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NEWS & NOTICES



PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS YRS 5-10

WEDNESDAY JUNE 29

Parent/Teacher interviews for Years 5-10 will be held on Wednesday 29th June.

Interviews will be held between 3.40pm and 8.30pm in the Cedars Leadership Centre. These interviews provide a valuable opportunity for teachers, parents and students to communicate about the student's progress and to consider strategies to improve academic achievement.

Students will be issued with their reports this week, but it is advisable to meet with your student's teachers as well.

During the evening it is important to follow the schedule of interviews which should have been arranged prior to the evening. If it becomes clear that more time is needed please feel to arrange a follow up time with the relevant teacher.

Mrs Sue Walker
Director of Studies 7 - 12

Mrs Ruth Brown
Director Primary Curriculum

NEW UNIFORM SHOP HOURS

We have received a lot of positive feedback from parents about the new uniform supplier and our on-campus uniform shop. However, there have also been a number of requests to change the opening hours of the uniform shop allowing more parents to readily access this service.

The new hours will begin Term 3:

Tuesdays: 3:00pm – 4:30pm

Fridays: 8:15am – 11.00am

These changed times will begin Week 1 in Term 3.

SECOND HAND CLOTHING POOL

Due to lack of space in our Junior School and Main Offices, the Second Hand Clothing Pool will close at the end of Term 2, 2011.

As the school is no longer able to offer this service, parents may wish to pass their items of clothing on to other members of the school community of their own accord.

As such, the offices will no longer be able to accept second hand items of clothing starting Term 3.

If you are interested in looking through the items of second hand clothing which are now located in the school offices, please do so before Term 3 begins.

NOTICES



DRINKING AND TEENS PROJECT

Letters and information packs have recently been sent out to the families of our Year 7 students inviting them to take part in The Drinking & Teens Project, along with their mothers. This research is funded by the Australian Government's Australian Research Council, and is being conducted by researchers from the Universities of NSW, Newcastle, Queensland, Tasmania, and Curtin University.

The research will look at drinking and non drinking adolescents, and how this relates to family, peer and behavioural factors. The findings will provide much needed guidance on adolescent drinking to policy makers, schools, the community, and families.

The involvement of students from our College provides an exciting opportunity for our school and students to contribute to important and highly relevant research. This research is confidential and families who are willing to take part should return the permission form contained in the information pack using the reply paid envelope.

Mrs Julie Cochrane
Middle School Welfare
Coordinator

IMMUNISATIONS FOR YR 7

RESCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY JUNE 29

Due to the rescheduled Secondary Athletics Carnival, the Year 7 Immunisations have been changed to Wednesday June 29.

PHOTOS

If you have seen any photos of your child/children in recent newsletters, and you would like a copy emailed to you, please send your request to: mwest@cedars.nsw.edu.au and we can arrange to have the photos emailed to you for your personal use.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

PERSONAL ASSISTANT TO SENIOR EXECUTIVE

This full time position is a great opportunity for an experienced, self-motivated, team player, who is able to work without supervision and meet deadlines. You will need to be an effective communicator with sound computer and administration skills. Experience in supporting senior management roles an advantage. Candidates will need to actively support the values and ethos of the school.

Applications close 4 July 2011

An application form is available from the College website: www.cedars.nsw.edu.au

Enquiries to Renee Walton (02) 42718124, or email: pa@cedars.nsw.edu.au

PARENT PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES

Reminder - PPS Hours Recorded for Term 2

Just a reminder that all PPS hours for Term 2 need to be recorded on your card in Reception in the main office so that a charge won't be added to your account.

These cards are the record we use to calculate credits for PPS so we ask that you check your card if you are unsure if all your hours have been recorded.

Please ensure your card has been completed by Thursday June 30.

CANTEEN ROSTER

DATE	STAFF
27/6/2011	Sharlene
28/6/2011	Karol-Ilyn Reichman
29/6/2011	Terina White
30/6/2011	TREAT DAY Lisa Power
1/7/2011	Janet Owen

For information or to volunteer, please phone Narelle on 0418 685 802.

UPCOMING EVENTS



THURSDAY JUNE 23

- Zone Boys Soccer, Terry Reserve, Albion Park 8.30 - 3.00
- Yr 12 HSC Geography Lectures, UOW 8.30am - 3.10pm
- Yr 11 Blood Bank 3.00pm

THURS JUNE 23 to FRI JUNE 24

Year 6 excursion to Canberra

FRIDAY JUNE 24

- State Netball Gala Day, Jamison Park, Penrith
- Yr 11&12 Music excursion - Aust Institute of Music
- Yr 11 Textile Exhibition, Darling Harbour
- Yr 12 Business Studies Lectures, Steelers Club Wollongong

WEDNESDAY JUNE 29

- Middle School and Senior College Parent/Teacher Interviews
- Year 7 Immunisations

THURSDAY JUNE 30

Canteen "Treat Day"

FRIDAY JULY 1

Last day of Term 2

MONDAY JULY 25

First day of Term 3

TUESDAY JULY 12

Yr 12 HSC Advanced English excursion, Seymour Theatre

WEDNESDAY JULY 20 TO FRIDAY JULY 22

Jindabyne Ski Trip

FRIDAY JULY 22

HSC Enrichment Day

Upcoming Event Information is also located on Cedars Website. Go to: <http://cedars.nsw.edu.au/calendar.html>

PRAYER POINTS



WE ARE THANKFUL TO GOD FOR:

- Absolutely stunning weather for our Secondary Athletics Carnival.

WE ARE ASKING GOD FOR:

- A wonderful, safe excursion to Canberra for our Year 6 students and teachers.
- Safety at all of our upcoming excursions.

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK:

"I am leaving you with a gift—peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give is a gift the world cannot give. So don't be troubled or afraid."

John 14:27

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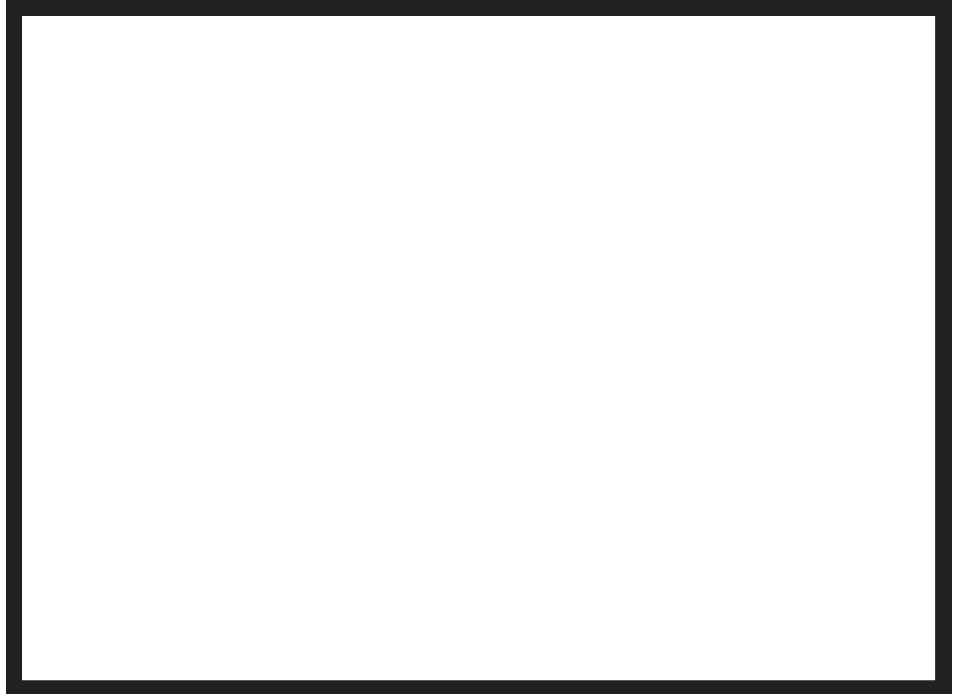
SENIOR COLLEGE CONCERT

What a night we had last Tuesday at the Senior College Concert! The Senior College community gathered to celebrate the rich creative talent within the students. It was Senior College's first concert and the students entertained the crowd with various drama, musical acts and dance.

I would like to thank all students who participated in the evening, either through performing or assisting in serving supper, sound or stage management. I would also like to thank staff and parents for their support and efforts in helping the night to be a success.

I am looking forward to our next concert which will be for our Junior School students and will be held at the end of Term 3. Tickets for this concert can be purchased next Term.

Miss Heidi Sullivan
Creative Arts Coordinator



Senior College Concert - Video



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NOTICES

MOVIE NIGHT

**SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 3 2011 ON THE COLLEGE OVAL
5.30PM DINNER**

6.30PM MOVIE BEGINS

**MOVIE TICKET PRICE: \$25 FAMILY (2 ADULTS 2 CHILDREN)
UNDER 5 FREE \$10 PER ADULT \$5 STUDENTS
DINNER CAN BE PURCHASED SEPARATELY**

TO BOOK RING SCHOOL OFFICE ON 42 718124

**NO UNACCOMPANIED CHILDREN UNDER 10
NO ALCOHOL**

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