

College Newsletter

Week 2 Term 4 Friday 25 October 2013



Today's boys...tomorrow's gentlemen



Front page: Watched on by Vice Captain Jonathon O'Neill, College Captain of 2013 Alex Skinner addresses the school assembly for the last time.



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From the Principal

Graduation Wishes

On Friday evening of this week, the College will conduct its annual Graduation Mass and Ceremony. This is obviously a very important occasion for each of our Year 12 students and their families and is a celebration of the many achievements for which the Class of 2013 may be justifiably proud.

While many of our graduands will be preoccupied with immediate concerns such as passing exams, gaining tertiary entrance or obtaining employment, it is also a time for each of them to reflect upon what they have learned throughout their adolescence and to commit to a course of action for the future. At CBC Fremantle we aim to support parents

in developing young men who have an active faith and are agents of change in creating a more just society. If these students have been receptive to the messages implicit in their schooling, then they will recognise this imperative and be prepared to live and act accordingly.

In terms of material wealth and length of formal education, at 17 these young men are already in the top 10% of people in the world. This is an incredible statistic and highlights the degree of inequity that their time at CBC calls them to challenge. The sense of belonging and identity that they have each enjoyed at our College is denied to so many people around the world. The extent to which our graduates are willing to represent the interests of

the disadvantaged and marginalised in our community will be one of the most significant measures of our success as a College and their quality as Christian young men.

I would like to thank and congratulate all of the Class of 2013 for their outstanding contribution to CBC and for the positive chapter they have written in the long and proud history of this school. I sincerely hope that we have achieved one of our objectives as a College, which is to assist families with instilling positive values in their sons. If so, we may all eagerly anticipate the contributions to society which will be made by the young men we will farewell as the 2013 graduates of CBC Fremantle at the end of this week.

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Awards Night

Another important celebration for our community is the College Awards Night to be conducted at 5.30pm this Sunday in the Bob Rosé Meyer Gymnasium. CBC is blessed by the calibre of its students and it is important that we have a culture of celebrating success. Congratulations to all of the boys who have worked diligently throughout the year and embraced the challenges offered at the school.

Award winners have been notified but all families are warmly invited to attend.

Mr Shaun Kenny
Principal

Gallipoli Tour 2014 fundraiser

CBC Fremantle Quiz night

Don't miss out on the chance to have a great night out with friends and help raise funds for the 2014 Gallipoli Tour.

Friday 1 November, doors open at 6.00pm, with first questions commencing at 7.00pm. Tables are \$100 with a maximum of 10 people.

Beer, wine and soft drinks will be available for purchase on the evening which means no BYO. Bring your own snacks.

There will be items to buy and also bid on, so please remember to bring your wallets and purses. All purchases must be paid for on the night. Cash, credit card or cheque will all be accepted.

The Quiz Night will be held in the College Gymnasium and we request ladies to leave your stilettos at home for the night. Please wear flat, non-marking shoes to minimise damage to the parquet floor of the Gym.

To book your table, please contact College Reception on 9336 2700.

Don't leave it too late; reserve a table now.

- Door prize
- Games
- Mini raffles
- Christmas tree purchases
- Great give-aways

Plus fabulous items to be won or purchased at bargain prices, including:

- Overnight accommodation at The Vines ~value \$460
- 2 night residence at Ledge Point ~value \$370
- Dinner for 6 at Parliament House Restaurant
- Signed and framed sporting memorabilia
- Numerous bottles of wine
- Sporting equipment
- And much, much more...

College Information

Health Notice – Confirmed cases of Pertussis (Whooping Cough)

At CBC Fremantle, there were three cases of confirmed Whooping Cough over the last school holidays. The infected students are all back in school and are not contagious. The Health Department has confirmed that the community epidemic is over but there still may be one or two cases around. For information about Whooping Cough, visit the Department of Health [website](#).

Canteen

Can you spare a few hours on one day? Please consider volunteering in the 'world's greatest canteen'. Please ring Jenny or Karen in the Canteen on 9430 2046 for more information. The Canteen Roster is available to download on the [Parent Notices](#) section on the website.

Uniform Shop Opening Hours

Open every Wednesday from 8.30am – 4.00pm. No appointments are necessary.

News Online

You can keep up to date with our busy College's activities by subscribing to the RSS feed at the [Newsroom](#) on the website. If you subscribe to the feed, when the Newsroom is updated you will automatically be notified with a link to the new content. The College magazine, *Touchstone* is also available online and can be accessed from the Community link at the top of the home page.

Parent Council Golf Day

A social golf day will be held on 30 November at Pt Walter Golf Course. Pre Game Briefing at 8.45am and tee off is at 9.00am. \$20.00 per head for golf only; 36 spots are available (9 groups of four). Post match gathering will be advised.

Please confirm your spot by 30 October 2013 with Phil O'Neill at Phil61@amnet.net.au, or telephone 0429310597.

Calendar

Week 3 Term 4

Monday 28 October

No classes

Tuesday 29 October

Years 8-10 immunisation
7.00pm Art Exhibition Opening

Wednesday 30 October

Year 10 Health 'Keys 4 Life' Parent Evening
Year 11 Biology Excursion
Art Exhibition Open

Thursday 31 October

Mass 8.15am (Rice 1, 2, 3, 4)
Years 8-10 Immun catch-up

Friday 1 November

All Saints' Day
WACE Exams commence
Wardarnji Festival

Saturday 2 November

All Souls' Day

Put these dates in your diary...

Friday 1 November

CBC Quiz Night Fundraiser

Saturday 30 November

Parent Council Golf Day (see details opposite)

Friday 14 February 2014

Year 13 Breakfast



You are invited to the official opening of the

Visual Art Exhibition

SHOWCASING WORKS FROM YEARS 7 TO 12

on Tuesday 29 October at 7pm

Exhibition is open from
Wednesday 30 October to Friday 1 November, 8.30am to 3.30pm
ALA Building, CBC Fremantle, 51 Ellen Street, Fremantle
RSVP events@cbcfremantle.wa.edu.au



A feast of all things Italian

In the recent school holidays, 32 Year 10 and 11 Italian and Visual Art students accompanied by three staff flew across the world for an 18 day journey of culture, language, history, art and architecture that beautiful Italy has to offer.

The tour provided every boy with an incredible opportunity to appreciate all things Italian. The Italian students embraced the linguistic experience by practising their Italian at every opportunity while the Art students took advantage to sketch, paint and photograph the awe-inspiring scenery of Bella Italia. In Florence the boys were immersed in language and art as they

attended a Language and Art school for three days.

Highlights for students included St Peter's Basilica, the artists bazaar of Piazza Navona, playing soccer against a young Roman Soccer Club team, the sturdy chairlift in majestic Anacapri, cooking school in Orvieto, climbing the 294 steps to reach the top of the Leaning Tower of Pisa, visiting the Ferrari Museum, experiencing the Ducati and Lamborghini factories, Botticelli's collection at the Uffizi in Florence, being captivated by Da Vinci's 'Last Supper', the Venice Ghost Tour, Peggy Guggenheim Museum and basking in a Gondola ride along the canals of Venice.

Italy would also not have been complete without a shopping opportunity or two, eating too many Baci chocolates at the Perugina Chocolate Factory, nutella crepes and several gelato scoops!

The students and staff had an extraordinary experience so a big thank you must go to Trekset Tours. We were able to complete our dream itinerary due to their amazing level of planning and organisation.

To read more and see more photos visit the Newsroom at www.cbcfremantle.wa.edu.au



CBC Music Parents Group

Help Required

Our final meeting for 2013 and AGM is scheduled for 7.30pm on Wednesday 13 November in the CBC Arts Learning Area (ALA).

The Music Parents Group is a small, but friendly and enthusiastic group of volunteers, who assist in the running of various music events at CBC. We also aim to reduce costs associated with our boys participating in events, camps and tours.

As a number of the parents involved have boys who are currently completing

Year 12, the Group requires some new volunteers to keep the MPG running in 2014.

If you are a music parent or just interested in assisting, you would be very welcome to attend our next meeting. It's a great way to meet other parents and you can do as much or as little as you are able.

Please join us for wine and nibbles afterwards.

Contact Pam Formby (pam.formby@nd.edu.au or 0405633243) if you have any queries.

Committee members please note – our final meeting will commence at 7pm, followed by the AGM at 7.30pm. Please bring a small plate to share.

Sport Fixtures

Term 4 Week 3			
Team	Match/Training Details	Day / Time	Venue
Weights room	Fitness training	Mon- Fri 3.20 – 4.20pm	CBC gym
Basketball	Year 7 coaching	Thursday 7.30am	CBC gym

Community Notices

It is the policy of CBC Fremantle to distribute information when requested regarding community activities and details about educational programmes. This does not imply that CBC endorses these activities or the information. Please provide information in an unformatted Word document to enquiries@CBCFremantle.wa.edu.au. Submissions will be accepted at the discretion of CBC Fremantle.

Australian Catholic Youth Festival Melbourne 2013
5 to 7 December

- For young people from Year 9 to young adults 25 years of age
- Approximately \$1,150 per person, including a return flight from Perth, accommodation, full fesitval fee, transport and food only (price subject to change).

To register contact Catholic Youth Ministry Perth on 9422 7912 email admin@cym.com.au or go to cym.com.au.
Visit www.youthfestival.catholic.org.au. Registration deadline 4 october 2013.

Caribbean Evening at one of Perth’s most prized sunset locations...

Edmund Rice Camps WA invites you to the 2013 Bankwest Sunset Point Cocktail Party on **Saturday 16 November 2013 from 6.30 to 10.30pm**. Tickets are \$150 per person, early bird rate \$135 before 30 September, group discount for eight \$1,040 (\$130pp).

- Perth Pandemix – the one and only WA steel band performing live
- Take in the stunning view with a cocktail and canapes prepared by professional chefs
- Live and silent auctions
- Sponsor a child

All proceeds from the event go directly to helping disadvantaged WA kids. To purchase tickets or for more information please visit our website www.edmundricecampswa.com.au or contact Brooke McCarney 040 777 6360.

Edmund Rice Camps WA is a non-profit charity committed to supporting kids and families at risk or experiencing disadvantage in our community.

Telethon Adventures

Year 7 CBC student Ben Kullack and his mum Claire are participating in the Telethon Adventures ‘Jump for a Cure’ in early October. The Telethon Adventurers are a fantastic charity that is dedicated to help fight the war on childhood cancer, one adventure at a time.

Ben’s adventure will be to jump 14,000 feet in a tandem skydive and he hopes to raise more than \$2,000 for the Telethon Adventurers.

To help Ben to raise money, you can visit the website at www.theadventurers.com.au click the donate button for the ‘Corporals team’ and mention in the notes/messages section that the donation is for Ben and Claire Kullack.

To find out more about the Telethon Adventurers, and to maybe enlist in your own exciting adventure and help fight the war on childhood cancer visit the [website](#).