



Upcoming Events Term 4

Week 2

Mon 15 October

• College Sports Awards Assembly

Tue 16 October

McAuley Feast Day

Week 3

Mon 22 October

- STUDENT FREE DAY
- 2019 Student Leader Retreat

Tue 23 October

- MIDDLE YEARS STUDENT LEADERS ANNOUNCED
- McAuley Feast Day
- 2019 Student Leader Retreat

Wed 24 October

• Farewell to Year 12s in Pastoral Care

Thur 25 October

• AWARDS NIGHT 6.30 pm

Week 4

Mon 29 October

• Year 12 Retreat

Tue 30 October

• Year 12 Retreat

Wed 31 October

• Year 12 Retreat

Thur 1 November

• Year 12 Retreat

Fri 2 November

• Year 12 Retreat

From the Principal - Dr Susan Bunkum PhD

Welcome back to Term 4. I trust that everyone has had a restful holiday and has returned to school refreshed and energised.

Student Leaders 2019

At our Assembly on Monday 8 October, we had a special liturgy to announce and bless the Student Leaders for 2019. We thank Fr Kevin and Fr Simeon for their presence on this important occasion and congratulate the following students:

College Captains – Imogen Collins and Brayden Whalley **Vice Captains** – Hannah Overend and Ryan Lilley

House Delegates:

Futuna – Nicholas Holmes, Katie Skinner, Alexa Campbell

MacKillop – Alisha Verner

Marcellin – Nathan Tumbers, Aimee Kane, Jessica Buenen

McAuley - Oliver Kirk, Jet Cavanagh, Jordyn Maxwell

Stella Maris – Jordan Long, Kaitlyn McAlister, Isabella Wood-de-Melo

We pray for these students as they prepare to take up the challenge of being servant leaders in 2019.

All Schools Touch Football Competition

The College Community wishes our All Schools Touch Football teams competing in the Carnival in Brisbane this week and over the weekend the very best of luck. Special thanks to the teachers - Ms Keys, Mr Bennett and Mrs Lisle - who have made Chanel's participation in this carnival possible.

Sports Awards

This Monday 15 October we will celebrate our annual Sports Awards Assembly. This is a special assembly which recognises students, staff, and members of the community, who have participated in and supported our Chanel College sporting program during 2018. This program is an important aspect of our life at Chanel. The calendar is full of a wide variety of sports and special events, all of which provide many opportunities for our students to engage in a diverse range of activities each year. Parents and Friends are most welcome to attend the assembly which begins at 8.50 am in the Marian Centre.

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Sincerely

Sugar Bunkum

Planning for 2019

Planning for 2019 is well underway. We would a ppreciate it if information regarding any student who is not intending to return to Chanel in 2019 could be provided in writing to Ms Dyer at the College Office as soon as possible.

Awards Night

A reminder that our Awards Night will be held on Thursday 25 October in the Marian Centre. This event, which commences at 6.30pm, is a significant event in our College calendar as it provides us with the opportunity to celebrate the great achievements of our students. All students in Year 7 to 12 are expected to be in attendance. We ask that students and parents arrive and are seated by 6.20pm. As a sign of respect to students receiving awards, we ask that parents and students remain for the duration of the ceremony. It is anticipated that the evening will conclude by 8.30pm.



Good News

Kath Hore - Mission & RE Support Officer

Star of the Sea Mass & Youth Group - 21 October

All students are invited to join in the activities in the Parish Hall, Herbert Street after the Chanel SOS Mass on Sunday 21 October. 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!

October - World Mission Month

The 2018 Theme "Healing a Nation through Education" focuses on the people of Myanmar.

World Mission Day is celebrated every year in every country wherever there are Christians committed to building a better world for all of God's people, a world where everyone has all they need to live a dignified and fulfilling life. Missionary activity is, fundamentally, a going out of oneself in love, a reaching out to see God in everyone and to share God's love with each person we meet – especially our poor and marginalised. Catholic Mission around the world has the responsibility of promoting a dignified and fruitful celebration of World Mission Day.

Jesus' mission of creating a world where all can live a fully dignified life is still far from complete. Therefore, the whole month of October has been dedicated to reflecting on the central mission of the Church to help all Christians in their commitment to Christ's mission of love, mercy, forgiveness, peace and justice for the world.

More info visit http://wmm2018.cm.org.au/

Stamps for the Sisters of Mary MacKillop in Peru

Please remember to save your used stamps and send them in to Futuna 1. The Sisters in Peru need our support to enable them to continue their work with disadvantaged and marginalised children.

Recycled 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.

All donations are gratefully accepted and many thanks to those who have already donated.

Thursday Mass

Thursday 18 October – Mrs Wales Year 7D Religion Class Thursday 25 October – Mrs Miles Year 7C 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 unwell or recovering from illness
- The people in Myanmar as they face persecution and are forced to flee their own country for safety
- People who struggle with mental well being
- Children in our world who are living in poverty and detention centres
- Our newly appointed Student Leaders for 2019

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
- A safe return from holidays for staff and students and a chance for a new beginning to the last term

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

2019 COLLEGE LEADERS ANNOUNCED





2019 College Captains

Brayden Whalley Imogen Collins



Alexa Campbell Nicholas Holmes Katie Skinner



2019 Stella Maris House Delegates

Isabella Wood-de-Melo Jordan Long Kaitlyn McAlister



2019 Marcellin House Delegates

Jessica Buenen Nathan Tumbers Aimee Kane



College Vice Captains

Ryan Lilley Hannah Overend



Jet Cavanagh Oliver Kirk Jordyn Maxwell



2019 MacKillop House Delegates

Alisha Verner





Years 7-12



Thursday 25 October 6.30 pm Marian Centre

Message from the Assistant Principal Pastoral Care - Alison Wales

INTERHOUSE COIN TRAIL CHALLENGE

This year an amazing amount of \$981.00 was collected at the Coin Trail Challenge. This is an outstanding effort. Instead of competing against each other, all houses decided to stand in solidarity which meant that all coins collected represented a whole College effort. Our financial support makes educational opportunities for young people on the margins in Asia and the Pacific possible. Well done to all!













Health Pathways evening with The University of Queensland



Students interested in pursuing a heath related pathway are invited to attend an information evening in Gladstone hosted by The University of Queensland.

At this information session, students, parents and teachers will learn more about:

- the range of Health degree programs available at UQ
- UQ's Rural Access Scheme for regional students and
- hear from a university student about placements, classes and the health student experience

With Australia set to experience a high job growth in the Health Care and Social Assistance sector, now is the time to kick-start your career in Health

Date: Wednesday 17 October

Time: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Venue: Gladstone Yacht Club, The Gladstone Room, 1 Goondoon Street, Gladstone

Parking: Located at the front and back of the building, as well as nearby car parking for the East

Shores Precinct which can be used free of charge.

Register: Click here to register your attendance

Students from all Year levels are welcome to attend.

For any questions, contact the UQ School Liaison team on 3346 9649 or school.liaison@uq.edu.au

Travis has future set

Year 12 student Travis Richmond will be starting at Queensland Alumina Limited early next year in a Dual trade as an Electrical and Instrumentation Apprentice.

This is wonderful news Travis and it shows all the Work Experience you attended on your holidays in the electrical field has paid off.

Chanel College wishes you all the very best with your future Career.



News From UQ



UMAT Admissions Test will be replaced by UCAT in 2019

As of 2019, all applicants intending to sit the UMAT for entry to university in 2020 will need to sit the new University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT). Consequently this will affect students currently in Year 11 and below. From 2019 onwards, the UMAT test will be discontinued.

UCAT will become be a mandatory admissions test for the Doctor of Medicine (provisional entry) and Dental Science at The University of Queensland.

The registration for the UCAT will open in March 2019 and close in mid-May. The UCAT will be offered on a choice of dates throughout the month of July, rather than on one single date.

The test consists of five, separately timed, subtests:

- Verbal Reasoning
- · Decision Making
- · Quantitative Reasoning
- · Abstract Reasoning
- · Situational Judgement Test

For more information about the new test, including testing dates and format visit <u>UCAT online</u>.

Preparing for UCAT

UCAT ANZ have a number of preparation materials available to assist students in preparing for the UCAT. These include:

- Practice examinations (timed)
- · An online, interactive tutorial that teaches students how to approach questions and useful test strategies
- · An incredibly detailed bank of example questions

We strongly encourage students to use the officially produced materials. Candidates should be aware that whilst there are many commercial companies publishing books and offering coaching for our tests, the UCAT ANZ Consortium does not work with any of these companies or endorse the use of their materials. Taking advantage of these opportunities can cost candidates a great deal of money and we would advise you to be sceptical about claims they can help you do well in the test by coaching.

You can find the official preparation materials <u>here</u>.

Work Experience



Laila has sights set on Criminology

Year 9 student Laila Birch has her sights set on becoming a Criminologist in the future. Laila wanted to experience laboratory work, so took up the opportunity to do work experience at NRG Gladstone in the school holidays. Well done Laila!





Justin Locks in his Career

Year 10 student Justin Crick undertook work experience over the recent school holidays at Keycut Services Gladstone. Justin would like the opportunity to become a Locksmith as a Career Pathway. Well done Justin!

Work Experience



Year 10 student Tom Cullen doing work experience at NRG over the recent school holidays



Year 9 student Robbie Farrell recently completed work experience as a Fitter at the Gladstone Ports Authority.

Chanel College would like to thank all businesses that offer our students the opportunity to do work experience. This helps the students to chose a career pathway.

Students please note

If students would like to do work experience over the Christmas holidays please have your Work Experience forms into Mrs Crane ASAP so it can be processed.

Sporting News Kylie Kickbusch Sports Program Leader



The major sports awards presentation will be held at Chanel College on Monday 15 October 2018 at 8.50am with special guest Brisbane Lions Women's AFL player Megan Hunt.

At this presentation we will acknowledge and celebrate the amazing array of sporting talent we have on show at the College and present the following awards:

Individual awards for team sports:

- Capricornia, QLD and AUS Representatives
- Chanel College Sporting Team Awards
- Pierre De Coubertin Award
- Senior and Middle Years Athlete of the Year
- Senior and Middle Years Sportsman of the Year
- Senior and Middle Years Sportswoman of the Year



All Schools Touch Football

We wish the very best of luck to the Chanel College Touch Football teams who are currently competing in Brisbane at the All Schools Touch Football competition. Around 450 teams from across QLD will be competing in this competition, making this 1 of the biggest School sport competitions in the State. Good luck to Miss Keys and the Open Girls team and to Mrs Lisle & Mr Bennett and the Open Boys teams. Score and result updates will be posted on the Chanel College Facebook page.

Connor hits a home run

Recently Year 9 student Connor Edgerton played for the U17 Rockhampton Softball team and competed in the U17 State Titles in Mackay. The team played hard and achieved one of the best recent results for Rocky Softball finishing 3rd overall in the state. 10 teams from across the state and one team from NZ competed in this tournament

Connor then took to the field in Noosa playing for the Rockhampton Softball colours but this time in the U19 Rep Team. 8 teams from across the state competed in this competition. Connor had the opportunity to play alongside two of the Australian representative players (who were part of the recent winning team in the world series in Canada) which was a great experience for him. The boys again played a hard



STUDENT TRAVEL REBATES Semester 2, 2018

Bus Fare Assistance

- Does your child attend a school outside the Brisbane City Council boundary?
- Does your family spend more than \$20/week* on fares to and from school (* \$15/week if you hold a concession card)?
- Does your child travel on a publicly available bus not owned or associated with the school?

Visit our Website to see if you qualify for financial assistance to help with the cost of transport and apply at

www.schooltransport.com.a

Students with Disabilities

- Does your child have a verified disability that requires transport assistance to and from school?
- Has your school's learning support teacher assessed your child's travel capability rating as 'semi-independent' or more dependent?



TEEN ART CLASSES

12-16 Year Olds
Mondays 3.45 - 5.15pm
Little Crow Art @Crow Street Creative (near PCYC)
Starts Mon 15 October 2018
\$140 for an 8 week term, materials included.
Contact Jenny: jen_4nier@yahoo.com.au
or 0419 705175 for bookings & info.



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 every day except Thursdays.

HOMEWORK & ASSIGNMENT HELP

Inclusive Curriculum 4973 4739

CAREERS ADVICE

Confused about Career Paths or have Work Experience enquiries?

Make an appointment to see our friendly advisor.

Careers Pathways Officer: Mrs Crane on 4973 4738