Dear Iona Families,

It is wonderful to welcome you all back to Term 3 and I sincerely hope that you were all able to spend some good family time together. During the course of the holidays there have still been many activities and opportunities for our community.

**IONA RETURNED TO RUGBY LEAGUE**

The Iona Rugby League Team competed successfully in the Confraternity Shield in Rockhampton at the beginning of July. The competition was friendly and intense with 48 teams from all over Queensland trying their very best in extremely close matches. I thank all of the boys, the staff, Mr Scott Thornton and Mr Chris McKenna for their participation. Next year’s tournament will be held in Brisbane. You can view a video presentation on the tournament via the link above. This video can also be accessed via the College website and the Iona Brisbane Facebook page.

**NATIONAL SAILING CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Our National Sailing team competed admirably in strong and difficult conditions and finished 12th in the nation as the best performing Queensland school. The team had dedicated significant time to training and tactics and the College is extremely proud of their efforts and the efforts of the coach and teachers. The Iona Sailing Team holds a core place within our culture and I was pleased to hear numerous reports of their positive behaviour and attitude throughout the Championships.

**STAFF DEVELOPMENT AND RETREAT**

During the third week of the school holidays, staff were involved in various professional development opportunities to enhance the learning outcomes for the boys. Almost 95% of all teaching staff completed their first aid qualifications and this will hopefully help equip staff in the provision of care for the boys. Staff also completed a Staff Retreat which focussed on mercy and the Oblate celebrations of the 200th anniversary. It was a productive week of investing in the safety, welfare and spiritual development of our community and I thank all involved.

**WELCOME TO NICKY DELAMAR AND OISIN SCURRY**

Iona College is continuing to provide a gap year experience to two recent graduates of Belvedere College in Dublin. During their first week they have met many members of the community and have also seen the Queensland Reds and the Brisbane Lions play. It may take a few weeks to erase the scars of these two experiences. As they are here to experience Australian and Bayside culture, any family wishing to welcome them for a meal or visit is very welcome to make contact with the College and I am sure the boys will gladly accept your hospitality.

**WELCOME TO KAMAKURA GAKUEN**

Twenty students from Kamakura Gakuen College in Japan will be visiting us from this Sunday until Friday 5 August. They will be kindly hosted by twenty of our families and I would sincerely like to thank everyone involved in the exchange. These exchanges enrich everyone involved.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO FR LEWY KEELTY OMI**

The College was delighted to hear that Fr Lewy Keelty OMI had been chosen to receive the Spirit of Catholic Education Award by the Queensland Catholic Education Commission (QCEC). This award recognised the service, dedication and care that Fr Lewy has provided to students, staff and families for many years. Dr Lee-Anne Perry, Executive Director of QCEC presented Fr Lewy with the award and it was incredibly moving to see and hear the genuine affection that Fr Lewy received from the students through their applause. Fr Lewy thanked the Oblate community and the entire Iona community for their commitment to the mission.
WORLD YOUTH DAY POLAND
Samuel Eastgate and Nicholas Lee will depart this Friday for World Youth Day in Poland where they will join with many hundreds of thousands (perhaps millions) of other pilgrims for World Youth Day. Please keep all pilgrims in your prayers.

SPECIAL INVITE FOR OMI 200TH ANNIVERSARY MASS
Everyone in the community is invited to St Stephen’s Cathedral on Monday, 8 August at 7.00pm to join with the Oblate community in giving thanks to God for the 200th anniversary. Hopefully you have received an invite via email, however, if not, please follow this link to obtain the invitation. In order to assist families to attend, the College will provide complimentary buses to help with transport. It would be important to book a place on the bus and it would also be important to use that place on the Monday night. Details of the bus booking system can be found via the link supplied here or visit the College website.

INTRODUCING MANLY WEST 4179
Aboriginal inhabitants of the area, from the Quandamooka nation were semi-nomadic and found the coastal area of Moreton Bay one that could sustain life in abundance. The history of our region is deep and continuous through the strength of the Quandamooka nation.

Situated 16km from the Central Business District of Brisbane, Manly West was originally an expansion of Manly. It officially became its own suburb in 1975.

There are four schools located within Manly West region: Moreton Bay College (est 1901 – relocated to Manly West in 1984), Moreton Bay Boys’ College (2004), Manly West State School (1958) and Wondall Heights State School (1968). I am very pleased to say that the College enjoys a strong and positive relationship with all of these schools. Our relationship with Moreton Bay Colleges is born out of our mutual commitment to the families of this region searching for a Christian education for their sons and daughters. Our colleges educate approximately 3500 students and have made a sustained commitment to our region. Over many years, the College has welcomed students from Manly West State School and Wondall Heights State School. Both of these schools have provided excellent pastoral care and support to students and their families and the feedback has been incredibly positive about them. St John Vianney’s at Manly would welcome many residents from Manly West and in its 75th year has provided a wonderful Catholic education to the region.

A significant landmark located in Manly West (near Mayfair Shopping Village) was the Hargreaves Factory. In 1882 Mr Hargreave relocated to Manly West in 1984), Moreton Bay Boys’ College (2004), Manly West State School (1958) and Wondall Heights State School (1968). I am very pleased to say that the College enjoys a strong and positive relationship with all of these schools. Our relationship with Moreton Bay Colleges is born out of our mutual commitment to the families of this region searching for a Christian education for their sons and daughters. Our colleges educate approximately 3500 students and have made a sustained commitment to our region. Over many years, the College has welcomed students from Manly West State School and Wondall Heights State School. Both of these schools have provided excellent pastoral care and support to students and their families and the feedback has been incredibly positive about them. St John Vianney’s at Manly would welcome many residents from Manly West and in its 75th year has provided a wonderful Catholic education to the region.

The Wynnum Manly Seagulls and Wynnum Manly Leagues Club have made a positive and sustained contribution to our local community. Perhaps Many West’s most well-known contribution to the area is the home of the Wynnum Manly Seagulls. Perhaps the Wynnum Manly Seagulls are the most significant presence in Wynnum West (although some classify it as Manly West) with the team experiencing great success particularly since 1982 with Premierships in 1982, 1984, 1986, 1995, 2011 and 2012. The team was formed in 1931 and began life at Kitchener Park (Wynnum) and moved to Kougari Oval in 1967. The Wynnum Manly Seagulls and Wynnum Manly Leagues Club have made a positive and sustained contribution to our local community.

The mid-eighties saw a host of Australian Representatives playing with Wynnum Manly with household names such as Wally Lewis, Gene Miles, Rod Morris, Colin Scott, Greg Dowling and Bob Lindner (Iona Old Boy) all wearing the green and gold, while playing for Wynnum. This made Wynnum Manly arguably the best team in the country (at least in my eyes!).

Wally Lewis (pictured here) is the only Wynnum Manly player to captain Australia.

I was in Grade 7 when Wynnum Manly won our first Premiership and the whole region (with the exception of a few Souths supporters!!!) were overjoyed at the success.

Locals have always found creative ways to support Wynnum Manly as the following pictures show.

Wynnum Manly also have the Chook Pen which supports the team in any number of diverse and colourful ways. It was named after Iona College Old Boy Anthony “Chook” Schweitzer who was tragically killed in 1997.

Iona has always welcomed many students and families from Manly West and the families have made valuable contributions to our community. Manly West has a unique identity and this is appreciated by our community.

Take Care and God Bless

FR MICHAEL TWIGG O.M.I.
RECTOR
FAITH AND MISSION

PRAYER FOR PEACE

God of Mercy,
We are horrified at violence in parts of the world such as France and Turkey.
We pray that those who have died may rest in peace and those who are injured may feel your healing.
Comfort those who do not feel safe.
Hear the cries of their grief, for you know the anguish in their hearts.
Turn around the hearts that hate and help all to find peace in your loving mercy.
Grant everyone your strong Spirit of Peace - peace changes lives.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

Mr Wayne Wilden
Dean of Faith and Mission

DAILY MASS ROSTER
Mass will be held at 8.00am each morning in the Chapel.
Families are welcome to attend.

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ART NEWS

PARENT HELPERS NEEDED FOR THE ART EXHIBITION
Calling all parents – the Art Department needs your HELP!
We are looking for parent helpers for the 2016 Art Exhibition to help prepare work in Week 4 and set up in Week 5. Please email your availability for the following dates to the Head of Department pelecanosl@iona.qld.edu.au and mordeyi@iona.qld.edu.au (art teacher aide).

Week 4: times between 8.30am – 3.30pm
• Monday 8 August
• Tuesday 9 August
• Thursday 11 August
• Friday 12 August

Week 5: times between 8.00am – 4.00pm
• Monday 15 August
• Tuesday 16 August
• Wednesday 17 August
• Thursday 18 August
• Friday 19 August

Every year a dedicated team of parents joins us in our hour of need – your help, no matter how small, will be greatly appreciated!

Further details regarding the Art Exhibition can be found attached to this newsletter.

Mrs Luisita Pelecanos
Head of Department—Visual Art

OMAD 2016—OBLATE MISSION ACTION DAY—FRIDAY 26 AUGUST

Oblate Mission Action Day (OMAD) is the major fundraising effort of our college community for the Oblate Missions in the developing world. Last year Iona raised over $80,000. Please see the letter attached to this newsletter for further details regarding OMAD. Collection envelopes will be distributed to all students in the coming weeks.

PARENT HELP REQUIRED
The day has been a huge success in the past due to the wonderful parent volunteers, if you can help please read the attached “How Can You Help?” letter and contact Mrs Samantha Ryan.
A warm welcome back to all Iona families after a relaxing winter’s break.

During the holidays a number of students, staff and parents were involved in activities across the nation with our sailing crews achieving 12th place in the National Schools Racing Championships which were held in South Australia and our Rugby League Team competing successfully for the first time in the Confraternity Shield held in Rockhampton. Congratulations to the students, staff and coaches involved.

**OLYMPIC REPRESENTATION**

Special congratulations to Old Boy, Daniel Fox (Class of 2009), who has been selected in the Australian Team for the 2016 Para Olympics which will be held during September in Rio.

The Rio Carnevale Fundraiser has been organised in support of Paralympic athletes heading to Rio, such as Daniel, and would appreciate the support of the Iona Community at this event. Please refer to the flyer attached to this newsletter for more information. We wish Daniel, and all our athletics the very best at this year’s games!

Daniel, who holds world records in the 50m and 100m Freestyle will be a special guest along with another former Old Boy Olympian, Ashley Callus, at our school assembly next week.

**AUGUST EVENTS**

There are a significant number of community events during the month of August which parents may wish to plan for:

- **Monday 8 August** - Iona celebrates the Oblate 200th Year Mass at St Stephen’s Cathedral at 7pm.
- **Thursday 11 – Sunday 14 August** will see many of our ensembles and choirs performing in the Queensland Catholic Colleges Music Festival.
- **Friday 19 August** is Grandparents’ Day for our Year 5 students.
- **Saturday 20 August** can be reserved for the Davine Dinner, this year being held at the Greek Club. Click here to purchase your tickets to the Black and White Dinner Dance or visit the College website. To purchase raffle tickets email foundation@iona.qld.edu.au.
- **Friday 26 August** is Oblate Mission and Action Day at the College for students.

Further information about these events will be outlined in upcoming newsletters.

**P & F MEETING**

Please note the next meeting for the Parents and Friends Association will be held on Monday 1 August, commencing at 7pm in the Father Daly Art Precinct rooms.

*Mr Damian Courtney*

*Dean of Community*

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**UNIFORM SHOP**

**TERM 3 SPORT UNIFORMS**

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**COLLEGE CALENDAR DATE CHANGES**

**** IMPORTANT ****

**PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING DATE CHANGES IN YOUR COLLEGE CALENDAR**

Year 8 Subject Selection Evening
IPAC, 7.00pm
Thursday 4 August

Oblate 200th Celebration Mass
Cathedral of St Stephen, 7.00pm
Monday 8 August

The University Scholarship Information Night
Lecture Theatre, 7.00pm
Tuesday 9 August
**STUDENT ADMINISTRATION**

**LOST PROPERTY**
In most cases lost property goes to Student Reception as the first port of call. Items with names on them are returned to the owner by having his name read out before the afternoon prayer. Items not named or not collected in a timely manner are sent to my office. Lost property can be collected from my office before school and at morning tea or lunch time.

Many items remain unclaimed because they do not have names on them. It is common for parents to enquire about lost property, when in fact, their son could save a lot of trouble by coming to my office to check for items himself.

ALL enquiries regarding lost property are always welcome and treated seriously.

Mr Bob George
Head of Student Administration

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**ENRICHMENT & ENHANCEMENT**

**QUT VICE-CHANCELLOR’S STEM CAMP**
Congratulations to Year 11 students Oliver Sutton and Callum Ward who have been accepted into the QUT Vice-Chancellor’s STEM Camp which will be held in the September holiday break, 25 – 30 September. These students have been chosen due to their outstanding academic achievement and passion in the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

Oliver and Callum will join a select group of high achieving students from around Queensland on a five day camp that will provide them with engaging and inspirational research experiences in the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics. They will get a taste of first-year university life, and work together with other year 11 students, as well as academics and QUT students, in an intensive and hands-on research project.

Mrs Lynette Pearce
Enrichment and Enhancement Coordinator

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**Drama = Intelligence having fun**

**Drama Extension Projects**

**Queensland Theatre Company Youth Ensemble**
In November 2015, three of our current Year 12 students (Michael Allen, Jaycob Beven-Delaney and Matthew Geaney) were selected by audition to participate in the prestigious QTC Youth Ensemble. Through the program, Queensland Theatre Company provide access for motivated, passionate and talented young performers to develop their skills as actors by working with theatre professionals throughout a year-long program. QTC demand a high level of commitment from participants. The Ensemble trained for 300 hours with theatre professionals to develop and advance their skills as actors. They work towards a performance showcase which was held over the holidays. I was fortunate enough to see Michael, Jaycob and Matthew perform in Love and Information at the Bille Brown Studios during its season. It was a true demonstration of youthful vitality, passion and skill. Our boys shone in the challenging, complex and often confronting piece of theatre. Youth Ensemble Auditions for 2017 will be held in November, 2016. Application details and forms can be on the Queensland Theatre Company website by mid-October. I thoroughly encourage any boys interested to come and see me for assistance with their application and audition.

Pictured opposite: Jaycob Beven-Delaney, Matthew Geaney, Travis Dowling (director), Michael Allen

**Queensland Theatre Company’s Scene Project**
Once again this year, Iona College will participate in the QTC Scene Project. Boys in Years 11 and 12 Drama and Year 10 Drama (if they are continuing with the subject in Senior), along with Year 11 and 12 Speech and Communication students, are invited to audition for this special event. Thirty-nine schools from across Queensland will present and view the world-premiere of Riley Valentine and the Occupation of Fort Svalbard by Julia-Rose Lewis. The text has been specifically written for the project and students are invited to manipulate it in any way they like. Last year, the Iona performance was a selection in the festival. Our students performed a stirring and unsettling piece that drew attention from industry professionals. I am often reminded of the performance by actors and directors who remember it fondly and bring it up in conversation. I am positive that our boys will once again astound the audience this year. For more information and to register an audition, students should attend a meeting in Dally 8 on Monday 25 July at lunch time. Auditions will be held Wednesday 27 July in Hannah Hall, 3.15pm-4.30pm.

Pictured opposite: Iona students participating in QTC’s 2015 Scene Project

**Year 10 Monologue Concert – Going Solo**
In the final week of Term 2, 57 brave Year 10 boys presented monologues for family and friends in concerts in Hannah Hall. Over two nights, Drama students performed solo pieces that were uniquely selected and crafted. It was an exercise in responsible risk taking for some boys who were nervous about the public performance. But, through strength of character, they took a deep breath and gave it everything they had. Well done boys. You should be very proud of yourselves!

Pictured opposite: 10 of the 57 Year 10 Drama students who presented at the Going Solo Concert

Mrs Emilia Keene
Acting Head of Department—Drama

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**2016 Inter-House Theatresports - Monday 15 August 6pm in IPAC**

**What is Theatresports?**
Theatresports is improvised theatre entertainment played as a spectator sport. It is the union of theatre and sport through competitive competition. Teams of players invent scenes while following particular sets of rules. They are judged on their ability to follow the rules, deliver cohesive storylines and entertain the audience. At Iona, Theatresports is part of the Inter-House competition and points contribute to the Oblate Cup Competition.

**Why do we do Theatresports?**
Involvement in Theatresports allows young people to gain invaluable skills, such as: lateral thinking, team leadership, creative problem solving and collaboration. It builds language and vocabulary skills, advances verbal and non-verbal communication and fosters a sense of respect for other people’s ideas. Theatresports encourages trust and responsible risk taking. But most importantly, it offers students a chance to laugh at themselves and with each other.

Come and support your house!
Welcome to Term 3, our busiest performance term for Iona Music. As you know, all lessons and rehearsals commenced again this week, and we are very excited about the many opportunities for our music students to perform over the next term. Please find some important date reminders below:

- 23 to 25 July Music Camp 2 (all choirs)
- Monday 1 August Oblate 200th Celebration Rehearsal (St Stephens. Performers TBA)
- Monday 8 August Oblate 200th Celebration Rehearsal (St Stephen’s. Performers TBA)
- 11 to 14 August Queensland Catholic Colleges Music Festival (QCCMF)
- Monday 15 August Music Supporters Group Meeting, 7pm
- Friday 19 August Iona Art Exhibition (Iona Boys Choir)
- 20 and 21 August Australian Percussion Eisteddfod (Sydney)
- Wednesday 24 August Recital Series 2 Concert incorporating Solos and Small Groups
- Sunday 28 August Music Concert 4 “An Afternoon of Strings”
- Friday 2 September Lads and Dads Breakfast (Iona Singers)
- Monday 12 September Music Supporters Group Meeting, 7pm

All information including details and permissions etc. will be emailed home to the relevant families when required.

QUEENSLAND CATHOLIC COLLEGES MUSIC FESTIVAL
You will find attached to this newsletter a schedule for the Queensland Catholic Colleges Music Festival. Please note the times that your son is required for performances. All details including transportation information will be emailed home soon.

PERFORMANCE UNIFORM
Please remember that if your son performs with a co-curricular ensemble who rehearse outside of school hours, they will need a performance uniform. This uniform consists of a long sleeve Iona white shirt and long black trousers with black belt, Iona tie, black socks and shoes. The uniform shop advises that the long black trousers are now back in stock and range from sizes 8 to 18 and are priced from $39 to $45.

CONGRATULATIONS
Congratulations to both Michael Duvall and Maxwell Starr who have been invited to perform with the Brisbane Arts Theatre in their upcoming performances of Peter Pan. Michael performs at the College with both the Iona Singers and Ionian Voices, and both young men also perform with our College productions. Well done to you both.

Mr Peter Francis
Director of Music
CAREERS CENTRE NEWS

OPEN DAYS
- July 23 - Australian Catholic University, Brisbane campus Open Day, from 9am – 2pm. Download the program and open day app.
- July 23 - Bond University Twilight Open Day, from 2pm – 6pm. Click here for a list of things to do on open day and to register.
- July 24 - Griffith University Open Day at the Gold Coast, Nathan and South Bank campuses, from 9am – 2pm. Click here to plan your day and to register to join the open day.
- July 28 - Queensland SkillsTech Open Day at Alexandra Hills, Acacia Ridge, Bracken Ridge and Eagle Farm training centres.
- July 31 - Queensland University of Technology, at Gardens Point Campus, from 9am – 3pm. Start planning your day and register for a chance to win a MacBook Air.

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- August 1 – UQ Gatton: Go to the Open Day website to download the Open Day App and the Open Day Program and start planning your day.

AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OPEN DAY
Start date: 26 July 2014 9.00am
End date: 26 July 2014 3.00pm
Location: 1100 Nudgee Road, Banyo Brisbane
The event is free and there will be live entertainment, sample bags, a barbeque and more! With campus tours, information sessions and a chance to meet staff and students. Open Day is the perfect way to discover what university life is all about. Click here for more information.

BOND UNIVERSITY TWILIGHT OPEN DAY
The Bond University Twilight Open Day on Saturday, July 23 from 2pm - 6pm.
Program guide: Every area is covered from mock trials, experiments with science, tours of their film and television studio, food stalls, live music as part of Live at Bond and much more. Check out the Open Day program [here]. Get in quick and register [here].

FOR YEAR 12s
The QTAC Guide was distributed to Year 12s this week. This book is a very important resource for students wishing to apply to Queensland tertiary courses that commence in 2017. Year 12 students are advised to read the information in this booklet carefully. The on-time due date for QTAC applications is 30 September, 2016. The application fee up to this date is $37. From the next day (1 October, 2016) it is $138. A representative from QTAC attended the Year 12s in Term 2, and they will have a series of follow-up lessons during their House lessons this term where they are shown the application procedures and strategies.

A University Scholarship Information Evening will be held at the College at 6.30pm on Tuesday 9 August. Universities will present information about their scholarships and there will be a panel of past scholarship recipients to share their experiences. An invitation will be issued very soon.

A QTAC Information Evening for parents will be held at 6pm on Tuesday 23 August. An invitation will be sent later in the term.

FIND CAREERS THAT MATCH YOUR INTERESTS
The Grow Careers website has recently included a career interest questionnaire called the RIASEC Career Interest Tool (click on ‘Read more’). The theory behind this questionnaire was developed by John Holland. It states that each person resembles one of six vocational personality types – Realistic, Investigative, Artistic, Social, Enterprising and Conventional. Read more about these types on the website and then download the pencil and paper questionnaire. You can use the three-letter code (based on your three highest scoring personality types) that comes up after you complete the questionnaire to read about jobs you might be interested in. The website provides links to a few resources to help you do this.

BOND UNIVERSITY UPGRADE PATHWAYS
Bond has two main pathways for students who do not meet the entry requirements for Bond degree programs. These are:
- Bond University Preparation Program – This program can be studied on a full-time, flexible or part-time basis. Students gain the core skills required for university study and are guaranteed entry to Bond diplomas and degrees, depending on their results.
- Bond University Diplomas – These diplomas provide work-ready qualifications as well as a pathway into a number of undergraduate degrees at Bond. Diplomas can be completed in eight months full-time. Successful students can then move straight into the third semester of their chosen degree at Bond.
Find out more about these pathways. Bond also has pathways for International students which can be found on the website.

FLIGHT CENTRE TRAVEL ACADEMY
Flight Centre Travel Academy is the training and education arm of the Flight Centre Travel Group. Its Brisbane campus at St Paul’s Terrace offers the following nationally recognised qualifications:
- Travel consultant program - Certificate II in Tourism
- Business, Travel and Business program - Diploma of Travel and Tourism/ Diploma of Business

VET FEE-HELP is available for eligible students undertaking the diploma programs. Click here for more information. You can join one of their brunch information sessions to get answers to your questions about the courses and their job outcomes.

GLOBAL ACADEMY OF FITNESS (GAF)
GAF’s Brisbane campus offers a three term program during which students can gain Certificates III and IV in Fitness, a Diploma of Fitness and a Diploma of Business. Students can also register to undertake an overseas internship. VET FEE-HELP is available for some components of the program for eligible students. Find out more here.

NEWS FROM QUT
Open Day – Queensland University of Technology (QUT) will hold Open Days at Gardens Point campus on 31 July and at Caboolture campus on 21 August, 2016. Visit the website to register for the Gardens Point event (you could win a MacBook Air); to download the Open Day Program and to use your smartphone, tablet or desktop to create a personalised day planner for all the seminars and tours you’d like to attend on the day.

Start QUT – This program gives high-achieving students an opportunity to study up to two QUT subjects during Year 12. Once successfully completed, students may receive credit into their QUT degree studies for these subjects. Applications for semester one 2017 open on 1 August and close on 31 October, 2016. Click here for details.

CreateX – This event is to be held from 10am – 7pm on 28 August, 2016 will celebrate the launch of the new facilities at QUT’s Creative Industries Precinct. QUT invites everyone to come and enjoy a day where creativity meets technology. Visit the website for more information about the program for the day.

Physics added to QUT Entry Bonus Scheme – Through this scheme you can be given bonus ranks for successfully completing certain subjects or university units during Years 11 and 12. Bonus points don’t apply to courses with additional entry requirements, Dean’s Honours or Dean’s Scholars programs or scholarships that require a minimum OP. The maximum bonus rank points you can achieve for entry to QUT is eight. Click here for details of this scheme.

Registrations open for summer bridging courses – If you don’t meet the assumed knowledge or prerequisites for courses you wish to apply in 2017, you can do an intensive bridging course after you finish Year 12. QUT offers bridging courses in Maths B, Chemistry and Physics. These bridging courses will meet requirements for QUT courses and may satisfy prerequisites for other universities (check with the relevant university). Registrations for Maths B and Chemistry courses close on 10 October and 14 October respectively. Students can enrol in the Physics course any time and complete it online. Use the links on the website for details.

Resources to help you make course decisions – Use the Match My Skills questionnaire on the ‘Help making a decision’ webpage to generate a list of possible courses for next year. The site has links to course descriptions and associated employment outcomes.

NIDA 2017 APPLICATIONS OPEN
Applications are now open for the National Institute of Dramatic Art’s (NIDA) B Fine Arts for entry in 2017. Specialisations are in Acting, Costume, Design for Performance, Properties and Objects, Staging, and Technical Theatre. NIDA offers a number of bursaries and eligible students can apply for FEE-HELP. Explore the course offerings here.

NIDA SHORT COURSES IN QUEENSLAND THIS TERM
NIDA will present acting and drama short courses in Brisbane during September and October 2016. Click here for more information.

UPDATES FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND (UQ)
- UQ Young Scholars Program (YSP) - Applications are now open for this program until Friday 12 August, 2016. Online applications are open and may satisfy prerequisites for other universities. Students can apply on the YSP website. This program provides students with an opportunity to discover, learn and engage with UQ’s academic community and like-minded students from across Queensland.
- UQ Enhanced Studies Program (ESP) – High achieving Year 11 students are invited to apply for this program which gives you the opportunity to study one UQ subject during Year 12 in 2017. You can view content from the 2016 program. The 2017 content will be available in early August when applications open. Applications close on 30 October, 2016.

Ms Helen Murdoch
Head of Department—Careers
NEW FLYERS DETAILING TERM 3 SPORT UNIFORMS AND WINTER UNIFORMS
Within this newsletter, you will find details regarding Term 3 AIC Sport Uniforms including pricing. Pictured below, and advertised within the Uniform Shop section of the Iona webpage are detailed flyers containing useful information and pricing for winter day and sports uniforms. Follow the links below for further information:

- College Winter Uniform
- College Tracksuit
- College Sport Uniforms

Orders can be placed via email (uniformorders@iona.qld.edu.au) or over the phone (3893 8863) and can be sent home with your sons.

SPORT & TRAINING

WINTER UNIFORMS

TRACKSUIT

UNIFORM SHOP

TRADING HOURS TERM 3
Monday and Tuesday
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
8.00am to 3.30pm

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Follow this link to download the latest Uniform Shop Price List.

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For further information or contact Mrs Helen Sheppard on 0432 328 000.

ABSENTEE LINE—3893 8889
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PLAY YOUR ROLE 2016

Vacation sport saw sailing, rugby league, cross country preparations and basketball training all in action. Our team racing sailing crews achieved 12th place in the Nationals on Lake Goolwa in South Australia. We were the highest ranked Queensland team in the competition.

Our Open Rugby League team created history by competing in the Confraternity Shield in Rockhampton and played above expectation despite wins being difficult to achieve.

Our cross country and basketball teams continued their pre-season training and our tennis teams have begun training via a new tennis development program. If our continuing preparation is resilient, our performance will be of high standards and enjoyable.

DATE CLAIMERS
- Friday 22 July: Combined Years 6/7 rugby and football vs Scots College (Iona)
- Friday 22 July: Years 5/6 Basketball round 1 vs Padua
- Saturday 23 July: Cross country meet (Limestone park)
- Thursday 28 July: Cross country meet (SLC Playing fields at Runcorn)
- Friday 29 July: Years 5/6 Basketball Round 2 vs SPLC
- Saturday 30 July: Years 7-12 Basketball trial vs SPC
- Saturday 30 July: Years 5-12 Tennis trial vs SPC
- Monday 1 August: Intercollegiate Golf
- Monday 1 August: Years 5/6 Athletics Carnival (9am - 2.30pm)
- Tuesday 2 August: Years 7-9 AFL State Semi qualifier vs Nanaranga (at Burpengary)
- Thursday 4 August: Cross Country Presentation Evening
- 4 and 5 August: Lytton Track and Field Carnival
- Friday 5 August: Years 5/6 Basketball Round 3 vs Villanova
- Saturday 6 August: AIC Cross Country (Limestone Park)
- Tuesday 9 August: Basketball trial (Year 7 - Open) vs Villa after school
- Friday 12 August: Year 7 athletics carnival (periods 3/4)
- Friday 12 August: Year 11 athletics carnival (periods 1/2) TBC
- Friday 12 August: Year 12 athletics carnival (periods 5/6) TBC
- Tuesday 16 August: Year 8 athletics carnival (periods 5/6)
- Wednesday 17 August: Year 9 athletics carnival (periods 5/6)
- Thursday 18 August: Year 10 athletics carnival (periods 5/6)
- Friday 19 August: Year 6 Broncos Rugby League Challenge Cup (at Alex Hills SHS)
- Friday 19 August: Years 5/6 Basketball Round 4 vs SPC
- Saturday 20 August: Year 7 - Open Basketball Round 1 vs SPC
- Saturday 20 August: Year 5 - Open Tennis Round 1 vs SPC
- Thursday 25 August: All schools touch game for 13yr and 15yr teams after school (at Cleveland)

RUGBY LEAGUE - CONFRATERNITY SHIELD

Iona’s open rugby league team competed in Rockhampton over the break. It was the first time that Iona had played in the Confraternity Shield, a 48 team tournament for Queensland private schools. The standard of play is significantly high and our team, competing in Division 2, did the College proud.

Results
- Vs Blackheath Thornburgh (Charters Towers) - lost 0 - 12
- Vs St Joseph’s (Toowoomba) - lost 18 - 22
- Vs St Columban’s (Caboode) - won 16 - 6
- Vs St Joseph’s (Toowoomba) - bowl quarter final - lost 6 - 10
- Vs Holy Spirit (Mackay) - play off - lost 10 - 16
- Vs St Laurence’s - play off - lost 14 - 22

Team Awards
- Iona Player of the Tournament - Bailey Smith
- Iona Players’ Player - Joseph Ward
- Iona Spirit of Confraternity - Kai Grimley

Many thanks to the staff who accompanied the team:
- Father Michael Twigg
- Chris McKenna (coach)
- Chris Pritchard (Tour Manager)
- Tyron Sahliquist and Alex Sideris (Team Managers)
- Scott Thornton (Physiotherapist)
- Gary Coghil (Support)

Many thanks also to the parents who attended.

CROSS COUNTRY CAMP

Fifty-five athletes attended the annual cross country camp at the Gold Coast. The team was accompanied by Mr Merrotzy, Mr Sean Devlin, Ms Smith, Mr Pearce and Mr Moynihan. It again proved successful and builds the “Team”, a key to performance at the AIC Championship. Beach runs, team building and park runs were all part of an enjoyable experience for all.

SAILING RESULTS

Last week our sailing team competed in the Australian School Team Racing Championships in Goolwa, South Australia. There were 24 teams competing. Our team did extremely well in quite unfavourable conditions to come in 12th place, only five points off the leading team at the end of 28 heats, with 14 wins. We were the top ranked Queensland team. Congratulations to our skippers Angus Barker, Hamish McDougall, Hayden Barney and crews Caleb Palmer, Rory Andersen, Lachlan Pennington and Alexander Dunstan. Thanks to our Sailing Coordinator Mr Neil French for travelling with the boys and Coach Mr Trevor Koreman. Also, thanks to our sailing committee, parents and all sailors for a very successful sailing season.

HIGH PERFORMANCE SPORT

- Iona long jump coach Henry Frayne has been selected to represent Australia at the Rio Olympic Games. He joins Old Boy Daniel Fox as members of the Iona Community who will compete on the world stage.
- Nicholas Calvert has been selected in the Squash Australia Team to attend the World Junior Men’s Championship in Poland in August.
- Maxim Watson has been selected in the Australian U15 Baseball Team to play in the World Cup in Japan.
- Nathan Marshall represented the Combined States Rugby Team at the National Schools Championship over the break. His team won the bronze medal.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Director of Sport: Mr Keith Harron - 3893 8851
Deputy Director of Sport (9-12): Mr Sean Devlin - 3906 8905
Deputy Director of Sport (5-8): Mr Chris Pritchard - 3893 8869
Sports Administrator: Mrs Karen Otway - 3893 8805
AIC Sports Information (via Twitter): @SportIona (includes wet weather)
If there are any questions regarding the training and trialling process, please call or send an email to:
- Mrs Rebecca Adamson adamsonr@iona.qld.edu.au (Years 7 - 12)
- Mrs Elizabeth Adley adeye@iona.qld.edu.au (Years 5 - 6).

**Completed Term 3 Basketball Training Schedule 2016 (starts week 1)**

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**Cross Country Meets Years 5 - 12**

**Saturday July 23 - AIC host @ Limestone Park**

Runners will arrive back to Iona College at approximately 12.30pm. Parents are welcome to collect boys from Limestone Park if they wish.

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**Thursday July 28 - SLC host @ Runcorn Fields**

Runners will depart Iona College at 2.15pm. Years 5 and 6 will arrive back to Iona at 5pm approximately. Years 7 - 12 runners will arrive back to Iona at 6pm approximately. Parents are welcome to collect boys from Runcorn if they wish.

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**Saturday August 6 - AIC Championships - Limestone Park**

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**Year 5 and 6 Basketball Draw (Week 1)**

**Friday 22 July**

**Venue:** Iona College, 85 North Road, Lindum

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**Dress Requirement for Basketball**

Iona basketball singlet (provided on a hire system), Iona basketball shorts and white socks. Year 5 and 6 boys will receive their basketball singlets on Friday before the game.

**Karate**

For more information please see the website [www.afmaclub.com.au](http://www.afmaclub.com.au) or contact Sensei Andy Schwandner on 0403 358 397.