

MARONITE COLLEGE OF THE HOLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER 23-25 Alice Street, Harris Park, 2150 Tel: 9633 6600 Fax: 9689 1662

Term 4 – Week 8: Friday 27th November 2015

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – Sr Margaret Ghosn

We had plenty of events happening around the College this week and plenty more to come next week as we wind down for the year. The biggest highlight was our Primary Christmas Concert. Enjoy the many stories and photos in this issue.

Buy-A-Brick campaign. See attached flyer. All money raised will help in building our new block and refurbishing the B block all of which will cost in excess of \$9 million. **Thank you to the following who have purchased bricks this week:** Nada Khattar – 1 Brick, Maroun & Rita Semaan – 1 Brick, Jason Nohra – 1 Brick, Therese Kazzi – 2 Bricks, Samah Hasham – 3 bricks

Get ready for our Secondary Broadway Musical Extravaganza next Friday night. Please come along and support the students.



DOING THE ROUNDS

Visit of Congregational Leader Sr Marie Antoinette and her Deputy Sr Marie Raymond



B block tinting in corridor windows \$3500 and stage curtains in the hall \$3500



New Promethean boards and new drum kit for the music room



Primary Concert with the theme 'Christmas Celebrations' on 27/11/2015





Primary students performed at the Lebanese Flag raising ceremony on 21/11 at Parramatta



Gingerbread making by Yr 9 students and Yrs 10 and 11 Visual Arts students attending The Greats: Masterpieces from the National Galleries of Scotland at the Art Gallery of NSW. They were given a private tour of the exhibition and participated in specially designed workshops. The experience was rewarding. The event was sponsored the Arab Bank.



Students in Yr 11 toured the Sydney Theatre Company through the costumes, production, set designs, theatre spaces and got to see how Robyn Nevin and Cate Blanchett have used the funding to create amazing spaces on the wharf. The design team offered to assist students who want advice working on set designs through the year. – Mrs Fisher

CONGRATULATIONS

All Rounder Awards – Yr 7: Rafka Semaan, Rachelle Nakhoul, Robbie El-Bazouni, Charbel Katrib Yr 8: Jennifer Al Hakim, Clarita Youssef, Angela Ibrahim and Charlie Frangie Yr 10: Anthony Alphonse, Mark Azar, Anthony Barbour, Zena Daoud, George Doumit, Anthony Haykal, David Sassine, Claudia Semaan, Joseph Tadros, Tigerlily Wakim, Danielle Aboukaram, Brianna Azar, Jebreen Mawad, Sandy Yacoub Yr 12:

Simon Al-Ekhityar, Johnny Azzi, Roger Bechara, Melanie Haddad, Charbel Halabi, Rita Hatem, Laura Sassine, Joy Wakim, Peter Youssef

Bronze award – Yr 7: Raymond Chehade, Carlos Melhem, Nicole Katrib Yr 8: Joseph Moussa, Tatiana Dib, Jacinta Mawad Yr 10: Maria Attie, Claudia Daher, Sarkis Doueihi, Anthonella El-Kadi, Melissa Eid, Evana El Darjani, Peter Gabrael, Natalie Haddad, Kristen Hanna, Biron Imad, Melissa Issa, Patrick Karam, Christina Khoury, Helena Melhem, Cynthia Rahi, Tia Semaan, David Tannous, Charbel Yacoub, Charbel Youssef, Sandy Yacoub Yr 12: Murielle Aboukaram, Jessica Ishak, Christopher Kendirjian, Jennifer Khoury, Ashley Kenaan, Danielle Laoulach, Cathy Layoun, Wilson Njeim

Silver Award – Yr 7: Peter Germanos, Charbel Hadchiti, Olivia Saroufin, Angela Marie Nemer, Romeo Rodriguez Yr 8: Rebecca Khoury, Tayla Laoulach, David Eid, Serge Boustany, Alanah Lichaa, Maria Khattar, Vanessa Boumelhem and Teresa Raad Yr 10: Jodie Bayeh, Daniel Bazouni, Angelina Bou-Said, Claudia Daher, Assaad Faddoul, Daniella Fares, Evita Francis, Andre Gerges, Khalil Jeitani, Mona Katrib, Matthew Matouk, Maria Moussa, Vanessa Soumi, Venessa Tawk Yr 12: Rachelle Youssef

Principal's Award – Yr 7: Raychel Fares, Antonella Yaacoub, Alexander Azar, Rafqa Kayrouz, Mona El-Hachem, Tia Malouhi, Jessie Samya, Gabrielle Baker Yr 8: Charbel Kazzi, Jessica Wehbe, Valentina Namnoum, Rita Laba, Tiana Lichaa, Rita Layoun Yr 10: Brianna Azar Yr 12: George El-Bazouni, James Fares, George Sassine

PARENT CORNER

If you are driving to the College to drop off or pick up your children always respect the road rules, use your manners at all times and always drive very carefully.

Parent Association events coming up - Santa photo on 30/11 and 1/12

We thank the following companies who donated to Lebanon Independence Day or Christmas raffle: Bob & Rania @ Bob the butcher 98921122 Lucia Bou Nasr @ ABCDay ironing 0400034148 Arthur Moussa @ A&W packaging 97572155 James Raad @ Amescorp Charbel Bazouni @ CNM Group Pty Ltd Francois Nader @ Dream supplies bathrooms Sayed & Myrna Mokdessi @ Baywash car wash Michael @ Michael butchery Joseph Assi @ Get smart tutoring 97881420 Bellini shoes - Parramatta Westpac Bank Corporation Carol Merheb - parent

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