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A message from the Principal...

2013 Dux - Jessica Dunphy

Congratulations to our School Dux Jessica Dunphy. Jessica received VHA 7s and above in all her subjects which included: English; Mathematics B; Mathematics C; Modern History; Ancient History; and German. Jessica plans to study International Relations at University. She was recently on 4BCs History half hour and gave her views on the study of history at school. The presenter suggested that perhaps Jessica would follow in the footsteps of Sandgate graduate Justice Susan Kiefel, a High Court judge. Jessica is interested in becoming a diplomat in the future.
Enrolments for 2014

We are beginning to finalise our timetable for 2014 and it is important we know exactly how many students we will have commencing. If you know of any students intending to enrol at Sandgate in 2014, please let them know they need to complete the enrolment paper work which can be obtained from the school office or downloaded from the school website and arrange an interview as soon as possible.

Students commencing in 2014

Sandgate is a school which strictly enforces its dress code. Before purchasing uniforms for the new year, please check the Dress Code Policy on the school website or in Student Organisers so that you do not buy the wrong item. For example, shoes should be predominantly white or black, not grey or with iridescent colours. The school has a NO piercing policy. Small and clear spacers do not comply with the policy. Students in Years 8 and 9 are expected to wear the school hat and we encourage students in other year levels to also comply. There is a no hat no play policy in the school.

It is important that families budget for the expenses associated with the start of the school year. Some parents find it helpful to make payments this year, or to continue fortnightly debit payments from Centrelink throughout the year, to assist with budgeting. In 2014, all Year 11 and 12 students will need to participate in the school’s Laptop Program at a cost of $150 per student. As Year 11 and 12 classes will not be scheduled into computer rooms, all students will need a laptop to engage in the curriculum. The cost of the student Resource Scheme is $265 per student. Fee payment must be finalised by 7 February 2014. Again to assist with the family budget the school is happy to enter into monthly payment agreements so that a student can
access the resources they need for learning immediately.

End of Year

Years 10 and 11

• Last day of school is Friday 29 November

Years 8 and 9

• Learning is Fun week 9-13 December

Mrs Jeanette Gentle PRINCIPAL

P&C MEETINGS | THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH
7PM | STAFF COMMON ROOM | ALL WELCOME
NEXT MEETING - WEDNESDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2013

If you’re not already on Facebook, consider joining.

That way you’ll understand what it’s all about! Think about creating a Facebook group for your family so you will have a private space to share photos and keep in touch. If you don’t teach your teens about cyber-safety…who will?

Sandgate DSHS is on Facebook. Click here to follow the official page

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Making every day count

As we near the end of the school year, it's important to remember that all students are required to attend school every day until the end of term. Not only is attendance at school a legal requirement, but being at school helps students to achieve more and builds social and emotional skills such as communication, teamwork and resilience. For more information, visit [http://education.qld.gov.au/everydaycounts](http://education.qld.gov.au/everydaycounts).
High Tea Celebrations in Tuckshop

The wonderful staff and volunteers were treated to a special morning tea to celebrate Tuckshop Day on 1st November. A mouth-watering selection of sandwiches, scones, cakes and slices were provided – a 'red day' especially for them. Thank you to everyone for all your hard work during the year.

The P & C would like to thank Sharon and her team of champion staff from Café on the Park (Shorncliffe) for their generous donation of the food enjoyed on the day. We appreciate your support.

Jenny Kalinowski | P&C President
TUCKSHOP
WILL BE  CLOSED
THE LAST
WEEK OF SCHOOL
LAST DAY FRIDAY 6th DECEMBER

Academic Awards Night

Congratulations to all of our Academic Award recipients and performers at the recent Academic Awards Night. A very special congratulations to our 2013 Dux of the School, Jessica Dunphy!
Wayne Swan Perpetual Award for the Year 11 Top Academic Student - David Watts

Victoria Newton Perpetual Award for the Year 10 Top Academic Student - Georgianna Berthaly Martyn
Yvonne Levien Student of the Year Award - Rosie Pyke

Caltex Best All-Rounder (Senior) - Joshua Parsons
Rotary Best All Rounder (Junior) - Christopher Abbey

Symphonic Wind Ensemble - Opened the night with style
Macarra Berthaly-Martyn performed "Home" from Beauty and the Beast

Erynn Heddle performed "Veloma" by Fabrizio Paterlini
Dance Extension Students performed "At the Birds Foot" a Contemporary Dance

2014 School Captains were announced
School Captains - Harrison Button and Kahn Renata
School Vice Captains - David Watts and Thessa Agasii
Sandgate Masonic Community Bursary - Laura Kennedy

Kerry Milard Award for Citizenship - Jacob Denaro
Past Student Air Commodore David W Richards Scholarship
Male - Miles Hatton | Female - Rheanna O'Brien

Harvey World Travel Sandgate Tourism Encouragement Award - Caitlin Halliday
Skilltech Australia TAFE Vetin Schools Award - Sean Poiani

Sandgate Chamber of Commerce Vocational Education Student of the Year - Michael Henley
Annual Northgate Remembrance Lodge Masonic Bursary - Grace Twitt

Michael Carney Social Sciences Award - Rhiannon Harrison-Claridge
Amanda Cooper Award for Information Technology Excellence - Chloe Jennings-Commons

Turrbal Indigenous Academic Achievement Award - Erynn Heddle
Bayside Star Literacy Award - Chelsea Fisher

Sandgate Toastmasters Debating Award - Year 10 Debating Team
Blake Hadley, Jasper Childs, Rachael Patterson, Rosie McCrossin and Jaidon Bodle
Bramble Bay Lions Club Public Speaking Award - Rosie Pyke

Quota Special Achievement Award - Laura Connolly
Yamaha Student Marine Grand Prix Award - Blake Farmer

Doug Callum Achievement Award - Jack Cairns
John Bowden Environment Award - Luke Perry

Colin Grigg Memorial Award - Jarrin Faulkner
Gerard Piper Memorial Art Award - Leah Edney

Oxlades Encouragement Award - Sian Mewburn
Hilary Tilton Award for Outstanding Creativity in Visual Art - Jasmine Wyatt

Esme Robinson Award for Performing Arts and
Music By The Sea Performance Award - Macarra Berthaly-Martyn

Taoist Church Grants
Science - Peter Jew | Mathematics - Jocelyn Glencross | Education - Mokiana Langford
Year 12 Recreational Studies Camp

Year 12 Recreational Studies Camp to Mission Point Bribie Island

A bright sunny morning saw 3 teachers and 27 year 12 Recreational Studies students depart school to Donnybrook on the Pumicestone Passage, North of Brisbane, for their last school camp. This is the finale of a two year course that has seen the students climb, both indoor and outdoor, camp, learn to plan expeditions, canoe on lakes and open water, hike, learn navigational and communication skills, develop their own fitness and training programs and basic First Aid principles. We dropped 8 canoes in at Donnybrook along with a support boat for the paddle over to the Mission Point camp site on Bribie Island. The weather was perfect and the paddle over was fun and enjoyable and the group made good time in getting to the camp site. Once at the camp site the stores and equipment were unloaded from the canoes and the group began to set up camp. The students were solely responsible for the planning of the trip and this was their final assessment task for Recreational Studies. The students had to be self-sufficient in both food and water as none were available at the camp site. This required the students to organise tent groups, food groups and paddle teams for the camp. This gave the students several challenges to overcome prior to embarking on the camp and whilst on the camp, planning a group menu, what equipment to take and what clothes to pack to name just a few. The camp is designed for students to demonstrate 2 years of gained knowledge on a camp and to enjoy the company of the group one last time before school finishes. The weather was perfect and everyone on the
camp had fun canoeing, swimming and sitting around the fire at night recalling stories about the last 12 years of school that they had completed. The morning came and I woke most of the group up to see the sunrise at 0430 and it didn’t disappoint everyone in being spectacular. The passage is a great place to view wildlife and hopefully inspire students to visit the campsite and the passage once they leave school. We canoed back across the passage escorted by the support boat and once again made fantastic time across the water. After a quick clean up on the bank, the Year 12’s soon headed back to school with plenty of smiles and fond memories of their last school camp.

Mr Julian Bates | Recreational Studies Teacher
From your Guidance Officer

Best of luck to all Year 12’s in your future pursuits for 2014 and beyond.

May the OP Gods be kind to you.

You are welcome to contact Mr Wishart (Guidance Officer) anytime up until December 13 2013, or anytime throughout the 2014 School Year.

Enjoy your futures, there are undoubtedly great things awaiting you.

Stay Safe !!!

Mr Wishart | Guidance Officer

Senior Schooling

School Based Traineeship

Congratulations to Taniesha Filewood (Year 10 student) who has just signed up to complete a Certificate II in Hairdressing.
School Chaplain News

McHappy Day

Well done to all the Sandgate students who participated in the Bracken Ridge McHappy Day. So good to see so many of you volunteering in the community.
Sandgate’s Got Talent

Over the last few weeks we have been holding auditions for "Sandgate’s Got Talent" and the final was held on Nov 1st with brother and sister Sally and Ocean Ioakimo winning. Thank you to everyone that participated and special thanks to Hayden Kadel for doing the sound. We certainly have some great talent at Sandgate!

Operation Christmas Child

Last Thursday the volunteering students and I delivered 100 shoe boxes from Sandgate high filled with gifts to be sent to countries that are less fortunate than us. Great effort Sandgate! The students were also shown around the warehouse and how the shoe boxes are checked and packed and meeting the many volunteers. Over 50 000 shoe boxes are expected to come through the Brisbane operation Christmas Child warehouse.
‘GOODBYE’ SAUSAGE SIZZLE
On Thursday 28 November at 5.30pm I am having a ‘Goodbye Sausage Sizzle’ in the quadrangle where everyone is invited, past and current staff/students as well as families.

Nathan Grady | School Chaplain

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**Lions Traditional Cakes and Puddings**

Lions traditional Christmas Cakes are packed with 50% fruit containing mixed fruit, sultanas and raisins. The Traditional Puddings are made with 45% real fruit and contain no artificial colours or flavours. Support the community and buy one today.

900g Puddings $11 each | 1kg Cake $11 | 1.5kg Cake $15

To order please see Mrs Dargusch in the office.

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**Sports Department**

**AOS Training Day**

With prefect blue skies the stage was set for the Junior Academy of Sport pre-season training day. 70 students attended and they were split into 5 teams. These teams were required to work together and climb up and down Mt Coolum as fast as possible. On their journey two students were tethered around their waste, they were required to carry a 5kg medicine ball, carry two eggs, complete physical challenges and remember as many items as possible. The fastest time up and back was the yellow team with a time of 37 minutes. The students then continued their fitness activities on the beach and the park, flipping tires, carrying a heavy rope through water amongst other things.

This day was designed to build camaraderie between the AOS programs and to challenge both the mental and physical strength of our Academy of Sport Students. The overall winning team of the day was the yellow team only winning the day by 6 points. During the day our AOS teachers selected the best trainers for the day. A huge congratulation goes to, Football: Lachlan Eden Michael Miller; Sebastian Flynn, RL: Hayden Elton; Marcus Hope Netball: Kate Davies, Morghan Van Rossouw, Marmina Tuiafiso AFL: Harley Ogden, Anthony Dale, Sam Shaw

We look forward to our next training day.
Sandgate High Academy of Sport program would like to thank GAME clothing for their financial assistance for 2013. If you would like to support the sporting program that develops young athletes please contact Jonathan Hatch at the school and see how you could help.

**AOS training clothing Sale. 2013 training singlets are on sale for $10 each. Please see Mr Hatch if you would be interested. Limited sizes are available.**

Mr Hatch | ACS Coordinator

2013 ACHPER Women in Sport Breakfast
Sandgate recently selected 2 female students, Charlotte Johnstone and Jaime Stirling, to attend the annual ACHPER Women in Sport Breakfast at the Brisbane Convention Centre. This event hosted by Kimberly Busteed promotes young women in sport, providing an opportunity for our girls to listen and ask questions of a variety of high achieving QLD Sportswomen, and network with other girls who have similar life goals. The 2013 guest speakers were Jodie Fields (Australian Women’s Cricket Team), Jessica Hall (Quads Rowing) and Jo Barrett (Australian Women’s Rugby League). The morning was informative, motivational and enjoyable ……… the food was fantastic!!

Mrs Krista Cameron | HPE Teacher

Football Academy End of Year Lunch and Brisbane Roar Game

On Sunday the 4th November the Football Academy made their annual visit to watch the Brisbane Roar at Suncorp Stadium, Milton. This event is where all students in the Football Academy, Years 8 to 11, get together to celebrate the completion of another year of The Sandgate District SHS Football Academy.

The afternoon started with a train trip into Milton and heading to the restaurant precinct of Park Road. We had our usual lunch at the Arrivederci Pizza Restaurant, which is very popular with the boys. This popularity is due to two reasons, firstly, fantastic Pizza and secondly, the boys get to eat has much as they can ...

After lunch which was attended by teachers, parents and 21 students of the Academy, we headed off to Suncorp Stadium in time to soak up the atmosphere prior to the 4pm kick off, where Brisbane Roar were to take on the Melbourne Heart.

The students had time to settle into their seats and watch both teams warm up prior to kick off. This gave the
boys an opportunity to both analyse and comment on how similar the warm up was to our very own warm up at Sandgate.

The game was a stalemate in the first half with both teams failing to score but the Roar came good in the second half and scored three unanswered goals to win comfortably 3 – 0. This gave the boys plenty to talk about on the way home and reflect on a great day celebrating being part of the Football Academy.

Mr Julian Bates | Football Academy Teacher
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Sandgate DSHS Online Communities

In 2012, Sandgate DSHS has launched into the 21st Century and have set up official Facebook and Twitter accounts. Regular updates from the school calendar and messages about upcoming events are fed into the social network. During the school closure in January this year, Twitter and Facebook served as a fundamental tool to keep the community up to the date with the flooding in surrounding areas. Direct links to the official Sandgate High Twitter and Facebook pages can be accessed through the school's website (http://sanddistshs.eq.edu.au/wcms/). Alternatively, please click on the links below to access the portals.

Community Notices

Aviation Australia
Aviation Australia Opens its Doors!

Come along to our Open Night on Wednesday 27th November commencing at 6.00pm. The Open Night offers students and parents the opportunity to tour our training facilities based at Brisbane Airport and find out first-hand, how to become an Aircraft Maintenance Engineer or Flight Attendant. Our training centres’ house the most advanced training equipment including real aircraft, fully equipped workshops, cabin simulators, evacuation slides, pool for water safety drills, and excellent student amenities. You will also have the chance to meet our team of instructors who are available to answer any of your questions. To register your interest email: aero.info@aviationaustralia.aero or contact our Sales Team on 07 3860 0900.

Qpac in January 2014

These summer school holidays, why not treat the family to the magic of theatre with live shows of Angelina Ballerina and Charlie and Lola making their way to Qpac in January 2014!

Angelina Ballerina The Mousical

Everyone’s favourite little star Angelina Ballerina pirouettes live onto the stage in her brand new musical - a magical show packed full of singing and dancing!

Angelina and her friends think their dreams have come true when Camembert Academy wins the opportunity to appear in their favourite television programme ‘Dancing With Mice’. But when the girls and boys have very
different ideas for the show and just can’t seem to agree on anything, it’s up to Angelina as Dance Captain to ensure that the show goes ahead.

So put on your ballet shoes and join Angelina, Alice, Gracie, Viki, AJ and Marco for the most stupendous Mousical of the year!

8 – 12 January, QPAC Concert Hall

*Charlie and Lola’s Best Bestest Play*

Don’t miss everyone’s favourite brother and sister, Charlie and Lola, in their extremely ever so wonderful stage show! The stars of the hit TV series and books by Lauren Child are brought to life by a magical mix of puppetry and music.

Will Lola ever tidy her messy room? Will Charlie get Lola to sleep, even though she is not sleepy and will not go to bed? The Tigers want their bedtime milk, the Dancing Dogs have borrowed Lola’s pyjamas - not to mention the Ogre in the wardrobe! Who’d have known there were so many things to overcome before the day’s end?

As seen on ABC television and CBeebies, this hit series has now been adapted into an ideal family theatre experience that can be enjoyed by children and adults alike.

4 – 25 January, QPAC Cremorne Theatre


New Cheerleading and Dance Gym
CHEERLEADING AND DANCE GYM
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All Star Cheerleading
Jazz    Hip Hop

Fun and Fitness     Coming to Redcliffe Peninsula

All Star Cheerleading and Dance is a great way to get active and have fun. We offer both competitive and recreational teams. Email us for more information!

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