From the Foundation Headmaster, Dr Stuart Quarmby

Two thousand plus years ago, three shepherds followed a star. Three kings also followed the star. It led to a stable in Bethlehem where God’s greatest gift to mankind lay in a feeding trough.

40 years ago, I followed a star. His name was Andy Scott and he was the lead guitarist from a British Rock Band called Sweet. I would crank up my transistor radio in the bedroom when a timeless classic like Wig-Wam-Bam or Teenage Rampage came on and reach for the trusty cricket bat which doubled as a guitar, just in time to let rip with one of Andy’s guitar solos as I strained to reach his impossibly high notes at the top of the scale in a signature Sweet triple vocal harmony. The little tranny sounded like a rock concert when placed in front of a Shure microphone which was plugged into a Yamaha guitar amp and cranked up to 5 or 6 on the dial.

“Turn it down!” said mum or dad, (they shared the responsibility for neighbourhood noise pollution watch dog). (Ironically one of Sweet’s hits was called “Turn it down” – “I can’t take no more of that horrible sound so for God’s sake turn it down.”)

“But it’s Sweet, mum,” I’d reply, knowing that any chance of a compelling argument was already lost.

The volume went down and the cricket bat returned to the corner. I reached for my purple Ibanez guitar and set the amp dial to 4 - calloused fingers from practice. I wanted to play like Andy Scott. He seemed to have a pretty glamorous lifestyle.

University provided an opportunity to pursue the dream a little further. More guitar practice this time on a Yamaha SG1500 Cherry Sunburst Santana series and a chance to turn the volume up to 8 or 9; to dress like Andy (yes even the platform boots - shudder); to grow my hair and part it down the middle like Andy. I never made it into a commercial rock band, though the one I was in during University years certainly covered the rent every week and gave us access to some pretty famous rock stars in real life as a support act.

And this is why I found myself in Row 2 of the Marrackville Community Hall last Saturday night with Roslyn and my daughter Lisa (also massive Sweet fans care of countless hours of CDs in the car over the years). It was a fantastic night. I had expected Andy to have aged a little but the years had not been kind – in fact, the poster outside the venue revealed that the years had targeted, bullied and assaulted Andy. But the sound was there; the guitar solos were there; even the impossibly high vocal notes were reached (extraordinary for a 60+ year old). Andy had not changed. Even his hair was still long and parted down the middle.

Two thousand plus years ago, three shepherds followed a star. Three kings also followed the star. It led to a stable in Bethlehem where God’s greatest gift to mankind lay in a feeding trough. Andy’s star has faded; Jesus’ star still shines. To aspire to be like Andy requires a change in wardrobe and hairstyle; to be like Jesus requires a change of heart. Andy was an inspiration for a lifetime; Jesus shines for eternity.

Jesus is a star worth finding.
Three of our staff members, Dr Quarmby, Mr Croger and Dr Eaton braved the shave again this year and participated in the World’s Greatest Shave in front of our students last Thursday at lunchtime.

Staff at the College contribute to this tremendous fundraiser each year by sponsoring our team. Our team was part of the Wollondilly Community Rainbow Shave team which is coordinated by Mrs Joan Derks. Mrs Derks and Mr & Mrs Belanszky attended our event and have asked the College to be the custodian of the 2013 trophy for the Wollondilly Community Rainbow Shave team for being recognised in the 2013 National Top Fundraisers’ list.

We would also like to acknowledge our own old Wollondillian, Miss Grace Cochrane from Argyle Hair Design, Picton for coming along to be our hairdresser.

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**TERM SERVICE - THIS FRIDAY, 21 MARCH**

Term Service is at 7.00 pm in the Warne Auditorium on this Friday, 21 March. Our amazing Kindergarten students will be performing for us.

In addition, Natalie Miller and her puppets will be visiting for the last time, before she moves to America. Make sure you are there early to get a good seat and join with us to worship God as part of the Wollondilly Anglican College community.

Mrs Carolyn Clark
Term Service Organiser
Make the most of this College year.

It was great to see so many of our Dads and Grandads here last week for the Fathers and Literacy Morning. It was clear that most of them enjoyed the experience and their children enjoyed having them come to the College.

Michael Grose (2014) suggests that parental withdrawal from children’s education is a big problem these days as increasingly parents are worn out from working too hard or being involved in a variety of activities. But the message for parents is clear – become involved in as many aspects as practical in your child’s education. Their chances of success are better when kids see school as an extension of home rather than merely an institution for learning.

Positive parent participation demonstrates to children that you value learning and their school in particular. Children copy many of their parents’ views so your positive attitude to school and learning is catching. Make the most of the opportunities that schools offer to assist in the classroom including, hearing kids read, taking small groups in elective activities and assisting children when writing stories.

Parent participation is much broader than helping out in the classroom. Hearing young learners read, helping with homework and making sure kids go off to school happy, healthy and with plenty of sleep are important aids to learning.

Here are some more ideas to help you participate in your child’s education in positive ways:

1. **Make sure your kids start each day well.** That means they should get a good night’s sleep, have a healthy breakfast and arrive at school on time with all their learning requirements as well as a healthy lunch. This fits in with our ‘Healthy Eating Guidelines’ at WAC.

2. **Attend school activities** such as open days, concerts, parent evenings, sports events and celebrations. Read the school newsletter and other forms of communication so you can stay in the loop with what’s happening at your child’s school. The Waratah Weekly, the Student Diary and our College website are important communication tools.

3. **Consult with your child’s teacher** about homework expectations and practical ways that you can assist both at home and at school. Each teacher has his or her own expectations about how you can help so make sure you work within their guidelines. Our information evenings and parent-teacher evenings are important.

4. **Find out** what your school is trying to achieve for your child and show your support for its aims. Support a broad, balanced curriculum that offers children a variety of educational experiences rather than a program that focuses narrowly on the traditional three R’s. School discipline is always more effective when it’s supported by parents so be supportive of their attempts to promote good behaviour in your child. We often talk about our ‘College Distinctives’ and how important they are in the culture at WAC.

5. **Become an advocate** for your child’s school and promote its positive features throughout the wider community. Encourage your child to take pride in their school through your example. Positive parent participation in school and learning is a proven criterion for student success. One practical way to assist your child as a learner is to become actively involved in his or her school-life. The majority of our parents are great supporters of the College.

When I read the above list of ideas offered by Michael Grose, it makes me realise how fortunate we are at Wollondilly with the parent support we receive. It is good to know that we are ‘ticking the right boxes’.

**Mr Ian Croger**  
Deputy Headmaster

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**ASK — SECONDARY HOMEWORK CLUB**

ASK (Secondary Homework Club) will NOT be running on **Wednesday, 26 March (Week 9)** due to the HICES debating competition being held at WAC and Flynn IRC and other rooms being utilised during that time.

We will be back to normal in Week 10.

**Mrs Emily Madden**  
ASK Organiser
DUKE OF EDINBURGH’S AWARD—BRONZE PRACTICE EXPEDITION

The Bronze Level Practice Expedition will take place on Saturday, 22 and Sunday, 23 March from Audley Visitors’ Centre through the Royal National Park to Wattamolla.

Specific Details are below:
Saturday, 22 March:
Departure from Wollondilly Anglican College at 7.30 am by College bus to Audley Visitors’ Centre – Royal National Park.

Sunday, 23 March:
1.30 pm Parents pick up students at Wattamolla, Royal National Park.

Equipment:
Students will need to carry all their own food, equipment, water, sleeping gear and tent. This was covered at the pre-expedition training on Saturday, 8 March 2014. Students will need to use a fuel stove for cooking or eat uncooked meals. An equipment list is in the Expedition Handbook issued to students.

Note:
Students will need to carry at least two litres of water. Cooking fires are not permitted in the national park. There may be an opportunity to swim. Students may choose to bring swimmers. Electric BBQ’s are available at the camp site as well as toilets and showers.

Mr Croger, Mrs Croger, Mr Hicks, Mrs Cochrane and Ms Huxtable will be supervising the students. Emergency contact details will be made available. Mr Schroder will be an emergency contact person.

Students are reminded that all College rules regarding behaviour and College expectations apply.

Mr Ian Croger
Deputy Headmaster

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YEAR 12—CAKE STALL

On Thursday, 10 April (Secondary Cross Country Day) Year 12 will be running a Cake Stall, which will be available to students from Kindergarten to Year 12.

Students and parents will have the opportunity to purchase from the cake stall throughout the day. In addition to this Year 12 will be taking pre-orders for whole cakes and slices to be picked up on the day (order form will be enclosed in a future issue of the Newsletter).
Term Service
On Friday, 21 March the College will host the first Term Service for 2014. This is a great night where we have the opportunity to come together as a community and spend some time together in worship. This is a very important event in the College calendar and one that all students and parents agree to attend, wherever possible, at the enrolment interview.

The student leaders of the College are asked to arrive early to assist with the seating of parents and students prior to the service and to ensure that they are prepared for their roles on the night.

At the conclusion of the evening students in Primary will be asked to have their names marked off at the front of the auditorium by their class teachers and students in Secondary will be asked to have their names marked off at the back of the auditorium by their Year Patrons.

Pastoral Care Focus – Empathy
Empathy is the ability to mutually experience the thoughts, emotions, and direct experience of others Grose (2014). It is a concept that we will be looking at more closely this week during pastoral care time. In our pastoral care time we will look at some clips that explore the concept and work across the varying age ranges in Years 5-8 and Years 9-12 roll calls to discuss it further. It is our intent for students to be able to put themselves in the shoes of others. This is important considering the impact that our words and actions can have on other people and the fact that some people’s responses in this area are not thought through in terms of the impact that they may have on others. This concept varies from the idea of sympathy, which is a feeling of care and understanding for the suffering of others (Grose 2014). An ability to be empathetic toward others and their circumstances is an interpersonal skill that can positively impact on the well-being of others and is something that we would like to see continually developing in our students.

Elephant Bus
Students who catch the Elephant bus that travels to the Oaks are asked to consider using the Squirrel bus if they are getting off the bus at Thirlmere. This is advised if you are not catching a connecting bus from Thirlmere. If you are being picked up by your parents/guardians at Thirlmere, please look at the Squirrel bus as an option to assist with ensuring students from the College who are travelling the further distances to the Oaks have seating.

The Squirrel bus arrives at the College slightly later than the other buses but still has students home to Thirlmere at a very early time in the afternoon in comparison to other schools. The Squirrel bus has plenty of room and all students will easily be seated for the duration of the journey home.

K-8 Buddies
The next two Friday’s at the College will commence with students being involved in the K-8 Buddies program. Students please go firstly to Roll Call rooms and have your names marked off and then move quickly to the allocated areas for Buddies.

This is a great opportunity to promote and foster relationships across our T-12 environment and a time that the students of all ages always enjoy. The program will run from 8.10 am-8.35 am on both Fridays and will involve a range of activities. In future Waratah Weekly articles we will catch up with some of our Buddies and have a chat to them about what they have been up to.

Mr Liam Toland
Director of Pastoral Care T-12

Kwik Kopy Macarthur
Ph: 4626 2188
Unit 13, 5 Hollylea Road, Leumeah
sales@kwikkopymacarthur.com.au
SASC Young Leaders

Last Thursday was the SASC Young Leaders’ Day. We had a great day hosting the primary schools from SASC. The event involved meeting Year 6 students from other schools who are in leadership roles such as captains or house captains. The students looked at scenarios and quotes, they had morning tea and learnt about other SASC primary schools.

Secondary leaders led groups and many of the other school teachers commented on how wonderful our secondary leaders were.

Thanks to all the staff involved in running this event.

Ms Jacqui Huxtable
Director of Teaching and Learning (T-6)
Stage 3 participated in a Gold Panning Demonstration at the College last Friday and some of them even found Gold! The demonstration gave students a glimpse of what it was like for the miners who would pan for gold from sun up till sun down during the Goldrush period in Australia's history. Students realised it wasn't as easy as it looked!

We are thankful to Mr John Maher and Mr Peter Kluit who gave up their time to give our students this opportunity.

Mrs Lisa Maher
Primary Teacher

Parent helpers are a great asset to our College, and we are currently seeking volunteers to assist students with their reading.

When: Monday or Friday mornings each week. (Approximately one hour session)
What you will do: Listen to students in Years 2, 3 or 4 read (total of five students).
The session will involve implementing a structured reading program with students.

It does not require any experience and parents will be taken through the program before starting.

Please contact Mrs Lucy Gregory for further information l.gregory@wac.nsw.edu.au

Mrs Lucy Gregory
Support Teacher

Save The Date - Friday, 25 April

ANZAC Day falls during the second week of Term 1 holidays. Write it on your calendars! Keep a look out in the Newsletter over the next few weeks for more details on the march in Picton and other services around the area.

Mrs Lisa Maher
Primary Teacher
Rehearsals continue to progress well. We have covered every part of Act 1. At next Monday's rehearsals we will work on refining Act 1 and running this part of the show in full. Primary cast will be looking at choreography for 'Gaston'.

Mrs Sarah Talbot
Director of the Musical

INTERNET SAFETY PRESENTATION

Young people today are immersed in digital technologies. They use the internet and mobile phones to socialise, study, exchange ideas and play. While online activity has many benefits, there are also risks.

To help your children stay safe online, Wollondilly Anglican is hosting a Cybersmart Outreach—Internet Safety Awareness presentation. Designed for parents, teachers and students. This presentation is provided by the Australian Communications and Media Authority (the ACMA) as part of a national program of Cybersmart initiatives.

The Cybersmart Outreach—Internet Safety Awareness presentation is thorough and non-technical. It covers a range of issues including:

- the ways children use the internet and emerging technologies;
- potential risks for children online, such as cyberbullying, identity theft, inappropriate contact and exposure to inappropriate content;
- tips to help children stay safe online;
- the presentation is conducted by an ACMA Cybersmart trainer and is free of charge.

Wollondilly Anglican is committed to helping students develop appropriate behaviours when using digital technologies, both in the College and at home. Our program of internet safety initiatives includes:

- regular Pastoral Care workshops throughout 2nd term for Years 5 -12
- hour long Presentations on Thursday, 10 April to Years 5 -12

The Cybersmart Outreach—Internet Safety Awareness presentation will be held:

Thursday, 10 April 7.00 pm
Warne Auditorium

All are welcome to attend. To register your attendance, please contact the College office as soon as possible. Registrations will also be accepted on the night.

Mrs Lisa Rockwell
Pastoral Care (Years 5 - 8)
**Secondary Teachers visit Primary Classes:** During our Literacy celebrations many Secondary staff visited the primary classes to read to them and talk about Literacy. The children loved their visitors and enjoyed the books. Dr Quarmby sang with the Transition children and Mr Hicks played Wombat Stew on his Ipad for Year 2. Mr Van Netten and Mr Russell took their friend *Cat in the Hat* with them whilst Mr Croger had a *Rainbow Fish*. The upper primary classes heard stories about Eureka and the Goldfields. The photos show how much the children enjoyed their stories.

*Live a life well read*

Mrs Louise Saint-John
IRC Coordinator

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**ARTIST OF THE WEEK**

Kirwen Murrin in Year 9 is our feature artist of the week. This Term Year 9 are studying a unit called Creature Concepts. They are studying artworks that are inspired by animals and developing their drawing skills. Recently the students studied the artwork of Australian artist Lisa Roet, who expressively draws primates as the subject matter for her art making.

Kirwen has demonstrated sophisticated drawing skills which can been seen in his pen cross hatching drawing of an owl.

Mrs Belinda Taylor
Art Teacher
Last Wednesday, our Year 9 students journeyed to the Youthworks Koloona Conference Centre near Nowra, to spend three days in fun and fellowship.

On the Wednesday, the boys trekked and canoed their way down river, before spending a wet night playing games and experiencing cooking and camping in the outdoors. Meanwhile, the girls participated in a range of activities including group challenges on the low ropes, water games and archery.

On Thursday, it was the girls’ turn to make their way to the camp out, while the boys enjoyed the comforts of cabins and a hot shower.

I must commend all of the students on their exemplary behaviour and high level of participation in all activities. Their ongoing enthusiasm made the camp such a memorable experience for everyone. I would also like to publicly thank the teachers who gave up their time to attend the camp: Mr Cassidy, Mrs Zvargulis, Miss Allon and Mr Hicks. Without them this event would not have been possible.

Mr Mark Goldsborough
Year 9 Patron
**SECONDARY SPORT**

Congratulations to both Steven Harriman and Connor Dymond who attended the National Athletics Championships at Homebush last week, both students had great results in their respective events. In MISA this week our girls Oztag team had their first win of the year beating BAC 3 - 2, the boys Oztag side continued their winning streak, and, if they beat Magdalene Catholic High School next week should progress to the Grand Final.

The girls’ volleyball side have worked hard to improve their volleyball skills and overall team spirit. They fought back after a two set loss to win the third. The final set came down to a battle for the two point lead. Unfortunately they didn’t win however, the girls need a special mention as they urged each other on with each point and showed what a great team is made of. Well done Girls!

Next week in the MISA competition, we play Magdalene Catholic High School.

**Volleyball (Boys & Girls)** – Magdalene Catholic High School

**OZTAG (Boys & Girls)** – Victoria Park, Minto

**Basketball (Boys & Girls)** – Minto Basketball Stadium

**Upcoming dates:**

- AICES Touch Football - Wednesday, 26 March
- AICES Swimming - Monday, 31 March
- WAC Secondary Cross -Country - Wednesday, 10 April (approximately 8.15 am start)

*Mr Richard Madden*

Secondary Sports Coordinator

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**PRIMARY SPORT**

Congratulations to our Senior Boys’ and Girls’ Soccer teams on a great day at the NASSA Soccer Gala Day last Monday.

All rugby notes are due. The boys will be having extra training sessions on Fridays with a focus on tackling. Boys will be required to bring a change of clothing and safety gear.

Congratulations on the awesome results from yesterdays IPSSO games! Well Done WAC!

Next week all IPSSO games are here at the College.

*Mr Stuart McIntosh*

Primary Sports Coordinator
**P&F NEWS**

**CALLING ALL CAR SHOW ENTHUSIASTS!**

Do you have a car, bike or piece of machinery at home that you would like to display? Then we would LOVE to see it at our ‘Wheels at Wollondilly’ Car Show (Saturday, 10 May)!

Please call Mrs Bernice McDonagh on 4677 2282 or email Bernice@bosskraft.com for more information.

**P & F THANK YOU!**

Thanks to the wonderful team of ladies who volunteered their time to run the canteen at the NASSA Soccer gala on Monday, raising $1042.74 profit for the College.

A huge thanks to Lianne and David Williams for their brilliant organisation and catering, Karen Johnson who worked the BBQ all day, Vanessa McPherson, Kerstin King, Cara Denley, Michelle Morris and Fay Jones (on holiday from Perth yet happy to help out!) for keeping up with demand, always with a smile.

Thanks also to Mr Fred Schroder and Mr Christian Dubois for setting up and to Mr Stuart McIntosh for the opportunity to fundraise at such an enjoyable event.

Mrs Danielle Turner  
P&F President

**P&F CLOTHING POOL**

Hi Everyone

My name is Michelle Morris and I am the coordinator of the clothing pool. This is just to let everyone know what we currently have in stock:

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We have brand new socks for boy size (9-12), (13-3) and (2-8)

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There are some items of clothing we require. We would appreciate if anyone is able to donate any of the following:

- Primary summer dresses size 6 and 8
- Sports jacket size 14
- Sports white polo size 18
- Primary winter dress size 8
- High school boys grey hats

Thank you so much!

Mrs Morris

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**The clothing pool will be closed on Wednesday, 26 March.**

**Normal Clothing Pool opening hours are:**

- Tuesday morning 8.00 am - 9.00 am
- Wednesday afternoon 3.00 pm - 4.00 pm
- Friday morning 8.00 am - 9.00 am
**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.**

**Mental Health First Aid:** The community is invited to attend a 12-hour Standard Mental Health Aid Course, at the Tahmoor Community Centre (Monday, 31 March and Tuesday, 1 April 2014 from 9.30 am to 4.30 pm). This course will cost $150.00. For more information please call Tania McCurley on 4683 2776.

**REMININDER:** Daylight savings ends in NSW on Sunday, 6 April 2014 when clocks go back one hour!

**Garage Sale:** Held at Presbyterian Church Tahmoor (up the hill in Progress Street) Saturday, 5 April 9.00 am until 1.30 pm. Trash & Treasure, Koorong Bookstall, Devonshire tea, sausage sizzle. All proceeds go to Samaritan's Purse.

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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.

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**F.L.O.W.E.R.S. Canteen & Cafeteria**

**Monday, 31 March** is ‘Red Day’ at the Canteen. Sweet treats not normally on the menu will be on sale at lunch time.

Canteen Roster Term 1

| Friday 21/3 | Judy Scholes | Marie Bellia |
| Monday 24/3 | Help Needed | Help Needed |
| Tuesday 25/3 | Help Needed | Judy Scholes |
| Wednesday 26/3 | Judith Rigg | Robyn McCauley |
| Thursday 27/3 | Robyn McCauley | Judith Rigg |
| Friday 28/3 | Judy Scholes | Help Needed |
| Monday 31/3 | Judith Rigg | Michelle Clark |
| Tuesday 1/4 | Anne Marie Giles | Virginia Williams |
| Wednesday 2/4 | Virginia Williams | Judy Scholes |
| Thursday 3/4 | Marie Bellia | Judy Scholes |
| Friday 4/4 | Marie Bellia | Judy Scholes |

The Term 2 roster is now being compiled so if you would like to put your name down to help out in the Canteen please let me know before end of term. Please consider volunteering even if just for one day a term. If you are already a volunteer why not encourage your friends at the College to join you for a day or two!

Think healthy, Eat healthy, Live healthy!

Mrs Carolyn Richards
Canteen Supervisor
March

Thursday 20  Student Interviews Secondary 2015  
            Staff Meeting

Friday 21   Heads’ Generative Thinking Day with the Chairman of the Board 
            (Evening) Term Service

Monday 24   Student Enrolment Interviews 2015

Tuesday 25  Student Enrolment Interviews 2015

Wednesday 26 College Executive Meeting  
            Student Enrolment Interviews 2015  
            Wollondilly Shire Economic Development Advisory Group meeting

Thursday 27 WACC Church partnership meeting  
            Student Enrolment Interviews 2015

Friday 28   Student Enrolment Interviews 2015

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**Dates to Remember**

Friday, 21 March  College Term Service (7.00 pm)
Wednesday, 9 April Primary Cross Country Carnival
Thursday, 10 April Secondary Cross Country Carnival
Saturday, 31 May  Working Bee
Friday, 20 June   Term Service
Saturday, 30 August Working Bee
Saturday, 13 September Country Fair

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Wollondilly Anglican Community Church (WACC) meets in the Clifford Warne Auditorium every Sunday at 9.00 am.

“We are going up to Jerusalem, and the Son of Man will be betrayed to the chief priests and the teachers of the law. They will condemn him to death and will turn him over to the Gentiles to be mocked and flogged and crucified. On the third day he will be raised to life!” Matthew 20:17-19

We know Easter is coming, because it's history, but Jesus knew before it happened. It didn't come as a surprise to him, because he went to his death knowingly and willingly. That's pretty special when we remember that he died to make us right with god forever.

Rev Rob Meischke 0437533106
This week’s Pretend Headmaster Harrison Morandin (KC), weighs up his healthy snack options during recess time.

Prayer Points

Thank God

- For Jesus – our shining star.
- That He has a purpose and a plan for each of us.
- That students and staff have settled in so well this year.

Ask God

- That He will reveal His will for each of us.
- For wisdom as we consider several building projects.
- That He will continue to watch over and protect our College.

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