From the Principal

Date: Friday 18th March 2011 (T1-W7)

We continue to pray for the victims of natural disasters.—In the last three months we have responded with prayer and donations to those suffering from the floods in all states of Australia, including this week’s event in the Kimberley, the bushfires in the Perth foothills, the Christchurch earthquake and the terrible earthquake and tsunami in Japan this week.

One of our graduates from the Class of 2009 Saori Onuki lives in Ibaraki, which is 150 km west of Tokyo. Saori sent us a message during the week that gives an account of daily life in Japan.

We have electricity but we do not have water and gas yet. Luckily, my house has access to under ground water. So I don’t have to line up to get water for 5 hours. Unfortunately all trains and highways are not working in Eastern Japan at the moment. So people have to line up to get food every day. The situation in Japan is really bad. Even in Western Japan or Tokyo people don’t have things like ready-to-eat meals. My university is now on spring holiday and it is located in Western Japan. So no problems with my study.

Please keep Saori and all those who are suffering hardships from the recent floods, bushfires and earthquakes in your prayers and please support the appeals for help in whichever way you can.

ST PATRICK’S DAY BBQ—TODAY AT—6.30pm

Come along and show your support to our Parent Group and enjoy the company.  We look forward to seeing you this evening.

CHISHOLM COLLEGE OPEN DAY

— For our teachers and students it was work as usual, as approximately 520 visitors were taken on guided tours through the College. Many thanks to Mr Richard Hennessy, Deputy Principal and indeed all staff and students who so proudly showed our visitors around the College complex.

A big thank you to Ms Purdy and our Hospitality staff and students who catered for our visitors.

WELL DONE TO ALL OF YOU!

34 WEEKS TO GO!

CHISHOLM COLLEGE FIRST FETE—SUNDAY 13TH NOVEMBER 2011

Chisholm’s fete committee assembled again on the 8th March, - a big thank you to all parents who attended.

UPDATE

We are very excitedly awaiting art work from our students to produce our fete poster! All rides are booked; several cuisines have been arranged for our food court and things are progressing well.

CALLING ALL

Chisholm family businesses—grab a stall or even a sponsorship (Banners where provided will be placed around the ground for all sponsors).

Please contact Carla Italiano at fete@chisholmcc.wa.edu.au if you have some spare time and would like to HELP.

COMING SOON

The first fete newsletter will be out in the coming week’s outlining what you can all help with, from empty jars to paper plates.

Next meeting Tuesday 12th April 7pm.

BOOKINGS ARE NOW OPEN and Forms are attached to this newsletter— or may be collected from Student Reception.

Mr Robin Fox, Deputy Principal and Musical Production Manager has asked me to remind you that there are ONLY FOUR SHOWS and therefore less than 1600 seats available in total. Get your request form in as soon as you can to ensure you are not disappointed.
UNIFORM SHOP INFORMATION
PREPARING FOR WINTER UNIFORM—TERM 2—2011

School Term Opening Times—Winter Uniform
(for Years 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12)

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PLEASE NOTE—During the Winter Fittings for Year 7’s (March 22—April 14), our normal trading times, Tuesday and Wednesday 1pm—4pm WILL CEASE. Uniform Shop will only be open at lunchtime Tuesday and Wednesday from 12.45pm—1.30pm for miscellaneous items.

NO FITTINGS FOR FULL WINTER UNIFORM WILL BE DONE DURING LUNCH BREAK, AS THERE IS NOT ENOUGH TIME TO DO THIS.

Mrs Rosemary Ovenden, Manager

Information Resource Centre – early closure
The Information Resource Centre (Library) will be closing at 3.30pm on Wednesday March 23. Library staff apologise for any inconvenience this may cause.

Ms Margret Ann Lieuwes

Congratulations to Nicole Pinto (Year 11 Laurence1) who participated in the District Final of the Rotary Club Speaking Competition, and secured Third place. Nicole was also invited by the Chairmand of the Rotary Club to speak at their next Rotary Club Meeting. Well done, Nicole!

Mr Vivian D’Almeida, Deputy Principal/Dean of Year 11

Weekly Literacy Competition for all students
Every Friday in the daily notices, answer a question and place in the gold box in A Block to win! Prizes may include: canteen vouchers, stationary, movie tickets, and so much more!

Ms Nicola Allan

YEAR 8 PARENTS SEMINAR—Thank you to those parents who attended the seminar on Monday, 14 March. Topics presented were: Chisholm Care; Curriculum Matters; Use of Information Technology for Learning; Cyber Safety. Pastoral Care Matters: Developing good study habits; Communication; Role of Parent. The PowerPoint Presentation used on the night is now on the College’s website.

Mrs Ann Chew, Deputy Principal/Dean of Year 8

CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY—PERTH

FINAL BOARDING CALL FOR MADRID.
If you are 18-35y.o. and interested in attending this year’s WYD in Madrid, Spain in August – don’t miss out & register now for the trip of a lifetime. FINAL PAYMENTS ARE DUE on 15th APRIL for ALL WYD pilgrimages. If you are not yet registered, information and tour packages are available on www.wydtours.com/perth

Sunday 20th March—March Sunday Sesh – FIRST SUNDAY SESH for 2011!
Mass @ 6pm, Sunday Sesh @ 7.15pm. Venue –Our Lady of the Most Blessed Sacrament Parish, 175 Corfield Street, GOSNELLS. The largest youth night in March! Open for youth of all ages (pref 15-35). March theme: “There’s a party in da house”. The night includes: games, formation and fun. More details on www.cym.com.au or call 9422 7912.

Monday, 28th March, 7:30pm. CYM World Youth Day 2011 Pilgrimage Meeting
Bishop Don Sproxton will be meeting with ALL WYD Pilgrims on Monday 28th March at 7:30pm. All WYD pilgrims are to join us as for the preparations as we count down to Madrid in August. RSVP to admin@cym.com.au or phone 9422 7912. Meeting to be held at 40A Mary St, Highgate.

Saturday 2nd April—WYD Event: Sand Sculpture Competition - Scarborough Beach Amphitheatre
Perth Catholic Youth Ministry presents the 2011 Sand Sculpture Competition at Scarborough Beach Amphitheatre, Saturday the 2nd of April from 9am until 1.30pm. Come and join the fun this summer while helping to promote World Youth Day 2011 which will be held in August. Register a team on cym.com.au before 25th March, or just come down for a fun day with the family. It’s a great family and community event with high profile judges and beach sport competitions, so bring your bucket and spade and join in the fun.

Every Wednesday: Holy Hour at Catholic Youth Ministry
Holy Hour at CYM is back in 2011, followed by $5 supper and fellowship. Mass at 5.30pm and Holy Hour (adoration) at 6.30pm at the Catholic Pastoral Centre, 40A Mary St, Highgate. More details on www.cym.com.au or call 9422 7912

Researchers at the Child Health Promotion Research Centre of Edith Cowan University are seeking participants to be a part of a study about RESILIENCE OF ADOLESCENTS. Resilience is an important tool for adolescents. If families are interested, please contact Jacinth Watson on 0457 434 801.
EASE ON DOWN EASE ON D... 

With the cast and crew all working towards a fantastic production, take out your diaries and mark these dates in..... May 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th.

Director Taiwo Sanusi is back with his 9th show and the sneak peek I had at rehearsals a few weeks ago assured me we will have one heck of a Tin Man in Rio Tana!!!

SO... Ease on down the yellow brick road to watch the Munchkins lead Dorothy, Scarecrow, Tinman and the Lion to the Emerald City.

Book your seats as our annual musical is always a sell out and with the large cast and backstage crew working hard it will be a great evening of entertainment.

Ms Erin Maddison, Publicity Officer

Year 12 News—HOLIDAY WACE REVISION COURSES – April holidays 2011

Information on holiday revision courses in a wide range of WACE courses is available for those students in Year 12 who may wish some extra holiday help and revision prior to the Semester 1 exams. Similar courses will be offered in the July Holidays as well. Interested students can obtain further details and a brochure from my office.

Mr Robin Fox, Dean of Year 12

Summer NAS Photos—Students involved in Summer NAS teams will have their team photo taken on 21-22-23 March. Students have been advised of the photo schedule (Year 7 on Monday, Years 8 and 9 on Tuesday, Years 10-12 on Wednesday) and I ask that parents check that uniforms are clean and tidy. Parents will be provided with an opportunity to purchase the photos in a few weeks time.

Mrs Carmen Cox, Deputy Principal

MP3 Audio Books

MP3 players loaded with a selection of English texts are available for two week loan from the Resource Centre Circulation Desk. Students only need to provide their own headphones.

The following titles are available:

The gathering
The great Gatsby
The curious incident of the dog in the night-time
Looking for Alibrandi
Dude, where’s my country?
Scarecrow
Frankenstein
Of mice and men
It’s not about the bike
To kill a mockingbird
1984
Animal farm
Follow the rabbit proof fence
The Cay
Hana’s suitcase

Mrs C Black, Head of Information Resource Centre

Year 7 Integrated Information Technology

I wish to inform parents that Year 7 students are working through the “Microsoft Word Exercise Booklet” that all students should have taken home with them on their USB. They should also have the “How To” booklet on their USB also. If they do not, you can download them by clicking on the name (above) of the file you want to download. If your son/daughter says they do not have homework, ask them to complete an exercise from the ‘Exercise’ booklet.

Mr Mike Burgermeister
Business and Computing Department Coordinator

Advance Notice

Year 12 Mother/Daughter Breakfast

Monday May 9 from 7.45am – 9.45am at the College

Great Speaker
Great Company
Great breakfast.

Details next week…..mark your diary.

Mr Robin Fox, Deputy Principal/Dean of Year 12

Chisholm Catholic College presents “THE WIZ”

the acclaimed Broadway musical and updated version of

THE WIZARD OF OZ.

CHISHOLM ALUMNI—SAVE THESE DATES

The Wiz - The Chisholm Alumni has secured 40 VIP tickets for the Opening Night of the College Musical, The Wiz, on Wednesday 25 May. The package will include the show and pre-show / interval refreshments at a fabulous location overlooking the College. More information next week.

Quiz Night - Donations Required—The Chisholm Alumni will be hosting a Quiz Night at the College on Friday 1 July. More details to be published.

We are currently seeking assistance for donation of prizes If you own or know someone who owns a business, kindly support us. Email: alumni@chisholm.wa.edu.au or Mrs Chew (9208 2500). Andrea Romeo from the Chisholm Alumni Committee will contact you to discuss your generous contribution.

Steven Ostaszewskyj

Ms Erin Maddison, Publicity Officer

$1,000 offered to a Year 12 Student for 2011

YOUNG WOMEN IN PUBLIC AFFAIRS AWARD

By The Zonta Club of Perth Northern Suburbs

Applicants should be seeking to undertake further studies to pursue a career / seek leadership positions in public affairs—such as social welfare, political science, law, industrial relations, health services or education. Applicants need to demonstrate (1) active commitment to volunteerism (2) experience in local or student government (3) volunteer leadership achievements (4) knowledge of Zonta and its programs and advocating on behalf of Zonta’s international mission of advancing the status of women worldwide.

Closing Date: 17th May 2011. Forms can be downloaded from www.zontaperthns.org.au. Ring Alison Martin 9446 2642 or 0418 947 515 for more details. Information also at Student Reception.

Mr Robin Fox, Dean of Year 12
Chisholm faced some tough competition against Sacred Heart College this week!

Our students remained highly competitive this week when they took on a very tough Sacred Heart College. The Year 9 girls Futsal team stood out with their fighting spirit, winning with an under-manned side! They claimed victory over an unbeaten Sacred Heart (6 - 4). The team was down 4 of their regular players, and the girls put in a fantastic effort, each giving 110%. Congratulations to the goal scorers - Stephanie, Janette, Britanny and Danica, and special thanks to Angela from Year 8 for filling in.

The Year 9’s also excelled in Tennis, with both teams winning. The girls’ team won convincingly in all four sets played, while the boys won an equal number of sets to Sacred Heart, but won the match in the end by winning more games.

In basketball we see the sporting prowess of yet another Year 9 – Tidja Procter! She managed to score 48 out of her teams total of 65 points in the Year 9 Girls Basketball win against Sacred Heart, well done Tidja!

For all the results from the week please visit the ACC website; www.accsport.asn.au The results are also published in the West Australian newspaper at various times, and on the Chisholm College website under College Sport. The following people contributed to some great sporting moments this week:

**Teams of the week**
- Year 9 Girls Futsal – for defeating Sacred Heart 6-4 without their full team
- Year 10 Boys Tennis – for remaining undefeated in their NAS competition

**Players of the week**
- Tidja Proctor (Year 9) – for scoring 48 of her team’s total of 65 in Basketball
- Ryan Ross (Year 10) – for bowling for a hat trick, with figures of 2/8 in cricket

**Coaches of the week**
- Barry Tognolini (Year 9 Tennis) – for innovative training and warm-up methods that are continually proving successful for his teams
- Robin Fox (Senior Boys Touch) – for volunteering to step in as coach this week

**Nail biter of the week**
- Year 8 Girls Tennis – they fought well in the heat and won equal number of sets, but lost the match in the end by just two games
- Senior Girls Futsal – were 3-1 down during their game but excellent team spirit brought them back to a 3-3 draw

Next week Chisholm College will take on Newman College. For all the fixtures please visit the College Sport section of the Chisholm College website, or the ACC website.

Good luck next week against Newman College!

Ms Belinda Suter, Head of Sport