MARYMOUNT COLLEGE

TERM 3 WEEK 02
Friday 22 July 2016

We were thrilled today to welcome Minister Shannon Fentiman to our Senior Awards

Minister Fentiman Presents Principal’s Awards

We were thrilled today to welcome back to school Minister Shannon Fentiman. Known to a very significant number of staff as Shannon, Senior of 2000. Shannon encouraged students to make the most of the opportunities available to them at Marymount College, and reminded them how lucky they are to belong to such a caring environment. She recalled her days at Marymount College, and said that the social justice activities she participated are some of her best memories.

Catholic Education Week

24-30 July is Catholic Education Week with this year’s theme being Opening Doors in the Year of Mercy.

Support the Marymount Art Show

Enjoy a Night Out with Friends. Come alone, in pairs, or a party of five and enjoy an evening of music by Tommy Sheehan, canapes prepared and served by our Senior Hospitality students, a welcome drink, and great company.

Tickets are $30 and available online at www.trybooking.com/KRYB or available at the door.

Do come along and make our night GALA.

Marymount Art Show Gala Opening & Announcement of Winners 7:00pm
Marymount College Track & Field Carnival
Saturday 30 July
Marymount Art Show Exhibition 10:00am - 4:00pm
Marymount Art Show Exhibition 10:00am - 3:00pm
Monday 1 August
Beenleigh Eisteddfod Dance
Year 9 Geography Excursion (Ngutan Lui Centre)
Year 11 VET Information Evening 7:00pm
Tuesday 2 August
Marymount College Careers Expo 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Year 10 HPE1 & 2 Excursion (North Tamborine)
Year 11 Geography Excursion (Burgeon)
Year 9 Drama Excursion (Bille Brown Studio Southbank)
AGCC Semester Two Round 1

The Semester Two AGCC competition began on Thursday with teams (399) from Aquinas College (68), Assisi College (62), St Andrew’s College (46), Hillcrest College (23), Livingstone College (28), LORDS College 916), Marymount College 985) and St Michael’s College 962) involved. Games are played across venues from Pimpama to Palm Beach. Sports involved are:

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Parent Teacher Interviews

Our appreciation to parents and guardians for your interest and attendance at Parent Teacher interviews on Tuesday. Much work goes into reporting to parents at the end of each semester and these interviews can be extremely valuable. Certainly students appreciate and respond when supported, encouraged and challenged by the adults in their lives. When we work together the impact is greatest. Thank also to the College teaching staff and Ms Powell and Mrs Webster who responded to many parent requests for assistance with bookings.

From a Year 11 Student...

After three days of retreat, followed by a trip to Sydney (Art Trip to the Wynne & Archibald), I realise how fortunate we are to have such experiences available to us. I would just like to express my gratitude to yourself and the College staff as a whole for the time and effort that goes into providing these wonderful opportunities. We certainly appreciate the thoughtfulness of our students who recognise that the staff plan and put in, to ensure opportunities for them. Retreat staff volunteers, Art Staff and Staff who covered classes for teachers during these times, take a bow. Year 11 Students and Art Students take a bow too. You are wonderful Marymount ambassadors.

Chris Noonan
Principal
PRINCIPAL’S AWARDS

Additional Photos Will Be Available On The College Facebook Page
www.facebook.com/marymountcollegeburleighwater/
ST FRANCIS PEACE PRAYER

Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace.
Where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon;
where there is doubt, faith;
where there is despair, hope;
where there is darkness, light;
where there is sadness, joy.
O, Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love; For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; it is in dying that we are born again to eternal life.

Tuckshop Helpers Needed

We urgently need extra helpers over the serving times of 10:30am-1:30pm.
If you are able to volunteer one day per month or term, please call Tuckshop Convenor 55861 177 or email info@marymount.qld.edu.au

Year 11 Retreat

Marymount College’s long established tradition of offering Retreats for Year 11 and 12 students goes from strength to strength each year. Reports from last week’s Retreat Teams confirm our current Year 11s have had a very worthwhile experience.

A most important element of Retreat is the presence of committed staff. Marymount College has this in spades.

Retreat is not a camp. This is about faith development; the ongoing relationship between God and the young person is nourished and facilitated through the program. Time is provided for meditation, prayer, reflection, sharing, discussion and relating to others. Students are challenged to look at their lives in a different way.

God on Retreat, is personal, is Creator, is mother/father.

The venue locations are deliberately chosen for their calming, peaceful environments as these induce a greater sense of the sacred. Their staffs are hospitable and welcoming.

Thursday night dinner is lots of fun as the students are partnered up and observe the social niceties and etiquette from invitation, to the sharing of food and conversation. Gales of laughter, a hallmark of the occasion, mask the useful learning going on.

The curtain of darkness is a great backdrop for ritual and late evening is an ideal prayer and reflection time. Hanging out at the bonfire allows friendships to grow through humour, singing or quiet conversation.

The centre point of Retreat is the Mass. Retreat Mass allows for a deeper understanding of community gathered for prayer and participation in the liturgy. It’s also an opportunity for the students to meet our priests and gain insights into their role in the community. We are deeply grateful to Fr Ken, Fr Dantus, Fr Stephen, and Fr Peter Gablonski (Boonah) and Fr Chima (Petrie) for coming to our Retreats.

Finally, on the bus back, everyone receives their paper bag of affirmations. It is interesting to monitor the growing quietness as these are read and, on arriving back at Marymount, the joy filled shrieks at the bus stop!
Catholic Education Week

24-30 July is Catholic Education Week with this year’s theme being Opening Doors in the Year of Mercy. This week is about celebrating Catholic Schools distinctive ethos and wholistic approach to education of the child. Our 300 schools have 147,000 students and 19,000 staff. In Archbishop Mark Coleridge’s message in this week’s Archdiocese Live he mentions the arrival of Archdiocesan pilgrims in Poland for World Youth Day. He refers to the crises which Europe is experiencing in these times with migrants and refugees being a significant issue. He says, "The pilgrims have gone in search of something better. And that’s the purpose of Catholic education that we celebrate in the upcoming Catholic Education Week. Our schools aim to teach the young to look for the right thing in the right place in the right way – to search for peace in the midst of violence, for love in the midst of fear, for joy in the midst of sorrow. They teach our children to be pilgrims of hope.”

Year 8 Mass

The Year 8s had their Year Group Mass on Thursday morning. The positive impact of these Masses which are now in their second year is that even though large numbers of students are not regular Mass attenders their familiarity with the ritual leads them to better participation. Thanks to Fr Dantus who presided. Thanks also to Year 8 PC and RE teachers for preparing the students and Paul Faughey and Jodie Young for their invaluable support with singing practice and accompaniment.

Vinnies Sleepout

Vinnies Sleepout for the Homeless will be held in the Doyle Centre from Friday night to Saturday morning. At this point there is a very good number of students from across the year groups who have already registered. The total experience will heighten the students' awareness of homelessness. The night will not be comfortable and cozy, the weather is cool and the Doyle Centre floor is hard.

Dolores Maitland
APRE
Retreat is a word used to describe the action of withdrawal to a sanctuary, and for the Year 11 students that is exactly what was done on the first week back of Term 3.

From Wednesday 13 to Friday 15 July, students of Year 11 were given the opportunity to develop the relationships between their peers, teachers and themselves. By withdrawing from our mundane lives of stress, technology and the comfort of our usual friends, the Year 11 cohort was able to focus on the sole purpose of the trip: to retreat.

Over the three days we explored the process of ‘taking off our masks’. Through many indoor and outdoor bonding activities each group grew closer together - to those around them as well as exploring their inner selves. The second night revolved around the themed dinner where each camp dressed in the colours and subject of the Olympic rings.

Feedback from the students shows the positivity of the experience gained from the trip. Rachel O’Connor of Year 11 stated, “I connected with others whom I would not usually connect with.” This view was supported by many others, including Katie Jarrett who agreed, “It was a good opportunity to get to know others and ourselves.” Each location offered its own individual perks. Sana Duveck-Smith comments “Marsden was so good. The food was amazing.” And Ronan Hill noted, “Bornhoffen was cold but the location was really nice.”

On behalf of all the Year 11 students I would like to say thank you to all those who made it possible. We appreciate the effort that was put into this experience that we will carry with us for years to come.

Natalie Hughes
Year 11 Insider
**MARYMOUNT ART SHOW 2016 GALA OPENING**
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**Year 11 retreat**

**MARYMOUNT ART SHOW 2016 GALA OPENING**

**Year 11 Insider**

Planted and Built up in Jesus Christ

“Consider a tree for a moment. As beautiful as trees are to look at, we don’t see what goes on underground - as they grow roots. Trees must develop deep roots in order to grow strong and produce their beauty. But we don’t see the roots. We just see and enjoy the beauty. In much the same way, what goes on inside of us is like the roots of a tree”. – Joyce Meyer.

Where to start! The food? The date night? The costumes? The memories? The experience? Year 11’s green team, Mt Tambourine machines, consisted of the best people you could’ve asked for. I am so thankful to have experienced Marymount College’s Year 11 Retreat.

I was surrounded by people, I had never seen before! Every one of us showed our true colours. The running idea throughout the entirety of our Retreat was ‘Planted and Built up in Jesus Christ’. We engaged in activates and sessions all involved with the tree theme. Each session with your group and facilitator was based around our roots, how we are growing as a person and the core of “our trunk”. We took part in particularly exciting trust activities that built faith in one another. Warm and Fuzzy messages were put in our individual bags to express how we feel about each other. And of course the best part of the whole experience (bar Edwin’s endless conversations that we all can agree, have changed us in someway) was the date night!

Currently writing, is your winner of the chicken dinner, dress up Gold Medal recipient. Everyone dressed up in Olympic themed costumes and waited for our chivalrous knights to come and sweep us off our feet onto their trusty steeds. AKA, they ever so kindly came and asked for us at our cabin doors and took us to dinner. Perfect gentlemen they were! I cannot express all my feeling and memories in words and even if I tried, I would be writing for a long time! Year 11 Retreat at Mt Tambourine was an unforgettable experience, with people and memories that we will all cherish forever.

Peyton Hutchins
**Year 11 Insider**

After years of listening to my older siblings talk about how great Retreat is, I now know exactly what they meant.

So much more then a “school camp”, Year 11 Retreat was a chance for us to step out of our comfort zones, and open up to our fellow classmates in a time of mutual sharing and trust. Spiritual activities gave us an opportunity to reflect on our lives, our beliefs and our relationships. In doing so we discovered much about ourselves, and our peers, and gained a deeper understanding of what is, and what should be, most important in our lives. There were plenty of lighthearted moments to balance those more serious and emotional times; from games of footy and basketball, Poker and Uno to an ill-advised swim in waters cold enough to induce hypothermia. One of the highlights would have to be our impromptu ballads around the bonfire, when we showcased our amazing vocal talents with such classics as Bohemian Rhapsody and Mr Brightside. Thank you to our teachers, Mrs Cooper, Mr Larkin, Mr Evans and Miss Davies, to our special guests, Fr Stevens and Mr Noonan, and to Mrs Maitland for planning another successful Year 11 Retreat.

Thomas Weatherall
**Year 11 Insider**
‘It’s going to be freezing!’, she exclaimed. ‘Make sure you dress in layers’, she said. ‘Did you remember to pack your underwear?’ she asked.

Yes, Mum, I did.

Early last Saturday morning, I was fully prepared and absolutely over the moon to be attending the annual Senior Art Trip for the prestigious Archibald Prize, referred to as The Archies – a portrait prize competition which is held in Sydney every year in conjunction with Sulman (genre painting) and Wynne (landscape) Prizes.

Our main focus was engaging with the amazing artworks featured in The Archies and the highly practised skills exhibited through each work. I found an intense connection with a particular work within the fine selection, enticing me to do exactly what the artist intended, “find (my) own sense of familiarity, and decide what is real and what is not”. I was so moved by the piece, for reasons I cannot even comprehend, that I am working on incorporating the same approach in my next major art piece!

An exceptional opportunity on the trip was to work in the studio of artist Alan Jones who was selected as a finalist in this year’s prize, his third time in the last five years. The workshop was fantastic and although he didn’t win this year’s award we decided to select him for our own Marymount Student Prize. As a group, we all deemed this the appropriate award for Alan, who opened his studio to us, becoming our mentor for two pieces: a collaborative piece based on painting portraits (like the Archies!) and another using the beautiful Jenny Lems-Johnson as our subject, the cheery glue behind the Art Department, sharing with us his distinctive technique – best described as transferring an image onto wood and cutting different sections to make a giant collage/jigsaw painting. Both exercises were equally as rewarding, encouraging us to follow our instincts and just let our creativity flow!

Back in the city, we created many sketches and watercolour works, focusing on the connection between nature and man-made within the city. We also visited Australia’s first ‘rock star’ artist,
On Saturday morning, the Year 11 and 12 Art students spent their long weekend in Sydney, exploring the city’s CBD and quirky art culture.

Saturday was spent finding our bearings around the busy city and making a visit to the NSW gallery. Students spectated the wonderful portrait entries of the Archibald prize, one of Australia’s most prestigious art competitions. I have never seen such detailed and meaningful artworks all in one place; it was easy to see the gallery-goers being inspired by these selected pieces. Also inside the art gallery, was a temporary exhibition of Frida Kahlo and her once Husband, Diego Rivera. It featured both their paintings and photographs in a chronological timeline of their life.

Day two began with a visit to Circular Quay where we caught Sydney’s rail network (some of us had our first time on a train) and visited iconic landmarks like the Harbour Bridge and the Opera House. Students used watercolour to paint the grey city from the break-taking view of observatory hill. A short walk away is the S.H Ervin Gallery. This was easily my favourite gallery visit as it held the “rejects” of the Archibald prize. I found this oddly intriguing, much more than the finalists. The artworks, to me at least, were the ones that “broke outside the box”, this appealed to me so much more than other works around Sydney.

We visited the late Brett Whiteley’s gallery in the afternoon where we were inspired by the message he gave: subliminal and liminal. Day two finished with a free trip to Manly where we explored the windy (and cold!) beaches via a ferry.

The last day we were met with a pleasant warm sun, which we missed much after leaving the Goldy. Day three began by exploring St. Mary’s Cathedral in central Sydney. We had our second drawing activity, where we attempted to capture not only the concrete jungle, but the real lush greenery outlining the city streets. Our last activity was a visit to the Alan Jones art studio. We all contributed to his wooden collage of Ms. Johnson, the outcome was a pop-art inspired jigsaw which combined the students different talents and styles. We ended our trip late Monday evening droopy eyed and not very ready for school the next day. Nevertheless, the art trip was incredibly rewarding and I have never gained so much from a visit to an art gallery. I would like to thank the teachers who helped organise the trip and supervise us. Without them there is no way this could have happened.

Reece Jackson
Year 11 Insider

Dani Lanci
Art Captain &
Year 12 Insider

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SYDNEY DANCE COMPANY WORKSHOPS

Marymount’s Dance students had a whirlwind two days of wonderful workshops with the Sydney Dance Company last week. On Wednesday, our Year 7s and 8s were joined by Year 6 students who have gained a place in the College’s 2017 Extension Dance Program. Following that, Year 9 and 10 dancers participated in a 2-hour Intensive which challenged their performance and choreographic skills.

On Thursday, Marymount’s Senior Extension Dance Team was invited to attend a third workshop, organised by The Arts Centre Gold Coast. This was an excellent opportunity for our dancers to strengthen their technique and deepen their understanding of the contemporary genre.

Finally, going to the Arts Centre Gold Coast on Saturday evening to view Countermove was a most incredible way to conclude Marymount College’s 2017 partnership with the Sydney Dance Company. The choreography was both stunning and hilarious, with exquisite performers who deserved their standing ovation.

Working with professional artists, like the Sydney Dance Company, is a core part of the Marymount College Dance Program. The knowledge and experience these companies and dancers offer, strongly assists our students in their journey as young performers and also as individuals who will always be inspired and passionate about the arts.

Shona Press
Head of Dance
I saw teachers (not naming names, but Mr Geyer) not letting students get a shot off before he annihilated us with some sort of secret spin shot.

YEAR NINE STAC CUP

Last Friday Year Nine held their STAC Cup, a competition between students and teachers using a different game/activity at each Year level. This time Year 9 decided to verse the teachers in Table Tennis/Ping Pong.

As the teachers were up from their previous encounters, the students had to pull something out of the bag to win so we could put the teachers to shame. The STAC Cup started at lunch and it was teacher vs student. On a few games I watched the teacher get beaten by the students but in other games I saw teachers (not naming names but Mr Geyer) not letting students get a shot off before he annihilated us with some sort of secret spin shot.

We didn’t even see it coming. Sadly, I think it’s safe to say that the teachers had it over us for another year. They may have one the battle BUT they haven’t won the WAR!!! “Victory at all costs, victory in spite of all terror, victory however long and hard the road may be; for without victory, there is no survival.” Next time we will win!

Kasey Hatton
Year 9 Insider
Entertainment Books
This year we are trying to raise as many dollars as we can for Marymount College, and we need your help! Order your NEW 2016 | 2017 Entertainment™ Book or Entertainment™ Digital Membership from us, and 20% of the proceeds contribute towards our fundraising, so please forward this to your friends and family!

Click Here to order from us today!

Do you love science? Do you have an interest in animals and/or insects? Do prizes excite you?

If you answered yes to any of the questions above then this competition is for you!

Purpose:
To allow year 7’s the chance to explore the world of science by using their research skills to gather information about one of the “top 10 new species” discovered.

Task:
If interested in taking part please see Mrs Baker in G105 (her office) and she will give you information to read about the “Top 10 New Species” that have been discovered.

BRAIN BEE REPORT

Around 4 months ago a group of nine, Year 10 students started studying for the Queensland Brain Bee competition.

After rigorous research, they took part in round 1 of the challenge. Over 1300 students from all over Australia and New Zealand participated in the competition. The qualifying Marymount team consisted of Danielle Snyder and myself - Lucas Cameron, ranking us in the top 2% of competing students.

On Tuesday, Danielle and I travelled to the University of Queensland to compete in round 2 versusing 138 students who had also qualified.

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After completing the individual testing round we were given a tour of the science labs and shown what students are working on; we also had a few minutes to hold a real human brain!

After the tours we had lunch and went back into the auditorium to find out who got into the top 10, unfortunately, Danielle and I were unsuccessful in progressing to the national level but were happy to have experienced a great day exploring behind the scenes via laboratory tours.

Lucas Cameron
Year 10 Insider

Choose one of the species in the list that interests you and research about it

Use your research information to write a Newspaper article containing the following information:

a) Name of species: common and scientific name (Remember that the scientific name of a species is always written in italic)

b) Describe what you found during your research about the species chosen. Why did you choose this species? What are the interesting facts about it?

All entries are due in by Thursday 4 August (week 4). Winners will be announced and presented at the College Science night Thursday 11 August.

Kristina Baker
Science Coordinator
Defence Force Recruiting Officer Careers Information Session

Defence Force Recruiting Gold Coast will be conducting an Officer Careers Information Session. Students who are contemplating a career in the Defence Force as a leader or an officer are encouraged to attend. There are a variety of pathways to enter the ADF as an officer, from the Royal Military College, Graduate Entry Positions to the Defence University Sponsorship, a career as an officer opens up a world of possibilities and puts you right at the centre of exciting events within Australia and overseas.

Date: Monday 25 July 2016
Time: 6:00pm
Venue: Defence Force Recruiting, Ground Floor, 14 Edgewater Court, Robina
Register: www.events.defencejobs.gov.au/event/YX4WQC/ or email cptgoldcoast@dfr.com.au

Bond University – Student For A Semester

Applications for Bond’s September Student for a Semester program are now open and will close on Friday 5 August. This program is the perfect chance for ambitious Year 11 and 12 students to gain an authentic and memorable university experience. Students who successfully pass two Student for a Semester subjects may be eligible for direct admission into Bond’s full degree programs upon completion of their Year 12 studies. The online application form, further program information and key dates can be found at www.bond.edu.au/student-for-a-semester.

Griffith Connect Guaranteed Admissions Scheme 2016-2017

Griffith Connect offers OP eligible students guaranteed entry to a range of Griffith University programs, based on their Year 11 and Semester 1, Year 12 results. Applicants must meet relevant subject pre-requisites to be eligible for an offer. Details have been emailed to all Year 12 students, with further details by visiting the Marymount College Careers Centre. Applications Open: Tuesday 2 August 2016.

Kool Kids Training College 2016 School Based Traineeship Program

Kool Kids Training College are offering a number of school based traineeship positions within a variety of locations for current Year 10 & 11 students who are interested in a Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care qualification. Applications are open from Monday, 1st August 2016 with trial days scheduled for November, with commencement in February 2017. For further details visit www.koolkidstrainingcollege.com.au or email admin@koolkidstrainingcollege.com.au.

See the Marymount College Careers Centre for more information.

Griffith University – Speech Pathology

“A Look Inside The Work And The Profession” Qld Seminar

Date: Wednesday 10 August 2016 (6pm-8.30pm)
Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Venue: Griffith University – Gold Coast Campus, Parklands Drive, Southport, Building G11, room 3.56
Register: Email Kathryn@fabic.com.au or phone 0431 740 654

RSA (Responsible Service Of Alcohol) – Aurora Training Institution

Would you like to work at a café, bar or restaurant? What about on a cruise ship, casino or hotel once you’ve completed school? Aurora Training Institution provides a simple solution to gaining your RSA qualification:

Date: Thursday 28 July 2016 (6pm-9pm)
Time: 6:00pm - 9:00pm
Cost: $50

Venue: Suite 9 “Acacia Centre Commercial” 340 Scottsdale Drive, Robina Q. 4226
Register: email admin@aurora.edu.au or phone 1300 936 864.

UQ College – Bridging Courses – Pathway To University

UQ College is delivering courses in Math B, Biology or Chemistry in intensive mode over a four week period in November/December 2016 at the St Lucia Campus. Successful completion of a course will satisfy the prerequisite requirements for The University of Queensland and other universities. Results will be available to be used in applications for the January 2017 QTAC Offer Round. Courses cost $1500 and further details are available by visiting www.uqcollege.edu.au or see the Marymount College Careers Centre.

Southern Cross University – Star Early Entry 2017

Southern Cross University STAR Early Entry enables Year 12 students gain early admission to SCU on the basis of their school principal’s recommendation. Undergraduate course options include: Business, Education, Environment, Science and Engineering, Health and Human Sciences, Humanities and Social Science, Indigenous Studies, Information Technology, Law and Justice, Media, Music and Visual Arts, Tourism and Hospitality. For further information visit scu.edu.au/star or call 1800 626 481. Applications are now open, and close on Wednesday 7 September 2016.
**Gold Coast Institute of TAFE Careers In Health Info Night**

**Date:** Tuesday 26 July  
**Time:** 6:00pm - 7:00pm  
**Location:** Doyle Centre  
**Who should attend:** Year 10-12 students and parents  
**Dress:** Students are required to wear their formal school uniform.  

The Health Industry is the fastest growing and will provide the majority of jobs and opportunities in the future. Health is more than just nursing. It also includes midwifery, occupational therapy, sport and exercise science etc. Marymount College is hosting a Careers In Health Information Night for all interested Year 10-12 students and parents/caregivers.

**Australian Catholic University Student Visit**

**Date:** Wednesday 27 July  
**Location:** ACU – Banyo (Brisbane) Campus  
**Who should attend:** Year 12 students interested in visiting ACU’s Brisbane campus  
**Dress:** Students are required to wear their formal school uniform.  

**Transport:** Bus transport provided  
To register your place, visit the Marymount College Careers Centre today.

**Vocational Education & Training Information Night**

**Date:** Monday 1 August  
**Time:** 7:00pm - 8:00pm  
**Location:** Doyle Centre  
**Who should attend:** Parents and Year 10 students who may be interested in completing a Certificate or Diploma qualification while at school.  
**Dress:** Students are required to wear their formal school uniform.  

Essential information will be provided on the variety of courses available. Included will be specifics on Certificate/Diploma courses offered at Marymount College including:  
- Certificate I Construction  
- Certificate II Kitchen Operations  
- Certificate II Business  
- Certificate II Electrotechnology  
- Certificate II Engineering  
- Certificate II Information, Digital Media & Technology  
- Certificate II Sport & Rec/Certificate III Fitness  
- Certificate III Hospitality  
- Certificate III Early Childhood  
- Certificate III Dance  
- Diploma in Business  

Students interested in studying any form of qualification whether that be as a school subject, as a school based traineeship or as a course offered outside of school by a private institution should also attend.

**Year 10 Gold Coast Institute Of Tafe Open Day**

**Date:** Friday 5 August  
**Location:** Ashmore TAFE  
**Who should attend:** Students who would like to do any other qualification at TAFE which is not offered at school.  
**Dress:** Students are required to wear their formal school uniform.  

**Transport:** Bus transport provided  
Courses covered include Electrical, Plumbing, Marine, Horticulture, Engineering, Carpentry, Cabinet Making, Painting, Bricklaying, Tiling, Plastering, Health, Fitness, Nursing, Hospitality, Travel, Hairdressing, Tourism and Events.

Details have been emailed to all Year 10 students. To register, visit the Marymount College Careers Centre as soon as possible.

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**Marymount College Careers Expo**

**Date:** Tuesday 2 August  
**Time:** 6:00pm - 8:00pm  
**Location:** Doyle Centre  

Posters have been placed throughout the College, and flyers will be coming home with students this week.

Over one hundred industry experts armed with the most up to date resources will be available for one-on-one consultation.

Representatives from:  
- Tertiary Institutions  
- Defence Forces  
- Services  
- Trades  
- Business Professionals  
- The Arts  
- Council  
- Government

This event is not to be missed.

“ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE” LUKE 18:27.
Marymount College 45th Annual Track and Field Carnival
This year’s College Track and Field Carnival is on next Friday 29 July. All events will be held on Friday except for the 1500m events, which will be run during the lunch break on Tuesday 26 July, and the High Jump events, which will be held during the lunch break and Period 5 and 6 on Wednesday 27 July. The final inter-house carnival for the year is always the biggest and the best, so we are envisaging an awesome day of fierce yet friendly inter-house rivalry, colorful costumes, and gorgeous sunny winter weather. A reminder to all students that it is a normal school day and therefore compulsory for everyone to attend.

Student Achievement
Australian U16 Secondary Schools Hockey Team
Congratulations to Year 11 student, Morgan Mathison, on her recent tour of South Africa as a member of the Australian U16 Hockey Team. Morgan’s team, of which she captained, was successful at winning the test match series! What an amazing achievement! Well done Morgan!

Queensland Golf Championships
Earlier this week Year 7 student, Will Ross, competed at the Queensland School Sport 10 – 12 Years Golf Championships at Yeppoon. Will finished Runner-Up in the 12 Years Boys age division and was selected to represent Queensland at the Australian Championships in Adelaide in November. Will’s South Coast Team also won the team event. Congratulations Will on this wonderful achievement!

Queensland Pool Rescue Championships
On 9 and 10 July Year 9 student, Rory Blair, competed at the Queensland Pool Rescue Championships at the Gold Coast Aquatic Centre. Rory won a gold medal in the 12 – 13 Years Boys 100m Manikin Tow and was selected in the Queensland Cyclones Surf Life Saving team to compete at the National Pool Rescue Championships at the start of August. Congratulations Rory!

Cherie Andersen
Head of Sport

On Monday 18 July a group of 11 girls, together with Mrs Browne and Ms Hennigar, travelled to Runaway Bay Sports Centre to play against 6 other netball teams in the Vicki Wilson Cup.

The team, also known as the Marymount Intermediate Development team, was made up of girls from year 8 to year 11 who had been training every Wednesday morning in preparation for the tournament.

Year 8: Halle Geyer and Mackenzie Lenihan
Year 9: Shauna McEvoy, Erin Wildman and Emma Riddell (vice captain).
Year 10: Emily Maxted, Juliana McAlister, Rachael Dornan, Amy Sauvarin and Jessica Milne (captain).
Year 11: Brianna Holland.

The girls started well, winning their first two games against Hillcrest Seniors 13 to 10, and Emmanuel College 17 to 10. Their third game was a tough game against Somerset and the girls lost 14 to 8. We regrouped after this game as we knew the next two games against All Saints and Helensvale High would be very tough as they won their first games by 20 goals. The girls showed great spirit in both games and they fought until the end of each game. They were beaten by All Saints 14 to 8 and by Helensvale High 17 to 8. This was an amazing effort as these two teams were placed first and second at the end of the tournament. The girls finished the day on a high, beating Coombabah 18 to 7.

At the end of the day, the Marymount girls finished 4th out of 7 teams. They should be extremely proud of their effort. They are proof that Marymount College has a depth of talent in netball, sportsmanship and character. Well done girls!

Nicky Browne
Netball Coach

VICKI WILSON CUP - JUNIORS

MARYMOUNT ART SHOW 2016 GALA OPENING
7PM FRIDAY 29 JULY - TICKETS $30 PER PERSON - WWW.TRYBOOKING/KRYB
Vicki Wilson Cup is a joint competition run by Netball QLD and Queensland School Sport entered by all independent, private and state high schools across Queensland.

The Preliminary rounds of the Vicki Wilson Cup competition for the South Coast region commenced this week with our Open girls team competing for a spot in the South Coast Finals for 2016. The top two schools from each Queensland region then play off for the top 16 team placings at the Vicki Wilson Cup Finals Series. This weeks competition was a round robin format and our girls had to win their pool to automatically qualify for the South Coast Finals.

We welcomed back mid court player Brooke Prendergast (Year 12) after her illness which forced her withdrawal from the QISSN competition. The combination of Brooke, Isabella Hamilton and Courtney Bedford was a great injection of the speed needed in the mid court. Isabella, our captain, has been an indispensable team member this year playing just about every position, versatile to say the least.

Shooters Kasey Collins (Year 9) and Felicity Hartley (Year 11) were infallible at our scoring end and the pressure and turn overs from our circle defence consisting of Madi Zahn and Alannah McMullan were added bonuses. Teleah Martin (Year 9), Karla Macpherson and Georgia Brown (Year 12) also had great games in the mid court. Our girls went through the pool games undefeated in all seven games.

Results were as follows:
14-7 vs Coomera Anglican College
16-9 vs AB Patterson
13-8 vs Upper Coomera
13-8 vs Aquinas
12-9 vs Rivermount
16-12 vs Southport High
14-4 vs Windaroo

Our girls were successful in winning their pool and now advance to the South Coast Finals on Friday 24 August at Runaway Bay Sports Centre. They will come up against Coomera Anglican College, Keebra Park SHS, All Saints, Helensvale SHS, AB Patterson College, Somerset College and Palm Beach Currumbin SHS, and will need to finish in the top two if they are to make the State finals Saturday 8 and Sunday 9 October. Many thanks to our wonderful parents who came to support from the bench. We hope to see you again on the 16th.

Kim Smith
Netball Coach
Marymount College Science Night
Doyle Centre
Thursday, August 11 at 6pm

We open the doors of the College to the community and invite you to attend a showcase of science excellence at the Annual Marymount College Science Night. Science projects on display consist of Year 8 and 9 entries in the following categories.

- Scientific Investigation
- Engineering & Technology
- Classified Collection
- Environmental Action Project
- Science Communication

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