

College Newsletter

Week 2 Term 3 Friday 2 August 2013



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A young man with dark hair, wearing a green blazer over a white shirt, is seen from the back and side, playing a black grand piano. The piano's keyboard and the man's reflection are visible in the polished surface of the instrument.

Today's boys...tomorrow's gentlemen



Front page: CBC Music student Mathew Thomas at rehearsal



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From the Principal

An Important Time

As we settle into Term 3 this year it is worth noting that this period of time has a particular significance for two Year Groups at the school. Many of our Year 12 boys are working hard to finalise their preparations for their second semester exams during the next holidays and their WACE examinations shortly thereafter. Others are completing their Instep placements and school-based traineeships in preparation for launching new careers next year. Regardless of which pathway each young man has chosen, this term may be viewed as the culmination of many years of endeavour. We hope that each of them is ultimately able to reflect upon this time with a sense of accomplishment and satisfaction.

The students in Year 10 also have a special focus during this term as they are currently engaged in the processes of career guidance and subject selection. The decisions that they are making at this time will be important in ensuring that they enjoy a sense of achievement and fulfilment as they prepare to graduate two years from now. We wish each of them the gift of discernment at this time.

Parent/Student/Teacher Interviews

It was very pleasing to see the large number of parents who availed themselves of the opportunity to meet with their sons' teachers at the interviews conducted last week. Providing feedback to families in ways which include these interviews, school reports and incidental

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Below: As part of their Career counselling, Year 10s had the invaluable opportunity to meet with young Old Boys and ask questions about their experiences after CBC

dialogue is vital to the process of ensuring effective learning. By attending interviews, parents also clearly indicate that they value the relationship between the home and school and expect their sons to do the same.

Catholic Schools' Performing Arts Festival

CBC Fremantle was among the many schools represented at St Mary's Cathedral on Thursday of last week as part of the Mass to officially open the Catholic Schools' Performing Arts Festival for 2013. Many of our Music, Art and Drama students will be participating in this festival during the next two months and we wish each of them well for their performances.

Mr Shaun Kenny
Principal





Join the City to Surf CBC team

Join in Perth's community running event of the year and show your true colours.

City to Surf takes place on Sunday 25 August. You can choose from the 4km walk/run/wheel chair event, 13km walk/run, or the 21.1 and 42.2km marathons.

You can join our team by registering online at www.perthcitytosurf.com.

Team name: CBC Fremantle

Password: Edmund Rice

If you have any queries or would like to join one of our training teams, please contact Sally Northeast on northeast.sally@cathodnet.wa.edu.au.



The fine print: The CBC City to Surf team is a social event and not an official College activity.

College Information

Canteen

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

Uniform Shop Opening Hours

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

News Online

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

Calendar

Week 3 Term 3

Monday 5 August

WAMSE testing all week
Year 11 and 12 Materials & Design
Woodshow

Tuesday 6 August

Year 12 Accounting Student Challenge
Year 10 School Boys’ Cup final

Wednesday 7 August

College Assembly – Excellence Awards
8.40am in the College Gym
Year 12 Economics Excursion
Year 7 Dockers Shield
Jazz Orchestra/Big Band at Catholic Arts

Thursday 8 August

Solemnity of Saint Mary of the Cross
Mass 8.15am (Patrick 1, 2, 3 and 4)
Year 12 TISC/TAFE talk TBA

Friday 9 August

World’s Indigenous People
International Day
Skills Expo TBA



Year 8 experiences Egypt

On Friday 5 July the whole of Year 8 headed to the Perth Museum, to view the *Secrets of the Afterlife* exhibition and to take in the other displays, including the dinosaurs.

The exhibition had much to show as we saw a number of ancient artefacts and ancient Egyptian items which focused on their obsession with life after death.

The highlight of the day was definitely seeing four decorated coffins, two mummies, embalming tools and a gilded mummy's mask.

Also seeing a mummy that had never been unwrapped was very exciting.

Most boys enjoyed the exhibition and thought that it was a good way to end the term. It was an added bonus that we also had lunch in the city.

Thank you to all the S&E teachers and parent helpers for taking us.

Ryan De Gennaro
Year 8



New Head of the River for WA Schools

CBC Rowing has been preparing for the *Rowing WA Schools Head of the River*, a new event that will provide an exciting opportunity for boys and girls to row against their peers. The inaugural Schools Head of the River is on Saturday 17 August.

All available and race-ready CBC rowers will compete against a sizeable field of schools including All Saints, John XXIII, John Wollaston, Kelmscott, Southern River, Perth Modern, Shenton College, Bunbury Senior High and Bunbury

Catholic College. Some events, such as the eights races, will consist of boys and girls equally combined. The girls rowing with the CBC crews are from local state and private schools.

As the senior boys have been racing well against adult crews from other clubs and the universities, we aim to be very competitive at this event.

As a warm up, I have nominated our senior boys (Years 10 and above) to compete in a regatta this coming Saturday

and will let you know how they go. In addition, some of the juniors in Year 9 will also be racing.

Damien Flynn
CBC Fremantle Rowing Coach



Sport Fixtures

| Week 3 Term 3 | | | |
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| Team | Match/Training Details | Day / Time | Venue |
| Athletics | Training for A Division ACC Carnival on 18 Sept | Mon to Fri 3.20-4.20pm | CBC Gym |
| Football | Year 7 Football Dockers Shield Year 8/9 School boys Cup v Albany | Wednesday all day Thursday all day | Ferndale Reserve, Riverton Williams |
| Rowing | Rowing regatta | Saturday | |
| Rugby | Year 7/8 training Year 8 v Newman Year 10 v Aranmore Year 10 training | Tuesday 3.15-4.15 Wednesday 4pm Tuesday 4pm Thursday 3.15-4.15pm | Fremantle Park Fremantle Park Fremantle Park Fremantle Park |
| Fitness Training | Weights Room | Mon to Fri 3.20-4.20pm | CBC Gym |

Community Notices

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

Transperth Shutdown

Second shutdown from 31 July to 4 August

The second shutdown is needed so trains can switch between the Fremantle and Joondalup line tunnels, which will improve how the rail network operates. To carry out this work, Perth Underground will be closed from the afternoon of Wednesday 31 July to last service on Sunday 4 August.

For more information visit transperth.wa.gov.au.

University Open Days

The next few Sundays sees all the university Open Days taking place; a great chance to look around the campus, get a feel for which one might suit you and learn more about what they have to offer. Entry is always free and times are usually 10-4pm but check the university websites for details.

28 July ECU Joondalup.

4 August Curtin University

11 August UWA and ECU at Mt Lawley and WAAPA.

18 August Notre Dame and Murdoch

Host families needed in January 2014

Student Exchange Australia New Zealand, a not-for-profit organisation registered with all state and territory departments of education, is pleased to extend an invitation for CBC Fremantle students and their families to attend our next live online information session on Thursday 15 August.

We are also running specific country online information sessions on Wednesday 21 August for those students who may be interested in a visiting France, Latin America or Spain. Details as follows:

- **France** 6.15pm (EST) / 5.45pm (CST) / 4.15pm (WST)
- **Latin America** 5.30pm (EST) / 5.00pm (CST) / 3.30pm (WST)
- **Spain** 7.00pm (EST) / 6.30pm (CST) / 5.00pm (WST)

The live online session gives students and families the opportunity to learn more about becoming an exchange student and the various scholarship options that are available.

In January 2014 Student Exchange Australia New Zealand Ltd will be receiving exchange students from Europe, Canada, the USA and Latin America. Our new arrivals will live with a host family and attend a local school for two to 10 months. We are keen to hear from suitable families who might be interested to host a student. It's a great way for them to learn about a new country and share an unforgettable experience with the entire family!

Please note that all our host families are interviewed in their homes and carefully checked for suitability. Profiles of students arriving are currently available on our [website](#).

If you have any questions about hosting an exchange student or would like to view profiles of students arriving from other countries, you can either respond to this email or call our office on 1300 135 331. No obligation.

Worldwide marriage encounter

Remember the early days of your marriage. Your honeymoon was a special time. Wherever you went, the things you saw and did were secondary. Just being together was most important. The Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend has the same focus. The weekend centres entirely on your relationship. It is a positive, simple common sense, private experience between you and your spouse, that revitalises marriage by helping you to see again those loving qualities in each other that you may be taking for granted. Take a weekend out of the busyness of your lifestyle, where there is just the two of you, free of distractions. We invite you to join us on our next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend.

Next weekend: 25 to 27 October at Swanleigh, Middle Swan. For information or booking contact:

Joe and Margaret 0424 220 625 or email WAbookings@wwme.org.au. Website is www.wwme.org.au.

Edmund Rice Network invites you on a Stolen Generation journey

A nine day journey from 28 September to 6 October.

You will retrace the footsteps of Molly and Daisy Craig and Gracie Fields along the Rabbit Proof Fence from Moore River to Jigalong station, and then experience the wonder of Karijini and Ningaloo.

Travelling by Coaster bus and sleeping under the stars and in rural accommodation, you will gain a unique insight into the Stolen Generation and an intimate glimpse of the beauty of the Australian outback.

Numbers are extremely limited. For more information contact Peter Baldry on 0408 745 363.

This amazing experience is offered to members of the Edmund Rice Network and is an initiative of CBC Fremantle's Aboriginal Reconciliation programme.

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The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue Comes to Perth, Mandurah and Bunbury

16 to 22 August 2013

Pope Pius XII reflected on the miracles following this Pilgrim Statue in his radio address stating: “In 1946 we crowned Our Lady of Fatima as Queen of The World and the next year, through Her Pilgrim Image, She set forth as though to claim Her Dominion and the miracles She performs on the way are such that we can scarcely believe our eyes at what we are seeing.”

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| 16 August | St Jerome’s, Troode Street, Munster. 7.00pm Holy Mass, Rosary, talk, Veneration and vigil. |
| 17 August | Our Lady of the the Mission, Camberwarra Drive, Craigie. 8.30am to noon Holy Mass, talk, Eucharistic Adoration, Rosaries/Veneration. |
| 17 August | Our Lady of Mercy, Patrick Court, Girrawheen. 6.00pm Vigil, Holy Mass, talk, Rosary, Veneration. |
| 18 August | Holy Spirit, Keaney Place, City Beach. Sunday 8.00am Holy Mass, 9.30am Holy Mass, Veneration. |
| 18 August | Our Lady of the Assumption, Stevenson Road, Mandurah. 5.45pm Procession/Holy Mass, Rosary, talk, Vigil. |
| 19 August | St Patrick’s Cathedral, Parkfield Street, Bunbury. 11.00am Procession/talk, 12.00noon Holy Mass, Veneration. |
| 19 August | Pater Noster Indonesian Community, Marmion Street, Myaree. 7.00pm Holy Mass, talk, Veneration. |
| 20 August | St Bernadette’s, Jugan Street, Glendalough. 10.30am Rosary, Holy Mass, talk, Veneration. 5.45pm Holy Mass, Rosary, talk, Veneration, vigil. |
| 21 August | St Gerard Majella, Ravenswood Drive, Mirrabooka. 9.00am to 11.30am, Holy Mass, talk, Rosary, Veneration. |
| 21 August | All Saints Chapel, 77 St Georges Terrace (Allendale Square), Perth. 12.10pm and 1.10pm Holy Mass, Veneration until 4.00pm. |
| 21 August | St Francis of Assisi, Lilian Road, Maida Vale. 7.00pm, Holy Mass, Rosary, talk, Veneration. |
| 22 August | St Mary’s Cathedral, Perth. 11.00am Holy Mass, 12.10pm Queenship of Mary talk, Veneration, hourly Rosaries. 7.30pm Solemn Holy Mass – Most Rev Timothy Costelloe SDB, Archbishop of Perth, talk, Veneration. |

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