Go the extra mile! - it's never crowded

Our College has now been operating for 10 years. In 2004 there were 142 students, three buildings and 17 staff. In 2013 there are 700 students, 10 buildings and 70 staff. Much has changed – people would have expected the College to grow. Much has also stayed the same. One of the most important things to have stayed the same is who we are and what we stand for.

So it is time for us to remember again the five things that the College stands for -

- **Consider Christ** – you will hear from staff that God loves you and has a purpose for your life. You don't have to believe it but it is important to us that they believe it. We are a College that has been established for Christ's glory. Consider how much God loves you and what your purpose is in life.

- **Extend yourself** – we are a learning community and whilst there are many activities, clubs and opportunities available – first and foremost, we are here for an academic education. **Teachers focus on the classroom first.** Make the most of every opportunity to achieve the best education that you can. Keep a balance with sport and the creative arts but focus on the classroom. It is easier to learn and achieve qualifications when you are young than to go back to the books whilst juggling work and family commitments.

- **Be proud of your College** – Keep it clean; present yourself well; be a good ambassador. You are our reputation. The amazing growth of this College is a reflection of the pride in belonging that is so abundant. People notice. And people say – I want my children to have that too. It is not an arrogant pride. It says – this is who we are and this is where we belong.

- **Be part of the community** – focus outwardly not inwardly – have a go – get involved. At the end of Year 12, the happiest graduates are those who have led by example – academic achievement, musicals, sporting representation, working bees, community service. They are the role models for those that follow.

- **Practise self control** – make the right choices – everybody has a right to feel safe at the College. Look after each other. A College like ours is not an easy choice for parents. It comes at a cost. Who you are and what you stand for – your morals, ethics and the choices you make in life are profoundly affected by the example you are set at home. But they are also supported by staff at the College. Staff teach every day – and sometimes it’s a subject. Older students become teachers too. Junior students look up to them as examples.

“Going the extra mile” refers to those people who give a lot more of their time and effort than they should. They are the first to volunteer, the first to jump in and lend a hand. They always seem to do more work than they are paid to do – and they do it with a smile. They are patient and compassionate with those who are sad. They climb out of a sick bed just to keep a promise. They are staff, they are students and they are parents.

Last week a group of hard-working volunteers saw the culmination of many hours of planning and discussions result in our very successful Annual Country Fair. Other Heads ask me what we make at the Country Fair. I don’t really know. I know it is substantial and it helps keep the fees down but I can’t give you a figure. I can tell you that every year we make **Community** and this year was no exception. Our College is much more than wonderful facilities and resources. Our College is a community of hard-working, committed people who go out of their way, often without fanfare or acclamation motivated only by a desire to **go the extra mile** and make our College a better place.

**Sometimes extending a comfort zone extends contentment too.**
COUNTRY FAIR – OUR BEST FAIR EVER!

VOLUNTEERS

A well deserved thank you goes to the dedicated volunteers that worked above and beyond during the preparations, throughout the day and following the Country Fair. We truly would have not been able to succeed in getting this major event underway without your assistance. Each and every one of you should be very proud and deserve a huge pat on the back for a job Well Done!! Thank You Everyone!!

CHICKEN HATCHERY

If anyone is still interested in buying some of the little chickens that were being sold at the fair, they are three for $10.00. Derks are selling starter packs at their shop in Picton. Please see the office staff if you are wanting to purchase the chickens.

PHOTO COMPETITION

Thank you to everyone for entering the photo competition and congratulations to the place-getters, we have seen some great shots. For those of you who have not yet collected their competition photos, please do so at the College Office. Thank you.

AUCTION

If you are a winning bidder on either the Silent Auction or the Main Auction and have not yet collected your item, we ask that payment and collection of your goods is made at the College Office before the end of the week. If this is not possible, please contact Office Staff to discuss other arrangements. Any items that are unclaimed will be donated to the Golf Day.

10 YEAR ANNIVERSARY COOKBOOK

Now that the Country Fair is over, we can put all of our efforts into finalising the 10 Year Anniversary Cookbook. For anyone that has missed the earlier deadline to send in recipes for this special edition book and would still like to contribute, please send in your recipes via email to lianne@sprouts catering.com.au

The deadline for these last minute recipes will be the end of the school holidays, Sunday, 6 October.

A BIG FUN RUN THANK YOU!

Thank you so much for all our wonderful volunteers who helped make our 2013 fun Run a success, the run cannot happen without you.

Huge Thank you to –

Our wonderful teachers for their time and a special mention to Mrs Lisa Rockwell for doing a fantastic job with organizing the times.

Our Administration Staff for all their help with information in newsletters, the printing of flyers, and the communication between departments.

Our sponsors and to Mrs Colleen Maihi for her hard work approaching local businesses for sponsorship and then the job of collecting all of the wonderful donations for our fun run and fair.

Mrs Jude Gaidzionis for all her brilliant design work and printing of the flyers.

The hardworking Mr Schroder and his team for all the distribution of banners, fields set up, fields pack up, clean up and answers to millions of questions ha! Etc. etc.

The biggest thank you to all you runners for supporting our Fun Run and our College. I hope that you all had fun.

If anyone would like to know their times a list will be in the College Office.

Thank you.

Karen Johnson
(Fun Run Co-ordinator) P&F Committee
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**ENROLMENTS**

We are now taking enrolments for 2015. Please contact the College Office for an application package.

**WITHDRAWALS**

Parents are reminded that if you intend to withdraw your child/ren, you are required to give the College a Term's notice. That means that now is the time to let us know if you are not intending to return to the College in Term 1, 2014. Advice of such an intention over the Christmas holiday period or during Term 4 is not sufficient.

**2015 SCHOLARSHIPS - NOW OPEN**

You can now go online to the Administration tab of the website to apply for a scholarship for students entering Years 5, 7, 9 or 11 in 2015. As per previous years, there will be Academic, Music and Dance Scholarships available.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Mrs Christine Mozejko  
Development Manager

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Have you lost?  
A 70th Anniversary Wing Australian Air Force Cadet Medal has been found.  
Please contact the College Office for more information.

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28 Hill Street  
Tel: 02 4651 4800  
Fax: 02 4651 4830

CMC PICTON  
20 Menangle Street West  
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MINISTRY OF PAINTBALL  
IT’S TIME TO PLAY!  
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NOTE: Term 4 commences TUESDAY, 8 October – WEEK B on the Timetable

HSC Examinations - Exam rules and procedures
The HSC Examinations commence on Monday, 14 October and finish for Wollongilly students on Wednesday, 6 November.

Year 12 students need to be aware of their examination timetable and allow plenty of time in their travel arrangements to be present for the commencement of each examination. The Board of Studies does not allow appeals for illness or misadventure based on misreading timetables or arriving late for examinations because a student slept in.

It is also important to be aware of the examination rules for each exam what materials are permitted to be taken in to the examination room.

The main rules and requirements for HSC examinations are set out in the Rules and Procedures for Higher School Certificate Candidates booklet, issued to every student when they begin their HSC study, and every student – by signing their Confirmation of Entry form (PDF) – agrees to abide by these rules. Each year a relatively small number of HSC students are reported for breaching examination rules. Read more about exam rule breaches.

Year 11 Subject Changes – Commencing HSC Study in Term 4.
Year 11 students will commence their HSC courses in Term 4. Some students may choose to drop a level in English or Mathematics, drop a course from 12 units to 10 units or pick up History Extension 1. For any of these changes, there is a strict process students need to work through.

Any students who wish to make these changes must see me for a Subject Change Form.

Mr Ian Croger
Deputy Headmaster

Pastoral Care Matters

Student Representative Council
As part of SRC discussions earlier this year the group collectively decided to use the funds collected from this Term’s Mufti Day to support Mission Aviation Fellowship. The Term 3 Mufti Day will take place on Friday, 20 September. All students are required to bring in a gold coin to support the work of this organisation. Students are encouraged to be generous to aid the work of this important cause. Students can pay the money to their Roll Call teacher in the Middle/Senior School on Thursday, 19 September or Friday, 20 September. Students in Transition-Year 4 can pay the money to their Class teacher on the same days.

Below is a brief outline of the work this organisation conducts:

MAF is a not-for-profit team of aviation professionals providing air transport in places of deepest human need - remote places where flying is not a luxury, but a lifeline. For over 60 years, MAF has flown over jungles, mountains, swamps and deserts to bring thousands of men, women and children medical care, emergency relief, long-term development and Christian hope.
Uniform for Term 4 - Summer
Refer to the College Diary.

- **Dress Standards for Mufti Day**
- The normal College expectations apply to hair and jewellery.
- Students must wear enclosed shoes – no thongs or sandals.
- Singlet tops or tops showing exposed mid riffs are also excluded. Shirts cannot be of a sleeveless nature.
- Clothing worn should not have slogans with inappropriate language or messages.
- Shorts - leg length should be at least to mid-thigh.

Students have been warned that if they don’t comply with these rules, they may be sent home or withdrawn from the day’s activities.

**Student Leadership**
On Monday, 16 September the SRC gathered together for their end of Term Lunch to recognise the work they have been involved in during Term 3. I would like to commend the work of the Years 3-5 representatives this Term and also acknowledge the work of our Year 12 students as they complete their service on the SRC. As we approach Term 4 the new Years 3-5 representatives will become involved in SRC service. I look forward to welcoming them early next Term and for what they will bring to the SRC in Term 4.

**Senior Formal Assembly**
On Wednesday, 18 September students in Years 9-12 were involved in our Term 3 Formal Assembly. This was a fantastic opportunity to recognise the achievements of our students across a broad range of areas. All students who received awards are to be commended on their positive contributions to College life. I would also like to acknowledge the students who performed as part of the Assembly and the work of the staff in the lead-up to and on the day.

Mr Liam Toland
Director of Pastoral Care T-12

[Photos of the Formal Assembly]
Following extensive interviews of many high calibre applicants, the Foundation College Headmaster, Dr Stuart Quarmby, is pleased to announce that the following staff have accepted teaching appointments for 2014:

**Dr Rob Bearlin; Biology**

Rob has a PhD from the University of Otago. He comes to us with extensive teaching experiences at other prestigious Independent schools such as Scotch College, Melbourne, Canberra Grammar and Yarra Valley Anglican School. Rob is well connected in the Ulysses Society and the CSIRO Double Helix Club. Added to his extensive experience in Careers Advice and passion for teaching, Rob is the former Science Head at Canberra Grammar.

**Mrs Cate Rigg: English**

Cate is an accomplished teacher and HSC English marker. She is also the former Head of English at Mount Annan Christian College. An experienced educator, Cate has completed her Masters at Deakin University. Notwithstanding all of these achievements, the highlight of her career was her previous time as an English teacher and Year 7 Patron at Wollondilly Anglican College. Cate was delighted to accept the offer of the position of Year 10 patron for 2014, following these students through to their HSC in 2016.

**Mr Ben Jones: Technology and Applied Sciences**

Following completion of a Certificate 4 in Interactive Multimedia, a Graduate certificate in Religious Education, A Bachelor of Business in Computing and Information Management and extensive industry experience with several multinational companies, Ben followed a passion for teaching through a Graduate Diploma in Education through the Australian Catholic University. He joins us after three years teaching at Clancy Catholic College.

**Travis Coutts Smith: Primary Teacher**

Travis is well known and loved by the Wollondilly community having taught here for a year whilst Mrs Simmons is on maternity leave. Travis has a Bachelor of Arts and a Post Graduate Diploma in Primary Education with a distinction average through the University of Wollongong. As well as being a gifted teacher, Mr Coutts Smith has well developed passions in Sport and Music which made him a valuable catch for our education program here at the College.

**Mrs Kerry Apps: Primary Teacher**

Mrs Apps has graduated from university with a Bachelor of Primary Education with a Distinction / High Distinction average. She has been appointed as a Learning Support Officer at two previous schools and has been a leading light in the TOWN numeracy program. As well as a competent classroom practitioner, Kerry will also follow her interests in Dance, Drama and the Creative Arts, as well as a passion for Sport at the College.

**Mr Stuart Houweling: Primary Teacher (Maternity vacancy)**

Stuart has completed a Bachelor of Health Science (PDH/PE) at the University of Western Sydney, a Bachelor of Teaching PDH/PE at Sydney University and a Graduate Diploma of Primary Education at the University of Wollongong. Whilst he was a well-regarded secondary PE teacher, Stuart decided that to have a class of his own and to be an essential part of students’ educational growth was a very attractive proposition and so re-trained as a Primary teacher. His passion for Sport and Physical Education as an essential part of the teaching program will also prove valuable at our College. Mr Houweling has agreed to teach at the College whilst Mrs Ferris is on maternity leave.

Dr Stuart Quarmby
Headmaster
Congratulations to all the students who participated in the English Competition this year.

**High Distinction** certificates were awarded this year to:

Gideon Meischke, Rebekah Wales - Year 5  
Ben Hardie, Rylea Keen - Year 6  
Jason Davies - Year 8

These students placed in the top 1% of their cohort in NSW and ACT.

**Distinction Certificates** were awarded to:

Aaron Landrigan - Year 3  
Harrison Lockyer, Catherine Shaw - Year 4  
Kirrily Jones, Madilyn McKinley - Year 6  
Murray Jobbins, Isaac Kiley - Year 8  
Grayce Keen - Year 9

The award of a Distinction means that these students were placed in the top 10% of their cohort.

**An impressive number of Credit Certificates were awarded to the following students:**

Year 3 - Brooke Webber, Hamish Grant, Alexander Jefferys  
Year 5 - Ryan Eagles, Amy Hvejsel, Josiah Jacobs, Amy Kellert, Zahary Smith, John Talbot  
Year 6 - Brianna Ollis, Helena Turner  
Year 7 - Hayden Urquhart, Roy Bramich-Wilson, Bella Creswick, Fergus Hayes-Sant, Jackson Stone  
Year 8 - Morgan Allan, Amy Bennison, Allira Betts, Nicholas Fleming, Jade Grindrod, William Harris, Lucy Mills, Max Noakes, Cameron Ricketts and Maddison Traynor  
Year 9 - Gabrielle Apps, Kathryn Beale, Sophie Dymond, Alexandra Gaidzionis, Dominique Palmer, Emma Wales, Michelle Wales, Tyler Wilson  
Year 10 - Thomas Croucher, Samuel Gardiner, Alex Lisica, Claire McCrohon, Ashley Osborne, Samantha Vibert

**Mrs Wendy Croger**  
**English Co-ordinator**

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**Country Fair Stationery**

The stationery that was located in the Flower/Balloon stall at the College Country Fair is still on sale! You can purchase items from Mrs Saint-John during lunch times in Sturt IRC this week.
**StartSmart Year 10**

On Thursday, 17 October, Year 10 students will be participating in a financial literacy program called StartSmart, run by the Commonwealth Bank.

The StartSmart Secondary program consists of five different workshops, each focusing on a different topic in depth: earning, saving, spending, investing and decision making for the future. Each workshop is an interactive learning experience that is designed to engage students and empower them in making their personal financial choices.

In the past the program has been well-received by students and their parents. It will run within the normal school day.

Mrs Sarah Talbot  
Secondary Teacher (English, HSIE, Drama)

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**Language Competition Results**

Across the state 40,000 students participated, 12,460,957 questions were answered and 3,988,182 words were learned.

The results are in! **Wollondilly** placed:

- **19th** in the state for all languages (See the link for the leader board [http://www.languageperfect.com/c/#NSW](http://www.languageperfect.com/c/#NSW))
- **2nd in GERMAN** across the state (use the same link but on the top right hand side put in GERMAN.)
- **1st in GERMAN based on school averages** (other schools had more kids than us) Click on school averages for GERMAN.
- **30 WAC kids were in the top 200** students for GERMAN (same link, click German and top students.)
- Jecia Robertson (8 Grace) placed **2nd for German in the State**.

The kids really got into the competition, had fun and best of all learnt lots of German vocabulary, while they were at it.

Mrs Carolyn Clark  
Primary/Secondary Teacher (German)
LIFELONG LEARNING CENTRE FOR ADULTS

Theology
This term we are running the unit called ‘Promise to Fulfilment’ and participants are still welcome. (Exam in November is optional).

Introduction to Digital Photography
This course will be run in Term 4. I am currently taking names so please contact me as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. It will only run if we have the numbers.

One Day Vegetable Gardening Course
This course will run on Saturday, 21 September 9.00 am till 3.00 pm ($90.00).

Half-Day Cookery Course
This course has been cancelled for Term 3 due to lack of numbers and may run next Term.

Mrs Rhonda Hay
Lifelong Learning Facilitator

HALLO DEUTSCHLAND!

The countdown is on for an excited group of Wollondilly students, who leave Australia this Saturday for a three week adventure in Germany. The students come from Years 8, 9, 10 and 11. They will be accompanied by Dr Quarmby and myself. The first two weeks will involve travelling around Germany and will culminate in a home stay with a German family from our link school Firstwald Evangelische Gymnasium. You can follow our adventures on our blog, which you can find at http://wacgermantrip.blogspot.com.au I will endeavour to update the blog whenever we have access to free wireless internet. Don’t fret if the posts are infrequent, it only means I haven’t found it easy to access the internet. Please pray for the safety and good health of the group.

Remember “Monolingualism is curable. Learn a second language!”

Mrs Carolyn Clark
Primary/Secondary Teacher (German)

NEW ZEALAND MUSIC DANCE DRAMA TOUR

Just a reminder to all students in Years 7-12 in 2014 who are interested in going on the Music Dance Drama Tour of New Zealand to return the expression of interest forms early next term.

Mr Simon Denley
Creative Arts Co-ordinator
As the term draws to a close we can celebrate the students’ many achievements. They have worked consistently to develop their skills in a range of areas socially, physically and academically. It is such a joy to see the children learning with enthusiasm and confidence.

**Uniform and lost property:** With the weather getting warmer, jackets are not always getting into bags at the end of the day. Please ensure your child’s tracksuit is labelled WITH THEIR NAME. I currently have a number of jackets in the classroom with names of past students that have not been relabelled. It is also a timely reminder as the weather warms up that students must bring their green Transition hat to College each day. Students who do not bring a hat will be asked to remain in the shade to play less active games. Please also apply sunscreen in the morning prior to the start of the College day.

**Transition into Kindergarten:** Next term presents many elements of change to our usual routine. Students will spend time ‘transitioning’ towards Kindergarten 2014 to encourage confidence and a familiarity of their new surroundings and teachers. Information on changes and upcoming events will be placed in the Waratah Weekly. As Transition is part of the Transition-Year 6 College years, we attend many events with other classes. Announcements for Transition are often included in articles from Ms Huxtable, Mrs Keen, Mrs Saint-John and other staff. I encourage you to keep reading all articles in the Waratah Weekly. It is wonderful to learn about things happening in other areas of the College. Early next term we will be heading into the Kindergarten-Year 2 Playground for recess and lunch. It would be helpful for all hats, lunchbox containers and drink bottles to be clearly labelled. This will assist the teachers on duty to help your child find their belongings more easily. It also helps to reduce lost property.

**Paint shirts:** Paint shirts will be sent home for a wash on the last day of term. Please return your child’s paint shirt on their first day back next term.

**Parent Helpers:** A huge thank you to the many parents who have helped both within the classroom and at home through cutting resources. I plan to resume parent helpers next term from Week 2. You are welcome to commit to helping as often as you would like; whether that be once a term, month, fortnight or week. Please contact me via email if you would like to continue assisting in the classroom or if you would like to begin helping. My email contact is k.ferris@wac.nsw.edu.au

**Portfolios:** This week each student will take home their portfolio folder. The portfolio will provide each family with a snapshot of the students’ learning journey in Transition this term. Please use it as a tool to initiate conversations with your child about their time in Transition this term. I have included an initial sounds activity for you to use at home if you would like to use it. This resource can be kept at home for use throughout the year. Please note - the College does not send home a report in Term 3. Your child’s next report will be their end of year report.

**Uniform heads up for Kindergarten:** If your child is in need of new joggers, I suggest that you consider purchasing joggers that are lace ups (not Velcro!) and predominately white in order to meet the uniform guidelines for Kindergarten. Students will need to have these shoes by the start of next year. Everyday school shoes next year will also need to be lace up (no buckles or velcro), black leather and flat heeled.

Mrs Kristy Lee Ferris
Primary Teacher (Transition)
**PRIMARY SPORT**

Congratulations to all 12 children who represented our College at the CIS NSW State Primary Athletics last week. A special congratulations goes to the following achievers:

- Grace Meier-Kapavale- 6th 12/13 Discus
- Regan Boyle- 4th 12/13 800m
- Brett Harriman- 4th 8-10 High Jump

This is an amazing effort for these children - well done.

Through the week, we were also notified that Wollondilly came 4th at the NASSA Primary Athletics Carnival. For our first year in the Association, this is a great achievement.

The IPSSO competition resumes in the first week of next term. Please remember all safety gear as required per each individual sport.

We will again be offering swimming for College sport children. A note will be sent out and this program will be starting in Week 2.

I wish everyone a wonderful and restful break.

Mr Stuart McIntosh  
Primary Sports Co-ordinator

**GRANDPARENTS’ & GRANDFRIENDS’ DAY**

Grandparents and Grandfriends are invited to visit the College on Friday, 25 October for Grandparents’ and Grandfriends’ Day. It will begin with an opportunity to visit your grandchild’s classroom from 8.30 am. During the class visit there will also be time put aside for you and your grandchild to visit the Book Fair. A special Chapel will be held and then afterwards the Headmaster, Dr Quarmby, will welcome all our Grand people to morning tea in the forecourt of the Auditorium.

A detailed note inviting all our Grandfriends is included with this week’s Waratah Weekly.

Please send this note back before Friday, 18 October.

Mrs Krystine Keen  
Pastoral Care Co-ordinator (T-4)
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Calmsley Hill City Farm
Canteen Roster

Friday, 20/9
Lesley Bramich
Angela Sarkis

Term 4

Monday, 7/10
Public Holiday

Tuesday, 8/10
Judith Rigg
Help Needed

Wednesday, 9/10
Judith Rigg
Help Needed

Thursday, 10/10
Judy Scholes
Help Needed

Friday, 11/10
Judith Rigg
Lesley Bramich

Monday, 14/10
Liz Hayes
Help Needed

Tuesday, 15/10
Anne Woods
Help Needed

Wednesday, 16/10
Judith Rigg
Help Needed

Thursday, 17/10
Clare Seidel
Virginia Williams

Friday, 18/10
Angela Saarkis
Judy Scholes

If you would like to put your name down for the Canteen roster we have vacant spots available. You can do half a day (8.00 am til 11.00 am) or (11.00 am til 2.00 pm) or a full day. One, two, three or four days a term, whatever you can manage would be very much appreciated and lighten the load for our wonderful band of faithful volunteers. If you want an easier day choose a Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.

Wishing you all a safe and happy holiday!

Think healthy, Eat healthy, Live healthy!

Mrs Carolyn Richards
Canteen Supervisor
• From time to time, families undergo trauma such as severe or terminal illness. There are support structures in place at the College to assist families during these times. Parents have kindly offered practical support such as meals for other families. Please continue to contact Mrs Hay or Mr Shaw at the College, to assist. Confidentiality will be respected when requested.

• **Free Parenting Seminars Term 4** - Free Parent/Staff Development Evening “Understanding the Teenage Human”. For more information email; www.simonclegg.com.au.

• **Free Photography Workshop for High School Students** - Tuesday, 1 October 9.30 am-1.00 pm at Hill Top Community Centre. Only 20 places Bookings essential. For more information contact Hill Top Community Centre Ph: 4889 8998 m: 0427 122 115.

• **HFC Soccer Academy** - Highlands Soccer Association and Highlands FC intensive development program for boys and girls. For more more information Ph: 0407 917 062.

• **Potters Preschool Mittagong Reunion** - 20 Year Reunion being held on Saturday, 21 September. For more information contact Angela Chadwick, Potters Preschool Mittagong. Ph: 0424 092 415.

• **Camp Daniel St Judes Bowral** - Camp for kids aged 9 - 14 yrs old. When: Monday, 30 September - Wednesday, 2 October at Fitzroy Falls Conference Centre. For more information or registration contact Larry Mullan: larry@bowralanglican.org.au or Carmen Williams: Carmen@bowralanglican.org.au. Limited spots available!

• **Bike Camp School Holiday Cycling Camp for Teenagers** - The 2013 ride is from Saturday, 21 September to Friday, 27 September. We will be starting in Goulburn and ending in Bathurst. Go to: https://www.sunsw.org.au/scriptureunion/bikecamp for more information.

• **School Holiday Activities September/October** - Educational school holiday activities at Wollondilly Library. Limited spaces bookings essential - Ph: 4677 8300

• **Pink Night In “80's Theme”** - Saturday, 19 October at Bargo Sports Club, 6.30 pm. For more information and Tickets call Bronwyn Ainsworth Ph: 0425 281 031.

• **Gingerbread House Making Night** - St Paul’s Women’s Group is holding its annual Gingerbread House Making Night, Saturday, 30 November at Bargo Community Hall. Tickets on sale until 25 November $25.00. For more information contact Lynnette 0458 343 280 or Jeanene 4684 2062. Supper provided.

• **Mittagong Cricket Club** is seeking senior and junior players for the 2013-14 Cricket Season. Registration at Welby Cricket ground each Sunday in September 2013 between 10.30 am and 12.30 pm. Pre-season training will occur on these days as well. For further information please contact the Club President on 0431 159 838.

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**COMMUNITY**

Please Note that this page is a service to the Community and items advertised do not necessarily carry the endorsement of the College. The College tries to be selective with what is advertised but cannot take responsibility. Please look into events advertised carefully.
Wollondilly Anglican Community Church (WACC) meets in the Clifford Warne Auditorium every Sunday at 9.00 am.

_Psalm 8:9 ¶ O LORD, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!_

Thanking God for the wonderful weather for the Fair, as well as for the skills and commitment he gave to so many people who worked together to make it such a great day. Every day, even in the very small things, we get to see how good our God is. As we head into a new holiday break, let's thank him for his goodness through the term and enjoy his majesty over the next two weeks.

Rev Rob Meischke 0437533106
Pretend Headmaster, Dylan Jones (KS) was extremely happy with his purchases made at the College’s Country Fair, held last Saturday.

 Prayer Points

 Thank God

• For the organising committee and all of the magnificent helpers at the Annual Country Fair
• That community is important here – and in God’s plan
• For the fantastic results in the recent State-wide competitions

 Ask God

• For His continued blessing on our College.
• For clarity in decision making as we wind up staffing additions for 2014
• For a restful break and for safety on the German trip

       Psalm 127:1 Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labour in vain.

       Excellence, Endurance, Eternity.