



The Pathway

1st September 2023

Dear Parents and Caregivers,

It's hard to believe but the end of yet another term is rapidly approaching. Term 3 has provided us with many opportunities to achieve many successes and to showcase the talents and achievements of our great students.

Book week celebrations:

Book week celebrations were an amazing success with the majority of staff and students choosing to dress up as a favourite character from literature. It was fantastic to have been able to welcome about 100 parents, relatives and friends of the children to the College for the parade followed by a BBQ lunch. My sincere thanks goes to all who were able to attend, to the organising team led by Mrs Rand, and to our students who so ably cooked the Barbecue lunch. It was truly a day of fun.



Infants/Primary Spelling Bee:

As I am writing this Newsletter, our infants and primary students are competing in our annual Spelling Bee. Again my sincere thanks goes to all

MOBILE PHONES

Please take the time to read the separate information attached to this Newsletter regarding the use/misuse of mobile phones. The College has been forced to take a hard line in relation to these devices because they have caused unnecessary and time-wasting behaviours amongst some students. The new policy extension is effective immediately.

participants and to the team of organising teachers whose efforts made the event possible.



Cross-Country:

Term 3 also saw the running of our second annual Cross-Country Carnival under the organisation of Mr Salafia.

The College is grateful to the Stone family for having made their property available to host the event. Well done again to all who participated.



School Photographs

A reminder to all that school photographs will be taken on Tuesday of next week. All students are expected to be in full winter

uniform. Any student not in uniform will not be included in the group photographs.

HOMEWORK CLUB

WEDNESDAYS

3:30PM-4:30PM

Enrolments

Our College is being overwhelmed with requests for enrolment for next year.

At this stage, we are limited in the number of new students that we are able to take.

If you are interested in an enrolment please complete an Expression of Interest form which can be accessed on-line or from the school office. The College will advise you of the success or otherwise of your application early next term.



SCHOOL FEES

Fees for 2023 are due by the end of October. Please make the commitment to meet this obligation. Arrangements for fee payments can be made with Mrs Stone at the front office. Thank you to all those who have spoken to us and made arrangements and/or paid fees.



Art Projects (Clay cubism and Clay Realism)





BOTTLES and BOTTLE TOPS

Ms Sanderson would like donations of **bottle tops** for an Art project please.

We are also collecting **bottles** to **return and earn** money to pay to support our Compassion sponsor children.

There are containers for both collections **under the COLA**.

ENROLMENTS FOR 2024

Expressions of Interest are currently being taken for enrolments in Kindergarten, Year 7 and Year 11. Places at the College are very much in demand so we encourage you to express your interest as soon as possible.



But may all who
seek You *Rejoice and be
Glad in You;*

May those who long
for Your saving help
always say, "*The Lord
is Great!*"

Psalm 70:4

Have a blessed week,

With Kind Regards,

David Fox

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