

# RED BEND CATHOLIC COLLEGE

## Newsletter



*A local community of Mission within the Australian Marist Community*



### Principal's message

Greetings to all members of the Red Bend Community, It has been a great start to the year, from the impressive standard of dress of the vast majority of students to the rapid getting down to work in most classes. We have had an exceptional Commencement Mass, concelebrated by Bishop Columba and Fr Gunn, and a well-attended and informative Year 7 and New Students Information Evening.

I have included in this Newsletter my speech from the Commencement Mass and also the speeches given by our College Captains, Evie Martin and Benjamin Glasheen. Taken together they give a well-rounded overview of how we understand the nature and mission of our fine College.

We also welcomed back our Distinguished Achievers from last year's HSC exams. These students achieved Band 6's in some of their

subjects; we also congratulated Jackson Burton who was named as our College Dux for 2018. Jackson gave a remarkable speech and I include it here for you all to read and reflect upon. Jackson is and always was a very fine person who I loved having at school working closely with him and his counterpart College Captain Laura Mattiske. It is Jackson's reflection upon the last few months of last year that is especially moving and I feel there is much wisdom here for all of us. Thank you for all your support and cooperation, I hope the year ahead is fruitful for us all.

Br Michael.





*2018 College Captain and Dux of the College, Jackson Burton gave the following speech at the Band 6 Achiever assembly.*

## Jackson's speech

Good afternoon Brother Michael, Mr Dwyer, teachers and students. It is an honour to be here with you all today with the chance to speak. Being dux of 2018 is amazing and it is incredible to know that all of my hard work over the years has paid off. The last few months for me have definitely been the hardest of my life but also the most valuable.

Before the HSC I became very sick and was unable to sit my final exams. For me this was an extremely difficult time and I felt like I had let everyone down including myself. However, upon reflection this time was crucial in shaping me to be the person I am today. First of all I learnt the value of working hard early. Because I didn't muck around from years 7-11 and always tried my hardest, by the time the first batch of year 12 assessments came out I was geared up and ready to do some damage.

I did a great job in all of my assessments which really set me up for success in the long run and definitely proved vital as I fell terribly ill before the end exams. However, I learnt something else far more important than any of this. I came to realise that beyond all of

the study, beyond the responsibilities and beyond the great hype surrounding the almighty hsc, the most important thing is to look after yourself and cherish the simple things. During my time at Red Bend, I've met some awesome people that I think are going to be in my life forever. I've also had so much fun in carnivals, debating and just in classes in general.

In terms of study the greatest advice I could give would be to make a timetable and stick to it, never hesitate to ask teachers questions and while in class time dedicate 100% of your attention to the lesson and doing your best. That's what I did and it all worked out pretty well for me. But also remember a balance is key and maintaining a healthy social life and participating in sport will put you in a better mindset for the study to sink in. I'd like to thank all of the teachers for their help over the years and I'd also like to wish everyone all the best diving into 2019.



# Commencement Mass

## Br Michael's speech

It has been a lovely Mass here this morning...celebrated together as a Marist Community. I thank our celebrants for making themselves available to be with us. It is essential that we gather as every new year begins to pray together for God's blessings on all that lies ahead of us.

At our first assembly last week, I proposed to the staff and students that we take to heart the idea that "we are all in this together; therefore let us work together for the good of everyone." A close living community like Red Bend cannot function effectively if we are not working on the same plan toward the same goal. There is enough opposition and resistance from outside to last us a life-time...we don't need to be opposing each other as well. When we had our end of year concert last year we saw how harmony worked to produce beautiful music and singing: and that's what we want for ourselves this year: HARMONY of spirit and will. Harmony makes small things grow; disharmony destroys even the greatest of things. St Paul reminded us that there should only be one competition among us: we should be trying to be the best at being kind and supportive of one another and spend less time being jealous, or angry, or complaining.

It is 202 years this year since two young men joined Marcellin Champagnat in the little rented house in the village of La Valla in the Loire Valley near Lyons in Southern France. These were the first Marist Brothers...in the 202 years since 38,000 men have become Marist Brothers throughout the world...men who heard the call of Jesus to follow him in the footsteps of Mary and in the way of Champagnat. They shared ... to a greater or lesser extent...the amazing vision of educating the children God sent their way, with a special love and concern for those who were poor, or those "upon whom nature had not smiled." Today others hear that call who are not and will never be professed members of a religious order...over 50,000 lay men and women also follow Champagnat. They educate over 600,000 children in 80 countries...numbered among all these are you and me, all of us here this morning, in the Marist community of Mission known as Red Bend Catholic College.

As you know we have adopted a sister school in Bangladesh...St Marcellin's School in Giasnagor which educates for free the children of tea plantation workers who are virtual slaves to the plantation owners. Later this year we will send 4 staff and 6 students to Bangladesh to strengthen our ties with this school. The kids at this school don't play up in class; they do not stay away from school; they do not take their teachers and their school for granted. They don't have anywhere near what we have available to us here at Red Bend. The reason for this is that they value their education and recognise that it is the key to a future full of hope and promise.

In closing I ask that we all be conscious of the great gift that education is for each of us and of the fantastic opportunities offered us in and through this fine College this year. Opportunities are only good if they are taken up and made good use of...otherwise they may as well not exist at all. The common problem with opportunity is that it often arrives in our lives disguised as hard work...and a lot of people either don't recognize it or are too fearful to take it up.

I don't want any student here today to not do well, not do as well as possible; I do not want any of you to let your chances go by. You need to know that we are passionate about each of you realising your potential according to the stage of life that you are presently at....and we back that passion up with concern, hard work, good teaching, and a willingness to provide for you anything that you need.

*Colossians 3: 12-17:*

*Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity. Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.*

College Captain speech - Evie Martin  
Good Morning Br Michael, Mr Dwyer, Bishop Columba Macbeth Green, Staff, Students and Special Guests,



Red Bend Catholic College is a Marist school, and as a Marist School we follow Marcellin Champagnat's footsteps to make Jesus known and loved. Marcellin's footsteps are a guide for all of us in our lives here at the College.

Sometimes I perceive that the idea of footsteps can be mistaken. Footsteps doesn't necessarily mean that we have to follow Marcellin's life exactly, but it means we should try to care for those in need, offer our help to outreach services, be dedicated to our vocation as students and be nice to all those we encounter.

When I think of footsteps I often think of little kids on the beach following the footsteps of their mother or father in front of them. Often they struggle to reach the next step with their little legs and little feet. And it's true maybe physically or metaphorically we all follow the footsteps of someone we look up to, whether it be a parent or guardian, a teacher, a friend, a sibling or anyone else.

Here at Red Bend it is important to always be present, whether that be present in class, sport or to be present with friends, peers and staff members. But we must also think about our future. As the footsteps that we make will be followed by the person or people who look up to us. As we make our choices in life we are guided by the Marist choice. The Marist choice of living in the way of Mary, to help the needs of those who need it the most.

While at the beach our footsteps may fade into the sand, in life our footsteps will leave an impact. So if you want to take anything away from this speech, it is that everyday we can choose to make a Marist choice, a positive choice.

Thank you.

College Captain speech - Benjamin Glasheen  
Good Morning Brother Michael, Bishop Columba Macbeth Green, Special Guests, Staff and Students.



At Red Bend Catholic College, we strive to be good Christians and citizens. In doing this, we are able to create an environment which allows individuals to participate well, in all aspects of college life.

Being part of a Marist College, we follow the five Marist characteristics, presence, simplicity, family spirit, love of work and in the way of Mary.

These characteristics inform how being Marist is lived out in our college community.

Presence,- We care for each other, we earn trust and try to be open with one another.

Simplicity,- We are genuine and straightforward people

Family spirit,- We share life together, its success and failures

Love of work, - We seek to develop a strong character and resilience

We work together as a team in all areas of school life

Finally, In the way of Mary,- We see Mary as the perfect model of the Marist student - living a good Christian life, caring for others and close to Jesus.

I believe that it is a challenge for all of us as a Marist family, to live out these values. It may be worthwhile from time to time to sit quietly, and reflect how each of the characteristics can help us become more aware of our gifts and talents, - sharing these with others, or to help us become better people, so as to make a significant difference in our Marist community, and follow the values taught to us by our founder, St Marcellin Champagnat.

Thank you.

# Commencement Mass

6/2/19



# Year 7 Information Evening

6/2/19





Deputy Principal  
Mr Stephen Dwyer

A warm welcome to all our students and their families as we begin another year at the college. A special welcome to all the new students in Year 7 and those new to the College in other year levels. You are most welcome in our Marist community. It was very pleasing to see students returning with excitement and maybe a few nerves for some as they settle into life and learning at the College. I am confident that the students are ready to take on the challenges for the year ahead.

On Wednesday 6 February we celebrated as a whole College community our Commencement Mass asking God's blessing on our year ahead. Part of our ceremony was the placing of the names of all students and staff in the brass heart. St Marcellin Champagnat, the founder of the Marist Brothers, was conscious of the heavy demands placed on his early Marist teachers. He was close to them, and cared for them with the tenderness of a father. Part of the ritual of sending them out to the rural hamlets of southern France, was to place each of their names in a small brass heart and then to place this heart, on a chain, around the neck of a statue of Mary in The Hermitage Chapel. As they set on their journey he entrusted them to the care of Mary Our Good Mother, seeking from her guidance, protection and wisdom for his young Marist teachers. The names of all staff and students in our community were placed in the brass heart and they will remain in the heart for the year ahead. The heart is located in the front office foyer below St Marcellin's image.

Pastoral Care at Red Bend aims to promote positive relationships for students and staff in a safe and supportive environment where students develop a sense of belonging and connection to our Catholic Marist community. The students meet in their Pastoral Care groups at the start of each day as a point of reference for daily organisation, management and support. The Pastoral Care teachers play an active role in supporting each student and assist them in developing a strong sense of community and wellbeing. Each of the House Coordinators also have a unique role in caring for, communicating with and managing students within their house. I encourage parents who have any questions or concerns regarding the welfare or wellbeing of their child to contact their child's House Coordinator.



Basil House Coordinator	Mrs Louise Spry	<a href="mailto:louisespry@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au">louisespry@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au</a>
Chisholm House Coordinator	Mr Stephen Schrader	<a href="mailto:stephenschrader@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au">stephenschrader@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au</a>
Denis House Coordinator	Miss Erica Langley	<a href="mailto:ericalangley@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au">ericalangley@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au</a>
Loyola House Coordinator	Mr Chris Douglass	<a href="mailto:chrisdouglass@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au">chrisdouglass@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au</a>
McAuley House Coordinator	Mrs Jenny McDean	<a href="mailto:jennymcdean@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au">jennymcdean@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au</a>
Xavier House Coordinator	Mr Tony O'Connell	<a href="mailto:tonyoconnell@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au">tonyoconnell@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au</a>

As we begin the new year each student is given a copy of the Student Handbook. The Student Handbook is for student organisation, information and as a communication tool between the College and the parents/carers. The handbook outlines information for the students and has dated pages for the students to write homework and other organisational information. I encourage parents/carers to use the dated pages as a communication page with their child's teachers. I ask that you consistently check your child's handbook and sign it weekly at the bottom of each weekly dated page.

# Red Bend Catholic College

## Open Day

Meet the Principal  
and staff

Guided tours from 10am - 1pm,  
light lunch provided

For more information contact the College on 6852 2000



**Sunday, March 10th, 2019 - 10am - 1pm**



## Director of Teaching, Learning Mrs Deborah Wheeldon

Study Centre has started again this year. It is great to see such a large number of students taking the opportunity to come to the study centre and use the resources available.

Times available:

Monday: 3.30- 4.30pm  
Tuesday: 3.30- 8pm  
Wednesday: 3.30- 5pm  
Thursday: 3.30- 8pm

Transport is provided to Forbes and Parkes each afternoon at 4.30pm (Mon, Tues and Thurs) and 5pm on Wednesday.

Study Centre takes place in the Marcellin Library and Resource Centre. Students in Years 10, 11 and 12 are encouraged to come along to the extended study (8pm) on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Dinner is provided to those that stay late.

Please find attached to this newsletter a copy of the form that needs to be filled in and handed in (preferably the week before) if students are coming.

If your child/ren have indicated that they are coming for the whole term, could you please call the College or email myself at [deborahwheeldon@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:deborahwheeldon@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au) if they will not be attending on a specific day or week so transport/supervision can be organised.

Thank you for your help.



## Director of Students Mr Ash Hogan

### From the House Coordinators Peer Support Program for Year 7 and 10

During Term 1, students will be involved in the Peer Support Program. Each week, groups of 8-10 students will meet with three qualified Year 10 Peer Leaders and work through a range of activities that focus on resilience. Meeting in small groups allows meaningful connections to form, assisting students with the transition to secondary school. Over a period of 8 weeks students will acknowledge their strengths and achievements, identify people who support them and learn how to view challenges as opportunity for growth.

During the Year 7 Retreat, Peer Support leaders will introduce themselves and play some get-to-know-you games. This will help form a wonderful foundation before beginning the peer support program, which allows students to have a strong sense of community and belonging.

During the sessions, students will explore the idea about how they view themselves and the challenges that they may face and also learn ways to overcome these challenges. They consider keeping things in perspective, separating emotions and ascertaining facts to accurately identify problems that may arise

Your child may, at times, feel overwhelmed by the expectations of secondary school. Encourage them to make a list or write a plan to help identify smaller tasks to make a large workload more manageable. It is important they feel supported while being encouraged to independently prioritise their responsibilities.

For additional reading and resources to support your child please visit the parent tab on the Peer Support Australia Website. [www.peersupport.edu.au](http://www.peersupport.edu.au).

## Calendar of events ...

### FEBRUARY

- 14/15 - Year 7 Retreat
- 18/19 - CCC Boys Cricket selection
- 20 - P&F AGM(Parkes)
- 21- House Swimming Carnival
- 22/25- EXEAT
- 28 - All schools triathlon

### MARCH

- 1 - All Schools Triathlon
- 4/8 - Year 12 Retreat
- 6 - Ash Wednesday
- 10 - OPEN DAY (10am to 1pm)
- 11- Grandparents Morning Tea
- 12- MSA Principal's Meeting
- 14/17- Fulltime Boarders EXEAT
- 20- P&F (Forbes)
- 21- Disco
- 22- DIO Touch - RBCC
- 25- CCC Hockey Selection
- 28- DIO Soccer Selection

## Adult Language Classes

The College will continue to offer French Classes to the wider community on Tuesdays 6-7pm.

Tuition is suitable for beginners as well as advanced learners of this language and covers a wide range of scenarios in written and spoken format necessary to communicate effectively in a variety of real-world situations.

With the introduction of German as second Modern Foreign Language for the 2019 academic year, expression of interest is extended to parents, relatives and the community to learn this language. Weekly classes will be held depending on numbers of a minimum of six participants.

Costs for tuition are \$110 per school term payable to the College. For further information please contact Mr Martin Rein, email: [Martin.Rein@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:Martin.Rein@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au)



Director of Boarding  
Mr Steve Hooper

## Boarding @ RBCC

With the start of the school year we warmly welcome our 31 new boarders into the Red Bend Boarding family. All one hundred and thirty boarders have settled in well and have impressed staff with the way they have settled into the routines, particularly with study.

We are planning a visit to the Bathurst Aqua Park on Sunday 17th February for our fulltime boarders and appreciate the efforts that the boarding staff go to make these events happen.

Overnight staffing for 2019 includes

### Junior Girls residence

Kristy Butler  
Wendy Boschetti  
Sarah Marley  
Janelle South

### Senior Girls residence

Robyn McAnaney  
Alice Hann  
Jodie Straney

### Junior Boys residence

Jared DeMamiel  
Andrew Grierson  
Chris Douglass  
Jonathon Morell

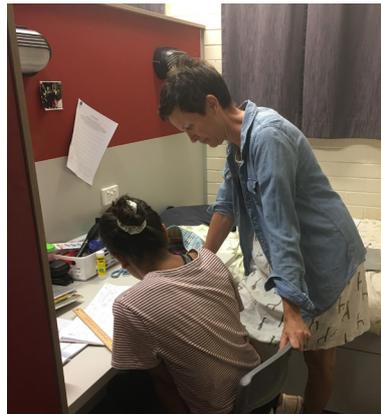
### Senior Boys residence

Wayne Markwort  
Pat Rudd

With winter sporting registrations starting parents and carers are asked to complete the online components and payment and advise either Jenny Neilsen ([jennyneilsen@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:jennyneilsen@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au)) or myself when completed ([stevehooper@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:stevehooper@redbendcc.nsw.edu.au))

A reminder computers and mobile phones can do great things and used correctly can allow for boarders to remain connected to family and friends. However they are also a burden that can interrupt our sleep, hinder us in developing new or stronger personal relationships and skills and distract students from effect study and learning. Red Bend Boarders therefore do not have access to their phones during study and hand in all technology each night.

Mr Hooper



# Congratulations



Congratulations to Sam Mackay who was named Junior Citizen at the Australia Day celebrations in Forbes. He is pictured with Mayor Phyllis Miller and Amy Shine, Citizen of the Year. (Photo courtesy of the Forbes Advocate)



Congratulations to ex student Katie Townsend who was named Eugowra Junior Citizen of the Year. Katie is pictured with Mayor Kevin Beatty.

## Guidelines for practicals in PDHPE

### Swimwear

Boys - Must change into appropriate swimwear, NO RBCC Sports Shorts

Girls- NO RBCC Sports Shorts. STRING BIKINI TOPS are able to be worn WITH a RASHIE shirt or a SINGLET SWIMWEAR TOP (not a cotton singlet top)

### Sun Policy

Hats are encouraged to be worn during ALL outdoor practical activities. All students please ensure you apply sunscreen when doing outdoor activities, this is YOUR responsibility!

Rules for classes at the pool and under the COURTS

All students must be SEATED in their delegated area given to you by your class teacher.

Students are NOT to move from this delegated area until instructed by your teacher.

Students are NOT TO ENTER the pool until a teacher instructs you to do so.

NO STUDENTS allowed in storage areas unless accompanied by a teacher.

NO STUDENT is to interfere with another class

### Delegated areas:

POOL  
COURTS

### Practical uniform

The Red Bend Sports Uniform is to be worn for practical lessons

On exceptional occasions e.g. boarders washing, casual clothing may be worn WITH A NOTE from supervisors to state reasoning.

WINTER TIME you may wear your school hoodie however you must

change into the school sports shirt.

### UNABLE TO DO PRAC!

You must have a NOTE with a CREDIBLE reason.

The note must be signed by a parent, guardian, supervisor or health centre (The Health Centre staff know to put a reason on the note)

The note MUST HAVE the reason on it.....

e.g Please excuse Jim from PE today because he injured his arm and is unable to do PE for three days.

HEALTH CENTRE NOTES to be obtained BEFORE school, RECESS or LUNCHTIME. The Health Centre will NOT accept you just turning up there without your PDHPE teacher signing your handbook during class time.

### FORGOT YOUR GEAR!

You MUST bring the following to class and sit in delegated area.

PDHPE book  
Pencil case  
Student diary

### NO GEAR

Warning given. Worksheet, notes.

Worksheet, notes, demerit in handbook stating reason.

Worksheet, notes, demerit stating reason, letter sent home plus lunchtime detention.

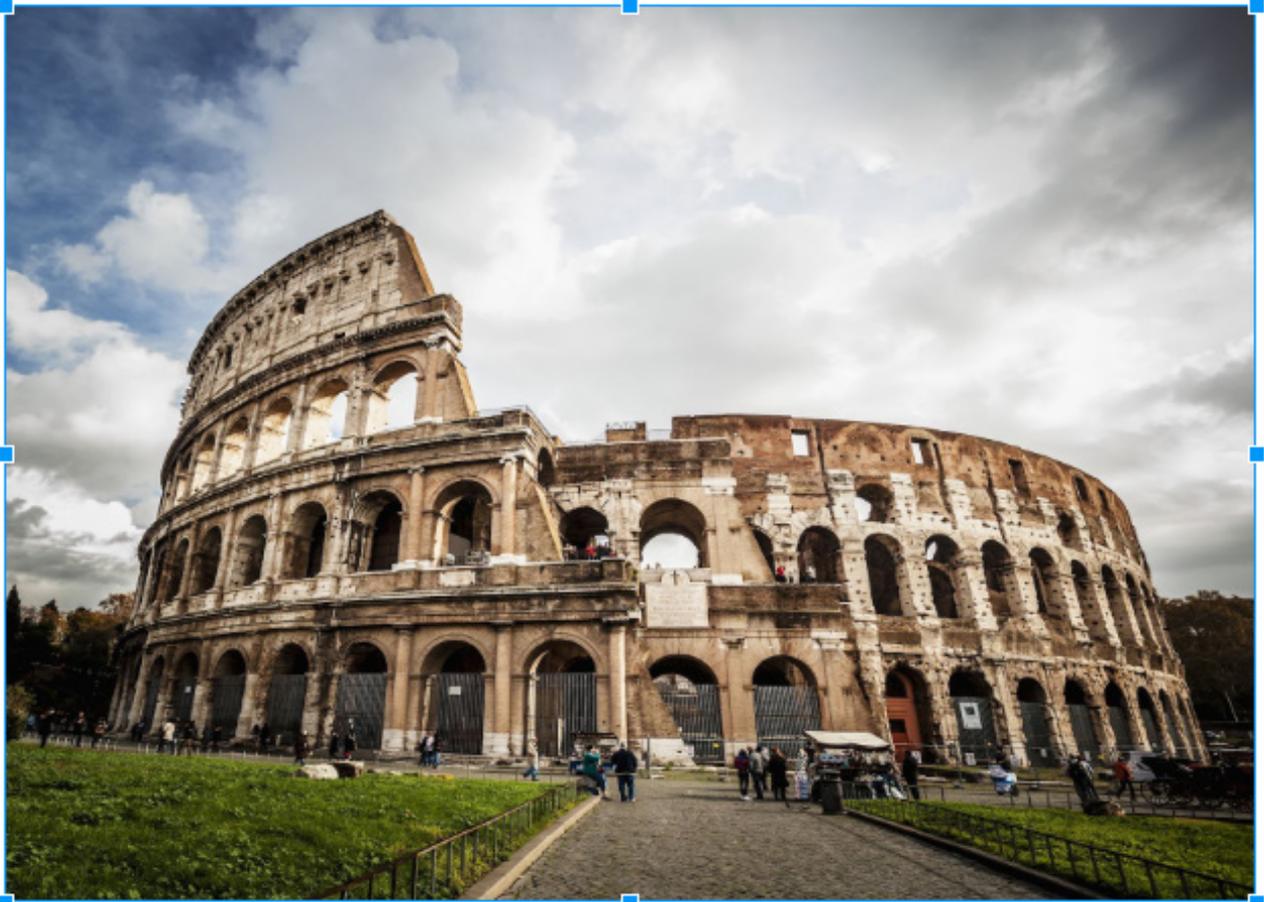
Refer to faculty Coordinator (Tuesday afternoon detention).

### SCHOOL HATS

You are encouraged to wear a school hat for each practical lesson.

You may be rewarded with merits for bringing the correct uniform regularly.

# EUROPEAN EXCURSION 2020



Red Bend Catholic College is running a European Excursion in 2020. This excursion is suited to students who have a genuine interest in History as we visit ancient and modern sites in Italy, Belgium and France. A reminder to students who are interested that applications need to be returned by Monday, Week 4.

Who: Students in the current Year 10 and 11 (Year 11 and 12, 2020)

When: April School Holidays 2020, 9- 26 April

Cost: Approx. \$7600 (2018 prices and subject to change)

Contact: For further information please contact Anne Maree Rice.  
Application packages are available at the Upstairs Staffroom

# Red Bend Catholic College Parents & Friends Association



Since its formation the Red Bend Catholic College Parents and Friends' Association has made an enormous contribution to the school, each year generating considerable funds for school projects and building programs.

The Parents and Friends Association aims to provide a welcoming forum for parents and guardians of children enrolled at the College to be part of the College community.

The P&F meets twice each term in both Parkes and Forbes. The P&F welcomes you to come along to these meetings:

<b>Wednesday 20 February</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Parkes - Holy Family Staffroom (via central playground area)</b>
<b>Wednesday 20 March</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Forbes – RBCC Conference Room (via the Main Office)</b>
<b>Wednesday 22 May</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Parkes - Holy Family Staffroom</b>
<b>Wednesday 19 June</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Forbes – RBCC Conference Room</b>
<b>Wednesday 21 August</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Forbes - RBCC Conference Room</b>
<b>Wednesday 18 September</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Parkes - Holy Family Staffroom</b>
<b>Wednesday 23 October</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Forbes – RBCC Conference Room</b>
<b>Wednesday 20 November</b>	<b>7pm</b>	<b>Annual Dinner - Parkes</b>

**Come along and join us.**



# Parent drop off and pick up area ...



Just a friendly reminder that we have a designated pick up/drop off area. At these times it is quite busy and we appreciate your patience. We have a traffic controller in place and it is important to abide by the rules.



# Forbes Autumn Horse Show

Featuring Equestrian Interschools classes

- \*Have fun riding with your class mates
- \*Represent your school
- \*Attire = school jumper & tie
- \*Plain saddle cloth



SUNDAY MARCH 31ST  
FORBES SHOWGROUND  
www.forbesshow.com



COME AND TRY RUGBY



## FORBES JUNIOR RUGBY UNION REGISTRATIONS NOW OPEN

FOR REGISTRATIONS DOWNLOAD FROM THE APP STORE THE RUGBY XPLORER APP. SEARCH FORBES JUNIOR RUGBY CLUB AND CHOOSE YOUR REGISTRATION FORM.

NEW PLAYERS WELCOME

EMAIL ENQUIRIES - Forbesrugbyjuniors@hotmail.com  
FIND US ON FACEBOOK

For the Under 14s Mixed, Under 17s Boys / Mixed and All Age Ladies and Mens Teams



The Under 14 and Under 17s play in the Forbes, Grenfell Young Saturday Competition, All age ladies play in the Parkes Competition and All age Mens play in the Lachlan Competition.

The Club is keen to grow the numbers in each of these teams and competitions. 15 year old girls are eligible to play Under 14s and 18 year old girls are eligible to play Under 17s. Boys and Girls 15 and above are eligible to play Adult competition.

Registration Fees: Under 14s - \$135, Under 17s - \$165. The same fees apply if you play Adult competition, and there are no extra charges if you play Youth league and Adult competition. Adult Fees: \$225.

As part of registration you receive: Deploy Training Ball, Socks, Forbes Gala Day free participation, Region Gala Day participation and FFA approved Club Training Program on Thursday nights by our FFA B and C Licence Coaches.

Registration Process: Online – Open now, Go to: [www.playfootball.com.au/register-now](http://www.playfootball.com.au/register-now).

Face to Face Registration: Forbes Services Memorial Club on Saturdays 23 February, 2 March, 9 March, 16 March.

Inquiries: Forbes District SC Facebook or Douz Mckenzie (Registrar) 0412287810. email:

## Women/Mixed Tuesday Night Netball Comp

### Competition Details:

- Start Date:** Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2019 (14 week comp finishing on 18<sup>th</sup> June 2019)  
**Finals:** Semi Final – Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June 2019 Grand Final - Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2019  
**Competitors:** Women and men high school age and over (mixed comp if there is enough interest)  
**Cost:** \$155 per player (inclusive of Netball NSW Registration \$82.16) = \$5.20/player/game!! \$100 for juniors (under 18 in 2019) **FREE for junior players using NSW Active Kids Rebate**  
**Please note:** Dependent on numbers of team nominations aiming for multiple grades, including a mixed division if enough interest. Individuals invited to register and have opportunity to join a team.

### Registration:

- When:** Before COB Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2018  
**Where:** Print out and complete registration sheet available at <http://parkesna.nsw.netball.com.au/>  
**How:** Individual players will need to register online at MyNetball  
 Email Team Registration sheet through to [kahliamay12@hotmail.com](mailto:kahliamay12@hotmail.com)  
**FULL payment as direct deposit into Parkes Netball Association account:** BSB - 802 084 Account No – 105807. (PDNA then sends your \$82 rego fee to NSW Netball)

### Umpiring:

**Duty:** **To promote a consistent level of umpiring in 2019 - only people with current (last 4 yrs) Rules of Netball Theory Exam or Foundation Umpire qualification (10yrs) are to be nominated and subsequently rostered to umpire.**

Each team **MUST** provide at least 2 umpires with evidence of qualifications. Links to online courses & Rules of netball below

1. Rules of Netball Theory Exam \$10.48 <https://netball.com.au/get-involved/umpiring/accrreditation/rules-of-netball-theory-examination/> (Max 30 mins)
2. Foundation Umpire Course \$40 <https://netball.com.au/get-involved/umpiring/accrreditation/foundation-umpire-course/>. Takes 2-4 hours to complete on-line, self-paced.
3. Rules Booklet <https://s3-ap-southeast-2.amazonaws.com/netball-wp-assets/wp-content/uploads/2013/09/11102630/INF-Rules-of-Netball-2018-Edition.pdf>

**Online Course:** People who complete online courses will have fee reimbursed from registration cost upon presentation of receipt of payment ☺.

### Contact:

Comp Co-Coordinator: Kahlia Hayes: 0400 023 518, Hayley Hofman: 0417 265 668

Join the Parkes Netball Association group on Facebook or follow us on Instagram.