VISITORS FROM EARLY DAYS

I was delighted this week to welcome visitors from my early days as a teacher in Far North Queensland. It was affirming to be so warmly met, to immediately connect and to share the strong sense of the community we once belonged to. As we reminisced I was able to share the similarities I have experienced here at Marymount.

Marymount enjoys a great staff. There are many here who have been here a very long time. They love the school, their teaching areas and working with young people. They believe that young people are good, and with guidance, support and praise, will become fine citizens, good workers and excellent parents.

These teachers’ efforts, in Far North Queensland and here at Burleigh, across 20, 30 and 40 years of teaching, have strongly supported the ethos and culture of the schools they have settled in. Their commitment to their school has ensured the continuation of the strong ethos and culture of the school.

As a result, young men and women, like my visitors, 10, 20 and 30 years after leaving their school, continue to live the gospel and draw on the good news and example of those they shared community with in their days at school.

YEAR 11 WORK EXPERIENCE

We are most appreciative of the efforts of so many students, parents and employers to ensure that our Year 11 students will enjoy work experience in the week ahead. The support of the Careers Office to complete contracts and documentation ensures that employers, parents and students are able to enter into the week with confidence. Any concerns should be immediately raised with the Careers Office or the College Administration. The week is part of our ongoing processes to assist students as they continue their transition through the final years of secondary school. We try to help all our students to find their pathway to life beyond high school through course selection in Year 10, their experience of chosen subjects in Year 11, work experience at this time in Year 11 and through ongoing monitoring and support as they complete Year 11 and 12. Parents and students are encouraged to look beyond school as they consider the experience of these final years of school and work with our teachers and the Careers Office. Work experience for Year 11 students at this time is part of this wider context.

ANNUAL CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN

TIME TO COMMIT

This weekend we are asking families to consider their possible contribution to the Annual Catholic Campaign. Any contribution, whether a small amount now, or a small monthly commitment for a year, will assist Centacare, the enrolment of students in Catholic schools, the training of priests and the care for retired priests.

If you can contribute this is the weekend to make a decision about your contribution and return the paperwork.

All that we ask is for families to give consideration to this year’s appeal for financial support. We thank you for your understanding that the good work of the Brisbane Archdiocese depends on the Church asking families to consider supporting this good work. We trust that you will support the Campaign if you are able to.

FETE COMMITTEE MEETING

MARYMOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL ADMIN
6:00PM – 7:00PM MONDAY 17 JUNE

Planning for the Combined Schools Fete is well under way following fortnightly meetings throughout Term 2. Our appreciation to the committee led by Presidents of the Primary (Mr Anthony Touzall) and Secondary (Mr Geoffrey Bolster) Parents and Friends. The Fete will be held on Saturday 19 October. There is much to be done and all parents are invited to consider details advertised in this bulletin and on the Fete web page. Contact Mrs Tracey Dean (5586 1098) at the College if you can assist.

STOP PRESS! 2013 STATE FINALISTS ANNOUNCED FOR SCHOOL-BASED APPRENTICE/TRAINEE OF THE YEAR FOR SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND REGION

Congratulations to two of our Year 12 students for their accomplishment of being named in the top 3 state finalists: Tiarne Davis and Ryan Grant. Both students have worked very hard this year and are both very deserving of this accolade.

Chris Noonan - Principal
Transport: There have been a couple of issues in recent times regarding transport and parking. This article was published in our newsletter previously. It is worth another read. Due to safety concerns the main gates of the college that allow access to the Doyle Centre and the college playing fields will be closed between 2.45pm and 3.15pm each afternoon from Monday to Friday. This will allow a safe corridor for both primary and secondary students when leaving the college grounds or catching their bus. As well as lessen the traffic congestion at the intersection of the service road and the traffic lights.

There are markings placed on the streets leading into the school carpark which clearly indicate the designated lanes for bus entry as well as set down and pick up. We ask parents to adhere to these markings to ensure the safety of our students and for less traffic congestion. Parents should not use the bus lane to pick up or drop off their child.

*Please note - The industrial complex across the road from the college is not a designated school carpark. Cars that use that area to drop off or pick up students can be fined for doing so.

Students who ride a bike to school are required to have a chain and lock for security. No bike should be left outside the bike cage and should be secured at all times.

The college rules regarding travel and conduct when travelling to and from school are as follows:

- No skateboards are allowed
- Students riding bikes will obey all traffic laws which include wearing a helmet
- Students should not ride their bikes in the school premises and bikes to be locked in school bike racks upon arrival
- There is no eating on buses, no littering on buses and no throwing of rubbish from buses
- Students must follow the Department of Transport guidelines for bus travel including the payment of fares
- Students are to cross roads at designated crossings or at traffic lights particularly at Tree Tops Shopping Centre

* Students and parents are reminded that students are to travel directly to and from school.

The majority of students are to be commended for the excellent manner in which they present themselves in both uniform and behaviour when travelling on public transport or on foot. They demonstrate respect for themselves and for others as young adults. I encourage you to discuss these matters with your child. For further information please consult the Student Record Book.

Kyle Connor - Deputy Principal

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APA - SENIOR CURRICULUM

As we continue to roll through the Exam block my congratulations go to the very many students whose initial data and drafts...
of reports coming through indicate they have worked very hard this semester. There are very many pleasing results we are currently processing. This is especially true of Year 11 students who have been ‘thrust’ into the Senior school and post-compulsory education – a highly competitive marketplace, especially if students are trying for an OP. For those students who have not achieved their goals this semester, it is not too late to start up again – even for Year 12 students.

Please check all information with the report cards, especially that regarding the Parent Teacher Interviews coming up, the Year 10 Set Plan process and the QCS testing regime – all Term III events. Best wishes to year 11 students on the Work Experience next week.

Trusting all students and their families have a relaxing and relaxing Winter break.

Peter Shaw - Assistant Principal
Administration - Senior Curriculum

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APA - PASTORAL

As the semester nears completion, it is a good time to reflect on the many positive experiences that have taken place.

The students at Marymount College have a good sense of social justice issues and they can be quite passionate when it comes to addressing some of these issues. Marymount College prides itself on having high expectations of our staff and students, and performances within the classroom, on the sporting field, on the stage and in the yard are due to strong partnerships being forged between the school and the wider school community.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:
Vaccinations are scheduled for Wednesday 10 July (Week 1), for all Year 8 / 10 girls and boys.

Geoff Browne- Assistant Principal Administration - Pastoral

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APA - RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

“The sower soweth the word.”—Mark 4:14

A Worldwide Effort—It’s been nearly 100 years since The Gideons International placed the first Bible in a hotel room in Montana. Today, The Gideons are organized in more than 180 countries around the globe and print Scriptures in more than 80 languages. Through God’s grace and to His Glory, more than 1.3 billion Bibles and New Testaments have been placed by The Gideons, and the work continues . . .

And so it was on last Tuesday morning that the Gideons from South Gold Coast Camp visited our Year 8s and 9s to present each student with a Youth Testament. Gideon Lance Edbroke expressed deep gratitude to the College for the opportunity to do so. In the conversation which ensued it was interesting to learn that not all schools permit them to do so; one even using the excuse that there are no books used in the school any more. Isn’t this ironic that in this IT world when paper books are on the decline that not even a tiny copy of the “Book of Books” has standing for some! We thank the Gideons for visiting Marymount to bring us the gift of the Youth Testament. May their work continue to flourish for hundreds of years to come. Year 9s enjoyed their Reflection Day on Wednesday enormously. We could say that our Reflection Days with Michael Fitzpatrick are such a tradition at Marymount that Michael is himself an extension of our charism in many ways. These are quite unique experiences for the students and remembered long afterwards.

The 5.30 pm Mass in the Doyle Centre this coming Sunday will be an occasion for our First XIII Confraternity Rugby League team as they present themselves to the Parish as representatives of our whole Marymount Community. These boys, from Years 10 to 12, have been training since last October for the upcoming Confraternity Carnival at Townsville which involves teams from Catholic Colleges all over Queensland. Fr Huong will bless them and send them on their way. Our QISSN Netball teams will be participating in the girls’ carnival at the same time. We wish them all the very best of luck, may they all travel safely, play their best and return to us happy that they have done us proud!

Year 11s will be on Retreat in Week 2 next term, 17-19th July. Please ensure permission slips are returned promptly. There are four venues, Bornhoffen (which will have two groups), Marsden, Kindilian and Outlook. Keep us in your prayers as we prepare for this special time. Thank you to all those generous people who have sent donations for Rosies and Families Back on Track. Our last Rosies visit for this semester will take place on Monday of next week.

Dolores Maitland - Assistant Principal Administration - Religious Education

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FROM OUR ADMINISTRATION TEAM

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**APA - JUNIOR CURRICULUM**

There is a small window of opportunity for Year Nine and Ten students to change their electives for next semester. This is only possible if there are vacancies in the class and it is a reasonable request.

Change of Subject Forms are available from Student Administration Office and the signed form must be returned before the end of term.

Reports will be posted at the end of next week and please take note of the Parent Teacher interviews on the 16th July from 3.20 pm – 6.00 pm. Further information will be with the reports and on the website. The students are also expected to be with their parents at the interview.

Marie Hansen - Assistant Principal Administration - Junior Curriculum
R&DANCE EXCURSION

On Saturday night Year 8, 9 & 10 Dance students headed on a bus to the Art Centre to see Expressions Dance Company perform R&J. Natalie Weirs’ contemporary take on Romeo and Juliet. There were three different stories based on Romeo and Juliet all set in different eras, showcasing passion, romance and devotion.

The first story we watched was named Passion still derived from Romeo and Juliet but with a modern day twist. Set in Fortitude Valley in modern day Brisbane, among the pulsing nightclub scene Juliet becomes entangled in a dangerous love triangle. Believing that Romeo is dead, Juliet tragically overdoses on drugs to kill herself.

The second story we watched was named Romance and out of all of the stories it was most like the original play. The two ‘star-crossed lovers’ are brought together by fate; despite the fact that their families despise each other, they fall in love. Everyone keeps trying to tear them apart and eventually fate gives them a devastating conclusion.

The final story was my favourite! It was named Devotion. It was set in the 1950’s. The two main characters were completely devoted to each other however, they start to find one another annoying. They discover that it was just a bump in the road and everything is fine as they get into a routine. The props used on the stage were two chairs metaphorically being them. The facial expressions were brilliant and all three stories were emotionally moving.

Going to R&D was such a great experience. It allowed us, as students, to see a professional performance, which is good because it’s quite rare to see. It was interesting to see how everything the actors did flowed naturally. Whilst everything they did was perfect, the dancers looked lost in the movement which made it easier for the audience to connect with the underlying meaning of the show. It was such a wonderful experience and I would definitely recommend it!

Jayde Hand - Year 8 reporter and participant

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YEAR EIGHT, SEMESTER 1

Year 8 students 2013 came from many different Primary schools. The majority of students came from Marymount Primary, St Augustine’s and St Vincent’s.

Students were quick to notice that primary school was very different to high school. In high school at the end of each class, students have to walk to a totally new classroom, which gives time to release excess energy. I personally like the fact that we had to walk to a totally new classroom, which gives time to release excess energy. I personally like the fact that for each subject we get a new teacher. In primary school we stayed in one class for the whole day and if we had bad teachers we were stuck with them for the rest of the year, not that I have had any bad teachers!

Some students found it hard to get used to the routine of our high school while for others it just clicked. Now the majority of students have settled into the high school routines.

The first semester of Year 8 has just breezed past as we participated in so many new activities. On our third day of high school we had our first Marymount Swimming Carnival. We were each told our House colour and we all eagerly dressed up in that colour. There were some very interesting costumes. I even remember seeing a girl in Katandra dressed as a Volcano.

At the start of this term we had the musical, The Wedding Singer. There were about 30 Year 8 students who participated in the musical. We had rehearsals on Mondays and Thursdays from 3pm to 5pm. The musical was performed in the Gold Coast Art Centre on the 2nd and 3rd May. This event was such a great way to meet other students in older grades that you didn’t get the chance to speak to usually.

Then of course you have Camp: this year’s Camp was the best I’ve been to and the other students say so too. At camp there was a lot of activities to do with heights. We had to put out trust into others and we also had to encourage others to give everything a go. Mrs Cooper and Mr Turner did a great job arranging the Camp for the Year 8 students.

The celebrations for “Have A Heart” Day and “St Patrick’s” Day were awesome. There were lots of fun activities to do during lunch breaks. The Year 11s and 12s even painted love hearts and four-leaf clovers on our cheeks. Two weeks ago we had M-Fest. This festival was great because so many talented musicians from our school performed and entertained us with wonderful music and singing. This created an exciting and vibrant atmosphere and made lunchtime even more fun.

In semester 2, the Year 8s are looking forward to Science Night, Principal’s Awards, the Mikunigaoka High School visit and the School Fete.

The Year 8 students wish everyone a safe and happy holiday! We thank the Marymount staff for providing us with an exciting education in a safe and welcoming environment.

Elaine Blackwell - Year 8 reporter
YEAR 9 REFLECTION DAY 2013

This year’s Reflection Day at Bond University was all about finding courage and strength within yourself, not caring what other people think about you and coming together as a cohort to support those who need it. The activities we participated in were designed to unify the grade together and remove barriers between groups and individuals. Confidence and bravery was evident when classmates took the opportunity to complement others who they admire for their positive attributes and inclusive attitude. Other people took the bold step of apologising to people that they may have been less than kind to. Each year Reflection day marks an important milestone in the emotional and social development of each student. Hopefully beyond this day, we will be conscious of the impact of our communication with and treatment of others and come together to make high school a pleasant experience for all.

Bella Cantoni - Year 9 reporter and participant

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YEAR 9 – HALFWAY THROUGH

It is a weird feeling having come to the end of a semester in what seems like such a short time even though this terms has been long and has tired out almost all of the Year 9s. I am sure we are all very glad for the holidays.

The things that Year 9 have achieved so far are as a group:

1. We have grown to accept each other for who we are;
2. We talk to people who we don’t normally talk to and
3. We accept them for their differences which is a great skill in life.

The things I enjoyed the most in Year 9 so far is developing the friendships that we made in Year 8 and progressing on them so we know more about the people.

The most difficult aspect to adjust to in Year 9 is the level of expectation which is very different to Year 8. In Year 9 all of our assignments are due over a duration of 1-2 weeks which can pile up and become daunting if you do not stay on top of your work. Next semester I am looking forward to trying to sew in Home Economics - it will be good to try something new.

Maddy MacPherson - Year 9 reporter

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Q AND A WITH YEAR 10 COORDINATORS

As semester 1 of 2013 quickly draws to a close, we reflect back on the previous two terms, what we have achieved, what we want to achieve and how we can improve. They have been two exciting terms with Reflection Days, Musical Week, Sporting Carnivals and Music Events and throughout all the buzz of these events as well as Careers work, we have all come out the other side, ready for a hard earned break and before we know it, we will be back at school, continuing the last part of our junior schooling before stepping into the roles of senior students. I had a chat with Mr. Hamilton, Year 10 Coordinator about finishing Semester 1.

How does it feel coming to the end of the semester? As semester 1 comes to an end, students and teachers are both busy, submitting work and writing reports. Mrs Smith and I will be taking our netball and football teams up to Townsville during the holidays, including Year 10 students Jordan Browne to join the netball girls, and Keim Baxter and Lachlan Smith who will compete with the other Year 11 and 12 boys in the Marymount Confraternity team.

What things have the Year 10s achieved so far? It has been great to see many of the Year 10 students Jordan Browne to join the netball girls, and Keim Baxter and Lachlan Smith who will compete with the other Year 11 and 12 boys in the Marymount Confraternity team.

What have you enjoyed the most? As Year 10 Coordinator, I thoroughly enjoyed the Year 10 Reflection Day, held at Bond University, earlier in the year. Also, the State of Origin barbeque breakfast and the ANZAC Burleigh Dawn Service were most enjoyable; seeing the Year 10s supporting the school was very pleasing indeed.

What has been the most difficult aspect to deal with for Year 10s? Apart from the number of students applying themselves academically, there have been a large number of boys displaying poor behaviour and application in class, however we aim to work on this in the coming terms.

What are you looking forward to in semester 2? I am really looking forward to the interschool rugby league and also having the Year 10 Parish mass, as well as the Battle of the Sexes. We have a few exciting events that will take place over the last two terms, so I am very excited for them! On behalf of Mrs Smith and myself, we wish everyone a safe and happy holiday with families. We hope your school reports give an accurate reflection on semester 1 and if there is improvement needed, that can happen in semester 2.

Shari Johnson – Year 10 reporter
Recently in year 10 Business, we have been planning and preparing for business week which is held in the last week of term 2.

We had two guest speakers to help us understand the intricacies of running a business in today’s economic environment.

The first speaker was Greg Connors, the founder of “Sprung” a hip-hop festival hosted in Brisbane. He talked to us about what is involved in starting up a business.

The second speaker was Trent Williams, the franchise owner of the Bank of Queensland at Palm Beach. He discussed the main elements of a business plan.

Both of the speakers were very informative and inspirational to the Year 10 Business classes heading into business week.

Harrison Cunningham – Year 10 participant

On Wednesday the 5th June, 12 other students and I travelled down to Stocklands Shopping Centre, Burleigh.

On arrival, Lauren the Community Liaison Officer greeted us and we went into the business/meeting room where we spent most of our day.

In there we met Kent, the Centre Manager, Sarah, the Marketing Manager and Garry, the Facility Manager. Together this team of three told us about their role in the facility and how they kept the Centre running. Then we went on a quick introduction tour with Kent around the center to show us stuff that we never knew like jewelry shops are always on corners because they like to have customers coming from both directions, that the shops on the outside of the center cost more or that the doors have counters on them to track the number of people coming in and out of the shop, and so on.

We went back to the meeting room for morning tea, and then with the help of Kent we made our own store. We had to make a car park, put shops in and choose shops that would help the area (eg. Woolworths). We went to Woolworths to meet Tony the manager. He took us into the butcher department, the bakery and the seafood.

There he showed us all different machines, how they work and what they do.

Then we went back to the meeting room had a good lunch and talked to Sarah and Garry and they explained what we would be doing next. After that we split into two groups. I was in group 1 and we went with Sarah first. She explained to us her new marketing campaign. Then we met Garry at Boost Juice and he took us to the electrical room, the air conditional room and the fire drill room (incase of a fire)

After we went to the meeting room and had a quick recap and summary of the day. Overall it was a learning experience and gave me a backup plan for my future career, I highly recommend this experience to anyone and if you are give the chance definitely take up the opportunity.

Kirby Heck – Year 10 participant

In the last week of term 2, our Year 10 Business classes form teams and compete against each other for the best in setting up their business. The sections under which they are judged are: Logo and Slogan design, Business Plan, Venture Pitch, Trade Display, Advertisement, Website, Teamwork, best CEO and overall Best Team.

The three days are jam packed with activities whilst the teams organise themselves to reach their deadlines and produce quality entries into the competition. The students learn by experience whilst having fun in a realistic business environment.

Their Venture Pitches are being delivered on Thursday (20 June) morning between 8.30 and 10.30 am.

Their Trade Displays will be open between 12.00 pm and 1.00 pm Thursday (20 June). Parents are welcome to visit and support their students in their endeavours.

Colleen Organ - Head of Business Studies
This semester, the Year 11 students have had to adjust to life in senior school. With the help of our dedicated Year Coordinators, Mr Caroll and Ms Anderson, we have been able to successfully navigate exam block, the senior assessment policy and the many responsibilities put on us now as senior students at the College.

This semester has been one of many experiences and opportunities, including traineeships for some students, extra-curricula activities, sporting and academic success, school events and excursions.

For the past two weeks, Year 11 students have been in shutdown for our second exam block this year. With some previous experience, we were prepared for exams, followed the procedure and gave our best efforts across the board. Our coordinators have applauded us for our efforts, saying that they are very pleased with the transition that the students have made into the senior school.

This term, as a year level, we have also focused on getting in the right frame of mind for our upcoming Retreat in Term 3, another new experience for each of us. Term 2 isn’t over yet and after putting in our best efforts in exam block we now have a week of work experience beginning on the 17th June.

Students have applied for work experience with a wide variety of businesses all over the Coast and beyond, and look forward to gaining valuable experience in our career areas of interest. Overall, it has been a challenging yet rewarding semester in Year 11. We’ve been kept busy, as have our Coordinators, who feel that we are ready to take on Term 3.

“We feel like the year group is in a good place to embrace the Retreat experience and take on the challenges of the leadership process which begins next term.”

Congratulations to the students of Year 11 for persistent efforts and commendable behaviour, and to Mr Caroll and Ms Anderson for supporting us on every step of our journey so far.

I think we’ve all earned a holiday!

Jasmine Hodson - Year 11 Reporter

We thought term 1 was hectic. The fact that we’ve already arrived at the conclusion of term 2 really brings home how much time is flying, and that this year will pause for no one. I think it’s fair to say, from a Year 12 perspective, the end of this term is a milestone placing us halfway through our last year, and it’s met with mixed feelings. Relieved – to be certain.

This semester spared no student, teacher or parent. But it is also a time to realise that the next semester is likely to speed by at a similarly astounding pace. And that’s more than a little frightening. But I think it’s important that we remain focused in the present, and enjoy where we’re at while we’re here. If Year 12 has taught me anything, it’s that every experience passes, and so you really, really ought to make the very most of it whilst its still a possibility.

This semester we’ve seen so much happen and achieved so much, whether it be as a Parish community, as a grade or on an individual level. We’ve been presented with endless scope for personal and group development.

From penning letters and sending them off to Australian troops overseas, to venturing down to Ozanam Villa to wish the retired residents a wonderful Mother’s Day; to the annual school social, Valentine’s and St Patrick’s Days and those special Marymount events like Have a Heart Day and M-Fest, I’d like to say we really have made the most of this semester.

So, before diving head first into what’s sure to be another go getter term, why not take these holidays to reflect on all that’s happened so far in the 2013 school year, and be sure to come back rejuvenated and refreshed!

Monnie Esmond - School Captain
On Wednesday 5th June were the Individual South Coast Region Trials for Surfing and the South Coast MR Shield Teams surfing competition. We had 6 students compete in the 2 events on the day. In the individual events we need to congratulate Nick Callister (Under 19yr Boys) and Lucy Callister (Under 16yr Girls) on qualifying for the South Coast team to compete at the State Surfing Titles being held on the Gold Coast from August 1 – 4. In the MR Shield we had 1 team entered in each of the Under 19 and Under 16 boys competitions. Well done to Nick Callister and Bennett Bethune (Under 19 Boys) on winning the South Coast MR Shield and they will now go on to contest the State Titles also from August 1 – 4 on the Gold Coast.

Our trials for the interschool teams in the AGCC semester two competition continue next week and the first week back. Make sure you bring any equipment or change of clothing you need to be able to participate fully in the trials.

If you have your team uniform from semester 1 sports at home please return to your semester 1 coach before the 11th July. Any students with outstanding uniforms after that date will be sent invoices to pay for replacements.

_Trent Balym - Head of Sport_
READERS CUP

On Wednesday night, grandmas and mums battled the stormy weather to get to St Stevens, up in Coomera, for the Readers Cup competition. Readers Cup is a fun trivia quiz, questioning the students on 6 books they have read – or haven’t read! - over the last 11 weeks.

Whilst All Saints Anglican had a very high-scoring victory and will be going forward to the next state competition, our girls were one of the other 11 schools that didn’t make it.

Better luck next time girls! – Olivia, Lauren, Shannen, Alexandra and Romy.

THAT TIME OF THE TERM

It’s that time of the term when students should be checking their school bags, lockers and bedrooms for those elusive school library books which seem to so easily be forgotten! Please ask your son or daughter if they’ve borrowed anything this term – or if they have checked their emails for an overdue notice.

EXAMS

11s and 12s on shutdown have been utilizing the library for study as they await their exams. Nervousness is evident, as is last-minute cramming!

Janet Cartlidge
Teacher/Librarian

SCHOOL HOLIDAY PROGRAM
JUNE 2013 - ACTING WORKSHOPS
FOR: 6-18 YEARS
LOCATION: MERMAID BEACH
LIMITED NUMBER OF SPACES AVAILABLE

DATES: 25TH TO 28TH JUNE
JUNIORS: 6-12 YEARS:
830AM-1130AM
SENIORS: 13+:
1230PM – 430PM

COST:
JUNIORS: $20 PER DAY
SENIORS: $25 PER DAY

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St Augustine’s Catholic Primary School, Coolangatta

Grade 7 – Class of 1983
and those enrolled in this class in the preceding years

30 Year Reunion

Sunday 7th July 2013 - 1pm – 6pm
$30 per tickets inc. Platters (On Sale Now)
Partners Welcome – At Yumgum Surf Club
(Any profit made from tickets sales shall be placed on the bar)

For ticket payments: Angie Lowe Ph. 0408 911 456
Direct credit payments to be made to: BSB 066 505 ACC # 1003 4638 (Please include name in Payment Reference) Please email ricardos@bigpond.com when payment is made and to provide your postal address for tickets to be mailed.
MARYMOUNT COLLEGE ANNUAL CAREERS EXPO
“STEER YOUR CAREER”

A number of requests have gone out earlier on in the term for Parent/Carer/Past Student assistance at this event (Tuesday, 23rd July from 6pm-8pm).

We have received some response but are still very interested to have representation from within the following industries:

Construction - Mining
Tourism - Agriculture

Anyone with experience and knowledge based around these areas, we would be very keen to hear from you.

This one-off, two hour commitment only involves face-to-face discussions with those interested in your area of expertise.

NO PUBLIC SPEAKING IS REQUIRED.

Please contact Ms Leesa Lutze via E: llutze@marymont.qld.edu.au or P: 55861063 for further details and to register your involvement.

YEAR 11 WORK EXPERIENCE WEEK

A reminder for Year 11 students heading out into the community next week as part of the Work Experience program to please contact their employer prior to confirm expectations such as clothing requirements, hours/days of work, meal and transport requirements.

This is also an opportunity to introduce yourself further and ask any additional questions you may have.

Contact details have been provided with contract paperwork forwarded to students earlier. Should you have any problems contacting your employer, please phone the Marymount College Careers Office on P: 55861073.

GOLD COAST INSTITUTE OF TAFE 2014

DIRECT ENTRY PROGRAM: Secure your place early in any Diploma program commencing in Semester 1, 2014 at GCIT by applying to the Direct Entry Program.

A number of Scholarships will also be awarded to students who can display commitment to studies and involvement in the career area of their choice.

If you are interested in securing a placement prior to completing Year 12, this is also an excellent option.

See the Marymount College Careers Office for further details and to register your interest.

TAFE TO UNIVERSITY PATHWAYS:
We’ve also been supplied with updated information booklets on TAFE/University Pathways Guides. This guide provides details on how Diploma level courses offered by TAFE articulate into Degree Courses at a variety of Universities.

Should you be interested, see the Marymount College Careers Office.

SCHOOLS PROGRAM: GCIT have also supplied the 2014 Schools Program information for next Years’ 10 to 12 students keen to pursue a Certificate Level qualification while still at school in any of the following: Beauty, Fashion & Hairdressing, Children’s Services, Fitness, Health, Hospitality, Events & Tourism, Media and Trades.

See the Marymount College Careers Office for a copy.

SOUTHERN CROSS UNIVERSITY

SCU will be conducting their Gold Coast Course Options Day on Friday, 2nd August. Expressions of interest are currently being taken by the Marymount College Careers Office. The day will provide a visit to the campus, an opportunity to meet students and staff, they will gain course information, as well as STAR scheme details, and cost and scholarship facts.

Interested students should register their interest as soon as possible.

SCHOOL BASED TRAINEESHIP VACANCIES

The high profile training provider People & Performance Solutions located in Robina are offering a Reception role involving a Certificate III in Business Administration.

Sumo Salad at Pacific Fair has a number of Certificate III Hospitality positions available which would include barista and food preparation training.

For further details on either of these positions and the many others...
available, please see the Marymount College Careers Office today.

**GOLD COAST CAMPUS BSH**
(BRISBANE SCHOOL OF HAIRDRESSING)

A 3 day Winter School course is being offered from 1-3 July (9.30am-3pm) at the Southport Campus.

If you are thinking of joining the creative service industry, this course is sure to help you see where the beauty industry can take you!

This 3 day workshop includes unique workshop activities from styling on mannequin heads, communication skills, personal grooming, confidence building, applying make-up and skincare techniques and even nail art. Enrolments close Wednesday, 26th June and cost is $150. For further details visit www.brishair.com.au or phone: 55911644.

**UQ YOUNG SCHOLARS PROGRAM**

The University of Queensland’s Young Scholars Program (YSP) provides high achieving secondary school students with an opportunity to discover, learn and engage with UQ’s academic Community and like-minded students.

The program involves a 5 day (4 night) Residential Camp (Sunday, 24 – Thursday, 28 November 2013) as well as a YSP Reunion at UQ Open Day (Sunday, 3rd August). The program cost of $595 includes all activities, meals and accommodation (fee waivers and travel bursaries are available to assist student who would not otherwise be able to participate).

For further details visit www.uq.edu.au/youngscholars or see the Marymount College Careers Office.

**COLLEGE BLAZERS**

A lot of College blazers have been borrowed and not returned to the Bookshop. The blazers are provided for ALL students who represent the College off campus and so they need to be returned to the Bookshop immediately the function/event has finished. Students have been asked to return any blazers outstanding to the Bookshop. Unfortunately, none have come back. Please check at home and if you find a blazer, please return to the school immediately.

**STUDENTS OF THE WORLD**

Host Families are urgently required for Italian and French students. Italian Students 14-18 years arriving June 22 departing August 20/September 13. French Students 13-18 years, arriving July 7/July 18, departing August 27. Student attends school and stay with Australian families. Although families are not paid, $400 for Italian and $300 for French students, will be given to each family to assist cover expenses. Please email studentsoftheworld.au@gmail.com for a host family application form and details about the student.
Marymount SPRING FETE
Saturday 19th October 2013 - 11am to 5pm

This is our combined school’s major fundraiser for 2013. If every family could get involved in some way, it could make this our most successful fete ever!

URGENT!

Plant Stall Convenor required

ART UNION

We will be conducting an Art Union as our major fundraising activity.

We have already had some generous donations, but we still need significant donations to ensure that the art union’s prizes are substantial enough to secure ticket sales. There are only a few weeks left to finalise the Art Union.

DONATIONS PLEASE!!!

Thank you to everyone for their generous donations to date.

BUT we still need plenty of donations for our Cent Auction – e.g. dinners at restaurants; hotel accommodation; small electrical items; homewares; toy items etc. (all items need to be new).

Can you help with small items – e.g. popper drinks; small potato chips; lollies; novelty items; small stationery items???

The second hand book stall is also accepting donations, these can be dropped off to Jenny Mellifont at the Primary School book shop. Contact no. 5520 8410.

LIST OF FETE RIDES

- Storm
- Bat Tower
- Jungle Jive Big Bouncer
- Round Up
- Miami/Avalanche
- Super Slide
- Cup & Saucer
- Mini Pirate Ship

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VOLUNTEERS – WE WANT YOU!!

We need parent volunteers; to help in stalls; with activities; to assist ride operators; to assist with set-up and take down.
Whether you are able to help out for 1 or 2 hours, or all day, any time that you can offer will be appreciated.

Please don’t wait to be asked!

Contact Tracey Dean on 5586 1000, mobile 0403 834 883 or email tdean@bne.catholic.edu.au

CALL FOR SPONSORSHIP

We still need more sponsorship for this big event and if you can support the Fete by providing any level of sponsorship this would contribute greatly to ensuring a successful day. Sponsors will be given various levels of advertising, beginning with advertising in our Fete Newsletters and the Fete programs on the day.

For a sponsorship proposal contact Tracey Dean on 5586 1000, mobile 0403 834 883 or email tdean@bne.catholic.edu.au

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Please come along and join our hardworking committee!
The next fete meeting will be:
Monday 17th June 6pm-7pm in the Primary School Staffroom

RIDEs
Ride passes will be on sale prior to the event.
MASS TIMES

**Infant Saviour - Burleigh Heads**  Sat. 6:15pm -  Sun. 7:00am

**Calvary - Miami**  Sat. 5:00pm -  Sun. 8:30am

**Our Lady of the Way - Palm Beach**  Sat. 6:00pm -  Sun. 7:00am

**St Benedict’s - Mudgeeraba**  Sun. 8:30am

**Doyle Centre - Burleigh Waters**  Sun. 10:00am -  5:30pm

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Contact Publications now on 5586 1006 or newsletter@marymount.qld.edu.au
IMPORTANT NOTICES

MARYMOUNT COLLEGE
School Reunion 2013

CLASSES OF 83-93-03
Saturday 7 September 2013

In the P & F Courtyard from 3:30pm to 6:00pm

All Graduating students of 2003, 1993 & 1983
(No Partners Please)

Drinks & finger food will be provided – Call for Cost

SEE YOU THERE

RSVP by Tuesday 3rd September 2013
Phone: 07 5586 1000 to confirm attendance
Or
Email: mkelly@marymount.qld.edu.au or
tjohnston@marymount.qld.edu.au

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Weekend date: 6th – 8th September 2013
Venue: Santa Teresa, Ormiston QLD

For bookings/details contact: Tamara and Scott Menteith, ph (07) 4634 3559, stjmen@aapt.net.au

Information website: www.wwme.org.au

God to enfold me,
God to surround me,
God in my speaking,
God in my thinking,
God in my sleeping,
God in my waking,
God in my watching,
God in my hoping,
God in my life,
God in my lips,
God in my soul,
God in my heart,
God in my sufficing,
God in my slumber,
God in mine ever-living soul,
God in mine eternity.

Ancient Celtic oral traditions - Carmina Gaedelica