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UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 1 August

- Admission into US Universities and Colleges, KCC Auditorium, 12.50pm - 1.30pm

Wednesday 9 August

- Law Industry Breakfast, KSSA Seniors Hall, 7.00am - 8.20am

Thursday 3 to Thursday 10 August

- Knox Grammar Art Show, 9.00am to 4.00pm weekdays and 10.00am to 2.00pm weekends

Friday 8 September

- Knox Spring Festival, 9.30am - 2.00pm, Gillespie Field, Bangalla Street, Warrawee

See the full calendar in [Parent Lounge](#)

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FROM THE TEAM LEADERS

This Monday I had the opportunity to address the boys regarding a few key topics pertaining to the upcoming Term.

The through-line in these topics was initiative. This is a topic that I've spoken about many times before and I do realise that I am becoming a bit like my father because I keep trotting out the same stories time and again.

The phrase that I used for quite some time when the boys first came to Knox was to 'taking ownership of their learning'. The transition from primary to secondary school requires initiative to ask questions, ask for help, and connect with the wealth of opportunities to grow and succeed at our School.

I want to revisit this phrase because the end of Year 11 sees the boys entering a very busy and demanding academic period – the first in a series of such over the next 14 months. Ironically, what can be concerning in this time period is that many boys have become comfortable and confident in their own habits and routines. It is ironic for this to be a concern after being such a point of emphasis at the start of their senior schooling. The result for many boys is that they can forget some of the things that made them successful in their first years at the School. There is a thought that they've moved on from many of the basic skills of success now that they are almost in Year 12. They still need to ask questions, ask for help, and connect with the wealth of opportunities to grow and succeed at our school.

The boys should continue to put forth initiatives to 'take ownership of their learning' for success both in their senior years of schooling and for the remainder of their lives which will be rich and rewarding when motivated to constantly grow and improve.

MATT CAVALLARO YEAR 11 TEAM LEADER



FROM THE STUDENT ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

The boys have become more self-reliant, independent and some are driving themselves to School and to appointments. Consequently it is easy to forget, or perhaps seems no longer necessary, to alert the School of absences, lateness, or early departures. Our Duty of Care regarding your son's attendance remains while he is enrolled and, moreover, some tertiary institutions require the Year 11 record of

attendance as part of their application process. Please always let me know, via [email](#) or phone call, of absences, late to school for appointments, etc. and all early departures from the School grounds.

Knox is pleased to announce the **Knox Spring Festival** will return on Friday 8 September from 9.30am to 2.00pm at Gillespie Field, Bangalla Street, Warrawee. The event will focus on fresh food, cooking, gardening and flowers. This event replaces Knox Garden Day. Tickets are \$15.00 per person, available at the gate, FREE showbag for the first 1000 people. Children 5 years and under are free. For further information, please [email](#) our Community Relations Manager, Megan Bailey.

More than 500 paintings, photographs, sculptures, prints, drawings and ceramic works will be on display at the Art Show. The free exhibition will showcase the talents of the School's visual arts students from Years 7 to 12. Family and friends are encouraged to attend. For further details, click [here](#).

RENEE WILLSON YEAR 11 STUDENT ADMINISTRATION OFFICER



Above: Congratulations to Cooper Ruthven, James Burns and Jack Brasher boys who achieved in the top 1% in the country in a recent Australian Geography Competition. Well done boys!

Above: More than 75 Knox skiers and snowboarders participated in the annual Snow Sports Trip at Perisher and Thredbo over the school holidays, with many students achieving outstanding competition results in the Regional Interschols Championships held at Perisher. The Knox team finished second overall, with the Knox Snowboard Team winning the Regional Competition. Jon Heddou proudly holds one of the awards.

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YOGA CLASSES

Students are invited to attend Yoga classes every Friday.

Time: 8.00am
Venue: Squash courts in the Lawson Centre

For further details, please [email](#) Mr Cavallaro