

The Arndell

The



Advocate

Volume 17

17 August 2007
The Newsletter of Arndell
Anglican College

Number 22

Arndell Anglican College

PO Box 4063, Pitt Town, NSW 2756
118 Wolseley Road, Oakville 2765
www.arndell.nsw.edu.au

Phone: (02) 4572 3633
Fax: (02) 4572 3849
Email: enquiries@arndell.nsw.edu.au

Website:

From The Headmaster: Dr John Goddard

Some of the conversations I have had with students this week seem to have had a common thread - the great benefits we derive from being positive and finding the best, the most promising elements in all that we do. We all know that negativity drags us all down - but resolving to work at being positive and forward looking actually demands effort. Or perhaps it is only at an adult age that it demands effort, for so many of our Arndell students are instinctively and gloriously positive!

For example:

Three Year 4 B students wrote letters to me this week, telling me about their families, their pets (which are obviously part of the family) and their hobbies. The letters sparkled with the joy of being nine. Well done Rosie, Ellie and Emily, and may we all hang on to such sparkle.

A polite and self-effacing Elizabeth Koob told me of her exploits in the Elysian International Horse Show in Queensland at the start of this term. To be in two finals, and to come 11th out of 191, and 16th out of 163, against much older company, is an enormous achievement. When such excellent spirit is displayed in such an unassuming fashion, we can all be positive.

Four or five seconds of film! - it might not sound like much, but it represented hours of painstaking work for the Year 7 Integrated Studies students and Mr Lumb. I loved the mini - claymation films; but even more I loved the positive re-enforcement that each group gave the others as they shared their wares.

This list could go on and on: Junior School Lego-Robotics students Hannah and Daniel earning a place in the national finals because of their skills and efforts; Year 11 students of Geography really determined that an excursion to the Barrier Reef and surrounding country is important for them and that they will work to make it happen; and students in leadership, sport, Duke of Edinburgh's Award, indeed, in every facet of a busy school's life.

Can we adults all be part of this positiveness? We can, and in fact we should be leading the way in it. We can see, from our more experienced vantage point, how energetic engagement leads to satisfying and marvellous results. We might have lost the innocence - but we still experience the joy when something works and we still love to share with our young people as they experience and build on that joy. And though we are often more aware of obstacles, we may have learnt to find a positive thrill in a challenge and a spirit of thankfulness for the countless blessings we do enjoy.

So let's be positive, about our children, our school, and about a God who cares. How can we be anything else in the face of such as this: (John 3:16) For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Dates for the Diary:

Monday 20 August

Book Week 20 - 24 August
HZ: Athletics Carnival - Homebush
Jnr School - Life Education
Yr 9 G & W AFL Incursion
Assessments Due:
Yr 10 Maths - Term 3 Test, Yr 12 Drama - Prac Exam,
Yr 12 Industrial Tech., Yr 11 Biology

Tuesday 21 August

Book Week continues
Yr 11 PDHPE Activities - Mrs Cornick
Yrs 7-11 Hawkesbury Est. - Windsor Function Centre

Wednesday 22 August

Book Week continues
Jnr. School Life Education
Portal Information Evening for Parents - 7pm Perf. Arts Centre
Yr 3 Fish & Chip lunch order day
Yr 11 PDHPE Step Class - Mrs Cornick
Assessments Due:
Yr 12 Textiles

Thursday 23 August

Book Week continues
D of E Silver Qualifying O'night Hike
Jnr. School Life Education continues
Assessments Due:
Yr 11 CAFS,

Friday 24 August

Book Week continues
D of E Silver Qualifying O'night Hike
Father/Daughter Weekend Camp
Jnr. School Life Education continues
Jnr. School Book week Performances
Senior School Assembly
Assessments Due:
Yr 11 Drama, Yr 11 Textiles,

Saturday 25 August

D of E Silver Qualifying Hike
Father/Daughter O'night Camp

Sunday 26 August

Arndell Community Church Services
HICES Music Festival

Monday 27 August

HICES Music Festival
Jnr. School Life Education continues
Yr 12 Sport Medicine Exc - Sydney University
Assessments Due:
Yr 11 Maths, Yr 12 VA

The House, the Car, and the Chicken: from the School Chaplain



Three sons left home, went out on their own and prospered. Getting back together, they discussed the gifts they were able to give their elderly mother. The first said, "I built a big house for our mother." The second said, "I sent her a Mercedes with a driver." The third smiled and said, "I've got you both beat. You remember how mom enjoyed reading the Bible? And you know she can't see very well. So I sent her a remarkable parrot that recites the entire Bible. It took elders in the church 12 years to teach him. He's one of a kind. Mama just has to name the chapter and verse, and the Parrot recites it." Soon thereafter, mom sent out her letters of thanks: "Milton," she wrote one son, "The house you built is so huge. I live in only one room, but I have to clean the whole house."



"Gerald," she wrote to another, "I am too old to travel. I stay most of the time at home, so I rarely use the Mercedes. And the driver is so rude!" "Dearest Donald," she wrote to her third son, "You have the good sense to know what your mother likes. The chicken was delicious."

The Lord's Prayer is a model prayer that Jesus used to encourage his disciples to use when they prayed. However like the mother in the joke we can easily misunderstand the purpose of praying the prayer. Sometimes we are guilty of being like the parrot who can rattle off words that have been taught. The Lord's Prayer is rich in relational concepts. In the prayer, we are given permission to call God, Father. We are encouraged to seek forgiveness from the Father, and then encouraged to forgive one another. When was the last time you sat down, or prayed, or read the Bible with the attitude of entering a dialogue, or seeking help, or requesting a need from God? When was the last time you valued the opportunity of relating to The Father in a serious and respectful manner, or in a manner that truly indicated the value you place on the most precious relationship of all relationships. Or is your relationship with God like so many relationships in the world today – in tatters? In our prayers let's not forget whom we are relating to.



From the Deputy's Desk: Mr J Webb

Yes I still work here!!! It has been so busy this term but what concerns me more is the wave of illness that has hit the College. Staff, students and parents alike. It is upon this point that I would like to dwell. Student services receive an enormous number of casualties from all years in the course of the day. They range from cuts and bruises to the odd broken bone and sometimes worse. What distresses us is that more often now we are sending students home who should never have come in to College in the first place. On a dozen or so occasions we have had students come to us almost as the day starts with high temperatures and nausea. Parents it is the Administration Staff who look after your children. They spend time phoning home in an attempt to get the children back to where they should have been in the first instance – in bed. A figure to ponder. Since the commencement of the term – 4 weeks – we have sent home 103 students: need I say any more?

Year 12 Trials:

As I write this message for the Advocate we are well into the trials period. The students have approached the exams with some trepidation however I expect them to take on board Dr. Goddard's comment that **'This is a springboard into the HSC proper. On completion it is not a point to 'take a break, but to forge on towards better marks'.**

Staff Illness and Cover

It is crucial that parents are aware that we have had a great deal of staff illness and that the rest of the staff have rallied around enormously to step into specialist areas in years 10, 11 and 12 to ensure that at this vital time of the year students are not disadvantaged in any way. We all thank them for this help. I have even had the opportunity to work with the year 12 Biology students – the excitement of being back in a classroom - awesome.

'Student Alert'

This is a note primarily for parents.

The Headmaster has addressed Heads of House and Heads of Department on the topic of **'early communication'**. It will work like this:

- an ongoing issue arises with a student – often the minor happenings are dealt with and all resolved within minutes. The ongoing issue seems not to be able to be resolved;
- at the above point the 'executive' are notified that a problem has arisen;
- a member of the executive or the Head of Department or Head of House will contact home.

We will simply say 'A problem has occurred, that the staff member and the Head of Department are working towards a resolution and that this is to 'Alert You' to the concern. More details will follow should there be a need. We are all then working towards a resolution. You the parent are informed early and can assist in discussing matters with your child. Some students are slipping under the radar and we do not wish things to escalate without parents receiving ample notification. I will address this matter at the next P and F meeting.

Uniform and Make-Up

With the present system in place a significant number of girls have had make-up removed, nail polish removed and a variety of jewellery also removed. Where the boys are concerned a large number of boys are sporting tidier hair and some even cleaner shoes. I am distressed at times though when a student is challenged and responds with 'my hair is staying like this because Mum said so'. I have a problem with that, as you would imagine. Parents would expect to receive a phone call and a meeting arranged. A lot of this is a huge waste of time. The College regulations were put in place in 1990; they are simple to make life simple. The battles we face over these issues I am at a loss to explain. I would rather be dealing with the excitement of a classroom or watching a student's first science experiment go off with a bang or cheer on the last place runner in a race than have to spend so much time dealing with uniform or make-up issues that should never have left the house. I despair when, in a Parents and Friends meeting, this topic is brought up. I see us working together to ensure that the College uniform is worn with pride and that the College regulations, signed by parents, are adhered to.

Wow!!!!!! That was huge but certainly needed to be said.

Let us advance the education of our children, enable them to become valued members of the community and assist them to understand that there will always be guidelines and rules to follow.

Please keep in your thoughts and prayers all of those who have been or who are unwell.

Have a great weekend.

From the Head of the Junior School: Mr Rick Harrison

I mentioned last week that the Junior School was involved in the Robo Cup for the second time this year. The students were very excited about this event and after a great deal of work leading up to the competition day managed to do very well indeed.

One of our teams, "Team Gary", consisting of Daniel Sinclair of Year Six and Hannah Robinson of Year Five, managed to improve upon their quarter-final result from last year finishing in second place. They were only headed by a competitor from Year Eight. This qualifies this team for entry in to the Australian Open in two weeks time.

Congratulations to all of the students involved and to Mr McGowen and Mr Taylor who assisted and encouraged them in their preparation and were the driving forces behind the whole project. Mr Taylor will supply more details information at a later date.

A brief reminder about diaries - Parents may remember that students in Years Three to Six were once issued with "tutor cards" upon which various things relating to the bearer were written – special achievements, problem behaviours, etc. These cards were taken home at the end of the week to be signed and returned to school. The cards were phased out to be replaced by an extended use of the College diary. In the same way that the cards were signed each week, the diaries should now be.

Mrs Miller and the main characters from "Aladdin" have been very busy with rehearsals and Mrs Miller tells me that the cast is performing brilliantly. We can all look forward to a fabulous show at the beginning of Term Four.

Some dates to remember:

- Book week commences: Monday, 20th August
- Life Education caravan arrives: Monday, 20th August

Senior School Sports Desk:

Last week most Trimester 2 Hills Zone sports were completed and this week are into the semi finals. One team made the semi finals, the Senior Girls Netball best wishes to them for this week. The Junior Netball missed out by one point, report below. The Intermediate Netball playing in A division also missing out by only 2 points and the Junior Boys Rugby Union missed out on their semi-finals by 2 points.

The following are the final placings of all teams that competed in the Trimester 2 competitions:

Netball: Seniors B Division 1st into semi final Intermediate A Division 5th overall Junior B Division 5th overall
Open Girls Hockey - Pool B - 5th overall
Junior Boys Rugby Union - 5th overall
Intermediate Boys Football - 8th overall

I would like to thank all the students, coaches: Mr McCallum, Mr Gordon, Mr Zalac, Mrs Patterson and Mr Wilkins and senior students who umpired and coached: Taylessa McGregor, Lauren Kenny & Ashley Patterson for giving their time and commitment to the team.

Trimester 3 Hills Zone sport nominations are due in this week and the following teams will be entered: Junior & Intermediate Boys Touch football, Intermediate & senior Girls Touch football, Junior Boys Cricket, Open Boys 6 aside Hockey.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind both students and parents that once the commitment form is returned signed by both parents & students **the student's commitment is to the team & their coach for the season.** Once the draw has been posted if there is a clash with a **prior** family commitment then a written note of explanation **needs** to be sent to Mrs Cornick and the coach. This hopefully will prevent students from pulling out of games at lunchtime on the day of the game and causing matches to be forfeited and general all round confusion and frustration.

Hills Zone Athletics Carnival: Monday 20th August.

All students are to travel on the bus unless written notification is received before Friday 17th. All arrangements as per the note sent home. **The Bus will leave at 7.00am SHARP.** Students have been asked to arrive at school t 6.45am. The following is the list of students who will be competing to gain a place in the Hills Zone team:

Abrahams, Raquel	Condon, Maddy	Haverstein, Emma	McGregor, Taylesa	Ruckman, Ike
Allerton, Joey	Condon, Kelly	Herfurth, Ally	Mills, Amberley	Ruttley, Jayden
Andrews, Joshua	Cornick, Alex	Hoffmann, Dieter	Mitchelhill Miller, James	Ruttley, Tamika
Atkins, Cassandra	Corr, Magdalen	Hornsby, Ben	Mitchelhill Miller, Hayley	Sandell, Kirsten
Baglin, Joshua	Davies, Melanie	Jackson, Tahnie	Murphy, Rhiannon	Smith, Daniel
Baldwin, Scott	Davoll, Nick	Johnson, Ashley	Newton, Eliza	Stow, Michelle
Barbagallo, Danica	Dewhurst, Ian	Khoury, Alicia	O'Brien, Billy	Swainston, Ben
Bennett, Andrew	Donaldson, Grant	Knobbs, Sarah	Otten, Matt	Tolson, Chris
Brown, Daniel	Ferguson, Aleisha	Kury, Alex	Otten, Jeremy	Tuckerman, Reece
Brown, Taylah	Finnane, Lana	Langham, Mitchell	Payne, David	Walker, Michael
Carpenter, Jake	Fonti, Natasha	Leary, Michelle	Prestwidge, Tahnee	Watts, Patrick
Celio, Alex	Frogley, Rebecca	Manefield, Amy	Pupo, Reece	Zapletal, Phoebe
Churchill Young, Elizabeth	Gibbs, Ben	Mares, Amy	Reid, Alex	
Cohen, Jessika	Handley, Cameron	Massey, Lauren	Rieussset, Alex	
Collins, Hayden	Hartley, Laura	McAulliffe, Richard	Roberts, Jacob	

Coach's Report Junior Netball: Ivan Zalac (Yr 7 Parent) - Junior Netball Coach

Our Junior Netball Team played two half games last week. Although we did lose both games, we were very competitive in extremely high quality matches. Our side was under strength. Our leading scorer, Amy Jungherr was injured with a broken wrist but still managed to give her team-mates moral support from the sidelines. Tiana Nicola who has tried very hard and played well in the competition was absent due to illness. We started with seven players, so it was all hands on deck!

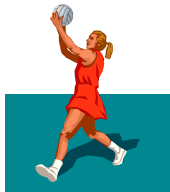
Our goal scoring was undertaken by Amanda Zalac, Elloise McWilliams & Brianna Henry. Amanda netted four goals and Elloise scored four goals in one quarter. In only her second game with us in the Goal Attack position, Brianna Henry scored five goals in a half. Brianna also played a new role in the second game in defence, and displayed great skill and enthusiasm. All girls played exceptionally well in their new roles.

Jess O'Brien, Karissa Smith, Phoebe Zapletal, played great defence and showed ever improving team work with their passing, giving our scorers great opportunities. It should be noted Karissa played, despite injuring her finger, knowing her inclusion was vital to the team. Melissa Ryan put in a stellar performance on defence as always. The girls' team work improved with each week, and they displayed sportsmanship, enthusiasm, and a high level of skill.

Throughout the competition, these young ladies did considerably well taking into account the fact we had many disruptions due to injury and illness. We often dispatched players to the intermediate team when they were short. It should be noted the girls showed great adaptability in swapping positions. This was done regularly to give them all a new experience and fair opportunity in new roles.

The Junior Netball Team are a credit to Arndell Anglican College.

Special mention must be given to our Umpire, Taylessa McGregor, who performed her tasks very well, often giving the girls guidance and clear explanations of the rules.



Attention Year 9 Students with an Interest in Science, Engineering or Technology:

Any Year 9 student with an interest in science, engineering or technology is invited to attend *The Siemens Science Experience*, a three-day hands-on science program. Programs will be conducted at almost all Australian universities in 2007/2008. Each program includes a wide variety of practical activities and presentations by leading scientists and engineers.

These programs are highly recommended for students who are contemplating taking senior science subjects and possibly pursuing a career in Science, Technology or Engineering. The programs are held during the October and summer vacations. The programs will inform students of the importance of science and technology, stimulate and heighten interest in science and inform about career opportunities in the sciences.

The full cost of the program is \$95. Applications for the September/October programs are due by 24 August 2007, and by 28 September 2007 for all other programs. If places remain available after these dates, applications will continue to be accepted until the program is filled.

For further information students should see their science teacher or Mr Allerton. Alternatively visit www.scienceexperience.com.au

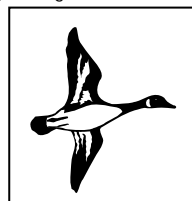
Science Competition.

Congratulations to all those students who entered the Science Competition this year. Listed below are students who achieved either a Distinction certificate (top 10%) or a Credit (top 30%). Special congratulations go to Ethan Wark of Year 9 and Justin Pogson of Year 12 who achieved a High Distinction which put them in the top 1% of entrants!

Year 7		Year 9		Year 11	
Patrick Watts	Credit	Laurie Pearse	Credit	Ian McKelvey	Credit
Ethan Holland	Credit	Amy Manefield	Credit	Jemima Robinson	Distinction
Year 8		Olivia Leal	Distinction	Dean Garden	Credit
Mitchell Waltho	Credit	Craig Murray (late)	Credit	Daniel Gosby	Credit
Ben Tuynman	Distinction	Ethan Wark	High Distinction	Year 12	
Tom Briggs	Distinction	Ian McKelvey	Credit	Matthew Stojanovic	Distinction
Sarah Manefield	Credit	Year 10		Lex Manefield	Credit
Lisa Horn	Credit	Bijan Daabi	Distinction	Justin Pogson	High Distinction
Joel Sedorenko	Credit	Russell Avery	Distinction	Reece Pupo	Distinction
				Peter Moriarty	Credit

The Story Of Wild Geese : from the Senior School Assembly last week

In the fall when you see Geese heading south for the winter flying along in the "V" formation, you might be interested in knowing what science has discovered about why they fly that way. It has been learned that as each bird creates uplift for the bird immediately following. By flying in a "V" formation, the whole flock greater flying range than if each bird flew on its own. Quite similar to people who are part of common direction get where they are going quicker and easier, because they are traveling another and lift each other up along the way. Whenever a Goose falls out of formation, it drag and resistance of trying to go through it alone and quickly gets back into formation to power of the flock. If we have as much sense as a Goose, we will stay in formation and those who are headed the same way that we are going. When the lead Goose gets tired, wing and another Goose takes over. It pays to share leadership and take turns doing hard jobs.



flaps its wings, it adds at least 71% a team and share a on the trust of one suddenly feels the take advantage of the share information with he rotates back in the

The Geese honk from behind to encourage those up front to keep their speed Words of support and inspiration help energize those on the front line, helping them to keep pace in spite of the day-to-day pressures and fatigue. It is important that our honking be encouraging. Otherwise it's just - well honking! Finally, when a Goose gets sick or is wounded by a gunshot and falls out, two Geese fall out of the formation and follow the injured one down to help and protect him. They stay with him until he is either able to fly or until he is dead, and then they launch out with another formation to catch up with their group. When one of us is down, it's up to the others to stand by us in our time of trouble. If we have the sense of a Goose, we will stand by each other when things get rough. We will stay in formation with those headed where we want to go. Remember their message that :

"It Is Indeed A Reward, A Challenge And A Privilege To Be A Contributing Member Of A Team"

Arndell Anglican College Directory

Headmaster: Dr. John Goddard
D/Headmaster/
Head of Snr School: Mr James Webb
Head of Junior School: Mr Rick Harrison
Director of Studies: Mrs Raewyn Dean
Chaplain: Rev. Graeme Sedorenko
Counsellor: Mr Matthew Lumb
After School Care: 0407 474 161
(3.30-5.30pm)
Equestrian: <http://www.arndell.nsw.edu.au>
P & F President: Donna Pellew
0417 774 545
Vice President: Tina Andersen (Waltho)
0414 634 453
Uniform Shop: Mrs Liz Moore
4572 3254
Tuesday/Thursday
8.30-10.30am/2.30-4pm
Canteens: Monday-Friday (Recess/Lunch)
Arndell Community
Church: Pastor Greg Peisley
4572 3633/0402 278 483
Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday
Remote Document
Access: <http://rds.arndell.nsw.edu.au>

DATES FOR 2007

Term 3: Monday 16 July – Friday 28 Sept.

Term 4: Tuesday 16 Oct. – Tuesday 11 Dec.

College Carols: Friday 7 December

Infants Presentation

Afternoon: Monday 10 December

Primary School

Presentation: Tuesday 11 December

Senior School

Presentation: Wednesday 12 December

Term 1 – 2008 Commences Tuesday 29 January

DATES FOR COLLEGE CAMPS . . .

The dates for the camps are as follows:

Year 8 Somerset Camp,

Colo Tues 4th Sept – Thur 6th Sept

Year 10 Waterslea,

Nowra Mon 19th Nov - Wed 21st Nov



Arndell Community Church

Arndell Community Church
is a contemporary church for YOU and YOUR FAMILY.

We meet every Sunday of the year at
10am Arndell Anglican College.
6pm Pitt Town Anglican Church Hall
110 Bathurst Street, Pitt Town
Contact: Greg Peisley

Arndell Equestrian Carnival Saturday 1st September



Our Carnival is coming up very soon; we have had a good number of entries already. We are in great need of helpers for the day, this is one of the school's major fundraisers and we need as many people as possible to help to make it a success. Most of the jobs require **NO** horse experience, so any willing helpers will be greatly appreciated. Please contact Mrs. Carolyn Dobson on 45 723531.

Equestrian Team, get your entries in now and start preparing for the big day.

Equestrian Committee.

A **Lost Property** system operates in the College which, when operating smoothly ensures the prompt return of lost items to students. The task of returning lost items is made virtually impossible when items do not have student names clearly marked upon them. It is the responsibility of students and parents to ensure that every item students bring to school is clearly marked; in the High School with the students name and home room number, and in the Junior School with the student's name. Due to the exponentially increasing number of items appearing in Lost Property any item which is not clearly labelled will be deemed to belong to no one and will be returned to the Uniform Shop automatically for re-sale. Regards.

Mr. O. Laffin



Opening of our new Senior /Library/Classroom Block

The Ian Mears Library and Classroom Block
On Friday, August 31, 2007, at 10:00am,

on the Terrace outside the Building.

Parents: we would love to see you there on the day
there on the day.

The Opening will be by Mrs Louise Markus, MP,
Member for Greenway, and the dedication by the

Rev. Ken Allen, Archdeacon of Western Sydney.
Students will be performing and helping with refreshments.

Please come: we do need to know numbers in order to prepare adequately.

All you need to do is ring Reception (4572 3633)
and leave your name and the number of seats you require.

Parents' Portal: Information Evening

Wednesday 22 August
7pm
in the new Senior Library

This is an important evening for parents to find out
More about the new Parents Portal – how it works,
what information it contains, how we want it to develop.
Don't miss it!

From the P & F:

Family Fun Day plant and vegetable stall update.

First I have to say a big thank you to Simon Grange from Grange soil solutions for his very generous donation of soil to help with our plant growing. Next, thank you to all my wonderful plant growers could you please contact me as to how you are going so we can start to get an idea as to what we have so far. If there is anyone that would like to grow plants for me, please let me know as I have lots of pots and wonderful soil. To everyone that has donated plastic pots, thank you but, please no more. For anyone that I have missed in collecting your donations I will be contacting you this week, sorry for the delay, I have broken my arm and things just don't heal as well when you get older.

To help make our plant stall a success, cuttings of any kind of plants, decorative pots, hessian, raffia ribbon, decorative things like ribbon baskets, animals such as butterflies, frogs, lizards, flowers, fairy's, wrapping paper, plastic bags or anything else that will make our plants look fantastic.

If you have an idea to help make our stall a success or you can donate something or grow something, please call me. I am looking forward to hearing from you – let's have a great plant and vegetable stall.

Cheryl Mount – 4575 4141/040 794 3777

Craft, Craft, Craft



To anyone that is interested in forming a craft group to make items suitable for selling at our Family Fun Day, join me in the staffroom after assembly on Monday 30 August 2007.

If you are unable to attend and would like to help, please contact Cheryl Mount on 02 4575 4141/0407 943 777.

Family Fun Day Plant and Vegetable Stall Update

First I have to say a big thank you to Simon Grange from Grange soil

WANTED FOR THE SCHOOL FETE Saturday 17th November, 2007. 3pm – 8pm

Craft Stall Holders. These spaces are only being offered to the school community, so if you are a bit crafty or you have products that sell well at markets, then this is the opportunity for you. Book your space now, sites are \$30.00. You provide your own table and shelter. Please return form to the Student Services or the Main Administration office.

Craft market stall – cheque payable to Arndell P & F

Name..... Phone.....

Type of craft stall.....

Child's name..... Class/homeroom.....

More people to grow or donate plants. We would also like to have a fresh produce stall in conjunction with our plant stall; we need produce or any one who could go to the markets for us. Please call Cheryl Mount 45754141

Second hand books for our book stall. These can be dropped off at the Main Administration office.

The next meeting for fete committee is on Monday 27th August in the staff room at 9.15am – All welcome.
For any enquiries call Prue Stever 0417419161



Arndell Community Church

Legend Shopping Tour – Advanced Notice – Book Early

When: 20 October 2007

Time: 6.45am for 7am – Don't be Late

Returning: Approx 6pm

Cost: \$51.00

To make a booking or for further information please contact Deborah Olliffe on 0431 926 706/4575 1030



Brainteaser

Number 24

Every issue of the College newsletter will include a brainteaser organised by Mr. Billeh. The answer will be published in the following issue. Have fun and God bless you all.

Rearrange the following letters to give the name of a popular movie:

l f t u n e s d o s u m c h

Answer to brainteaser 23: The number is 45.

Reminder from the Performing Arts Department:



Hawkesbury Eisteddfod Dates:

- Arndell Anglican College Junior Dance in the Secondary School Dance – year 7-9 section on Monday 3 September at 9:45am
- Arndell Anglican College Senior Dance in the Secondary School Dance – year 10-12 section on Monday 3 September at 11:00am
- Arndell Anglican College Choir in the School/ Community Choral section on Sunday 16 September at 3:30pm
- Arndell Anglican College Percussion Ensemble in the Percussion Ensemble Primary School section on Friday 21 September at 10:00am
- Arndell Junior Band in the Instrumental Ensemble Primary Schools section on Friday 21 September at 10:00am
- Arndell Anglican College Year 5 Guitar Ensemble in the Instrumental Ensemble Primary School section on Friday 21 September at 10:30am
- Arndell Anglican College Handbell Ensemble in the Instrumental Ensemble Open Age section on Friday 21 September at 6:00pm
- Arndell Anglican College Stage Band in the Instrumental Ensemble Open Age section on Friday 21 September at 6:30pm

All performances will take place at Windsor Function Centre, Dight Street, Windsor. We would love audience support from the Arndell community.

For more information contact -Mrs. Miles at the College.

Wrap-with Love Blankets

A big thank you to all the mums and grandmothers who volunteered to sew together into blankets the huge number (over 850) of knitted squares sent in to us. Many of these women also took home squares to sew so that we can send in as many blankets as possible. Being too cold to sleep is something most of us could not tolerate for very long, so we hope our contribution can do a little to help reduce this in needy communities, both here and overseas.

Thank you to the following women for volunteering your help:

Suzanne Glinn, Anne Sandell, Sandi Mitchell, Marianne Thornton, Cheryl Mount, Anne Massey, Carmen Truma, Jo Druitt, Jillian Carpenter, Jodi Bailey, Gillian Van Der Eyk, Carol Wilson, Connie Stephens.

Thank you to everyone who sent in squares to sew, especially Bailey Pritchard's grandmother, who sent in around 550 squares. Amazing! Thanks especially to Michaela Miles who provided luscious refreshments for the day and organized the collection. This lovely song came from the Wrap with Love website and, pretty much says it all.

God, You Wrap Your Love Around Us

God, you wrap your love around us, like a blanket, soft and warm.
You give rest when we are weary; you protect us from the storm.
May each person who finds shelter in these blankets that we share
Also feel the joy and comfort, of your love's protecting care.

Jesus, you were once a baby, sought by those who would destroy.
Into Egypt you were carried, far from home, a little boy.
Were you wrapped up warm to travel, safe from terror, free from harm?
Did you feel God's strong protection, snuggled there in Mary's arm?

May the women, men and children, fleeing danger every day
Know through us, your living presence; you walk with them on their way.
Spirit, as you give them comfort, teach us here to freely give;
May we blanket this world over with your love, so all may live.

GOLF DAY REMINDER BOOK NOW

Thursday 30th August

Enquiries:

Brenda King 0419 234 655

Mandy Waller

*Proudly supported by our Sponsors for 2007 -
EMJAY PROCESS SYSTEMS PTY. LIMITED*

*Larry Walker Home Loans - Richmond Veterinary Hospital - Vermont Plumbing - Action Insurance Brokers - Hamish Rogers Realty - Zadro
Constructions - Waterview Excavations - Complete Plumbing & Drainage*

ARNDELL GOLF DAY 2007

Thursday 30th August

BOOKING FORM

WINDSOR COUNTRY GOLF CLUB

7-30am Breakfast

8-30am Shotgun start 4 person Ambrose

1-30PM Lunch

Followed by Presentation

Cost: \$60 per Player

PLAYER/TEAM DETAILS

Team Name: _____

Players: 1. _____ 2. _____
3. _____ 4. _____

Business Name (if applicable): _____

Contact Member: _____

Address/email: _____

Payment enclosed: \$ _____

(cheques payable to Arndell P & F Association)

SPONSORS DETAILS

*** Silver \$150 *Gold \$250 (delete one option)**

**Includes Signage at Club (as provided), advertising at all College events in 2007 & One
Complimentary Player for Gold Sponsorship at Golf Day**

Father and Daughter Weekend

August 24th – 26th 2007

BOOK NOW!!!!

- Father & Daughter Challenge
- Bush walking
- Swimming
- Great fellowship
- Movie on the big screen
- Nice and close to home
- Cooking contest
- SEAFOOD NIGHT –optional



Things to bring

- Food is not supplied so you will need to bring food for you and your daughter/s.
- Your own towels
- Bring some board games
- Swimmers
- DVD's

COST: Only \$60pp for the weekend.

If you would like to participate in the big Seafood dinner on Saturday night please tick the box below. **Cost: \$15 per adult, \$5 per student.**

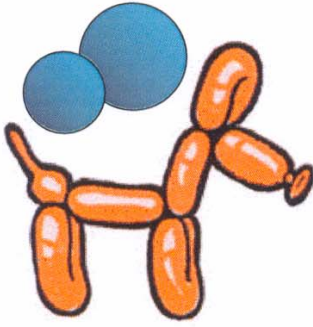
Please return to the Administration office with a \$60 deposit clearly marked attention Mr Lumb

Name: _____ Age of people coming: _____

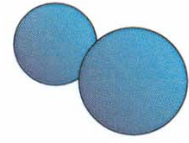
Address: _____ Contact #: _____

Email Address: _____ Yes/No I would like to have seafood

People eating seafood: _____



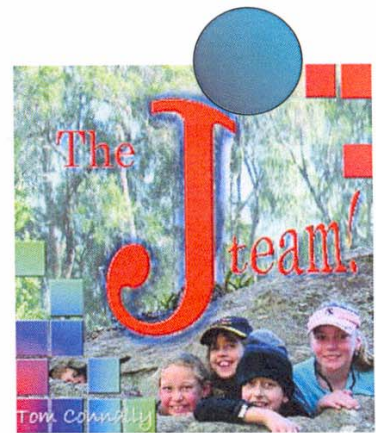
You're always
welcome here...



Why not come this

Sunday and enjoy:

- more from Tom Connally
- A Talk from the 'Good Book'
- Full Kids' Program during Church (Pre-School-Yr8)
- Free refreshments and Kids' activities after church:
- Balloons, Bubbles and things that Bounce

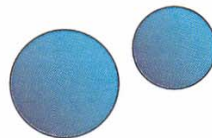


10-11.30 am 19th August 07

all free!

* Performing Arts Building

Arndell Anglican College
118-124 Wolseley Road, Oakville



Arndell Community Church

more info www.arndell.org.au Contact: Greg Peisley 45 88 5482 or 0402 278 483

