

MARONITE COLLEGE OF THE HOLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER 23-25 Alice Street, Harris Park, 2150

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Term 2 – Week 10: Friday 27th June 2017

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – Sr Margaret Ghosn

Thank you to all staff, students and parents for their commitment over term 2. I take this opportunity to wish all a very safe and relaxing mid-semester break and will see you all refreshed for the semester ahead.

In the first week of term 3 we farewell Mr J Messiha and welcome Mr C Bettiol into the Secondary Position of Director of Teaching and Learning

Commencement of term 3 for students will be Wednesday 19th July

DOING THE ROUNDS

Primary Awards ceremony – Mon 26th June









Yr 8A Geography went in to teach Yr 5 last week about issues surrounding GLOBAL INEQUALITY, such as the inspiration that is 'Malala Yousafzai', 'Lack of education in third world countries' and 'Access to Fresh Water.' Also, Yr 9A Geography taught Yr 1 about the various BIOMES that we have around the world. It was great to see our Secondary students take ownership of this project, as it was also great to see our Primary students so engaged and excited in the integrated lessons. Well done to all students involved.



Secondary Athletics Carnival – Mon 26th June



Secondary Academic awards on Tues 27th June with special guest Mr Jonar Nader.



MCHF music performance at the Australian Lebanese Foundation night at Sydney University: https://youtu.be/zPW6ZIRg5ZA

Students require an Opal Pass to catch the bus- apply through <u>www.transportnsw.info/school-students</u>

Every student at the College can access the latest Microsoft Office suite, including Word, PowerPoint and Excel, for <u>free</u>. Go to <u>https://portal.office.com</u> and enter your College email and password. Click the 'Install Office 2016' button on the top right hand side and follow the prompts.

CONGRATULATIONS

All Rounder Awards – Yr 4: Elias Bechara and Emily Farah Congratulations to the DUX for semester 1: Georgia Khattar (Yr 7), Celine Moussa (Yr 8), Nicole Farah (Yr 9), Rita Layoun (Yr 10) and Jenny Moussa (Yr 11)



PARENT CORNER

Woolworths Earn & Learn is back! From Wed 26th July to 19th Sept, those who shop at Woolworths can collect Earn & Learn Stickers for the school. There'll be one Woolworths Earn & Learn Sticker for every \$10 spent (excluding liquor, tobacco, and gift cards). The sticker sheet can be placed in the Collection Box in the Primary office. Please participate as the school receives educational resources for students.

Community hubs – please see attachments in regards to event sin term 3 including Zumba classes, social club and cooking lessons.

Prayer time – Sr Irene will lead reflection on Fridays from 2:30pm in the Church. All parents are invited.

2017 College Tours - will commence in Term 3. It will include a short presentation followed by a tour of the various buildings. Bookings are essential. To book please visit the College website and complete the online form or complete the eForm through the College App. For more info please contact Mr Asmar.

Canteen Online Ordering - lunch orders from the canteen can be now made online. Parents/Guardians are required to register and activate your account at www.QuickCliq.com.au.

JB HiFi BYOD Portal login details: <u>https://www.jbeducation.com.au/byod/</u> School BYOD Code: MCHF2017

'Be A Citizen' is a preparation course in Arabic to help you pass your citizenship test. Call Eva on 0404868195.

Learn Taekwondo at Fearless Martial Arts. Unit 5, 187 Fairfield Road Guildford West. Chris Barnes - 0415 663 966 <u>www.facebook.com/fmataekwondo</u>

Dance Expression: Building confidence, friendships and talent. Please contact Nicole on <u>0409 366 441</u> or email: <u>danceexpression@hotmail.com.au</u>

Events: <u>http://www.mchf.nsw.edu.au/events/</u> To receive the e-newsletter email admin@mchf.nsw.edu.au W: <u>http://www.mchf.nsw.edu.au/</u> F: <u>https://www.facebook.com/mchfparramatta/</u>