



CHANEL COLLEGE

news



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Term 4 Week 6

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"To act justly, to love tenderly and walk humbly with your God" Micah 6:8

From the Principal

Jesus' sacrifice on the cross is nothing else than the culmination of the way he lived his entire life. Moved by his example, we want to enter fully into the fabric of society, sharing the lives of all, listening to their concerns, helping them materially and spiritually in their needs, rejoicing with those who rejoice, weeping with those who weep; arm in arm with others, we are committed to building a new world.

Pope Francis Evangelii Gaudium

Combined P and F and Board Dinner

Last night Mrs Going's Year 11 Hospitality class prepared a delicious meal for the members of the P and F and the College Board. The students did a fantastic job and we are very proud of their efforts. The Italian Apple Cheesecake and Pecan Puddings were a particular hit! Thanks to Mrs Going for overseeing the preparations and to Mrs Herbert and Mrs Green who also assisted in the kitchen.

Year 12 Retreat

Last week the Year 12s experienced their final retreat at Chanel. This has been a very special time for the Year 12 students as they take time out to reflect on their lives and their relationship with God.

The retreat program would not be the success that it is without the dedicated staff... a huge thank you to Mrs Hore and Mr Rose who spent the whole week at retreat. Thank you also to Mrs Logan, Miss Barbagallo, Mr Galea, Mrs Herbert, Ms Dyer, Miss Davis, Mr Hayes, Mrs Marsh, Mrs Shahgholi and Mrs Kenny who led the small group discussions and/or presented during the week.

Year 12 Transition Week

The Year 12s are almost finished exams. Congratulations to all! Next week we have several special events to celebrate their graduation. I am sure that Year 12s are looking forward to the Graduation Dinner at the Gladstone Entertainment Convention Centre Wednesday night. Students will commence arrivals at 5.30 pm.

On Friday 18 November we have a great day planned commencing with the Presentation Assembly at 9.15 am followed by a light luncheon. The College community will farewell them with a special Graduation Mass that will be celebrated by Bishop Michael that commences at 1.00 pm.

I would encourage families to arrive early and note that car parking is available in the new car park and on the basketball courts. Please follow directions of the parking attendants. Please note that the College Office will be closed from 1.00 – 2.00 pm for Mass. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the many staff who have organised the events of transition week.

Graduation Day is a wonderful community celebration as we farewell them. Attendance by all students is compulsory on this day and will be recorded as a "significant event" on the Semester 2 report.

God bless
S. M. Volp
Sharon Volp





Good News

Kath Hore - Mission & RE Support Officer



As you know our Principal, Miss Sharon Volp, will be leaving Chanel College at the end of this year to take up a position as Principal of Mt St Michael's College in Brisbane.

All parents are warmly invited to attend the

Whole School Farewell Mass

on Monday 14 November at 9.00 am in the Marian Centre.

and / or the

Whole Parish Farewell Mass

on Sunday 27 November at 9.00 am in the Marian Centre.

Note: The College Office will be closed 9.00 am - 10.00 am for the Whole School Farewell MASS

Year 12 Retreat

Last week our Year 12 students travelled to Chaverim for their last Chanel Retreat and the staff attending had nothing but praise for the manner in which the students conducted themselves – they were wonderful!

Congratulations to all our Year 12 students and thank you to all the staff who assisted on both Retreats and the staff who took on extra duties, maintaining normality, at Chanel.

Movers & Shakers

Movers and Shakers is back in 2017! This Christian leadership training program has been running since 1990 and is a key strategy in developing young leaders. In 2017, Movers & Shakers will take place from the **29 March – 2 April** at the **James Byrne Centre, Toowoomba**. Any current Year 10 or Year 11 students who are interested in attending please see Mrs Hore.

For more information visit <http://www.moversandshakers.org.au/>

Second Hand Uniforms

The second hand uniform 'shop' is open each Wednesday at first break (during the School Term). Money raised supports the work of various missions both nationally and internationally.

If you have uniforms your child no longer requires - all donations are gratefully accepted and many thanks to those who have already sent in donations.

Thursday Mass

NO MASS next Thursday 17 November

Graduation Mass is on Friday 18 November at 1.00 pm in the Marian Centre and you are cordially invited to join the Chanel Community as we celebrate and farewell our Year 12 students.

Note: The College Office will be closed 1.00 pm - 2.00 pm for the Graduation MASS

Please Pray for ...

- The sick and suffering in our world, especially people in our Chanel community
- Civilians in Syria and other Middle Eastern countries as the political unrest continues to cause pain and suffering
- Year 12 students as they come to the end of their time at Chanel that they will achieve the results they deserve and safely celebrate their transition into life beyond school.
- The Grant family as they grieve the loss of Thomas

Praise and Thanks for...

- Civilians and defence personnel working to rebuild lives and to bring peace, unity and justice in many parts of the world.
- Individuals and organisations who diligently work to alleviate poverty and inequality in our world.
- The privilege of living in a country where education and health facilities are accessible

If you have any requests for either of the above prayers, please leave your request at the Office.

Sam & Sami inspired by Guest Speaker

Last Friday morning, we had the pleasure of attending the Mayor's Care Breakfast, held at the Gladstone Entertainment and Convention Centre, with Mrs Wales. We met bright-eyed and bushy-tailed at 6:45am and were greeted warmly by both members of the public and staff of other schools. We sat down and enjoyed a wonderful breakfast put on by the hosts of the function. We laughed and were inspired by the anecdotes, stories and jokes of one of Australia's finest athletes and motivational speakers, Mr Steven Bradbury. We would like to thank the GECC and the mayor for the opportunity to attend such an event!

Sam Romagnolo and Sami Green
2017 College Captains



Co-Curricular

Monday

14 November 10.10 am

Awards Assembly

The Co-Curricular Awards Assembly will start at **10.10 am on Monday 14 November** in the Marian Centre, after the Farewell Mass. **All parents and friends are warmly invited to attend.** This special assembly is a wonderful opportunity to congratulate the many students who have participated in Co-Curricular activities throughout 2016. Why not look at the pictures to try to identify the Co-Curricular activities?

Wendy Marsh
Co-Curricular Program Leader



2017 New Zealand Trip

Attention Current Year 10 & 11 Students

Due to the overwhelming response to the New Zealand trip we have made a few changes to the initial process. We have too many students wishing to join the tour; therefore the names will be drawn in a ballot. This ballot will now take place on **Monday 14 November**.

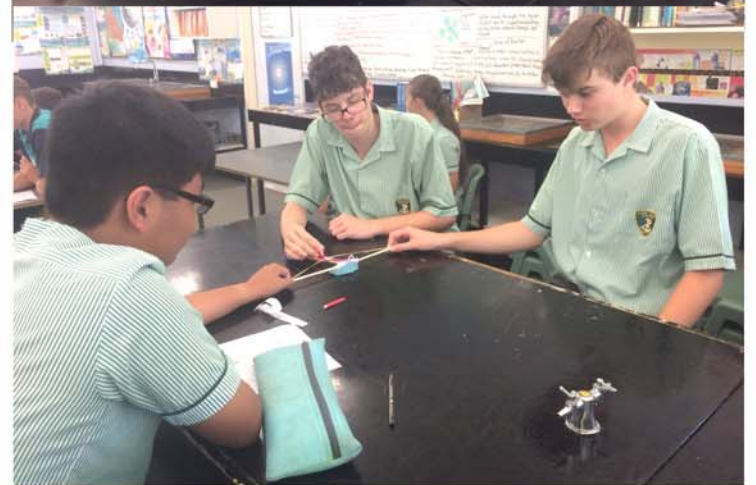
If you have returned your acknowledgment you do not need to complete this form. If you have not returned your permission slip and wish to be in the ballot please return the acknowledgement slip no later than **Friday the 11 November** to the College Office.

Expand Your Mind

On Thursday 3 November, five students from Year 9 spent a day at Toolooa High School, participating in the QMEA Expand Your Mind program. This day was full of fun and challenging experiences where we participated in hands on activities. One of the first activities was the Robotics Challenge, where we had to navigate a 'cargo ship' through the Gladstone Ports efficiently. We then participated in a chemical challenge where we had to put our knowledge to the test and separate a range of materials in a beaker and weigh each material. The last activity of the day was a coin launcher challenge in which we had a limited budget to build an object that launches a coin onto a drop zone.

This day was informal and a good experience for an idea of the types of careers relating to STEM. I would recommend any students who are interested in science, maths and robotics to attend this day next year or any other QMEA program.

Lucy Vaiente
Year 9 Student



Café CHANEL

Thank you to all the parents, grandparents, staff and students who were customers at Café Chanel in 2016.

At the beginning of the year when Lynn Herbert, Lorraine Johnson and I started developing the concept for Café Chanel, it felt like a daunting task. For the first time at Chanel College the Certificate II Hospitality students were going to run an authentic café. The plan was to allow students to work in a simulated Café environment. Opening hours would be from 9.00 am to 2.30 pm with a la carte menu, a range of beverages and sit down service. There were so many elements to the café that needed to be planned, organised and developed; things such as branding, advertising, sourcing foods, trialling menus and practicing on the espresso machine.

But most of all the question on all our minds, were we going to get any customers?

Term 1 we advertised the first Chanel Café to students, staff and parents. The students served just over 90 customers. In Term 2 we had a massive increase with 150 customers coming to the Café. Our expectations for the Café in Term 3 were surpassed with 210 customers. Finally in Term 4 there were 188 customers.

The Café has provided the students with a tremendous amount of real world learning outcomes. They have learnt how to work under pressure, customer service skill, making quality food and beverage, plating to industry standards and working the industrial dish washer. They have also learnt about sore feet, working as a team member and how to keep going when you are tired and hot and the ice cream is melting. The positive feedback from the customers at the Café has given them sense of satisfaction when a job is done well.

We could not have achieved any of this without customers.

So thank you for your support and we look forward to continuing to develop Café Chanel in 2017.



sporting news

Kylie Kickbusch
Sports Program Leader

Interschool Touch Football

Well the interschool touch football competition has wrapped up for another year. The Year 7/8 and 9/10 boys played in the last round of finals on Tuesday. The Year 9/10 boys team has been a consistent and entertaining team to coach and watch all season. Usually down on players, and borrowing some of the youth from the 7/8 team, they have turned up each week and displayed exciting and silky touch skills. Led by their star player Tallis Stanhope, the boys piled on the tries in the first couple of rounds before injury struck. They did not let this get them down and all pulled together to continue on their winning ways. This week the team played off for 2nd and 3rd positions against State High. The state team came out firing and took an early 3 nil lead before a perfect cut-out pass by Cameron Fitzsimmons saw the boys score their first try. Down -1 at half time, the second half went the way of Chanel, scoring 3 unanswered tries before state finished off the game, but not before Kai Nugent ran

down 1 of their fastest players down the side-line. Fantastic effort from the boys but unfortunately they went down 8-4. Player's Player is awarded to Kai Nugent for his skill, speed and talk on the field. Congratulations Kai and to the 9/10 Boys for finishing 3rd in the comp.



Year 7/8 Boys Interschool Touch Football

So another Interschool Touch Football season has ended with our future All Schools Touch program looking very healthy indeed!

The Year 7/8 Boys team had a stellar season, consistently performing at a very high standard and finishing the season undefeated! Led by the diminutive Matt Long and his organisational skills and wicked dummies, the speed of Harry Drier and Nick Crane and Connor Lantry's tries were a feature. Aply assisted by the craft of William Devlin and Callum Fitzsimmons around the ruck and the endless work rate of Flynn Johnson, Lachlan Blake and Jason Stanhope, the lads controlled and dominated games. Throw in the link work of Sean Keetch and Josh Hoare bringing in to play our wicked wingers Matty James, Jack Moran, Meljo Jose and Ryan Walz the boys played with a real team spirit that helped them deservedly get to the top of the ladder, finishing the season with an impressive 15-7 win!

It was a pleasure working with these boys and their team spirit and sportsmanship were a credit ti themselves and Chanel College!



Mr Nelson Rose (Fortunate Coach)

JUNIOR HEAT CRICKET CLINIC - ROCKHAMPTON

10-12 JANUARY 2017

9:00am - 1:00pm

BOYS & GIRLS AGED 7-14

\$230 incl GST

The clinic involves the most up to date methods of coaching and is designed to develop individual batting, bowling and fielding skills while at the same time having fun, keeping active and gaining maximum enjoyment from playing the game.

Delivered by Queensland Cricket accredited coaches, this is a guarantee of the best possible coaching available. To Register go to the link below:

<https://eventdesq.sportstg.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=main&EventDesqID=20761&OrgID=8261>

Interested in Playing Netball in 2017

Wanted Girls Born 1999/2000 for 2017 U18 Rep Netball Team. If interested please email gnarepnetball@gmail.com with your details.

Please see Mrs Crane for more information if you are interested in any of the following Employment Opportunities.

Cert III Business Administration Traineeship

This is a fantastic opportunity to commence your career with Roseberry Community Services Limited, and be exposed to all facets of our dynamic industry, whilst completing a 12 month structured Certificate III Business Administration Traineeship.

The start date for this position will be early February 2017.

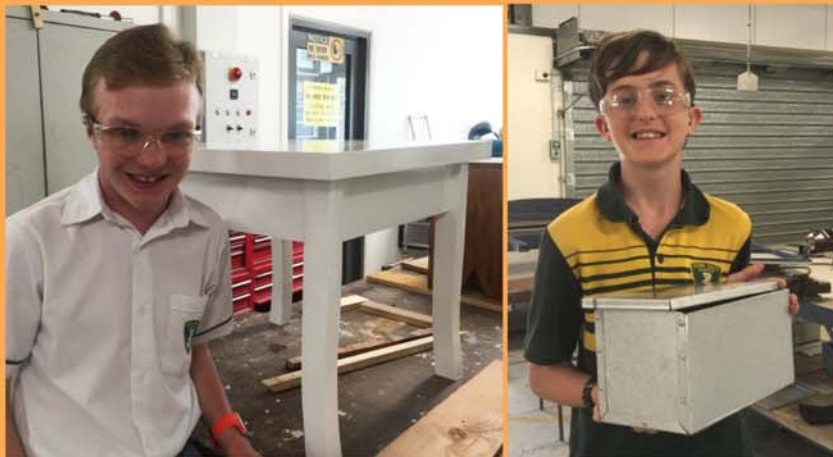
APPLICATIONS CLOSE: 3 January 2017

Please email your Cover Letter and Resume to leanne.donovan@roseberry.org.au



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- Customer Service Trainee x 3 Bundaberg Regional Council
- Apprenticeships & Traineeships Various Positions Central Highlands Regional Council
- TAFE QUEENSLAND Scholarships



Hands on Experience for Ben & Charlie

Pictured are Ben Nugent and Charlie Johansen at the Manual Arts and Woodwork class last Friday. All the students have been working hard constructing tables and making metal boxes. The knowledge and hands on experience the Students are gaining in Class Room assists them for choosing their future Work Experience Placements.

Jayde cutting out her Career Path

Jayde Churchward has been working hard towards completing a Certificate II in Hairdressing. She currently attends work experience one day a week at M Hair & Co Gladstone. She also attends CQU once a week where she learns the theory side of her career. Jayde has been fortunate enough to have Mrs Louise Stakenburg who is a teacher at CQU, assist her with the theory side. A big thank you to Louise for giving up her time.



National Youth Science Forum

Abi Fast Tracking her Future

Last Thursday I had the pleasure of attending a breakfast hosted by Boyne Tannum Rotary where one of the two Chanel College students selected to represent our Region as a 2017 NYSF Ambassador, was a guest speaker. Year 11 Student Abi Meehan did a fantastic presentation and kept the audience intrigued with her knowledge of "The Science in Motorsport." NYSF aims to nurture and encourage young Australians to be the next generation of leading Scientists and Engineers supporting a sustainable future of our nation. We would like to take this opportunity to thank Jody McMullen the President of Boyne Tannum Rotary and all the Rotarians in our region for supporting such a magnificent program.



BOOKHIRE NEWS NOTICE TO ALL YEAR 12 PARENTS

On **Tuesday 15 November** all Year 7 to 11 students will be given a list of all books they have on loan from the Bookhire Room. Attached to this list are instructions regarding what is expected of students next week and during exam week. The following points are outlined in the instruction sheet that is attached to each student's list.

YEAR 10 & 11 STUDENTS ONLY PLEASE NOTE:

- When students receive their form they are requested to check their book numbers are correct and if there are any problems students are to see me immediately.
- Any books **not required for studying** should be returned from **Monday 14 November**. This will help with some of the last minute rush to return books. It certainly would assist Bookhire staff at this extremely busy time of the year.

During Exam week:

- It is the **responsibility of the individual student** to make sure he/she returns their **Text and Class Set Books** to the Bookhire Room **after each exam is finished**.
- **ALL** outstanding/damaged books must be returned or paid for by **FRIDAY 25 NOVEMBER**. The cost of each book can be found on the list which is given to students.

YEAR 7, 8 & 9 STUDENTS PLEASE NOTE:

- When students receive their form they are requested to check their book numbers are correct and if there are any problems students are to see me immediately.
- Year 7, 8 & 9 students are required to return the Text and Class set Books during the last week of school. These books need to be returned by **THURSDAY 1 DECEMBER** and outstanding/damaged books must be paid for by **FRIDAY 2**. The cost of books can be found on the list which is given to students.

PLEASE NOTE: It is not good enough to simply return a book. It is important that students **return the correct numbered book** which was issued to the student originally. If a student returns another student's book, the book will be marked off against the correct student's name.

If students have books in their possession that is not listed on the list given to them please return them as it may belong to another student.

Letters requesting payment for outstanding/damaged books will be forwarded to parents with the Academic Reports.

It would be appreciated if parents could encourage students to be diligent with this task at a very busy time of the year so that we can all have a happy ending to the students' final days for 2016.

Beth McAlister (Bookhire)

upcoming events

Term 4

Week 7

Mon 14 November

Miss Volp Farewell MASS

Co-Curricular Awards Assembly

Wed 16 November

• Year 12

Graduation Dinner

Thur 17 November

• Year 12 Picnic

Fri 18 November

• Year 12 Presentation Assembly 9.15 am

• Year 12 Graduation Mass 1.00 pm

TERM 4 CONCLUDES FOR YR 12

Week 8

YEAR 7-11 EXAMS

Fri 25 November

TERM 4 CONCLUDES FOR

YEARS 10 & 11

Week 9

Tue 29 November

• Thanksgiving MASS 9.00 am

• Years 7, 8, 9 House Challenge

Wed 30 November

• New Student Day (Year 7 for 2017)

Thur 1 December

• Year 7-9 Picnic

Fri 2 December

TERM 4 CONCLUDES FOR

YEARS 7 - 9 at 12.00 Noon

*Merry
Christmas*

UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

PLEASE NOTE

Wednesday 9 November - **OPEN** between 8.00 am - 9.00 am

Monday 14 November - **CLOSED**

Tuesday 15 November - **OPEN** 8.15 am - 11.15 am

Orders outside these times can be left at the office and be filled on my return.

Email orders to - chanel@wearitto.com.au

Michelle Overend

Wearitto Chanel College Uniform Shop

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