



NEWSFLASH

Monday 11 February 2013

On behalf of the Headmaster Mr Gareth Leechman



Wednesday 13 February 2013

7.30 pm you are invited to 'Meet the Tutor'

In the John Lambert Performing Arts Building

This is an opportunity for parents of new students in the Senior School or parents of new students to the College to meet with their child's Homeroom Tutor and Head of House. It is an opportunity to hear how things are tracking and to ask any questions that may have cropped up since the beginning of the year.

The evening will run as follows:

Welcome - Head of Senior School and Headmaster

Homework and Assessments – Mrs Merrick, Director of Curriculum and Policy

Meet with Head of House

Meet with Homeroom Tutors

What you need to do:

Ensure you know which House your child is in and the name of their Homeroom Tutor

Tuesday 19 February 2013

Our first P&F meeting will be held in the Junior Library on 19/2/13 at 7.30pm. At this meeting we look forward to an address from Mr Leechman on important school matters, discussing P&F expenditure for 2013 and we will be updating the P&F constitution.

The P&F is an important link between the school and its parents. Please contact us if you have any suggestions or issues that you would like raised. Our main aim for 2013 is to promote a sense of community spirit within the school and to provide our kids with that little bit extra.

Equestrian News

We have a large Equestrian community at Arndell Anglican College and to help support and build this community Kristen Bailey has taken on the role as our Equestrian Team Manager. With many interschool events being held over the year I ask that if your family is thinking of representing Arndell at these to email the riders names and their year to equestrian@arndell.nsw.edu.au for regular updates and important information.

Kristen will also coordinate, in conjunction with the Equestrian Committee the Arndell Anglican College Equestrian Carnival. (Saturday 21 September 2013)

Uniform Shop News: Mrs Elizabeth Moore

It is time to try on your blazer as Blazer fitting day is less than 3 weeks away (Thursday 28th February). See details below.

Every student in the College (K-12) will require a Blazer to wear with their winter uniform. Whilst winter changeover does not occur until Monday 13 May, now is the time to decide if your current blazer will still fit, or if you require a new one (or a 2nd hand blazer). In past years we have had many students without a blazer that fitted them simply because they had grown out of last year's blazer and didn't realize until after the fitting day. If you have outgrown your old blazer, and it is in good condition (new logo, in good repair and dry cleaned), it may be brought to the uniform shop to sell in the 2nd hand clothing pool. Many families are looking for good quality 2nd hand blazers, so get them in ASAP.

Blazer fittings will be held on Thursday 28th February 2013

Students must be at school on this day to be fitted. The fitting of Year 7 students will commence at 8.30am in the uniform shop. Years 8 – 12 will follow at a time to be advised on the day. Junior school students who have prepaid their deposit will be collected from their classrooms during the course of the morning. Blazers are a compulsory part of the Arndell Anglican College Uniform and they are individually fitted for each student.

Jnr. Girls (Years K-6) \$180.00

Jnr. Boys (Years K-6) \$230.00

High School Girls (Years 7-10) \$185.00

High School Boys (Years 7-10) \$235.00

Snr. Girls (Years 11-12) \$210.00

Snr. Boys (Years 11-12) \$260.00

- **Note:** Boys Blazers have extra details e.g. pockets and lapels. Prices include fittings, alterations and GST.
- An **\$80.00 deposit** is required to confirm and register your child for a fitting. This must be paid to the Uniform Shop before Tuesday 26 February 2013 or your child cannot be fitted. A late fee **\$30.00** will apply to anybody requiring a fitting after 28 February 2013.
- **Years 11/12** students requiring a senior stripe to be applied to their blazer 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 6 March and a senior stripe will be applied at a cost of \$25.00, to be paid in advance.

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

NSW Adolescent Vaccination Program 2013

The NSW Health provides a school-based vaccination service each year to offer vaccines recommended for adolescents by the national Health and Medical Research Council.

- Year 7 boys and girls will receive their 1st does of HPV and Hep B
 - Year 9 boys only will receive their 1st does of HPV

Vaccinations will take place at Arndell on **25 February**. Information has been given to your child with regards to the vaccinations that they will receive. Parents are asked to read the information and sign the forms (either with a black or blue pen) and return them back to the College no later than 22 February 2013. Only students who have this vaccine specific consent form signed by their parent/guardian will be vaccinated



CALENDAR DATES 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
11 Feb.	12 Feb.	13 Feb.	14 Feb.	15 Feb	16 Feb.	17 Feb.
Snr. School Swimming Carnival – Richmond Jnr School – School Performance Tours 'Making Friends' NSW City Cricket Trials	Snr. School Assembly 'Back to the 80's' - lunch time rehearsals Karate – 3.30 – 5.30pm College Gym Jnr. School Information Evening – JLPA Centre	Snr. School Chapel Yr. 11 & 12 Geography Exc Wetlands CIS Sec. Baseball Trials Year 7 – Meet The Tutor 7.30pm JLPA Centre	AICES – Open Girls Tennis Yr. 9 PASS – Boot Camp 'Back to the 80's' - lunch time rehearsals	AICES Open Boys Tennis Yr. 10 Exc – Powerhouse Museum & Northhead Yr. 6 Induction Service 1.25 – JLPA Centre Soccer for Arndell Dads 8-9pm Arndell Gym		10.15: Pitt Town Family Church Service at Pitt Town
18 Feb.	19 Feb.	20 Feb.	21 Feb.	22 Feb.	23 Feb.	24 Feb.
Year 7 and new student's ID Photo Day Back to the 80's' - lunch time rehearsals	Karate – 3.30 – 5.30pm College Gym	Yr. 11/12: Surviving HSC Information- JLPA Centre	All Schools Triathlon Yr. 12 Business Studies Exc.	Stage 1 – Water Fun Day Back to the 80's' - Friday afternoon rehearsals Soccer for Arndell Dads 8-9pm Arndell Gym	Scholarship Testing Day Snr. Library	10.15: Pitt Town Family Church Service at Pitt Town
25 Feb.	26 Feb.	27 Feb.	28 Feb.	1 Mar.	2 Mar	3 Mar.
Yr. 7 – Vaccinations Yr. 9 (boys only) Vaccinations. Back to the 80's' - lunch time rehearsals	HZSZ Basketball C'ship's Trials Karate – 3.30 – 5.30pm College Gym		Blazer Fitting Day K-12 Uniform Shop Yr. 9 PASS – Boot Camp HICES - Debating	Jnr. School Father & Son Breakfast. Yr. 12 Bus. Studies Exc – IMAX Theatre Back to the 80's' - Friday afternoon rehearsals Soccer for Arndell Dads 8-9pm Arndell Gym		10.15: Pitt Town Family Church Service at Pitt Town State Equestrian Champ's (TBC)