



ST DOMINIC'S PRIORY COLLEGE

139 Molesworth Street, North Adelaide. 5006.

BULLETIN

Diary Dates

Thursday 1 November
Creative Writing Club Poetry
Reading @ Flora Macdonald

Thurs 1 - Fri 2 November
Year 11 Geography KI Trip

Friday 2 November
Year 8 Retreat

Wednesday 7 November
Year 6-9 Swimming Carnival

Thursday 8 November
Year 11 Drama Production
"Fading Flowers"
7pm in the Hall
tickets \$10/\$5 at the door

Thurs 8 - Fri 9 November
Year 5 Zoo Snooze

Fri 9 - Sat 10 November
Indian Pilgrimage Camp

Tuesday 13 November
Year 8 Vaccinations
Year 8 Picnic in the Park
India Pilgrimage BBQ

Thursday 15 November
Years 4-6 to Lattitude

Monday 19 November
Year 10 + 11 SWOT Vac

Tues 20 - Fri 23 November
Year 10 + 11 Exams

Tuesday 10 November
Year 8 Science Excursion

**Mon 26 + Weds 28
+ Fri 30 November**
Year 10 Surfing

2018 TERM DATES

Term 4: 15 Oct - 7 Dec

UNIFORM SHOP

Mondays during Term
10:30am - 1:30pm

Thurs 1 Nov 10:30-1:30

Thurs 8 Nov 12:30-4:30

Thurs 15 Nov 10:30-1:30

Thurs 22 Nov 12:30-4:30

Fri 23 Nov 10:00-1:00

Thurs 29 Nov 10:30-1:30

Fri 30 Nov 10:00-1:00

Thurs 6 Nov 12:30-4:30



Friday morning mass in
the Chapel 8.15am

WEDNESDAY 31 OCTOBER 2018

WEEK 3 – TERM 4

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Dear Parents,

How would you describe the FETE? There was the aroma of delicious food wherever you went; wonderful bands, vocal and dance entertainment to lift your spirits; books to boost your home shelves; rare and wonderful classic treasures; high quality craft items; crazy rides; lucky dips to delight; spins at the well-stocked chocolate wheel; salon hair and nails, fabulous items at the auction; and, at the Rose Café, time to sip tea with the sounds of jazz in the background. Best of all was the friendly vibe around the Fete as people chatted with friends, relatives and past parents and students. To top it all we certainly give thanks to God for perfect weather!

Sincere thanks must go to every corner of our community. To...

Our Leaders: Fete Coordinator **Scott Griffin**, assisted by **Stuart Lapsley**; Fete Secretary and Auction Coordinator **Noreen Pardoe**; Supplier to Stalls and information keeper **Kathryn Hudson**.

Parent Convenors: You are the reason we can run our annual Fete. Sincere thanks to each one of you. *Our respect and enormous gratitude is extended to a large group of Year 12 Parents who have committed to the Produce stall and the Chocolate Wheel*, a number of them from the time their daughters first came to St Dominic's. We hope to thank you in person at the final FETE wind up for the year.

To our Business Team in the Counting House: Thank you. This job keeps your heads down with not much time for Fete browsing.

To the Auction Team: This central hub, with items for every taste, is brought together by a group of staff and parents who build the donations into an amazing array of possibilities for all tastes. Sincere thanks to the team who worked long hours to fill a catalogue, and to the wonderful donors within and beyond our school community.

To the staff Admin Team in the front office and Maintenance Staff on the ground. No one will ever know except them the million and one pieces of the puzzle that eventually bring the show to the road!



A stalwart group of Year 12 parent convenors: sad to see you go!

To Teachers and Support Staff: In every classroom from Reception to Year 12 there is a staff member who understands that while every family is prepared to contribute, *reminders* to students are the secret of success. Staff were there before the day, on the day, and are a vital part of our success.

To St Dominic's Students:- Your service is very much appreciated. Thanks for being couriers with messages from home, for your service on Fete day and the day before. You are the reason why we have a FETE and we hope that when you leave school you will return on the last Sunday of October!

Dominican Poets at the Spring Poetry Festival: The story of our prize winning poets at a special celebration of South Australian student poetry is fully covered in this week's Bulletin. This page concludes with a poem by St Dominic's English Teacher Shelda Rathmann entitled "Geraldton Wax":

Geraldton Wax

by Ms Shelda Rathmann

*These flowers play a familiar tune
And wax lyrical in my memory,
As prolific pinks, purples and whites
Weave through my mind
A hued tapestry of delight*

*Its earthy smell lingers, even now,
A heady fragrance,
And with party dress petals
It performs a frilly dance,
Ruffling in spring winds*

*I can still see my mother
Strip excess needles from stems,
place the sprigs in a vase,
Plug gaps and fill spaces
In a billowing bouquet
Of artistry.*

Sr Jillian Havey, Principal



Primary News

from Ms. Cate O'Leary, Primary School Coordinator

"Keep your circle positive, speak kind words, think good thoughts and do good deeds. May your cup overflow with peace, love and joy today."

Again the excitement of the fete did not disappoint. We were fortunate to have beautiful weather too and it was easy to see that the Primary School students and their families were thoroughly enjoying the day. We are incredibly grateful to all our parents who were involved in any way with the preparations and organisation for this event. Your support and commitment help make this day so successful.

We thank the **Year 1 Class** for leading yesterday's Assembly so well. You were organised, entertaining and focussed. **Our next Assembly in Week 5, will be hosted by the Reception Class.**

This Friday the **Reception to Year 4** classes will be attending an incursion which will be run by facilitators from **RAA** and will focus on *road safety*.

Year 5 Mass for All Souls Day this Friday. Students must wear their summer uniform and there will be a morning tea for parents after mass.

Sacramental letters for 2019 will be sent home to the relevant families this week.

Twilight Assembly: Week 6, Tuesday 20th November - a note was sent home last week.

Year 6 Graduation: Week 7, Wednesday 28th November - a note was sent home on Monday



Welcome!

NEW ADDITIONS TO OUR FAMILIES

ON LEFT: Reina with her little brother Ahaan
ON RIGHT: Elvie, Lillie and Jasmine with their baby sister Alina

Year 4 visit to the Art Gallery

Visiting the art gallery was a great experience for the Year 4s. We were all astounded by the paintings and sculptures.

Some of our favourites were:

The Ghost Gums by Albert Namujira because it was very natural and pretty - **Lysha**

The painting of the seven sisters because it's very vibrant and I love vibrant colours as it sets up a positive mindset - **Isabella Pacicca**

I loved learning new facts and I liked learning the stories behind the dot paintings - **Alissa**

The echidna quill necklace was interesting and creative - **Jelena**

I enjoyed seeing all the different art work and especially the shell necklace - **Isabella Lee**

The shell necklace made out of green maireener shells was shiny and looked like a pearl - **Harper**

I liked how the paintings were made by the artist and painted on bark - **Kiriannah**

I liked John Mawurndjal's early work because you got to see the transition of where he was from and where he is now - **Hannah**

The bark paintings were amazing - **Magdalene**

The printing workshop was a great way to find out more about things which are important to the Aboriginal people - **Jessica**

We got to design our own print and it was creative - **Lauren**

The Aboriginal camouflage wall was interesting as the artist didn't want to fit in; he wanted to stand out - **Montana**



TUCKSHOP

Week 4 Wednesday Hump Day Specials

Butter Chicken with Basmati Rice \$6.00

Please ensure LUNCH ORDER BAGS are CLEARLY LABELLED with student's FIRST + LAST NAME and CLASS



Growth Mindset Day Reflections...

RECEPTION:

Yoga was very calming for me. - **Muskaan**

I loved Ernie which was a big ball. - **Ella**

YEAR 1:

It was fun and we painted on a canvas. - **Elvie**

I liked the yoga session because we had a massage from our buddy next to us. - **Helen**

YEAR 2:

My favourite part was building the marble track and then testing it. - **Katika**

There were many challenges especially with the fitness activities. I love GM Day. - **Reina**

Year 3:

Even though it was challenging it was fun to try something new and draw the Birds of Paradise. - **Clare**

I enjoyed the Island game because the team bonded together really well and we were successful. - **Latika**

My favourite activity was the dance because I am a dancer and I can do it well. - **Emma**

YEAR 4:

It was so much fun that day I wish I could have it more often. My favourite was the beep test. - **Kiriannah**

I enjoyed it a lot and the beep test was a favourite and I was proud of myself. The marble was a big challenge and we failed but that is ok too. - **Isabella**

It was a good challenge for my brain. The canvas painting was relaxing and I like learning different techniques. - **Alissa**

YEAR 5:

Everyone loved the marble run even though we had a limited amount of supplies and time. The canvas painting was hard. We had 45 minutes to complete a still life of Birds of Paradise in a vase. We focused on proportions, light and shade and blending.

- **Minh, Alyssa, Jasmine**

YEAR 6:

I think it is a good idea to have a day like this because many of the activities challenge your mind and skill level. - **Isabella Bogovic**



In and around the classrooms:

GROWTH MINDSET DAY

What a fabulous day we had on Growth Mindset day last Wednesday! We challenged ourselves in so many ways...

We worked in groups to create a marble run. Some worked, some didn't, but we had lots of fun trying! "Life be in it" came and set up some activities on the oval where we had to cooperate in small and large groups to complete the challenges. Our class managed to work together to move the Earth Ball from one end of the line to the other and back again. We enjoyed yoga and dance in the hall and we created some beautiful canvas paintings of flowers in a vase.

We gave everything a try and we didn't give up on any task - can't wait until next year's Growth Mindset Day already!

YEAR 2

Get great at your goal
Race to the very end
Off to have some fun!
Want to help a friend
To and fro, here we go!
Have a go

Make your imagination run wild!
Inspiration exists but it has to find you working
Never give up
Don't have a fixed mindset
Set new goals
Encouraging your friends
Test yourself

Dancing is fun!
Always believe in yourself
You can do it!

By **Alexandra**





FETE

Sunday 28 October 2018



Rose Competition

People's Choice:
Mary D'Assumpcao

2nd Prize:
Manjul Rana

3rd Prize:
Lino Piotto

2018 Art Union Lottery

1st Prize
#1344 I. Gonzalez-Varas
\$1000

2nd Prize
#1086 A. DeSanctis
\$500

3rd Prize
#0235 Helen, Renown Pk
\$250

4th Prize
#0798 L. McPeake
\$150



Creative Writing Club

'Voices from the Heart' @Calvary Hospital

In Semester 1, the Creative Writing Club was started by the wonderful Ms Rathmann. With her guidance (and motivation in the form of Freddo frogs), a large group of us wrote a series of poems and prose, which we compiled into a zine, titled 'Voices from the Heart'. This semester, Cleo Vandeppeer and I had the privilege of visiting Calvary Hospital in North Adelaide to distribute our work to the patients. We accompanied Lee, a volunteer who makes weekly trips around the wards with a reading trolley.

We also recited some of the poems at the request of the patients. It was wonderful to see the patients' faces light up as we read to them, or to walk past their rooms and see them happily looking through the zine themselves. We were even lucky enough to receive an email from one of the patients, thanking us for the poems. It is a delight to know that our poetry has reached outside the bounds of our school and hopefully touched the hearts of many, or at least a few people who needed it most.

Justyna Dutka, 9G

No sooner had Cleo and Justyna arrived back at St Dom's from their visit to patients at Calvary Hospital, when the school received this beautiful message:

'I am currently a patient at Calvary hospital and had the privilege of meeting two of your students from the creative writing club. It is very amiss of me not to remember their names, but they were both polite and the taller of the two read a poem to me. Congratulations on the wonderful, caring students that you are showing the way forward too, I have loved reading the book of poems that they left for me. Well done to the teachers who have guided these students writing and thank you for their visit today.'

E-mail dated 23 October 2018



Spring Poetry Awards

SAETA Spring Poetry Festival Anthology Launch

On Saturday we were privileged to attend the launch of the South Australian English Teachers' Association *Spring Poetry Festival* anthology for 2018. With over 700 entries from 50 schools, our students excelled. Not only were seven girls published, but five were awarded prizes on the day. **Emily Edmonds** (Year 11) gained second in the 'Friendly Street' category, while **Julia Pickersgill** (Year 11) was awarded third and **Claire Hennessy** (Year 12), fifth. In the Writer's SA Awards, **Sophie Ngo** (Year 9) achieved first prize and **Justyna Dutka** (Year 9), second. In addition, **Willow Rann** (Year 6), **Annaliese Kretschmer** (Year 7) and **Ms Rathmann** had their poems published. It was a delight to see our award winners read and perform their poems with confidence in front of a large, receptive audience. Congratulations to our poets!

Mrs Capasso and Ms Rathmann

Young Australian Writers of the Year

Congratulations to Year 12 student, Anna Nguyen, who is one of the winners in the 2018 Young Australian Writers' of the Year Awards for her short story, 'Home' which featured in an earlier addition of Oz Kids in Print.



Anna and her family will head to Melbourne at the end of November where she will be formally congratulated. Well done, Anna!



Ms Shelda Rathmann

Read Anna's story online at:
<https://stdo.ms/2EN4Lux>



Australian National Chemistry Quiz (ANCQ)

The Australian National Chemistry Quiz was conducted in Term 3 with the Year 11 Chemistry students. The quiz is administered by the Royal Australian Chemical Institute (RACI) and attracts students from across Australia and 20 other countries including India, Germany and China. Congratulations to the following students on their success.

Isabella Dametto Distinction	Teresa Do Distinction
Cindy Kieu Distinction	Madison Lecong Distinction
Ameera Litip Credit	Katie Tran Distinction



Run Your Own Business

Year 10 Commerce

The Year 10 Commerce students had the opportunity to work in groups and run their own business for a day. In doing so they prepared a business plan beforehand whereby they researched what products they were going to provide. They had to market their products, look at the logistics involved in running a business, prepare financial statements and review how the business performed. There were churros, brownies, spiders, ice cream with toppings and pizza available for sale.

This practical exercise enabled the girls to combine the theory of Business and Finance, Legal Studies and Economics taught in the classroom.

A fun time was had by all, with students acknowledging how much work is involved in running your own business. They raised \$724.30 in profits which will be donated to charity. Well done girls and thank you to everyone for your support!

Mrs Tina Caruso, Year 10 Commerce Teacher

THE YEAR 11 DRAMA CLASS PRESENTS

FADING FLOWERS

Written by Pauline Harris

WHERE	WHEN	TICKETS
ST DOMINIC'S PRIORY COLLEGE HALL	THURSDAY 8TH OF NOVEMBER 7PM	ADULTS: \$10 CONCESSION: \$5

*"There's still a little pink around the edges,
they're just a bit faded, that's all"*

SPORTS NEWS

Round 2 Results ~ Saturday 20th October

Basketball

Junior A *lost* to Sacred Heart 1 (37-50) Senior C *lost* to Marryatville 1 (23-28)
Junior C *lost* to Sacred Heart 1 (26-28)

Tennis

Junior C *lost* to St Aloysius 2 (2-4)

Touch

Junior B *lost* to Mercedes 1 (1-3) Senior B *drew* Pembroke 2 (3-3)
Junior C *drew* Pembroke 3 (3-3)

Volleyball

Junior B *def* St Ignatius 1 (4-0) Senior A/B *def* St Aloysius 1 (2-1)
Jnr C *def* Kildare 1 (4-0) Senior B (2) *lost* to Nazareth 1 (1-2)
Junior C (3) *vs* SDPC 4 (tbd) Senior B (3) *def* Mary Mackillop 1 (2-1)
Junior C (4) *vs* SDPC 3 (tbd) Senior C *def* Marryatville 2 (80-86)

Water Polo

Junior C *lost* to Pembroke 3 (4-8) Junior C *lost* to Pembroke 1 (7-10)

Round 3 ~ Saturday 3rd November

TEAM	LOCATION	TIME	OPPONENT
Basketball			
Junior A	St Michael's	8:30am	Mercedes 1
Junior C	Cabra	9:20am	Cabra 3
Senior C Aqua	Mercedes	9:20am	Nazareth 2
Tennis			
Junior C Green	St Dominic's	8:30am	St Ignatius 2
Touch			
Junior B Red	Greenhill Rd	11:00am	St Michael's 1
Junior C Green	Greenhill Rd	11:00am	Mercedes 2
Senior B Gold	Greenhill Rd	8:20am	St Ignatius 1
Volleyball			
Junior B	St Aloysius	8:30am	Mercedes 1
Junior C Silver	Mary Mackillop	9:20am	OLSH 1
Junior C Bronze (3)	St Dominic's	10:10am	NMHS 1
Junior C Bronze (4)	St Dominic's	9:20am	Mary Mackillop 3
Senior A/B	St Aloysius	10:10am	Mercedes 1
Senior B (2)	BYE	BYE	BYE
Senior B (3)	Mary Mackillop	8:30am	Nazareth 1
Senior C Orange	St Dominic's	9:20am	Loreto 1
Water Polo [Thursdays]			
Junior C	Pembroke	6:00pm	St Aloysius 2
Senior B	Adel Aquatic	6:00pm	St Peter's 2

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I HAVE READ TODAY'S BULLETIN

Daughter's Name(s):..... Class(es):.....

Signed: Date: / / 18