



# CHANEL COLLEGE

# news

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Term 2 Week 1  
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*"To act justly, to love tenderly and walk humbly with your God"* Micah 6:8

## upcoming events

### Term 2

#### Week 2

##### Mon 24 April

- ANZAC Day Assembly
- Year 7 for 2018 Enrolment Applications OPEN

##### Tue 25 April

- ANZAC DAY PUBLIC HOLIDAY

##### Wed 26 April

- Year 7-12 Parent Teacher Interviews  
4.00 pm - 8.30 pm
- Student Representative Council Meeting

##### Fri 28 April

- St Peter Chanel Feast Day
- Futuna Feast Day



#### Week 3

##### Mon 1 May

- LABOUR DAY Public Holiday

##### Tue 2 May

- Year 10 Retreat

##### Wed 3 May

- Year 10 Retreat
- Chanel Board Meeting 5.30 pm

##### Thur 4 May

- Year 10 Retreat

##### Fri 5 May

- Year 10 Retreat

## From the Principal

Cyclone Debbie's presence in our region caused an unexpected early finish to Term 1 – our Inter-House Cross Country and Easter liturgies were put on hold and students began holidays earlier than anticipated. With the holidays now behind us, it is time to say "Welcome back" to all! I trust that students and staff had a relaxing and refreshing holiday and that all are ready to face the challenges of Term 2.

Already, there is much happening and the coming weeks promise to be filled to the brim with activity. On Wednesday, under gloriously fine Central Queensland skies, our re-scheduled Inter-House Cross Country took place. As with all Chanel events, the cross-country was well-attended and students and some staff members participated with great enthusiasm. Special thanks go to Kylie Kickbusch and the team of Physical Education teachers for the work that they have done to make this event a success.

While the inclement weather also caused some delays to the completion of our refurbishment schedule, I am pleased to say that the move into the 'new' Student Services, Counselling, Careers and Learning Support facilities is complete and the move into the new Arts Precinct is scheduled to take place in mid-May. Without a doubt, these facilities are a wonderful addition to the College and provide excellent contemporary learning spaces for our students.

## Year 7 Enrolments

Year 7 for 2018 Enrolment applications open next week. I would warmly invite prospective students and their parents/guardians to our Year 7 Information Evening on Tuesday 9 May. Tours of the College will commence from 5.00pm with the formal presentation commencing at 6.00pm in the Marian Centre.

This is an excellent opportunity to view our facilities and to meet our staff and students. First round applications close on Friday 26 May.

Finally, our Years 7 – 12 Parent-Teacher Interviews are scheduled for Wednesday 26 April. I look forward to meeting you on this important occasion.



Sincerely

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**Student Absentee Hotline: 4973 4791**



# Good News

Kath Hore - Mission & RE Support Officer

## Project Compassion

Many thanks to everyone who so generously supported Project Compassion during Lent. Your willingness to help others has enabled us, as a community, to assist the work of Caritas in many parts of the world. Caritas will make good use of the funds in their effort to empower people through education and therefore giving them the opportunity to break the poverty cycle.



## Movers and Shakers

During the Easter Holidays, four Year 11 students attended Movers & Shakers (a Christian Leadership Camp) in Toowoomba. They all enjoyed learning about leadership and social justice and are now looking forward to using their new found knowledge and skills in the Chanel community.

## Second Hand Uniform Outlet

The Second Hand Uniform 'Outlet' - **now located in the Student Services Building (Old Administration Building)** - 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.

*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

Mrs Green's Year 11 RE Class – Thursday 27 April

Mrs Marsh's Year 11 CMT Class – Thursday 4 May

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

**ALL WELCOME**

## *Please Pray for ...*

- People in our community who are unwell or recovering from illness
- The many refugees risking their lives fleeing unstable regions in the Middle East
- Peace in our world and an end to all wars
- The innocent victims of war

## *Praise and Thanks for...*

- All people, especially past students of Chanel, who are working in our world to ensure that justice and peace prevail.
- people who work with our youth to ensure they are given the opportunity to reflect on and live out their faith.
- The safe return of students and staff, after the Easter holidays
- The generous support given to Project Compassion and the St Vincent de Paul Easter Appeal

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

# WE ARE BACK

## Friday 26 May

Open 9.30 am to 2.00 pm

in A105

**Café**  
**CHANEL**

Bring your friends and share Morning Tea or Lunch

Book by 22 May by emailing [susan\\_going@rok.catholic.edu.au](mailto:susan_going@rok.catholic.edu.au)



# Chanel Person of the Year

The Chanel Person of the Year is the Principal's Award. A previous Principal, Br. Roger Burke, started this award in the late 1980s and it is a tradition that has been maintained by the Principals since that time.

Recipients of this award have given outstanding service to the College community over an extended period of time. It is not easy to reach the standard required to achieve this award. To achieve this award, a person must meet all of the following criteria:

- *The person must have completed his/her time at the College.*
- *A current member of the College community must have nominated the person. The nomination must be in writing and address all of the criteria other than those relating to financial commitments.*
- *The level of service must have been extraordinary, significantly above that offered by other members of the community.*
- *The service must have been of a benefit to a significant proportion of the College community.*
- *The level of service must have been maintained over a significant number of years.*
- *The person must have consistently acted as a positive ambassador within the College and the wider community.*
- *The person must have worked cooperatively with the College administration.*
- *The person must be a Christian role model that others can be encouraged to emulate.*
- *The person must not have any outstanding financial commitment to the College.*
- *The College must not have any outstanding financial commitment to the person involved.*

Because of the nature of some of the criteria, the decision is not open for public debate. The Principal's decision is final and binding.

Nomination forms are available from the College Office. The decision will be based on the nominations received by the closing date which is Friday 5 May 2017 at 4.00 pm.





# Chanel College is now on FACEBOOK!



Just go to the Chanel College website at [www.chanelcollege.qld.edu.au](http://www.chanelcollege.qld.edu.au) and click on the link to take you straight to our page. It's as easy as that! **Please LIKE and SHARE.**

By doing this you will be kept up to date with current events and news. Recently for example, everyone who was following our page was immediately notified of the College closure due to the bad weather we were having. Who knows you may even see yourself there!

## GYM EQUIPMENT TENDER

It is exciting times for the H&PE and Sports Department with a new fit out of equipment for our gym.

As a result, we will place some equipment out for tender. Please see the photos of the equipment available for tender. If you are interested, you can arrange to view the equipment by contacting any teacher from the sports department or contacting the office.

Tender submissions can be made by envelope marked 'Gym Tender' to the front office or by email to the Chanel office:

**the secretary@chanelcollege.qld.edu.au by Wednesday 3 May.** Successful applicants will then be notified and arrangements made for collection within the week.

- **Multi Station Machine:** includes Bench Press, Seated Row, Shoulder Press, Pulldown, Knee Raise, Dips, Leg Press, Leg Extension and Leg Curls.
- **Back Extension**
- **Sit Up Rack**
- **Flat Bench**
- **Incline Bench**
- **Exercise Bike**



## WORK EXPERIENCE

Over the Easter School holidays many students were out doing Work Experience. Chanel College would like to thank all of the following businesses for participating. The experience our students gain is invaluable.

- St John's Primary School
- Bill Robertson Toyota
- Strong Images Photography
- CQ Diesel Fitting
- SMIT Marine Australia
- Star of The Sea School
- Hub Total Fitness
- Raine & Horne Gladstone
- Physio Call
- Prizeman Electrical and Refrigeration Services
- Aces Electrical
- Gladstone Basketball
- Gladstone Physio & Fitness
- St John's Primary School
- Gladstone Ports Corporation Ltd
- Xtreme Engineering
- 91.9 Fresh FM Radio
- Photopia Studio
- GAWB - Gladstone Area Water Board (Office)
- Gladstone Ports Corporation Ltd
- Stapleton Electrical
- Tannum Family Practice
- Dermotique Skin and Laser Clinic
- SKE
- Mater Misericordiae Hospital
- NRG Gladstone Power Station
- Headspace Gladstone
- Helloworld
- Dermotique Skin and Laser Clinic
- Komatsu
- Mounts Machinery
- Harbour City Veterinary Surgery
- Cement Australia
- Maritime Safety QLD
- Yaralla Fitness Centre



**ATTENTION  
YEAR 10 & 11  
STUDENTS**  
**Are you  
Interested  
in an  
ELECTRICAL  
CAREER?**

**ATTENTION  
YEAR 10 & 11  
STUDENTS**  
If you are thinking of becoming an **Electrician or an Electrical Engineer** this course and certificate could be a perfect opportunity for you. You would complete a **Certificate II in Electrotechnology**, which would involve one day a week and take 1.5 years starting around June/July this year. Please see Mrs Crane in the Careers Office at the start of Term 2 and collect the information and paperwork to become registered through CQUni.



# Cross Country 2017

It finally happened!!!! After battling extreme weather conditions in Term 1, which forced the carnival to be postponed, we were greeted with bright sunshine and a cool breeze; a complete contrast to the massive amounts of rain and wind we had the last week of Term 1. All in all, it made for very good conditions to run the 2017 Interhouse Cross Country carnival.

The students were eager to start and participate in the carnival, which is a great way to start the beginning of a new term. The track had a few obstacles to overcome, due to the previous week's weather, but this did not stop the students from giving it their all for the whole 4km run. It was fantastic to see the students wearing their House shirts with pride and turning their bucket hats inside out to show their House colours.

Last year's Champion House Futuna, was once again the House to beat and they were very eager to back-up their win from the Swimming Carnival. But the other Houses were in no mood to let Futuna win again and were determined to do their best times to ensure this wouldn't happen.

The race was certainly on from the first start to see who could perform their best, beat their personal best times and challenge the pack to come out as Age Champion for their age group. For the Year 12 students, this would be the last Interhouse Cross Country event they would participate

in, so it was fitting that they were first off the line.

In the pack were 2 super fit teachers who paced and ran with the Open Boys and Girls – thanks to Mrs Herbert and Mr Galea for running the course and showing the students the benchmark of pace and effort needed for the cross country.

Tom Smith (M) was the first student to cross the line. This is the 5<sup>th</sup> year straight that Tom has won the cross country for his age group – fantastic effort Tom and congratulations!

The first Open girl and girl to cross the finish line was Sidney Blake (F) – Sidney ran a fabulous race. Congratulations on being crowned Open Girls Age Champion!

The runners were coming in thick in fast, but the real action is always on the track. It can get quite congested on the course, but the students display their fantastic sportspersonship by allowing the lead runners past and giving encouragement to all runners/walkers/staff and friends they pass. The real highlights for all to see, are the outstanding way the students conduct themselves along the course and the positive encouragement they give to all participants.

But the students where there to earn points for their House so they could become House champions. In the end it came down to the House with the most students who finished in the top 10 for their age group – was it Futuna or would another house knock them from the top?

Congratulations to all students who ran/walked/jogged or were student helpers for the carnival – you displayed fantastic House spirit and demonstrated to all there how strong and vibrant the Chanel College spirit is.

Congratulations to all Age Champions – you went above and beyond in your efforts, running amazing times and pushing yourselves that extra bit to be first over the line.

Thank you to the amazing staff we have at the College; without their supervision, timing, recording and assistance with set-up and pack-up, the carnival would not be the amazing spectacle it was.

So the question you all want answered – who won the carnival??

Congratulations to **Futuna House** – you once again proved that you are

the House to beat. Futuna House spirit and determination were definitely evident and this was a major reason for the Futuna being crowned the 2017 Interhouse Cross Country Champion House. House spirit was awarded to Stella Maris House – your participation numbers, house shirts worn, house hats on and encouragement throughout the carnival was shining through all afternoon.

Once again congratulations and thanks to all students and staff for making the 2017 Interhouse Cross Country the best cross country carnival I have been involved with at Chanel.

## 2017 Cross Country Age Champions

### 12 Girls

1 <sup>st</sup>	Tierney Burke (Mk)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Abbey-Rose Churchward (Mc)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jordan Porter (F)

### 13 Girls

1 <sup>st</sup>	Zara Nash (M)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Georgia Woolley (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bridie Dendle (Mk)

### 14 Girls

1 <sup>st</sup>	Bojana Bijelic (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Jemma Holzberger (SM)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Sophie Duff (Mc)

### 15 Girls

1 <sup>st</sup>	Imogen Collins (Mk)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Lucy Devlin (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Alexa Campbell (F)

### 16 Girls

1 <sup>st</sup>	Grace Graham (Mk)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ainsley Childs (Mc)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Abbie Cogill (Mc)

### Open Girls

1 <sup>st</sup>	Sidney Blake (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Delaney Burke (Mk)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Lauren Dredge (M)

### 12 Boys

1 <sup>st</sup>	Nicholas Gold (Mc)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Joshua Buenen (M)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Reece Cogill (Mc)

### 13 Boys

1 <sup>st</sup>	Nick Crane (Mc)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Riley O'Neil (Mk)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Corey Liaropoulos (Mc)

### 14 Boys

1 <sup>st</sup>	Thasindu Chandasandukar (SM)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Matthew Long (SM)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jason Stanhope (F)

### 15 Boys

1 <sup>st</sup>	Lachlan Blake (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Connor Lantry (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Jordan Long (SM)

### 16 Boys

1 <sup>st</sup>	Tallis Stanhope (F)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Ben Doherty (SM)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Kai Nugent (Mc)

### Open Boys

1 <sup>st</sup>	Tom Smith (M)
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Will Kearney (F)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Elijah Di Bartolo (M)



# 2017 Cross Country Age Champions

12 Years



13 Years



14 Years



15 Years



16 Years



OPEN



# HOUSE CHAMPIONS

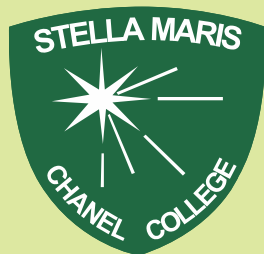


## Overall House Champions

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

## House Spirit

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



# NEW ZEALAND TRIP UPDATE

PLEASE NOTE: The 4<sup>th</sup> payment of \$500 is due tomorrow Friday 21 April. You can elect to pay any amount any time but the final payment of \$2950 is due on Friday 21 June 2017.

Thank you Mark Hayes

## UNIFORM SHOP NEWS

### PLEASE NOTE

The Uniform shop will be closed on Wednesday 26 April Week 2 and Wednesday 3 May Week 3. It will be open on Tuesday 2 May between 1.00 pm - 4.00 pm. Sorry for the inconvenience. Orders outside these times can be left at the office and will be filled on my return.

Email orders to - [chanel@wearitto.com.au](mailto:chanel@wearitto.com.au)

Michelle Overend  
Wearitto Chanel College Uniform Shop

## SCHOOL FEES

School fees for Term 2 are being processed shortly. If you haven't paid Term 1 fees and are experiencing difficulties please contact the Finance Office.

Phone: 4973 4711

Email:

[finance@chanelcollege.qld.edu.au](mailto:finance@chanelcollege.qld.edu.au)



## STUDENT ACCESS CENTRE

Do you need help with Assignments? Homework? Careers?  
Available are: Resources & Support Material, Friendly Faces

### HOMEWORK & ASSIGNMENT HELP

Struggling to understand or getting behind with your school work? Let our friendly staff help you.

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 8.00 am.

Also First Break everyday except Thursdays.

Inclusive Curriculum Coordinator: Mrs Robyn Jurd on 4973 4739

### CAREERS ADVICE

Confused about Career Paths or have Work Experience enquiries? Make an appointment to see our friendly advisor.

Careers Officer: Mrs Crane on 4973 4738