

ST DOMINIC'S PRIORY COLLEGE

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BULLETIN

WEDNESDAY 2 MARCH 2016

WEEK 5 – TERM 1

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Diary Dates

Friday 4 March
Primary Field Day
Sunday 6 March

Old Scholars' Mass

Wednesday 9 March

SAPSASA Primary Swimming

Thursday 10 March Year 8 Vaccinations

Thurs 10 - Fri 11 March

Year 10 Geography Camp (KI)

Monday 14 March

Adelaide Cup Public Holiday

Tuesday 15 March

SACPSSA Primary Swimming

Wednesday 16 March

SACSGSSA Swimming

Sunday 20 March Sports Day

YEAR 7-12 CLUBS

Maths Club

Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 in the Year 12 Centre

Homework Club

Thursdays 3:30-4:30 in the Library

2016 Term Dates

Term 1: 2 Feb - 15 April Term 2: 3 May - 8 July Term 3: 25 July - 30 Sep Term 4: 17 Oct - 9 Dec

UNIFORM SHOP

Opening Hours During Term Mondays 10:30am - 1:30pm

> Thursday 3 March 12:30pm - 4:30pm

> Saturday 5 March 10:30am - 2:00pm

Thursday 10 March 12:30pm - 4:30pm

This will be the last opening until MONDAY 4 APRIL



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FOLLOWING DOMINICS FOOTS TEPS

Dear Parents,

Your Time!

Finding the time to read the St. Dom's Bulletin plus the wealth of information which comes to you in email, or written, or social media form is a mammoth task and, I guess we all need to become selective. This week we will not only send home our local news but will also give you news from beyond our campus. So, please look out for and give priority to:

- ► The letter circulating to all Catholic Schools re Child Safety in the wake of some disturbing incidents in or near Adelaide schools.
- ▶ The special letter going home this week from the Dominican Sisters of North Adelaide through the Congregational Prioress Sr. Noreen Reynolds, regarding a new entity for seven Dominican schools in Australia. This new entity is to be known as DEA Dominican Education Australia. You will find a brochure and a personalised letter inside the envelope addressed to you, and which should reach you by the end of the week.

The names of all students who were invested in their new roles of service are also in today's Bulletin. The investiture takes place each year within the Mass at which our Year 12s offer the

OLD SCHOLARS MASS

11:30am Sunday 6th March, 2016
College Chapel • to be followed
by shared lunch in the Hall
ALL WELCOME!

leadership and guidance to their fellow students. The theme picked up the Jubilee spirit; "800 Years – Following Dominic's Footsteps." The opening lines of the first reading describe the Christian leader in these terms, "...clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you so you also must forgive." We thank Fr. James Valledares for presiding at this special Eucharist.

IB World School Regulations

As an IB World School it is important that we are aware of the rules and regulations by which we must operate. We wish to bring the *General Regulations: Middle Years Programme* to your attention. This document can be found on our website in the Middle Years section located under the Learning and Teaching tab or directly via this link: http://stdo.ms/MYPregs2015

In Sympathy

Our prayers and sympathy are extended to Staff member who have lost loved ones.

To Noreen Pardoe and Family in the recent passing of her brother, Jeremy Farnan, and to Elvera Andrews in the recent passing of her Dad Janusz Rajkowski. May they rest in peace.

Sr Jillian Havey, *Principal*

Primary News

from Ms. Cate O'Leary, Primary School Coordinator

SANTOS

Thank you to our mighty **Year 4, 5, 6 and 7 athletes** who would have been up very early to get to school on Thursday morning to trial for the 100m and 200m **Sports Day** semi-final qualifying races. We were very proud of our girls who ran well and all tried very hard. They enjoyed the experience of running on the track at SANTOS stadium. We are also extremely thankful to our parents who were able to get all the squad to school on time, for our very early departure. Qualifying results will be released later in the week.

The swimmers who qualified for SAPSASA will also be notified this week.

Children's University

We have had a very good response to the Children's University for our **Year 4, 5 and 6 students**. Just a little reminder that the deadline for applications is this **Friday the 4th of March**. Dr Luca Prisciandaro will collect all the expressions of interest this Friday. We will then contact families and inform them of some of the validated clubs we will be offering at school. We advise you to check the website and see other validated activities that can be attended outside school hours.

Reminders:

Primary Field Day is on Friday 4th on our oval. Years 4-6 students and some Under 12, Year 7 students will be attending. The year levels will rotate between the activities and your daughter has already placed her nomination for events. They have the opportunity to participate in *long jump, high jump, shot put and discuss*. The 400m and 800m will be run on a different day, to be confirmed. The weather is predicted to be warm. All participating students are to have their **sport uniform** on this day, have their **hat, drink bottle** and apply **sunscreen**.

Responding to Abuse and Neglect night session was run last night. Thank you to those in attendance. A Round Two of sessions being offered has been sent home. We ask that if you want to help in your daughter's class, you need to attend a session. We will make every effort to accommodate your working schedules. Please fill out the form and return it to school. If you have completed a session please see Dolores Heggs for your certificate and if you are unable to collect it, we will send them home with your daughter.

A good time was had by all in the **Year 1 Class** on Tuesday for **Aussie Day**. Look in next week's bulletin for photos and stories about their adventurous day.





We have been lucky enough to welcome four new students and their families into our St Dominic's community. We love what they have brought to our Year 2 class and it sounds as though they're pretty happy to be here too...

"I've enjoyed making lots of friends" Jelena

"I've liked learning about money and I'm looking forward to the fete" Nina

"I really like doing computing and fun Maths games" Alissa

"I've loved the new friends I have made" Teagan

Stay tuned for more exciting Year 2 news next term! - Ms Deb Osborne & Mrs Naomi Bramham

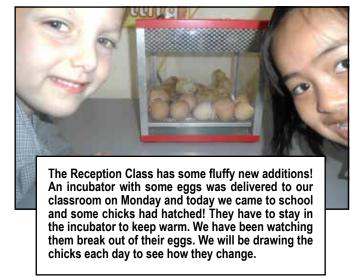
YEAR 2

OTHER DATES FOR THE DIARY:

- Year 4 presenting Assembly in Week 6
- SAPSASA Week 6 Swimming Carnival at Norwood Pool. Wednesday the 9th of March. Details will be sent home to qualifying students this week.



• Middle Years Program Parent Information Evening, 7:00pm - 8:00pm in the Hall Wednesday 9th March



Wednesday 2nd March 2016

Dear Parents and Caregivers;

You may have heard recent media reports regarding a number of student safety concerns that have occurred around schools. Such incidents have involved students being approached by strangers at the beginning and end of the school day.

All staff at St Dominic's Priory College respond to such matters of student safety with the highest priority and safety policies and procedures are in place and regularly reviewed. Students and families are reminded to be wary of approaches from strangers, especially when they are unaccompanied or travelling to and from school. Parents are key partners in issues of student safety and this is a timely opportunity to speak to your child about keeping safe. If your child is approached by a stranger, he/she should not respond and should not accept offers of rides or gifts. Students should seek the assistance of nearby adults if they feel unsafe and should report the event to a trusted adult (parent or school staff member) as soon as possible.

Schools are implementing the *Keeping Safe – Child Protection Curriculum* and a parent resource with strategies for you to discuss with your child/young person at home is available online at: http://stdo.ms/KSCPCR12. Additional information can also be found on the CESA website: www.cesa.catholic.edu.au

If you have any concerns to report or would like to discuss this further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Sr. Jillian Havey

Principal



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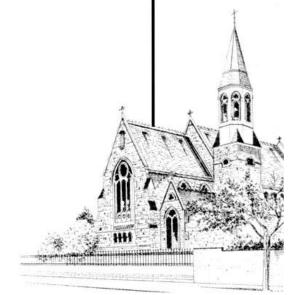
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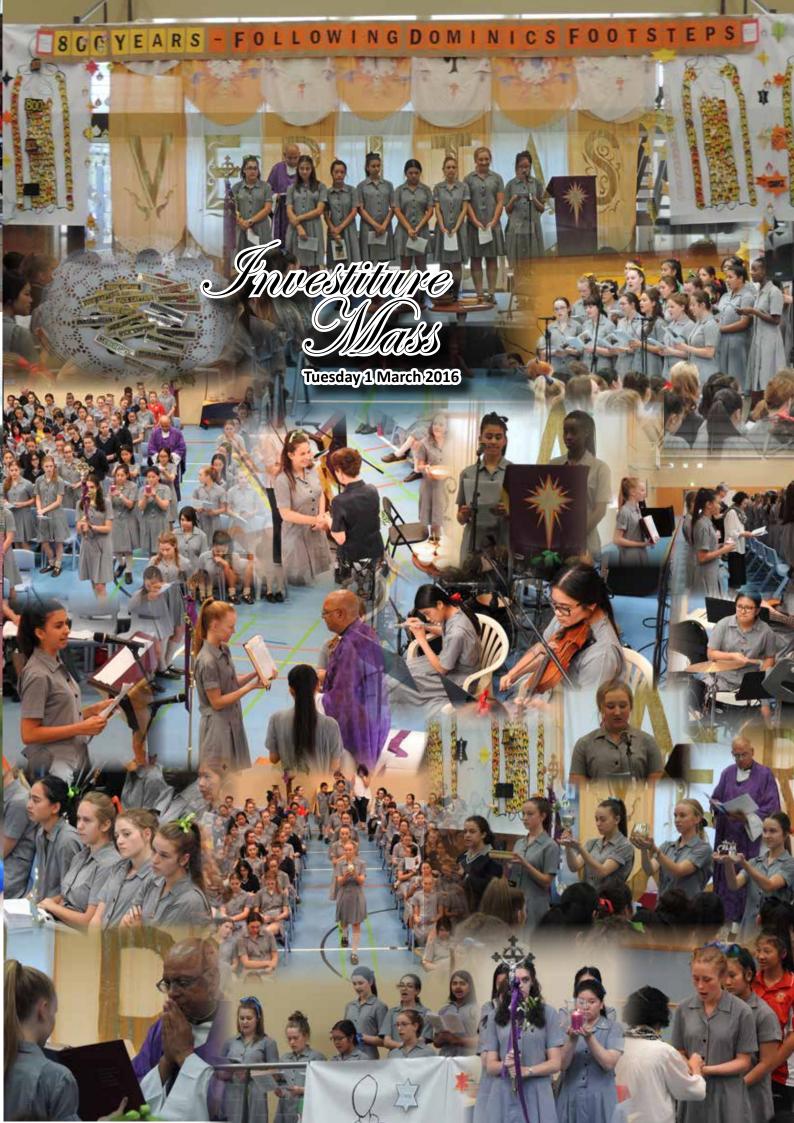
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Elected Student Leaders 2016

Head Prefect Shanna Lee

Deputy Head Prefect Elena Muscat

Prefects:

- Daniela Brkic Paris Caldwell Amber Deane-Axford Chiara Dias •
- Katherine Flanagan
 Tia Gredig
 Emma Holmes
 Sabrina Marin
 Georgia Musolino
 Ada Snell

Sports Prefects: • Georgia Musolino • Emma Holmes •

Year 11 Prefects: • Daniela Colangelo • Leanne Le • Giordana McKenna • Christiana Teah •

Student Representative Council

Sports Captains (Senior)

| Year 12B Michaela Farrugia, Mia Hamilton Year 12G Amy Taranta, An Vu Year 12W Acot Cikom, Amy Loprete Year 11B Dominila Princessian Sorbia Muellar | Aquinas | Captain Vice-Captains Junior Vice | Edwina O'Leary Elena Muscat Ada Snell Tiah Trimboli | |
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| Year 11B Dominika Bejnarowicz, Sophie Mueller Year 11G Giulia Canala, Adriana Caruso Year 11W Tam Thai, Stephanie Di Fava | Columba | Captain Vice-Captains | Emma Holmes Anna Nguyen | |
| Year 10B Siobhan Calleja, Chloe Edmonds Year 10G Caitlyn Le, Lily Zurcher Year 10W Nhu-Tuyet Phan, Sabrina Ottaviano | Guzman | Junior Vice Captain | Karolina Radomanski Alexandra Huggett Lara Bassanese | |
| Year 8B Olivia Higgins, Ariella Napoli Year 8G Doan Do, Bianca Tonin-Petryszak Year 8W Chelo Rivera, Roan Librea | | Vice-Captains Junior Vice | Holly Beecham Claire-Lily Mitten Christiana Teah | |
| Year 7 Sonia Di Fava, Isabella D'Ortenzio <i>Year 9 Middle School Leaders:</i> | Siena | Captain Vice-Captains | Georgia Musolino Katherine Flanagan Sarah Richardson | |
| Year 9B Chrishelle Bulner, Olivia Poppy | | Junior Vice | Sophie Mueller | |

Student Representative Council (Primary)

Year 9G Dakota Gorman, Charmane Obtinalla

Year 9W Michelle Vo. Alexia Masullo

Year 6 Layla Hearst
Deputy: Tammy Tran Vu
Year 5 Isabella Jovel
Deputy: Livia Truong
Year 4 Emma Foti
Deputy: Alexandra Chavez

Year 3 Annemarie Pileggi Deputy: Anna-bella Calabria

Year 2 Harper Hawkins Deputy: Tam Do

Year 1 Ava Madalinski Deputy: Sally Rupasinghe

REC Bianca Jovel Deputy: Katika Russo

Music Department Leadership Positions

The following students were successful in their applications for **2016 Music Leadership** positions.

Senior Vocal Ensemble Leader
Lucy Stoddart
Choir Leader
Clara Chiodi – Reveruzzi
String Orchestra Leader
Phuong-Quynh Nguyen
Concert Orchestra Leader
Cecilia Tran Pham



Set Yourself Up for a Great Year an extract of a post by Psychologist Andrew Fuller as published February 8, 2016: http://stdo.ms/1TEARIH

Take this a year to remember. Set yourself on the pathway to success. There are several sure-fire ways to make this the best year so far.

1) Make friends with everyone you know

Parents, teachers, friends, everyone! One of the ways of reducing your stress levels is to set out to have as many positive friendships

2) Acknowledge your inner genius

You are much, much smarter than you know. If you practice doing your best in life you will succeed. Aim to develop at least one positive aspect of yourself this year.

3) Know that geniuses make mistakes

You have to make mistakes to learn. In fact, learning often involves making a mistake and then figuring out what went wrong. Don't be afraid to take calculated risks.

4) Prepare yourself for learning

Think positively. Concentrate. Find ways to reduce distractions, at least while studying. Surround yourself with people who encourage you.

5) Liven up your life and get enough sleep

Sleep helps you to manage stress, stay happy and also increases your marks. You need at least 8 hours, sometimes as much as 9 hours a night.

6) Be healthy – eat breakfast

In the morning it helps to have some protein in you to feed your brain. A lack of protein can actually cause headaches, concentration problems and low energy.

7) Do the most important things first

Write a to-do list each week.

8) Use your time well

Many people muck around in school and then wonder why they have to do so much work outside of school. Some people find if they sit at the front they are less distracted.

9) From little things big things grow

Do a little bit, often. This means do a little bit of practice every day. Interval training is especially powerful in subjects like maths, sciences and foreign language.

10) Focus and immerse yourself

For at least some time every day switch all forms of technology off and focus on whatever you're studying.

12) Be curious

Think of someone you know who always seems to know interesting things- weird facts, strange occurrences, funny jokes, and whacky stories. Try to be one of these people. Look out for and learn things that are fun and interesting.

13) Play more

Be active. Get your blood flowing as it sharpens both concentration and recall. Even if you are really busy three twenty minute bursts of exercise a week makes a massive difference to your stress levels, happiness and sleeping.

14) Decide to be happy

Some people spend their entire lives waiting to be happy. Decide to be happy now. Have a look at the things in your life you can feel lucky that you have and be grateful. Appreciate the people who like you and love you.

SPORTS NEWS

Round 2 Results - Saturday 27 February

Basketball

Junior lost to Mercedes 1 (12-48)

Senior 1 had a BYF Senior 2 lost to St Aloysius 2 (22-24)

Tennis

Junior 1 defeated St Aloysius 2 (5-1) Junior 2 vs St Aloysius 1 Senior *lost to* Nazareth 1 (1-5)

Touch Football

Junior defeated Wilderness 2 (5-3) Senior 1 defeated St Ignatius 3 (8-0) Senior 2 lost to Wilderness 5 (0-5)

Volleyball

Junior 1 defeated NMHS 1 (4-0) Junior 2 lost to Mary Mackillop 1 (0-3) Junior 3 lost to St Aloysius 4 (1-2)

Senior 1 lost to NMHS 1 (0-3) Senior 2 lost to Loreto 3 (1-3)

Water Polo

Year 9/10 lost to Mercedes 2 (6-10) Year 11/12 vs Seymour 1

Round 3 Draw ~ Saturday 5 March

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| LOCATION | TIME | OPPONENT |
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| Loreto | 9:20am | Kildare 1 |
| Mercedes | 10:10am | Mercedes 2 |
| Cabra | 8:30am | Nazareth 2 |
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| St Aloysius | 8:30am | St Aloysius 1 |
| Mary Mackillop | 8:30am | Mary Mackillop 2 |
| St Dominic's | 8:30am | Marryatville 1 |
| all | | |
| BYE | BYE | BYE |
| Greenhill Rd | 9:20am | Loreto 2 |
| BYE | BYE | BYE |
| | | |
| Mary Mackillop | 10:10am | St Aloysius 1 |
| St Dominic's | 9:20am | Nazareth 1 |
| St Dominic's | 11:00am | St Aloysius 3 |
| Mary Mackillop | 8:30am | Nazareth 2 |
| St Dominic's | 8:30am | Marryatville 5 |
| (Thursdays) | | , |
| Payneham | 4:00pm | Nazareth 1 |
| Adel Aquatic | 4:00pm | St Aloysius 1 |
| | LOCATION Loreto Mercedes Cabra St Aloysius Mary Mackillop St Dominic's all BYE Greenhill Rd BYE Mary Mackillop St Dominic's St Dominic's St Dominic's (Thursdays) Payneham | Loreto 9:20am Mercedes 10:10am Cabra 8:30am St Aloysius 8:30am Mary Mackillop 8:30am St Dominic's 8:30am BYE BYE Greenhill Rd 9:20am BYE BYE Mary Mackillop 10:10am St Dominic's 9:20am St Dominic's 11:00am Mary Mackillop 8:30am St Dominic's 8:30am (Thursdays) Payneham 4:00pm |

Congratulations

We extend congratulations to Cat-Thy Bui (9W) who has been selected to represent South Austraila in the **Under 17 Badminton** state team. Cat-Thy will travel to Western Australia this month to compete.



Good luck, Cat-Thy!

ADVANCE NOTICE **Uniform Shop Closure**

Please note that the Uniform Shop will be CLOSED from the 11th March to 3rd April inclusive. Please finalise any SPORTS DAY uniform needs by THURSDAY 10th MARCH [open 12:30pm - 4:30pm] See the front page for further openings.

Parents & Friends

What a wonderful turn out we had for the **first P&F meeting** of the year last Wednesday night. Thank you to the many parents who attended it was great to see parents who have attended meetings before as well as many new families. A great deal of the discussion centred on **Sports Day** and we especially thank the convenors of the various stalls and those that volunteered to take on the new role of convenor.

Class Reps

Would you consider being a **Class Rep** and help other parents to get involved in our school community? The P&F would love to see two parents per class in years R-6. If you would like to find out more, or indicate your interest, please send Maria an email at m24lps@hotmail.com.

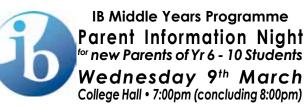
Sports Day

A special **Sports Day meeting** has been scheduled prior to the **MYP Information Evening** to help facilitate a smooth transition to the new venue at Immanuel College. It will be held in the **College Reception Area**:

6:00pm - 7:00pm on Wednesday 9th March

Requests to help the convenors by assisting on a stall on Sports Day have already appeared in the Bulletin – please consider volunteering for an hour on a stall, a great opportunity to be part of our St.Dominic's community.

Maria Lappas, Michelle Hogan, Irene Drousas



For all enquiries, please contact MYP Coordinator, Aurora Reid: areid@stdominics.sa.edu.au

COMPASSION



4th Week of Lent: Evangeline

First Australian Evangeline is an Artsworker at the Djilpin Arts Ghunmarn Culture Centre where she is flourishing with new skills and a passion for the preservation and promotion of her Aboriginal culture.

Please donate to Project Compassion 2016 and help First Australians to gain new skills and renewed passion to preserve and celebrate traditional culture.

www.caritas.org.au/projectcompassion

FIND US ONLINE:



1800 024 413





Wednesday Hump Day Specials

Week Six: Creamy Tuna Spiralli \$5.00

New Everyday Menu Item from Week 6

Special Fried Rice [Vegetarian] \$5.00

Please ensure LUNCH ORDER BAGS are CLEARLY LABELLED with your daughter's NAME and CLASS



UCKSHOP

Sports Day Raffle Donations Please!

The **Sports Day Raffle** would be very grateful for <u>any</u> donation of items for prizes. **If you can** help with prizes please contact the office.

| Sports Day Officials, Sunday 20 March | | | | | | | | |
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| Name | | | | | | | | |
| Student's Name | | | Class: | | | | | |
| E-Mail E-mail will be the primary point of contact | | | | | | | | |
| Telephone No | | | | | | | | |
| First Aid Certificate YES / NO | | | | | | | | |
| I can assist by (please tick p | preferred | l option) |) | | | | | |
| Setting up shelters 8.00am-9.00am Packing up ball games 12-1.00pm Packing up shelters 2.00-3.00pm | | | | | | | | |
| For Secondary Activiti | | | 11am | 11am 1 | 2000 | | | |
| Judges Timekeepers Ball games | 9-10a | III 10- | -11am | 11am-1 | 2pm | | | |
| Stall Helpers | | | | | | | | |
| Set Up | 9-10 | 10-11 | 11-12 | 12-1 | 1-2 | | | |
| ☐ Help Friday (details TB | C) | | | | | | | |
| Supplying: ☐Baked Go | | (red) Jar | ns 🗆 | Cash (for | supplies) | | | |
| * bar cakes, biscuits + slices do well Please return to College Office | | | | | | | | |
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Signed: Date: / 16