

CALROSSY ANGLICAN SCHOOL

The William TELL

SECONDARY BOYS' NEWS

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FROM THE HEAD OF SECONDARY BOYS

As I get older, I am increasingly of the opinion that ability counts for less and less and that attitude and preparation are of far greater importance. This is not to say that ability or talent is unimportant as obviously people need to be capable of handling the challenge they are facing but I have met many people with the ability to succeed but who have failed to do so due to their failure to properly prepare or persist.

On Monday's assembly I spoke to our young men about the importance of preparation in being successful, especially with regard to their forthcoming yearly examinations. I spoke of how I was reminded of the value of preparing properly while watching the first of the one-day matches between India and Australia.

We were bowling to Sachin Tendulkar, India's champion batsman, whose ability with the bat has earned him the title of the 'young Bradman'. It was clear that Australia had done their homework - hours of watching the videos of Tendulkar batting and then time spent analysing the way he played, matched by the countless hours of bowling in practice to ensure that our bowlers had the necessary control to pitch the ball on the right spot and countless fitness sessions. The preparation paid dividends. Australia's bowling of full pitch deliveries, wide of the off stump, making sure that nothing strayed onto Tendulkar's pads, where he is so strong, culminated with Tendulkar becoming so frustrated that he lunged at the ball with his bat and Ricky Ponting took a great catch.

The importance of preparation can be found in any sport. It has been said of Tiger Woods, arguably the world's best golfer, that "his talent brings him in line with the top golfers of the world. It is his preparation that sets him apart". Evidently he spends hours before a tournament analysing each hole of the course and visualising the different scenarios that could happen after each shot. Phil Jackson, the famous basketball coach said of the legendary Michael Jordan that "you will never find anyone who competes so hard in training as in competition."

Of course, the importance of preparation is not limited to sport. In virtually every aspect of life, success is often dependant on the level of preparation undertaken. Abraham Lincoln, President of the United States, recognised the importance of preparation. He was quoted as saying "If I had eight hours to cut down a tree. I'd spend six hours sharpening the axe".

Please continue to encourage your sons about the importance of studying and preparing for their yearly exams. The School Certificate begins on Monday and Years 7 to 9 will begin on Wednesday.

The remainder of the term will be extremely busy. Our year 10 students who have registered to participate in the "Eye to the Future' Workshops (Monday 16 November to Wednesday 18 November) will have Thursday 12 November off in lieu of the pupil free day on the Monday however if your son has not registered then he is expected at school on the Friday and the Tuesday and Wednesday. Registrations have closed for the course and those attending will benefit enormously from their participation. Year 10 will have an orientation day at the Brisbane St campus on Wednesday 25 November in preparation for next year.

There is a school dance scheduled for Thursday 19 November. Although hosted by the boys' SRC, the dance will be held in the Calrossy hall, starting at 6.30pm and finishing at 9.30pm. All funds raised will go to help provide educational opportunities in Uganda. As a school we want our students to develop an outward focus. The reason for choosing this particular area of need is that our Armidale Diocese is building a partnership with the North Kigezi Diocese in Uganda and already we have started to plan how we as a school can best develop an effective relationship with schools under their direction.

Please remember that the Performing Arts Night will be held on Thursday 26 November. This particular evening has always proved to be a most enjoyable night with our young men never ceasing to amaze with their sometimes hidden 'talents'. The venue will be the Calrossy Hall on the Brisbane St Campus.

After the exams, the Cowper campus is planning to run some 'Alcohol Awareness' Days for Years 8, 9 and 10. The seminars will deal with the use of alcohol and its impact on the individual lives and on our community. They will be organised by Mr Lincoln Job and will involve members from our school and the wider community who have relevant experiences to share with our students. More information will be given to parents when the arrangements have been finalised.

Finally I would like to thank Mr Simon Hall for speaking at the recent combined P&F meeting.. His experiences teaching at St Judes in Tanzania last year were certainly of great interest to those who were able to attend. To see approximately 4,000 young children from the poorest of circumstances, endeavouring to be selected for the 20 or so places on offer on that particular intake was a great reminder of the opportunities that we take for granted here in Australia. Mr Hall has been asked to talk to the boys about his experiences for our next assembly.

Joseph Goldsworthy
Head of Secondary Boys

CURRICULUM MATTERS

YEARLY EXAMINATION TIMETABLE

	Year 7 – Room 2 & 1	Year 8 – Room 3	Year 9 – Room 4
Wednesday 11/11	Study 9:00-9:30 Sci 9:30-10:30	Study 9:00-9:30 Eng 1 9:30-10:30	Study 9:00-9:45 Math 9:45-10:45
	Study 11:30-12:00 His or Geo 12:00-1:00	Math 1 11:30-12:30	Break 10:45-11:45
	Math 1:55-2:55	Eng 2 1:25-2:55	Eng 1 11:45-2:55
Thursday 12/11	PDHPE or Study 9:00-10:00	Study 9:00-9:30 Math 2 9:30-10:30	Sci 9:00-10:00
	Eng 1 10:00-11:00	Study 11:30-12:00 His 12:00-1:00	Study 11:00-11:30 Eng 2 11:30-1:00
	Study 12:00-12:30 Eng 2 1:25-2:55	Sci 1:55-2:55	Geo 1:55-2:55

The Yearly Exams for Years 7 to 9 take place on the 11th and 12th November. This is to enable the synchronization of exams for the boys and girls students.

Year 10 sit their School Certificate tests on Monday, 9th November and Tuesday, 10th November at the Girls' Campus in the hall. The boys need to be at school by 8:50am and will need to make their own way to and from the Girls' Campus on both days. The boys may be picked up from the Girls' Campus once their examination has finished in the afternoon.

Monday 9.20am to 11.30am English
Monday 12.50pm to 3.00pm Science
Tuesday 9.25am to 11.30am Math
Tuesday 12.50pm to 3.00pm History/Geography

Students are expected to provide pens (black is recommended), pencils and erasers, and a ruler marked in millimetres and centimetres, for ALL examinations in a clear sleeve. Additional equipment for Math, Science and History/Geography – calculator, pair of compasses, protractor and a set square. The Computing Skills test will be done at Cowper on Wednesday.

Mick Larkin
Curriculum Coordinator

Year 10 End of Year Timetable

<p>4 - A Nov 9-13</p>	<p>School Certificate Examinations @ Girls' Campus in Hall. Need to be there by 8:45 am.</p> <p>9.20am to 11.30am English</p> <p>Must take your lunch</p> <p>12.50pm to 3.00pm Science</p>	<p>School Certificate Examinations @ Girls' Campus in Hall. Need to be there by 8:45 am.</p> <p>9.25am to 11.30am Math</p> <p>Must take your lunch</p> <p>12.50pm to 3.00pm History/Geog</p>	<p>School Certificate Examinations @ Cowper Campus for Computing Skills Test and BOS 'My Own Work' program</p> <p>Year 7 to 9 Yearly Exams</p>	<p>Year 7 to 9 Yearly Exams</p> <p>Year 10 Day off in lieu for Monday</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>
<p>5 - B Nov 16-20</p>	<p>Pupil Free Day Year 10 Eye To Your Future Workshops-Careers Network</p>	<p>Year 10 Eye To Your Future Workshops-Careers Network</p>	<p>Year 10 Eye To Your Future Workshops-Careers Network</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>
<p>6 - A Nov 23-27</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>	<p>Classes as normal Orientation on Girls' Campus for senior classes next year – about 1 period. Will notify day before then.</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>	<p>Year 10 Alcohol Awareness Day with Mr Job – out of uniform.</p>
<p>7 - B Nov 30-Dec 4</p>	<p>Year 10 Leadership Expedition</p>	<p>Year 10 Leadership Expedition</p>	<p>Year 10 Leadership Expedition</p>	<p>Year 10 Leadership Expedition</p>	<p>Classes as normal</p>
<p>8 - A Dec 7-11</p>	<p>Battle of the Grades– out of uniform</p>	<p>Community Service– out of uniform.</p>	<p>Community Service– out of uniform.</p>	<p>Pool and Movies Speech Night</p>	<p>You're free!!</p>

ROSE COTTAGE

Please note the new hours for Rose Cottage:

Hours: 8:30am to 4.00pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
Closed on Wednesdays

Daily Deliveries: Please contact us before 9:30am for deliveries to the school

Email rosecottage@calrossy.nsw.edu.au

Telephone 6767 2631 **Fax** 6766 4043

Call into 9 Raglan Street, Tamworth

2009 TERM DATES

Term 4: **From**
Monday 19 October
To
Thursday 10 December

SPORT

Year 7 Under 14 Results 31 October

Calrossy 133 Defeated Oxley 51

Calrossy

Batting:

Nick Reyne 18
Mitch Buster 16
Lane Berry 13

Bowling:

Mitch Salter 3 for 4
Mitch Buster 2 for 1
Gus Gallegos 2 for 1

Oxley

Batting:

Matt Everett 16

Bowling:

Matt Everett 1 for 22
Blake Dawson 1 for 8

Triathlon

If any parents are able to assist with registrations, time keeping and marshalling at the Twilight Triathlon this Saturday, please contact Mr Mark O'Brien on 0428 667 689. Registration is at 5:30pm. Race begins at 6:00pm and finishes at 7:30pm. The next twilight race will be on 21 November.

CAREER INFORMATION

Careers Advice for Year 12 students

All year 12 students and their parents / guardians are encouraged to contact Mrs Anderson if you require help with career planning, university / TAFE applications, early entry applications, scholarships and university accommodation. Students can make an appointment via Mrs Suckling in the main staffroom at Brisbane St campus or parents can contact Mrs Anderson on 6767 2633 or d.anderson@calrossy.nsw.edu.au

Administration Traineeship – Lake Keepit Sport and Recreation Centre

The centre is looking at providing an administration traineeship over 12 months through New England North West Group Training. The traineeship is ideally suited for a year 12 leaver who is looking for a Gap year prior to commencing tertiary studies. Traineeship would commence in December 2009.

For more information contact John White at Lake Keepit on 6769 7603 or john.white@communities.nsw.gov.au OR the group training organisation on 6762 6755.

European GAP Tours 2010

The 2010 European GAP Tours brochures are now available. For your copy visit Mrs Kylie Lamph at Harvey World Travel 445-447 Peel St. Mrs Lamph is more than happy to meet with students or parents about organising a GAP Tour. Her contact number is 6766 1277.

Macquarie University – uniTEST

UniTEST is an alternative entry process used by Macquarie University to provide an opportunity for students who may have been disadvantaged in their studies gain entry to university. To be eligible students must be current Year 12 HSC students and satisfy the eligibility of disadvantage as assessed under the Educational Access Scheme.

All applicants who wish to sit uniTEST must register by 13 November online at www.mq.edu.au/uintest in addition to applying to Macquarie University through UAC.

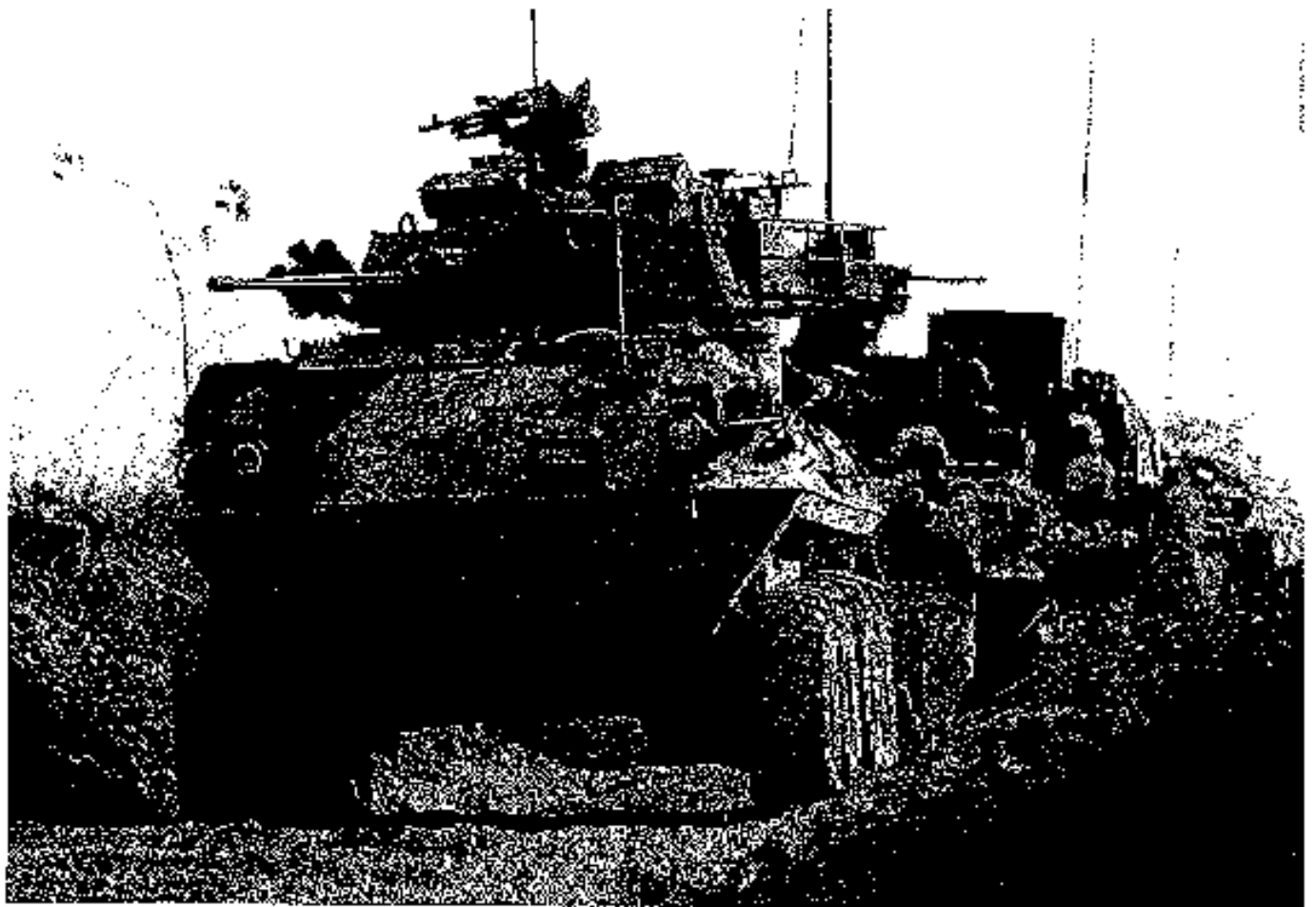
UniTEST is being conducted at Macquarie University on Monday 7 December 2009.

Defence Force Recruiting

Defence Force Recruiting is holding an information session dedicated to careers in the Australian Defence Force (ADF) and would like to invite students and their parents to attend. The next session is to be held on Tuesday 17 November at 6:30pm, located at BAE Systems Administration Building, Basil Brown Drive, Tamworth City Airport, Tamworth.

ADF staff will present participants with information about the wide range of careers available. The presentation will cover entry requirements, lifestyle as well as the benefits of an ADF career. Participants will have the opportunity to chat one-on-one with our Defence personnel about what life is really like in the Navy, Army or Air Force.

To confirm attendance students should contact 13 19 01, it is important to note that this session is obligation free and does not constitute an application to the ADF.



GATHER INTELLIGENCE

The Navy, Army and Air Force are now recruiting for a wide number of key positions from Trade and Hospitality to Medical and Administration – just to mention a few. What all of these careers have in common is the exceptional benefits and unique experiences.

To find out how you can take your skills to new heights, attend our next **Information Session - Tuesday 17th November, 6.30pm**
BAE Systems Administration Building, Basil Brown Drive, Tamworth Airport
Call 13 19 01 or visit www.defencejobs.gov.au



CALROSSY SONY CHILDRENS' CAMP

Volunteer Nurses and Parents needed for Calrossy Sony Children Camp

The Calrossy Sony Childrens' Camp is a three day residential camp for children with special needs between the ages of 5 and 15 years. It is held at Calrossy every year and aims to provide care, fun and friendship with the children. Senior students from Calrossy and neighbouring schools volunteer to become full time carers for the children.

To make the camp a great success this year we need:

Nurses

to assist with supervising various activities within the camp and assisting with any medical issues, eg. giving out medications and first aid

Parents

to help supervise at bedtimes while the Year 12 students attend a briefing at the end of the day. If you are able to donate any of your time to such a worthy cause please contact Sally Prowse on 6767 2623 or 0427 536 239.

P & F NEWS

Wanted : Volunteers

Calrossy Girls P & F has catered for the Australian Line-dancing Championships each January at the Brisbane Street Campus School Hall for many years and this is one of our major Fundraisers. This has been traditionally a Calrossy Girls initiative but is now open to the whole school. This annual Country Music event needs volunteers to help work in the Kitchen or Canteen.

To continue the success of previous years we require your help. If you are able to assist with food preparation in the Food Technology Room (making sandwiches, wraps, salads, quiches etc) or serve in the Canteen please either :-

- indicate your preference below and return form to Brisbane St Reception
- phone Margie Heuston on 6766 1203
- email to sgoodwin@goodwinkenny.com.au or mlheuston@hotmail.com

Margie Heuston will supervise the Kitchen, and Susan and Gina Goodwin will supervise the Canteen and perhaps there are a couple of friends or a husband and wife team who would like to manage the Canteen on a particular day.

Remember many hands make light work. New 2010 Year 7 parents are most welcome, parents could team up with sons and daughters and grandparents. This is a great way to meet new people or chat to old friends as you work together for the benefit of our students. You could volunteer for one session only or a day or two – whatever time you have available.

If you are unable to assist in the kitchen or canteen - contributions of home baking e.g. muffins, slices, cupcakes, brownies, biscuits are also needed and can be dropped off to the canteen on any of the days listed. These donations assist greatly and allow more time to be spent on other duties in the kitchen.

For further information please contact Susan Goodwin on 67655244 or Margie Heuston on 67661203 or mobile 0427 447885 or email to addresses above.

Country Music Line Dancing Volunteers

I am able to assist on the following days and times:

Name: _____ Mobile: _____

FOOD TECH ROOM:

8.30am to 10.30am	10.30am to 12.30pm	12.30pm to 3.00 pm
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CANTEEN:

8.30am to 10.30am	10.30am to 1.00pm	1.00pm to 3.00pm	3.00pm to 5.00pm
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Sunday 17

Monday 18

Tuesday 19

Wednesday 20

Thursday 21

Friday 22

Please circle where you can help.

Tuesday/Thursday Lunch Order

\$4.50 per order

Includes lunch, icypole & fruit popper or water

Pay weekly, per term or for as many weeks as you like

Drinks and icypoles may be purchased separately for \$.70 and \$.50

Name: _____ Year: _____

Please tick dates lunch is required

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Tues 10 November | <input type="checkbox"/> Thurs 12 November |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tues 17 November | <input type="checkbox"/> Thurs 19 November |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tues 24 November | <input type="checkbox"/> Thurs 26 November |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tues 1 December | <input type="checkbox"/> Thurs 3 December |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tues 8 December | <input type="checkbox"/> Thurs 10 December |

Additional Popper \$.70
Additional IcyPole \$.50

Total Payment Enclosed \$ _____

Please make all cheques payable to Calrossy Anglican School

All weekly orders must be received by 9:15am of that day's lunch.

Cowper "Gold"

"Give the economy a boost and the profits remain at your son's school"



"Not too sweet, not too dry, this smooth, non-carbonated, refreshing apple juice is exclusively bottled for sale by your son's school"

"Buy extra, it is so good, just one sip and the bottle will be empty before you know"

Apple Juice

For Sale

\$5.00 per bottle

Struggling for that corporate gift, or just a simple gift of appreciation. Look no further!

"A gift to please, a gift to enjoy, simple and beautiful in a one litre glass carafe"

Place your order now

Funds will go towards further Campus improvements

Name: _____ Year: _____

No of Bottles Required: _____ Total Payment Enclosed: _____



Secondary Pizza Lunch Order

\$2.50 per slice

Choose from Hawaiian, Meat Lovers, Cheese or Chicken & Bacon

Name: _____ Year: _____

Please indicate flavour of pizza and dates required

- Hawaiian
- Meat
- Cheese
- BBQ Chicken & Bacon

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 13 November | <input type="checkbox"/> 20 November |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 27 November | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 December |

Total Payment Enclosed \$ _____

Please make all cheques payable to Calrossy Anglican School

All orders must be received by Thursday lunch time

