please email a brief cover letter and CV to Jenny in the Parish

Office [manlyfreshwaterparish@bbcatholic.org.au](mailto:manlyfreshwaterparish@bbcatholic.org.au)

## LOST PROPERTY

Lost property is located at the College Reception in the Cardinal's Palace. If your son is missing any item(s) please ask him to check with the College Receptionist to determine whether it may have been handed in.

Please label your son's uniform items. Uniforms are expensive and when they have no identification, we cannot return them to the owner.



If your son has outgrown his school uniform, please consider donating any item in good condition, particularly senior uniform grey shorts, trousers and blazers – this has proven to be a very helpful solution to many boys experiencing wardrobe ‘malfunctions’ during the school day and is a great way to recycle and reduce landfill.

The College ties are always very welcome as these are often misplaced by the boys.

## SCHOOL UNIFORMS

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If your son has outgrown his winter uniform, check in with Reception to see if replacements can be found from the Second-hand uniform pool.

All Year 11 and Year 12 students should be wearing the College Blazer with the long grey trousers in Term 3.

New uniforms may be purchased from Pickles School wear at 43 Carter Street, Brookvale. Phone number 9905 2711

## CANTEEN

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### School Canteen Assistant

Yummy Bears Kiosk Pty Ltd is seeking a School Canteen Assistant to commence immediately - come and join our friendly YBK

Team at St Paul's Catholic College Manly.

We are offering a permanent part-time position, 3 days a week and we work 40 weeks per year during school Term only from 8:00am to 2:30pm. (negotiable).

New Employees are required to apply for a Working with Children Check and Food Safety Certificate. Mandatory COVID vaccination proof or valid medical exemption evidence.

*For more information, please phone Tania on 0423 855 273*

To register for Flexischools, please follow these instructions

<https://www.flexischools.com.au/>

The cut off time for lunch orders via Flexischools each day is 9:00am.

**Tania and Teresa**  
**Yummy Bears Kiosk**

## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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Are you following us on social media? Important communication will continue to be emailed, posted, and placed in the newsletter but social media is another way to keep up to date with the happenings here at St Paul's.

### FACEBOOK:

<https://www.facebook.com/stpaulsccmanly>

If you have concerns about your son appearing on social media, please alert the College immediately.

## BROKEN BAY NEWS

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Broken Bay News publications are available via this link:

<https://www.bbcatholic.org.au/news/broken-bay-news/broken-bay-news-editions>

**PLEASE BOOKMARK THESE LINKS FOR FUTURE REFERENCE**

<b>College Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.stpaulsmanly.nsw.edu.au">www.stpaulsmanly.nsw.edu.au</a>
<b>Enrolment's email:</b>	<a href="mailto:enrolments@dbb.catholic.edu.au">enrolments@dbb.catholic.edu.au</a>
<b>Student achievements email:</b>	<a href="mailto:stpauls@dbb.catholic.edu.au">stpauls@dbb.catholic.edu.au</a>