

# THE ARNDELL ADVOCATE

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### Dates for the Diary:

### **Sunday 24 February**

"Welcome to Arndell" Morning Church Service

\*10.00am in the Auditorium. A particular invitation to all new families to join in worship, then in Morning Tea. After Church there will be fun and games for the children.

### Monday 25 February

Boy's Open Hockey Trials – Pennant Hills CIS Golf Championships – Windsor

\* All the best to Josh Baglin, Year 12

Monday 25 February to Friday 29 February VET W'placement – E'taint./ Hos./ Info. Tech.

### Wednesday 27 February

Yr 7 + Yrs 9/10 Elective Music Incursion Yrs 11/12 Physics Excursion – Sydney Observatory CIS Tennis

\* All the best to Nathanial and Danica Barbagello

### **Thursday 28 February**

All Schools Triathlon – Penrith Regatta Centre Jnr. School Swimming Carnival – Richmond Pool

### Friday 29 February

Jnr. School/Snr. School Chapel

### Monday 3 March to Friday 7 March

VET W'placement – E'taint./ Hos./ Info. Tech.

### Tuesday 4 March

CSSA Swimming Carnival – Warringah Aquatic Centre

### Wednesday 5 March

AICES Basketball 16s and Open Girls - Castlehill

### **Thursday 6 March**

AICES Basketball Open Boys - Castlehill



### From The Headmaster: Dr John Goddard

As you can see by the list opposite, the range of events, even at this early stage of the year, is considerable. Sometimes you will see a small entry:

VET Work placement, for example -

and you will hardly realise the amount of organization and liaison that goes into such a happening. Some students have already been out on placement and have acquitted themselves wonderfully well. There are 3 subjects to be covered, with both Year 11 and 12 classes in each subject, so the logistics are considerable. May I thank all the Voc. Ed. Staff who manage the work placement program: you make a great contribution to these distinctively Arndell courses. Many thanks to Mrs Gillen, Mrs Paul, and Mr Wright.

Many **congratulations** to Alex Celio (Year 8), who ran in the regional athletics carnival last weekend:

400 metres, 2<sup>nd</sup> 800 metres, 3<sup>rd</sup>

Alex has qualified for State in both events: a wonderful achievement.

From all of us at Arndell, we send thanks and very good wishes to:

### Mr Matthew Lumb College Counsellor

Who moves to a new position, involving a new way of life we suspect, in the Northern Territory. Matt, thanks for all you have done for students and the community as a whole.

We welcome to the staff at Arndell:

• **Ms Sarah Tabone** (returning from Maternity Leave) and **Miss Jennifer Carey** who will share the counselling role. We welcome them aboard and look forward to working with them.

We also say a sad – but – fond – farewell to:

# Ms Helen Rodwell Science

Who takes up her position at Loreto Kirribilli next week. Ms Rodwell has been instrumental in establishing the Earth Science Course in Years 11 and 12 and has taught Biology and General Science. She has run the Streamwatch program, coached/arranged Sporting teams and been a very energetic part of the college community. We wish her very well, and we will be welcoming Dr. Gerry Adolphe to Arndell next week.

To those departing Arndell, let us say with Paul (2 Corinthians, 13:11):

"Finally, brothers and sisters, Good-bye. . . . and the God of love and peace will be with you."

### From the School Chaplain: Rev. Graeme Sedorenko

# Opportunities Come and Go Like each Sunset



A long time ago I graduated from a college. After two years of "live in study" it was time to depart and move on from those I had studied with, ate with, and cleaned the yard, garden, toilets and everything else with. The night before "move out day" we all gathered together, to celebrate our great achievements; however the celebration turned into a time of deep sadness and an overwhelming regret for many. Suddenly, many of us became aware of how the two year opportunity had finished and the people with whom we spent so much time would go to different

parts of the globe. The thing I regretted most that evening was the fact that I had **no more** time to give, to support, to encourage, to build up, to nurture and no more time to really get to know those about whom I knew a lot, and yet so very little. The

opportunity had passed, it was too late, and all I could say to myself was: "I could have done so much more for them" but not now, it was too late – we all had to move on.

Ephesians 5:15 says: "Be very careful, then, how you live – not as unwise but as wise, making the most out of every opportunity, because the days are evil."

Parents, as we engage in leading our children, let's use the opportunities wisely. Our children will not hang around us forever (well, they may), they will not be able to go back and start school again (they may redo a year or two). The chance to study at school is short and can be an



opportunity lost if a job or partying becomes more important. The time we have to nurture, to encourage and the time to instill good habits and attitudes is very short – a blink of an eye and it is over. In Ancient Greece there were many statues and one was named "opportunity." The statue had hair at the front covering the face and was completely bald at the back. The message is clear: once you pass the statue the hair could not be grabbed. Opportunities come and go and they easily slip through your fingers.

Don't miss the opportunity of coming to Arndell Community Church this Sunday at 10.00am and be officially welcomed to another year (or the first year) at Arndell College.

### From the Head of the Junior School: Mr. Rick Harrison

Here we are at the end of the fourth week of term already and I must say that overall, it has been a very smooth start to the year. As I make my way around the playground on any given day I am always greeted by smiling, happy students. Class teachers tell me that this cheery and positive attitude is carried into the classroom every day and great strides are already being made. This does not mean that there are not some difficulties to be addressed every now and then. It is most important at these times to keep the lines of communication open so that such problems can be addressed as soon as possible. Always refer any problems that your child has to his or her class teacher. If your child has difficulties with another child in the College, UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES should you approach that child.

Our after school care programme has been running for some years now and I occasionally get enquiries about before school care. In the past the numbers of parents requesting this service have not been sufficient to allow us to run such a programme. I would like, once again, to investigate the possibility of running before school care. If you are interested, please fill out the form available at student services.

Recently the initial House meetings for the year were held. The coming Swimming Carnival was discussed and House Captains were elected. The House Captains for 2008 are:

Chisholm: Janae Lane, Brendan Vielhauer; Greenway: Phoebe Tracey, Jack Hartley; Johnson: Jack Digby, Tamica Louttit;

Macquarie: Matthew Young, Maddison Black; Tebbutt: Gabrielle Saunders, Timothy McAlpine.

### A few things for parents to remember:

- If you are arriving late, please do not use the gate directly outside the 1 Red classroom as this can cause difficulties as the class is entering the room.
- The basketball/netball court is <u>not</u> to be used for parking other than after school (and during some special events). Please do not use it for parking before school even if the gates are open.
- If you are ordering items through either the Scholastic or Koorong book clubs, please mark the outside of the envelope with either "Scholastic" or "Koorong".
- If your Junior School child makes a request to wear Senior School uniform (usually the Senior School sports cap) please do not allow them to do so. The only time that Junior School students may wear Senior School items of uniform is when Year Six students wear out, or grow out of an item of uniform during Fourth Term. Then and then only, may Senior School items be worn. Note: Year Six and Fourth Term only.

### **Events coming up include:**

- Student Leaders Induction Service, Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> February
- Arndell Celebrates 2008 Service, Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> February
- Junior School Swimming Carnival, Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> February
- CSSA Zone Swimming Carnival, Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> March
- Awards Assembly (Year 3 item), Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> March

### LIBRARY NEWS: MRS CONNIE STEPHENS

In the foyer of the Senior Library Centre we have a bookcase of resources that we have purchased for parental borrowing, to assist you in your parenting role. Our resources cover all school age groups (K-12). Resources may be borrowed by parents under their children's name and may be kept at home for up to four weeks. Please come down to see our full range. We are next to the Senior oval. Below is a short list of some of the subjects addressed in our resources.



- Making New Friends
- Boys into Men
- Boys Growing Up Under Fathered
- Boys & Books
- Building a Christian Family
- Parenting from a Distance
- The Strong -willed Child

- Single Parenting
- Setting Reasonable Boundaries for Kids
- Parenting for Character
- ADHD
- Raising Confident Kids
- Asperger Syndrome
- Facing Codependence

If you have, or know of, resources that you think we should include please let me know. In future Advocates I will be giving you a short annotation on some of these resources.

I would like to welcome Mrs Elva Miller to our library staff. Mrs Miller is our new Junior School Librarian. She tells me that her library is a very busy place, both at lunchtime and during lessons. I would also like to inform you that Mr Peter Charles left the Senior Library, and our school, at the end of 2007. We wish him well as he moves on.

### From the Sports Desk:

YOUR ACCESS TO INFORMATION ABOUT HILLS ZONE &

REPRESENTATIVE SPORT FOR 2008 AT ARNDELL.



### **AICES Open Tennis**

Congratulations to both Danica & Nathanial Barbagallo on their success at the AICES Open Championships. Danica finished in the Top 5 in the girls competition. In her final Danica was down 1-5 but went on to win the game 7-5! Nathanial finished in the top 8 in the boys competition, reaching the quarter finals.

Both students have been selected to play at the CIS Championships on February 27<sup>th</sup>.

Danica continues with her tennis success having just recently won the 14&U Central West Championships at Bathurst. Congratulations to Amanda Zalac Yr8 who has been selected for the Hills Zone U16 Basketball team. Amanda will compete for Hills Zone at the AICES Championships on March 5<sup>th</sup>

Hills Zone Interschool Sports Competitions started this week. Coaches will be informing students of their training times and handing out the draws. Please be sure to keep the draw in a safe place. A reminder that students are expected to arrange their own transport to and from the venue. Junior Boys cricket the only exception as Mr Burroughs will be driving the College minibus.



The Hills Zone Girls & Boys Basketball Championship Days were held 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> February at the Fred Caterson Basketball Stadium. Both Arndell teams had a new look as fresh faces had filled places left from last year. Despite the new line-up, both teams were keen to showcase their talents.

The Girls Team played on Tuesday and found themselves against some tough teams in their pool. Not afraid of a little competition the girls took it to their opponents from the first tip-off and were quite unlucky to lose their first game against Tangara 15-10. The game had plenty of push and shove with referees whistles becoming a rarity, but we were happy to have taken the game right down to the wire considering it would eventually be Tangara who

would be overall winners for the day.

The following games for the girls proved too much of a challenge as William Clarke College and Hills Grammar had wins 24-5 and 27-7 respectively. It must be said that the score lines do not reflect the quality of the games as Arndell's defense was inspirational at times and our offense kept the opponents busy. Claire Salmon was the impact player making sure to own every rebound and Alex Cornick was on target with her jump shots.

The Boys Team played on Wednesday and like the girls didn't have an easy ride through their pool. Facing Hills Grammar in their first game, again the team who would go on to win the day, we showed muscle and discipline to race out to a confident lead. Our defense was impenetrable while Ben McInnes and Michael Prichatt continued to light up the scoreboard. Despite our intensity it was our discipline which slipped and our opponents raced away in the second half to a 36-16 victory.

Not to be disheartened, the boys rallied against a strong Williams Clarke team and with smart play were only behind by four points at the half. Showing concentration not to lose the second half again, the team kept level heads to keep the

scores close. Jake Prichatt was commanding as point guard while the boys support for each other showed the true strength of the team. On the final buzzer scores were tied however we had two foul shots to follow a foul. Nervously Ben McInnes strode to the charity stripe and in a tense moment missed the first free throw. But we only needed one to win and Ben delivered, sinking his last shot and sending William Clarke away disappointed.

Taking the winning feeling from the previous game, Arndell kept the streak going with wins against Arden (25-19) and Northolm (27-25). We finished second in our pool behind Hills Grammar which meant we were to face Gilroy in the semis. In what was always going to be a difficult game, the Arndell boys put up a brave fight and kept the scores close with some excellent basketball. On the final buzzer a team of tired Arndell boys walked off losing 34-22 in what was a gallant effort at the end of a long day.

I would like to thank the teams for their commitment and team work on the day and congratulate them on a wonderful performance. Your sportsmanship and enthusiasm was a credit to you all. Well done to all of the players and special congratulations to Alex Cornick, Ben McInnes and Michael Prichatt who were selected for the Hills Zone team. A big thank you to Mrs Zalac and Mrs Prichatt who scored on the bench for us, we really appreciate it.

Mr. S Burroughs - Team Coach

### Adolescent School Based Vaccination Program 2008:

Information will be handed out to Year 7, 8, 9 and 10 female students only, next week in regards to the Adolescent School Based Vaccination Program 2008.

In 2008 the NSW Health Dept will be offering the following vaccines:

- a three dose course of human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccine for female students in Years 7, 8, 9 and 10.
- a two dose course of hepatitis B and one dose of varicella (chicken pox) vaccine for male and female students in Year 7.

Vaccines will be administered over 3 visits as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> visit HPV	Yr 7, 8,9,10		female student only	Tuesday 18 March, 2008	
	Hepatitis B	Yr 7	all students		
2 <sup>nd</sup> visit HPV	Yr 7, 8,9,10		female student only	Tuesday 24 June, 2008	
	Varicella	Yr 7	all students		
3 <sup>rd</sup> visit HPV	Yr 7, 8,9,10		female student only	Thursday 16 October, 2008	
	Hepatitis	Yr 7	all students		

The Parent Information Kits for the vaccines will contain the following information:

- a consent form for parents/guardians to sign. Please note that a parent or guardian can only give valid consent (all forms need to be filled in with either a blue of black pen NOT pencil.)
- a Question and Answer sheet.
- information on the privacy issues surrounding collection of personal health details.

# Please return the consent forms back to the Administration office (Mrs Whelan) no later than Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> March.

### Book Club News: Mrs Buffie Tolson - Coordinator



Congratulations all who ordered through our Scholastic Book Club! Your love of books has helped us earn over \$5000 worth of resources for our school in 2007!

Issue One for 2008 has now been ordered and should arrive soon.

If you wish to order from Book Club, please remember to write your name and class at the top of the order form and include the correct money, cheque or credit card receipt (Please note, change is not given.) Kindergarten and Year 5 give their orders to their teachers; all other classes place their orders their orders in the red mailbox in the Junior School Library.

If you wish to surprise your child with an order, place your order with your name, child's class and "Parent Order" marked on it in the red mailbox in the Junior School Library.

High School Students may also order as there are extra copies of the brochures kept in the Junior School Library. Happy Reading!!

### Attention Equestrian Team:

We have received notice from Pymble Ladies College that they will be holding their annual Dressage Day on Saturday 5th April. Entries close 12th March, so if you would like to attend, please bring your entries in for signing ASAP. You may download the program and entry forms from <a href="https://www.pymblelc.nsw.edu.au">www.pymblelc.nsw.edu.au</a>

Equestrian Committee.

### Arndell Anglican College Director

Headmaster:

D/Headmaster/Head of Snr School:

Head of Junior School: Director of Studies:

Chaplain Counsellor: After School Care:

Equestrian: P & F President: Vice President:

Uniform Shop:

Canteens:

**Arndell Community Church:** 

**Remote Document Access:** 

Dr. John Goddard Mr James Webb Mr Rick Harrison Mrs Raewyn Dean Rev. Graeme Sedorenko Mr Matthew Lumb

0407 474 161 (3.30-5.30pm) http://www.arndell.nsw.edu.au Donna Pellew 0417 774 54 Tina Andersen (Waltho)

0414 634 453 Mrs Liz Moore 4572 3254

Tuesday/Thursday 8.30-10.30am/2.30-4.pm Monday-Friday (Recess/Lunch)

Pastor Greg Peisley 4572 3633/0402 278 483 Tuesday/Wednesday/Friday http://rds.arndell.nsw.edu.au

### DATES FOR 2008:

Term 1 - 2008
Thursday 20 March – Staff Development Day Thursday 20 March - Monday 24 March - Easter Break Friday 11 April - Term 1 finishes

Monday 28 April to Friday 27 June

### Term 3

Monday 21 July to Friday 26 September

Monday 13 October - Wednesday 10 December Friday 5 December - College Carols Tuesday 9 December - Infants Presentation Wednesday 10 December - Primary School Presentation Thursday 11 December - Senior School Presentation.

### DATES FOR COLLEGE CAMPS:

4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> June (Deer Park\_) Year 7

Year 8 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> June (Somerset Campsite)

Year 9 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> June (Port Hacking)

17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> November (Waterslea – Nowra)

Year 11 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> June (Blue Gum Lodge)





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

### **Pitstop**

An activity of Arndell Community Church where youth can revive and refuel

Pitt Town Anglican Hall, Pitt Town Friday 22 Feb. - Quiz Night!

Friday 29 Feb. - "Games for Grots" Friday 7 Mar.- Pitstop goes TRUCKIN'

Friday 14 Mar. - H2O Night

### **Energy**

For Children in Years 3-6 Fridays from 3.30-4.30 at Arndell Anglican College - D Block

Friday 22 Feb. - Unreal Banana Peel Friday 29 Feb. - Peace Man Friday 7 Mar. - Fruit Relays Fri 14 Mar.-Grotty Goodness

Information for the Advocate needs to be emailed to enquiries@arndell.nsw.edu.au by Tuesdays 4pm

### Scholarships for 2009:

Arndell offers scholarships in a number of areas:

\* Musical \*Academic \* Excellent all-rounder

Applications are invited for scholarships for students who will be in Year 7, 9 or 11 in 2009. Applicants sit for a written scholarship examination on Saturday 10 May, 2008 at the College; in addition, music scholarship applicants must present for audition at a date which will be shortly after the written examination. Offers are then made by the Headmaster in early-mid June. Please note:

> Scholarships generally offer 50% or 25% remission of tuition fees.

Scholarships are offered to the most able only - the top one or two per year group who really stand out.

Application forms may be obtained from the College Registrar - Mrs Wilson or by going on line through the College's website: www.arndell.nsw.edu.au then click on the homepage.

Applications close by 28 March, 2008

### From the Youth Liaison Officer Windsor Police Station

### PARENTAL DUTY NOT TO SUPPORT TRUANTS

In NSW it is the duty of the parent of a child of or above the age of and below the age of 15 to cause the child::

1. to be enrolled at a government school or registered nongovernment school, and

2. to attend the school at all times when the school is open for the child's instruction or participation in school activities.

(Section 22, Education Act 1990 No.8)

In essence the parent has the duty to cause their child to attend the school to which their child is enrolled unless they can provide a reasonable excuse as to why their child is not at school. If the parent of a child of or above the age of 6 and below the age of 15 is guilty of an offence if the parent::

1. fails to cause the child to be enrolled at a government school or registered non-government school or to be registered for home schooling, or

2. fails to cause the child to attend any such school at all times when the school is open for the child's instruction or participation in school activities..... (Section 23, Education Act 1990 No8.)

Maximum penalty: 10 Penalty Units (1 penalty unit = \$110 -Section 9, Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999, No.92)



### **Brainteaser**

### Number 3

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

A rich old farmer has three sons. When he died, he willed his 17 camels to the sons, to be divided as follows:

First Son to get 1/2 of the camels, Second Son to get 1/3rd of the camels, Third Son to get 1/9th of the camels.

The sons are sitting there trying to figure out how this can possibly be done, when a very old wise man goes riding by on his camel. They stop him and ask him to help them solve their problem. Without hesitation he divides the camels properly and continues riding on his way. How did he do it?

Answer to brainteaser 2: An Hourglass

## From the Uniform Shop: Mrs Liz Moore (4572 3254)

Blazer fittings will be held on Wednesday 5 March 2008. Children must be at school on this day to be fitted. (Infants will be fitted first shortly after 9.00am, followed by primary, then high school classes at recess) Blazers are a compulsory part of the Arndell Anglican College Uniform and they are individually fitted for each student.

Junior Girls	(Yrs, K-6)	\$160.00	Junior Boys	(Yrs. K-6)	\$210.00
High School Girls	(Yrs. 7-10)	\$170.00	High School Boys	(Yrs. 7-10)	\$220.00
Senior Girls	(Yrs, 11-12)	\$195.00	Senior Girls	(Yrs. 11-12)	\$245.00

Note: Boys Blazers have extra details. e.g. pockets and lapels, Prices include fittings, alterations and GST. Delivery W/C 28/4/2008

An \$80.00 deposit is required to confirm and register your child for a fitting. This must be paid to the Uniform shop before Thursday 28th February, or your child cannot be fitted. A late fee will apply to anybody requiring a fitting after 5th

Year 11/12 students requiring a senior stripe to be applied to their blazer, the senior stripe will automatically be applied at the above price. If you currently have a blazer that fits please bring your dry-cleaned blazer to the Uniform Shop before Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> march and a senior strip will be applied at a cost of \$25.00 to be paid in advance.

Second Hand Blazers: anyone wishing to sell their blazer (if in good condition, with the current logo and dry-cleaned) can bring them into the uniform shop now.

### Low Carbohydrate Diets

The busy world today is buzzing around low carbohydrate diets and high protein diets offering weigh conscious people a quick fix. They are only temporary solutions to a permanent problem. These diets often focus on a high fat diet with increased risk of heart disease.

A low carbohydrate diet can also be deficient in fibre and result in constipation and other diet-related disorders. It is of course easier to comply with a low carbohydrate diet than a low fat diet and one cannot overlook the short term effectiveness of low carbohydrate diets in reducing body weight!

It is highly important that we adopt a healthy lifestyle balancing energy intake with energy output which is most effective in the long term. The key to weight loss is to choose foods and an eating pattern that can help reduce the amount of calories along with a moderate to high level of physical activity.

So think twice and choose your foods wise!!

Source: Health Professional Guide- Osteoporosis Australia.

Roshini David Paul -Accredited Practising Die titian Member of the Dietarians Association of Australia

One as new Arndell Equestrian saddle blanket. Has year badges sewn on. Dry cleaned, excellent condition. \$30.00 Please Ph Maree 0433307300

### **Tutoring**

All Mathematics levels up to 3unit mathematics. Recently completed HSC topping 3 unit Mathematics and completing 4 unit maths. Accepted into B. Engineering/B. Commerce at UNSW. Know what is required to obtain strong results. Happy to help all levels of Mathematics students. Contact Richard McAuliffee on (02) 45 723 701 or 0423 733 788.

### TUTORING

Tutoring is available at various times during the week in the following subjects: Mathematics (all levels), Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Science (all levels) Contact: Douglas Cooper B.A. (Hons), BSc. (Hons) M.A.MSc,

Dip.Ed on

02 9634 6018 or 0418 617 337

### Charles Dickens'

# A CHRISTMAS CAROL

THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING BUSINESSES WHO HAVE ALREADY SPONSORED THE SHOW:

Gold Sponsor: LARRY WALKER HOME LOANS

Contact - 0412638124 or www.larrywalker.com.au

Silver sponsor : ROUSE HILL FAMILY MEDICAL PRACTICE

Contact - Dr. Stojanovic 96791098

WE WOULD LOVE TO HEAR FROM OTHER BUSINESSES OR INDIVIDUALS INTERESTED IN PROMOTING THE PERFORMING ARTS AT ARNDELL.

Gold Sponsor \$300+ (receive 6 VIP tickets, 6 VIP suppers and 6 programs)
Silver sponsor \$200 (receive 4 VIP tickets, 4 VIP suppers and 4 programs)
Bronze sponsor \$100 (receive 2 VIP tickets, 2 VIP suppers and 2 programs)
Friend of the Theatre \$50 (receive 1 VIP ticket, 1 VIP supper and 1 program)
All sponsorships are tax deductible. Complete the form below and return it with your cash/cheque.  (made payable to Arndell Anglican College).
To Miss Doman re: Sponsorship for A Christmas Carol
Name of Sponsor:

### The World's Greatest Shave

Once again Arndell Anglican College is participating in the World's Greatest Shave to raise much needed funds for the Leukaemia Foundation. The event will be held during lunch time on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March.** 

### What is it?

The Leukaemia Foundation World's Greatest Shave is one of Australia's biggest fundraising events. They have so far raised over 55 million dollars in 8 years with over 100,000 people across the country shaving or colouring their hair each year.

### Where does the money go?

By being brave and shaving or colouring, students will be raising funds for the care and cure of patients and families living with leukaemia, lymphomas, myeloma or related blood disorders. The funds raised will help offer support services such as transport, accommodation, education and support programs and practical assistance free of charge. It also funds cutting edge research into treatments and cures.

- \$55 pays for one car to transport patients to and from treatment centres for one day.
- \$100 provides a family with a fully furnished 'home away from home' near a treatment centre for one night.
- \$250 provides a family with a tailored counselling and support program for three months.

### How can we help?

On Friday 14<sup>th</sup> March we will be shaving, colouring and waxing both staff and students to raise money for the Leukaemia Foundation. We want to raise as much money as we can so House Points are up for grabs to the House that raises the most money.

All donations will be collected by Homeroom teachers leading up to the event or donations can be made online at <a href="https://www.worldsgreatestshave.com">www.worldsgreatestshave.com</a>

Select DONATE on the menu across the top of the page

Step 1: Select "I am sponsoring someone"

Step 2: Group name: Arndell Anglican College

Step 3: Select Mr Burroughs/Arndell Anglican College. Sponsor: Put in your

details & make the payment. Print receipt. All donations are tax deductible.

On the day, students will be allowed to be out of uniform **ONLY** if they donate a gold coin during Homeroom. Students who do not wish to donate **MUST** be in full school uniform and not participate in the mufti-day. At lunch time, students and staff (are there any brave parents out there?) will be shaved, coloured and waxed in a public viewing under the shade cloths next to the gym.

Last year we raised an impressive \$7,536.30 and this year we hope to beat that. Mr Burroughs has agreed to adopt a Krusty the Klown hair style if we beat last year's total.

**Please note:** This has been planned for a Friday so that students who colour their hair have all weekend to return it to their natural colour as per College policies. The usual penalties will apply for those who remain coloured. Parental support with this matter is appreciated.

### Lost Property:

The Arndell Advocate:

A 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

### Thank You

Thanks to the 15 Mums who took part in our Market Research Groups last year. We were able to purchase Sporting Equipment worth \$750.00 which was given out to all the Stages in the Primary School last week.

Suzanne Glinn & Anna Giarratano

owever if you would like this to be emailed to you, bra Whelan. (PA to the Headmaster).
Email Address: