



A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG MEN

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From the Principal

Commencement 2018

As we prepare for the return to classes, I hope all of our Parade families have enjoyed a pleasant and safe summer holiday. We extend a very warm welcome to all students and parents who are new to the Parade community this year. Classes resume for Year 7, 11 and 12 students at 8.35am on Wednesday 31 January and for Year 8, 9 and 10 students at 8.35am on Thursday 1 February.

2017 Academic Achievements

The VCE results were published on 15 December and we were delighted with the outcome. We congratulate the Year 12 students of 2017 on their various academic achievements and the overall great quality of the results.

We congratulate Callum Holmes, our 2017 Dux, with the highest possible ATAR of 99.95, including two perfect scores (50/50) for both Chemistry and Physics. He was closely followed by Aiden Hrup (99.70), Michael Barrese (99.20), and Simon Rebellato (99.10). In fact, seventeen students gained an ATAR above 96 and twenty eight students gained ATAR scores higher than 90. 33% of students scored over 80. A full listing of these students can be found on page three of this *Newsletter*.

Congratulations to Stefan Celea who has been awarded the College's Outstanding Senior VCAL Student Award for 2017. We acknowledge the many other students, both in VCE and VCAL strands, who achieved their personal goals and have gained entry into their nominated tertiary course.



50 Years at Bundoora Celebration

This year we celebrate the 50th anniversary of the move from East Melbourne to Bundoora. Classes commenced at the Bundoora campus in February 1968 after the sale of the East Melbourne site. During the year there will be a number of celebratory events including:

- Commencement Assembly 9 February
- Past Staff Gathering on 23 March 5.00pm to 7.00pm
- Jubilee Community Art Show "Artists on Parade" 23 to 24 March
- Old Paradians Gathering-13 October
- Opening Nash Learning Centre 15 February
- Jubilee Solidarity Walk in August
- Jubilee Bike Ride – Open Day 18 February (organised by Old Paradians Association)

College Calendar

You will find the full College calendar for 2018 on the College website and we ask that you note carefully important contact occasions, such as parent-teacher nights, etc, and the official term breaks. Students are expected to be present on all designated teaching days.

Photographs of all students will be taken on Monday 5 February and information on how to place your order can be found on page 11 of this *Newsletter*.

New Staff 2018

We welcome the following new staff members for 2018:

Rachel Bailey	Science	Treacy
Anthony Bergantino	Nash Learning Centre	Lynch
Liam Benton	Science	Tutor B9
Ryan Bowkett	Sports Assistant Trainee	Treacy
Nicole Comelli	English, Humanities	Tutor B6
Ashleigh Ferrantino	English	Tutor B5
Jan Johnston	Mathematics	Tutor B8
Ellen Lock	RE, Humanities	Tutor H19
Todd Lynch	Science	Lynch
Sarah Melenhorst	RE, English, Humanities	Tutor L20
Emma Mihocic	Science	Tutor B17
Jenifer Najdenovski	Food Studies, Humanities	Tutor H18
Bradley Paul	Science	Bodkin
Ben Shelton	Sport & Rec, English	Tutor B9
Vicky Southgate	RE, English, Humanities	Treacy

Leadership Appointments

There are some new internal leadership appointments for 2018:

Cameron Elmore	House Leader (Bodkin Lower)
Kylie Kuppe	Director of Ministry
Derek Rylah	Learning Area Leader Technology
Craig Athaide	Daily Administration (Preston)

Adjustments to Tutors

Jacob Bevanda - Bodkin 14
Nathan Spurr - Hughes 7
Kevin Cheong - Hughes 20
Janeta Melich - Lynch 11
Michael Barrett - Lynch 12
Imogen Lazarus - Lynch 21
Sheena Wright - Treacy 9
Tom Laverack - Treacy 12

Holiday Works

A number of projects have been completed over the holiday period:-

- The Nash Learning Centre at Bundoora has been completed and fully commissioned. There will be a small formal opening ceremony at 11.00am on 15 February

- The Ambrose Treacy Oval at Preston has been completed with all-weather playing surface marked for tennis, hockey and soccer.
- The main drive and bus circuit at Bundoora has been resurfaced
- Room MQ18 has been restored to a fully operative Science laboratory

Buses

Kevin Bourke, Logistics and Environment Manager, has allocated students to the various College bus services. Minor alterations have been made to some bus routes and all involved in this have been advised.

All students using services to or from the College direct must have a current College bus pass and/or MYKI card.

Traffic and Parking

Traffic will be very heavy on the College property on the first few days of school both morning and afternoon. If you wish to drop off your son, please come early. Parents who wish to park should do so only in designated car parks, well off the roadways, and cooperate with instructions from College parking officials. Drivers need to be attentive to students crossing the roadway and to give way at designated crossings.

Newsletter

This *Newsletter* is our major means of communication with parents, so please ensure that you take the time to read it.

We produce the *Newsletter* every second week; normally sent electronically. Parents are urged to ensure that we have their current preferred email address to receive the *Newsletter*. Please advise Reception immediately of any change of residential or email addresses and phone numbers. The *Newsletter* is always available on the College website. Hard copies are available for collection at Reception on both campuses for anyone unable to access the *Newsletter* electronically.

We wish all our students a very successful and fulfilling year in 2018.

Dr Denis J Moore cfc
Principal

**Congratulations to the following students on their
excellent VCE ATAR Scores 90+**

Callum Holmes	99.95
Aiden Hrup	99.70
Michael Barrese	99.20
Simon Rebellato	99.10
Kevin Bai	98.75
Matthew Melhem	98.65
Michael Donato	98.10
Julian Bianco	97.35
Leandro Conte	97.15
Srisai Suraj Hari	96.75
Curtis Howden-Crhak	96.55
Stephen Xu	96.35
Alex Nguyen	96.35
Kai Wallens	96.20
Luke Messina	96.20
Daniel Demarte	95.45
Francis Cao	95.05
Dominic Benoit	93.60
Rony Roy	93.15
Luke Franze	92.90
Adam Stella	92.55
Marc Chelini	92.05
Max Vaiano	92.00
Michael Labrador	91.95
Danny Le	91.80
Aaron Piacente	91.65
James Bottams	90.85
Peter Samouris	90.45



From the Acting Assistant Principal - Teaching and Learning

VCE Information Evening, 7.00pm Tuesday 13 February 2018

Parents of students currently in Years 11 and 12, and accelerating Year 10 students, are warmly invited to attend the VCE Information Evening which will provide an opportunity to be fully informed about your son's requirements and expectations as they commence their studies in 2018.

This evening is for **parents only** and will provide an opportunity to learn about the specifics of the VCE.

Your son's prospects for a rewarding and effective education at Parade College are greater when we can all work together to support his learning and personal development.

To that end, we strongly encourage parents who are new to having a child enter the VCE to attend.

Academic Achievements 2017

Congratulations to the Class of 2017 and their dedicated teachers for achieving outstanding VCE results.

Each year we have students whose achievements are among the highest in the state. This reflects not only the focus, dedication, and professionalism of our teachers, but also our culture of academic excellence and our holistic approach to learning.

We commend each student who has applied himself to achieve his very best, and celebrate the many wonderful results as well as the knowledge, skills, experiences and qualities that have been acquired along the way.

Congratulations to Stefan Celea who has been awarded the College's Outstanding Senior VCAL Student Award for 2017.

Congratulations also to our College Dux Callum Holmes with an ATAR of 99.95, one of only 36 students across the state to gain the highest possible score. Callum also gained a perfect score of 50 in Physics to accompany his perfect 50 in Chemistry he achieved as a Year 11 student in 2016.

Highlights

17 students (8%) = ATAR of 95 or above
28 students (13%) = ATAR of 90 or above
33% of students = ATAR of 80 or above
50% of students = ATAR of 70 or above
100% of students achieved their VCE pass
Median Study Score = 31


In all, there were seven students who achieved an ATAR of 98 or higher; Aiden Hrup (99.7), Michael Barrese (99.2), Simon Rebellato (99.1), Kevin Bai (98.75), Matthew Melham (98.65) and Michael Donato (98.1).

Congratulations to those students on their excellent VCE ATAR scores of 90 + whose names appear on page three of this *Newsletter*.

Mr Geoff Caulfield

Acting Assistant Principal - Teaching and Learning

Come along to
HOMWORK CLUB



For: All students from Year 7 to 12
When: Every Tuesday and Wednesday
Time: 3.15pm to 4.30pm
Where: Resource Centre at Bundoora and Preston campus
Homework Club is also available every morning 8.15am to 8.35am

Get help writing an essay, solving a mathematical problem, researching a science assignment or come along and finish your homework. Staff are available to help.



From the Assistant Principal - Organisation

2018 Term Dates and Students Holiday Absence

Please find below the 2018 term dates. Parents are asked to consider carefully holidays or events that withdraw students from the College and their studies during the term.

If you wish to withdraw your son during the school term please notify the College by contacting your sons Tutor Teacher prior to the event and advising the College Principal by writing to Mr Callanan, Assistant Principal Organisation.

2018 Term Dates

Please make a note of the following term dates for 2018

Term 1

Wednesday 31 January	Years 7, 11 and 12 commence
Thursday 1 February	Years 8, 9 and 10 commence
Monday 12 March	Labour Day Public Holiday
Thursday 29 March:	Term 1 finishes

Term 2

Monday 16 April	Term 2 commences
Wednesday 25 April	Anzac Day Public Holiday
Monday 11 June	Queens Birthday Public Holiday
Friday 29 June	Term 2 finishes

Term 3

Monday 16 July	Term 3 commences
Friday 21 September	Term 3 finishes

Term 4

Monday 8 October	Term 4 commences
Tuesday 6 November	Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday
Friday 7 December	Term 4 students finish
Friday 14 December	Staff final day
Friday 21 December	College Office closes/Gazetted School closure

Year 9 and 12 iPads in 2018

Parents of Year 9 and 12 students are aware that the iPad program for these year levels continues in 2018 and will

remain fully supported by the College. These devices will continue to be pivotal learning tools within the classroom for these year levels.

Books, resources and network support will continue to be fully supported for the iPad by the College.

Care Monkey

The Health Care System at the College

CareMonkey is an innovative parent controlled electronic medical form for schools that have a duty of care responsibility. It is an electronic version of the paper based forms that you have previously been required to fill in for excursions and camps, etc.

It also provides parents with the opportunity to update medical information promptly and accurately while providing the school with instant access to the emergency information provided by you.

When advised to do so please create your CareMonkey profile for your son and share this information with the College. We will then have access to the data that you have entered and we will use this system to have access to student medical information when attending camps and excursions.

All excursion permission letters will then be emailed to parents/guardians using this system. You will be able to grant approval for your son to attend these activities.

Parents of Year 7 students

An email will be sent to parents of Year 7 2018 students and new families regarding the setup of your CareMonkey profile for your child.

Parents of Year 8 to 12 students

Parents who have still not updated their CareMonkey profile are required to revisit your sons CareMonkey profile, as a matter of urgency, update any relevant information and clarify that the email and contact information is accurate.

In order for students to leave College premises and attend any excursion they must have a current CareMonkey profile.



Academy Uniforms

238 Wolseley Place

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College Photos

College Photos will take place on Monday 5th February for all students in the College.

Parents are asked to ensure that students are wearing the correct College uniform, are clean shaven and are well groomed for the College Photos.

Please note: Students who are unshaven or have hair longer than the regulation length will be unable to have their photos taken.

Epipens and Excursions

Parents of students that are at risk of anaphylaxis should be aware that, in response to Ministerial Order 706, it is College policy and a requirement of legislation that students who attend the College must have supplied the College with a valid Epipen and a current anaphylaxis action plan for their personal use.

In order for a student to attend an excursion or event off the premises they must carry their individual College Epipen and their spare Epipen from home with them in order to attend that event. This is to ensure that sufficient medications are available should the student require them.

If parents have specific enquiries about Epipens please contact Ms Ireland in First Aid at our Bundoora Campus.

Mr Michael Callanan

Assistant Principal - Organisation



Remember to take your Epipens with you when going on an excursion or to an event - if you forget your Epipen you can't leave the College



2018 College Bus Services

All College Bus Services will commence on Wednesday 31 January for all students.

Charter Buses

All students who travelled on a College charter bus in 2017 are presumed to intend to continue to travel on a charter bus in 2018 unless we are advised otherwise. If you do not need to use the charter bus network in 2018, please contact the College Logistics Office in writing **urgently** to advise us of this change.

Public Transport Victoria Buses

All students using PTV buses must have a valid MYKI card and a relevant College Bus Pass. Students who used a College PTV bus in 2017 are presumed to intend to use the same bus route in 2018. If you wish to discontinue access to the PTV bus network please contact the College Logistics Office in writing **urgently**. If you have not yet applied to use the College PTV bus network, please contact the College Logistics Office **urgently** to receive the necessary PTV Application Form.

All new students who have applied to use a charter or PTV bus will receive a temporary 2018 College Bus Pass by mail in late January. Temporary College Bus Passes are valid to access the College bus network until the new 2018 Student ID Card-Bus Passes are distributed in mid-March. All returning students need to continue to use last year's ID cards to access the bus network until the new 2018 cards arrive. If they have lost last year's College Bus Pass, they **MUST** reapply for a replacement Pass *at the earliest opportunity **prior to** Wednesday 31 January.*

Written communication with the College Logistics Office can be made via the direct email address transport@parade.vic.edu.au. Phone contact with the College Logistics Office can be made via the direct phone line 9468-3372.

Mr Kevin Bourke

Logistics and Environment Manager

PARADE COLLEGE 2018 TRAFFIC ARRANGEMENTS

To assist new families at Parade we have put together some information which we hope will make it easier for you when dropping your son off at the College.

Student Pick Up Zones are now located in Naughtin Terrace and Callan Court which are located at the rear of the College buildings. Please follow the directional signs along the College driveway.

Please note that there is no car access to, or exit from, Garvey Terrace, Visitors Car Park or the College Bus Circuit between 2:45pm and 3:45pm daily

Suggested options when dropping your son off:

An alternative option is to collect your child from Edmund Rice Park beside ERC building which is accessible from Milton Parade off Plenty Rd or Cameron Parade, refer to Melway maps 9 & 10, or

For **Lynch House** students: travel via the main driveway to the rear of the property to collect your son from the Naughtin Terrace precinct, or

For **Bodkin, Hughes or Treacy House** students: travel via the main driveway to the rear of the property to collect your son from Callan Court precinct

For **Edmund Rice Trade Training Centre** students: travel via the main driveway to the rear of the property to collect your son from Callan Court precinct

Please be aware that buses have priority at all times whilst on College property

To assist with student safety and efficient traffic flow please note the following College protocols

- “No standing” anywhere along the College driveway
- Students cannot be collected or dropped off along the College driveway
- Please do not wait in the main driveway or block buses at any time
- As access to the Visitors Car Park is restricted keep moving to the rear of the College
- Obey all “Give Way” signs at all times
- Comply with all speed zones and traffic management signage and
- Follow directions by traffic marshals and/or parking attendants

Please contact Mr Kevin Bourke if you would like to consider bus transport to the College



From the Assistant Principal - Student Welfare

Welcome to Parade College for 2018

A very warm welcome to families joining the Parade and the Edmund Rice community for the first time this year – you are very welcome and we look forward to getting to know you. We hope that your son settles in quickly and makes some friends among his new classmates and Tutor Group.

Please don't hesitate to contact your son's Tutor Teacher in these first few weeks to clarify information or ask questions – they will be only too happy to help you.

Year 7 2018 Families

Orientation Day in December last year ran very smoothly and we enjoyed meeting our newest Paradians. We hope that our Year 7s first day as Paradians on Wednesday 31 January is equally as exciting for them.

Below are a few reminders for our Year 7 2018 students:-

All Year 7 2018 Students – Wednesday 31 January

- Remember to make sure your son knows where to find you if you are *picking him up* at the end of his first day.
- Make sure your son has his College *Student Planner, laptop and padlock* with him on his first day for his locker.
- Your son should be dressed in his *Summer College uniform*. He can choose to wear his blazer to and from school in Terms 1 and 4 – it is not compulsory in those terms. However, he will need to have it and his College tie at school for Photo Day on Monday 5 February.
- Please make sure that your son's *school shoes* are made of hard, black, polishable leather – these provide greater protection for his feet than 'sports' style shoes.
- Your son will need to bring his lunch and snacks to school on Wednesday. The Canteens will be open if he prefers to buy his lunch – an icy pole and drink will be provided at lunch time as a special treat.
- Buses will be running in the morning and the afternoon from 31 January – make sure you have a back-up plan in place in case your son misses his bus at some stage during the year!

Year 7 2018 Liturgy

At 2.30pm on Wednesday 31 January, the Year 7 and Year 12 students at both campuses will celebrate a Liturgy together to welcome our newest Paradians, and to begin the process of handing on the traditions of our College.

Year 7 parents are very welcome to join the boys and staff for this in College Hall at Bundoora or in the MacKillop Centre at Preston. The Liturgy will conclude around 3.00pm, and the students will be free to go home with parents then.

Year 7 2018 Information Evening – Thursday 8 February

A letter has been emailed home to all Year 7 families in relation to the Parent Information Evening – please check your email for this letter. If you cannot locate it, please contact Mrs Margaret Grech (PA to the Assistant Principal - Student Welfare) on the College phone number, 9468-3300, and she will be able to help you.

A Guide for Students and Their Families Graduating from Primary School

Andrew Fuller, clinical psychologist, media commentator and author . . . and friend of Parade.

You and your son might like to read the information from Andrew, who worked with our staff in 2017 and will return to do so again in 2018 – it may help with any anxieties he (or you) may have.

Let's get the Number One worry out of the way first
Most graduating primary school students worry that they won't make friends at their new school. From the Orientation Day last year, you know who is coming to your school and you have met some boys in your Tutor Group already. You will do most of your classes with boys from your House so that you can get to know them, and you will go on Camp with your House in March. So, we help you to meet other boys and make new friends.

If no one you know is going to your new school, think about who you want to remain in touch with from your primary school and how you are going to do that.

Making new friends

Going to a new school is a chance to make new friends. The friends you have now are mostly people you didn't

know when you started school. When you finish school it will be just like that - you will have a whole lot of friends that you don't know now. So you are about to meet new friends.

You want to know the hardest thing about making friends?

Saying hello. You know how to do this – you've done it before - even though you might feel uncomfortable saying hello to people you don't know.

When you start at a new school you have a choice - you can either get to know one or two people or lots of people. Maybe think about getting to know lots of people in the first few days at a new school. It can feel cool to sit back and only speak to people who speak to you, but you might miss out on getting to know some really great people – and they will miss out on getting to know you!

Go up to someone you don't know and say hello, my name is.....Ask what's your name? Repeat their name and start a conversation.

You want to know the second hardest thing?

Knowing what to say. Having a few standard questions can be useful. Some examples are:- What do you do for fun? Where are you from? Do you have a favourite sport/ computer game/YouTube clip?

It might feel hard to believe this, but everyone feels a bit nervous on the first few days of a new school. People are as worried about what you think of them as you probably are about what they think of you.

By being brave and talking to people you not only help yourself, you help others.

Seal the relationship

Now you've broken the ice and said hello and you've had a bit of a chat, now its time to seal the deal. The next day go up to that person and say, "hi, (use their name) how are you?" (Maybe even invite him to play downball with you!)

I know this probably sounds really basic to you but just being friendly gets you a lot of friends because people like people who like them.

You are ready for this

It feels weird doing new things at first and you are ready for this move. All of the time you have spent at primary school has been preparing you for this moment.

Know the layout

Don't worry that you will get lost – everyone does at some time or another! Your Tutor Teacher will take you on a tour again on your first day, and you can always ask anyone for directions. But the best thing to remember is that it won't take you long to work out where everything is – and you aren't alone.

Try

There are lots of things to do at Parade, so just give everything a go! Don't be scared to try something new or something that really seems interesting to you, even if your friends aren't too keen. If you try, you may amaze yourself – and make some more new friends along the way!

Mistakes are the way we all learn

Learning is like in science. In science we come up with our best idea. We call that a hypothesis. Then we conduct a series of experiments to work out if that is indeed the best idea or if there is a better idea. In science there are no mistakes. There are just experiments that help you to get to better ideas. You will make mistakes. Everyone makes mistakes. That is how we learn. If you feel too scared to make a mistake you can't be creative and you can't be the genius you truly are.

Not every one will be your best friend

You are not going to like everyone and not everyone will like you either. Be as friendly as you can be but don't get too upset if a few people don't seem to want to be close to you. That should be ok. Focus on the people who like and appreciate you.

Have fun and be adventurous

Over the next few years, you can have some of the best times in your life. Set out to enjoy yourself as much as you can. Try to amaze yourself with what you can achieve at school, in making new friends, in learning new things and in becoming an even more wonderful person.

And welcome back to our continuing families and students for 2018

Some reminders appear below and to the right for the first week back for 2018.

Uniform

- Please check that your son has the correct College **Summer shirt** ready to go for Day 1. Winter shirts with or without tie are not permitted – and please remember, as advised in Term 4 last year, a white business shirt will be required for the Winter uniform in Terms 2 and 3 – College Summer shirts will only be for Terms 1 and 4.
- If your son chooses to wear a singlet under his shirt, please make sure that it is plain white – no logos, prints or colours.
- Grey Shorts or trousers can be worn in Term 1 – dress shorts only – *no elastic or drawstring waists* please!
- Jumpers and blazers go together to and from school! If your son wishes to wear his jumper to and from school, he must wear his blazer as well!
- *Grey marle walk socks* with black, hard, polishable leather shoes – no canvas shoes, or black leather ‘sports-style’ shoes. No BLACK socks allowed
- Leave all *jewellery* at home – no earrings, pierced jewellery, necklaces, rings, bracelets, friendship bands, sports bands, or other bands to be worn. If it is precious or important in any way to your son, it is safer at home, away from possible accidental damage or loss.
- Hair should be neat, clean and in a business-like style, eg; no dreadlocks, braids, mohawks, “Dusty-cuts”, etc. Hair length should be above the bottom of the collar of the College Summer shirt.
- If your son is shaving, please make sure that he is clean-shaven for school each and every day.

NB: All students in Years 7 to 12 at both campuses must wear College uniform to school on Monday 5 February for College photos AND bring their blazers and ties with them.

VCAL and VCE students may wear the Senior Tie for these photos. They can be purchased for \$27 at the Uniform Shops at both campuses.

College Bus Network

- Students are not allowed to eat or drink on any of the buses to and from school;

- They are required to stay in their seats to and from school, and wear the seat belts where these are provided;
- Throwing any kind of material inside or outside the bus is a serious offence and will be treated as such;
- Noise levels should be kept to a reasonable level to allow bus drivers to concentrate on the task of getting students safely to their destinations;
- a MYKI with appropriate funds is required for those students travelling on buses where a MYKI fare is required;
- and finally, cooperation with any directions given by bus drivers in the interests of all passengers safety is ALWAYS required from all Parade students.

Public Transport

We expect all students to behave with courtesy and respect towards drivers and other passengers when using any form of public transport to and from school, and on excursions.

Plenty Road and Bell Street

For students’ safety, we require all boys who need to cross Plenty Road or Bell Street, for any reason, to do so **at the lights** on the **marked pedestrian crossings**.

The traffic lights at the entrance to the Bundoora Campus do **not** mark a pedestrian crossing and students should not attempt to cross Plenty Road at that point.

Bundoora Parents, please do not ask your son to meet you in the Hungry Jack’s carpark, or drop him off there in the morning – the boys will always take the shortest way across the road, and there is no designated crossing from that point across Plenty Road.

We would ask that parents emphasise this point with their sons so that students can remain safe as they cross two very busy roadways. We also expect students to obey traffic signals, teacher directions and instructions given by crossing supervisors.

The Student Well-Being Team of Tutor Teachers, House Leaders, Counsellors and myself look forward to welcoming your sons to school for 2018 and helping him to have a successful year.

Miss Regina Rowan

Assistant Principal - Student Welfare



From the Registrar

School Photographs – Monday 5 February

This year National Photography have provided a personalised photo envelope for each student which you will find included in this mailout to all families.

If you have not received an envelope please contact the Reception at either campus for a generic envelope.

Your son must bring his photo order envelope with him **ON THE DAY OF PHOTOS**, not beforehand please.

All students must bring the photo order envelope with them on the day and have their school photograph taken on this day for the purpose of school ID cards, regardless of whether or not you wish to purchase photos.

Please read all instructions carefully when ordering photos and if paying by cash please enclose the correct money as the photographers will not be in a position to give change on the day.

On photo day please ensure your son is clean shaven, neatly dressed and in full College uniform including blazer, summer shirt, tie, trousers or shorts (with correct socks) and polished black shoes.

Please note: Students who are unshaven or have hair longer than the regulation length will be unable to have their photos taken.

If you require your sons to have a family photo, please ensure they see me on photo day at the Bundoora campus or Sam Bullen at the Preston campus. Family photographs will be taken at the conclusion of photos.

For any queries please contact National Photography on 9428-9420.

Exiting Students

If your son is not returning in 2018 please contact me on 9468-3304 or registrar@parade.vic.edu.au for an Exit Form. This will ensure you are charged the correct amount in fees and charges. If your son was in Year 7 or 10 in 2017 and is not returning and has a laptop, a reminder that the laptop is College property and must be returned in working condition to the IT department undamaged to avoid any additional charges.

Academy Uniforms

The uniform shop is located at both campuses in the main Administration buildings and will re-open on Friday 2 February at the Bundoora campus and on Tuesday 6 February at the Preston campus. Uniform items can also be ordered online. Instructions are below.

1. Go to www.academyuniforms.com.au
2. Select ORDER ON-LINE
3. Choose Parade College then enter password: **Bundoora**

Opening hours for the campus shops are:

Bundoora

Tuesdays between 2.30pm – 4.00pm

Fridays between 8.00am – 9.00am

Preston

Tuesdays between 10.30am – 11.00am

Year 7 2020 Enrolments close on Friday 17 August 2018

Applications are now being accepted for 2020 and beyond.

If you have a son currently at the College you are still required to submit an application for any younger siblings.

Please contact me on 9468-3304 or email registrar@parade.vic.edu.au to obtain a Information pack.

College Open Day – Sunday 18 February 2018

You are kindly invited to bring along any younger siblings to view our facilities at both our Bundoora and Preston campuses on this day. The Preston campus will be open from 10.00am to 2.00pm and the Bundoora campus will be open from 11.00am to 3.00pm on the day.

Mrs Angela O'Connor

Registrar



Indian Immersion 2018

This year is the third year in a row that a Parade College group will be visiting India. The trip will take place during the September school holidays.

The India Immersion is a great opportunity for our students to learn about a different country and culture, to be involved in schools for very poor children, and to learn a lot about social justice and about themselves.



Devlin McCarthy Year 10 T17 (2017) and Mr Tony Teo visiting a Providence School family in Shillong

There will be an Information Night for interested students and parents on Monday 12 February from 7.30pm to 8.30pm in the Banksia Room.

The 2018 India Immersion is open to students in Years 10 and 11 but if your son is younger you are welcome to attend so that you can be informed for coming years. All welcome.

For additional information contact Kylie Kuppe.

Mrs Kylie Kuppe
Director of Ministry



It is a condition of travelling on the PTV College Bus Network that students carry a relevant College Bus Pass (printed on the reverse of their College ID card) and have a MYKI card with sufficient credit for the fare.

Students aged 17 and 18 no longer need to purchase a Victorian Public Transport Concession Card, however those purchasing a Victorian Student Pass are still required to purchase a Victorian Public Transport Concession Card.

The Parade College buses that operate under this PTV system include:

- Route F** to Regent Station;
- Route G** to Reservoir North, Massey Ave;
- Route H** to Botanica Park & Thomastown Station;
- Route K** to South Morang, Whittlesea & Humevale
- Route L** to Apollo Parkways & St Helena;
- Route M** to St Thomas PS & Yarrambat;
- Route N** to Greensborough Station;
- Route P** to McDonalds Rd Epping, Pindari Ave Mill Park;
- Route Q** to Blossom Park & Mill Park;
- Route R** to Sth Morang Station & Mill Park Lakes

Students travelling on our College *CHARTER* Bus Network need to carry and show their College Bus Pass whenever asked.

If you have any questions regarding this please contact me at the College on 9468-3372.

Mr Kevin Bourke
Logistics and Environment Manager

Introducing the Student Counselling Team



Damian Mahony (Bundoora)

Damian is a post-graduate qualified school and clinical social worker with thirty five years' experience in working with children, teenagers and families in child and adolescent mental health services, schools and a number of other government and non-government organisations. Damian is strength focused and although he enjoys helping young people and families in distress, is interested in intervening early or trying to prevent problems before they occur. Damian has three grown up children, one whom has autism and other disabilities.



Sharon Muir (Bundoora)

Sharon has worked as a psychologist since 2008 and has been a member of the Student Counselling Team at Parade College since 2012. She has worked in other settings as well, including the Department of Education and Training and in private practice. Sharon also worked as a teacher in both primary and secondary schools for fifteen years.



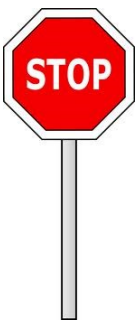
Annette Magro (Bundoora)

During almost twenty five years of social work practice Annette has worked with young people and families in a range of settings including schools, disability agencies and refugee support. As well as working directly with the student, with his consent, Annette can also engage family and community networks to help the young person achieve his goals. A member of the Student Counselling Team since 2014, Annette finds her discussions with Parade students both enriching and enjoyable.



Courtney Baglin (Preston)

Courtney is a clinical psychologist who has spent a number of years working with children, teenagers, young people and their families. Courtney graduated from RMIT University and has worked in a range of settings including both primary and secondary schools and the Royal Children's Hospital Melbourne. Courtney is passionate about helping young people feel confident and resilient and supporting them to reach their goals and take meaningful action in their life.



In the interests of student safety.....

- * Please observe all speed zones and traffic management signage whilst on College grounds
- * Please follow directions by traffic marshals and parking attendants
- * Please remember there is a strict "No Standing" rule for all vehicles anywhere along the College driveway

Thank you for your co-operation



From the Director of High Performance Sport

Melbourne Six Day Cycling Class

The Melbourne Six Day Cycling Classic was held at the Northcote Velodrome from 5 to 10 December. The best track cyclists from around Australia, coupled with a number of elite overseas riders and World Champions, made this an extremely excitement and hard fought event.

Congratulations to Year 12 student, Nathan Bof (B10) who competed in the Under 19 Division of this six day event, winning two Maddsion races to finish 4th overall.

Nathan has had a very busy schedule over the last few months on the track, culminating in the in the National Championships which will be held in Brisbane from 1 to 4 February.



ACC Swimming Championships 2018

The ACC Swimming Championships will take place at MSAC on Friday 23 February. Training for the Parade Swimming Team will take place at the Watermac Pool in Greensborough.

Students interested in being involved in the team can either meet Mr Gaut at Watermac five minutes before training commences, or a bus will leave from the Bundoora Campus at 6.40am on a Monday and Friday, and 7.10am on a Wednesday for training.

Transport will be provided for the return trip from Watermac back to school. Students from the Preston Campus should see Mr Watson for transport arrangements.

Listed below are all training and trial sessions.

Wednesday 7 February	Watermac 7.30 to 8.30am
Thursday 8 February	Year 7 Swimming Trials Coburg Outdoor Pool 12.30 to 2.45pm
Friday 9 February	Watermac 7.00 to 8.00am
Monday 12 February	Watermac 7.00 to 8.00am
Wednesday 14 February	Watermac 7.30 to 8.30am
Friday 16 February	Watermac 7.00 to 8.00am
Monday 19 February	Full Squad Final Training Session Coburg Outdoor Pool 12.50 to 2.45pm
Friday 23 February	ACC Swimming Championships MSAC 6.00 to 10.00pm

Students that need further information should speak with either Mr Gaut at Bundoora or Mr Watson at Preston

ACC Athletic Championships 2018

The ACC Athletic Championships will be held at the Lakeside Stadium on Wednesday 28 March at the Lakeside Stadium, Albert Park.

Students interested in being involved in the Parade Athletic Team should see Mr Gaut in E44 prior to the commencement of training in 2018.

The training schedule for 2018 is as follows:

Training after school at Bunjil Park from 3.30pm to 4.45pm for all interested students:

Tuesday 6 February and Thursday 8 February
All Year Levels

Tuesday 13 February and Thursday 15 February
All Year Levels

Tuesday 20 February and Thursday 22 February
All Year Levels

Willinda Park Training – 12.50pm to 2.45pm:

Tuesday 27 February
Years 9 to 12 (Trials)

Thursday 1 March
Years 7 and 8 (Trials)

Tuesday 6 March
Years 9 to 12 (Trials)

Tuesday 13 March
Years 9 to 12 (Trials)

Thursday 15 March
All Year Levels - Selected Athletes

Tuesday 20 March
All Year Levels - Selected Athletes

Monday 26 March
All Year Levels - Selected Athletes

Transport will be provided for all students involved in training

Junior Athletic Carnivals:

Year 7 Athletics Carnival - Bunjil Park
Thursday 15 February Periods 4 to 6

Year 8 Athletics Carnival – Bunjil Park
Thursday 8 February Periods 4 to 6

Mr Phillip Gaut

Director of High Performance Sport

Update Your Contact Details

It is important that we have the most up to date contact details for parents at all times.

If you are moving or you change your telephone number, mobile number or email address please call our Registrar, Mrs O'Connor, on 9468-3304 or email registrar@parade.vic.edu.au to update your details

Booklist Collection

Years 7-10 2018

Wednesday 24 January 9.00am–12.00pm

Students attending Bundoora campus in 2018 collect books at the Yarangabee Centre.

Students attending Preston campus in 2018 collect books at the Mackillop Centre.



SAFE SCHOOL BUS TRAVEL

For students

- Stand well back from the road and don't push and shove when waiting for the school bus.
- Only approach the kerb once the school bus completely stops.
- While on board sit down and hold on.
- If the bus has seatbelts you must wear them at all times.
- Be aware that your noise levels and behaviour could distract the driver.
- When leaving the bus never cross the road until the bus has moved away and you can clearly see all road traffic.
- Remove your headphones and ignore your mobile phone so that you can be fully aware of your surroundings.

For parents

- Try to park on the same side of the road as the school bus stop so your child doesn't have to cross the road. Remember many school bus stops are located on roads that have 80/100 km speed limits.

For car drivers

- Slow down and watch for students when you see a school bus has stopped.

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From the Business Manager

5% Discount Offer for 2018 Tuition Charges

Invoices for 2018 were issued in early November 2017. If you have not received your invoice for 2018 fees, please contact the office immediately.

A discount of 5% off tuition fees is offered for payment in full by Friday 16 February 2018.

Payment Authority

Families are reminded that any Direct Debit Payment authorities for 2017 will remain in place unless we are advised otherwise. Payments will be updated for the current balance outstanding.

Families need to check their bank accounts to ensure that any existing arrangements have rolled over for 2018.

If you are a new family or do not have a Direct Debit payment authority in place, please return your form immediately.

If you would like to discuss other options available regarding the payment of fees, please call Ms Emily Hosking on 9468-3327 or email to fees@parade.com.au.

Approved Payment Plans

Families who do not have an existing approved active payment arrangement are required to finalise any 'Brought Forward' outstanding balance immediately.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty with meeting your fee obligations or need some assistance with setting up your payment plan please contact Ms Emily Hosking on 9468-3327 or via fees@parade.vic.edu.au.

Exiting Students

If your son is not returning in 2018 please contact the Registrar, Mrs Angela O'Connor, on 9468-3304 or registrar@parade.vic.edu.au for an Exit Form. This will ensure you are charged the correct amount of fees and charges.

Charter Bus

Students travelling by charter bus in 2018 have been allocated a seat and billed for 2018 unless we have been advised otherwise. Please note one terms notice is required to cancel use of this service.

Families who no longer wish to use the service are required to forward a cancellation request to transport@parade.vic.edu.au or via letter addressed to Mr Kevin Bourke, Logistics and Environment Manager.

Mr Paul Harris
Business Manager

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**Bundoora
Monday to Friday 7.45am-5.00pm**

**Preston
Monday to Friday 8.15am-4.30pm**



Parents of Parade (POP)

A warm welcome to Parade College to all families

On behalf of the Parents of Parade (POP) I would like to extend a warm welcome to the new families who join the Parade community in 2018, and welcome back existing families. Yet another busy year is planned and we encourage all parents to become active members of POP.

The POP Calendar lists all activities and monthly meetings for 2018. All parents are warmly invited to attend the meetings and to come along to events and activities to lend a hand and be involved in the rich life of Parade College.

POP Principles

1. Enhance parent son relationships
2. Welcome new members to the Parade community
3. Support initiatives to augment the Parade environment

POP Meeting

Our first meeting for 2018 will be held on Wednesday 7 February at 7.30pm in the Boardroom at Bundoora. This will be the first opportunity for parents of new students to come along and be a part of our vibrant parent community.

All welcome!

Please consider attending our first meeting to learn more about POP, find out about future events and enjoy the friendship of a hard-working group of parents. If you would like further information please contact Jeff Warke, President Parents of Parade on 0409 174 208 or email:

pop@parade.vlc.edu.au

Keep up to date with POP events and activities

Download the POP app >> [Apple iOS](#) which is always up to date with our events.

Please take note of details in this *Newsletter* and see if you can attend a meeting or help at an event. Any time you can share with fellow parents would be appreciated.

POP Calendar 2018

7 February	POP Meeting 1
8 February	Year 7 Information Evening
18 February	Open Day
13 March	Year 7 Mother & Son Evening
14 March	POP Meeting 2
18 March	Working Bee
19 March	Father Son Summer Games
18 April	POP Meeting 3
9 May	POP Meeting 4
31 May	Year 7 Parent Dinner
13 June	POP Meeting 5
18 July	POP Meeting 6
15 August	POP Meeting 7
13 August	Father Son Winter Games
29 August	Father's Day Breakfast
12 September	POP Meeting 8
10 October	POP Meeting 9
22 October	Year 12 Valet
25 October	Year 7 2019 Family Orientation Evening
30 October	Twilight Open Evening (Preston)
13 November	Twilight Open Evening (Bundoora)
14 November	POP AGM

please check the Newsletter each fortnight and note any changes

Jeff Warke
President Parents of Parade
0409 174 208
pop@parade.vlc.edu.au



From The Old Paradians

Neville's gift in memory of Uncle Frank

An Old Paradians' Association medallion thought to have been cast almost 100 years ago has been donated to the College archive.

The generous donor is Neville Benedict, a final year Parade student in the wartime year of 1944, who handed the item over last December.



The medallion is thought to have been presented to his maternal uncle Francis William ('Frank') Frawley at the time he served as Secretary of the Old Paradians' Association under the Presidency of Cecil Cantwell back in 1920.

Born on June 11, 1888, Frank is known to have attended CBC East Melbourne in the late 1890s, with his younger brothers Leo and Joseph following in the early 1900s. Neville remembered that the Frawley family home was situated within walking distance of the Old Bluestone Pile on the corner of Victoria and Johnston Streets – "a pretty substantial building that's still there".

Having completed his studies at Melbourne University (during which time he also trained as a military cadet), Frank, then employed as a railway official, enlisted for wartime duty. It was May 1914, and Frank was 26 years old. Frank enlisted with the AIF's 24th Battalion and on his appointment as captain in May 1915 disembarked the *Euripides* in Alexandria en route to Marseilles. That year, *The Paradian* acknowledged Frawley and his like in an article headlined Old Paradians on Active Service which in part read as follows;

"This year will ever be remembered in the annals of the College with a mixture of pride and sorrow – sorrow for the thousands who are daily perishing, and pride in the knowledge that many of the Old Parade boys have heard the Empire's call. There are over one hundred Old Boys now in the firing line."

Though the 24th took part in its first major offensive around Pozieres and Mouquet Farm in July and August 1917, Frank's active wartime service had already been curtailed due to a bacterial infection.

In January 1917, Frank was admitted to the 7th Stationary Hospital in England with illness, and after another brief foray in France returned to England to fulfil administrative duties.

During this period, the auld alma mater wasn't far from Frank's thoughts. As *The Paradian* of 1917 reported;

"(Frank) writes breezily and often from the firing line. He has passed unscathed through the terrible campaigns of Gallipoli and France, and his latest letter received was written on the eve of departure for a three weeks' trip to the land of his forefathers. His letters from Ireland are awaited with interest."

By late 1919, not long after his discharge, Frank was back in Australia. The following year he accepted the role of Old Paradians' Association secretary.

Neville remembered that his uncle later pursued a career in the public service, and rose to become the State Accommodations Officer, a precursor to the Director of Housing.

"It was just after the war when they were housing people in old army huts as they did later at Camp Pell," Neville said.

"I know that Frank was back in uniform through the Second World War also, and at one stage was the Officer in Charge of the barracks at Caulfield Racecourse when the Australians were based at Caulfield and the Americans at the MCG."

Now 88, Neville remembered his uncle as "a fine bloke" and thought it important that his memory was perpetuated at the College by way of the medallion.

"The medallion has been sitting quietly about the place for years, but we've just had a big clean-up at home and I thought the College might be grateful for it," Neville said.



"Frank was my maternal uncle and as far as I know I'm the last survivor. All my family members are dead and they include my older brothers Kevin and Leo who also went to Parade."

Mr Tony De Bolfo
Old Paradians' Association CEO



Parade College

2018 Family Calendar Information

15 January 2018

<p>Public Holidays Staff PD/Student Free Days</p> <p>12 March Labour Day 22 March Staff PD Day 30 Mar-2 April EASTER 20 April Staff PD Day 25 April ANZAC Day 11 June Queens Birthday 20 June Report Finalisation Day 11 September Staff PD Day 5 November Mid-Term Break 6 November Melbourne Cup Day 23 November Report Finalisation Day</p>	<p>Parent/Tutor/Student/Teacher Interviews</p> <p>Term 1 1 March, Term 2 19 April, 24 April Term 3 19 July*, 10 September^ *(VCE, Yr10 ERPP, Yr11&12 VCAL) ^(Yr 7-12)</p>	<p>Term Dates 2018</p> <p>Term 1 31 January – 29 March Term 2 16 April – 29 June Term 3 16 July – 21 September Term 4 8 October – 7 December</p>
<p>Immunisations</p> <p>Bundoora Campus Year 7 17 April HPV1 & Boostrix 1 November HPV2</p> <p>Preston Campus Year 7 13 March HPV1 & Boostrix 23 October HPV2</p>	<p>Working Bees</p> <p>Sunday 18 March</p> <p>Sunday 19 August 8.00am – 12:30pm</p>	<p>Bundoora Campus Telephone 9468 3300 Fax 9467 3937 Preston Campus Telephone 9416 6550 Fax 9484 6759 Student Services/Absence Line 9468 3342 (B) 9416 6533 (P)</p>
<p>Yr 9 ExCEL – Wednesday</p> <p>Term 1 7 Feb, 14 Feb, 21 Feb, 28 Feb, 7 Mar, 14 Mar, 21 Mar Term 2 18 Apr, 2 May, 9 May, 13 May, 23 May, 30 May, 6 Jun, 13 Jun, 27 Jun Term 3 18 Jul, 25 Jul, 1 Aug, 8 Aug, 15 Aug, 22 Aug, 29 Aug, 5 Sep, 12 Sep, 19 Sep Term 4 10 Oct, 17 Oct, 24 Oct, 31 Oct, 7 Nov, 14 Nov</p>	<p>Principal Dr Denis J Moore cfc</p> <p>Assistant Principal (T&L) Mr Andy Kuppe Assistant Principal (SW&D) Mr Mark Aiello Assistant Principal (SW) Miss Regina Rowan Assistant Principal (Org) Mr Michael Callanan</p>	<p>Business Manager Mr Paul Harris Director (T&L) Mr Geoff Caulfield Director Student Support Serv Ms Jenine Fogarty Director Ministry Mrs Kylie Kuppe</p>
<p>Fixtured ACC Games</p> <p>Term 1 Cricket, Tennis, Volleyball, (Years 11-12) Term 2 Football, Soccer, Badminton (all year levels) Term 3 Hockey, Basketball, Table Tennis (all year levels) Term 4 Cricket, Tennis, Volleyball (Years 7-10)</p>	<p>Dir High Performance Sport Mr Phil Gault HR Coordinator Ms Doreen Cutajar RTO Executive Officer Mr Tony McKay Director Pathways Education Mr John Nicholls Facilitator of E-Learning Mrs Sheena Wright Sports Academy Mr Ricky Dyson</p>	<p>Registrar Mrs Angela O'Connor</p>
<p>Committee Meetings</p> <p>College Board 5 Feb, 5 Mar, 9 Apr, 7 May, 4 Jun, 2 Jul, 6 Aug, 3 Sep, 1 Oct, 12 Nov, 5 Dec Parents of Parade 7 Feb, 14 Mar, 18 Apr, 19 May, 13 Jun, 18 Jul, 15 Aug, 12 Sep, 10 Oct, 14 Nov Finance Committee 29 Jan, 26 Feb, 26 Mar, 30 Apr, 8 May, 25 Jun, 30 Jul, 27 Aug, 25 Sep, 29 Oct, 26 Nov</p>	<p>College Board Chair Mr Darryn Borg</p>	<p>Preston Campus Coordinator Mrs Sally Ryan</p>
<p>Ministry Retreats Year 12</p> <p>Term 1 7/8 Feb, 14/15 Feb, 21/22 Feb, 14/15 Mar Term 2 18/19 Apr, 2/3 May, 16/17 May, 23/24 May, 6/7 Jun, 27/28 Jun Term 3 VCAL Retreat 1/2 Aug, VCAL Retreat 15/16 Aug</p>	<p>House Leaders Bodkin Upper Mr Tony Trantino Bodkin Lower Mr Cameron Elmore Hughes Upper Mr Jake Williams Hughes Lower Mr Lucas Drew Lynch Upper Mr John Houlihan Lynch Lower Mrs Jenny Palmer Treacy Upper Mrs Paola Fornito Treacy Lower Mr Luke Rosbrook</p>	<p>Ministry Team Mrs Kylie Kuppe Ms Marita Stretch Mr Andrew Lansdell Mrs Natalie Patuto</p>
<p>Homework Club – Tuesday/Wednesday 3.15 – 4.30pm</p> <p>Term 1 6/7 Feb, 13/14 Feb, 20/21 Feb, 27/28 Feb, 6/7 Mar, 13/14 Mar, 20/21 Mar, 27 Mar Term 2 17/18 Apr, 24 Apr, 1/2 May, 8/9 May, 15/16 May, 22/23 May, 29/30 May, 5/6 Jun, 12/13 Jun, 19 Jun, 26/27 Jun Term 3 17/18 Jul, 24/25 Jul, 31 July/1 Aug, 7/8 Aug, 14/15 Aug, 21/22 Aug, 28/29 Aug, 4/5 Sep, 12 Sep, 18/19 Sept Term 4 9/10 Oct, 16/17 Oct, 23/24 Oct, 30/31 Oct, 7 Nov, 13/14 Nov, 20/21 Nov, 27/28 Nov, 4/5 Dec</p>	<p>First Aid Bundoora Ms Cathie Ireland First Aid Preston Mrs Robyn Musolino</p> <p>Principal's PA Mrs Debbie Singleton Assistant Principal (T&L) PA Mrs Anne O'Riordan Assistant Principal (SW&D) PA Ms Dominique Galli Assistant Principal (SW) PA Mrs Margaret Grech Assistant Principal (Org) Ms Cathie Ireland Student Services Ms Diane Psaila</p>	<p>Logistics & Environ Manager Mr Kevin Bourke Property & Services Manager Mr Rod Macdonald Sports Coordinator Mr Ben Turner Sports Convener (Preston) Mr Paul Watson Community Liaison Officer Mr Jim Seymour</p>
	<p>Old Paradians Reunions</p> <p>16 Mar 1978 Reunion 18 April 1968 Reunion Luncheon TBC 27 April 1988 Reunion 25 May 1998 Reunion 22 June 2008 Reunion</p>	



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Calendar

The following important dates in the College calendar can also be found on our website under the 'News' tab

24 January	* Booklist Collection Years 7 to 10, 9.00am to 12.00pm Yarangabee Centre at Bundoora Mackillop Centre at Preston	13 February	* Shrove Tuesday * Homework Club 3.15-4.30pm * VCE Parent Information Evening, 7.00pm Rivergum Theatre
26 January	* Australia Day Public Holiday	14 February	* Ash Wednesday * Ministry Retreat #2 * Launch GAP Program * ACC Senior Sport Round 3 * Homework Club 3.15-4.30pm * Musical Rehearsal at Parade College
29-30 January	* Year 7 and Year 10 laptop collection and induction sessions	15 February	* Ministry Retreat #2 * Strategic Planning Meeting 7.30am * NLC Official Opening 11.00am
29 January	* Staff Professional Development Day * Finance Meeting, 7.30pm Boardroom	16 February	* Chinese New Year
30 January	* Staff Professional Development Day	18 February	* First Sunday of Lent * Open Day * OPA Bike Ride Alphington to Bundoora
31 January	* Term 1 commences Years 7, 11 and 12	19 February	* Old Paradians Executive Meeting, 7.30pm Boardroom * Musical Rehearsals
1 February	* Term 1 commences Years 8, 9 and 10	20 February	* Homework Club 3.15-4.30pm
5 February	* College Photo Day * Board Meeting, 7.15pm Boardroom	21 February	* ACC Senior Sport Round 4 * Ministry Retreat #3 * Homework Club 3.15-4.30pm
6 February	* Homework Club 3.15-4.30pm	22 February	* Ministry Retreat #3
7 February	* Ministry Retreat #1 * Year 12 Elevate Assembly * Homework Club 3.15-4.30pm * POP Meeting, 7.30pm Boardroom	23 February	* ACC 2018 Swimming Championships, MSAC, 7.00-10.00pm
8 February	* Ministry Retreat #1 * Year 7 2018 Information Evening	24 February	* Saturday Detention
9 February	* Commencement Assembly	25 February	* Second Sunday of Lent * Open Day Back Up
12 February	* Musical Rehearsal at Mercy College * India Immersion Information Night, 7.30-8.30pm Banksia Room		



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