



MARONITE COLLEGE OF THE HOLY FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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Term 2 – Week 9: Friday 29th June 2018

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL – Sr Margaret Ghosn

Next week we will be moving in to our brand new C block! All staff and students are excited about the move. In term 3 classes will take place there. Secondary will no longer need to cross the road during the day. As a result, we will be putting in place a buzzer system to ensure no one enters the grounds unless they request permission to. This will ensure the safety of all on premises.

Yr K-11 Parent/Teacher Interviews will be held on Thursday 5th July 2018 from 10:30am until 6pm.

Reports - for all students will be available online through the Parent Portal from Friday 6th July. To access your child's report all outstanding school fees must be paid before that date.

Students' last day for term 2 on Wednesday 4th July

DOING THE ROUNDS

Tayta and Jidoo Mass held on 29/6/18 and followed with a morning tea



Stage 2 soccer teams representing the College on 26/6/18 - The students gave it their best and had fun with boys ranking 6th and girls 7th. Thanks to the parents for their help and support on the day.



\$25,000 worth of reading books and compactors were purchased for Primary. Parents please encourage your children to develop their literacy skills!



Yr 4 participating in a presentation about the symbols of Mass by Sub Deacon Charbel Dib



Yr 10 Performing Hating Alison Ashley for their Drama assessment on 26/6/18. Yr 12 rehearsing their group performances on 29/6/18



Students Contacting Parents During School Times and Early Leavers - It has come to our attention that some students are contacting parents/guardians through their personal devices for various reasons, including to come and pick them up. This is not permitted and we advise parents/guardians to not come to the College to pick up their child unless contacted by the College.

The College reminds parents/guardians that students leaving early is only permitted through a signed letter which must be provided to your child's class/homeroom teacher at the beginning of the day. Simply turning up to the office to collect your child is not permitted and the College may refuse this request – this is especially for parents that turn up to the office at 2:30pm. We appreciate your cooperation.

6 Indigo were experimenting with digital technologies using a green screen to film news reports about natural disasters. The perks of being a Principal – get fed by the hospitality students!



Thursday volleyball comp. Yr 10 MacKillop girls won European Handball in the Interhouse sport competition. Yrs 10 and 12 Careers Expo on 29/6/18.



CONGRATULATIONS

All Rounder Awards – Y1: Lucas Tadros, Gabrielle Abi-Khattar, Michael Al-Alam, Jonathan Ishac, Jacinta Joukhadar, George Malouhi, Christopher Khoury Y2: Patrick El-Katrib, Jonathan Habib, Heidi Farah, Bernard Katrib, Mariana Hadchiti, Farrah Sleiman, Laurelle Sadek, Elio Bou Sleiman, Richard Maroun, Isaiah Ghabach, Mary Semaan Y3: Timotheus El-Katrib, Danielle Hobeiche, Anthony Mekary Y4: Angela Sammour, Salma Abou Azar, Gabriella Massoud, Audrey Moussa Y5: Rachelle Rizk, Isabella Boumelhem, Tiana El-Bazouni

Bronze award – Y1: Fadia Taouk, Maria Hawas, Georgina Kanaan, Eliana Al-Somsom Y2: Maria Sabbagh, Jamie Wakim, Chanel Bazouni Y4: Tala Al-Ajrash

Rep sport: Under 14s Rugby League defeated Emmaus College 34-4. Yr 9/10s Rugby League defeated Emmaus College 28-6. Netball drew 4-4 until it rained out!

PARENT CORNER

No parent, particularly in K-2, are to enter classrooms or interrupt teachers while they are with their classes.

The College Executive is committed to establishing a culture of ongoing review and development. To achieve this, parents have been invited to complete a short survey. All survey results will be kept confidential. Your input is valuable and appreciated.

MCHF Parent Survey

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=Riy53dVPHkqKNkQ7G7ifQtaQ7v5j2ztIhfHJcJDZOrIUMVhPUjIWTkk3M0tSUTIBOUhPTEUzRkNETC4u>

Sr Irene prayer and reflection every Friday at 2:30pm in the Church



Access Free Microsoft Office suite, including Word, PowerPoint and Excel: <https://portal.office.com>



Students require an Opal Pass to catch the bus –

<https://apps.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts/updateDetails>.

The JB HiFi BYOD Portal –

Go to <https://www.jbeducation.com.au/byod/> and enter the School BYOD Code: Maronite2018

Canteen Online Ordering - lunch orders from the canteen can be made online at www.QuickCliq.com.au.

Community hubs – Contact Afrah on 0401 451 686.

Drop off/Pick up zone – Parents will be fined if they are parked there for longer than 2 minutes from 3pm onwards

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