# opportunities



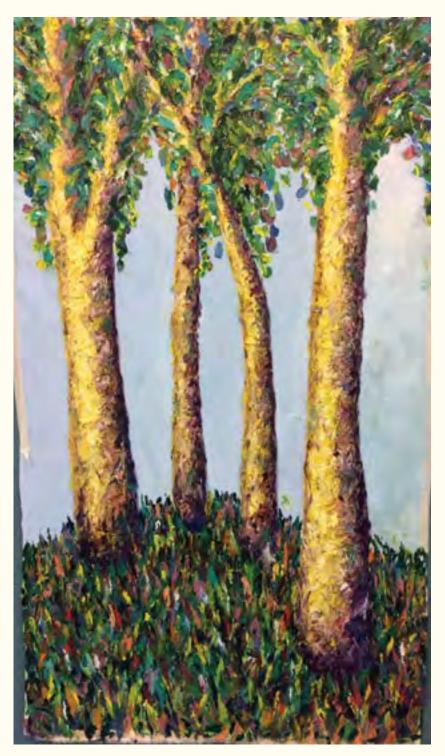
CHURCHLANDS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

### **TERM 3/SEPTEMBER 2017**

# Young Originals Exhibition

Churchlands Arts students have had major success this year with seven entries into the 2017 Young Originals Exhibition. The Exhibition promotes excellence in the visual arts across Western Australian public schools; the standard is high with only an average of seventy five pieces being accepted for exhibit each year.







### From The Principal

### Perhaps the most exciting part of Term 3 has been the hand over and occupation of thirty five new classrooms in two new buildings

Students and staff have all been looking forward to these teaching spaces for some time and the results are simply stunning. The following is a brief outline of the progress:

Handover was realised on Monday 7 August with final occupancy Monday 14 August. We are now in the process of scheduling relocation of transportables, some off site and two relocated in place of old buildings. Work continues on new offices in the existing utility room and the Junior Administration with completion and handover scheduled for 21 September. The new gardeners' facilities are also due to be handed over at the end of term. This will enable the removal of sheds and additional lawn restoration on the corner of Lucca Street and Hale Road.

Negotiations are also underway with builders and architects to convert the existing staffroom into offices to house the senior school administration. We will also provide a conference/training room, additional meeting room and a lunch room for administration staff. This means that in Term 4 we will have the new technology centre and its surrounds together with this office refurbishment as the final instalment of the two-year construction phase of this project.

As this project comes to an end, we have noticed the additional space for students to congregate and student movement around the school has become far more comfortable. In particular, science students and teachers do not have to walk from one end of the school to the other between periods. Once the technology building is complete, we will also see a significant increase in parking availability for staff and buses which will create further benefits to the school.

It is always with a sense of excitement that we approach the end of Term 3 each year. In particular, we look forward to the new enrolments that will commence with Churchlands SHS in 2018. Currently, 433 new students have enrolled into Year 7 (thirty more than at the same time last year) and we anticipate the final number of enrolments to be in excess of 500. Tinged with that excitement is the prospect that our Year 12 students - the class of 2017 are preparing to leave us and begin their post school journey. When you receive this publication, our Year 12 students will either have completed their mock exams or completed their final "Workplace Learning" placements. On return in Term 4 students will be engaged in last minute learnings ahead of their final day which is Thursday 19 October when we will hold their final assembly and formally dismiss them from school. Approximately seventy percent of our students are studying an ATAR course and they will have the challenge of studying for final exams to meet goals and standard that they have set themselves. These exams commence at the beginning of November and run through to mid/late November. Their final school based event will be their Presentation Ceremony scheduled for Saturday 18 November.

I extend my best wishes to all of our Year 12 students not only those in their forthcoming exams but all students in their future pursuits.

Neil Hunt Principal



### Farewell and thank you! Dave Tomlin has r<mark>et</mark>ired.

We would like to acknowledge the wonderful work done at Churchlands SHS over the last nearly seven years by Mr Dave Tomlin

His boundless energy, dedication to the students, tireless work ensuring strategies and processes ran smoothly, quick wit and great sense of humour will be profoundly missed. Dave started at Churchlands in 2011 as the Senior School Coordinator, has performed stints as an Associate Principal and retired on Friday 15 September as the Head of Year 11. We will miss him and wish him health and a long and happy retirement.

Here's the many faces of Dave!



### From The Principal

# **STATE BUDGET IMPACT**

On Thursday September 8, the State Budget was handed down followed by the release of a new mechanism which will be used to calculate school funding for 2018 and beyond.

The current model was considered beneficial to large secondary schools through economies of scale, a factor, which the new model has attempted to address.

The effect is that Churchlands SHS' budget has been reduced by almost 1.9 million dollars.

Cuts of this magnitude will require that some wrap around services currently experienced by our students will be affected.

To balance our budget, reduced services that will come under consideration include:

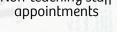


Non-teaching support roles for teachers



Ensuring optimal class sizes







Pastoral Care allocations



Reduction in portfolio budgets



Reduced allocation for teacher relief for camps, excursions, tours etc.





Reduction in faculty support



Information Technology provisions

The Swimming Pool Project

I must, however point out that the basis of all decision making will be to ensure the school's focus on teaching and learning for our students will be maintained. Further, I expect that Churchlands will continue to provide excellent educational standards for your children next year and into the future.



### Associate Principal Senior School

### Term 3 has been a busy and an exciting one in many ways

Year 12 students will be finishing the term with either their Semester 2 "mock" exams or Workplace Learning while the Year 11 students are working towards their second semester exams with practical exams starting in Week 3 next term, followed by written papers. We wish everyone the best of luck at this busy time. Being organized, consistent, keeping exercise and a good diet in a balanced lifestyle will help students cope with this final phase of the school year.

### Subject selection for Year 11 and 12 in 2018



The subject selection process moved to an online system this year using SSO. It proved to be very successful and relatively easy to use. It made it very clear to students and parents the need for good ongoing study habits to ensure pre-requisite standards were met. Parents had the

opportunity to a face to face interview as well if they needed. If a student was not able to choose a subject because they did not meet the pre-requisites, they will have the opportunity to look at choosing the subject at the end of the year/start of 2018 if they meet the required standard in the Semester 2 report. The ability to do this will depend on such factors as class numbers and other subject choices. There is scope for students to change other subjects, apply to do Private Study in Year 12 (*for those successfully completing five ATAR subjects*) and this can be done before the end of the year with any of the Senior School Admin team – Mrs Slodecki, Mrs Ingleson, Mr Galuin, Mr Cross or myself.

#### Year 11 Breakfast Club launch



Year 11 student Zahra Ussi with mum and presenter Dave Humphreys

4



Mr Housley welcomes parents and students to the Breakfast Club

The Breakfast Club has been running for over eleven years now and membership is highly sought after by our strong academic students. Eligible students are invited to join if their predicted ATAR is ninety five or more. This places them amongst the top five percent of students in the state! On 24 August we celebrated the launch of the 2017/2018 Breakfast Club at the Rendezvous Observation City Hotel with a hearty breakfast attended by the new members, their parents and a number of staff. More information is provided in the Year 11 section of this newsletter.

#### Year 12s Sally Topley and Clare Slodecki Interviews

Every Year 12 has had the opportunity to have a second 'one on one' interview with Sally or Clare to help them in the final stages of their time at Churchlands. It's worth talking to your child about this process and the key messages they have taken away from this meeting. The aim is to focus students on the actions that they can take which will be most effective for them. Year 12s will be asked to complete an exit survey which will provide them with the opportunity to provide feedback on these interviews and other events and strategies used across Year 11 and 12.

#### Final Year 12 Breakfast Club meeting

On Friday 18 August 18 we held the fourth and final Year 12 Breakfast Club meeting for the year. After a delicious breakfast catered for by our Canteen staff, students were given valuable information from Mrs Slodecki on various university scholarships that exist and were hopefully motivated to apply for some! Following this, we were privileged to hear from last year's Head Girl, Grace Sobey, who spoke about university life in general and then the benefits of, and process she went through to win, the prestigious John Curtin Undergraduate Scholarship. They also enjoyed a presentation from Conor McLaughlin on the positive use of social media.

It's been a pleasure to see the practical work of Year 12s

in recitals and performances in past weeks and I'm expecting an excellent standard of results from the written exams. Year 12 parents would have received a letter via email with information about the last weeks for the Year 12s. Please make sure you are aware of the standards and commitments for the last weeks at school so that we can have an enjoyable and successful finish to their classes and successful preparation for the WACE exams.

Paul Housley Associate Principal - Senior School



### Associate Principal Junior Secondary School

### During Term 3 Year 7 and 8 students have been busy working hard at school in all their subjects to ensure they have the necessary building blocks for the following years

There has also been a lot of fun with the Year 7 and 8 Talent Quest being a highlight. Students have moved into the new Mathematics, Science and Arts buildings and this has made movement around the school much easier and opened up some great new play spaces as there is now no construction going on in the main part of the school.

The Year 7 and Year 8 Athletics Carnivals were well attended and the students were fantastic in the enthusiastic way they participated and competed. The aim is for maximum participation and the emphasis on having fun. The carnivals are also crucial in identifying the best performing students to participate in the Interschool Athletics Carnival in early Term 4.

#### Summary of Year 7 NAPLAN Results 2017

From 9 – 11 May Year 7 students sat the national NAPLAN tests and the results were again pleasing with particular improvement by the group in the area of Writing. We hope to see further improvement in student progress when students sit NAPLAN in Year 9 as our specialist teachers have more time to have an impact particularly in the areas of English and Mathematics.

The school each year does a detailed NAPLAN analysis of:

- Students "Below" and "At" the Benchmark
- Students at the Top of Band 9
- Performance of Academic Extension Program students
- Performance of Gifted and Talented Music students
- Performance of Indigenous and English Second Language students
- Performance of low literacy and numeracy students identified at the beginning of Year 7
- Class teachers analyse their classes and faculties analyse the data to identify strengths and weaknesses in their teaching programs.

Year 7	' House	Champions
--------	---------	-----------

Teal 7 House Champions										
Brighton	Floreat 1782 Scarborough 1648		Aust	WA	CSHS		CSHS % IN		CSHS AT	CSHS BELOW
Scarborough			MEAN		Тор 20%	Middle 20%	Bottom 20%	National Minimum Standard		
Trigg	1465	Reading	545	539	576	35%	59%	7%	3%	1%
Year 8 House	Champions	Writing	513	509	553	37%	57%	6%	10%	3%
<b>Trigg</b> Floreat	<b>1826</b> 1814	Grammar e Punctuation	542	537	578	34%	59%	7%	5%	2%
Scarborough	1792	Spelling	550	547	577	26%	64%	10%	5%	1%
Brighton	1540	Numeracy	554	551	592	36%	58%	6%	4%	0%



The analysis allows the school to ensure we can cater for students identified as "Below or "At" the Benchmark" and arrange Individual Education Plans for those students who have not previously been identified.

Mr Bernie Dunn Associate Principal - Junior School



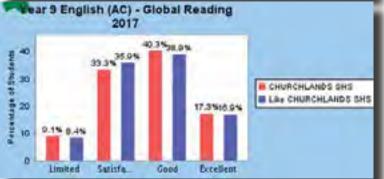
### Associate Principals (shared duties) Middle Secondary School

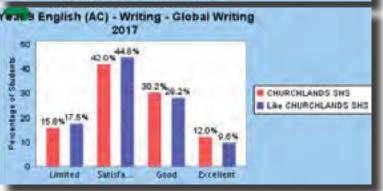
### NAPLAN

Year 9 students are to be commended on their NAPLAN results this year. Please see the grafts below comparing CSHS performance with likeschools.

NAPLAN	Aust	WA	CSHS	CSHS % IN			CSHS AT	CSHS BELOW
		MEAN		Тор 20%	Middle 20%	Bottom 20%		al Minimum andard
Reading	581	583	615	34%	59%	6%	8%	1%
Writing	552	556	592	34%	60%	6%	10%	6%
Grammar & Punctuation	582	583	611	36%	56%	8%	6%	3%
Spelling	574	572	607	32%	61%	8%	7%	3%
Numeracy	592	595	637	44%	51%	5%	3%	0%







### Leadership

Year 9 students have been invited to nominate as Student Leaders for 2018. They will assist with Year 7 Orientation at the end of this year, then continue to support Year 7s during the year. As part of this process

approximately eighty students will be invited to a camp in late October at Point Walter. This is always an exciting event which provides some challenges, teambuilding and leadership skills. This is the first time only Year 9s have been given this opportunity and it is expected to be an annual event on the Year 9 calendar.



#### Subject Selection

Subject Selection Online has been successful with Careers Advisor Clare Slodecki and Vocational Education and Training Coordinator Carlee Ingleson meeting with parents and Year 10 students who made appointments. House Coordinators Sandy Harvey, Roger Harris, Megan Lebihan, Richard Massang and Kim Hudson assisted students who needed to complete their choices. The timetable for next year is in the process of being developed around these choices.

#### OLNA

The Online Literacy and Numeracy Assessment Writing, Numeracy and Reading components were completed in Week 8. A total of fifty nine Year 10 students sat one or more of the components. The new Science/Arts block was a great venue and the Information Technology staff provided support. OLNA ran smoothly and we look forward to receiving students' results.



### Associate Principals (shared duties) Middle Secondary School

#### **Changing roles in Student Services**

Caroline Crichton Student Support Officer who has been working with some Year 10 students is leaving to increase her work as a mid-wife. Andrew Winton Chaplain will be with us another day a week for the rest of the year.

Leah Crawford, Head of Languages joined the Middle Secondary School earlier this term, sharing the Associate Principal's position. In Term 4, Deborah Hoy will return to her position as Deputy Principal -Administrative Systems. Karena Shearing will return as Middle Secondary School Associate Principal next term, with Leah Crawford continuing to job-share.

The face of Student Services has changed with the retirement of Anthea Pinakis. Mel Kiernan has taken over this role and is improving our systems, supported by Belinda MacKay and Fionn Mcilwain.



Belinda MacKay

Mel Kiernan

Fionn Mcilwain

### New shared email address AssociatePrincipalMiddle@churchlands.wa.edu.au

Parents, students and the school community are encouraged to use the new shared email address for all communications to the Associate Principal Middle Secondary for timely responses to emails.

Mrs Shearing – Monday, Tuesday & Wednesdays Ms Crawford – Thursday and Fridays



We wish the Year 9 and 10 students a happy and safe holiday.

Happy Holedays



Geraint Davies Head of Year 9



Kim Hudson Head of Year 10

Deborah Hoy and Leah Crawford Associate Principals - Middle School Geraint Davies - Head of Year 9 & Kim Hudson - Head of Year 10



Year 7 Report

### After 'surviving' a full semester, the Year 7 group launched into this term with a lot of confidence and enthusiasm

There have been some exceptional achievements, at an academic, sporting and leadership level this term, and the year group is developing into an important part of the school community.

#### Year 7 Athletics Carnival

On Tuesday of Week 6, the Year 7s competed in their first Churchlands SHS Athletics Carnival. The weather was perfect and it was great to see so much enthusiasm and team spirit, with each of the houses cheering on their teammates. The carnival ran smoothly, and attendance and participation by the students was fantastic.

The individual results were as follows:

	Girls	Boys
Champion	Tess Morris	Arthur Baker
Second Place Annabelle Jones		Harry Birks
Third Place	Holly Fraser	Connor Morris

It was not just an individual event though and all students should be congratulated on their participation in all the events, to gain valuable points for their respective houses. Congratulations to the great house of Brighton who were winners on the day.

#### **House Results**

Brighton	2046
Floreat	1782
Scarborough	1648
Trigg	1465



Athletics Carnival winners - girls: Holly Fraser, Tess Morris and Annabelle Jones



Athletics Carnival winners - boys: Connor Morris, Harry Birks and Arthur Baker

#### Year 7 Athletics Carnival



### Year 7 Report

#### **Trees for Survival**

The Trees for Survival group recently attended a threeday excursion to plant a mixture of trees and shrubs on a wheatbelt property near Corrigin. The trees are grown in the Churchlands SHS nursery from seed and looked after by the students throughout the year. The aim of the group is to increase biodiversity, provide habitat for native animals and help combat land degradation.

Although Trees for Survival is open to all students, this year there are more Year 7s than any other group and they have lead the way with the enthusiasm and work ethic.



Some of the thousands of trees planted by the Trees for Survival group on a property near Corrigin



Year 7s potting up plants at the Churchlands SHS Nursery

#### **Peer Mentors**

The Year 10 and 11 Student Leaders visited each Year 7 class earlier this term to give students some strategies and ideas on how to develop positive relationships with peers. Group activities focused on 'Peer Pressure and Friendships'.

#### Some of the Year 7 Stars

It gives me great pleasure to acknowledge the following Year 7 students for some of the sporting achievements outside of school:

Hannah Rankine, Seren Sweeney, Alice Harwood, Connor Morris, Nikki Sharp, Shona Gibson, Marie and Andrew Beidatsch (please refer to pages 24-25 for details).

#### Have you got talent?

Forget Australia's Got Talent or The X Factor, the real talent was on show in Weeks 9 and 10 as Year 7 students competed in the prestigious Talent Quest. All performers should be congratulated for getting on stage and the spectators congratulated for their encouragement and support. The crowd witnessed some exceptional dancing, singing, comedy and music acts over the five days. The competition was very close, with Jasmine Young as the winner for her singing and equal runner ups Daniel Gardiner for dancing and Savana Harsanyi for singing.



Winner Jasmine Young (7-F5)



Runner ups Daniel Gardiner (7-S4) and Savana Harsanyi (7-T2)

Michael Barr Year 7 Brighton House Coordinator



### Year 8 Report

### It's hard to believe that it is already the end of Term 3 and we are now three quarters of the way through Year 8

It won't be too much longer before you are all wearing those teal shirts.

At the start of the term we held a whole school assembly in the brand new gym where many of you were acknowledged for your outstanding academic achievement in Semester 1. As outlined at the assembly, we can't all achieve certificates, but we can achieve our best. Remember to excel at the things that you do well.

#### **Athletics Carnival**

In Week 5 many of you were involved in the House Athletics Carnival. It was a colourful day with all involved joining in on some level and achieving points for those important house points. The beaming and smiling faces were testament to the fun day had by all. At the end of the day the final points tally was:

Trigg	1826	1
Scarborough	1814	
Floreat	1792	
Brighton	1540	



Congratulations to the champion girls and boys: Champion-Magdelana McCabe and Runner ups- Lily Ansell and Eva Butler, and Champion- Aidan Ismail and Runner ups-Jacob Hristianopoulos and Egybert Lin.

And while we are on a sporting theme, congratulations to all the girls involved in the Year 8 Lower Division

Team 1 who made it to the quarter finals of the School Sports WA - High Schools Cup Netball Competition on Friday 28 July. The girls are a credit to the school and represented the Year 8 group admirably. Hannah Porteous, Emma Putt, Haylee Dallin, Madeline Appleby, Jasmine Stewart, Mia Cooper, Jade Boekeman, Emily Bennett, Charlotte Gale, Jamillah Aiesi and Charlotte Moreschini.









### <mark>Year 8</mark> Report

#### Year 8 Assembly

At the recent Year assembly we acknowledged all our fabulous Year 8s. There were over one hundred Churchlands Champions and some star students including musicians Patrick Gleeson, Erin Young, Molly Timcke and Sam Evans. Patrick Sucher recently played in the national U15 ice hockey championship in Melbourne. He and the team played well winning the tournament by beating NSW in the final 4-0.



Year 8 Assembly

#### **Short Fiction Awards**

Earlier in the year Ms Lundy organised students to enter

the City of Rockingham Short Fiction Awards. Award winners have just been announced and Imogen Robins (8-B5) won second prize in the Young Writers section. Judges comments:

'Painting the Picture' by Imogen Robins, another excellent piece of descriptive writing which draws a parallel between the visual arts and literature, and between art and life. Well done Imogen.





#### Talent Quest

Our talent quest again proved to be popular with ten acts uying for the ultimate glory. There was a real uariety of acts from piano, to comedy. But in the end there can only be one winner. Congratulations to Flavio Colonetti who wowed the crowd with a rendition of Radioactive on the piano. Runner ups were Lindsay Pegrum, Christopher Jones and Kyden Bradley. Well done to all the competitors and see you all next year.





Winner Flavio Colonetti (8-T5)



Runner ups Lindsay Pegrum (8-T5), Christopher Jones (8-T4) and Kyden Bradley (8-F5)



Finalists Emma Munslow-Davies (8-F1) and Clare Nageleca (8-F2)



Finalists Ashton Lavender (8-B4)

Finally we would love to hear about any great things that students are involved in outside of school. Just drop an email to a house Coordinator and we will try to include it in the school newsletter. Photos are always welcome.

So keep working hard. And always be your best.

Leanne Rushforth Year 8 Brighthon House



A SCHOOL OF OPPORTUNITIES



### Year 9 Report

### A term jam packed full of talented performances and energetic displays of enjoyment

Term 3 has been one of carnivals, amazing displays of talent, making bold decisions for next year and receiving well deserved results.

### **Athletics Carnival**

The Year 9 Athletics Carnival once again showed how much energy the students have in supply. At the start of the day we were met with super colourful costumes... and hair-dos ready to participate in many events. The 100 metre race saw the battle for house points, started very early and we knew it was going to be a close race all the way to the end of the day. All students gave it their all in every event, hurling shot puts and themselves as far and as high as they could... they even showed sympathy for Mr Marson by occasionally laughing at his hilarious jokes.

A fantastic day had by all with the final points quite close, well done to Trigg for managing to hold off the late charge by Floreat and Scarborough.

Trigg	1703
Floreat	1573
Scarborough	1522
Brighton	1394

A massive congratulations to our Year 9 Champions for the day.

	Воу	Girls
Champion	Thomas Noordzy	Zahra Amos
Runner-up	- Connor Leigh - Lachlan Duggan	Chelsea Humphrey
Third Place	William Wiggett	- Mikaela Swart - Cintia D'Cress





### Year 9 Report

### Talent Quest

If someone was passing through the Churchlands Concert Hall on one of the three specific Monday lunch times they may have thought that, we as a school were being accommodating to the latest auditions for Australia's Got Talent. One day that may be the case, on this occasion it was in fact a showing of some of the unbelievably talented Year 9s we have in our group.

From two weeks of heats we were honoured with some amaging acts including comedy, dancing, singing and other musical performances. In the finals we saw five fantastic acts from nine very talented students. After enormous amounts of deliberation, Joshua Hayes was awarded Runner-up for his brilliant piece on the piano and Anna Dabbs received first place for her beautiful, self-written song on the guitar.



Joshua Hayes



Parsa Vahdani



Anna Dabbs

Tanvi Kaushal



Anoushka Chhabda

Well done to all who participated in the talent quest for this year. It takes a lot of guts to get up on stage and perform in front of hundreds of your peers, you should all be very proud of yourselves.

#### **Super Mathematicians**

Earlier this year eighty five of our fantastic Year 9 students competed in the Australian Maths Competition. With great pleasure we can announce that the following eight students achieved a High Distinction.

Samuel Chan, Matthew Fidler, Shaun Giacomel, Cameron Morrison, Ryan Pottier, Isabella Rowe, Garry Tsui, Kun Yu



#### Coming up...

Next term we plan to finish off the school year with a jam packed, exciting ten weeks! The Interschool Athletics Carnival is in Week 2 in which there are a number of Year 9s competing. The Student Leadership Camp is in Week 4 and of course to finish everything off... final reports and the end of year activity!

Have a safe and fun Term 3 holidays.



Jake Bailey, Shuni Kogo and Kendrick Lai

Sam Marson Year 9 Floreat House Coordinator



### Year 10 Report

# Subject Selection Online (SSO) was the focus for our Year 10s at the start of Term 3

It seemed so far away in Term 4 last year when Ms Slodecki and other staff placed importance on starting Year 10 with clear goals and effort. For most, the process of SSO has been straightforward. For a few, where pre-requisites were not met, all is not lost as there are always alternative pathways to reach the desired goal at the end. Ms Slodecki and Ms Ingleson have done a wonderful job in guiding many of our students and parents in the myriad of choices whether it be ATAR or Certificate courses for their future success.



An assembly earlier in the term recognised a number of students for their achievements and participation and a significant acknowledgement was given to Kimberley Clifton for her achievement of the Bronze Duke of Edinburgh's International Award. This demonstrates real commitment and puts Kimberley in a good position for future choices in her studies when leaving school. Any

Kimberley Clifton with her award

student interested in looking to achieve towards the award should visit the webpage on Duke of Edinburgh's suite of awards (<u>https://www.dukeofedwa.org.au/</u>



Boys at the 'Try a Trade' session

<u>doing-the-award/</u> <u>requirements/</u>) for more information.

Early in the term a group of our Year 10 boys went out to Skillshare in Forrestfield to "Try a Trade". The instructor was a trained carpenter and skilled also in other trades such as bricklaying and tiling. The boys achieved a lot over the three days with the completion of brick walls and pillars with the fitting of a picket fence and a paved area. The boys came away with a new appreciation for maths and hard work! It was a very successful program and it is hoped that further programs for more students will be organised soon.

This term the Year 10 House Leaders proposed Volleyball be played during lunch times on Fridays (when there is no Year 10 Form). This has been very successful with enough participants to fill at least three courts. The students that attended demonstrated great leadership with the setting up of the courts and the ground rules for participation. It has been great to see the activity such a success and a good way for our students to let off some steam.



Year 10 volleyball played during Friday lunch times

### Year 10 Report

A day of sunshine was experienced by all with the Year 10 Athletics inter-house carnival. It was great to see the team spirit and having a go attitude for many of our students. Thankfully the rain stayed away and all events were successfully run.



Year 10s getting ready for the Athletics Carnival

Year 10 House leaders talking to the Year 9s at their assembly about the Leadership Camp.



Trigg House Leader Jared Savage presents to Year 9s about Leadership Camp

Lastly as a great celebration for the finish of Year 10, the fun activity will be the Crystal Swan River Cruise. All of the form groups have been canvassed for ideas and these are currently being collated for the final vote on a theme. This is a great event to signify the growth of our Year 10s as they move into their chosen courses in Senior School and we look forward to seeing the students enjoy the activity at the end of a milestone year.

### Sandra Harvey Year 10 Brighton House Coordinator



## Can Saver Plus assist you with high school costs?

Join Saver Plus and match your savings, dollar for dollar, **up to \$500** for educational costs including:

- school uniforms and text books
- computers, laptops and tablets
- excursions and camps
- sports equipment, uniforms and lessons
- music tuition and instrument hire.

You may be eligible if you have a Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card, are at least 18 years old, have some regular income from work (you or your partner) and have a child at school or study yourself.

Contact Meagan Parry your local Saver Plus Coordinator: (08) 9338 4802 / 0438 518 603 or meagan.parry@thesmithfamily.com.au

Saver Plus was developed by ANZ and the Brotherhood of St Laurence and is delivered across Stirling, Swan and Wanneroo by The Smith Family. The program is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government.

### **Churchlands SHS FACEBOOK PAGE**

Please like us on our Facebook page

https://www.facebook.com/ChurchlandsSHS

to get the latest news and learn about the interesting things we do at Churchlands SHS.





### Year 11 Report

As Term 3 is coming to a close and the end of year examinations are looming, we want to take a moment to acknowledge the amazing achievements and efforts that all Year 11s have applied over the course of the term

Below is a mere snapshot of some of the fantastic and varied things that the Year 11 cohort has been involved in during this term.

#### Head Boy and Head Girl

This term, processes have been put in place to decide who the Head Boy and Head Girl will be to represent the Year 12 cohort of 2018 and, in a wider context, the school. The successful candidates will have the prestigious honour of representing the student body on the School Board. In their role as Head Boy and Head Girl, they will need to demonstrate excellent leadership qualities and exhibit the values of the school regarding personal, social and environmental responsibilities.

It was pleasing to see many outstanding applicants who applied for the positions and teachers were hard pressed to whittle the list down to just three girls and three boys to present their speeches. After the votes have been cast by the student body and teaching staff, the successful candidates will be introduced to the Year 11s early in the final term. Congratulations to the following students who have made it to the third and final round: Shrusti Jethua, Tamsin Kepes, Zahra Ussi, Thomas Sobey, Branden Stewart-Richardson and Ethan Blume.

#### **Delectable Delights**

This term the expert chefs of the General Food Science and Technology classes run by Ms Duncombe and Ms Gillies, were involved in a highly competitive Bakeoff. The stakes were high, having to produce exquisite examples of their best cupcakes, short crust pastry and choux pastry. Teachers across the learning areas were asked to adjudicate for appearance, taste and texture, a difficult task when everything looked so mouthwatering! Congratulations to the winners for each week, a commendable effort by all!

#### **Marvellous Murals**

Our amaging Art students have once again proven their unbelievable talent by creating a mural on the staircase near the ICT department. The General Art students, under the guidance of their expert teacher Beth Harcourt, have spent the last few weeks of term creating their 'Anti-litter' and 'Anti-pollution' themed masterpiece, which provides an excellent point of interest on the laborious journey across our ever-growing school.



### Year 11 Report

### Leavers' Jackets

The Leavers' Jacket Committee are working tirelessly to organise the perfect design to commemorate their final year in 2018. Surveys have been taken, votes have been cast and the final design is soon to be revealed! Students are waiting with baited breath to see what their funny, cool and witty nicknames will be attached to.

### Celebrating Academic Success in Senior School **VET High Achievers**

On Thursday the 10th of August, the inaugural lunch for this year's VET High Achievers was held in our very own school café. The Year 11 Hospitality students served these notable students a delicious three-course meal while they talked about their future aspirations and interests with Ms Ingleson, Ms Slodecki, their House Coordinators, Mr Tomlin, Mr Galvin and Mr Housley.

The students who were invited to this celebratory lunch were chosen for their excellent grades in their General Courses, their progress in their Certificate Course and the pleasing comments received by their employers during their Workplace Learning program. It was a very difficult choice for Ms Ingleson and Ms Slodecki as we have so many outstanding and conscientious students who only very narrowly missed this reward. However, we look forward to welcoming more like-minded and industrious individuals as they work hard to improve their grades even further!

#### **Breakfast Club**

This year's commencement of the prestigious Breakfast Club for ATAR High achievers was held on the very chilly morning of Thursday the 24th of August. With a 7:15 am start at the Rendezvous Scarborough, the high achievers and their parents were treated to a warm drink and a scrumptiously hot breakfast to start the day and to reward the students for their hard work.

This year's presenter was none other than 2002 Head Boy and Churchlands graduate Dave Humphreys who is currently the Commercial Manager of the Perth Arena. Mr Humphreys had rolled out of his sick bed to provide an alternative to the 'study hard' mantra by giving the students some life advice relating to their personal endeavours, emphasising the importance of engaging widely with the community and always having a go. The presentation was very well received by the 125 students, parents and staff in attendance.



Parents and students at the Breakfast Club



Associate Prinpal Senior Secondary School Mr Housley welcomes presenter Dave Humphrey



Churchlands SHS Head Boy 2002 and Commercial Manager of Perth Arena Mr Dave Humphreys who was the presenter at the Year 11 Breakfast Cub

Sandra Boujos Year 11 Floreat House Coordinator



### Year 12 Report

Our Year 12 students have now completed their final full term as Churchlands students. It has, once again, been a very busy time for them concluding with Work Placements for some and ATAR and/or practical examinations for others

During this term many students have had Personal Planning Interviews Sally Topley. A select few have been involved with the annual mentoring program and received many a wise word from the enthusiastic staff volunteer assigned to them.

This term also saw the introduction of the student initiative known as "Big Sing". Big Sing aims to unite the kids and staff of Churchlands SHS and provide them with the entertainment which they deserve - everybody loves a good sing along! The concept was introduced when the Big Sing Performers took to the stage to open the Year 12 Assembly on 2nd August. Big Sing was then rolled out as a whole school event on Tuesday 29th August and was attended by approximately four hundred students and staff who happily sang along to a variety of tunes including Counting Stars, We Are The Champions, You Raise Me Up, and My Life Would Suck With You.

The Big Sing Performers are:

Vocalists Oliver Ernst, Steven Zhang, Brian Khoo, Marsha Chin Piano Elliot Harper Violin Harvey Inamac Guitar Mr Tomlin

Drums Andrew Winton



Big Sing spokesperson Brian Khoo said "The atmosphere on Tuesday could not have been any better with the greatest Big Sing attendance in the history of Churchlands by a mile. It was brilliant to see everybody having a good time. Harvey's violin solo in "You Raise Me Up" was loved by everyone, as he stood up in the audience to a roar almost as loud as one of a Boxing Day test at the MCG. We want to thank Mr Tomlin and Andrew for being not only the best guitarist and drummer, but also for making The Big Sing possible this year. Clayton was terrific and his efforts and kindness are certainly to be commended."

The Year 12 Athletics Carnival took place on 16th August. Congratulations go to all students who participated. Champions and runners up were announced at the assembly on 30th August. This year's Champions were Sarah Hynes of Floreat House and Wil Powell of Floreat House.

Runner up was Jacob Stafford of Brighton House with third place going to Ross Kimberley of Trigg House.



Sarah Hynes (12-F2) Year 12 Athletics Carnival Champion



Wil Powell (12-F1) Year 12 Athletics Carnival Champion



Jacob Stafford (12-B3) Year 12 Athletics Carnival Runner up

Ross Kimberley (12-T2) Year 12 Athletics Carnival Third Placing

### <mark>Year 12</mark> Report

### From the Library

A special presentation took place during the assembly on 30th August to recognise the achievement of Floreat student, Jo Cavanagh. Jo participated in the Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme and was presented with her certificate showing her achievement of the Bronze Award. To achieve this she learnt Mandarin and Yoga. She also volunteered at a Red Cross op shop and did a three day trek on the Bibbulmun track. She said that the whole experience was all very rewarding!

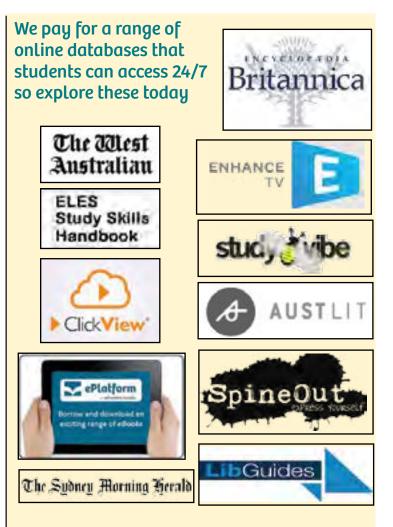


Jo Cavanagh (12-F4)



On behalf of all of the House Coordinators I would like to wish all of our Year 12 students a successful conclusion to their courses. I look forward to seeing everyone dressed in their academic best at the Presentation Ceremony.

### Pash Hollands Year 12 Floreat House Coordinator



Enjoy our great range of audio books – Playaways – a compact little player with headphones.



### Mathematics Year 9 and 10 AEP





### On the 24th of July, the Year 9 and 10 AEP Maths students attended an excursion to the University of Western Australia

The eventful day started off with a few post graduate students talking to us about their studies at the university. After that we separated into a few groups and attended three challenging activities based on mathematical concepts that most of us had never thought about before. We learnt about fractals, ways to find solutions and bar codes. Lastly, everyone gathered together and sat in a lecture about the fundamentals, dynamics and emergence of engineering.

I really enjoyed this excursion as it gave us students, a broad idea of the many career pathways of the study of mathematics. The excursion encouraged me to look further into the numerous courses available at the university under the mathematics pathway and consider studying some of them. I'm very happy that I had the opportunity to attend the excursion.

Article by Tasneem Matthews (10-F2)

Karen Choi Mathematics Teacher

### School Psychologist R U Okay? Day



Churchlands SHS were delighted to host our annual R U OK? Day on Thursday, 21st September in order to promote social and emotional wellbeing and raise our school's awareness about local mental health services

Churchlands SHS supported positive mental health by organising several lunch time activities and an Expo in the gym, with many agencies in attendance, such as Act-Belong-Commit, Anglicare, Headspace, Helping Minds, Sideffects, Youth Focus and more. Our Student Councillors sold pizza to raise money for the R U OK? Foundation and all students participated in a mindfulness activity during form.

A huge thank you to the Act-Belong-Commit Team for their time and dedication in organising this successful event and to all the staff who also supported on the day!

Tenille Wright School Psychologist

### Calendar Term 4

### **EXAMS**

18

Year 12 ATAR Exams	1-21 November
Year 11 Practical Exams	23-27 October
Year 11 Written Exams/Practical Learning	30 October - 10 November
Year 10 Exams	13-22 November
Years 8-9 Exams	13-16 November

### **OCTOBER**

9	Students return to school	20	MPC
	P & C Meeting 7:30pm	23	Year
11	Athletics Practice Day		Junio
13	Year 12 Visual Art Graduation Exhibition	23-24	Year
16	MPC Meeting 7:30pm	24	2018
17	Senior School late library 4:30-6:30pm		Junio
17-18	Year 8 Immunisations (3)	25	USA
18	Interschool Athletics Carnival		(retu
	Chamber Concert 5	27	Year
19	Year 12s last day of school	27	Year
	- Assembly P2		(retu
	- Dinner Dance	28	Year
	Year 10-11 Assembly (P2) with Year 12	29	Year
	Year 7 AEP Science Excursion		AEP
20	Music Presentation Night		Year
	Year 11 PES Volleyball Competition	DECEM	<u>18ER</u>
24	Senior School late library 4:30-6:30pm	1	Years
27	School Tour 9:30am		Scho
30-31	Student Leadership Camp	3	Seco
	Senior School late library 4:30-6:30pm	4-6	Stud
NOVEN		7	Lowe
4-5	Solo Vocal Festival		Exhit
6	Years 7-10 Performances Poetry in Action		Year
7	Year 8 AEP English Young Writers Day	8	Chris
	Year 6 Parent Info Night	11	Per
	- Music Parents 6-7pm		Year
	- All Parents 7-8pm	12	Year
8	Years 9-11 AIME Program Day 5	13	Final
9	Year 8 AEP English Young Writers Day		Years
10	Year 11 Languages Class Dinner	14	End
	Foundation Rugby Coaching Course	15	End
	Remembrance Day		
11	Remembrance Day Service at Kings Park		
13	P & C Meeting 7:30pm	Stu	dents
	Year 11 students return to school	on	Wed
	- Last day of school		
	- Dinner Dance		

- Year 12 Presentation Ceremony
- C Meeting 7:30pm
- 11 results mailed home ior Boys Water Polo Tournament
- · 6 Orientation Day
- 8 Years 8-12 Orientation Morning ior Girls Water Polo Tournament
- Basketball tour departs urn Dec 12)
  - r 12 Clearance Day
- 10 Outdoor Education Camp urn 1 December)
- 9 AEP Science Excursion
- 7 Student Leadership Session 7 Information Meeting for 7s in 2018

- rs 7-10 Netball Carnival ool Tour 9:30am
- ond Hand Books Sale
- dent Council Election Week
- er School Arts and Technology ibition 2 r 10 Immunisation
- istmas Concert
- C Meeting 7:30pm
- 9 Outdoor Ed Excursion Day 1 9 Outdoor Ed Excursion Day 2
- IL School Assembly
  - rs 7-10 reports distributed in Form
- of School Year for Students
- of School Year for Staff

### s begin new schooling year Inesday 31 January 2018.

# Sports Netball and Basketball



Year 8 Netball Team 1

### Lower Division Year 8 Netball Team 1

After winning their zone final of the High Schools Cup Competition, the Lower Division (Year 8) Team 1 progressed to the State Elimination Day Carnival on Friday 28 July at Fremantle Netball Association

With their first encounter of Interschool Netball at this level our Year 8 Team 1 were highly competitive and managed to win every game, reaching the Quarter finals.

The girls played level headed and consistent Netball all day in horrendous weather conditions but unfortunately lost to Manjimup which ended their unbeaten winning streak. Well done to all the girls who represented themselues and Churchlands at such a high level. Their positive attitude, sportsmanship and level of netball skills during the competition, was outstanding and is to be commended. To be one of the top eight schools of a State-wide competition is a fantastic achievement and they should hold their heads up high!

Thank you to our team managers/umpires Katrina Martin and Ashley McHutchison who volunteered their time to assist at the carnivals.

Amanda Monaghan Netball Coordinator





Girls Junior Basketball

### **Junior Basketball**

In Week 3 on the 2nd of August, ten ladies and ten gentlemen from Years 7-9 boarded the Churchlands school bus on route to Warwick Basketball Stadium for the annual North Metro Competition. Our Churchlands students looking sharp in their basketball school colours looked to be a threat to others early. Coming up against our rivals at Shenton College made for great court side entertainment for coaches Miss Davy and Mr Werner.

Despite the girls' team lacking some height, they put up a great fight and won nearly all their games. Unfortunately defeated in the Semi Final to then play off for third place. A fantastic effort by the girls team!

The boys were strong contenders from game one. Shenton College being the big challenge for the boys who they came head to head with in the Grand Final. The Churchlands boys remained composed to come away with a convincing win to be named champions of the competition. They now go on to play in the next round. Well done boys!

A great day with excellent sportsmanship on display!

Amber Davy Basketball Coordinator

### Sports Athletics Carnival

### All four carnivals enjoyed dry weather and each began with penguin jokes from Mr Marson

The Champion group experienced professional timing gates with access to all of their performances on the "Timing HQ" website complete with tracking their personal bests from previous years, thanks to Timing Solutions. Competitors enjoyed Usain Bolt style 100m dash and stacked up so many house points on the field events that it broke Mr Dunn's calculator! Congratulations to all competitors for their outstanding efforts and sportsmanship.

A special mention to the following individual champions and record breakers:

### Athletics House Champions 2017

#### School Records

Year 7: Emma Morris high jump 1.30m, Tara Davidovic triple jump 8.87m, Rohan MacNeill discus 27.85m and Charlie Martin high jump 1.50m (equal record)

Year 8: Jacob Hristianopoulos long jump 5.21m and high jump 1.66m, Aidan Ismail triple jump 11.46m.

Year 9: Amberley Potts shot 8.70m (equal record)

Our interschool team has been selected and training hard every Monday afternoon and Wednesday morning. A reminder that relay trainings are during lunch on Thursday and we are looking forward to the Practice Day (first Wednesday) and Interschool Carnival (second Wednesday) next term. A BIG THANK YOU to all PE staff and student VET officials - without them our carnivals would not be possible.

### Sasha Pomeroy Physical Education

Year	Champion Boys/Girls	Runner-Up Boys/Girls	3rd Place Champion Boys/Girls
7	<ul><li>Arthur Baker</li><li>Tess Morris</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Harry Birks</li> <li>Annabelle Jones</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Connor Morris</li><li>Holly Fraser</li></ul>
8	<ul><li>Aidan Ismail</li><li>Maggie McCabe</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Jacob Hristianopoulos</li> <li>Lily Ansell</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Egybert Lin</li><li>Eva Butler</li></ul>
9	<ul><li>Thomas Noordzy</li><li>Zahra Amos</li></ul>	<ul><li>Connor Leigh/Lachlan Duggan</li><li>Chelsea Humphry</li></ul>	<ul><li>William Wiggett</li><li>Mikaela Swart/Cintia D'Cress</li></ul>
10	<ul><li>Harry Falloon</li><li>Jade Whyte</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sam Coombes</li><li>Zoe Newton</li></ul>	Hudson Hope     Kate Roux
11	<ul><li>Finn Galuin</li><li>Sasha Goranova</li></ul>	<ul><li>Scot McLean</li><li>Shannon Mitchell</li></ul>	<ul><li>Sam Cooper</li><li>Chloe Gurner</li></ul>
12	<ul><li>Will Powell</li><li>Sarah Hynes</li></ul>	<ul><li>Jacob Stafford</li><li>No female runner-up</li></ul>	<ul><li> Ross Kimberley</li><li> No female runner-up</li></ul>

### AH Sport at Churchlands SHS Sports Hall

AH Sport is an indoor sporting services provider, delivering after work hours sports competitions to all participants. Located conveniently in the Churchlands Senior High School Sports Hall, AH Sport provides participants a safe, engaging, and fun filled sporting environment at an affordable price. The primary competition service will be Futsal (indoor soccer), with plans to include other sports in the near future.

Team registration is now open! For more information please visit <u>www.ahsport.net</u>. We also cater for casual court hires, so please contact us via the website for more information.

For regular updates and promotional events please ensure you visit and like/share our Facebook page: https://www.facebook.com/AHSportChurchlands/



### Student Achievements Congratulations



Finbar MacCarthy (12-S1) and Eric Bhangu (12-F1)

- Michael Swan (11-T2)
- Sara Harsanyi (11-T3)

Luci King (10-F2)

Congratulations to our Technologies students who had great success at the WA's premier "Out of the Woods" Competition and Exhibition organised by the Fine Wood Work Association WA Inc. August 4-6.

Year 12 (Artistic)	Year 11 (Artistic)
First Place: Eric Bhangu - Land Board	Third Place: Michael Swan - Bi-Plane
	Commended: Sara Harsanyi - Bi-Plane
Note: Finbarr MacCarthy was the creator of the	Year 10
design that was lasered onto the long board.	Third Place: Luci King - Lap Steel Guitar



**Trent Barwick (11-B3)** on being selected for the State U-19 Softball Team recently, will be travelling interstate in 2018 to represent WA.



Hannah Rankine (7-T4) represented WA in the 2017 Kung Fu WuShu Championships and won a bronze medal in the duals held in Perth in August.



Lachlan Hardy (11-B1) and Kiran Prashanth (11-B3) have made it on the U-17 WA Squad team and will compete in the National Cricket Championships in Brisbane late September. Lachlan is also named co-vice captain of the team.

Maria Swan (09-T2) and Rhys Allan (10-T3) represented Australia in the Judo Cadet World Championships in Chile in August. This is an amazing achievement.





Seren Sweeney (7-S1) and Alice Harwood (7-F3) represented Scarborough Surf Lifesaving Club and won the relay team in the WA Surf Lifesaving and Pool Rescue Championships held in Claremont 1st July.

### Student Achievements Congratulations



### **HARTEUR** gotfar Fred

ileite hiis idre







#### Callum

Timmins (12-S2) represented WA in the 2017 Tri Series Young Socceroos team and won 4-0 against Singapore National Youth team in Forrestfield, WA.

Callum also captained the Young Socceroos team in the match.



Connor Morris (7-B1) is selected in the final WA 12s Boys Basketball Team. He will travel to Adelaide in December to participate in the Pacific School Games.



Marie (7-F4) and Andre Beidatsch (7-F1) participated in a soccer camp coached by the Liverpool Football Club staff at the Liverpool Football Club's Youth Academy UK. A great opportunity for the siblings.



Nikki Sharp (7-S5) and Brice Chapman (8-B4) represented WA in the U13 Ginsberg Ice Hockey Tournament in August and won bronze medals in the competition. Nikki scored the game winning goal.











Lakoya Abdullah (10-B3) was nominated by AIME ECU Mt Lawley as their representative in the National AIME's GOT GAME Talent Scout competition. Lakoya is in the running to fly to Sydney to help write and perform an Indigenous anthem with other young Indigenous Australians.

### Follow the Dream by Lakoya Abdullah

This term I was lucky enough to go on a tour of the UWA Campus with Follow the Dream. Although I was the only person from our school, I met two new friends, both from different schools. When I first got to the campus, I felt quite awkward not knowing anybody but when we got into our first activity, that changed. Even though playing with robots isn't something I'm good at or enjoy, I had a fun time bonding over how bad I was, with my new friends. After that activity we went on a tour of the dorm rooms and even went in one. After all of the walking we had done, we sat down and enjoyed the buffet for lunch. My favourite thing there was the ice-cream machine. After our tiring day of walking around it was time for us to go home. Overall I had a great day and can't wait for the next Follow the Dream excursion.

### Languages Akashi Nishi Exchange Program



**Excursion to Fremantle** 

We once again welcomed students from Akashi Nishi High School in Japan to Churchlands Senior High School as part of our annual exchange for two weeks of fun, friendship and learning Students enjoyed a variety of experiences, from Japanese calligraphy lessons to zip-lining and canoeing at Bickley Camp; forming lasting friendships along the way.

A big thank you to all involved for making this another successful exchange.

Rick Johnston, Katrina Meldrum, Leah Crawford and Lee Ellis Japanese Language Teachers



Akashi Nishi Vice Principal Shigeki Azumi presents Japanese artwork to Associate Principal Bernie Dunn



Associate Principal Bernie Dunn presents books as part of the gift exchange to the Japanese delegation

### Languages Akashi Nishi Exchange Program





All geared up getting ready for canoeing

**Canoeing at Bickley Camp** 



Taking on the 'flying fox' challenge





Students enjoying their time in Fremantle

Japanese calligraphy lessons

### Languages Languages Week

### Kaya, Nĭ hǎo, Konnichiwa and Bonjour!

Do you know... seventy five percent of the world's population does not speak English and that there are over 7000 different languages spoken around the world!

From 7-11 August Churchlands celebrated International Languages Week with Form competitions, movies and cultural activities. It was a great week to recognise the importance of Languages in our ever changing, multicultural society. A big congratulations to Year 10-B3 for winning the Languages Kahoot pizza lunch and a big thank you to all involved for making it such a successful week.

### The Languages Department

Churchlands SHS Languages Week poster





### Languages Week / m

Cultural Quiz to celebrate Languages Week

Challenge 1

Challenges are coming soon! Learn more about it.





Languages Kahoot won by Mia Millard 10-B3

Languages Kahoot cultural quiz

Play >



Year 10-B3 winner of the Languages Kahoot Pizza Lunch

### Languages Year 11 French Class



### Last term, the Year 11 French class organised a big breakfast

They were ready to start the day with croissants, crepes, baguettes and much more. Bon appétit bien sûr!

Laurence Lin French Teacher

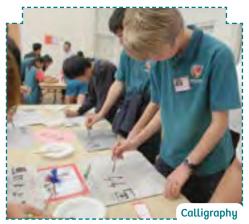


### Languages Year 9 Chinese Day

**Chinese Day was** organised as a part of the Languages program for Year 9 students learning **Chinese in Western** Australia by the Chinese **Language Teachers** Association of WA

Students from Churchlands SHS, as well as many other schools, had the opportunity to explore Chinese culture through various hands-on activities, such as Chinese calligraphy, tea ceremony, martial arts, jianzi making and bamboo drawing. Chinese Day is a great way for students to experience educational benefits and make new friends.

Susan Wei **Chinese Teacher** 







A SCHOOL OF OPPORTUNITIES

### Science Science Week Titration Olympics

During Science Week 14-18 August, forty four of our Year 12 Chemistry students used their newly developed volumetric analysis skills to accurately determine the concentration of an unknown solution under the pressure of competition

For those who are not scientifically inclined, this does not look particularly exciting. However for the competitors there is a great deal of satisfaction to be gained from carrying out a titration with accuracy and consistency.



Place getters Second: Indira Fernandes and Tina Ma Third: Boyi Sun and Meg Stephens, Jeet Patel and Lucas Vanderklift



Jeet Patel keeps a close watch on progress as Lucas Vanderklift titrates.



Meg Stephens and Boyi Sun carry out the final calculation.

Many groups performed excellently, however there could be only one winning team. The winners, Ariel Tan and Jessie Wang, calculated the concentration closest to the predetermined value to claim first place and are now the proud holders of the prestigious "Golden Pipette" trophy.

Jason Smithies Assistant Head of Science



Worthy winners Jessie Wang and Ariel Tan are the 2017 holders of the coveted "Golden Pipette" trophy.



Isabel Weng focuses intently at a crucial moment.



Sophie Amos shows great technique as Holly Tunstall swirls.



Ethan Loo and Gabriel Ng combine their skills well.

### Science **National Science Week**



Year 8 student Hannah Hillmer helping the "Good to Grow" garden group at the school shade house. Around twenty five students assisted the "Good to Grow" group during July-August in their huge fundraising effort.



Trees for Survival - part of the displays at the library



Library display with plants in the foreground being produced by the 'Good 2 Grow' group

### This year's theme for National Science Week was on Environment and Churchlands demonstrates its Sustainability focus

Michael Barr (Earth and Environment teacher) recently set up this wonderful display with the help of his students in the library. The display celebrates three decades of the Churchlands SHS "Trees for Survival Program" which produces seedlings each year which are planted in the wheatbelt area of WA.

Beverley, Corrigin and Brookton are districts that have benefitted from the 80 000 + seedlings that have been nurtured at school and then planted in an effort to reduce salinity and to assist revegetation programs.

Jim Bell Sustainability Coordinator



Year 8 students Olivia Makin, Peter Sherlock Alice Hawksworth planting eucalyptus seedlings during the recent Trees for Survival Camp in Corrigin.

Year 7 students Sienna Rawson, Alice Hawksworth and Sarah Chappell on the recent "Trees for Survival Camp".

and Eloise Hunter helping out at the

Churchlands shade house.

### **STEM Program STEM Competition Galore**





3D printed ship by Simon Nakada

Year 8 students getting serious with their Solar Vehicle design for their solar car

Robot dinosaurs are here









Wonderful collection of student made pasta cars

### Term 2 of the Churchlands STEM Program finished with a bridge building competition which was run across the STEM Specialist classes and the after school STEM Club

Congratulations to the Year 10s who built a bridge strong enough to hold a Year 7 student!

In Term 3, a number of amazing challenges were taken on by students involved in the Churchlands STEM Program.

- Students learned how to program in Python and solve puzzles using our Edison Robots.
- We have had 3 entrants in the National STEM Video Game Design Competition Good luck!
- Our STEM Club members designed, built and programmed their own custom robots that used lights, sensors and motors with our Hummingbird Robotics Kits.
- Expert bridge builders from Year 8 and Year 9 competed in the state Bridge Building Competition at Scitech. Although they may not have taken home the big prize, they certainly gave the competition a scare!
- Our Year 7 masters of science competed in the STEM Club Science quiz, with the winners enjoying a pizza lunch.
- We sent our first team to Curtin University to compete in the Robocup competition where they displayed phenomenal critical thinking skills.
- We recently held our inaugural STEM Club Pasta Car competition where students had just 50 minutes to build a car using nothing but pasta and glue. The results were spectacular check out the photos!

A new semester of STEM Specialist course has started with some fantastic projects, many amazing 3D designs, coding and software skills being put on display.

We're not done for the year, students are currently preparing for the Infinite Energy Solar Car challenge next term, along with many other fantastic opportunities. Well done to all the students for their hard work so far.



Interested in checking out STEM Club? Feel free to pop by on Mondays after school in the F activity area. See you there!

Dr Grant Pusey STEM Coordinator

Bridge Building Competition

### **STEM Program STEM Competition Galore**



Building a bridge, tower or perhaps both?



Magnificent designs in Pasta Car Challenge



Sandy Chen finishes her first 3D design - a Harry Potter themed life hack



Bridge building



Our new Solar Car Challenge team gets to work on their design





**Churchlands SHS Robocup Team** 



Year 8s building their winning bridge



Building a waving robotic arm in less than 30 minutes



Year 9 team taking on the Aurecon Bridge **Building Competition at Scitech** 



Learning to solder is still a big hit



Year 7s getting to know the robotic equipment



Students build their pasta cars

### Humanities and Social Science (HASS) Year 12 Geography Field Trip





Catching up on work at Kings Park

#### The Geography Crew

# One of the best and most enjoyable experiences we can offer our students is to get them out into the field

The Geography class has had the opportunity to partake in three separate excursions and one incursion this year.

#### Perth and surrounds

This term the class headed out on a full day fieldwork excursion looking at the Perth metropolitan area and its land use zones, processes at work, challenges and planning strategies being implemented to address these challenges. Our excursion included a studies class to West Perth to complete a land use transect, to Kings Park to practise field sketches, to East Perth to look at the \$127 million urban renewal project and to Cockburn Central to check out pros and cons of a transit oriented development.



So which one's the dude Nathan Emery



Adrian Retter finds a winner



Esther Luce, India Sadd and Adrian Retter enjoy the entrance

#### Tamala Park and Balcatta Recycling Centre

The second field trip took us north to study waste management in the northern region of Perth. The students were amazed by the size of this facility and the amount of waste that our community produces. Our tour guide Peg from Mindarie Regional Council, was very informative on a range of issues and certainly did encourage us to reduce our waste on all accounts. The education centre amused the students with an array of items and characters on show made from recycled material.

### Humanities and Social Science (HASS) Year 12 Geography Field Trip

On our return to school, we toured the Balcatta Recycling Centre to look at waste management on a local scale and see how this centre coordinates with Tamala Park. A tip stop without a visit to the recycling shop? Never! Peak hour for the garbage trucks disposing of household waste told us it was time to leave in more ways than one.

On all accounts, the group enjoyed their studies in the field.

Leeana Manifis-Gott HASS Teacher



Patrick Minson considering recycling



In high viz vests at Balcatta





In the field at Cockburn Central

Shopping for Kate Parker, Julia Shepherdson and Jane Terro has never been so much fun

Peak hour...and time to leave



### National Geography Competition

Congratulations to the following students who achieved excellent results in the recent National Geography Competition.

#### **High Distinction**

Year 11: Conor Giumelli, Nicholas Stubbs Ross, Lachlan Andrews.

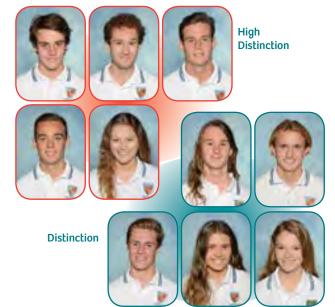
Year 12: Esther Luce, Liam Birch

#### Distinction

Year 11: Branden Stewart-Richardson

Year 12: Benjamin Mercier, Oliver Salisbury, Jane Tero, Thisbe Armanasco

Leeana Manifis-Gott Geography Teacher



### Humanities and Social Science (HASS) **Australian History Competition**

### Congratulations to the following Year 8, 9 and 10 students who participated in the Australian History Competition

These students achieved a Distinction or High Distinction in this competition. This places these students amongst the best History students across Australia.

#### Year 8

#### High Distinction

Derrick George-John, Eve McRoberts, Finnegan Lowry, James Taylor, Olivia Gibson and Sakura Morley Distinction

Alex Warland, Ashton Lavender, Elle Chentang, Imogen Robins, Jacob Shurmer, Patrick Sucher, Ryely Hammond, Simon Eason and Thomas Shepherd

Year 8 High Distinction

### Year 9

**High Distinction** Jack Choate Distinction

Amelia Dyton, Grace Herring, Isabella Rowe, Jack Costello, Paul Payne, Samantha Mayes, Samuel Chan, Saya Middleton, Sophie Matthews, Zack De Ruyter

#### Year 10 Distinction

Amelia Owers, Brianna Lewis, Daniel Hill Almeida, Hannah Matthews, Harry Falloon, Julian Ditthardt, Monet Farrugia, Olivia Bunter, Rachael Rowland, Sean Armstrong, Sophie Lowry, Sreyam Das

Kate Barker History Teacher



**Year 9 Distinction** 





















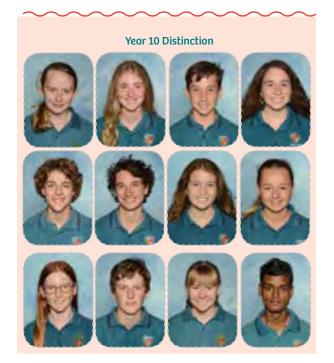
### Humanities and Social Science (HASS) Year 10 AEP Geography

### **African Country Study**

Last term in Geography, we were set the task to analyse a selected African country. The two AEP classes joined up and were put into groups according to what country we were going to research. We researched the main issues facing the country, such as level of poverty, pollution, corruption, war, access to education, income etc. Following this, we presented this information to the other groups and peer-marked for content, analysis and creativity.

A mock investment scenario was then created and the group had to decide whether or not to accept the deal based on the situation of their country, taking into account the main issue of the country. We presented our decision as a news report and peer-marked each of the groups.

The task was a creative way to apply our geographical knowledge to a real-life situation and enable us to put our skills to the test instead of just learning the concepts. It was beneficial for us to work and compromise with people in our group, who had different opinions to our own. This lead to good debates within our group. Making the presentations and news reports was a great way for us improve our knowledge and teach our peers what we had learnt. It was fun to see the creative presentations put forward by our peers.



We now have a better understanding of issues thirdworld-countries face and the types of government intervention that occurs – both positive and negative. We enjoyed this real-world experience, working in groups and finding creative ways to present our ideas and information we'd gathered. It was a fun leaning activity enjoyed by all.

#### Sophie Lowry and Holly Chappell Year 10 AEP Geography students



Joel Bellesini and Romy Puhalovich presenting their research while Brendan Rowland looks on



Michael Humphryson, Will Hoffman, Kate Roux and Kate Easton discussing their country profile



Cara Richardson and Sean Armstrong preparing for their presentation

### Humanities and Social Science (HASS) Business Management & Enterprise

Year 11 Business Management and Enterprise (BME) students were entered in the 'Foundation for Young Australians' competition, partnered with NAB in the twenty dollars Boss Challenge

Students were loaned the sum of twenty dollars each as a start-up cost for a business. As this was only a loan, the money had to be paid back at the end of the competition with a small interest payment.





NAB Corporate Responsibility twenty dollars Boss Challenge

After class discussion,

the students decided it would be better to pool all their money together to set up a donut business. They designed and tested many donuts before narrowing it down to four delicious flavours- Snickers, Maltesers, M&M and Nutella.





Production line for donuts

The BME students had the opportunity to demonstrate the knowledge that they were learning in the classroom such as, writing a business plan, market research, budgeting, sourcing and buying, marketing, production, costing, and human resources management. The class was very successful and managed to make a profit of just over \$1000 from the sales of their donuts.

Donut stall popular with students



Year 11 General BME Class

The students generously donated \$500 (of their profits) to sponsor their Business teacher Miss Killeen, who was running the twelve kilometres

City to Surf to raise money for the charity "Youth off the Streets". This was a charity that had been discussed in lessons. Miss Killeen raised an additional \$500 for this charity, with some support



from Churchlands staff and her Year 7 classes.

The remainder of the profit, paid for a reward excursion to the 'Escape Hunt Experience" in Fremantle. This involved the students working in small groups to solve several tasks to escape the room in the one-hour time limit. This was a wonderful way to reward all the hard work that the students had put into the task. A special mention must be given to Chantelle Fazari who excelled in her role as Project Manager.



Excape Hunt Experience in Fremantle

This was a well-orchestrated, successful and enjoyable enterprise. Well done Year 11!

Business Teacher Rebecca Killeen

# Technologies **Digital Technologies**

#### In Term 3 the Year 12 ATAR Computer Science class undertook an excursion

First visiting The Pawsey Supercomputer in Kensington they learnt about some of the work that the computer undertakes in relation to the SKA (Square Kilometre Array) project as well as the vast amounts of processing that the computer undertakes such as helping to track the MH370, science and research projects. The power and work that the machine undertakes every day is unfathomable as is the amount of electrical energy that the twenty five million dollar computer uses annually.

Next the tour moved onto The Hive at Curtin University. The Hive is a facility that uses immersive and visualisation technologies to assist research. Currently amongst other projects they are looking into underwater oxidisation of metals to assist in planning of long term undersea installations in the north-west shelf by analysing the structures of the sunken WWII vessels HMAS Sydney and Kormoran.





Year 12 ATAR Computer Science at The Hive, Curtin University





The Hive at Curtin University

Magnus Supercomputer

#### Coding Club

An after school Coding Club has started up this term on Tuesday afternoons. The founding students had the opportunity to participate in the NCSS Challenge run by the University of Sydney and includes thousands of secondary participants all over Australia. Although the competition has been running for twelve years this is the first coding club in the school that has participated. In the NCSS Challenge students were faced with challenging weekly programming problems over five weeks that were solved using the Python programming language. Skills

were tested as the competition progressed with some anxious moments near the end. We will have to wait until next year for

the competition again but in the meantime all interested students are welcome to uisit Coding Club in Tech 4 as we turn our sights to other programming adventures.

**Technologies Teacher** Tracy Goodwin



**Paige Reeves and Shaun Giacomel** 

# Technologies 'Try A Trade' Program



Jake Wilcox enjoying taking the lead with his carpentry skills.



Mixing mud for bricklaying got to get correct proportions



Instructor Nobby pauses to share a joke with Corey Carter



Teamwork essential with paving - working together is vital skill in the workplace

A group of Year 10 students took the opportunity to sharpen their carpentry and bricklaying skills by participating in a 'Try a Trade' Program, at Skill Hire WA in Forrestfield

Nobby - a specialist trainer with extensive trade qualifications and with many years working and managing building sites had a great rapport with the students. He delivered clear messages regarding workplace and life skills. At times, Nobby used the moment to speak with the students about expectations of the workplace, attitudes, character and the opportunities that are possible for those interested in pursuing a career in Trades. 'Try a Trade' is a program delivered by Skill Hire WA and funded by Construction Training Fund at no cost to school or students.

The boys came away with a new appreciation for maths and hard work. It was rewarding to see the teamwork and leadership skills that were on display during the program. Carlee Ingleson, VET Coordinator will be planning further programs in the near future.

Carlee Ingleson VET Coordinator



Nobby demonstrates that the final touches make all the difference



The boys show their pride in what they have built

# Technologies Jewellery, Wood and Metal Class



Year 7 Wood Class



Year 7 Wood Class

Year 7 and 10 Metal Class



Jacob Popal (7-T1) working on the lathe



George Lee (10-F2) MIG Welding Toolbox Frame



Kirra Kourellias (7-F3)

Izzy Turpin (10-B4) Grinding her toolbox frame



Sam Pursloge (10-S4) Lathe work hot rod wheels

## Technologies Year 12 2D and 3D CAD

### The Year 12 2D and 3D class designs

**Desmond Parry** Technologiees Teacher



Syra Reshi (12-T4)



Syra Reshi's blue tooth stereo system designed in AutoCad 2D which is another Autodesk.com software product that students at Churchlands SHS use to complete projects.



Ba Loc Le (12-S3)



Ba Loc Le's blue tooth stereo system designed in AutoCad 2D.



Filip Ciupac (12-S4)



Filip Ciupac's rendered double storey house designed in Revit 2016 and rendered in 3Ds Max.



Vedant Patel (12-T2)



Vedant Patel's blue tooth stereo system with LED signage display.



Zach Weber (12-B2)



Zach Weber's blue tooth stereo system with LED signage display.



Leon Armanasco (12-S3)



Leon Armanasco's blue tooth stereo system. Designed in AutoCAD 2D which is another Autodesk.com software product that students use to complete projects.

# Technologies 2D, 3D CAD and Visual Arts CAD

### The Future of Making Awesome Products

The Create It Make It Club is growing in student numbers and the create it team are enjoying using Autodesk.com software to make future awesome products.

Simon Nakada (10-F1) developed the idea of making a warship out of a wooden base and 3D printed component parts. This has been a collaborative design project with STEM and The Create it Make it club. Congratulations Simon on a well thought out design.

#### Desmond Parry Technologiees Teacher



The Create It Make It Club







Simon Nakada (10-F1)



Warship made out of wooden base and 3D printed component parts







The Double Storey House designed in Revit 2016 and rendered



The Bench Vice designed in Inventor Pro and rendered in 3Ds Max



block



Vice designed in Rendered mounting

and rendered in 3Ds Max

Desk Organiser designed in AutoCAD 3D



## Technologies Home Economics

### Eat more Vegetables

So we are being recommended to eat five serves of vegetables a day. How can we do this when a lot of people don't like vegetables and don't know how to cook them?

The Year 8s had to come up with some vegetable dishes that would be good to eat as a snack.

These were some of the foods that were presented

Vegetable scrolls, pumpkin pies, spring rolls, samosas, homemade chips and sauce, frittata, fried rice, spinach and feta triangles, pumpkin scones, margherita pizza to name a few.

Makes eating vegetables seem more appealing!!!



**Rachel Tan and Sara Coppin** 



Sue Childs and Arielle Savoury



Brice Chapman, Flavio Colonetti and Mattais Bull



Jamie Vung, Jendy Dizon and Elle Chentang

#### **Makeup Guest Speakers**

Our Looking Good students were lucky to have a guest speaker who graduated from Churchlands last year.

Rachel Tan visited our classes to talk to the girls about life after school. She is enrolled in a Bachelor of Health Science (Naturopathy) at Endeavour College.

She also has a keen interest in makeup application and uses makeup which is vegan and cruelty free.

Rachel conducted some mini demonstrations with the girls showing them the art of perfectly shaped brows and contouring tips.

The students enjoyed having the chance to talk to somebody relatable and to learn a little more about ethical makeup brands.

Sue Childs came in to demonstrate how to apply a full makeup. Sue has a daughter Jenna in Year 11 and has had over twenty years' experience in the beauty industry.

We really appreciate our connections with the wider Churchlands community.

Jo Clarke Home Economics Teacher

# Technologies Hospitality

### Akashi Nishi Home Economics Lesson

Students from Akashi Nishi High School in Japan were visiting Churchlands during Term 3 and had the opportunity to participate in a Home Economics lesson. The students made Anzac biscuits and enjoyed sharing the experience with their host students from Year 10.





#### **Prepare and Present Sandwiches**

One of the units of competency for Hospitality is Prepare and Present Sandwiches and students are required to make sandwiches for customers

As a result of this requirement, staff were invited to come and participate in a "Subway" lunch. Teachers got to select their sandwiches and the students made them to order.

Megan Lebihan Home Economics Teacher

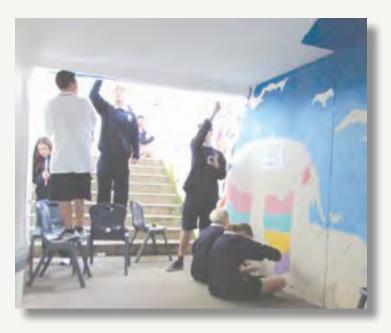








## Visual Arts Anti Litter Mural



### The Year 11 Visual Arts General class have designed a new mural being painted in the stairwell leading to the new Maths/Languages block

Using public art processes and procedures, working in conjunction with the Anti-Litter Committee, the class has developed a large pictorial representation that will inspire students in the school to put their rubbish away and reduce the amount of litter blowing around the yard. They have referenced popular culture themes and modern graffiti styles to make the imagery appealing and relevant to the students. We hope this large art piece will be complete before the end of the academic year for these students.

Beth Harcourt Visual Arts Teacher









## Aboriginal Student Support Moorditj Wongki

I have been honoured to chair the Supporting Aboriginal Students Committee with a team of passionate committee members with vast experience working with Aboriginal students

2016 was an inaugural year with Nyungar language being spoken by local Nyungar students during 'Welcome to Country' ceremonies at school assemblies and formal events.

Our Aboriginal students are impacting their local community with Takayla Quince (Year 10) designing an award winning Indigenous Jersey for the local Wembley Downs football club to be released later this year.



Takayla Quince, winner of Indigenous Jersey Design for Wembley Downs Football Club with Nyungar Dancers during NAIDOC celebrations at Luketina Reserve, Wembley Downs.



The dolphin will be painted and displayed in Hay Street and then we will have it at the school.



Marie Taylor displays aboriginal art to students.

In sharing Wadjuk Nyungar Dreaming stories and culture, Marie Taylor focused on the Swan river and Nyungar interaction with Dolphins. This was to prepare our students for their role in our next artistic project – Big Splash WA.

The Big Splash WA is a program that centres around mental health issues for young people and Tenille Wright, School Psychologist has taken the lead in promoting the Act, Belong, Commit message to our students. The Act, Belong, Commit message has a strong resonance with Traditional Nyungar culture and will be an important platform for our Aboriginal students in promoting the message to the whole school and wider community.

Our Aboriginal students will be painting a dolphin sculpture. The dolphin will be displayed in Hay Street and then we will have it at the school. Our Aboriginal students will express their own and traditional stories, which will also prepare them in the development of future projects of CSHS Indigenous Logo and Sports Jersey design.

Coming to Perth in 2018, The Big Splash WA dolphin trail will see between 35 and 50 life-sized dolphins take up

residence in iconic locations around Perth. This interactive art display will be a spectacular sculpture trail for all to enjoy, and taking the family for a day out to visit the dolphins will be a must-do activity.

The trail of dolphins will be on display for eight weeks, giving families and school groups the opportunity to visit them all.

Roger Harris Chair - Supporting Aboriginal Students Committee

Marie Taylor, local Wadjuk Nyungar Elder (Boodia) has shared Dreaming Stories with our Aboriginal students

and has taken a group of CSHS staff on cultural learning journey, in an interactive experience, to demonstrate how Nyungar culture and values can teach our Western society about fulfilment and wellbeing.



Marie Taylor local Wadjuk Nyungar Elder takes CSHS Aboriginal students on a cultural learning journey.

# From the Student Support Officer

### Good Start Breakfast Program

The Breakfast Program on Friday mornings has been very well attended throughout the term. We estimate



between seventy to one hundred students gather from 8:00 am onwards to enjoy a toasted jaffle, cereal, fruit, toast, Milo and juice. We are fortunate to have the

Patiently queueing to get their breakfast

Heads of Year, Chaplains, First Aid staff, Community Service volunteers and others to help feed the hungry horde. A special mention to Nicholas Carmichael who comes every week at 7:30 am to set up which makes it so much easier for all of us. This wonderful school-wide program is supported by Foodbank WA and is appreciated by all the students who benefit at Churchlands SHS.

#### Australian Indigenous Mentoring Experience (AIME)

The AIME Days are held at ECU Mt Lawley over a couple of days each term. The Year 9-12 students continued their 2017 AIME journey with Day 3 and 4 this term. Pia, Imara, Sienna and volunteer AIME Mentors presented a lively and engaging program that included inspirational videos, music and dance. Our students were involved in activities in view to identifying and pledging their personal BRAVE Goals (Big, Risky, Absolute, Visionary and Endless). Students created vision boards to make their goals come to life. Later in the day, a fun time was had by all competing in challenges that included decorating biscuits that reflected Aboriginal Pride, and rocking out crazy moves in Flamingo Dancing! On Day 4, the students were forced out of their comfort zone. They were encouraged to write their own stories or life chapters that will be compiled and made into a book to inspire the next generation of AIME Mentees. Some students chose to share their personal story which had a profound effect on the participants, reflected by the overwhelming applause. Everyone achieved stardom in the Minute-To-Win-It competitions, with students learning new skills such as finger-knitting, apple stacking and watermelon physics.

On the day, we were fortunate to have Shaq Morton, who works in the PE Department at Churchlands, accompany us and provide the younger Mentees with a positive role model. Special mention to Trent Barwick who stepped up and took on an AIME Mentor role on the day. He rose above and beyond to perform the role with maturity that was ratified by the senior AIME Mentors. As a result, Trent has been invited to attend as a Mentor for the Year 7 and 8 AIME Day in Term 4.



AIME watermelon physics



CSHS AIME Dudes Shaq Morton and Geoffrey Lewis (9-F4)



Brand new AIME mentor Trent Barwick (11-B3)



CSHS AIME girls Breanna Anderson (9-S3) and Lakoya Abdullah (10-F3)



AIME Mentors Sienna and Pia

## From the Student Support Officer

#### Yarn Club

Yarn Club is held during lunchtime on Wednesdays and has continued to grow in numbers throughout Term 3. We regularly see around eight to twelve students looking for a feed and some good conversation. AIME Mentors Pia and Imara have been joining us for lunch whenever possible so they get to know the students a little better, and to build on the relationships established on the AIME university days.

**Special mention** to Alayah Hill, Sianah Larkin, Darcy Campbell, Carson Pikkert, Lakoya Abdullah and Takayla Quince for performing the Acknowledgement of Country at various assemblies this term.



Lunchtime Yarn Club

#### AIME Tutor Squad

The AIME Tutor Squad continues to draw between five to ten Indigenous students each week. These sessions are held after school on Tuesdays and are supervised by Carole Eliot and myself. The students are supported by a handful of volunteer AIME Mentors, who are university students themselves, to complete homework and school allocated tasks.



Tutor Squad with AIME Mentors

Rachael McCoy (8-T1) at Tutor Squad

Mitchell Fryer-Nettleton (7-B1) and Jyrone Rings (8-F1)



Alayah Hill and Sianah Larkin who performed the Acknowledgement of Country.



Andrea Stacey Student Support Officer

**AIME chats** 

## News on Workplace Learning

### Our Workplace Learning students have completed their first block placement for 2017 in Semester 1

Prior to going out on their placement, students were required to complete a Work Readiness program which covered Occupational Health and Safety, rights and responsibilities in the workplace and an overview of workplace etiquette. All these culminated in students attending their Work Placement in Weeks 5 and 6 of Term 2.

Students were placed in just about every Industry you could think of - from Doggy Day Care to Aged Care and Automotive to Seven West Media. Each student was immersed in an Industry they want to explore for their future career development. It's always great to hear about each student's experience on their placement and funny to hear students say they are glad to be back at school and not starting work at 6am!

Our placements would not be possible without the wonderful team at Western Workplace Learning. Dale Mahoney, Kim Munt, Linda Kinnamont and Fiona Gatey who spend many hours locating placements, ensuring all the paperwork is complete and also drive all over Perth to visit students. Without their vast knowledge our students would not have these opportunities with wonderful host employers. I would also like to thank the parents of our students for their ongoing support of this program. We have had many wonderful parents getting up early to drive their children to far off places, parents rearranging their

own schedule to ensure their child gets the most out of this experience and also for having the patience to deal with some very tired students at the end of the two-week block.

As part of the program both myself and Clare Slodecki have the opportunity to visit students during their placements. We not only get to speak to the students about how they are going at work, but also gain feedback from their Host Employers. We have had an overwhelming influx of positive messages about our students and how they have developed such a strong work ethic at such a young age. We had many students attain part time work from this experience and some Host Employers were reluctant to let them return to school as they were such a great team member!!

Finally, I would like to thank the Host Employers who have been amaging supporters of this program and sharing their knowledge and wisdom with our students. Without their belief and guidance throughout the program many students would leave school with little understanding of what experiences they may have in their future pathways. These generous employers are listed below:

**ABN Group** ActiveBody Fitness Club All Perth Plumbing Anaconda - Innaloo Anytime Fitness Stirling Fitness Centre Audi Centre Perth Aussie Living Homes Austin Computers - Osborne Park Australian College of Beauty Therapy Bada Bing Café Banhams WA Barbagallo Bert Bennett Panel Centre Bethanie Geneff - Innaloo Canine Cuddles Carine Primary School - Phys Ed Specialist Carlino Cabinet Works Chamber of Commerce & Industry Chris Huzzard Studios Claremont Football Club

**Compass Electrical** Deanmore Primary School Decks, Roofs & Pergolas Dome Café - Leederville Dome Café - Waikiki Doubleview Primary School Duncraig Primary School Duncraig Vet Hospital East Perth Football Club (Inc) Focus Hair Studio Foot Locker - City Furntech Joinery Gilmour & Jooste Electrical **HIA Insurance Services** Hoes Electrical Contractors Holy Rosary Primary School Jim Kidd Sports Carine Juniper John Bryant K & S Bricklayers Service K9 to 5 Dog Day Care & Grooming Kaffeine Café & Pizzeria Kanyana Wildlife Rehabilitation Centre Inc. Karrinyup Primary School Katana Surfboards La Vie Interiors Lady Latte Lake Gwelup Primary School Lake Monger Primary School Landsdale Farm School Lawley's Bakery Café - Osborne Park Lazco Refrigeration - Sheet Metal Lifestyle Cabinets Lifestyle Furniture Loftus Recreation Centre Lords Sports Club Centre Master Plastering Contractors Matera Electrics Maurice Meade - Karrinyup Centre Mercure Hotel Perth - Events Mick Timmins & Sons Midas Plumbing Moscarda Cabinets Mount Hawthorn Primary School Mulberry Tree Child Care (MTCC) MTCC Wembley Downs MTCC and Kindy Doubleview MTCC Scarborough MTCC and Kindy Wembley My Best Friend Veterinary Centre Myer - Perth City New Norcia Bakeries Nood Café Scarborough North City Holden Plus Fitness 24/7 Joondalup Rahul Watson Carpentry RC Air Conditioning Refrigeration West Oz Pty Ltd Riding For The Disabled - Carine **Rottnest Fast Ferries** Salon Express - Innaloo Seven West Media Siderno Caffe & Ristorante St John Of God - Subiaco Stevlec Electrical Pty Ltd Stirling Furniture Company Style Me Peachy Swan Transit Swanbourne Veterinary Centre

### **News** on **Workplace Learning**

Tapair Tim Davies Landscaping Tiny Beez Child Care Centre Titan Carpentry Total Glamour Hair and Beauty Travis Hayto Photography Tropico Tuart Hill Primary School

Unique Metals UON Pty Ltd Warriapendi Early Learning Centre Warwick Grove Florist Wembley Downs Primary School Wembley Primary School Wembley Veterinary Hospital West Leederville Primary School

Westar Plumbing & Gas Western Cabinets Westpoint Star Westway Plumbing & Co Woodlands Primary School Woolworths Morley Yuluma Primary School

**Carlee Ingleson VET Coordinator** 





Amy Goodwin (11-S1)

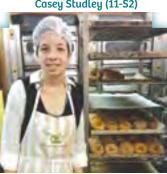


Areeshay Renata (12-S)



Tayah Lawrence (11-B3)

Casey Studley (11-S2)



Cassy Carnuccio (11-T3)



Corey Stone (11-T3)



Cooper Bailey (11-F3)



David McFadden (12-S2)



Harry Holt (12-T2)



Isobel Douaston-Korhonen (11-B2)



Jackson Loney (12-S1)



Keenan Ryan (12-T3)

Mediatrice Nzoyikorera (12-S1)

# WASSEA's **Young Originals Exhibition**

The exhibition is sponsored by the Western Australian Secondary School Executives Association (WASSEA) in partnership with Edith Cowan University, School of Arts and Humanities, and the Sangora Education Foundation. The exhibition celebrates the innovative creative visual arts programs delivered in Western Australian public schools and the talents of our young artists.

This year a record number of over 200 entries were received by the organizers.

So congratulations to:

Maddie Hunter (10-T4) Rami Lee-Newman (11-T2) Sebastian Komatsu (11-B1) Saoirse Hunter-O'Brien (12-B4) Johanna Saunders (12-F2) Prutha Shah (12-F2) Michelle Shean (12-F4)

Prutha Shah's REMEMBER





Michelle Shean's SKIN & BONES

VOICE









Maddie Hunter's **GUSTAV** 



Rami Lee Newman's VACANT

Johanna Saunder's **EXPIRY Date** 

