



# CHANEL COLLEGE

# news

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

*Deepest Sympathy*

As a community we extend our sympathy to our Deputy Principal, Ms Geraldine Dyer, whose mother, Mary Dyer, passed away at the end of last term. We keep Ms Dyer and her family in our prayers.

## From the Principal

Welcome back to all and a warm Chanel welcome to our new students! I hope that all students and their families have had a safe and enjoyable holiday. In my experience, Terms 3 and 4 seem to go very quickly. Student reports are currently being prepared and the upcoming Parent-Teacher Interviews will provide valuable information about student progress as well as indicating areas of work which may need attention.

Somewhat belatedly, I would like to thank Ms Kylie Kickbusch and all staff members who were involved in the Track & Field Carnival at the end of Term 2. A superbly organised two days of events allowed students to experience the best aspects of participation in sporting competition. Congratulations must also go to our students who travelled to Brisbane to

participate in the QISSN and Confraternity Shield competitions. Our students were outstanding ambassadors for Chanel College and achieved great results in their respective competitions. Thanks to Miss Kylie Kickbusch, Mrs Kerrie Lisle, Mr Mark Davis, Mr Ken Homann and other staff members who accompanied our students and made this opportunity possible.

I would also like to congratulate all students who completed work experience placements over the holidays. The feedback from employers has been overwhelmingly positive and our students have been lauded for their eagerness to learn, their punctuality, their preparedness for the workplace, their courtesy, maturity and respect. Special thanks must go to Mrs Leanne Crane for doing all of the work behind the scenes to ensure that each student has a valuable experience of the world of work.

## upcoming events

### Term 3

#### Week 2

Mon 17 July

- Year 11 Leadership Retreat
- Year 10 Work Experience

Tue 18 July

- Year 11 Leadership Retreat
- Year 10 Work Experience

Wed 19 July

- Year 11 Leadership Retreat
- Year 10 Work Experience
- P & F Meeting 5.30 pm

Thur 20 July

- Year 11 Leadership Retreat
- Year 10 Work Experience

Fri 21 July

- Year 10 Work Experience

#### Week 3

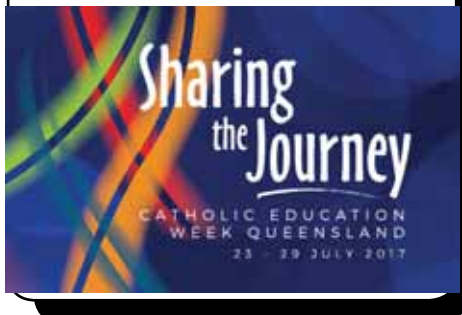
Mon 23 July - Sat 29 July

## Important notice regarding parking in Paterson Street

Gladstone Regional Council has received several complaints from residents in the vicinity of Chanel College regarding parents parking across driveways during school pick up and drop off hours. There are yellow lines marked in areas which are designated as 'no stopping' zones. I would urge all parents to comply with road rules and parking restrictions. This will also ensure the safety of all students.

Sincerely

*Susan*  
Dr Susan Bunkum PhD



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Student Absentee Hotline: 4973 4791



# Good News

**Kath Hore - Mission & RE Support Officer**

## **Year 11 Leadership Retreat**

All Year 11 students will be participating in their Retreat next week. The theme for this Retreat is Leadership and, specifically, the concept of Servant Leadership. This week also begins the process of nominating for student leadership positions for 2018.

## **Catholic Education Week – 23 to 29 July**

Catholic Education Week is an annual state-wide event that promotes the distinctive mission of Catholic schools throughout Queensland. The week is celebrated by all schools through a range of activities, liturgies and events.

The theme for Catholic Education Week 2017 is **Sharing the Journey**. Pope Francis has said:

“Today, we need a Church capable of walking at people's side, of doing more than simply listening to them; a Church which accompanies them on their journey. The whole journey of life is a journey of preparation...to see, to feel, to understand the beauty of what lies ahead, of the homeland towards which we walk. What is important is the whole journey by which we arrive at the mission the Lord entrusts to us.”

Events during the week will include: a Liturgy, CEW Quiz, 'Chanel Shirt' Day and all students participating in 'Acts of Kindness' (Pastoral Care/individual activity). We hope this week will be one of celebration.

More information can be found at [www.catholiceducationweek.com.au](http://www.catholiceducationweek.com.au)

## **Pre-used Bibles for Sale**

Several pre-used Bibles, that have been repaired, are available for sale at the Front Reception. Prices range from \$2 to \$10 and all proceeds will go to Missions – providing education for disadvantaged children. Many thanks to Mrs Colleen Lowry who kindly volunteered to repair the Bibles.

## **Second Hand Uniform Outlet**

The Second Hand Uniform 'Outlet' is open during first break, each Wednesday. Please enquire at the front desk in Student Services.

Formal uniforms are \$10.00 per item, sports uniform and house shirts are \$5.00 per item and jackets sell for \$25.00 each. All prices are negotiable.

***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.***

## **Ignite Conference**

When: Thursday 21 September - Sunday 24 September 2017

Where: Brisbane, QLD

What: Ignite is a dynamic & contemporary Catholic conference for young people. Every year it draws over 1000 adults, teenagers, children, youth ministers, teachers, priests and religions from around the country. It's about gathering young people from across this corner of the world, connecting them with Jesus Christ and the Church, forming them for living the Christian life and empowering them to impact the Church and the world.

To apply and for more information visit – [igniteyouth.com/conference](http://igniteyouth.com/conference)

## **Thursday Mass**

**Thursday 20 July - Ms Ord's Year 9C Religion Class**

**Thursday 27 July – Mrs Green's year 9B Religion Class**

Mass is celebrated in the College Chapel at 10.40 am each Thursday. **ALL WELCOME**

## ***Please Pray for ...***

- People in our community who are grieving the loss of loved ones
- **G o v e r n m e n t s** and organisations working towards alleviating poverty and bringing justice to the voiceless
- Yr 11 students that they will be open to the experience of their Retreat and will gain many benefits and blessings from their participation
- All members of our college community as we build a future in faith together
- For the generations of Chanel students who will be our future.

## ***Praise and Thanks for ...***

- All people, especially past students of Chanel, who are working in our world to ensure that justice and peace prevail
- The richness that Indigenous culture brings to our faith and our perception of our world

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





# Library News

Fiona Binney - Librarian

## Celebrating

# Harry Potter



In Term 2 we celebrated 20 years with Harry Potter, Dumbledore, Hagrid, Professor McGonagall and the magical world of Hogwarts. On 26 June 1997, we were first introduced to a young Harry Potter in *the Philosopher's Stone* by J.K Rowling. Harry, an orphan living with his muggle relatives and confined to the cupboard under the stairs, has just learnt that he's a wizard and is invited to board at Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry to learn about spells, charms and the dark arts. Harry begins his education with Hagrid as they gather essential school materials from Diagon

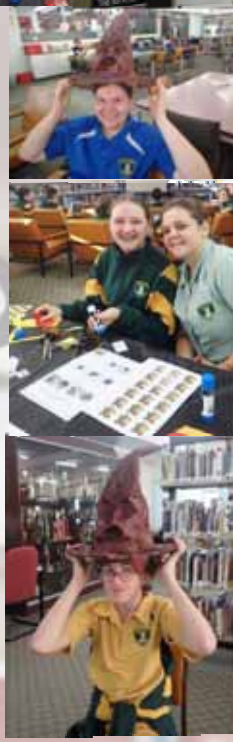
Alley and we meet Ron and Hermione who become Harry's closest friends. Together they solve the puzzles of the dungeons and save Hogwarts from the dark lord Voldemort.

We remember the magic of those first years with Harry and have recreated the world of Hogwarts in our library with flying keys, floating candles, the whomping willow, monster books, and of course we couldn't forget the sorting hat. Students enjoyed watching Harry Potter movies, making Harry Potter craft and playing the trivia game with Miss Frank.

A special thank you to Charlie Johansen, Joe Botica, Kieran Van Duin, Chapter Chatters and Mrs McAlister for helping with the display. Thank you all for your contribution to the display and your enthusiasm for the activities. I've really enjoyed creating this world with you.

Remember, in the words of Albus Dumbledore,

*"Happiness can be found even in the darkest of times, if one only remembers to turn on the light."*







# FREE PARENTING PROGRAM PROVEN TO HELP WITH ADHD

Is your child exhibiting symptoms of ADHD? Maybe they've just been diagnosed? Triple P can help! Its [online parenting program has been shown](#) to improve children's ADHD symptoms; reduce parents' stress and depression; and improve parents' confidence in dealing with challenging behaviours.

Queensland mother Naomi Stantiall did Triple P Online when her 5-year-old son was diagnosed with ADHD. "He wasn't following instructions and was getting angry and aggressive. Now he can express himself better and control himself a bit more."

Find out more about free Triple P Online at [www.triplep-parenting.net.au/kids](http://www.triplep-parenting.net.au/kids)

## Help Chanel Collect Points

You then have a chance  
to WIN a \$100 giftcard  
School Rewards  
Win CASH prizes  
for our school



[www.gladstoneschoolrewards.com.au](http://www.gladstoneschoolrewards.com.au)

**SCHOOL REWARDS PROGRAM** - Starts Monday 10 July 2017

Chanel College is participating in the Stockland Gladstone and Hit 93.5 FM School Rewards program.

Help us collect points to win a share of \$8,500!\*

1st prize - \$5,000 CASH

2nd prize - \$2,500 CASH

3rd prize - \$1,000 CASH

Simply shop at Stockland Gladstone and register at [www.gladstoneschoolrewards.com.au](http://www.gladstoneschoolrewards.com.au) to start collecting points for Chanel College. The schools with the most points win a share of \$8,500!\* Plus, every customer who registers will have a chance to win a \$100 Stockland Gift Card each week. There are 6 to be won!\*

Promotion opens 9 am, Monday 10 July and closes 4 pm, Sunday 20 August 2017.

\*Terms and conditions apply.



# Chanel College wins the Physics of Flight Competition



On Wednesday 21 June, Chanel College hosted the third annual paper plane throwing competition which was again sponsored in part, by QMEA. Students from St John's, Star of the Sea and St Francis arrived at Chanel College and then entered into a throw off competition. After two hours of intense rivalry, the Chanel team had the greatest cumulative time spent in the air and won the much coveted trophy. Well done to the Chanel team!

Mr Fisser Science Department





# JAPANESE

Recently in the Year 7 and 9 Japanese classes the students organised Japanese parties where they ate sushi and dressed up in Yukata. Everyone had a great time.

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# Year 12 Hospitality Work Experience



What an exciting opportunity this was for Year 12 Hospitality students, who were able to learn new skills when they worked at the RACV Royal Pines Resort on the Gold Coast.

*“We are always too happy to assist our future hospitality superstars. Well done girls.”*

**RACV Royal Pines Resort**





# MOCK INTERVIEW MONDAY

Recently a few Year 12 students were given a dose of reality when they were faced with potential employers and put into a real life Job Interview scenario. Michael Poli was grilled by a panel of six as part of his preparation for his application to the Defence Force Academy. Georgia Kerr was interviewed for a position in nursing or paramedics; Elijah Di Bartolo was interviewed for a construction/building position; whilst Abi Meehan faced questions at her interview for a position at Queensland Gas Company. All students presented exceptionally well and are now more prepared for when they search for work. We would like to thank Mrs Crane Chanel College Careers Advisor for organising the day, as well as our guest interviewers, Miss Elle Banks (CQUni), Mr Peter Masters (Gladstone Regional Council), Carlie Busby (EQUIP), Rosa Kalantary-Baker (CQUni), Mark Patton (Raine & Horne Gladstone) and Nelson Rose (Chanel College).



# MOCK INTERVIEW MONDAY

19 June 2017  
9 AM - 2 PM

In the CAREER SERVICES Office  
Chanel College

**Good Luck  
to all Students**





# Career News

Leanne Crane Careers Pathways Officer

## Work Experience

Congratulations to the Years 11 and 12 Structured Work Placement students on their great effort in the last week of Term 2. During their placements they gained valuable experience towards their Vocational Certificates. Some of the students also did work experience over the holidays. Thank you to the following Companies for supporting our students:

Dermotique Skin and Laser Clinic  
Engage

Muffin Break

The Coffee Club Airport

Dacey's Gladstone

Elders Real Estate-Gladstone

Gladstone Basketball

Beecher Nursery

Savour the Flavour

Helloworld

Star of The Sea School

Jamaica Blue

McDonald Kin Kora

GAPDL

Gloria Jeans Gladstone

Young Australian Hotel - Motel

Trishas Green Pepper

Lister Motors

Repcos Gladstone

Star of The Sea School

St John's Primary School

Fanelli - Dental

Gladstone Central State School

Harbour City Veterinary Surgery

Reef City Motors

Xtreme Engineering

Reef City Motors

Chamberlain Road Vet

Boyne Tannum Veterinary Surgery

Physioshop Boyne Island

Ergon Energy

Gladstone Regional Council

Gladstone Physio & Fitness

Klaas Diesel

Komatsu

MIPEC Pty Ltd

Cement Australia

Walz Constructions

Smit Lamnalco Towage Australia

Pacific Controls Gladstone

Komatsu

Aestec Services

Monadelpous Engineering P/L

GHD- Engineer

Walz Constructions

Orica

Aestec Services

J.J. Richards & Sons Pty Ltd

SKE

Maritime Safety QLD

Komatsu

Savour the Flavour

Capricorn Vet Surgery

NRG





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Leanne Crane Careers Pathways Officer

## Work Experience





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# Sporting News

Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader

## 2017 Interhouse Athletics Carnival

There was no more fantastic way to end Term 2 than with 2 days of sporting and athletic talent on display in the Interhouse Athletics Carnival. It brought together the Houses, students, staff and the whole College to celebrate and support the outstanding sporting talent we have here at Chanel. The weather could not have been more perfect and this ensured the carnival was a huge and successful event. The question that was on everyone's lips though was – "Would Futuna make it a 3-peat and take out all 3 carnivals in a calendar year for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year in a row??

On the Thursday morning, students were itching for the start of the first event; all very eager to do show their talents and support each other and their Houses. The 100m event is the highlight of Day 1 and this year it did not disappoint. Many races were very close; needing photo finishes to see who crossed the line first. But the most exciting and pleasing thing about the 100m is the participation – all students in all age groups from all Houses run/skip/hop down the home straight all in the name of earning House points. It is events like this that show the true House spirit that has become a trademark of Chanel Interhouse carnivals. From the 100m race, the fastest 10 students are selected to take part in the Chanel Gift. A 110m race, with a staggered start based on time. This year, Year 11 student Lachlan Pacheco, clocked the fastest 100m time (11.09 seconds) and was the benchmark for the Chanel Gift. This race is spectacular to watch and the support these 10 runners receive outstanding. It was again a very close race with Lachlan almost chasing down all other 9 runners (some with a 20m head start), but in the end it was Sophie Duff who came across the line in 1<sup>st</sup> position – Congratulations Sophie and to all the Chanel Gift runners, it was a brilliant race! The field events see ALL students go to their events and participate – this is one of the beauties of the Chanel carnival, all students go with

their age group to all the field events and true House spirit and sportspersonship are on display. They have heaps of fun at these events and all get in and give it a go and may even surprise themselves with hidden talents that they never knew they had!! On Friday the relay events take centre stage and are the finale of the carnival. The 4x100m relays are usually the deciding factors in the overall House Champions as they are worth double points and this year was no different. Each house entered teams into all races and the races were fast and hotly contested. The energy in the crowd was electric and this enthusiasm spurred on the runners to run their hearts out and do the best they could for their team and their House. So did the relay events manage to knock Futuna off first position??

And now the big reveal – which House was crowned Overall House Champion?? But before that we need to acknowledge the Age Champions. These students strive to perform to their maximum and participate in all events across the 2-day carnival. They put on display of their outstanding athletic talents and push themselves to perform at the highest level. Congratulations to all Age Champions for this year. Congratulations also to Marcellin House for taking out the House Spirit award – this house outperformed the other Houses in the war-cry challenges, dressed up in fine-form in their House theme and showed outstanding support to their team-mates across the carnival. Congratulations Marcellin House! And, for the first time a House has managed to do the 3-peat 2 years in a row – yes that is right! Futuna House was crowned Interhouse Athletics Champion House for 2017. Congratulations to all Futuna students on the way you participated and got involved, it is a credit to your delegates and all participants.



### Overall Championship

- 1<sup>st</sup> 
- 2<sup>nd</sup> 
- 3<sup>rd</sup> 
- 4<sup>th</sup> 
- 5<sup>th</sup> 

### House Spirit

- 1<sup>st</sup> – Marcellin 
- 2<sup>nd</sup> – Futuna 
- 3<sup>rd</sup> – Stella Maris 
- 4<sup>th</sup> – McAuley 
- 5<sup>th</sup> – MacKillop 



# Sporting News

# 2017

Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader



## Interhouse Athletics Age Champions

### 12 Years Girls

1 <sup>st</sup> – Tierney Burke (Mk)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Chantelle Sharp (M)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Abby-Rose Churchward (Mc)

### 13 Years Girls

1 <sup>st</sup> – Zarah Nash (M)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Ester Burke (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Kasi Richardson (F)

### 14 Years Girls

1 <sup>st</sup> – Sophie Duff (Mc)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Annie Dredge (M)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Summah Wheeler (SM)

### 15 Years Girls

1 <sup>st</sup> – Lucy Devlin (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Cheray Olsen (Mk)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Jessica Buenen (M)

### 16 Years Girls

1 <sup>st</sup> – Grace Graham (Mk)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Ainsley Graham (SM)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Eden Johnson (M)

### OPEN Girls

1 <sup>st</sup> – Sciara McKenzie (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Sidney Blake (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Yasmin Ramsay (Mk)

### 12 Years Boys

1 <sup>st</sup> – Declan King (Mk)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Gerard Trewick (Mc)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Nicholas Gold (Mc)

### 13 Years Boys

1 <sup>st</sup> – Nicholas Crane (Mc)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Reece Turner (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Corey Liaropoulos (Mc)

### 14 Years Boys

1 <sup>st</sup> – Jesse Sharp (M)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Callum Fitzsimmons (M)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Jason Stanhope (F)

### 15 Years Boys

1 <sup>st</sup> – Jordan Long (SM)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Jet Cavanagh (Mc)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Connor Lantry (F)

### 16 Years Boys

1 <sup>st</sup> – Tallis Stanhope (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Cameron Ftizsimmons (M)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Kai Nugent (Mc)

### OPEN Boys

1 <sup>st</sup> – Joseph Vale (Mc)
2 <sup>nd</sup> – Fraser Bishop (Mc)
3 <sup>rd</sup> – Andrew Kelly (F)

# RECORDS

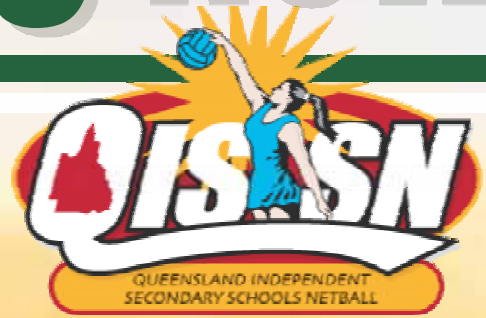
We had numerous records broken this year in both the track and field events – congratulations to the students below who broke records and now have their names in the Chanel Athletics records books:

Callum Fitzsimmons	14 Boys Javelin	30.79m
Cameron Fitzsimmons	16 Boys Shot Put	14.17m
Jordan Porter	12 Girls Shot Put	7.34m
Sophie Duff	14 Girls Discus	21.94m
Sophie Duff	14 Girls Long Jump	5.26m
Eden Johnson	16 Girls shot put	9.67m
Sciara McKenzie	OPEN Girls 800m	2:30.22 min
Declan King	12 Boys Triple Jump	8.54m
Chantelle Sharp	12 Girls Javelin	13.68m
Kasi Richardson	13 Girls Discus	18.22m
Sophie Duff	14 Girls Triple Jump	11.11m
Cheray Olsen	15 Girls Discus	22.20m
Sciara McKenzie	OPEN Girls 400m	1:02.73 min



# Sporting News

Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader



The 2017 QISSN (QLD Independent Secondary Schools Netball) Carnival was held in Brisbane from June 25 – June 30 at the Boondall Sports Centre. The Chanel College QISSN team of 2017 have had the most successful QISSN carnival by a Chanel team. This year saw the competition increase in size from 48 schools up to 60 schools and meant that each of the 6 pools had 10 teams in each. With the increase in the number of teams comes an increase in the number of games each school play and for the first time in QISSN, no rest day would be had. The pools were also a mix of teams from higher ranked schools with a mix of teams pushed up in divisions, as was the case with our Chanel team. But none of this mattered to the group of 10 very determined, enthusiastic and talented Chanel QISSN girls.

Playing in Brisbane on the first week of the June/July holidays, the 10 girls played outstanding netball for the whole 5 days of the carnival. Playing an amazing 11 games without a rest day, the team kept up the speed, defence and teamwork to produce Chanel's best ever QISSN result – 9<sup>th</sup> in Division 3 and an outstanding 29<sup>th</sup> out of 60 schools. 5 girls played in their first QISSN carnival (Jaime Holzberger, Hannah Overend, Alexa Campbell, Imogen Collins and Grace Graham) but you would not have guessed this as you watched the games, as these 5 'rookies' came onto the court seamlessly and did not miss a beat. Led on court by Captain Yasmin Ramsay, the Chanel team had a shaky start, but proved to themselves and the rest of the competition that they were here and meant business by beating their next 2 opponents who had gone undefeated up until they played Chanel. This was the confidence boost the team and the new players needed because a change was evident in the team's attitude and attacking play improved from that point forward. On Tuesday the team played 3 games and had some close results and a good win. Their reward for a great start to the carnival was a trip to the movies to see 'Wonder Woman' which was put on by the support given to the carnival by the 'Women in Defence'. Instead of a rest day on the Wednesday, the girls were asked to play 2 more games. The results from these games gave the team a 5<sup>th</sup> position in the pool and meant they would be playing off in Division 3 for the very first time in the finals. This

fantastic result really spurred the girls on, knowing they would go down as the most successful Chanel QISSN team and they were determined to finish in the top half of the competition. A spot of shopping on the Wednesday afternoon was a good break away from netball and gave the girls a chance to switch off in preparation for the finals. We were drawn to play St Michael's in the elimination final on Thursday, a team that usually sits in Div2/3 in past QISSN carnivals. The girls started off really strong and fast and the game was even up until the half time break. In the second half, St Michaels upped the ante and got some very favourable calls which took the game away from the Chanel girls. Not even some outstanding intercepts from Yasmin and Grace were enough to close the margin. The result was enough to knock us out of the Thursday finals and meant a playoff for 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> on Friday. The team had a good de-brief after the game, and even though they were disappointed with their efforts, they wanted to end the carnival on a high and reward themselves for all the hard work they had put in since the beginning of the year. And that they certainly did! The final on Friday was probably the best game of netball this team has played together – and as the saying goes, they did 'save the best for the last' game. Again calls were going against the team, but their unrelenting defence pressure caused the St Margaret's team to throw intercept passes and they could not handle the speed of ball release on display between the Chanel mid-court and shooters. Things got tight towards the end of the game, but again the leadership of captain Yasmin was the calming influence the younger players needed to keep their heads, keep possession of the ball and come away with the win. Congratulations to the 10 girls in the team – it was a pleasure to watch you play outstanding netball for 5 days. The improvement in your play was fantastic to see and you should all be very proud of the way you played, the teamwork you all displayed and the enthusiasm that was evident every time you stepped onto the court.



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Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader



Thank you to the parents, families, friends and supporters who came down to Brisbane to watch the girls. We were very lucky to have the support of all 9 families who came to the carnival. Your support at the games and off the court was amazing.

Thank you to Mrs Kerrie Lisle (Manager) and Mrs Beth McAlister (Scorer) for giving up the first week of your holidays to assist me with taking the girls to QISSN. You were both a great help in the lead-up to the carnival and throughout the whole week. We had a lot of fun and from myself and the girls thank you.

Congratulations to Grace Graham who was named Chanel team MVP for the carnival. This is awarded to 1 player from each team and is voted for by your team coach/manager and the opposing team. Grace, playing in her first QISSN carnival, was a tower of strength in defence pulling off vital intercepts and rebounds and driving the ball down the court in the transition from defence into attack. Congratulations Grace.

Congratulations to the QISSN team on an outstanding 2017 QISSN campaign. I look forward to the future of Netball at Chanel. Bring on QISSN 2018 in Townsville!

2017 Chanel College QISSN Team: Yasmin Ramsay (C), Meg Collins (VC), Kaitlyn McAlister, Eden Johnson, Katie Skinner, Jaime Holzberger, Grace Graham, Hannah Overend, Alexa Campbell, Imogen Collins.

## QISSN Raffle Winner Congratulations to Mrs Michelle Overend



## Flynn Chosen for Queensland

Year 9 student, Flynn Johnson, played for the U14 CQ Bushrangers in the Junior State Championships for Rugby Union on the first week of the holidays. Flynn was chosen in the Queensland Country team and played Queensland City at the end of the second week of the holidays in Brisbane. Congratulations Flynn. Great work!



### Results

V Siena Catholic College 9-24 L	V Rockhampton Girls Grammar 15-18 L
V Good Shepherd Lutheran College 23-19 W	V Marist College Emerald 14-12 W
V Downlands College 13-14 L	V Trinity College 26-12 W
V Assumption College 13-13 D	V Chisholm Catholic College 14-24 L
V Ryan Catholic College 17-12 W	
<b>Finals</b>	
V St Michaels 8-16 L	V St Margarets 18-16 W



# 2017 QISSN TEAM



**WELL DONE TEAMS**



# 2017 CONFRATERNITY TEAM



# Sporting News

Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader



## CONFRATERNITY CAMPAIGN DIARY 2017

By Cadet Sports Journalist Liam Coleman

### Day 1, Game 1:

Chanel College's finest rugby league players set off on a long journey to Kedron, Brisbane to start our 2017 Confraternity campaign. The first opponents who stood in the way of placing our hands on silverware, were St. James. At first glance the St. James team looked very tough, but this didn't stop the lads from putting in the effort. St. James came out strong, scoring the first meat pie. Thanks to a valiant effort from one of our captains Samuel Romagnolo, first points for the carnival were accumulated. After the try, the points just didn't stop coming. Off the back of some marvellous ball playing from Lincoln Rebel and some Fort Knox defence from William 'Kooney' Kearney. Liam Coleman, Braiden Harrison and Andrew Kelly all bagged some tries. Thanks to Tallis Stanhope's wonderful goal kicking abilities the end score ended up 28-8, with Chanel getting the win. Kudos to William Kearney for picking up Man Of The Match.

### Day 1, Game 2:

After the win over St. James the next opponents were our arch rivals, Emmaus Jimboomba. They came out firing on all cylinders, giving us a reality check on how hard this carnival is meant to be. With some nerves flowing through the boys. Emmaus got out to a 16-0 lead at the halftime. The team came off frustrated with the efforts, but after some words of wisdom from Supercoach Chris Andersen, the team was ready to show the crowd what we were made of. We dug in deep mustering every last piece of effort to produce possibly the greatest comeback of all time. Off the back of some deadly footwork from Ronan McGuire, the comeback quickly kicked into 6th gear. Another two tries quickly flowed after the aspirational number 13 Bradley Hansen and fullback Braiden Harrison, pounced over the line, levelling the score 16-16 at the final whistle. Hats off to Joe Romagnolo for getting the MVP award.

### Day 2, Game 3:

After a great start to the carnival, the boys woke up rather sore, but rearing to go. The first opponents for the day were Mount Saint Bernard's, who at first, looked like a decent side. After a fast paced opening few minutes the deadlock was finally broken when Saint Mount Benard's went over to score. The boys didn't let that get to them however, and marched up the field many times, eventually crossing the line courtesy of some fancy footwork displayed yet again by Ronan McGuire. Ronan then led the charge again through the line to eventually set up the second try scored by Mitchell Haigh. The halftime score was 8-6 to us, but Saint Mount Benard came out strong. A brutal second half ensued with strong defence from both sides making for both a tiring, and nail-biting game with neither side able to break the opposing fortresses. The Chanel boys came out on top with a thoroughly satisfying victory: 8-6. Kudos to Ronan McGuire for picking up the MOTM.

### Day 2, Game 4:

This was by far the greatest challenge that this mighty Chanel College side had faced in their impressive run through the pool games. We had secured a respectable third place in our division, but in order to take home the silverware, the boys had to move to the big league. In our way, stood Shalom College Bundaberg - another formidable foe. They were highly fancied, but these Chanel boys thrive on the underdog status. We burst out of the blocks through the opportunistic try scored by Tallis Stanhope off a crafty grubber. Lincoln Rebel converted coolly to put Chanel up 6-0. From this, a stalemate ensued, with Shalom eventually levelling at 6-6. However, a moment of brilliance from Braiden Harrison saw him fly past his opposing winger and score in the corner on the stroke of half-time. Another conversion from Lincoln turned the tide in favour of Chanel with the score at 12-6. Chanel maintained the rage and started the second half in fiery fashion, with Lincoln Rebel slicing through the opposition's defence with a perfect dummy and dotting down under the sticks. He converted his own try to make it 18-6. Shalom produced a futile resistance, scoring a consolation try to bring the final score to 18-10. This was an incredibly satisfying victory, with Clay Kennedy taking out the MOTM.



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### Day 3, Game 5:

Our next opponents were from Townsville. Ryan Catholic College stood in our way of advancing into the grand final match for our division. Unfortunately, off a good set play Ryan capitalised early putting first points on the board. After many surges up and down the field, Lincoln was able to break through the defensive line putting our first points on the board. The Chanel boys wouldn't go down without a fight, hanging in throughout the whole match. Eventually Ryan found the hole on the edge of our defensive line to give them the lead. After a strong start to the second half, Chanel eventually scored thanks to some pure magic produced by a William Kearney trademark spin under the sticks. Unfortunately, this wasn't enough as Ryan snuck through a cheeky late field goal and scored a try. The end score was 17-10 with a well-deserved MOTM being given to Lincoln Rebel.

### Day 4, Game 6:

For some this was just a game, but for all of us it was a battle. As the winner of this game took home 3rd spot of the division. Not only that but this was the last Confro match for some of the boys. Standing in the way of 3rd spot, was Mount Maria College. Unfortunately Chanel didn't get off to the right start being down 14-0 throughout most of the first half. This was until a set piece of the scrum, where Ronan McGuire's footwork broke through the opposition's defensive line. Ronan then streaked away down the field to send the scores to 14-6 at halftime. The comeback was heating up in the second half as the Chanel boys were throwing play after play on the Mount Maria's defensive line. Eventually it burst open for Bradley Hansen to score, making the scores 14-10. Bradley Hansen yet again made light work of the defensive line crossing over for the levelling try to make it 14-14. As the final minutes played out, neither team was able to find the line again. The game then finished at 14-14, with Mount Maria taking home 3rd spot as they scored first.

## CAMPAIGN WRAP UP

A **BIG THANK YOU** to our sponsors who reduced the cost of the trip considerably for the players. They are **FROST ENGINEERING, INVESTBLUE, MONADELPHOUS, BUTLER AND SONS FABRICATIONS, TOXFREE, KEMPE HYDRAULICS AND WINKEL AVIATION SERVICES**. The **GLADSTONE BROTHERS RUGBY LEAGUE CLUB** also continued their financial support and association with the Chanel Confraternity team, which has been there for many years. Jeremy Fitzsimmons and the Fundraising Committee have been a driving force in acquiring this sponsorship and organising other activities to raise funds for the trip. Michael and Leisa Kearney organised the Woolworths BBQ and 100 Board, Elaine Daylight the Doubles and Donna Fitzsimmons the Movie Night.

**WELL DONE** to Will Kearney, Joe Romagnolo and Sam Romagnolo who were the Chanel Player Leadership Group for 2017. Their leadership was outstanding and they definitely led by example throughout the week. It was one of the factors towards such a successful week.

**THANK YOU** to Ken Homann who gave up a week of his holidays to assist me in managing and supervising the team. His all-round knowledge and organisational skills were appreciated.

A **SPECIAL THANKS** to Chris Andersen (Super Coach) and Ben Platt (Assistant Super Coach, Trainer and key right hand man) for their contribution to the team. It is the fourth campaign with which they have been involved. They both have young families and for the them to give up this time has been outstanding. I know the boys have really appreciated their expertise and enthusiasm.

And finally, a **BIG CONGRATULATIONS** to the lads themselves. They trained well, were very coachable and when the campaign started, they were ready to play. Their effort and grit in each of the games was never questioned. They gave their all. On top of this, the boys represented Chanel College on and off the field in a superb manner. They should be proud of their efforts and the results of Confro Campaign 2017.

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Confro Manager



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