Last Saturday, our College hosted the annual Sydney Anglican Schools Corporation Conference. A great number of staff worked hard towards making the day such a success. One delegate commented that those serving food or playing in the Strings ensemble gave him that schools are about the provision of quality opportunities for learning and service. It was great to also settle in and listen to the guest speaker on the day – Mike Raiter, who proved to me that good things can come from Mexico (I mean Victoria). He inspired us with a poem by John Clifford that had, in turn, inspired Mike as a young man -

Last eve I passed beside a blacksmith’s door  
And heard the anvil ring the vesper chime;  
When looking in, I saw upon the floor,  
Old hammers worn with beating years of time.  
"How many anvils have you had," said I,  
"To wear and batter these hammers so?"  
"Just one," said he; then with a twinkling eye,  
"The anvil wears the hammers out, you know."  
And so, I thought, the anvil of God's Word,  
For ages, sceptics blows have beat upon;  
Yet, though the noise of falling blows was heard,  
The anvil is unharmed - the hammers gone.

Mike made the point that the critics over the years have come and gone but that God’s word remains steadfast. It got me thinking.

There have been many hammers throughout the centuries. People have sought to unravel Christianity; some have been successful in raising a following for a time; some have become Christians themselves in the face of evidence they hoped would debunk it (Morrison – Who Moved the Stone); but in the end these hammers lie scattered on the floor. The anvil remains unaltered. One thing is certain. The attacks will continue to come. Hammers will rail against the anvil. Perhaps, Christians are the solution but also the problem? Maybe John Calvin got it right when he said “the enemy of Christianity is bad Christians.” Mahatma Ghandhi, was certainly moved to comment that, “I like your Christ, I do not like your Christians. Your Christians are so unlike your Christ.”

Perhaps it is just a nuance of western civilisation but Christianity seems to attract derision that other religions would not tolerate. “No one can violently attack something without taking it seriously in some way. No one attacks belief in Zeus anymore. No one gets emotional over the Flat Earth Society. Yet Christianity calls forth the deepest emotions -- even and especially in the ones who most reject it.” — Gene Edward Veith Jr., Loving God with All Your Mind: Thinking as a Christian in a Postmodern World.

In the end, the anvil remains unaltered. God allows the hammer blows. I don’t know why – but I do know that He is still in charge. I also know that in China and Africa, Christianity is growing rapidly despite the persecution that Christians face. In Australia, Mike told us that 23 out of the 26 biggest charities had a Christian base.

… and I know that somewhere in the world today, another hammer lies forgotten on the floor
ENROLMENTS

Places are now becoming very tight in our 2015 Transition Classes. If you know of anyone wanting to enrol their child in Transition next year, please encourage them to do so as soon as possible. Enrolment packs are available from the College Office.

NEW WEBSITE

Tomorrow is a very exciting day! We will be launching our new College website - a project that we have been working on for the last few months. (If you open www.wac.nsw.edu.au on Friday, and still see our old website, you may clear your computer cache to display the new site. This is a normal part of any new website launch and so people may see the old website for 1-2 days after the new site has launched)

Some hints and tips:

- The address remains the same: www.wac.nsw.edu.au
- There are quick links available in the top Right hand corner of the homepage including: Pay Fees, College Calendar, Moodle and the Parent Portal.
- The College Calendar contains all College events for the next 3 months, we hope to have the complete annual calendar available in the near future.

The site is organised as follows:

Our College: is all information about the College
College Community: is all about you: Students, Parents, P&F and Community. You can visit your section for all relevant information for you!
Enrolments: is for anyone wanting to enrol or apply for a scholarship.
Alumni: is primarily for our Old Wollondillians!
Contact us: goes to pa@wac.nsw.edu.au

Mrs Christine Mozejko
College Development Manager
In place of our usual Term Service on Friday, 20 June 2014 we have accepted the opportunity to host a Colin Buchanan Concert in our Auditorium. Due to limited seating in our Auditorium and to help the event to run smoothly, a ticketing system has been set up. We have been given this tremendous opportunity to host this, while Colin is in Sydney. The tickets will be $5.00 each to partially recover costs. To purchase a ticket, you will need to access the www.wac.nsw.edu.au/events on Friday, 6 June. We have already fielded several enquiries from the general public so it is likely that the evening will sell out.

As this is not a normal Term Service, College uniform does not need to be worn and Community Service Merit awards will not be distributed. There will be a few of our College student leaders who will be in uniform on the evening as they will be representing us in a formal capacity.

**FOOD DRIVE AT THE COLIN BUCHANAN CONCERT**

Our College has a wonderful team of volunteers who provide short term relief by cooking meals or providing care parcels to College families who may be undergoing loss, trauma, illness or hardship. To help this team we are conducting a food drive specifically for this purpose. Please make sure all food is in date and non-perishable. Below is a list of helpful items if you are wishing to contribute to the Drive:

- Rice - Basmati or long grain
- Pasta - dried, any variety including lasagne sheets
- Dried instant mashed potatoes
- Dried pulses eg lentils, soup mix
- Tinned tomatoes, crushed/diced/whole
- Tinned beans eg cannellini, five bean mix
- Tinned vegetables eg mushrooms, corn
- Tomato paste
- Tinned Custard
- Cooking sauces eg Chicken Tonight products, Kantong
- Cake mixes
- Blocks of Chocolate
- Bags of Lollies
- Biscuits eg treats like Tim Tams
- Vegetable Oil
- Olive Oil
- Salt
- Pepper
- Plain flour
- Longlife milk (for white sauces)
- Gravy mix
- Vegeta/vegetable stock powder
- Gladwrap
- Gladbake
- Foil
- Plastic food gloves
- Foil roasting trays with lids (available from House Warehouse in packs of 4, size 22.9 x 16.5 x 5cm - $2.00 per pack)

These products will be used by our team to cook relief meals and make up parcels. If you do not have time to shop but would still like to contribute, any donation of coins or gift cards are very much appreciated. Please bring your contributions along to the Concert, there will be a place to put your items in the foyer.

If you are interested in joining this group of volunteers, please contact me at the College Office.

*Mrs Rhonda Hay*
*Headmaster’s Secretary*
Year 10 Subject Information Night – (Tuesday, 10 June) FOR YEAR 11 - 2015

On Tuesday, 10 June an Information Night will be held to assist Year 10 with their decision making for Year 11, 2015. During the evening staff will address the need to make informed decisions with regard to returning to the College and subject selections.

The students and parents who attend the evening will also receive information on how students can nominate their preferences for the subjects to be delivered for Year 11, 2015. Parents and students will also have the opportunity to ask questions and gain further information from the staff present at the evening. The evening will commence at 7.00 pm in Warne Auditorium. Students attending will need to wear their College uniform.

Year 10 Students received their Subject Information Booklets on Monday. It is recommended that parents read through the booklet and discuss some options with their son or daughter before the information evening.

School-Based Apprenticeship and Traineeship Information Sessions (SBAT)
For Students in Year 11 2015 – 24 June, 5.30 pm – 6.30 pm Campbelltown TAFE. Contact 9825 7460 or Mr Cassidy for more details.

Vocational Courses at TAFE (TVET)
For Students in Year 11 2015 – 17 June, 5.30 pm – 6.30 pm Campbelltown TAFE, ‘The Restaurant’. Contact 9825 7244 or Mr Cassidy for more details.

Year 11 and 12 Student Reflection Sheets
A reminder to all Year 11 and 12 students, their Student Reflections Sheets are due to Mr Croger. These sheets are a follow up to their Mid-Course Reports and used as part of their self-evaluation and goal setting discussions with Mr Croger.

Class Changes in Secondary
At the end of the Semester there is an opportunity to review the class placements in Years 7-10.

There is the potential for students to be moved due to their academic performance or for pastoral reasons. Parents should note that their child’s position in the Grace class is not permanently guaranteed. Students need to work to a high standard to maintain a position in the Grace class.

Parents will be notified if their child is going to be moved.

Mr Ian Croger
Deputy Headmaster

CAREERS CORNER

EVENT MANAGEMENT: Free workshop. Experience a hands-on workshop to give you a feel for what Managing Events is all about. Work through the planning of a “Christmas in July” event. Hear from an experienced Event Manager about her career and her every day work. Also a chance to hear more about Kenvale College’s Event Management and Hospitality Management courses. Open to students in Years 10, 11 and 12. Entry is complimentary but bookings are essential. Saturday, 14 June, 10.30 am to 12.30 pm at Kenvale College, 38 High Street Randwick- www.kenvale.edu.au or contact Bernie McFarlane on mfarlaneb@kenvale.edu.au or call 9314 6213

THE CHOCOLATE EXPERIENCE: Free Chocolate tasting. Learn about chocolate, enjoy a chocolate tasting, and hear about Kenvale’s courses in Event Management and Hospitality. Open to students in Years 10, 11 and 12. Parents welcome also. Bookings are essential. Saturday, 28 June, 10.30 am to 12.00 noon at Kenvale College, 38 High Street, Randwick www.kenvale.edu.au or contact Bernie McFarlane onmfarlaneb@kenvale.edu.au or call 9314 6213

Mr Michael Cassidy
Careers Adviser
**Pastoral Care Matters**

**Safe Drivers’ Course for Learners**
For parents who are about to embark down the road of having a teenager behind the wheel, this course may be of use in ensuring that we equip our children with the right attitudes and skills to manage this transition in a safe manner.

Transport for NSW’s Centre for Road Safety are promoting a Safe Drivers’ Course for L plate drivers. The course helps young drivers understand more about speed management, gap selection, hazard awareness and safe following distances while preparing them for their P’s. To attend the course they must be on their L’s, have completed at least 50 hours of log book driving and be under 25. They will receive 20 hours of log book credit for completing the course.

For further information about the course for your students visit: [http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/geared/your_driving_skills/driving_skills/safer_driving_course.html](http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/geared/your_driving_skills/driving_skills/safer_driving_course.html)

To view a promotion video about the course go to [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8NOUEKZhJm8](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8NOUEKZhJm8)

Students who are approaching gaining their licence and intend to drive to the College need to see Mr Toland and complete the relevant paperwork prior to doing so. Students are also reminded to ensure that they drive safely to and from the College and that they leave the College in the afternoon following the movement of the first lot of buses, not prior to this time.

In recent times there have been students spoken to about the manner in which they are driving in and around the College. It is essential that students are aware of the impact that this can have on both themselves and others. In matters that are deemed to be serious or where students are repeat offenders, formal detentions and driving bans will be applied.

**Year 11 Sport, Lifestyle and Recreation**

This term in SLR we have been studying First Aid and Sports Injuries. As part of the program all students have recently participated in and successfully attained a CPR certificate. This is a great skill to learn as it is likely that if you are required to perform CPR the recipient will be known to you.

The ability to perform CPR is a skill that can save lives. I would like to thank the service provider CPR Help for the professional manner that the instructors worked with our students. The feedback from the instructors was very positive in terms of the way our students conducted themselves and on how they performed in the various skills and assessments. I would encourage all students from Years 9 -12 to consider completing this credential.

**Foundation Day**

A series of final reminders about Foundation Day:

- Please ensure that House Shirts and Sports/PE Tracksuit is worn.
- Please ensure that you have made your donation to support the work of various missions by Friday at the latest.
- There will be a winning House presented on the day for both the Funds raised and for the points allocated to the games.
- Students should ensure that they are prepared for the first half of the day in terms of books and equipment.
- All students are asked to ensure that their attitude and involvement in all aspects of the day is co-operative and positive.
- Year 12 are reminded to ensure that they are familiar with the activity that they will be assisting with on the day.

Mr Liam Toland (Director of Pastoral Care T-12)
Primary Green Awards will be handed out fortnightly on Monday Week A afternoons, just before afternoon dismissals under the sails. The next Monday afternoon Assembly is on Monday, 16 June 2014.

The Primary Assembly previously advertised for Friday, 20 June has been cancelled due to a clash of dates.

Ms Jacqui Huxtable
Director of Teaching and Learning (T-6)

Koorong Kids Issue 2, 2014 is enclosed in this week’s Waratah Weekly. In it you will find some exciting new titles and some titles that deal with current issues for kids.

Koorong Kids are now on Facebook. If you are interested, you can 'LIKE' their new page. They have updates, competitions and review new products on this page. Catalogue orders are due back Friday, 13 June 2014.

Mrs Tracy Turner
Primary Teacher
Charades Competition: Began for the secondary students last week. This week is the playoffs and next week will be the finals between the teams. Team Rudie from Year 11 (Briony, Alex, Tom and Georgie) have made it through to next Monday’s final. Team Prestige (Alex, Alex, Sam and Kye) and Team Question Mark (Michelle, Lucy, Sneha and Rebecca) were at the time of printing still fighting it out for the second final spot.

Year 12 - HSC Lectures: Our local libraries in Wollondilly, Campbelltown and Wingecarribee are offering lectures for HSC students – details as below:

- Wollondilly Library – bookings 4677 8300 $5.00 for the lecture Monday, 7 July
  Area of study - Belonging (English)
- Wingecarribee Library – bookings 4861 1167 Monday, 7 July (free)
  Area of study - Belonging (English)
- Campbelltown Library - $5.00 each lecture
  Area of study - Belonging (English) Thursday, 12 June (Eagle Vale Library- 4645 4266)
  Immigrant Chronicles Wednesday, 18 June (HJ Daley Library- 4645 4444)
  Business studies - Wednesday, 25 June (Greg Percival Library- 4645 4060)

Details have been placed in Flynn IRC for students

Live a life well read
Mrs Saint-John

HELP REQUIRED!!!!!

Most of our parents, carers, grandparents & friends either have their own business, work for someone or know someone who may be interested in any one of our fabulous sponsorship opportunities, like our Car Show, Country Fair, Golf Day or Recipe Book.

If we could all help each other it makes fundraising for our College a lot easier. If anyone is interested in receiving a sponsorship letter please contact: Danielle Turner on pandfpresident@wac.nsw.edu.au with mention of which business you require the letter for & what event they are interested in sponsoring, this way we don’t approach any business more than once.

If a sponsorship is not possible, perhaps a donated item towards our Golf Day or Country Fair is possible. Every small donation helps our College & most importantly our children.

With thanks, Mrs Danielle Turner & Mrs Karen Johnson
This week at musical we completed the last scene of the show and curtain call! Whilst we still have some choreography to learn and some refinements to make, all is progressing well.

Next Monday there will be no rehearsal due to the public holiday, however, students must practise their songs, lines and dances before the next rehearsal (Monday, 16 June) so that we can look at running the whole show and perhaps learn some new choreography.

Our wonderful P&F Association have organised a fundraising BBQ for Monday, 9 June to help raise funds for the show. Cast families should have received a note about this. The fundraiser will be held at Mittagong Bunnings. Please come along and buy a sausage or lend a hand to support our P&F and the musical.

Mrs Poole has provided students with a note regarding the cast “hoodie”. The date for these orders to be returned has been extended to Tuesday, 10 June. Students who intend on being involved with the back-stage crew are also welcome to purchase one. Please see Mrs Talbot or Mrs Poole for a note.

Mrs Sarah Talbot
Director of the Musical

Hamlet Excursion

On Friday, 20 June 2014, HSC Advanced English students will have the opportunity to see their HSC text, Hamlet, in live performance at Parramatta Riverside Theatre. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to get to know the text as it was intended to be viewed.

Students have been provided with notes. Please sign and return the permission slips to Mrs Talbot as soon as possible.

Drama

The National Institute of Dramatic Arts (NIDA) are coming to the College on Wednesday, 11 June to work with our elective Drama students. This year the workshop will be run by Scott Parker. Students have received a permission note about this event and must return it promptly to Mrs Talbot.

Scott Parker

Scott is the co-artistic director of Matriark Art Theatre, a theatre company with a specialty in Commedia dell’Arte and physical/visual theatre. His company has toured to schools and festivals across NSW performing and teaching Commedia dell’Arte. In 2011 Scott spent time in the USA training at the Ivana Chubbuck Studio and Movement Research in NYC. He is also a trained and skilled puppeteer having trained under and spent time working with Jim Henson protégé Gary Freidman. Scott holds a BDA (Performance) from Wesley Institute and a GradDipEd (secondary).

There will be three sessions:

Session 1 (8.35 am - 10.35 am) will focus on Group Devised Performance skills with our Year 11 and Year 12 elective Drama students.

Session 2 (10.55 am - 12.25 pm) will focus on Commedia dell’Arte with our Year 10 elective Drama students.

Session 3 (1.15 pm - 2.35 pm) will focus on an Introduction to Puppetry with Year 9 elective Drama students.

Students need to return their permission notes to Mrs Talbot as soon as possible.
**SECONDARY SPORT**

Congratulations to Kevin Galwey of Year 12 who was the AICES Cross Country Champion last week. This is a huge effort, beating a runner who has placed ahead of Kevin for the last four years! Well done we are very proud of your efforts. Alex Gaidzionis, Connor Dymond and Regan Boyle also ran excellently on the day and made it through to the CIS Cross Country carnival next week.

This week in MISA we had mixed results. The Year 7 Boys’ soccer have been improving immensely and won 4 -1, the ever-reliable Year 9 Girls’ netball team won 26 -17. All other teams lost.

**Next week in MISA we play John Therry.**

Boys Soccer (Year 7 and Years 8 & 9) – Ron Dine, Camden
Boys Soccer (Years 10 - 12) – Belgenny, Camden
Girls Netball (Year 9 and Years 10 -12) – Kirkham

**Upcoming dates:**

Secondary Athletics Carnival Friday, 20 June

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**PRIMARY SPORT**

Congratulations to the NASSA Cross Country team on a great day last Friday. We had five runners who made it through to CIS next Thursday. We wish them well. Congratulations to Jayde Gitto who came third in her age group.

Congratulations to the Rugby 7s teams who played on Monday. Wollondilly won both the junior and the senior division. Thank you Mr Harriman and Mr Davies for your assistance with the teams.

Next week’s IPSSO games are at home and will start at 12.00 noon for the Juniors and approximately 12.45 pm for the Seniors.

A note will be distributed shortly asking for any parents who would be able to assist us with timekeeping and/or measuring at either the half day (Wednesday, 18 June) or whole day (Thursday, 19 June) Athletics Carnivals. If you are able to help, please let me know either via email or by returning the flier.

Mr Stuart McIntosh
Primary Sports Coordinator
Grace Casno is our Writer of the Week, she is in Year 7 Grace and has written an amazing poem. This poem is designed to be read normally and then read in reverse order.

The Adventurous Kind – Grace Casno
Her life was something that didn’t matter
And she refused to believe that
Adventure was a choice
She knew in her pounding heart
Her life was different
Compared to all the others.
It was there that she decided that
She would live the normal life
Never did she believe that
She would be glistening
In the golden light of the sun
And
She would sparkle
She knew that
She was just another broken soul
Deciding not to believe that
She could have a dream-filled life
She knew way down
Her choice would define her:
Give up all the ambitions
Decide not to
Free her-self
And she knew she would
Never get the chance
She refused to believe that she would
Dance into the wind
She knew it was right to
Stay in the box
It was impossible to
Defy their system
She chose to leave that choice behind.
(Now read lines in reverse order)
LANGUAGE PERFECT COMPE TITION FINAL RESULTS

Battle raged right up to the last hour and in the last 30 minutes competition was particularly tight between 5th, 6th and 7th place. So....for GERMAN, WAC remained 1st in NSW (with a comfortable lead of about 20 000 points), 6th in Australia and 7th in the world. In total 82 of our students received a certificate, 4 GOLD, 7 SILVER, 23 BRONZE and 48 CREDIT. Our top scorer was Chelsea Alcorn in Year 8 with a massive 4024 points.

During the 10 days of competition Wollondilly students answered an amazing 393,746 vocabulary questions and spent 1,498 collective hours learning German vocabulary. WOW! Special moments for me, seeing Year 7 run into the computer room to get started, individual kids telling me their updated score in the playground, Year 8 students voluntarily speaking in German as they entered the room and the cheers that went up whenever we overtook another school.

Well done to all those who competed in the competition. Certificates will be presented in July.

GERMAN BREAKFAST

Year 8 German students are invited to a traditional German breakfast in the art courtyard on Wednesday, 11 June. Unlike Australians, Germans do not usually have weet-bix, toast and vegemite! Students will be offered bread rolls, a selection of cold meats and cheese, orange juice or chocolate milk.

There will also be gluten free bread available for those who need it. This will be a nut free activity. To make things a little more authentic, students will have to state their preferences in GERMAN to some of our senior students who have agreed to act as servers. We will be revising the essential German vocabulary in class before the event. Students are asked to come straight to the art courtyard outside the German room, where their names will be marked off. The breakfast will be during roll call only. Students will attend Period 2 as normal.

Remember "Monolingualism is curable. Learn a second language!"

Mrs Carolyn Clark
German Teacher

ARTIST OF THE WEEK

In Term 1, Year 10 Visual Arts students learnt about the Archibald Prize at the Art Gallery of New South Wales and the history of portraiture in Australia.

They learnt how to apply tone and capture an emotion in their art making, to create realism or expressionism in their own self-portrait. Year 10 have used their skills with graphite, charcoal and pen to create a self portrait. The students selected an emotion at random and had to portray that emotion in their self-portrait.

Congratulations to Alexandra Gaidzionis in Year 10 for being our artist of the week. Alexandra has used graphite on paper to create her large scale self-portrait titled "Panic". Alexandra's artwork is currently on display in the Flynn library.

Mrs Belinda Taylor
Secondary Teacher
TO ALL BEAUTY AND THE BEAST PARENTS AND BEAUTY AND THE BEAST STUDENTS 15 AND OVER

The College Parents’ and Friends’ Association has once again been offered the opportunity of a fundraiser at Mittagong Bunnings on Monday, 9 June.

We use the Bunnings BBQ to offset the costs of the College musical each year. We rely on senior musical students (family and their friends) to assist with this fundraiser by cooking or serving for an hour or two of their time at the stall as a College contribution.

Please note that only students and friends who are 15 years or older can assist due to Bunnings regulations.

Of course all parents are most welcome! Students under the age of 15 are welcome to purchase, eat and encourage. The BBQ runs from 8.00 am - 4.00 pm.

Please contact Lianne Williams at lianne@sproutscatering.com.au or on 0401 061 145 with the time you are able to assist.

Thank you

P&F Committee

EVERYONE LOVES A DAD JOKE!

A proud new dad sits down to have a drink with his father "Well son, now that you’ve got a kid of your own, I think it’s time to give you this" "Dad, you don’t mean..." "Yes son, I do" Dad pulls out copy of 1001 Dad Jokes, 5th Edition "Dad... I’m honoured...", he says, tears sparkling in his eyes. "Hi honoured", replies his father. "I’m dad".
From time to time, families undergo trauma such as severe or terminal illness. There are short term 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.

July Holiday Club: Monday, 30 June to Thursday, 3 July St Jude’s Anglican Church, Bowral is running “Medieval Mania” kids holiday club for Kindy to Year 5. It will be held at the Southern Highlands Christian School. Lots of fun, stories and medieval challenges to be had! See www.bowralanglican.org.au to register and for more details. Registrations close on Monday, 16 June.

Sue Larkey and Dr Tony Attwood Autism and Aspergers’ Experts Workshop: Friday, 13 June at Campbelltown, will be presenting their expert teaching and working with children on Autism Spectrum. For more information please contact dearne@suelarkey.com or www.suelarkey.com

Wirrimbirra Sanctuary: Sunday, 22 June 2014 starting 2.00 pm for just $10.00 per person. Afternoon tea, coffee and entertainment (Jean and Les Gagan will play fantastic music and sing).

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.

Our Condolences

We have been greatly saddened by the loss of one of our family members Mr Stephen Weller, one of our Dads. Our thoughts and prayers are with Rebecca, Christopher and Leila and their extended families at this sad time.

Thank you to so many who have offered to help in some way. If you are wishing to help over the coming months, please contact me at the College Office on 4684 2577 so we can combine our efforts.

Mrs Rhonda Hay

As we are well into the second half of Term 2, the compiling of the Term 3 roster is on the agenda. There are opportunities available for volunteers to help out in the Canteen. All you need to do is fill out a form and drop it in to the canteen so that I can include you in the roster. If you need to make any changes to your details or wish to be rostered on certain days please email me as soon as possible.

Think healthy, Eat healthy, Live healthy!

Mrs Carolyn Richards
Each of us should please his neighbour for his good, to build him up. Romans 15:2

Imagine a class of 20 students where each one is deliberately trying to build everybody else up, instead of just trying to beat them. Imagine a work place where everyone encourages all of the others. Imagine a world where we ignore the self-centered marketing and start caring about others first. I'm thinking that might actually be a good thing, and all it would take is each of us giving it a go.

If you're interested in studying the Bible or learning about Christianity, please give me a call. If you like wine and enjoy talking about it, consider joining us for UNCORKED, beginning on 27, June.
Psalm 127:1 Unless the Lord builds the house, its builders labour in vain.

Excellence, Endurance, Eternity.

This week’s Pretend Headmaster Patrick Levings (KC), fields a few calls in the big chair

Prayer Points

Thank God

- That He is our strength and refuge – the Anvil that is never shaken or broken
- For the successful SASC Annual Conference and those who worked so hard towards it
- For our College Community and their compassion

Ask God

- That He will support the Weller family through their time of great loss
- For wisdom in the management of the Stage 7 building program
- For His continued blessing over our College and all who serve here