

Newsletter No. 12

Monday 30 July, 2007



Mr Graham Sprrott Welcomed Back To Pine Rivers State High School as Guest for First Academic Presentation Assembly

The first of our two Academic Presentation Assemblies was conducted on July 20. Guest of honour was previous principal of Pine Rivers State High School, Mr Graham Sprrott, who has been in retirement now for exactly ten years. Mr Sprrott was delighted to witness that one of the well established traditions of our school with the presentation assemblies was still going strongly.

Our Academic Assembly was attended by parents and caregivers of the student award winners. Certificates of Excellence were presented to our top achieving students for Semester 1, who had to receive a Very High Achievement or an 'A' rating to the eligible. Certificates of Merit were presented to those students who have demonstrated diligent effort consistently and achievement to the best of their ability throughout Semester 1. With both awards, the successful students had to live by our Code of Respect, Pride and Effort.

Our thanks go to School Captain, Brendan Lickermann, who chaired the ceremony and Hannah Brasch who assisted Mr Sprrott to present the awards.

The second Academic Assembly was conducted on Friday, July 27. Congratulations to students presented at both assemblies who achieved Excellence Awards.

MATHEMATICS

Year 12

Mathematics A

Keenan Moy
Michael Salazar

Emma Stone

Mathematics B

Matthew Bowerman
Michael Freeman

Mathematics C

Matthew Bowerman

Prevocational Maths

Dylan Wass-Welson

Year 11

Mathematics A

Bradley Bell
Ryan Rigby
Kelly Duggan
Larinda Donellon
Jenny Clarke
Leah MacFarlane

Mathematics B

Meghan Pritchard

Mathematics C

Jasmine Smith

Prevocational Maths

Hayley Pepper
Dan Ryan

SCIENCE

Year 10

Intro Maths A

Daniel Vickery
Mitchell Gatt Brynne Dunne

Intro Maths B

Peter Bishop
Tess-anna Gilfedder
Kate Ramsay
Belinda Moorhead
Nicholas Elze
Thomas Elze

Year 9 Mathematics

Delarey Naude
Keely Alting-Carr
Brittany Dale
Christopher Gough
Madeleine Robinson
Shivin Prasad
Thomas Triggell
Matthew Kachel
Kayla Clark
Matthew Geaney

Year 8 - Maths

Alexander Gordon
Jacqueline Webber
Jessica Schofield
Lauren O'Neill
Jade Buckley-Jeffers
Michael Saunders
Brandon O'Neill
Ashleigh Chessell
Rebecca Cummings

Year 10

Year 12

Physics

Matthew Bowerman

Chemistry

Matthew Bowerman

Biology

Matthew Bowerman

Multistrand Science

Sian Hutchison

Adalia Pavitt

Year 11

Chemistry

Mikaela Reilly

Biology

Melissa Treadwell

Multistrand Science

Megan Lys

Daniel Suta

Year 10

Belinda Moorhead

Blake Johnstone

Peter Bishop

Mitchell Mardiste

Thomas Elze

Robotics

Drew Everitt

Year 9

Juannita Prasad

Brenden Hall

Keely Alting-Carr

Katie Shepherd

Thomas Triggell

Robotics

Laura Wilkinson

Year 8

Emma Houdmont

Jade Buckley-Jeffers

Lauren o'Neill

Tiarna Chan

Michael Saunders

Casey Johnston

Cassandra Dimmick

Natasha Protheroe

Jacqueline Webber

SOCIAL SCIENCE

Year 12

Ancient History

Karen Kalkaus

Economics

Madeline Lynch

Geography

Madeline Lynch

Modern History

Madeline Lynch

Tourism

Nicole Wall

Year 11

Ancient History

Melissa Treadwell

Geography

Melissa Treadwell

Modern History

Shelby Lindsay

Study of Society

Emily Bartle

Tourism

Amanda Jones

HOME ECONOMICS

Year 12

History

Peter Bishop

Tess-Anna Gilfedder

Year 9

SOSE A

Madelaine Robinson

Brenden Hall

Samantha Tayler

SOSE B

Rachel Balharry

Tiffany Jardine

Brittany Dale

Emma Dunlop

Year 8

Jacqueline Webber

Kevin Lyon

Caitlin Schilling

HEALTH & PHYS ED.

Year 12

Physical Education

Troy Hill

Certificate in Recreation

Karissa Petersen

Lara Tyson

Michael Fields

Year 11

Physical Education

Daniel Suta

Katrina Schieber

Natalie Morton

Certificate in Recreation

Leonie Gillies

Jessica Saunders

Lisa McKay

Aaron Muscat

Year 10

Samantha Tesch

Trent Flanders

Kathleen McGlone

Thomas McGrath

Belinda Moorhead

Recreational Studies

James MacIntyre

Thomas McGrath

Matthew Schier

Trent Flanders

Andrew Quinn

Braeden Claus

Rugby League

James MacIntyre

Year 9

Glen Wilkie

Jason McDermott

Aaron Luff

Paul Low

Anushma Kumar

Bonnie Kay

Aiden Jones

Emma Dunlop

Vincent Connelly

Tiffany Jardine

Year 8

Kane Zalewski

Matthew Fielding

Shannon Wheeler

Jacob Bielby

Jade Buckley-Jeffers

Brett Hausman

Rhiannon Richer

Graphics

Nathan Fischle

Hospitality Studies

Natasha Johnston

Early Childhood Studies

Vanessa Grimason

Year 11**Hospitality Studies**

Fiona Stone

Natalie Morton

Early Childhood Studies

Cassandra Rohlf

Year 10

Claudia Dewar

Jnr Hospitality

Nicole Sowinski

Year 9**Home Ec**

Keely Alting-Carr

Year 8

Jade Buckley-Jeffers

LEARNING TECHNOLOGY**Year 12 IPT**

Shaun Buzza

ICT

Candice Luff

Year 11**IPT**

Patrick Hannan

ICT

Jonathan Ackfun

Year 10 ICA

Alana Tibbits

ICB

Nicholas Elze

ICC

Cherie Taylor

Year 9 - ICE

Katie Shepherd

ART**Year 12 Art**

Chiara Catenazzi

Shaun Buzza

FAD

Philip Wilson

Michael Salazar

Year 11**Art**

Jenny Muller

Photography

Natarra Ellis-Stevenson

Zara Duffy

FAD

Fiona Stone

Adrian Skoda

Year 10

Kyla Duffy

Tamika Schier

Year 9

Ashleigh Kapper

Madelaine Robinson

Year 8

Jandale De Pano

Rebekah Hale

Josh Fischle

Emma Houdmont

Alan Walsh

MANUAL ARTS**Year 12****Automotive**

Andrew Gagliarde

Nicholas Gordon

Year 11**Construction**

John Croxon

Furnishing

Nick Campbell

Technology Studies

Christopher Mills

Year 10**Automotive**

Nicholas Rickards

Jack Newell

IED

Braeden Claus

Shivnesh Goundar

IFD

Tara Bechard

Year 9 - IDT

Matthew Wall

Sam Bryant

Year 8**Manual Arts**

Kevin Lyon

Jack Noring

Skye Borwick

Breeta Noble

BUSINESS**Year 12****Accounting**

Caleb Traverso

BCT

Karen Kalkaus

Year 11**BCT**

Shelby Lindsay

Accounting

Daniel Luckman

BBP

Natarra Ellis-Stevenson

Year 10**Business & Enterprise**

Mitchell Pearce

Year 9**Business & Enterprise**

Christine Wallers

LANGUAGES**Year 12****English**

Randall Lee

Adalia Pavitt

Shaun Buzza

Morgan Reilly

Jacqui Croston

Corrina Harrison

Matthew Bowerman

English Communication**Studies**

Felicity Holt

Nicole Wall

Kyle White

German

Renee Quinn

Year 11**English**

Shelby Lindsay

Scott Norris

Erin Woodgate

Shelley Marshall

Kirstin Lindenberg

Jennifer Muller

Melissa Treadwell

Rebecca Buzza

Candice Webb

Mikaela Reilly

Chris Mills

German

Robyn de Vlugt

Year 10 - ENGLISH

Trent Flanders

Peter Bishop

\Elizabeth Burton

Kathleen McGlone

Thomas McGrath

Thomas Elze

Sam Dort

Nicholas Elze

Kate Ramsay

Tess-Anna Gilfedder

Bridget Pulbrook

German

Tamika Schier

Year 9**Extension English**

Vanessa Cawdrey

Brittany Dale

Megan Norris

Amy Peterson

Kristy Conserdyne

Michael Munchin

Thomas Triggell

Arabella Chambers

Lauren Benardos

Core English

Amy Cattermole

Foundation English

Tallilah Malase-Makarta

German

Alexandra Ross

Year 8 - English

Lauren O'Neill

Mitchel Brown

Jade Buckley-Jeffers

Jacqueline Webber

Alison Dunlop

Rebecca Cummings

German

Stuart Boardman

PERFORMING ARTS**Year 12****Dance Studies**

Stacey Woodward

Tegan Conserdyne

Drama

Randall Lee

Film & Television

Karen Kalkaus

Music

Keah Woodgate

Music Extension

Corinna Harrison

Year 11**Dance**

Shelley Marshall

Drama

Jared Bullock

Film & Television

Scott Norris

Fiona Stone

Music

Rhys Roberts

Year 10 - Dance

Courtney Smith

Drama

Peter Bishop

Jessica Ross

Media Studies

Tess-Anna Gilfedder

Jordan Sampieri

Music

Nicholas Elze

Thomas Elze

Year 9**Dance**

Kristy Conserdyne

Tina Eliepa

Drama

Sam Boyd

Media Studies

Aaron Luff

Maddison Meldrum

Music

Angela Luckman

Year 8**Music**

Michael Craft

Ashlee Noonan

WORK & COMMUNITY STUDIES**Year 12**

Samantha Langguth

Year 11

Clarissa Kennedy

Year 10 - Work Ed

Giovan Modina

Year 8 - FOCUS

Daniel Blair

Tahlia Francis

Power Maths

Daniel Couchy

Year 8 - BRIDGES

Michael Craft

Lauren O'Neill

Rebecca Cummings

Jessica Schofield

Jade Buckley-Jeffers

**REMINDER****INVITATION**

Launch of Investing in Our Schools Programme

Wireless Network Infrastructure by

**Mr Peter Dutton, MP
Friday, August 10, 2007
8:30am for 8:40am
Special Assembly**

Parents and caregivers are cordially invited to attend the special assembly to be conducted on Friday August 10 at 8:40am at the Graham Sprott Centre (Hall) to launch our Investing in our Schools Programme.



Year 12 Students Report High Levels of Satisfaction in Annual School Survey

All Year 12 students were surveyed recently by our School Council in order to check levels of student satisfaction with the school's strategic priorities for the period 2007-9. A survey has been administered to Year 12 students at this time of the year for the last six years.

The results have been collated and studied by our School Council at their recent meeting. They are very pleasing. It is intended to conduct a focus group of interested students in order to expand on the information already provided by the students as to how to continue to improve the learning environment for our students.

Percentage of Year 12 students satisfied or very satisfied.

ITEM	2007	2006	2005	2004
1. quality of teaching	97%	94%	87%	92%
2. that you are getting a good education	96%	94%	92%	95%
3. with way computers are used for learning	83%	91%	88%	85%
4. that this school is helping students to prepare for the future	91%	91%	92%	92%
- by assisting with QCS preparation	89%	90%	89%	94%
- through assistance with post school options	86%	93%	89%	85%
- by developing life skills and citizenship	85%	87%	86%	85%
5. that this is a good school	91%	90%	90%	90%
6. with the behaviour of students at this school	69%	69%	69%	66%
7. with processes for managing discipline at this school	81%	76%	75%	73%
8. with buildings of this school	82%	77%	78%	78%
9. with grounds of this school	84%	85%	82%	79%
10. with access to technology in this school	82%	81%	88%	-
11. That the school is encouraging me to be fit and healthy	83%	-	-	-



Gambling Community Benefit Fund Provides \$27,096 Towards Instrumental Music Program

Pine Rivers State High School is delighted to be announced as a recipient of funding from the Queensland Government's Gambling Community Benefit Fund. The Parent Music Support Committee which is a sub-committee of our Parents' and Citizens' Association forwarded the submission hoping to enhance our resources for the

Student Instrumental Music Program. The \$27,096 granted will enable the purchase of Timpani drums and Road cases to provide safe carriage of our instruments for tours and performance excursions. These items will be invaluable for our program and all are very grateful for the financial assistance.



PARENT EVENINGS YEAR 10

DATE TUESDAY, AUGUST 7
TIME 7.30 pm start
WHO Year 10 Parents/Caregivers and Students
TOPIC Year 11 Courses 2008, OP Score, QCS, QCE
VENUE Graham Sprott Centre (Hall)
PARKING Basketball Courts (Enter via Ash Court)

YEAR 8 AND 9

DATE WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8
TIME 7.30 pm start
WHO Year 8 & 9 Parents/Caregivers and Students
TOPIC Year 9 & 10 Courses 2008, QCE
VENUE Graham Sprott Centre (Hall)
PARKING Basketball Courts (Enter via Ash Court)



SPARROW INVADES NEVERLAND

WALKATHON 2007
Friday, August 3

Each year, the school holds two major fundraising events. The annual School Walkathon is the second one for 2007. The day is one that celebrates teamwork, which is integral to the ethos of this school. It is also about having fun and raising funds.

The theme for this year's walkathon is about pirates in which 'SPARROW INVADES NEVERLAND'. The theme developed from a desire to have a bright, colourful interactive day that emphasises sun safety, active students, and healthy minds. Ms Carol-Ann Morel, Year 10 Coordinator and Mrs Katherine Hart are organising the day, which will involve all faculties and staff taking on a role.

The day begins with many classes 'walking the plank' and performing for the school. Students are encouraged to work with their PREP class to design and prepare their costumes and performances. We will leave school at about 10am and staff and students are encouraged to keep their pirate hats on for the walk.



The walk takes us to Sweeney's Reserve. The organisers have decided that the route used last year would be used again this year to ensure the safety of all participants. Students are instructed to carry water with them for the walk, but will also encounter a water stop and an orange stop en route. At Sweeney's Reserve, students and staff will be entertained with games, music, food and competitions.

The Walkathon is one of only two RED food days at Pine Rivers for this term. After the long walk students will

have the opportunity to purchase hamburgers, hotdogs, water, juice, soft drink, ice creams and chocolates.

At 2:00 pm, the Pirates Day enters its final phase with the walk back to school where students gather on the basketball courts for a final roll marking.

Students participating in the walkathon have 3 options as follows:

- Option 1: Walking and collecting sponsorship. Cards and funds are due Wednesday August 1.
- Option 2: Walking and donation (\$5 minimum. \$15 will entitle students to free hamburger and drink at Sweeney's)
- Option 3: Not walking. Donations are encouraged also. Supervision will be provided for these students at school on the day.

Students have had to nominate their option. Those who opted for Option 1 must collect their sponsorship card from Ms Morel or Mrs Hart in the Science staffroom.

Sponsorship cards and funds raised must be returned to the office by Wednesday August 1.

Everyone is encouraged to support this activity which is most enjoyable for all involved. We ask each student to make a \$5 minimum donation to participate, but students who raise more are eligible for some excellent incentive prizes which have been donated by our local businesses.

This is a regular school day and all students are expected to attend. Alternate activities will be provided for students who are unable to or who choose not to participate in the Walkathon. These students will attend school where supervision will be provided.

On the day, students MUST wear hats, sun-block, sensible walking shoes and carry water. Students are NOT to bring dogs, bikes, walkmans etc or skateboards. No student will be permitted to stop off en route – at shops or friends'/relatives' houses.

We look forward to another healthy, fun filled team building day at the Pine with the support of the entire school community.



INTERHOUSE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL TUESDAY 7 AUGUST PARENTS WELCOME

All students will participate in the Interhouse Athletics Carnival to be held on **Tuesday 7 August**. We expect that many students will compete in the various events, representing their house. Events are run on a self-nomination system. This is done on the day of the carnival. Students do not need to nominate in advance. **PARTICIPATION IS THE KEY**. Students should nominate regardless of their ability level. Every student who takes part is rewarded with points for their house. Students who have a diagnosed medical or fitness problem must take responsibility to ensure that they do not participate in any activity which could cause injury.

All students are required to support their house and to assist with the creation of an atmosphere of friendly competition on the day. The dress for the day is as follows:

FULL SPORTS UNIFORM OR HOUSE COLOURS
SURNAME A – L PINE- GREEN
SURNAME M – Z RIVERS – YELLOW

Students must not wear their uniform in part. Clothing should be appropriate (sleeves, no bare midriffs, covered footwear).

There will be marquees erected courtesy of Strathpine Toyota, LJ Hooker Strathpine and the Pine Rivers Shire Council to help provide shelter from the sun. However, students must wear a hat and sunscreen. Parents and caregivers are very



welcome to join us on the day.

The 2007 DANC'Ed In The Spotlight Festival

a window to a better understanding of dance...

Superstitious Black Friday the 13th of July 2007 may have been frightening for some, but not for the Junior and Senior Dance Squads. They felt quite the opposite. Both Dance Squads continued the tradition of the past three years in attending **DANC'Ed in the Spotlight Festival** at the Redcliffe Cultural Centre. The festival allows schools in the Sunshine Coast South District to present their dance pieces in a non competitive atmosphere and create a window to a better understanding of dance and explore the work done in the area of dance in our local schools. DANC'Ed is a day long event in which students participate in hip hop workshops as well as stage, technical and dress rehearsals, culminating in a spectacular evening performance. This year, Urban Ignition, a Brisbane based youth dance company, also performed an interesting and entertaining excerpt from their current dance work "I.D". Pine Rivers dazzled their audience with two pieces in the evening performance.

Early in the program the **Junior Dance Squad** performed a lively musical piece named "**Vincent and the Dream Girls**", choreographed by



the dance squad teacher Miss Tanya Grant. The **Senior Dance Squad** took a different approach with an uplifting contemporary piece "**Unwritten**" choreographed by dance teacher Miss Amy Ferrington. Both performances received outstanding feed back from teachers, parents and members of the audience. Overall the non competitive atmosphere made the night a success by providing students with a professional performance experience.

The behaviour of the squad members was also exceptional and we are sure that without the motivation, direction and support provided by Miss Grant and Miss Ferrington, the whole event would not have been as successful.

Lauren Williams and Hailey McKay
Dance Captain & Dance Vice Captain



Forensic Science Camp Fun!

On the July 2 a group of Pine Rivers High students and two teachers travelled nine hours by bus to the pleasant town of Armidale, NSW. The reason for this, you ask? They were taking part in the awesome Forensic Science Camp created by Mr Kelland Hardingham, held at The Armidale School.

On this camp they met and made friends with kids from all over Australia, ate wonderful meals cooked on site, and – best of all – solved tricky, intriguing crimes using all sorts of forensic science techniques and problem solving skills.

Over 120 students were split into groups of four and given a crime scenario to solve. The scenarios were created and prepared by past campers called "Controllers". All groups had three and a half days to solve their crimes, and the final day, Saturday, was scheduled for a court case to try the accused. All groups solved, if not proved, their crime successfully, and enjoyed the camp immensely.

- Written by Laura Wilkinson, Year 9

Year 9 Detectives (Campers):

Kayla Clark	Delarey Naudé
Emma Dunlop	Madelaine Robinson
Matt Geaney	Alexandra Ross
Tiffany Jardine	Katie Shepherd
Matt Kachel	Emma Suta
Tom Koch	Thomas Triggell
Angela Luckman	Laura Wilkinson

Controllers from PRSHS:

Mitchell Gatt, Year 10; Sian Hutchison, Year 12

Camp and Laboratory Supervisors:

Jessica Seiffert, Year 10; Maraeka Trueman, Year 10

Photographer:

Mikaela Reilly, Year 11

Teachers:

Ms Trueman, Ms Hay.

staff to gauge their satisfaction with important aspects of schooling. The results of this survey are provided in a report that is forwarded to the school late in the year. Our employer reviews the data for our school in comparison to other schools throughout the state. We use the information along with our own survey results to evaluate our school performance and to identify areas for improvement.

These surveys will arrive in the school in this week. A randomly selected list of parents/caregivers is nominated by our employer to be surveyed, as well as a randomly selected list of Year 9 and 11 students. All staff will be invited to complete the staff survey.

All survey responses are completely confidential. The school will not open the confidentiality envelope. These envelopes of responses will be forward to central office of Education Queensland, where the information will be scanned and the analysis undertaken. The information that respondents provide will not be reported in ways that would allow an individual to be identified.

Please seal your completed questionnaire in the envelope provided and return it to the school by the due date. If you have any questions or concerns about the survey please contact Ms Janelle Amos on 3881 4700.



Former Student One of Three Finalists for Young Writer Of The Year, Sunshine Coast Literacy Association Competition

Congratulations to **Mr Ryan Kallio** who graduated from Year 12 in 2006 who has recently been selected as a finalist in an Australia-wide literacy competition. Ryan submitted a novella into the Sunshine Coast Literacy Association's WARM (Writers', Artists' and Readers' Month) Competition and was selected as one of the three finalists out of Australia for the Young Writer of the Year Category. He is thoroughly enjoying his university studies and 'doing pretty well', particularly with short stories and scripts.



YEAR 8 ENROLMENT 2008

Enrolment packages are now available and have been distributed to our major feeder schools.

In 2008, there will be capacity for up to twelve Year 8 classes. We believe that this should ensure that all children whose families wish them to enrol will be accepted, whether they live in the local catchment area or not.

Category A applications for enrolments apply to students who reside within the local catchment area. These students will have automatic right to enrolment. They need to be prepared to provide the necessary documentation.

Category B applications for enrolments apply to all other students, including siblings of currently enrolled students who do not live in the local catchment area. These students must complete the questionnaire designed to check the student's commitment to fit in with the school's ethos.

All applications, that is for Category A and Category B enrolments, must be received by the principal by Friday, August 31. Enrolment confirmations will be posted on Friday, September 14 and acceptance of places must be received by the school by Friday, 21 September.

Our Year 8 enrolments should be finalised by the end of Term 3.



QUEENSLAND GOVERNMENT EDUCATION QUEENSLAND CLIENT OPINION SURVEY

In addition to our own school surveys, Education Queensland undertakes a survey of parents, students and

Senior Formal

Preparations are in full swing for this year's Formal.



Date: Thursday November 15, 2007
Time: 7.00pm – Midnight
Venue: Greek Club, West End
Cost: TBA but approx. \$85.

Eligibility Requirements for the formal are the same as for past years and these were used for the current seniors for their Year 10 Semi-Formal.

Criteria:

- Attendance – regular; absences- explained
- Class work and assessment completed
- Resources returned; no outstanding money issues
- Commitment to the school
- No unresolved behaviour issues
- Uniform compliance

Process:

1. Students to complete Eligibility Form, by taking it to all subject teachers for comment
2. Completed form submitted to Year Level Coordinator, by the cut off date, for final comment and checks
3. Invitation issued upon submission of completed and successful Eligibility Form
4. Invitation along with payment to office
5. Receipt to Sports Committee for seating and ticketing

NB: Due dates will be clearly advertised and recorded on all information, and they **must be** strictly adhered to.

NB Invitation is for the student only and maximum of two (2) guests (ie parents/ caregivers). If greater numbers of guests required, request must be submitted in writing to Ms Keenan ASAP.

A letter detailing all information about the end of year celebrations will be handed out to all Year 12 students in the coming week and will be discussed and advertised in PREP and Year Level Assemblies. Please refer to this and contact Ms Keenan with any queries.

Timelines will be tight, so students need to ensure they are eligible and stay that way. Students - save your pennies and start shining those shoes!

Have a great day!

Ms Trisha Keenan 12Year Level Coordinator.

Ph: 38814729



From the School Chaplain

Greetings folks, following are a couple of events that may interest you as parents and caregivers. "ToughLove" is a self-help support program for parents struggling with unacceptable adolescent behaviour, eg for parents of children with behaviours including verbal abuse, violence, running away from home, drug or alcohol abuse. The Strathpine group meets every Wednesday at the Pine Rivers Neighbourhood Centre. For more information, phone Ray on 3284 1406, or a/hrs 0417 645 352.

Secondly, Scripture Union Queensland runs a terrific holiday camping program for students these Spring holidays. "Splashout" camp will be held during the first week of the break, up at Currimundi on the Sunshine Coast. Campers are fully supervised by trained leaders during the week of fun and frivolity, where we enjoy a program crammed full of beach and shops, swimming and sport. Part of the program also includes small group interaction where we explore spiritual issues of life. I say 'we' because this is a camp I go on each year, and every year students are eager to book for the following year. The camp costs \$195 which includes transport, accommodation, all meals and most activities.

Contact me at school for more information on 3881 4775. Peace. **Dave Hockey**

University of Southern Queensland Open Day
Springfield campus www.usq.edu.au/openday

Australian College of Natural Medicine Open Day at
Brisbane campus, 11 am – 3 pm

www.acnm.edu.au/openday.html



From the Uniform Shop

LOST PROPERTY

Lost property can now be claimed at the *Uniform Shop* every Friday. After recent cleaning and sorting, there are approx 50 unnamed spray jackets and 10 v-neck jumpers, a pair of girls' black shoes and two pairs of white joggers, **plus** a whole range of non-school items including a large tablecloth, 3 pink *Supré* bags, winter dressing gown, fleecy pullovers, shorts, shirts, and about 20 hats. Please see Mrs Jones in the uniform shop **on Fridays only** to make your claim.

UNIFORM SHOP

Orders are now being placed with our suppliers. For end-of year sales, if your child has a special requirement, please make arrangements as soon as possible with the Uniform shop staff.

Lay-by facilities are available until the end-of-year to assist with your uniform costs.

Clear out sale of the further reduced nylon tracksuit range has meant a drop in prices. Jackets @ \$25.00 and pants @ \$10 – limited sizes available. There is still plenty of new and secondhand winter stock in our regular ranges available.

Second hand uniform cheques were issued prior to the holidays. Could these please be deposited as soon as possible to help finalise our accounts. Next round of payments due in September.

Don't forget our regular hours as follows:

MON, TUES, THURS, FRI
8.30 – 11.30am
CLOSED WEDNESDAYS

FROM THE GUIDANCE

OFFICER'S DESK

TERTIARY SCHOLARSHIPS

There are many and various types of scholarships, bursaries, and prizes on offer at most tertiary institutions. As conditions and requirements vary considerably, students need to contact the University or referral source of their choice and make specific inquiries regarding types of scholarships available and the application process.

For further information, a list of current Queensland providers and their contact details, web site information and general prerequisite information, please see Ms Susan Martin, A/Guidance Officer (Ext 708).

WEDNESDAY 1 AUGUST

Queensland Conservatorium, Griffith University
audition applications close

www.griffith.edu.au/school/qcqu

SUNDAY 5 AUGUST

University of Queensland Open Day St Lucia Campus,
10 am – 4 pm

www.uq.edu.au/events/event

SUNDAY 19 AUGUST

University of Queensland Open Day at Ipswich
Campus, 10 am – 2 pm

www.eg.edu.au/events/event

University of Southern Queensland Open Day at
Toowoomba campus, 10 am – 3 pm

<http://www.usq.edu.au/openday/>

Bond University Open Day

www.bond.edu.au/events/openday/

SUNDAY 26 AUGUST

University of Queensland Open Day at Gatton campus,
9.30 am – 3 pm www.uq.edu.au/events

Dates to Remember

Mon 30	Qld Arts Council Period 1 in Hall
Tue 31	SRC Meeting D Block – 1 st Break Year 12 TSL Excursion
AUGUST Wed 1	Year 12 Geography Year 10 Art Excursion Student Leaders M/Tea
Fri 3	WALKATHON
Sun 5	Pre-tour Concert 6pm Hall
Mon 6	Home Ec Week
Tue 7	Yr 10-11 Subject Selection Evening 7pm Interhouse Athletics Carnival
Wed 8	Metro Rugby League Round 16 Year 8-9-10 Subject Selection Evening
Thu 9	Year 11 Multi Excursion Ekka
Fri 10	8:40am Assembly - Launch of Investing in Our Schools by Peter Dutton MP Year 11 Drama QTC Excursion 1pm
Mon 13	PUBLIC HOLIDAY (Pine Rivers Show Day)
Tue 14	SRC Meeting D Block Dining Room
Wed 15	Student Free Day Exhibition Wednesday