FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Dear Parents, Friends, Staff and Students of Caroline Chisholm College,

In many ways, I am relieved that my teenage years are (a long way) behind me. Although I have many fond memories of my school days, I also remember the challenge of negotiating the twists and turns of growing up and working to achieve the expectations of my family and friends. Fast forward several decades and the pressures facing our young people seem even more intense, pressure to succeed, to belong, to fit in. Some of our students live with anxiety, and many suffer from what has come to be termed “toxic perfectionism”, perfectionism that begins to harm the person striving for perfection. In fact, perfectionism is motivated more by fear of failure than growing towards achievement.

CAROLINE CHISHOLM COLLEGE PARENT FORUM AUGUST 16

Is your daughter a perfectionist?

Ask yourself:
Does she spend too long on tasks that should take less time?
Does she give up easily, or become frustrated when faced with a challenge?
Does she produce many drafts of the same work?
Does she put things off, because of worry?
Does she avoid trying new things she may not be good at?
Does she agonise over small details?

If this sounds a little bit like your daughter, then I want to warmly invite you to our Parent Forum titled “Awesome - not perfect” on August 16 at 6:00pm. At this forum, you will meet other parents like you and hear practical tips and strategies for helping your child develop healthy approach to her goals and aspirations. Wouldn’t it be great if she could celebrate being awesome, and not perfect. Please RSVP to rwilson2@parra.catholic.edu.au or reply to our Facebook event to let us know you’re coming along.

On the very first day of the term, our teaching and support staff spent the day at the Benedict XVI Retreat Centre in Gross Vale for our Staff Formation Day. This was an important opportunity to stop and reflect on the reason for our work, and to celebrate the joy of our mission as proclaimers of the Good News. Through story, scripture and prayer, our Religious Education teachers led us through a process of remembering the reason we have committed ourselves to sharing our faith with the students in our care. This is such important work, and we can’t do it without your support and prayers. Thanks for keeping our students home for one extra day of holidays!
Even though there were only four days in Week 1 of Term III, we certainly had a busy start. On Thursday, Year 8 spent the day engaged in Japanese language and culture activities all day. I can still hear the Taiko drumming that was held in the building behind my office. A big ありがとうございます (thank you very much) to Mrs Merriman and Mrs Smith who arranged the Japanese day and invited a range of fascinating visitors to the college. Friday night we enjoyed the spectacle of the HSC Dance Showcase. Best of luck to Mrs Hughes and the girls as they prepare for their HSC examination in Dance in two weeks time. Mrs Hughes, with help from Ms Cassells-Forward, then presented our students in the Dance ensembles at the Sydney Eisteddfod on Saturday, where they performed beautifully. This Wednesday night we will enjoy the HSC Drama showcase, where students in Mrs Lemaire’s Year 12 Drama class will present their group and individual performances as a rehearsal for their examinations which will be held shortly. I know our parents are as grateful as I am to our talented and hard-working staff who support the students in diverse ways each day.

Do you know a student in Year 10 at another school who may benefit from a Caroline Chisholm education for Year 11 and 12? We are holding an enquiry night for students in Year 10 from other schools who want to find out more about the college and the excellent success that can be achieved here in the senior years. Please let your friends know of our enquiry night that will be held on August 7 at 6:30pm in the College Library. See the ad in this newsletter, or our Facebook event for details. Although we are at capacity in most of our junior years, and have a significant waiting list, there are some vacancies for Year 11 2018.

Finally, students have been wondering about a sign that was put up in the college before the holidays. I have asked a few students if they know what it means. Some do, many don’t. In light of our upcoming Parent Forum, perhaps you could have a conversation with your daughter about this sign, and ask her what she thinks it might mean.

God bless!

Mr Greg Elliott
Principal
FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

Travel Issues
This week I have several travel issues I would like you to be aware of. Two of these I have been asked to bring to your attention by Penrith Council.

1. Updates to Parking Signage Local Schools
Penrith Council is removing out-dated parking signs at school pick-up zones. The parking access will stay EXACTLY THE SAME as it is now.

“Passenger Set Down or Pick Up Permitted”
This sign has been causing confusion at local schools. The NSW Road Rules do not list this sign. The Police and Council’s Rangers have requested that such signs be removed.

“No Parking”
This sign is listed in the NSW Road Rules for the drop off and pick up of passengers or goods.

Signs like this at your school will be staying in place exactly as they are now. Parents and carers can continue to drop off and pick up their child for school. This ‘No Parking’ sign means:

• Pick up or drop off only
• Park for under 2 minutes only
• Remain within 3 metres of the vehicle

Penrith Council thanks you for your patience and for driving and parking safely near the children at your school.

2. 40 km/h limit outside schools
School buses pick up and drop off children on roads all across NSW. Buses use signs and flashing lights to warn drivers that they are picking up and dropping off children. You must slow down to 40km/hr when bus lights flash and look out for children crossing the road.

Be Bus Aware and help keep our kids safe. The NSW government has produced a short video to highlight this point. It can be accessed at: http://roadsafety.transport.nsw.gov.au/campaigns/be-bus-aware/index.html

3. Use of Opal cards
All students are reminded that they are required to use their Opal cards and tap on and off each time they use a school bus. This is a very small thing to do in return for free travel and students need to be doing this automatically. Bus drivers should not have to remind them to get cards out and use them. To replace a lost Opal card, go to opal.com.au and follow the links.

Canteen closed this Friday
On Friday, the canteen will not be open. All year groups, other than Year 7 are offsite for their Reflection Days. Year 7 students should have organised to bring in their own food for the day as part of their community activities.

After Hours Healthcare Fridge Magnets
 Wentworth Healthcare has provided fridge magnets for each student which has handy details of local after hours health services. These magnets were distributed to each student in homeroom on Tuesday 25 July.

“Doing the Right Thing Awards”
Students who help with clean up and litter are eligible for a “Doing the Right Thing Award”. Congratulations to Bella White (8 MacKillop), Molly Kemp (9 Gilmore), Holly Smith (9 Macarthur) and Georgia Dengate (11 Gilmore) who receive vouchers for the canteen for being the students drawn from the box. All students who put in award slips will have points credited to their house.

Mr Greg King - Assistant Principal
FROM THE LEADER OF INNOVATION & LEARNING

Farewell Year 9 (2018) Stage 5 - Subject Selection

This week all Year 8 students had the opportunity to listen to a series of Subject Presentations about course being offered for Year 9 and 10 (2018/2019). This is a very exciting time for your daughter as she makes an independent decision about her learning in elective areas for Stage 5 of her education at Caroline Chisholm College.

On Wednesday 26 July, all students and parents will receive an email containing a link to the Stage 5 Subject Information Handbook. In the handbook you will find:

- a message from Mr Elliott and myself regarding the importance of making wise subject choices
- a list of NESA (NSW Education Standards Authority) and College requirements that need to be followed when choosing courses for study, and
- a summary of all the elective courses on offer for 2018/2019 and what they entail.

The email will also contain a link to a form where the selections are to be made. All students will be required to choose THREE subjects, but will be allocated only TWO of these choices. Option two and three are of equal value and students will receive one of these.

The online process for subject selection opens on Wednesday 26 July and will close on Friday 4 August.

Please take some time over the next week and a half to read through the handbook and course descriptions with your daughters. If you have any questions at all about the process please feel free to contact Mrs Cocks, Mrs Lans or myself at the College on 4737 5500. If you have any queries about the content of any of the elective subjects on offer, please contact the relevant KLA Leader of Learning.

Year 10 - Stage 6 (2018) Subject Interviews

Just a reminder to Year 10 students and parents to make a booking for the upcoming Subject Interviews that take place on Tuesday 8 August in the College Library. All students have received the final subject lines and are asked to consider the options available for study. It is worthwhile to consider Year 10 Semester 1 reports when making choices and for students to speak with their current teachers about their choices.

These are compulsory interviews and students will have a student free day in order to be able to attend an interview with at least one parent/carer. Please refer to the email sent out last week and make a booking as soon as possible.

We look forward to seeing you there to discuss your daughters HSC choices for 2018/2019.

Stage 5 and 6 - Formal Assessment Tasks for Term 3

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Mr Stephen Casni - Leader of Innovation & Learning
CONTEMPORARY ARTIST AND PHOTOGRAPHER GARRY TRINH SPEAKS TO YEAR 9 PHOTOGRAPHY STUDENTS

On Thursday 20th July, Sydney photographer, Garry Trinh presented his work and his approaches to his work to Year 9 Photography and Digital Media students. Year 9 are studying his work as part of their current program “Within Walking Distance” which was based on his work for a project commissioned by the Museum of Contemporary Art C3 West Program and the Western Sydney Parklands in 2011.

Garry spoke about his different series of works and the ideas behinds these works, particularly his quirky and amusing choices of subjects. He gave the students some insights and tips for taking photos using his photos for his current project, a series commissioned by the City of Sydney on animals found in the city. He showed the girls how he worked with persistence till he captured just the right shot for this series. The works for this exhibition will be shown at Customs House at Circular Quay in August. He also spoke about some of his techniques for capturing shots as he walks around looking for his unique shots. Garry talked about his experience of making the works for the “Within Walking Distance” project, one of the examples that the students are studying this term.

We are very fortunate that the girls were able to hear from a photographer whom they are studying first hand and that they had the opportunity to ask him questions. Garry commented that he really enjoyed coming to Caroline Chisholm and speaking with such enthusiastic and interested students.

Mrs Karen King - Leader of Learning Creative Arts

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- Enrichment opportunities for talented students
- A friendly, supportive environment which encourages a passion for learning
- Outstanding HSC results

Information evening Monday 7th August at 6:30pm

Further information can be obtained on our website www.cccglenmorepark.nsw.edu.au
90 - 98 The Lakes Drive Glenmore Park
Enrolment packages can be obtained by contacting the college on 4737 5506

Follow us on
Mindfulness is a concept that has been growing in popularity over the last few years and is now a term we hear promoted across many contexts, including workplaces and schools. It originated in Eastern philosophy as a Buddhist meditation but is now widely used in Western society as an evidenced based strategy for managing stress and improving mental wellbeing. The core concept of mindfulness is the centering of the mind into the present moment to increase personal awareness, reduce the mind’s judgements or focus on negativity, and reduce the worry of issues in the past or potential issues in the future.

The practice of mindfulness seems relatively straightforward, as it simply involves focusing and refocusing your mind on to the present moment, even when your thoughts start to wander. However this is a skill that will take practice and training as it can be difficult to not only stop your mind from wandering, but also suspend all judgement.

When you’re starting out with the practice of mindfulness it can be easiest to use a guided meditation (links available at end of article), or use an everyday event to wholly focus on i.e drinking a cup of tea, having a shower, listening to a piece of music, or (my personal favourite) eating a chocolate. To practise mindfulness for the first time in one of these situations just pretend that it’s the first time you’ve ever done it. Try to focus your mind 100% on the experience i.e the tastes, the smells, how it feels etc. This will prevent your mind from wandering to other moments, worries, or situations.

Over time, with practice, you’ll find that just a few minutes of mindfulness practice each day helps with feelings of stress, improves sleep, reduces your heart rate and improves circulation, and improves memory, among many other benefits.

To read more about mindfulness, and access guided mindfulness see these websites:
http://marc.ucla.edu/mindful-meditations
http://www.freemindfulness.org/download

Mrs Jessica Austin - School Counsellor

VINNIES VAN

Thank you to the following Year 12 students for generously giving their time to support the Vinnie's Van on Wednesday 12th July - during the second week of the school holidays. The Vinnies Van provides friendship, compassion and dignity to those experiencing homelessness and social isolation in the Mount Druitt and Parramatta areas. It also provides food, warm blankets, clothing and a referral service.

Thank you to Savannah Carroll, Lillian Neal, Sian Johnson and Emma Dimech who were brilliant ambassadors for our College.

Ms Junelle Dunne
On Thursday 20th July, Year 8 were fortunate enough to be able to participate in Japanese day. We watched a performance from Lisa Koek who was portrayed as the Wisteria fairy as she performed a traditional style of Japanese dance called Nihon Bunyo. We were also able to use authentic Japanese toys such as おてだま, otedama, a game where you try to pick up as many of the small bean bags as possible. Year 8 also created origami of a flower which we learned from an origami teacher, Yoshimi Fraser.

We also created traditional Japanese calligraphy and had the choice to write the word friendship, love, blue and forest. Another one of the activities were Taiko Drumming. The word ‘Taiko’ means ‘drum’ in Japanese and the people who performed for us were YuNiOn. We all had an amazing day because we were able to experience another culture and put ourselves in the position of being in another country. We all felt very privileged to have been given such an awesome experience and we are very thankful for everyone who had a part in organising this day!

Arigato Gozaimasu

By Montannah Harris and Kaleesha Short, 8Wright
ACADEMIC COMPETITIONS UPDATE

‘Get Writing’ competition success
Areeba Ahmed, of Year 9, has placed second in a National writing competition run by the University of Southern Queensland.
Areeba’s 500 word narrative titled ‘Autumn’ is a beautiful piece about a flame-haired teenager who learns that her name Autumn is much more than just a name, and that she is actually the season.
We are thrilled for Areeba that she has received this recognition of her significant creative ability.
She has won a $50 gift voucher, a membership to a writing magazine and other publications and access to writing workshops.
If you would like to read Areeba’s story, you can view it here

Other academic competition results:

Big Science Challenge
This is an online science knowledge and skills competition for secondary students.
Congratulations to all of the girls who competed.

Special commendation to the following girls:
Year 8:
Lila Anderton – Credit
Azahlia Stevenson – Distinction

Year 9:
Claudia Fava – Credit
Micquella Grima – High Distinction

ICAS Digital Technologies
Azahlia Stevenson (8) Credit
Skyla Begnell (9) Credit

ICAS Science
Year 8:
Merit: Monique Buksh, Maddison McCarry, Azahlia Stevenson
Credit: Lila Anderton, Christine Muscat, Kailah Stapleton

Year 9:
Skyla Begnell – Credit
Tiarna Parkinson – Credit

Year 10:
Maddison Hughes – Credit

Year 12:
Sian Johnson - Credit

Entries close for ICAS English and Mathematics in week 2.

All students are welcome to participate in these excellent competitions, which offer an incredible opportunity to stretch thinking and gain detailed feedback about skills.

Congratulations to these students on their outstanding achievements.

Mrs Louise Wakeling - Learning Enrichment Facilitator

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SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS AT CHISHOLM SEMESTER ONE - 2017

So far this year students at Caroline Chisholm College have been involved in sport at both a school level and representative level. At the College level, Years 7 to 10 have been involved in the following sports / activities:

- Self defence
- Volleyball
- Bootcamp
- Triathlon
- Basketball
- Swimming
- Athletics
- Touch football
- Cross Country
- Jazz
- Netball
- Basketball
- Encyclopedia of handball
- Cricket
- Softball
- Dance
- Softball
- Zumba
- AFL
- YMCA
- Skipping
- Stretch and strength
- Triathlon
- Basketball
- Swimming
- Athletics
- Touch football
- Cross Country
- Volleyball
- Netball
- Jazz
- Dance
- YMCA
- Skipping
- AFL
- Zumba
- European handball
- Cricket
- Stretch and strength

Our representative teams have experienced great success throughout the term. They have followed the Sporting code of conduct and participated to the best of their abilities in their pursuits. The following sports have had representatives from our College:

- Shaylan Whatman and Cheyne Easthorpe – PDSSSC Softball.
- Shaylan Whatman – NSWCCC Softball representative.
- Tenealle Bijoux – Australian Oz tag representative.
- Monique Quirk – 8th in National U/17 100m sprint – Australian Championships.
- Herbertta Williams – record breaker of 12 Yrs. 100m sprint record at College Carnival. The record had stood since 1989.
- PDSSSC swimmers – Jordan Amies, Nicole Cejas, Keisha Chilmaid, Lucy Harris, Hannah McCrorie, Lily Morgan, Anique Pantazakas, Alyssa Proctor, Abbey Slaughter, Arianne Thomas, Lauren Wolsey and Chloe Haes.
- NSWCCC swimmers – Jordan Amies, Keisha Chilmaid, Lucy Harris, Hannah McCrorie, Lily Morgan, Anique Pantazakas, Alyssa Proctor, Abbey Slaughter, Arianne Thomas and Lauren Wolsey.
- NSW All School swimmers - Jordan Amies, Hannah McCrorie, Anique Pantazakas, Abbey Slaughter, Arianne Thomas and Lauren Wolsey.
- Abbey Slaughter – Australian Swimming Championships - 2nd U/16 100m butterfly, 3rd 200m butterfly.
- PDSSSC touch football – Alison Gallen, Tayla Gallen, Emily Perring and Georgia Wood.
- PDSSSC soccer – Hannah McCrorie
- PDSSSC cross country – Tayla Gallen, Lauren Preston and Emily Youngman.

Caroline Chisholm team champions 2017:
- Open basketball team – PDSSSC runners up.
- Junior touch football – PDSSSC runners up.
- Junior netball team - NSW School’s Cup Netball Champions.

Many thanks to the coaches and parents who have given up their time to assist with our teams this term. These sports would not have been possible without your efforts.

A big thank you to the following Caroline Chisholm staff who have taken the following:

- Francis McCauley – Basketball
- Alara Cassells-Forward – Touch football
- Desley Hodges – Touch football
- Sophie Watt – Swimming
- Greg King – Football
- Caroline McElroy – Football
- Brooke Hughes – Cross Country
- Jodie Cusack – Cross Country
- Hayley Capilli – Netball
- Francis McCauley – Netball

It has been an enjoyable and successful first semester in sport. Keep an eye on future announcements for up and coming sporting opportunities at Caroline Chisholm.

Mr Stephen McIlveen - Sport Coordinator
**SPOTLIGHT ON SPORT**

Jessica Libreri - White-water Kayaking

My name is **Jessica** and my sport is White-water Kayaking. This is where you race down a white water river or course in a Slalom boat. Whilst on your way down the course you must go through gates without touching them.

I started this sport late last year, training once a week for fun. I started developing the skills quickly and was noticed by the Australian white water Olympian, Jessica Fox. She suggested that I try out for competitions and increase my training. Once I started to compete I was selected in the NSW side and chosen to compete in the All School Nationals, Australia Nationals, State Titles and NSW Round Champions Cup. At my last competition I placed 1st in K1, 1st in C1, 2nd in C2, Girls 3rd in C2 Mixed, 1st in 3km sprint and 2nd in a bana boat. Overall I placed equal 1st in this event and now I have been asked to compete in Melbourne in the All School National and State Titles. This event will take place in early January and is a 16 day event.

Written by Jessica Libreri

Ashleigh Bland - TaeKwonDo

I started doing my martial art at the age of 7 at Nepean Wolves TaeKwonDo during school selective sport. After two terms of in school time taekwondo I joined the family class. Doing my first grading was one of the most scariest things I have ever done. But going up in the ranks everything got easier.

I took up Haidong Gumdo (Korean Sword Martial Art) when I reached blue 3 in Taekwondo. Within two years I made it up to red 3 but stopped to focus on my provisional black belt. But during my training I got asked to run a couple of classes, the Junior Wolf Pack class and the Family Pack class.

Training and homework get complicated since I train once every week on a Thursday but I enjoy watching the little kids. Plus I still get my homework done.

As I became a provisional black belt I joined the black belt class. In this class we do a series of patterns, blocks, self defense, kicks and the Korean terminology in Korean for each of the things we do.

Sparring is one on one combat with protective gear. I love to participate in the Mountains versus Nepean Wolves sparring comps, as I am light and quick on my feet. The largest score I got was 152 points to 189 points. This match was when I sparred against a 4th dan which is a black belt with 4 golden tips. In the past 6 weeks I've been training non stop to get into the nationals team for next year to go to Korea.

Out side of the training I have leadership meetings. These meetings help us bond as team leaders and instructors aswell as teach us, so we can teach other kids.

Written by Ashleigh Bland

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The 3 teams who participated in the recent gala day were strong participants who represented the college with enthusiasm and good sportsmanship. The Seniors and Intermediate teams finished with medals as Runners Up and the Juniors made the semi finals.

**Juniors**
The Juniors won their pool easily beating Catherine McAuley, St Andrew’s, Cerdon and St Mark’s. In the semi final against OLMC the girls were down by 3 at half time but fought hard to get back to within 1 goal. OLMC went on to win the 7/8 division. The girls enjoyed the day, passing well and working well together.

**Intermediates**
The intermediate team had a successful day at the PDSSSC carnival, starting off the day with a huge win over Delany 19-0. The girls continued to win their games, seven consecutive wins throughout the day finishing undefeated in their pool. Unfortunately, Gilroy was too strong in the Grand Final winning 17 -7. Overall, the girls played with wonderful spirit and represented the College with pride.

**Seniors**
The Senior team began the day with a very tight game that saw them win against Cerdon by one goal. This victory was followed by a day of excellent teamwork which saw the Senior team enter the grand finals undefeated. Coming up against their initial rivals, Cerdon, the girls played an exciting and skilful game of netball. Unfortunately, the other side proved too strong in the second half. Overall, it was an fantastic day of netball for the Senior team.

Thanks to the parents who came to support and Mr Elliott who made a surprise delivery of coffee to the teachers and came to cheer on the girls.

Congratulations to all players and our excellent umpires. We look forward to seeing the girls perform in the next competition.

**Year 7 and 8** - Emily Hatcher, Tayla Gallen, Bridie Witijes, Abby Ridding, Paige Lowndes, Emily McMillan, Ainslee Baxter, Victoria Mahiri and Kayla Stapleton.

**Year 9 and 10** - Alison Gallen, Alannah Eisenhuth, Savannah Roberts, Jess Murray, Georgia Waters, Jasmine Ridding, Ruby Lowe, Mia Gleeson, Brooke Hoban and Tenealle Bijoux

**Year 11 and 12** - Kennedi Geyer, Ashleigh Jones, Demi Greenup, Madeline Haydon, Emily Perring, Elise Pelle, Keeley McCahon, Jade Culey and Chloe Godwin

**Umpires** – Chloe Daley and Chloe Hayes and members of the 9/10 team.

**Miss Janine Balite, Mrs Hayley Capilli, Mrs Frances McCauley**
Great News! Our school now has a mobile phone app. What’s that you may ask, it is a little application that sits on your phone or tablet and gives you instant access to our school information when you click on it, 24/7.

The app is going to give parents the ability to instantly access newsletters and current events without going to the website. We will be sharing many of the other features with you over the coming weeks, but for now download it to your smartphone by going to either the Apple App Store or Android Google Play Market and search for Caroline Chisholm College. Once you have found it press install or download.

**Caroline Chisholm College Skoolbag App**
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FROM THE LEADER OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Ms Bernadette Murray - Leader of Religious Education