



A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG MEN

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**From the Principal**

**Update on Br Denis – Notification of Andy Kuppe as Acting Principal**

Br Denis is in very good spirits and making excellent progress with his recovery. He very much appreciates the Parade Community’s thoughts, prayers, and cards. He is reassured by the quality of care he is receiving from the medical staff at the hospital and the support he is receiving from his immediate family and members of his Congregation.

Br Denis won’t be in a position to return at the start of the 2019 school year. It is not clear exactly when he may return. It obviously depends on his rehabilitation and is not easy to predict. Edmund Rice Education Australia (the Governing body of Parade College) have decided to extend my role as Acting Principal into 2019. They have asked me to continue in this role until such time as Denis’ doctors clear him to return to his duties as Principal. Mark Aiello will continue as acting Deputy Principal in this interim.

We continue to pray for Denis’ return to health. We look forward to him returning to his role as Principal at some stage next year. I will keep you informed with further updates.

**2018 – A Jubilee Year for Parade College**

2018 is a significant year in the life of the College. Over the year we have celebrated 150 years since our Pioneer Brothers arrived, led by Ambrose Treacy. Ambrose Treacy wrote letters home, at least once a month. For the past few weeks I have enjoyed reading them. The Brothers were promised a long list of resources and support ahead of their arrival, by Bishop Goold. These promises amounted to little. In 1869, Treacy wrote home the following:

It now appears that Dr Goold had not one penny towards establishing the Brothers in Melbourne. .... The calls on the people are enormous. The Jesuits are building two new churches. The Vicar is building the Cathedral for the past 19 years .... There is only one-third of it finished. Two orphanages are to be supported. ....The Sisters of Mercy are collecting to enlarge their schools. The priests are collecting to build schools and churches. The Christian Brothers are now collecting. Between all, the people are pretty well plucked.

What would they do? They threw themselves on the generosity of the people at the time. Ambrose writes:

One man told me the pound he gave to me was the seventh within almost as many days, besides meeting the increased expenditure of Christmas – and this out of a small income. One man asked me if the collection ‘was

to procure a home for us'. On hearing that the principal object was to make a beginning and that we had this object in view also, he gave me £5-5-0 and added that, though poor, he would be always found to stand by us with his means during his life.

Almost a hundred years later, with Parade College bursting at the seams at East Melbourne, his successors stood on Treacy's shoulders and decided for a new site at Parade College. There is a 1967 photo that shows Plenty Road as a dirt road with farmland as far as the eye can see and a single solitary sign that you could just make out saying, "Parade College". Melburnians must have thought them raving mad to move a school with Parade's history, from a central position to so far out of Melbourne. The College is now thriving at two northern suburbs' locations: Bundoora and Preston. The move in 1967 to Bundoora was prophetic; and to Preston in 2009 was inspired.

### End of the Year

We commenced this week the new academic year for all students with their 2019 classes and timetables. On Monday we held assemblies to mark the beginning of 2019 studies and to celebrate the transition of some staff and students between campuses. On this Friday there will be final year level assemblies at which academic awards will be announced and the traditional School Spirit and Leadership Awards will be presented for each House. The list of awardees will be on the College Portal.

I acknowledge the cooperative and enthusiastic way in which students of all year levels participated in the events of the last two weeks. Year 11 students enjoyed a very successful Leadership Retreat at Phillip Island and our Year 10 students were well engaged in their work experience. Congratulations to the Year 9 students and Year 8 Students and their staff mentors on their involvement in the various activities and challenges during the Yarangabee-Otways and Lake Emerald experiences.

Please note that *Carols under the Cross* takes place on Wednesday 5 December at 7.30pm in the Rivergum Theatre and will showcase the talents of our Music students and staff. The College will host the annual '*Christmas Party for the Elderly*' on Thursday 6 December with big numbers of guests from local nursing homes attending.

The *Paradian* is being distributed to all students this week and I acknowledge the work of Adele Fernando-Swart and Craig Athaide and their committee in putting together another excellent College Year Book. The student reports are being finalised and will be available electronically next Tuesday morning at 11.00am.

This is our last *Newsletter* for 2018. The first *Newsletter* for 2019 will be posted to families by 25 January with any necessary information for the return to classes on Thursday 31 January for Years 7, 11 and 12 and on Friday 1 February for Years 8, 9 and 10.

We wish all our Parade families a safe and refreshing summer holiday and a happy and peace-filled Christmas and New Year.

At the beginning of Advent, may we be ever grateful for the blessings showered upon us, and for resilience when tragedy strikes. As we await the coming of Jesus, may we pray:

*God of our ancestors, prophets and apostles,  
of Abraham and Sarah, of Moses and Miriam,  
of Mary and Joseph, of Anna and Simeon,  
of Edmund Rice and Ambrose Treacy,  
put within us in this season of advent the longing for your  
coming that burned in those who journeyed before us.  
Amen.*



**Mr Andy Kuppe**  
**Acting Principal**



## From the Assistant Principal - Teaching & Learning

### Holiday Homework over the Christmas Break

All teachers will be setting homework tasks for our VCE students which needs to be completed by the return to school on Thursday 31 January.

Completing this homework not only prepares the students for Day 1 classes but is also an indication of their motivation for the challenges that lie ahead throughout their upcoming year.

In our experience the student who makes excuses on the first day of the year will make excuses right throughout the year and will struggle to work to their potential.

For students in Year 10, however, they are also expected to complete holiday homework, including the reading of set English novels.

Whilst no formal holiday homework will be set for students in Years 7, 8 and 9, regular revision of work during the holiday period, including the reading of set novels, is strongly encouraged for all students.

**Mr Geoff Caulfield**

**Assistant Principal - Teaching and Learning**

## Booklist Collection Days January 2019

### Bundoora Years 7 to 10 (2019)

Thursday 24 January 9.00am–2.00pm

Students attending Bundoora campus in 2019 collect books at the Yarangabee Centre

### Preston Years 7 to 10 (2019)

Thursday 24 January 9.00am–12.00pm

Students attending Preston campus in 2019 collect books at the Mackillop Centre



## 2018 Paradians

The Paradian was distributed to all 2018 Year 7 to Year 11 students on Tuesday 4 December. If your son was absent on that day he should come to NLC Bundoora (until 14 December) or CCLC Preston (until 7 December) to collect his copy.

If your son was absent during the last week of school he will be able to collect his copy when he returns to the College in 2019.

Year 12 students should arrange to collect their copy of the Paradian from NLC up until 14 December, or in early February.

**Mrs Adele Fernando-Swart**

**Paradian Editor**



## Clearing Lockers

All parents/guardians please note that students at both campuses have been advised that they **MUST** clear their lockers by Friday 7 December and they will need to take their padlocks home with them.

We would appreciate parents/guardians reminding their sons that they need to do this.

All lockers will be cleaned on Monday 10 December, and any items left in lockers will be discarded.

The College cannot take any responsibility for missing items or locks left in/on the lockers after school finishes.

**Mr Rod Macdonald**

**Property and Services Manager**



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# **CAROLS UNDER THE CROSS**

*to be held in the  
RIVERGUM THEATRE*



Featuring all College Bands and Ensembles and Special Guests

***WEDNESDAY 5 DECEMBER 2018, 7.30pm***





## Music Department News

### Christmas Carols 'Under The Cross' – Wednesday 5 December 7.30pm **TONIGHT!**

All music students will be performing at the annual Christmas Carols 'Under the Cross' in the Rivergum Theatre on Wednesday 5 December at 7.30pm.

A great night is assured to see in the Advent season – there is free entry and no need to book a ticket! There are some great prizes to be won in the raffle – money raised goes to St Vincent de Paul.

### Instrumental Music 2019

Students wishing to continue (or start) Instrumental Music Lessons in 2019 are reminded that enrolments applications will be taken **online** for the first time.

The online form is located at:

[https://www.parade.vic.edu.au/Forms/Instrumental\\_Lesson\\_Booking\\_Form.aspx](https://www.parade.vic.edu.au/Forms/Instrumental_Lesson_Booking_Form.aspx)

Parents please note that charges go onto your Parade school fees account – there is no need to pay up-front. Please contact the Music Office for further information.

### Addams Family – Lead Cast Rehearsal

Lead cast members of the 2019 music 'The Addams Family' are reminded that there is a special rehearsal/read-through on Monday 10 December starting at 3.30pm through to 6.00pm at the Bundoora campus.

Please note members of the ensemble/general cast are not required.

**Mr Martin Macaulay**  
**Director of Music**



## From Little Things Big Things Grow

Once again the Parade Carpentry SBAT Team were involved in a Community Action Project, this time for Allity Aged Care Facility in Templestowe – the team were approached by Lifestyle Coordinator, Kim Tardio and asked if they could build four planter boxes for Templestowe Manor.

The Team collective working together planned, organised, and delivered again. The two main types of timber used in the construction process were Merbau Decking Boards of 140mm width and 90 x 45mm Treated Radiata Pine. Once construction of the planter boxes was completed they were given three coats of Cabot's Natural Decking Oil for protection from the elements.

The planter boxes were delivered to Allity's Templestowe Manor Aged Care Facility by the students who constructed them, and the residents were very appreciative and



interested in the presentation. On delivery the students were also greeted with a lovely morning tea with the residents of scones, jam and cream for all their hard work. Pictured above is the SBAT Team with Allity Aged Care Lifestyle Coordinators Nella Feliciani and Kim Tardio

This was a very challenging and rewarding exercise where the students appreciated their hard work and end result which was for a good cause. The General Manager, Carol Hamilton said the residents would get much enjoyment and satisfaction out of their new planter boxes. A special thanks to the Trade Centre Carpentry Team for all their assistance in this pleasurable project. Great work by all involved.

**Mr Simon Hogan**  
**Trade Teacher**



## From the Assistant Principal - Organisation

### Associated Catholic Colleges Leadership Launch

During the week our 2019 College Captain Max Tricarico and our Vice-Captains, Will Conlon and Pinidu Chandrasekera attended the Associated Catholic Colleges Leadership Launch at Salesian Catholic College.

Each of the twelve member schools attended with their leadership groups and celebrated the Eucharist together followed by a dinner and function. A representative school leader from each school was provided the opportunity to address the gathering and to speak about the unique values of their communities and what they bring to the ACC competition.

Max spoke of the Prefect group's vision to serve the College community and to contribute to the ACC competition, not just in terms of sport and event participation, but that Parade contributes in line with its values and mission as a community in the Edmund Rice tradition.

Max spoke of a strong servant leadership focus for the 2019 Prefect group and the many opportunities that are at our core; advocacy programs, community service, assistance to people in communities with less, and fundraising for the many projects within the Edmund Rice network around the world. The goal of this Prefect group is to support MacKillop Family Services here in Melbourne and the work they do with children and families in need.

Max, Pinidu, and Will spoke very well and were certainly a credit to our College, and I am confident they, along with the 2019 Prefect group, will be significant in their roles in our College.

### 2019 Term Dates and Students Holiday Absence

Please note below the 2019 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 House leader prior to the event and advising the College Principal by writing to Mr Callanan, Assistant Principal Organisation.

#### Term 1

Saturday 26 January	Australia Day
Monday 28 January	Australia Day Holiday
Tuesday 29 January	All staff return
Thursday 31 January	Year 7, 11, and 12 commence
Friday 1 February	Years 8, 9, and 10 commence
Monday 11 March	Labour Day Public Holiday
Friday 5 April	Term 1 finishes

#### Term 2

Monday 22 April	Easter Monday
Tuesday 23 April	Term 2 commences
Thursday 25 April	Anzac Day Public Holiday
Monday 10 June	Queens Birthday Public Holiday
Friday 28 June	Term 2 finishes

#### Term 3

Monday 15 July	Term 3 commences
Friday 20 September	Term 3 finishes

#### Term 4

Monday 7 October	Term 4 commences
Tuesday 5 November	Melbourne Cup Day Public Holiday
Friday 6 December	Term 4 students finish
Friday 13 December	Staff Eucharist and Luncheon
Friday 20 December	CEM Gazetted Final day; College Office closes

### 2019 New Learning Management Portal at Parade College

Over the past twelve months, the College has been working to develop and implement a new Learning Management System and Portal for the College.

We will release the new Learning Management System, "Simon", along with a number of upgrades to our Parade College Website in December and January in preparation for the 2019 school year. The College has emailed individual login details and a letter detailing the changes to all families. Please note the login access process to the right.

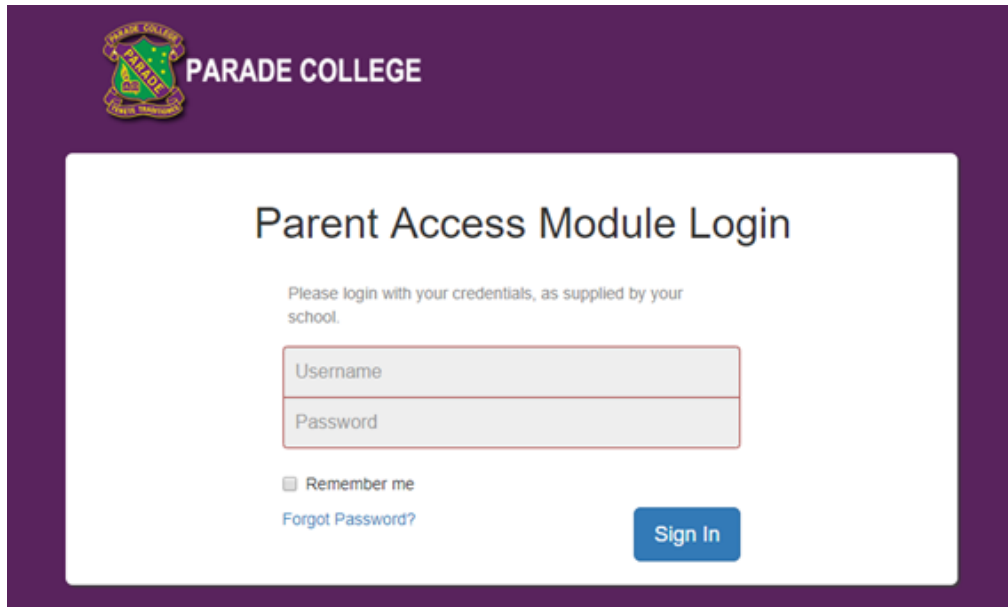
## How to access PAM

### To access PAM

Using a web browser go to <https://pam.parade.vic.edu.au> or click on the link found on our College webpage.

### Your login details will be provided to you via email

Once you receive the College provided credentials, you may log into PAM.



The screenshot shows the login interface for the Parent Access Module (PAM) at Parade College. At the top left is the Parade College crest and logo. The main heading is "Parent Access Module Login". Below this, a message reads: "Please login with your credentials, as supplied by your school." There are two input fields: "Username" and "Password". Below the password field is a checkbox labeled "Remember me" and a link "Forgot Password?". A blue "Sign In" button is located at the bottom right of the form area.

The first time you log into PAM you will be asked to create a new password.

Once logged in you will be asked to complete several initial tasks, including checking and updating your:

- contact details
- son's medical information

Please note that as of 2019 **PAM will replace CareMonkey** for updating this information and for giving permission for excursions, etc.

On the College website there are links to videos and documentation to help you navigate around PAM.

If you have a specific query we have created the following email for your support:

[simonsupport@parade.vic.edu.au](mailto:simonsupport@parade.vic.edu.au)

**Mr Michael Callanan**  
**Assistant Principal - Organisation**



## From the Registrar

### Enrolments for Year 7 2021

Applications for Year 7 2021 are now being accepted. If you currently have a son enrolled at the College you are still required to submit an application for younger siblings.

Please contact me on 9468-3304 or via email [registrar@parade.vic.edu.au](mailto:registrar@parade.vic.edu.au) if you require an enrolment form. Alternatively, application forms can be downloaded from our website.

### Students not returning in 2019

If your son is not returning in 2019 please contact me directly via email at [registrar@parade.vic.edu.au](mailto:registrar@parade.vic.edu.au) so the correct process can be followed and the relevant paperwork completed.

### Academy Uniforms

A reminder that families can purchase uniform items from Academy Uniforms online at <http://www.academyuniforms.com.au/>

To order online please follow the instructions below:

1. Go to: [www.academyuniforms.com.au](http://www.academyuniforms.com.au)
2. Select ORDER ON-LINE
3. Your School's login - Select Parade College
4. Enter the following password – Bundoora (this is the password for all families regardless of which campus your son attends)
5. Submit
6. Place your order

*The uniform shop at Preston closed on Tuesday 4 December, and will re-open on Tuesday 5 February.*

*The uniform shop at Bundoora will close on Friday 7 December, and re-opens on Friday 1 February.*

### Student Photos 2019

Student photos will be taken on Monday 4 February 2018. Personalised order envelopes and details for the day will be mailed out to families in January along with the first newsletter for 2019.

### Christmas Wishes

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all our families a very Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year.

Enjoy the holidays with your families and we look forward to seeing the boys refreshed and ready for the year ahead on Thursday 31 January for Years 7, 11, and 12, and on Friday 1 February for Years 8, 9 and 10.

*Mrs Angela O'Connor*  
**Registrar**







## From The Old Paradians

### Football Training Commences For Old Paradians Women

Pre-season training has commenced for members of the Old Paradians' inaugural women's team.

Sessions will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the Naughtin Oval (at the rear of Parade College) with sessions commencing at 6.15pm and finishing around 7.30pm.



An end date for sessions pre-Christmas will be determined by the number of players attending and following discussion with the group.

All women who would like to be part of this history-making team for 2019 are welcome.

For further information, please contact Football Operations Manager Peter Gilmartin on 0408 120300.

**Mr Tony De Bolfo**  
**Old Paradians' Association CEO**



## From the Business Manager

### 2019 Tuition Fees

Invoices for 2019 tuition fees were emailed in the first week of November. Hard copies have also been posted out.

If you have not received your invoice please contact Ms Emily Hosking on 9468-3327.

Generous discounts are available to families who wish to pay their invoices in full. The discount is also extended for Charter Bus invoices.

Please be aware some additional charges are levied throughout the year, eg; private music lessons, and a separate payment is required for these.

If you have any questions about your fee statements or are experiencing financial difficulty with meeting your fee obligations please contact Ms Emily Hosking on 9468-3327 or via [fees@parade.vic.edu.au](mailto:fees@parade.vic.edu.au).

Alternatively if you would like to make an appointment with the Business Manager to discuss your situation, please contact the College.

### Please Advise Change to your Email Address

The College is emailing fee statements of account monthly. This will assist families to keep track of their payment plans and act as a reminder for any payments in arrears.

Please ensure you advise us of any changes to your email address as this is also the address used for the College Newsletter.

### Finance Committee Members

The College Finance Committee is looking for potential members. If you are interested in joining or would like to know more please contact the Business Manager, Mr Paul Harris, on 9468-3309 or via [paul.harris@parade.vic.edu.au](mailto:paul.harris@parade.vic.edu.au)

**Mr Paul Harris**  
**Business Manager**



## Year 7 STEM Challenge Days

During Activities Week, the Year 7s participated in two STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) days.

Their first day (Monday 26 November for Bodkin and Hughes, and Tuesday 27 November for Lynch and Treacy) was a "survival" challenge, where students were put on a hypothetical desert island, and had to "survive" by plotting their surroundings, and choosing a campsite and provisions. Then, in teams, students were to design and create a prototype model of a machine capable of rescuing people trapped deep underground.

The activities, all held within the Nash Learning Centre, allowed students the opportunity to develop their critical and creative thinking, independent and collaborative skills, as well as posing them real-world problem solving scenarios.

All of the boys should be commended on their diligence throughout the day and the great way they got to task on what was a challenging and demanding day.

On Wednesday 28 November, boys from all Houses rotated through thirteen different hands on, critical thinking activities led by specialists from the scientific community, La Trobe University Engineering Faculty, and Parade staff.



Boys were able to participate in a variety of engineering challenges, participate in virtual reality and science shows, solve maths and logical thinking online activities, and learn how to code and control robots.

The engineering challenges involved;

- Building and testing crumple zones on cars
- Hunger Games engineering challenges with tower and catapult trials
- Building space helmets
- Designing and constructing crane and self-propelling cars

Using Virtual Reality the boys were able to navigate through, and explore space and the solar system. All boys experienced the big, explosive Science show, and nearly all boys got to code and use a micro:bit or Lego Mindstorm Robot.

Thank you to all staff and students who participated during these eventful days.

**Dr Janette Berglez**  
**STEM Coordinator**







## Year 7 Altior Humanities Night of Excellence

It is not often that we get the opportunity to highlight excellence in the work of our Humanities students, but on the evening of 13 November, the Year 7 Altior Humanities class of 2018 demonstrated the insights of their learning at the Night of Excellence.

Modelling their Geography investigations into the nature of water in the world, students developed engaging visual displays on water technologies from the ancient to the modern, with technologies displayed such as large-scale hydroponic projects utilising solar and desalination technology to advance production.

Matthew Duma B15 was voted by parents and visitors the best display on the night for his modelling of the technology of hydroelectricity.

For their Civics presentations, students were given the brief of presenting a three minute election campaign speech for a hypothetical federal election. Embracing a sound knowledge of local issues and the tools of language, students impressed parents and judges with their 'pitches'.



Above: Anthony Baltatzis L21



Above: Francesco Gargaro B16

Our three academic judges on the evening – Mr Geoffrey Caulfield, Mr Michael Barrett, and Mr Brendan McDonald – voted on the top three presentations for each campus.

For the Bundoora campus Kenny Yang H16, Alexander Bui H11, and Liam Camilleri L15 were voted top three, and for Preston, Antony Baltatzis L21, Xavier Hannan B21, and Rex Kelly H21 took out the top three honours.

The learning for the evening did not finish on the night. Parents and guests were asked to vote for their favourite 'candidates' using the preferential voting system and in follow-up classes students discovered that the results can be quite surprising after a count of preferences.

For Bundoora, Manesh Kusalakumar T18 came from behind to win on preferences, and in Preston Rex Kelly triumphed after the preferences were counted.

**Mr Andrew Walker**  
**Humanities Teacher**





## Shark Tank goes to the Tech School

The Year 9 ExCEL subject “Shark Tank Innovation” allows students the opportunity to design, create, and test a solution to a problem they have identified in their chosen community.



During the subject, students develop their 21<sup>st</sup> Century skills such as collaboration, critical and creative thinking, communication, and cultural and civic literacy. At the culmination of the subject, students present their solutions to the Sharks – a panel of “investors” – judges – who negotiate with the students for a financial stake in their solution.

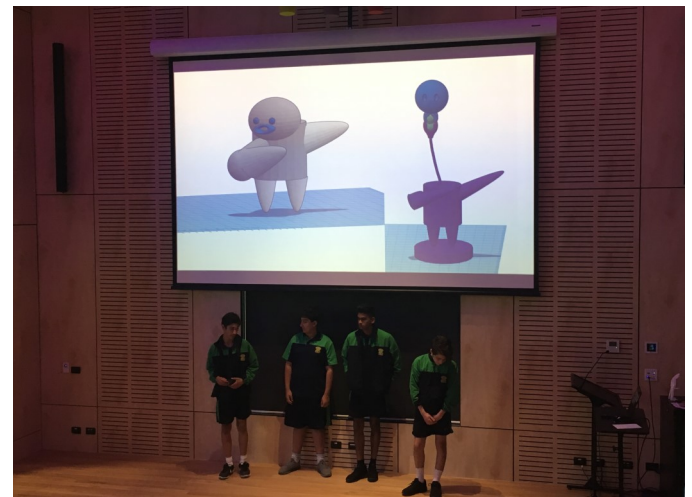
To help students prepare for their presentations, the class visited the Banyule Nillumbik Tech School in Greensborough to take part in their “Lamp Design Challenge”.

In teams, students researched the impacts and benefits of how reading at a young age helps a child’s later life, and what sustainable materials could be used in order to build a lamp for them.

By the end of the day, each team was able to build a basic prototype, with the designs ranging from a toy box inspired lamp to a lamp bookstand.

After receiving feedback from their peers, students designed lamps in the 3D modelling software TinkerCAD.

Some students were able to 3D print their lamp parts, and after many design concepts, each team prepared to pitch a lamp to an audience of two schools.



Noah Kalesaran Year 9 H14, whose team designed the “Read-a-book” lamp, learned that, “the pitches need to answer four major questions; what is the problem? What is the solution? What’s next? How is it different from other existing designs?”

These questions were the basis of everyone’s pitches, and with the pitch only being able to go for one minute, it wasn’t hard to answer the questions.

I believe that all the pitches went quite well and were interesting, with the ideas from both schools being engaging and unique.

Overall, the day was very interesting, and if the opportunity presented itself in the future, we would go again.”



## 'Brightsiders' semi-finalists in STEM Video Game Challenge

During 2018, Parade students competed in the Australian STEM Video Game Challenge, facilitated by the ACER Foundation.

This annual, national competition was open to all Australian students in Years 5 to 12, who were set the task of designing and building a working and playable original video game.

Based on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math), the games were to be in response to a theme, with this year's theme being "Transformation".

The Parade students who participated in the challenge met weekly in the Nash Learning Centre for over two terms, designing, developing and testing their games. A number of different coding engines were used to design the games, including Scratch, Unity, and GameMaker.



Three teams from Parade entered the competition;

### **Brightsiders**

(Kyden Hurst Year 9 T13, Liam Camilleri Year 7 L15, Jonathan Fazzari Year 9 L17, Daniel Surma Year 9 B13)

### **Phoenix Games**

(Jamie Kutin Year 8 L13, Thomas McDevitt Year 8 L16)

### **Andre's Warriors**

(Andre Kohil Year 7 B14).



Brightsiders progressed through two elimination rounds to become semi-finalists in the Year 9 to 12 Playable Game Open Category with their Scratch game, 'Crystal Crusade: The Seven Sins'.

The game is based in an alternate reality, where humans wear Knights' armour, and armed with a transformable blaster, players collect crystals after defeating seven evil creatures who each represent a deadly sin.

This incredibly creative game took many, many hours to code, illustrate, level design, and score, and is a testament to the team who, led by Kyden Hurst Year 9 T13, developed a truly engaging and entertaining gaming experience.

We would like to thank all the students who participated throughout the year, and for the students who developed games in time to compete in the competition.

**Mr Dante Gabriele**

**Director of Programs – Nash Learning Centre**





## Community Action Report

### Community Action

As another busy school year ends, I wish to commend and thank the student Community Action Team for all they have done to make the year another fulfilling and successful one. Much gratitude must also be extended to all the Parade staff who have supported the team in so many ways. The willingness of the Parade community to give of their time and talents really makes a difference to so many. I look forward to facilitating the Community Action Team in 2019.

### Eddy's Brekkie Van

Brekkie Van finishes up for another year on Tuesday 11 December. Over the course of the year we have cooked breakfast for well over 300 people, and continued to develop our relationships with regular patrons and made many new friends. This, of course, could not have been possible without the students and staff who volunteered each week.

This year a very generous group of Year 10 students were regular volunteers, quickly establishing connections with the West Heidelberg community - Noah Aravena (H08), Luke Lazzara (H02), Binh Nguyen (T03), Bastian Vincent-Paul (T05) and Nishanth Alphonsus (B06) embodied the legacy of Edmund Rice as they chatted with patrons and served breakfast, always with a smile on their face. We also rely on the regular volunteers, Noel Vincent (OP), Lucas Zugaro (OP), Geraldine Fernandes, and Claire Seymour. Thanks to Dion Ciavolo for his generous donation to ensure that our Christmas hampers were full of lovely goodies for patrons.

Many thanks to Jeff Warke and Parents of Parade for their financial support again this year. We are very grateful.

We encourage any student from Year 10 to 12 who may like to be a part of the Brekkie Van Team in 2019 to come to the Community Action Centre for more information.

### St Vinnies Christmas Appeal

Many thanks to the Parade families who have supported our St Vinnies appeal so generously this year. Special mention

must be made to the students of T16 and their Tutor Teacher, Mr Digby Morell, who have once again made a special effort to collect boxes of donations. As you can see in the photo below they really got behind the cause. Also to be commended are the students of H20 (Tutor Teacher, Mr Kevin Cheong), H15 (Tutor Teacher Mr Corlett) and L15 (Tutor Teacher, Ms Natasha Nicastrì).



These donations will go a long way to helping brighten Christmas for many local struggling families. Thank You on their behalf.

### Community Action Christmas Party for aged care residents

At present, the student Community Action Team are busy playing Santa's helpers with the planning of the annual Community Action Christmas Party for the aged care facilities that have hosted our Year 10 Students on their Community Action Program. By the time this newsletter goes to print the Greening Auditorium will have been transformed into a Christmas wonderland ready to host over 200 guests on Thursday 6 December.

A huge thank you to all the students who have volunteered to be table hosts on the day, to the 2019 Year 12 VET Hospitality class along with their teachers Mr Michael Chapman and Mrs Christine McAllister for the efforts in preparing the food. This year three students worked together as the musical directors for the event - Jamal Taylor Yr10 L02, Jacob Carlson Yr9 B14, and Thrubavan Tharmakulendran Yr9 B11, have put together an entertaining line up which includes musicians from Mercy College. As always, much appreciation is extended to the College Maintenance Team who help to set everything up.

**Ms Anne-Marie Morello**  
**Community Action Convenor**





## 2018 Visual Arts and Technology Exhibition

Students, parents and staff alike attended the opening night and awards ceremony on 31 October this year, marking the first time the exhibition has taken place in the Nash Learning Centre, and the first time that students have had significant input in the design and execution of the show.

There was some excellent works on display, characteristic of the intense creativity of the Parade College boys.

The Year 12 work this year was of a particularly high standard, with all students being nominated for the CEO Art Exhibition, and one student, Francesco Morabito H07, having his work shortlisted for the prestigious Top Arts.

**Mr Tim Jacobs**

**Learning Area Leader - Visual Arts and Drama**





## From the Director of High Performance Sport

### 'Relay for Life'

The Parade College Community is intending to be part of a community fundraising challenge for the Cancer Council. The event known as the 'Relay For Life', is being held at Willinda Park on 23 and 24 March, 2019.

Teams of friends, families and colleagues raise money in the lead up to an overnight event, where team members take turns walking around a track to signify that cancer never rests.

The Relay event is an experience that will stay with you forever. It is designed to celebrate survivors; recognise carers and raise funds for the Cancer Council. The major role of the Cancer Council is to support people affected by cancer; fund research and improve cancer prevention. Underpinned by research, 61,000 Australian lives have been saved by improvements in cancer prevention, screening and treatment over the past 20 years. But with an estimated 134,000 new cases of cancer expected to be diagnosed in Australia this year, the Cancer Council needs every Australian to rally behind Relay For Life to help continue their vital work.

### How can you contribute?

To join the Parade team and be part of the 'Relay for Life' walk or to make a donation, please follow these instructions

- Go to [relayforlife.org.au](http://relayforlife.org.au)
- Scroll halfway down the page and click on 'Search Team'
- Type in Parade College

from here, you can either join the team, or make a donation.

People from the Parade community who would like to be part of the relay on 23 or 24 March will be contacted by myself in February 2019.



### ACC Swimming Championships 2019

The ACC Swimming Championships will take place at MSAC on Friday 22 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.

Monday 4 February	Years 8 to 12 Watermac 7.30 to 8.30am
Wednesday 6 February	Years 8 to 12 Watermac 7.30 to 8.30am
Thursday 7 February	Year 7 Swimming Trials Coburg Outdoor Pool 12.30 to 2.45pm
Friday 8 February	Years 8 to 12 Watermac 7.00 to 8.00am
Monday 11 February	Years 7 to 12 Watermac 7.00 to 8.00am
Wednesday 13 February	Years 7 to 12 Watermac 7.30 to 8.30am
Friday 15 February	Years 7 to 12 Watermac 7.00 to 8.00am
Monday 18 February	Full Squad Final Training Session Coburg Outdoor Pool 12.50 to 2.45pm
Friday 23 February	ACC Swimming Championships MSAC



### ACC Athletic Championships 2019

The ACC Athletic Championships will be held at the Lakeside Stadium on Wednesday 27 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 2019.

Listed below is the training schedule for 2019.

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

Tuesday 12 February and Thursday 14 February  
All Year Levels

Tuesday 19 February and Thursday 21 February  
All Year Levels

Tuesday 26 February and Thursday 2 February  
All Year Levels

### Willinda Park Training:

Tuesday 19 February 12.50pm to 2.50pm  
Years 9 to 12 (Trials—selected students)

Thursday 21 February 12.00pm to 2.20pm  
Years 7 and 8 (Trials—selected students)

Tuesday 26 February 12.50pm to 2.50pm  
Years 9 to 12 (Trials—selected students)

Tuesday 28 February 12.00pm to 2.20pm  
Years 7 and 8 (Trials—selected students)

Tuesday 7 March 12.00pm to 2.20pm  
Years 7 to 8 (selected students)

Thursday 14 March 12.00pm to 2.20pm  
All Year Levels (selected students)

Tuesday 19 March 12.50pm to 2.50pm  
All Year Levels (selected students)

Thursday 21 March 12.00pm to 2.20pm  
Years 7 and 8 (selected students)

Monday 25 March 12.50pm to 2.50pm  
All Year Levels (selected students)

Transport will be provided for all students involved in training

### Junior Athletic Carnivals:

Year 7 Athletics Carnival - Bunjil Park  
Thursday 14 February Periods 4 to 6

Year 8 Athletics Carnival – Bunjil Park  
Thursday 7 February Periods 4 to 6

### Mr Phillip Gaut

Director of High Performance Sport



A promotional poster for Melbourne City Football Club's affiliate schools membership offer. The top half features a male soccer player in a blue kit kicking a ball against a blue background. The Melbourne City Football Club logo is in the bottom left. The text 'AFFILIATE SCHOOLS MEMBERSHIP OFFER' is prominently displayed in white. Below it, a smaller line of text says 'JOIN THE CITY FAMILY AND RECEIVE 30% OFF WITH OUR EXCLUSIVE OFFER AVAILABLE ONLY TO AFFILIATE SCHOOLS'. A table lists membership options and prices, and a footer provides a website and discount code.

FULL SEASON MEMBERSHIPS <small>(GENERAL ADMISSION)</small>		FIVE MATCH MEMBERSHIPS	
ADULT	\$196 (280 RRP)	ADULT	\$91 (130 RRP)
CONCESSION	\$123 (175 RRP)	CONCESSION	\$70 (100 RRP)
JUNIOR	\$46 (65 RRP)	JUNIOR	\$18 (25 RRP)
FAMILY	\$396 (565 RRP)	FAMILY	\$175 (250 RRP)

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## Parents of Parade (POP)

*On behalf of POP I would like to wish all Parade families many blessings for a Merry Christmas and a safe and happy New Year.*

### POP 2018

2018 has been another busy year for the Parents of Parade (POP). We baked scones for and served afternoon tea at Open Day, served supper to parents and students at Information Nights, Mother and Son Evening, the Year 12 Valete and the Year 7 2019 Orientation Evening and attended the Year 7 Parent Dinner.



In September Fathers and significant people and the boys enjoyed a special Fathers Day Breakfast cooked by POP volunteers and all began their day feeling very satisfied with a hearty breakfast. We drew our inaugural Mega Raffle at this event where first prize was one year's school fees.



The committee once again supported the popular and well attended Father Son Summer and Winter Games Nights. Members assisted at Working Bees, College Musical and College Play canteen sales.



We look forward to another busy year in 2019 and encourage parents to offer their assistance at one or more of the many College activities. It is a great way to get to know other parents, meet some of the teachers and support the College.

POP are delighted to be able to assist with sponsoring the Eddie's Brekky Van, where our boys help those in the community who are less fortunate by providing a cooked breakfast to residents. The METEC Driver Education Program is another initiative that was happily supported by Parents of Parade.



Thank you to the many Parents of Parade who gave their time to assist in numerous activities throughout the year and to the dedicated committee who attend monthly meetings and work together towards creating a successful team and support many Parade initiatives and events.

**Jeff Warke**  
**President Parents of Parade**  
**0409 174 208**  
**[pop@parade.vic.edu.au](mailto:pop@parade.vic.edu.au)**



## Calendar

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

6 December	* Year 11 2018 Final Assembly, Rivergum Theatre
	* ERPP 2019 Parent Information Evening, Preston
7 December	* Year 7 to 10 Final Assemblies
	* Term 4 ends for students
8 December	* Feast of the Immaculate Conception
9 December	* Second Sunday of Advent
10 December	* "Saturday Detention"
	* 2019 Orientation Day
14 December	* VCE Results released at 10.00am
	* Staff Eucharist
16 December	* Third Sunday of Advent
21 December	* CEM gazetted final day
	* Final Day for Staff
	* College Reception closes at 12.30pm
23 December	* Fourth Sunday of Advent
25 December	* Christmas Day
1 January	* New Years Day
7 January	* Bundoora Office opens
16-19 January	* EREA Student Leaders Conference
21 January	* Preston Office opens

23 January	* Year 7 and Year 10 Laptop collection
24 January	* Year 7 and Year 10 Laptop collection
	* Booklist collection Year 7 to 10 2019
26 January	* Australia Day
28 January	* Australia Day Public Holiday
29 January	* All staff return
31 January	* Year 7, 11, and 12 commence
1 February	* Years 8, 9, and 10 commence
4 February	* 2019 College Photo Day
7 February	* Year 8 Athletics Carnival
8 February	* Commencement Assembly
11 February	* Parent Information Evening India Immersion
14 February	* Year 7 Athletics Carnival
15 February	* College Photo Retake Day
17 February	* 2019 College Open Day
28 February	* VCE Information Evening
4-8 March	* Year 7 Camp
11 March	* Labour Day Public Holiday
17 March	* Working Bee
17-27 March	* Takada Visit
21 March	* Staff PD Day (Student Free Day)
5 April	* Term 1 finishes



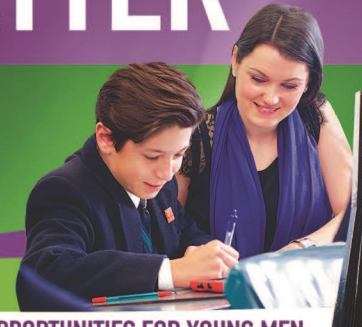
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