

upcoming events Term 3

Week 4

• Year 8 Middle Year Student Leaders Retreat

Tue 1 August

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• Year 10 into 11 VET Info Evening 6.00 pm Wed 2 August

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• Chanel Board Meeting 5.30 pm

Thur 3 August

• Year 8 Middle Year Student Leaders Retreat

Fri 4 August

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• Year 7 for 2018 Acceptance of Offers Due

Week 5

Tue 8 August

• Parent Teacher Interviews

MacKillop Feast Day

Wed 9 August

• GLADSTONE SHOW HOLIDAY

• Year 11 ACTS Camp

Thur 10 August

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Fri 11 August

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Week 6

Sun 13 August

• Star of the Sea MASS 6.00 pm

Mon 14 August

• Yr 11 Student Leadership Applications Due to Print Room by 9.00 am

Tue 15 August

• Subject Expo 5.45 - 6.30 pm

• Year 10 Subject Selection Evening 6.30 pm

Wed 16 August

• P & F Meeting 5.30 pm

Thur 17 August

Qld Catholic Schools' & Colleges' Music Festival Starts

Fri 18 August

Student Representative Council Meeting

From the Principal

Catholic Education Week provides us with an opportunity to reflect on the beliefs and values that underpin everything that we do at Chanel College – a Catholic College within the Diocese of Rockhampton. To celebrate this special week, we have a number of activities scheduled. These include:

- a liturgy celebrating Catholic Education at our whole school assembly;
- a Catholic Education Week Quiz conducted in Pastoral Care Groups;
- "Chanel Shirt" Day on Friday students may wear shirts from any of the many activities in which Chanel College participates; and,
- a special week-long focus on Acts of Kindness and Attitudes of Gratitude.

The theme of Catholic Week 2017 is Sharing the Journey.

Thus, as we celebrate this special week, we reflect on these words from Pope Francis:

"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."

> Sincerely Susan Dr Susan Bunkum PhD

> > **Chanel College**

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EUU NEWS

Kath Hore - Mission & RE Support Officer

Year 8 MYSL Retreat

All Year 8 students will be participating in the Middle Years Student Leaders Retreat next week at the Capricorn Caves. They will be challenged both as individuals and teams in preparing to apply for leadership positions in the middle school in 2018. We wish them a safe and adventurous time while on retreat.

Year 11 ACTS

On Wednesday 9 August, thirteen Year 11 students with Miss McDonaugh will head off to ACTS (A Chance To Serve) Camp at Cooee Bay on the Capricorn Coast. Students from a number of Catholic Secondary Schools in the Rockhampton Diocese will be attending. We wish them all the best for the three days of the camp and hope they have a great time returning with many ideas to turn into action

Star of the Sea Mass & Youth Group - 13 August

All youth are invited to join in the activities in the Parish Hall, Herbert Street after the Chanel SOS Mass on Sunday 13 August. Mass will begin at 6.00 pm followed by a youth gathering in the Hall from 7.00 pm to 8.00 pm. Parents are welcome to enjoy a cuppa after the Mass at the church. PLEASE MARK THIS DATE ON YOUR CALENDAR!

Service to the Community – St Vinnies Buddies Day

Last Sunday seven 'big buddies' joined with eight 'little buddies' for a science day at Chanel. Together they made slime, squawking hens, plaster moulds and jumping beans as well as playing a variety of games and enjoying a sausage sizzle lunch. This is a wonderful outreach for our students and very rewarding for all involved. Many thanks to all the big buddies, who organised and presented a wonderful and varied program, keeping the little buddies engaged and happy. Also a special thank you to Mr Mills who once again cooked a delicious sausage sizzle for all to enjoy.

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.

Thursday Mass

Thursday 3 August – Mrs Miles' Year 9A Religion Class Thursday 10 August – Mrs Miles' Year 11 CMT Class

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

Please Pray for ...

- The people of Syria as their struggle continues and the violence escalates
- · Refugees and asylum seekers caught up in political differences
- Safety of our students as they participate in their mission and sporting endeavours
- Our students and staff who are involved with many extra-curricular activities serving both Chanel and the wider communities
- Mrs Cameron and her extended family as they grieve the sad loss of Rita Cameron (Mother-in-law) of Mrs Cameron

Praise and Thanks for ...

- The aid workers and the peace keepers working in many countries around the world
- The opportunities our students have to enhance their lives spiritually, academically, physically and culturally
- The amazing response of our Year 11 students during their Retreat. We look forward to their contribution to our college as Servant Leaders in 2017
- Staff and students making a difference as they shared their God given gifts and talents during Catholic Education Week

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



Yr 11 Leadership Retreat

Well done and "thank you" to all staff and students who participated in the Year 11 Servant Leadership Retreats last week. Both groups of students participated enthusiastically in all activities and came up with some great ideas about Servant Leadership at Chanel in 2018. A special thank you to all parents who volunteered their time to assist Jenny and David Wilson with the catering (we were certainly well fed) and to those who baked/provided enough goodies to keep the participants happy for the whole four days.



Friday 25 August





Bring your friends and share Morning Tea or Lunch

Book by 22 August by emailing susan_going@rok.catholic.edu.au



Every day, thousands of women and children around the world need to cover many kilometres on foot to fetch water, obtain food, get to school or market or simply to survive. Some of our students wanted to educate

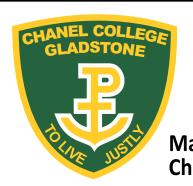


more compassionate" and "be a voice" for the poorest in our world. Recently a large number of students demonstrated their solidarity with these people, by walking 1km carrying buckets of water on their heads. It was great to see so much participation and cooperation. Thank you to everyone who participated and for MacKillop 5 and Stella Maris 3 for organising the event to help increase awareness of the difficulties faced every day by some people just to survive.

others, with the aim of inspiring them to "be

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Senior School Pathways Night **Marian Centre Chanel College**

Attention **Year 10s**

Subject Selection for Year 11-12

Tue 15 August 2017 6.30 pm Information Session

Non current families are most welcome to attend this evening



Becoming a Senior Student at Chanel College is an exciting and challenging time within the journey of Learning. A Senior Student should be able to make a commitment to the College in a whole-hearted manner. There should be an understanding of the College Mission and its commitment to the development of young men and women.

Chanel College has a broad curriculum which is continuously evolving to meet the needs of our students. Courses are designed to prepare students for a range of pathways at the completion of their schooling.

Students now have the opportunity to exit senior schooling with the Queensland Certificate of Education as well as a number of nationally recognised qualifications through Certificate Courses.

Continued training and work by starting a School-based Apprenticeship or Traineeship (SAT) during senior schooling.

> · Study vocational subjects during Yr 11 & 12 for direct entry to workforce.

> > Attendance is necessary for accurate career planning for 2018-2019. All necessary documents for subject selection will be distributed on the evening.

All Enquiries Ph: 4973 4700





ROTARY - NATIONAL YOUTH SCIENCE FORUM

Recently, three Year 11 Chanel College students, Tian Kingsbury, Lachlan Pacheco and Ainsley Childs, competed against other students in the region for a chance to be selected to become 2018 NYSF Ambassadors and attend the NYSF in Canberra at the end of the year.

This is all organised by our Rotary Clubs and we thank them for supporting such a great opportunity for our students. Good luck Chanel.



PARENT TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Parent Teacher Interviews will be conducted on Tuesday 8 August 2017. These can be booked through Parent Lounge. Instructions are included with the mailed students reports. Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact the College.





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 <u>online parenting program has been shown</u> 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







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 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.

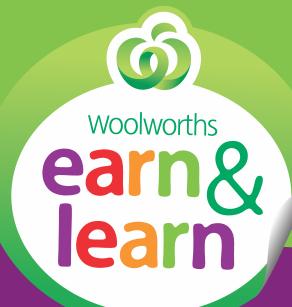
*Terms and conditions apply.

Woolworths Earn & Learn 2017

Earn & Learn is on again 26 July to 19 September

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Dear Parents

This year we will be participating in the Woolworths Earn & Learn program. Through this program we will be able to get new educational resources for our school – and all we need you to do is shop for your groceries at Woolworths. From Wednesday 26 July to Tuesday 19 September, we are collecting Woolworths Earn & Learn Stickers. You will get one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every \$10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco and gift cards). Place the Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker onto a Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker Sheet and when it's complete, the Sticker Sheet can be dropped into the Collection Box here at the school or at your local Woolworths. At the end of the promotion, we'll be able to get some great new equipment. The range is extensive and offers lots of items ideal for our students – including resources for Maths, English, Science and some fantastic fun supplies for Arts & Craft, Sport and for our library. If you'd like to know more visit woolworths.com.au/earnandlearn.



Earn & Learn is on again Starts 26 July 2017



Career News

Leanne Crane Careers Pathways Officer

Work Experience

Congratulations to the Year 10 Structured Workplace Learning students on their great effort last week. During their placements they gained valuable experience in their preferred career pathways. Pictured below are some of the Year 10 students at their work placements.



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Leanne Crane Careers Pathways Officer





This week we had 9 of our College students start their Certificate III in Electrotechnology. The course is designed for those seeking an apprenticeship in the electrical industry and covers safety and basic skills and knowledge for work in an electrotechnology discipline. Some units attained in this qualification credit towards the listed apprenticeship training plan. This course is held at CQUni Gladstone every Monday. We wish the following students all the

Keenan Bamber-Henry

best with this great opportunity:

- Matthew Holzheimer
- Declan Mackay
- Jordan Long
- Jet Cavanagh
- Joshua Rigby
- **Nathan Crozier**
- Bailey Audet
- Trey Dummet

School & Work

The following Students are lucky enough to have secured one day a week work experience. Thank you to all the employers for giving our students this wonderful opportunity to gain experience in their chosen career pathway. Mitchell Haigh: Working in different areas at Smit Lamnalco Towage Australia.

Joel Curd: Mechanical Trade at Reef City Ford, hoping to eventually gain an apprenticeship.

Jayden Oates: Boiler Maker at Monadelphous Engineering. Josh Ambrose Robinson: Mechanical Trade at Aestec Services.



Mitchell Haigh



Joel Curd



Jayden Oates

Sporting News Snorts Program Leader

Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader

Port Curtis Athletics Trials

The trials for the Port Curtis Athletics teams were held on Tuesday 25 July and Wednesday 26 July. Chanel was represented strongly by a team of 40 students who ran, jumped and threw in their nominated events across the 2 days. Students were all vying for a place on the Port Curtis team to travel to Emerald (August 21 and 22) for the Capricornia trials. Congratulations to Jesse Sharp (14 Boys) and Sciara McKenzie (17 Girls) who were named Age Champions for their age groups for the carnival. Congratulations to all students who were selected in the Port Curtis team and we wish them all the best for the upcoming Capricornia trials. Thank you to Miss Keys, Miss Bourke and Mrs Lisle for assisting with events and recording at the carnival.

State Cross Country Trials

Congratulations to Sidney Blake (17 Girls), Zara Nash (13 Girls) and Nick Crane (13 Boys) who competed at the State Cross Country trials a fortnight ago. The Brisbane track was a challenging one with steep hills and tight straights. These 3 students competed very well and produced fast times. Congratulations to Nick Crane who finished 15th out of 62 participants in the 13 Boys division, and was 1st in the Capricornia Team.

QISSN Players of the Carnival

Thanks to Sports Power Gladstone's kind donation of 2 \$50 vouchers for the QISSN team, to present to the students awarded "The Players of the 2017 QISSN Carnival." Congratulations to Yasmin Ramsay and Katie Skinner. Yasmin is the 2017 QISSN team captain and with her leadership on and off the court, led the way for the team both at the carnival and in the preparation to Katie Skinner showed tremendous the carnival. defensive talents throughout the carnival and was always there to pick off an intercept. She improved her movement and technique with every game played and never gave her opponents the chance to settle in. Congratulations girls on a fantastic 2017 QISSN carnival.

State 13-15 Soccer Trials

Congratulations to Jesse Sharp and Jessica Buenen who were in Cairns last week representing Capricornia at the State Soccer trials. They played games over 5 days in the FNQ heat, and showcased their skills against the other regions in QLD. Fantastic effort from Jesse and Jessica and we congratulate them on their achievements.



Sporting Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader

LOCHIE - JUNIOR UMPIRE OF THE YEAR SOFTBALL

Congratulations to Year 11 student Lochlainn Martin, who recently declared the Winner of Junior Umpire of the Year for softball! Well done Lochie and congratulations.



Sophie Duff selected to attend Australian **Institute of Sport**

Congratulations to Year 9 student Sophie Duff, who has been selected to attend the U/15 coaching camp at the Australian Institute of Sport in Canberra in September. Only the best athletes in Australia are selected to go to this event, with only 18 athletes selected from all over Queensland. Sophie is the current Australian School and Australian Athletics champion for the triple



SPORTS CONFRATERNITY APOLOGY

In the Confraternity article published in the last newsletter, we thanked all the sponsors but one was missed from the list. We would like to sincerely thank Nhulundu Health Service for all their support they gave the team, and apologise for leaving them off last week's list.



Congratulations to the following students who made the Port Curtis Track & Field Team.

- Joshua Hoare
- Nick Crane
- Flynn Johnson
- Callum Fitzsimmons
- Jet Cavanagh
- Tallis Stanhope
- Lachlan Pacheco
- Cameron Fitzsimmons •
- Clay Kennedy
- Elijah Di Bartolo

- Joseph Vale
- Andrew Kelly
- Zarah Nash
- Summah Wheeler
- · Sophie Duff
- Cheray Olsen
- Sciara McKenzie
 - Sidney Blake
- Codi Nettleton

Super Star visits Chanel

Recently Chanel College was lucky enough to be visited by one of Australian Rugby Union's greatest, Tim Horan! Tim spoke to the students about his career and held a question and answer session. He spoke about the importance of being involved in sport and eating healthy. Thank you to Santos GLNG and Botanic to Bridge for assisting Tim in his Gladstone school visits.

Some super star facts about Tim Horan are:

- Tim Horan is a former Australian rugby union footballer
- He played for the Queensland Reds in the Super 12, and represented Australia
- He was one of the best centres in the world throughout the 1990s due to his attacking prowess, formidable defence and playmaking ability
- He became one of only twenty dual Rugby Union World Cup winners.

Tim is also the 2017 Botanic to Bridge Ambassador.

Botanic to Bridge is a fun run held in Gladstone, Queensland in August each year. Transforming the city into a vibrant hub for healthy, active living, the Botanic to Bridge is a must for both the serious runner and those looking to have some fun. Whether you walk, run or jog the 3km or 8km Botanic to Bridge events, every step counts with funds raised from registrations going directly to local schools or the newly announced 2017 major community beneficiary, St Vincent de Pauls Society.



Register to raise funds for your school!

Sunday, 20 August 2017

Register today at botanictobridge.com.au















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Closed Wednesday 19 July to Wednesday 26 July

STUDENT ACCESS CENTRE

Do you need help with Assignments or Homework?

Available are: Resources, Support Material, Friendly Faces

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.

HOMEWORK & ASSIGNMENT HELP

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.

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Mrs Crane on 4973 4738