

### ST DOMINIC'S PRIORY COLLEGE

139 Molesworth Street, North Adelaide. 5006.

### BULLETIN

### **Diary Dates**

Monday 9 March

Adelaide Cup Public Holiday

Wednesday 11 March MYP Information Evening for Year 6-10 parents new to MYP

Thurs 19 - Fri 20 March Year 10 Geography Trip to KI

> Sunday 29 March Sports Day

Weds 25 - Fri 27 March Year 7 Camp

Friday 27 March Year 10 Commerce Shark Tank

Tuesday 31 March Year 10 Science SAPOL visit

Wednesday 1 April Year 9 Musical Excursion

Thursday 2 April
Dominican Feud

Tuesday 7 April Easter Liturgy

Wednesday 8 April Sports & Special Photos

#### **2020 TERM DATES**

Term 1: 29 Jan - 9 April Term 2: 28 April - 3 July Term 3: 20 July - 25 Sep Term 4: 12 Oct - 4 Dec

SPORTS RAFFLE Books will be coming home today

#### **UNIFORM SHOP**

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

> Thursday 5 March 12:30pm - 4:30pm

### **CLOSED MONDAY 9 MARCH**

Thursday 12 March 10:30am - 1:30pm

Saturday 14 March 10:30am - 1:30pm

Thursday 19 March 12:30pm - 4:30pm

Saturday 21 March 10:30am - 1:30pm



Friday morning Mass in the Chapel 8.15am

### **WEDNESDAY 4 MARCH 2020**

**Telephone: 8267 3818** 



# SINCERE THANKS TO THE OLD SCHOLARS ASSOCIATION.

Last Sunday's farewell Mass, and morning tea was something I will never forget. I want to thank you all for coming and even leaving me with your memories of school days in the booklet messages. In reading them I have found that a handkerchief is essential for dabbing my eyes.

Old Scholars, Leadership team, Staff past and present, Choir and Director and senior Year 11 Prefects had special roles bringing it all together. The vision of how lovely it could all be was in the mind of OSA President Annie Pfeiffer, strongly supported by Elena Tarraran and Kathryn Hudson. Thank you Annie, Elena and Kathryn.

I hope that people who had not seen our school for some time were able to join the tours and please know that you are always welcome to visit.

Sr Jillian Havey OP



### WEEK 6 - TERM 1

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Website: www.stdominics.sa.edu.au

Dear Parents,

The weekend saw the arrival of over 400 past students and staff to celebrate Sr Jillian's retirement. Under the leadership of Annie, Elena and Kathryn a most wonderful event of Eucharist, song and Word came to life. We gathered full of thanksgiving, laughter and joy... along with a few tears. These three women worked with such enthusiasm to ensure the event was beautifully prepared with attention to detail. There were speeches to acknowledge old scholars and presentations to life members. Sr Jillian spoke with warmth and humour and we stood in applause for this great woman who has impacted the lives of so many. The images below capture a little of the day. We offer our sincere thanks to all who attended and look forward to future old scholar events.

In this week's Bulletin you will catch a glimpse of other significant events happening in the school community. We have a fabulous good news story to share as we congratulate Grace Wilmore who is off to Canberra for the National Space Camp. There is information regarding the MYP Parent night and Aurora Reid has also shared the 2019 Personal Project Results. The primary news celebrates our SRC girls and Field Day. As always, I trust you will enjoy news from around the College.

Kindest regards,

### Ms Helen Steele, Principal



### As Lent begins let us be reminded of Mother Rose Columba Adams words;

We have now begun our Lent, and begin it in the spirit in which our Lord began His passion. At His Last Supper, Jesus, knowing that the Father had put all things into His hands, rose from the table, and taking a towel, put water into a basin and began to wash his Disciples' feet.

... During Lent we must ask our Lord to wash our feet.



Ms. Cate O'Leary, Primary School Coordinator

"Never worry about numbers. Help one person at a time, and always start with the person nearest you."

his year our **Lenten theme** will be '40' Days of Loving'. Classes will focus on how, where and why we show love to all is important. Our Primary Foyer display encourages our students and our school community to write their own promises or prayers and place them in the envelopes provided. All classes have a Project Compassion Box in their rooms and are encouraged to donate so as to help enrich the lives of others.

Primary Field Day was on Friday 28 February on our school oval. Years 3-6 students attended. The year levels rotated between the activities which included long jump, high jump, shot put and discus. They enjoyed the various challenges the activities

Young Writers' Award Competition

Create a story or poem on any topic you like. The rules:

1. Typed in WORD and double-spaced

2. No more than 1,000 words and all your own work 3. Entry form completed by a parent/guardian(s)

**Deadline is Tuesday 12 May** 

Entries can be emailed to Mrs Maycock at

kmaycock@stdominics.sa.edu.au or submitted on a USB

offered. Thank you to Mrs Richter, Mrs Heggs, Mrs Baumber and class teachers for all the organisation and support required for such a successful day.

Thank you to the Year 4 Class for hosting yesterday's Week 6 Assembly. The girls were well organised and entertaining.

The Year 3 Class will host the Week 8 Assembly in the Hall at 2:30pm. All welcome.

HELP - we are looking for senior students who would like to help coach some Year 4/5 and 6 Netball teams during lunchtimes at school. Please let us know ASAP if you are interested and can commit.



# handarund4hedaxxoom

#### SHROVE TUESDAY WITH THE YEAR 1 CLASS

In the olden days they had to fast during Lent. So, they used up their flour, eggs and milk and made pancakes the day before Ash Wednesday. - Kyra

The pancakes were delicious. - Alina

The pancakes were yummy because they had maple syrup on them. - Eva











### **National Space Camp 2020**

We congratulate Grace Willmore (Year 11) who has been selected to participate in the 2020 National Space Camp in Canberra, during the April School Holidays. Grace was previously awarded the outstanding experience of attending the South Australian Space Camp in late 2019. Here is what Grace had to say about this Grace at SA Space Camp 2019 new, exciting opportunity:



This will be once again, a life changing experience where I will be taking up new challenges and investigating new aspects of Rocket science and where the future lies for the next generations. I am looking forward to taking the next steps with National Space Camp.

## **IB Middle Years Programme** A Presentation to Parents new to the MYP Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March College Hall • 7:00pm (concluding 8:15pm)

If you are a Year 6-10 parent and are unfamiliar with the MYP, you are welcome to attend to gain some further knowledge. Please ask your daughter for the letter sent home to all new families with daughters in Years 6-10.

Alternatively, please contact MYP Coordinator, Aurora Reid: areid@stdominics.sa.edu.au for further details WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU

# **TUCKSHOP NEWS**

## WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

WEEK 7: Fish Burger with Tartare Sauce	\$6.00
WEEK 8: Vegetarian Stirfry with Hokkien Noodles	\$6.50
WEEK 9: Steak Roll incl. cheese, sauce, salad	\$6.50
WEEK 10: Homemade Lasagne	\$6.00
WEEK 11: Lamb Yiros	\$7.00

LUNCH ORDERs must be received by 9:15am and be CLEARLY LABELLED with FULL NAME + CLASS

### St. Dominic's Priory College Tuckshop Roster Volunteers Needed

Recess + Lunch 10:30am - 1:30pm especially Tuesdays or Fridays

One to two days per term

Main duties: serving students (no register exp. needed) Some stock filling / rotation and packing lunch orders We would greatly appreciate any parents or grandparents who would be able to help.

Contact Michelle Macri: 8239 2344

## **Personal Project 2019 Results**

Our current Year 10 students are in the early stages of developing their personal project goals and beginning their investigation into their topics. As they embody the learner profile attributes of inquirers, thinkers and knowledge seekers, we have the opportunity to reflect on the moderated results of the 2019 Year 10 Personal Project.

In 2019, 80 candidates completed the Personal Project under the leadership of Ms Jo Riccio. Each student was allocated a supervisor who is a teacher at the College. Students meet with their supervisor a minimum of three times across the year and often communicate via email to clarify matters. The girls are also given several dedicated time slots during Term 4, when they are in Year 9, and Terms 1 and 2 in Year 10, where Jo Riccio provides specific input regarding each stage of the Project from investigating, to taking action and reflecting. The students are well supported throughout the process and their outstanding results are testament to their hard work and perseverance.

At the end of each year a sample of projects is sent to IB Moderators around the world. As a result of the moderation, there may be some change from the original grades provided on the report in Term 4. In 2019, almost 44% of the students received a high level of achievement of 6 or 7. This has been a steady improvement over the last three years. Whilst the average level of achievement worldwide is 3.61, the St Dominic's

SAVE THE DATE - YEAR 9 PERSONAL PROJECT Information Evening for Year 9 Students and their Parents **WEDNESDAY 9 SEPTEMBER (TBC)** 





Priory College average is 5.22. We are very proud of the girls from 2019 who achieved such outstanding results.

In particular the following students gained an MYP Grade of 7 for their Personal Project after moderation.

Lauren O'Callaghan | Joanna Haddad | Tuong Nguyen Emily Bui | Elena Piantadosi | Jazmin Rotellini Grace Willmore | Sophie Nguyen | Alana Brkic Sophie Ngo | Zoe Kromwyk | Serena Lappas Mary | Vivian Ly

It is easy to single out the high achievers but it is equally important to acknowledge all of the students who work hard throughout the process and achieve a goal that they have set for themselves and followed through to a product or outcome.

We wish the 2020 Year 10s just as much success and sense of accomplishment, as they work on their projects. For parents and students in Years 9 and 10, look out for information later in the year when you can come in to see the finished products/outcomes and hear about the projects.

Ms Aurora Reid, MYP Coordinator

SAVE THE DATE - YEAR 10 PP EXHIBITION For Year 10 Students and their Parents **WEDNESDAY 9 SEPTEMBER (TBC)** 

# SPORTS NEWS

Round 3 Results - Saturday 29 February 2020 Results were not available at time of printing. Please see Gym Noticeboard

#### Round 4 - Saturday 7 March 2020

There is no draw this week (Adelaide Cup Long Weekend)

TEAM	LOCATION	TIME	OPPONENT	
Water Polo	Thursday 5 March			
Middle C	Payneham	4:30pm	Mercedes 1	
Senior B	BYE	BYE	BYE	

# **Parents & Friends Sports Day Roster**

You hopefully by now have seen the requests in the Bulletin to help at Sports Day by volunteering on a stall – if you have not done so already please consider signing up for an hour time slot; it's a great opportunity to be part of our St Dominic's community and meet other parents.

We have not had many parents sign up as yet so you can slot into any stall at present to help out on the day.

> Bec, Gabby, Maria & Kate for the Parents & Friends Committee

### Sign up online at:

## https://stdo.ms/39Ng4gP

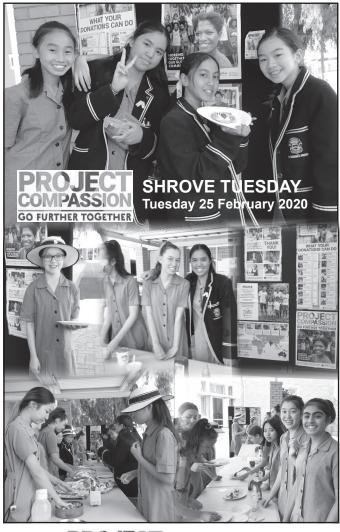
The PE Department are also in need of more helpers to volunteer as Officials. Please return the reply slip printed here if you can help.

Sports Day Officials, Sunday 29 March					
Name					
Student's Name		Class	·		
E-Mail / PhoneE-mail will be the primary point of contact					
I can assist by (please tick preferred option)					
Set-up shelters <b>7:45-8:45</b> □		Pack-up shelters <b>2:00-3:00</b> □			
FOR SECONDARY ACTIVITIES ONLY					
9:	30-10:30	10:30-11:30	11:30-12:30		
Athletic Helpers					
Ball games					

## **ATTN: PARENTS / GUARDIANS** Have you read today's Bulletin?

Please let your daughter/s class teacher know via the checkbox in her College Planner





# **OMPASSION**

# **Shirley's Story**



We begin Project Compassion learning about the story of Shirley. Shirley was struggling to support her family and keep her children in school. She faced regular discrimination and disadvantage, limiting her family's access to food, education, employment and healthcare.

With Caritas Australia's support, Shirley trained to become an indigenous health worker. She has learnt to supplement her income and is able to

feed her family. The program has also empowered Shirley to send her children to school.

Let's Go Further, Together!. You can donate Caritas through Project Compassion boxes, online at lent.caritas.org.au or by phone 1800 024 413





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