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Ewan Shingler and Mitchell Roberts at CAS Athletics

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday - 28 September 2018

- End of Term

16 October

- School Resumes

Sunday - 28 October 2018

- [Knox Cricket Supporters 2018 Season Launch](#) - Gifford Pavilion, Curagul Oval 7pm

Monday - 29 October 2018

- HSC Information Evening - 7pm Seniors' Hall
- See the full calendar in [Parent Lounge](#)

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FROM THE TEAM LEADERS

***'Summoning up the courage to take action is always the same regardless of how seemingly big or small the challenge. What may look like a small act of courage is courage nonetheless. The important thing is to be willing to take a step forward.'* Nichiren**

I wanted to focus this week's article on our new school core value, Courage. With the end of the last week of

Year 11 completed, mixed feelings are swirling around our cohort. Excitement that another term is complete and holidays are upon us; fear that their Preliminary HSC Year has flown by, uncertainty over Year 12 expectations and frustration over academic results. These are all normal responses at this stage of their schooling careers; however, it's the next step which demonstrates a student's character. The holidays are a great time for the students to reset, implement study routines and reflect on what they need to do to achieve their goals in Year 12. Courage to genuinely reflect on their application and accept that areas require focus, hard work and potential risk of failure can be daunting for some students. This is where courage to take the next step needs to be recognised. I would also like to see our cohort take the step towards setting the culture and direction of the School as Year 12. This includes small things like uniform, haircut, shaving, shirts buttoned up and tucked in. It also includes how they present themselves around the school and in the community. I know the boys are more than up to that task and I look forward to seeing them all return next term with these small things implemented.

It gives me the upmost pleasure to announce that Sam White and his wife had a beautiful baby girl last Friday night. Baby Mia, mother and proud father are all doing well and enjoying this special time in their lives. As the boys and staff know, Sam will be an outstanding father, but is currently adapting to the sleep deprivation which everyone warned him about but I don't think he really understood what it meant until now.

I wish all our Year 11 men and their families a happy and safe holiday and look forward to seeing them return as Year 12 students setting the culture and direction of the School next term. What an exciting time!

ANDREA WIFFEN YEAR 11 ASSISTANT TEAM LEADER



FROM THE STUDENT ADMINISTRATION OFFICER

I would like to wish the following boys good luck as they embark on their Kokoda Track journey during the holiday: Henry Cross, Luke Derry, Mackenzie Dixon, Alister Hunter, Trent Muskens and Ben Nyar.

The Seniors' Hall will be open 8am to 4pm, Monday to Friday, during the holidays except next Monday 1 October due to it being a public holiday.

I hope all the boys who are departing for different school events during the holidays, enjoy their experiences.

The Senior Library will be closed from the start of Term 4 due to the HSC exams. The Senior Library will reopen for business on Monday 12 November, Week 4 of Term 4.

I hope you all have a wonderful holiday, wherever you may be, and I look forward to see all the boys back here on Tuesday 16 October as Year 12 Students. An exciting year ahead!

PAMELA HITCHCOCK YEAR 11 STUDENT ADMINISTRATION OFFICER



FROM THE HEADS OF STAGE 6 ACADEMY TEAM

As the post-exam period begins, some important information is contained below.

- The boys commence as Year 12 on Day 1 next term. They will have an assessment period from about Week 5 onwards. Some subjects will have assessments in the final week of Term 4 so early leave prior to the summer vacation should be avoided. An assessment schedule for Term 4 will be distributed in Week 1 next term.
- On Monday 29 October (Term 4 Week 3) all boys and parents are encouraged to attend a HSC information session starting at 7pm in the Seniors' Hall. Please save the date for this important evening. Further details will be provided early next term.
- NESA rules enable students to drop to 10 units in Year 12. There is no rush to drop a subject. We suggest students wait until after they have a Knox Academic Indicator (KAI) interview in Week 4 next term. Details of the KAI interviews will be provided at the information session on 29 October.
- Teachers are working on reports and they will be available online on Friday 28 September at approximately 3.30pm.

ANDREW WEEDING AND GREG NUNAN, HEADS OF STAGE 6 ACADEMY



KNOX CRICKET SUPPORTERS 2018 SEASON LAUNCH

Knox Prep and Senior School Cricket parents and players are invited to celebrate the start of the 2018 Season.

Featuring special guest Ian Chappell (Australian Cricket Team Captain 1971-1975) interviewed by broadcaster Gus Worland (OKG86) and a silent auction

- When:** Friday 26 October 2018, 7pm
Where: The Home of Cricket, Gifford Pavilion, Curagul Oval, Bobbin Head Rd, North Turramurra
Cost: \$50 per head - includes great food, drinks and auction
 Students are warmly invited (\$50) – dress is full winter uniform
 (All students must attend with their parents or boarding staff)
RSVP: To confirm your place, please purchase your tickets by Friday 12 October.
 Please register via the Online Payment Portal on the Knox website:
www.knox.nsw.edu.au/payment and select 'Online Payments' >
 'Other School Activities' > 'Cricket Season Launch 2018'
 Any enquiries/dietary requirements to [Mrs Liz Smith](mailto:Mrs.Liz.Smith)

SHOES FOR THE PHILIPPINES

Each year we collect school shoes and trainers in good condition and polished please! These donations make a life changing difference to the children who live in the garbage tips of Manila. Without shoes they cannot attend school.

Please drop off donations to Room 19 or to the WLF office?



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CAS ATHLETICS



Austin Thomson



John Hunter



Mitchell Roberts



Tom Constable



Toby Craig



Harrison Muller

AWARDS RECEIVED AT YEAR MEETING



SCHOOL UNIFORMS - TERM 4

Year 12 students are permitted to wear winter or summer uniform. Please take the time to check that your son's uniform still fits. If you need to purchase new uniform, the Uniform Shop is open Monday-Friday 12.30pm - 5.30pm or all items can be purchased through Flexischools. The Uniform Shop will open as follows during the holidays:-

Term 3 Concludes	Friday 28 September		Blazers for Year 11 Colours to be handed in by 5.00pm
Additional dates open	Tuesday 2 Oct Wed 3 Oct Wed 10 Oct Thurs 11 Oct Fri 12 Oct Monday 15 Oct	9.30am-5.00pm (Closed 12-1pm)	
CLOSED	Wednesday 4 Oct- to Tues ^h October		
Term 4	Date	Opening Hours	Saturday
School Term 4 commences	Tuesday 16 ^h October	8.00am-5.30pm	SATURDAY MORNINGS 9am-12 Noon

YEAR 12 BOOK ORDERS

[Click here](#) for details of the books required for Year 12 2019. The new date for orders to be placed is 24 September not 12 September.

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