



From the Principal

John M Freeman

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New Principal

As announced this morning in a letter sent to the community from Dr Frank Malloy, National Director of Marist Schools Australia (MSA), Mr Ryan Greer has been appointed as the new Principal of Lavalla Catholic College next year. Ryan will commence his appointment from the beginning of Term 2, 2022. I congratulate Ryan on his appointment and wish him and his family every success.

Because Mr. Ryan Greer does not commence until Term 2, MSA have appointed Mr Doug Doherty as Acting Principal which will commence from 17 January 2022. Well done to Doug on being entrusted with this responsibility.

For those of you who have not read the letter from Dr Malloy, you can read it by clicking on this [link](#).

Student Leadership

After a rigorous selection process, I am pleased to announce the following St Paul's Campus Leaders for 2022

Campus Leaders for 2022:

Finn Blizzard

Riley Sutton

Addison Howe

Isabel Ford

Nagle House Captains:

Isabelle Ambrose

Oliver Becker

Delany House Captains:

Phoebe McDougall

Maddison Reed

MacKillop House Captains:

Stephanie Booker

Christiana Olayemi

Champagnat House Captains:

Zavier Kingsley

Harvey Brown

Assistant House Captains:

Constance Townsend

Abigale Hirschfield

We acknowledge all of the students who put their name forward and who were not successful in gaining a position as they showed great resilience and humility throughout the process and when they were informed of the results. The college hopes they will continue to develop their leadership skills and put their hand up for further opportunities as they arise.

Thank-you to the staff and students who have helped make this process possible, in particular Megan Stewart-North, Tina Weston and Meaghan Ambrose.

Graduating Class of 2021

Last Friday, 19 November 2021, we celebrated the end of 13 years of secondary education for the Graduating Class of 2021.

The event, which was conducted in the Champagnat Centre was for the students and staff only; however, it was broadcast live by local media company Nanoo Nanoo for families to enjoy. Light refreshments (from a local company) were provided for all students.

PRINCIPAL cont....

Planning for this celebration started last term and all Year 12s and their families were informed early so they could arrange gatherings in their homes to watch the broadcast. We are also aware that many families made bookings at local restaurants and venues during and after the Graduation.

I sincerely wish to thank the organising committee for their work and I also express my appreciation to students and families for their understanding and support of the way we have organised the Graduation.

VCE Examinations

Congratulations to all students who have completed their VCE exams and are now waiting for the results which will be available to students from 7.00 am Thursday, 16 December 2021.

Thank you to all involved in the organisation and operations of the exams, particularly Jeananne Brown, Sarah Brown, Sue Rankin and Jenny Sutton.

End of Year Awards

These will be held next Tuesday, 30 November. This event will be held during the day and commence at 9.00 am. Students at St Paul's Campus will gather in the Champagnat Centre along with recipients of major awards from both campuses. Kildare students will watch the event via streaming technology in their LA groups.

Usually this event is held in the evening, but due to uncertainty related to COVID-19 we determined to celebrate as described.

Thanks in advance to Karina Taylor for her work in organising this important activity.

Student News

Kwong Lee Dow Young Scholars Program application outcomes.

Recently we were advised that Alyssa Ford is the recipient of this scholarship. Thank you to Michael McKenna for his work with all applicants

Three Violet Assemblies

Both campuses held assemblies last Thursday, 18 November to recognise this round of Three Violets Awards recipients.

Congratulations to the following students and first staff recipient;

Humility:	Darion Duncan Yr 12	Ruby Adams Yr 10	Cameron Walker Yr 8
Ruby Clegg Yr 7	Mark Lucas Yr 12	Anna Derham Yr 11	Lachlan Barnes Yr 9
Christiana Oleyemi Yr 8	Gaye Jenkins- Staff	Ethan Blair Yr 12	Jaclyn Little Yr 10
Brodie Donchi Yr 9	Modesty:	Amelia Cassar Yr 12	Georgia Grieve Yr 11
Summer Charles Yr 9	Lucy Barnes Yr 7	Hayley Tharle Yr 12	Emma Van Den Brand Yr 12
Millicent Passalacqua Yr 11	Hayley Causon Yr 8	Simplicity:	Emmerson Taylor Yr 12
Darcie Gridley Yr 10	Harvey Brown Yr 8	Lillian Van Der Velden Yr 7	Hayley Tharle Yr 12
Chloe Lyon Yr 12	Bernie (Anne) Formaran Yr 9	Isabelle Ambrose Yr 8	

Year 9 Final Day Assembly

Our Year 9 students had their final day at St Paul's Campus last Thursday, 18 November 2021, which was celebrated with an assembly. This was a dignified and appropriate recognition of their time at the junior campus and acknowledgement that they are continuing their six year journey at Lavalla Catholic College at the Kildare Campus. Thank you to Jasmine Santamaria for her organisation of this event.

PRINCIPAL cont....

Meeting with the Bishop

Our four College Captains for 2022- Thomas Gafa, Sophie Melbourne, Melody Paulet and James Townsend- along with College Captains from the other Sale Diocese secondary schools meet with Bishop Greg Bennett last Friday, 19 November. By all reports both the Bishop and the students appreciated the time to meet, albeit in an online environment. Everyone looks forward to meeting face to face in 2022.

Thank you to Megan Stewart-North for her support in this endeavour.

Marist Youth Ministry Student Leadership Gathering

Lunch with the Principal

Our new St Paul's Campus Leaders, College Captains and Liturgy Leader (Lani Zimora) for 2022 took part in the Marist Youth Ministry Student Leadership Conference on Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd of November. This was an online event.

They met with student leaders at other Marist schools from across Australia, shared ideas and formed new connections.

It was great to see both our senior and junior leaders working with each other and planning for next year.

Robyn Rebbechi, Doug Doherty and I had lunch with the students and they shared their insights and hopes. They are very keen to have more whole school events, as they see themselves as one connected school. They also spoke about building pride in our community.

Thank you to Megan Stewart-North for her support in this endeavour.

Make a Difference Week

After two previous attempts we are finally celebrating "Make a Difference Week" this week.

The activities during the week are to raise funds and awareness for local, national and international causes:

Local Rotary Centenary House, Gippsland & St Vincent de Paul Society

National Ltyentye Apurte (SantaTeresa), Northern Territory

International Marist Solidarity, FIJI

A number of activities took place including: Paper Scissors Rock competition (Tuesday), Coin Trail (Wednesday), Coin Throw (Thursday), and Friday is the last day for donations to the annual St. Vincent de Paul Hamper collections.

We are hoping that this week will continue to grow over the years.

Thank you to Georgie Barker for her work in the organisation of the week and also Sue Pickett for supporting these events with her Year 11 Ministry team.

COVID-19 Safety

Thank you to all the staff, students and families for their support and cooperation recently in regard to the recent positive COVID-19 cases at the College. The result of these cases has meant that a number of students and some staff have needed to isolate.

Accordingly, it is essential that if someone is displaying any symptoms that they get tested as soon as possible and follow current health directions. Additionally, it is still vital to:

- Wear a face mask as per current health directions;
- Perform regular hand hygiene, including on entry to, and exit from, the venue, and
- Maintain physical distancing, keeping at least 1.5m away from others at all times where possible.

PRINCIPAL cont....

Vaccination Requirements of Parents, Guardians and Carers and Other Visitors Attending Schools

Under the current Victorian Chief Health Officer's Directions all parents, guardians and carers who enter school buildings must be fully vaccinated or have a valid medical exception with the following limited exceptions:

- when attending to administer medical treatment to their own child when the treatment cannot be administered by the school
- when attending to collect their child who is unwell and cannot leave the school building unaccompanied by their parent/carer.
- when attending for a momentary period that does not involve any sustained contact with staff or students, for example, to collect a completed art project or similar.

All adults, including parents, guardians and carers attending any school event or activity including, but not limited to assemblies, tours, graduations, transition days or whole of school events are required to be fully vaccinated and show evidence of vaccination.

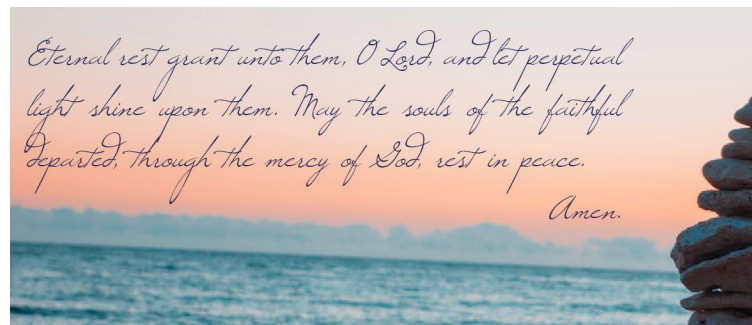
Meetings and other discussions (such as Student Support Group meetings) with parents, guardians and carers who do not meet vaccination requirements will be held virtually.

Parents, guardians and carers attending school sites for drop off and pick up who do not enter school buildings do not need to comply with vaccination requirements.

Condolences

Finally, can I please ask that you keep the following people who have passed away as well as their families and friends in your prayers:

Don Fortescue, who is Rebecca Henry's brother-in-law and uncle of Daniel (2017) and Ella (2015)



GRADUATE AWARDS - Year 12

EXCELLENCE

Kade Ruyters
Jacob Wall
Brittney Paulet
Emma White
Lana Barnes
Madeline Russell
James Day
Ella Fothergill
Carly Lavin

DILIGENCE

Annalise Gafa
Liam Byrne
Kade Petersen
Emma Walker
Jake Zweytzer
Madison Matters
Connor Saunders
Lara Bamford
Angela Francolino
Nicole Formaran
Loren Quail

Lara Norman
Isabella Bettridge
Ella Brent
Kelsey Petersen
Hayley Tharle
Chelsea Clarke
Chloe Lyon
Destiny Mackrell
Sophie Tsebelis
Amelia Cassar
James Wirken
Christian D'Angelo
Nikita Blair
Tahlee Sawers
Emily Foulze
Ella Blackford
Emmerson Taylor
Madelaine Galea
Benjamin Gafa
Meg Morris
Tyron Bramwell
Jacob Cunico
Lily Campbell

MERIT

Leah Wilbraham
Tahlia Webb
Flynn McLuckie
Thomas Tripodi
Digira Konyi
Tarra-Grace Nixon
Alyssa Anderson
Jessica Reddick
Heidi Winter
Owen Steadman
Lee Foley
Alana Cameron
Eva Tatchell
Coby Foley
Douglas Fisher

SUBJECT EXCELLENCE

Brittney Paulet

- Health and Human Development
- Further Mathematics
- Drama Units
- Psychology
- Literature

Jacob Wall

- Specialist Mathematics
- Italian
- Chemistry

Liam Byrne

- VET Screen and Media
- Systems Engineering

Kade Ruyters

- Physical Education
- Legal Studies

GRADUATE AWARDS - Year 12

Annalise Gafa

- Biology
- English Language

Jacob Williams

- VCAL Personal Development
- VCAL Literacy

Hayley Tharle

- Environmental Science

Nikita Blair

- Design and Technology - Materials

Isobel McLennan

- Food Studies

Christian D'Angelo

- Geography

Leah Wilbraham

- Studio Arts

Jaslynn Salerno

- Music Performance

Clay Last

- Outdoor and Environmental

Nicole Formaran

- Visual Communication and Design

Carly Lavin

- Philosophy

Jake Zwegtzer

- Physics

Kade Petersen

- Business Management

Connor Saunders

- Mathematical Methods

James Day

- Media

Madison Matters

- English

Lachie Bennett

- VCAL Work Related Skills

Chloe Lyon

- VCAL Numeracy

LAVALLA AWARDS

Carly Lavin

- Unit 2 Religion

Amelia Cassar

- Year 12 Ministry

Lana Barnes

- Year 12 Liturgy

Harrison Barnes

- In The Way Of Mary

Ella Brent

- In The Way Of Mary

Madelaine Galea

- Sporting Excellence Award

Thomas Hamilton

- Sporting Excellence Award

Campbell Sutton

- Musicianship Award

Jaslynn Salerno

- Alexandra Terranova Memorial Award

Catelin Wachal

- Award for English in memory of Maree Dargie

Chelsea Lawn

- Solidarity Award

Lara Bamford

- Community Building Award

Emmerson Taylor

- Student Peer Award

Sophie Melbourne

- VET Sport and Recreation (Outdoor Rec) Units 3 & 4

Brodie Lagerwey

- VET (External) Award

Anna Derham

- VET Allied Health

Jackson Ludlow

- VET (External) Award

Athena Kavadias

- Design and Technology - Textiles

COMMUNITY AWARDS

Christian D'Angelo

- The ADF Long Tan Leadership and Teamwork Award

Madison Matters

- Federation University Year 12 Award for Excellence

Amelia Cassar

- Federation University Year 12 Award for Excellence

Nicole Formaran

- Traralgon Apex - David Vaughn Award

Jacob Williams

- Traralgon Apex - David Vaughn Award

Annalise Gafa

- AMPOL All Round Achievement Award



26 November 2021

Dear members of Lavalla Catholic College community

Appointment of new Principal

Following the announcement that Mr John Freeman will conclude as Principal at the end of 2021, after eight years of dedicated service to the College community, Marist Schools Australia undertook a comprehensive recruitment and appointment process for a new Principal. This process has been successfully concluded and an appointment made.

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to join me in congratulating **Mr Ryan Greer** on his appointment as the next Principal of Lavalla Catholic College commencing at the beginning of Term 2, 2022.

Ryan is currently the Deputy Principal at Marist College Canberra and has held this position since 2015. Prior to this Ryan was the Assistant Principal for four years at Trinity Catholic College Goulburn, NSW, and before that Head of House at St Edmund's College Canberra. Ryan has a Bachelor of Education and a Master of Educational Leadership both from the Australian Catholic University and is a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors (GAICD). His teaching subjects include Religious Education, English and Social Science.

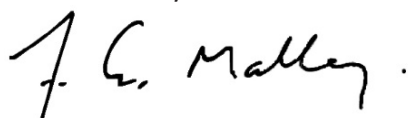
Ryan is currently a member of the Parish Council at Holy Spirit Gungahlin in Canberra and has been involved in a series of important Marist formation programmes including the Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Rome, and L'Hermitage in France. Ryan has also served on the Strategic Priorities Committee for the Marist Association of Saint Marcellin Champagnat and has been active in leadership of the Marist Schools Australia Assistant Principals group.

The leadership of the selection and recruitment process by MSA Regional Director, Ms Julie Ryan OAM is noted with deep appreciation. Gratitude is also extended to all members of the panel for their professionalism, expertise, and advice:

- Julie Ryan, MSA Regional Director (Vic, SA & WA) Chair
- Debra Punton, Deputy Director of Catholic Education, representing the Diocese of Sale
- Br Julian Casey, Marist Brother (and former Lavalla Catholic College Principal)
- Joanne Richards, Lavalla Catholic College Advisory Council Chair
- Peter White, Marist Schools Australia Regional Council Chair
- Darren McGregor, Principal Marist College Bendigo

We look forward to welcoming Ryan and his family in the new year. I also extend my appreciation to the Deputy Principal, Mr Doug Doherty, who has been appointed Acting Principal for Term 1 2022. Let us continue to ask for God's blessing on the College community and may Saint Marcellin pray for us always.

Yours sincerely



Dr Frank Malloy
National Director

LEARNING & TEACHING



BRETT VANBERKEL

Deputy Principal
Learning & Teaching

Transition 2022

As 2021 draws to a close with Year 12 completing exams, we now look ahead to our Transition program to prepare students for the 2022 Academic Year. Headstart began on Monday November 22 for the 2022 Year 10 to 12 students. Teachers used the Staff Professional Learning Day on Friday, November 19, to update the curriculum with a particular focus upon Developmental Learning and to prepare for Transition.

During the Transition period, students will be participating in Progressive Achievement Testing (PAT), the results of which will provide valuable data to students and teachers to assess their progress and set goals for their future learning. Please find more information below about the Progressive Achievement Testing.

Progressive Achievement Testing

As part of our comprehensive student learning assessment program, all Years 7 to 10 students' literacy and numeracy skills are assessed annually with the Progressive Achievement Test. This year testing has been scheduled for Week 8 of this term, beginning November 22.

The school will use the PAT test data to celebrate learning growth over the last twelve months and identify students for learning support and extension. They also inform the work of teachers in developing learning activities to meet the needs of all students in the classroom.

Never has this standardised testing been more important in ascertaining what our students know to ensure that we continue to meet their learning needs, especially after extended periods of remote learning.

Developed by the Australian Council for Education Research <https://www.acer.org/au/pat> is used widely by most primary and secondary schools to determine students' capacity against national benchmarks. These tests will measure their reading, writing, numeracy and vocabulary skills.

We ask for your support in partnering with us to ensure that your child understands how their test data will be used, that they approach them with confidence and view them as an opportunity to show us what they know and come prepared with fully charged devices to access the online platform.



FORMATION MATTERS



CHROS ROGA
Faith Formator

At Christmas we celebrate the incarnation; God is born human. "And the Word became flesh and lived among us (Jn 1:14)." The Greek word John used for 'lived' is *eskenosen*, (from the Greek *skenos* meaning tent), which literally means "have one's tent (dwell)' among us. God pitches his tent in the midst of the tents of humanity. God lives in our midst. What drives God to do this? Who is this God? How do we relate to this God who is so near? One of the titles we use during Advent while waiting for the birth of Jesus, is "Emmanuel" which means "God with us".

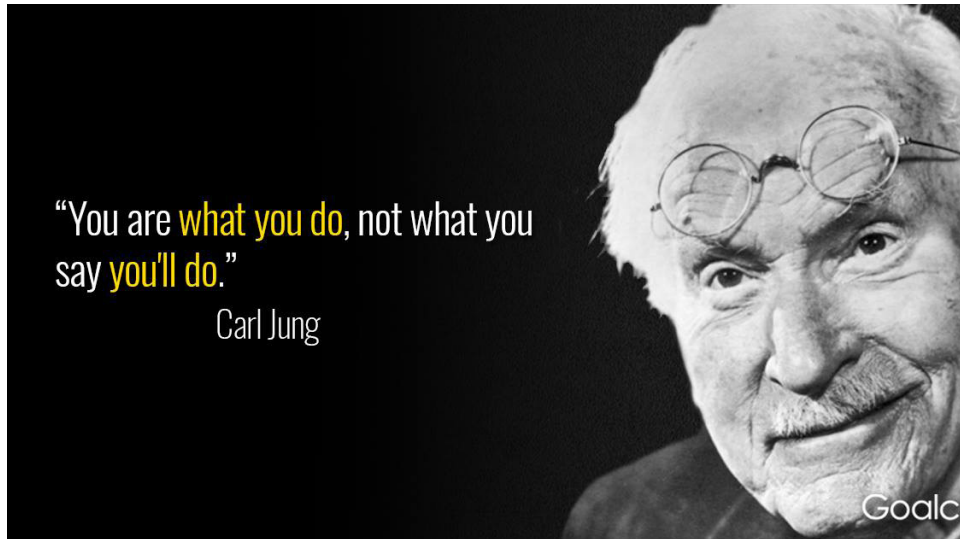
Carl Jung holds that our lives are guided by our collective subconscious. The archetypes we hold shape our destinies; the father, mother, hero, virgin, devil, trickster, eternal child, the God image. All fairy tales, fables, literature, the arts and all Disney movies tap into the archetypal memory of the human race, which is why children love them.

The God image is the soul's whole-making function that motivates us to committing ourselves to someone or something, much bigger than ourselves, to the transcendent. Parents raising families, friends supporting one another, teachers, health workers, social workers, volunteers, Mary Glowry, Mother Teresa, all human beings need some big cause to follow to make meaning for living.

This desire for the transcendent drives us to become all we are capable of becoming. On this journey we become aware of our true selves, and we learn to accept the light and darkness within, the good and bad. We become whole. We hold in a delicate balance the opposites, good and evil, male and female, small and big. We stop judging. We accept and include. In this sense God has pitched his tent among us. We are free. Strangely, we connect deeply with every other human and with the world around us.

Augustine says, "God is more intimate to me than I am to myself." Meister Eckhart (1270-1327) said, that between God and the soul there is neither strangeness nor distance."

A Blessed Christmas to all.



breathe
the Spirit of life (Rm 8:2)

DEBATING



MATTHEW HARRIS



As November drifted in, the smell of debating permeated the air as the Debaters Association of Victoria (DAV) started their Online Regional Debating Competition. Twenty ebullient Year 7-10 students assembled in the St Paul's library on Monday 15th November to debate with students from schools ranging from Traralgon to Sunbury to Warrnambool. In the junior division, our dynamic Year 7 sextet of Ruby Leyshan, Scarlett Reid, Amelia Cattanch, Amber Smith, Lillian Van Der Velden, and Sofia Ryan, ably navigated subjects about schools serving junk food in the canteens, and whether or not emojis are useful. Joining them in this fierce competition were the Year 8 hexad of Harvey Brown, Maddison Reed, Mason Bishoff, Isabel Ford, Elijah Harris, and Isabelle Ambrose. These loquacious interlocutors weaved their way nimbly around emojis and junk food – stating their case with vim, vigour and verve.

However, the high drama occurred in the senior division with our Year 9 quartet of Phoebe Briggs, Elly Fleming, Annie Day, and Paul Antonopoulos winning all of their debates and placing them in the final against the Year 10 team. Our year 9 & 10 teams prefaced their 'Thriller in Manila' by arguing about whether or not the Olympics should include non-sporting events and speculating about the consequences of the government footing the bill for solar panels. The Year 10 quadrumvirate of Jaclyn Little, Alyssa Ford, Miles Verschuur, and Isabel Georgeson came out winners by a single point in the secret debate showdown, and claimed the title of Regional Debate Senior Division Winners.

Further, Maddison Reed took out the Best Speaker award in the Junior Competition and Paul Antonopoulos won the Best Speaker award in the Senior Competition.

Congratulations to all of the students involved. Genuine thanks to Jannet Taylor who stepped in and encouraged, facilitated, and organised the event in my stead.

"Debating was a new experience for me and I was very nervous, but I wouldn't make a different decision. It's an amazing and fun opportunity. I have met people in the debate team that are so kind- I love the debate team and I thank Mr Harris for asking me to try something new, something that I would have never thought of doing." Amber Smith 7.2



MARIST GAME CHANGERS



SUE PICKETT

RE Learning Leader

On Friday 5th of November, the Year 10 Game changers group attended their Lavalla Leadership Retreat online with other Marist Schools from Victoria.

It was a fantastic day full of activities, games, discussions, presentations and reflections.

Our students engaged with all aspects of the retreat day in a positive way and enjoyed every element of the day. Hopefully next year we can all meet in person.

One of the group's tasks was to create a 1 minute video called Circle of Hope to send to the St Dominic's Rural Training Centre Vanga Point: Solomon Islands. The aim of the video was to connect and stand in solidarity with our overseas Marist Communities. The group created a fantastic video that will soon be sent to the Solomon Islands.

The group also assisted in running the Coin Trail fundraiser for Make a Difference Week at the St Pauls Campus. This group of amazing students will continue their journey with Game Changers in Year 11. I really wish to thank them all for their journey with Game Changers this year and look forward to continuing the journey with them in 2022.



GEOGRAPHY



TERESA TANTARO

Humanities Teacher

Year 7 students recently completed a unit on ancient Egypt. Classes started with the Geography of Egypt with a focus on the importance of the Nile River. Students were then broken into 'expert groups' where they allocated a topic on an aspect of ancient Egypt. Some of these topics included: mummification, the hierarchy, pharaohs, gods, housing, everyday life, pyramids and clothing.

Each group collected an information pack that included the questions and some information on their topic. Students were required to produce a slideshow or poster about their topic including a glossary. There was also an option to construct a model to support their information.

After a set time to complete research, students set up their computers around the room with slideshows on loop. Posters were also placed around the room.

Each student was given a booklet and had to find answers for each topic as they walked around the room. This way they gained information on all the topics. The class then went through responses together.

Finally students were asked to give feedback on their experience of being in an 'expert group' and then how they felt about walking around the room collecting information.

I liked working in the groups, it was fun to be an expert on an ancient Egypt related topic. We learnt about our topic better because we could work easier being with another person.

It was fun to walk around the room and see information about Ancient Egypt. I liked how we were able to walk freely around and be able to go through the work easily.

It was fun to work in small groups and we could be creative with our work.

Hollie Nicholls

I felt good working in a group. I was feeling confident working in a group because we shared the workload, the shared document worked good cause you were on one slide.

Jimmy Brand

I enjoyed going around to the different computers and learning new information. I also liked working in groups.

Ashlee Bosch

I found that it was quite fun working in expert groups because we get to research a topic and learn all about it.

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MUSIC



SHANE LEBBE

Director of Music

It has been wonderful to have our morning rehearsals back resembling something normal. With some performance opportunities on the horizon for the first time since July, our students have been busy preparing a variety of Christmas Corals. In the coming weeks, keep an eye out for our musicians at these exciting events:



Busking in the Traralgon CBD

On Wednesday the 1st of December if you are wondering around Traralgon along Franklin Street and Seymour Street between 9:30am and 11:30am, you might be lucky enough to hear our junior musicians heralding in the Christmas spirit. Our year 7 to 9 students will be performing carols in town, seeking donations for the St Vincent de Paul Society. The day will conclude with a well-deserved lunch at McDonalds.

St Paul's Christmas Liturgy

As the year draws to a close, our Concert Band and Junior Choir will be supporting with the final St Paul's Christmas Liturgy on Friday the 3rd of December. This is a wonderful way for our musicians to support our College community and they are looking forward to having a performance opportunity back on the calendar after a long hiatus due to restrictions.

Year 7 Orientation Day

With our 2022 year seven students coming to St Paul's for their Orientation Day, our Concert Band and Junior Choir are again in the line up to energise and entertain our prospective students with a final rip-roaring Christmas concert to conclude the day. This event will see our musicians coming back to school after their final day of the year to help our new year 7s have memorable first day – we thanks our music students for their willingness to support.

Finally, thank you for all of your support throughout the year. It is not too late to return your 2022 Music Lesson Enrolment Form if it is still waiting on the fridge and to any prospective families joining the Lavalla community in 2022, more information about our program can be found on our website here: <https://www.lavalla.vic.edu.au/music-program/> or please don't hesitate to get in touch with us on music@lavalla.vic.edu.au



ITALIAN



RAFFAELLA CATALDO

Language Leader

This year we could not participate in the Dante Alighieri Society Poetry Recitation Competition. As an alternative, we had an internal competition for the Year 9 and 10 classes. Congratulations to our winners!

Year 9

Verses from "The Divine Comedy" (Dante Alighieri): 1st Elly Fleming, 2nd Sally Lloyd Webb, equal 3rd Grace Van Tilburg and Grace Chapman

Modern poem: 1st Paul Antonopoulos, 2nd Dontae Marino, 3rd Claudia Lee

Year 10

Verses from "The Divine Comedy" (Dante Alighieri): 1st Ava Guarascio, equal 2nd Miles Verschuur and Isabella Herben, 3rd Jaclyn Little.

Modern poem: equal 1st Angus Pollerd and Isobel Georgeson, 2nd Mia Guarascio, equal 3rd Suravi Hemanth and Katy Yang.

A particular mention goes to Isobel Georgeson who also composed

Il Vento

di Isobel Georgeson

Soffiava un vento feroce,
Il vento era feroce e atroce,
Tutti gli alberi alti ondeggiavano,
Correre in classe ci ha lasciato con affanno.
Ragazzi e ragazze sono andati a casa,
Il vento, l'erba ha lasciato rasa,
Tutti hanno augurato di avere una felpa,
Il vento ha scalato i muri come una belva.
L'elettricità era spenta, e il vento era freddo,
Anche io ho sentito freddo, l'ambiente era soffreddo,
Fuori dalle finestre, le foglie soffiavano intorno,
Eravamo chiusi dentro, fuori non c'era nessuno attorno.

SCHOOL TRAFFIC MATTERS



Please adhere to the posted **40km Speed Limit** between the school

DROP OFF times 8.00AM - 9.30AM & PICK UP times 2.30PM - 4.00PM

Please also refrain from parking in the designated **SPECIAL NEEDS PARKING SPACE** at the front of the St Paul's Campus Hermitage Administration building during these times.

This park is for **picking up** and **dropping off** STUDENTS who have physical restrictions, and who are unable to walk to and from a distanced parked car.

If your child has no physical restrictions please do not park in that space during pick up and drop off times.

We thank you for this consideration.