Dear Iona Community,

**AIC SWIMMING**

I was incredibly proud of each and every student who represented us in the AIC Swimming Carnival last week. There were numerous personal bests and the results were the culmination of many months of preparation. Our Primary students achieved a first placing and our Years 7-12 team achieved third place, with the Under 12s being crowned champions. This gives us great confidence for future carnivals.

I was proud of the cheering and support offered to the team by the Year 8s and 12s and I am particularly grateful to the coaches, managers and parents who supported the boys so well. We sent a message of congratulations to Marist College Ashgrove on their success as champions.

**NEW PRIMARY HANDBALL PAVILION**

After many weeks of construction overlooked by 350 little site managers, our new Primary Handball Pavilion has been opened and used for play. It appears as though the boys very much appreciate their new facilities. We will be looking for a permanent name for the new facility and will consult with the Year 5s and 6s on an appropriate name.

**COLLEGE SCHOOL AND SPORTS’ UNIFORM**

Within the newsletter in the coming weeks will be visual reminders of the expectations surrounding Term 2 uniforms. It is meant to support families in ensuring that their sons wear the appropriate clothing. I ask parents to please keep up the vigilance with school uniform as it genuinely does reflect on us all. I am extremely proud of our College uniform and believe that the vast majority of students and families share this pride. Thanks again to all families who support the College in this way.

**FEEDBACK FROM THE PUBLIC**

Whenever I get a phone call or an email from a member of the public, I always answer or open with some sense of concern. It is always a joy when the feedback highlights positive and helpful behaviour. This week I received feedback after our sporting round with Padua that filled me with pride and we also heard from senior members of the public about the positive courtesy that our students showed on the trains.

**IONA UNDER THE STARS AND IONA PASSION PLAY**

I ask you to please consider supporting each of these community events. While being very different in nature, they both are worthy of your consideration. I highly encourage you to attend if you can. Further information regarding these events, including links to purchase tickets, can be found in Mr Courtney’s Community News within this newsletter.

Please note that ticket sales for Iona Under The Stars must close at 9.00am this Friday (11 March).

Take Care and God Bless

**FR MICHAEL TWIGG O.M.I. RECTOR**

Iona College seeks to provide a dynamic Catholic learning community within the Oblate spirit, so that its members are faith-filled, resilient, courageous, well-balanced and prepared to make a difference.
LEARNING AND TEACHING

END OF TERM ASSESSMENT
As we head into the last couple of weeks of term, students will be very busy, particularly with assignments due and examinations pending. I ask parents of all students to encourage their sons to start studying early and at a regular time. Research has demonstrated that information is remembered two to three times better if study sessions are spaced in time rather than massed together. This means that setting aside time each night for deliberate exam preparation is far more beneficial than leaving their study until the night before which will see them cramming a large amount of information in a short period of time. Some students will have more than one examination on a particular day so this makes cramming a highly ineffective strategy.

To help your sons pace themselves, we recommend you design a table listing all the pieces of assessment and indicating when they will study for each subject. A list of assessment can be found by logging in to the portal.

At this stage of the term, students also need to prioritise their academics and consider what other activities can be put on hold until the holidays. I would encourage them to limit their social activities and avoid accepting extra shifts at work until after assessment concludes.

EXAMINATION BLOCK – YEARS 11 AND 12
The examination schedule for Years 11 and 12 was emailed to all students and posted on the website this week. If there are any concerns with the examination block, students or their parents are asked to contact me immediately. Please note that under no circumstances will students or their parents be asked to sit an examination early. Please also be aware of the following requirements for senior examination blocks:

- Should a student miss an exam, parents are asked to contact me to discuss the absence. Please do not call classroom teachers, Heads of Department or Heads of House as they are not in a position to make alternative arrangements.
- Students in Years 11 or 12 who miss an examination, speech or assessment activity due to illness will need to provide a medical certificate.
- The College is under no obligation to make alternative arrangements for students who miss examinations for other reasons. Please do not allow your sons to book driving tests, accept work shifts or go on holidays during the examination times.
- Once the examination block commences, students in Years 11 and 12 are only required to attend school to complete examinations and assessment items. They need to wear full school uniform (and be clean shaven) whenever they attend the College, even if their visit is brief.
- Usual school rules apply during examination block, including around the use of mobile phones and laptops.
- Students are asked to arrive at least ten minutes before the advertised commencement time. This is to ensure the examination starts on time.
- The library may be used for silent study only and a supervised study room will be provided for students who wish to revise in small groups.

Should you have any questions regarding Years 11 and 12 examinations, please contact me.

CONTINUOUS ONLINE REPORTING AND PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES
On Monday night I presented at the P & F meeting regarding changes that will occur to Iona’s reporting processes. This year, Iona College will implement a system of continuous online reporting whereby teachers will post student results via the portal. Within two working weeks of task submission, parents should expect to find a grade and, except for a small number of examinations in some year levels, written feedback for each boy on each task.

This means that a parent or carer will now be able to see the assessment task, the due date, the assessment criteria, the result and a comment relating directly to their son’s performance on the specific task. It also means that our students understand that every assessment item is part of the learning process because they and their parents now have continuous, timely feedback that identifies growth areas and presents feedback for ways improvement can occur. This allows action to be taken immediately so that subsequent assessment can show improvement.

Outcomes summary:
- Greater accountability of each boy’s work and study habits;
- Timely feedback – each task assessed will enable the teacher and the parent to identify, intervene and improve;
- No “surprise” poor results coming home at the end of a semester. If there is a problem, parents are notified when it arises and any serious issues can be dealt with in a timely fashion;
- Parents can access all data online anywhere, anytime via the portal.

The implementation of this new system means that the end of semester report card will transform. Rather than seeing a document that could contain comments and grades that outline a problem encountered several months earlier, these reports will be a summary document containing academic grades that highlight the progress of their son in each subject. The reports will still include a written pastoral comment reflecting a student’s holistic involvement across a range of important aspects of College life.

While the aim of this revised system is to provide parents with quality, specific and timely feedback, it is also hoped it will enhance the important partnership the teachers and parents/carers have as we strive to help every student reach his potential.

The change in reporting will also be beneficial to parent/student/teacher conferences. Ongoing continuous assessment means parents will have a more detailed and up to date understanding of how their son is performing. This means that when interviews occur in Terms 2 and 3, conversations can occur around areas identified by parents as well as feedback provided by teachers.

Mrs Deanne Johnston
Dean of Learning and Teaching

2016 COLLEGE PRODUCTION
Footloose BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH ORIGIN THEATRICAL

THE SOCIAL
Last Friday night over 100 teachers and students involved in Footloose met for the 2016 social. The girls and boys had dinner together before being treated to a performance of Savoyards’ Legally Blonde. The opportunity allowed the cast and crew to fully appreciate the enormity of the task ahead of them. It was lovely to have Father Michael join us to share in the festivities. The primary school boys will enjoy their social event in Term 2.

REHEARSAL REMINDERS
- Chorus Years 7-12 Sunday 13 March 8am - 1pm.
- All actors with speaking roles in Act Two this Sunday 13 March 8am-2pm.
- Leads Sunday 13 March 8am - 4pm.
- Don’t forget that we also rehearse on the last day of the school holidays – Sunday 10 April!
- Years 5-6 Wednesday 16 March 3.15pm - 4.15pm in Hannah Hall (last rehearsal for Term 1).
- Band Sunday 13 March 8am - 4pm Shortall Music Block.
- Please bring lots of water and healthy food to rehearsals.
- Please note that the Moodle page is now up and running. You will be emailed the username and password so that you can access all resources such as costume lists, rehearsal times and the parent helper schedule.
- Look out for our new Twitter feed – @productionionona
- Any questions or concerns please email keenee@iona.qld.edu.au
- Absentee line – 3893 8838. Leave a message. All absentees must be advised.
EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS
After undergoing many historical changes in our tradition, the distribution of holy communion remains a very important role within the Catholic Church. It is a role that is valued here at Iona College and each year, senior students are encouraged to consider this form of contribution to our college community. With the support of their parents and their heads of house, candidates are invited to interviews where key issues of importance are discussed.

Our Year 12 Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist are significant within our community as they are faith leaders and role models with an acute sense of ministry. Congratulations again to the following Year 12s who are our extraordinary ministers for 2016:

May their good work contribute significantly to the liturgical dimension of the college, as well as enhance their own personal faith as young Australians.

YEAR OF MERCY
Pope Francis is one of the most influential people in the world today. This is most encouraging, considering the religious, spiritual and moral nature of his high-profile international role. Not surprisingly, the Holy Father has an active practice of witnessing his faith and values in his work. For example this year, in the Jubilee Year of Mercy, he has prompted all countries and localities that still practise the death penalty to offer a reprieve for inmates due for execution, as an act of reflecting the Mercy of God in the world. Additionally, on more local levels, he has encouraged people to make a special effort to forgive others and demonstrate a significant act of mercy to enhance the life experience of others. Clearly, there are many levels on which the Mercy of God can be reflected and experienced by people.

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
YEARS 9 AND 10 EXCURSION TO GOMA
During Week 6 our Years 9 and 10 elective art students journeyed to South Brisbane to visit the 8th Asia Pacific Triennial of Contemporary Art (APT8). The event is the Queensland Art Gallery | Gallery of Modern Art’s flagship exhibition focussed on the work of Asia, the Pacific and Australia. This eighth edition emphasises the role of performance in recent art, with live actions, video, kinetic art, figurative painting and sculpture exploring the use of the human form to express cultural, social and political ideas, and the central role of artists in articulating experiences specific to their localities. Our students viewed work from more than eighty artists and groups.

Highlights of the trip were the two focus projects - Yumi Danis (We Dance) which presents the vitality and complexity of performance in the cultures of some of our nearest neighbours: Papua, Papua New Guinea, Fiji, Solomon Islands, Vanuatu and New Caledonia. Along with Kalpa Vriksha: Contemporary Indigenous and Vernacular Art of India looks at the breadth and vibrancy of Indigenous and vernacular art from regions of India. Also featured are site-specific installations by artists from UAE/Iran, India, South Korea, Myanmar, Australia and New Zealand.

Mrs Luisita Pelecanos
Head of Department - Visual Art

NURSES REQUIRED FOR SCHOOL CAMPS
Iona is in urgent need of a nurse/paramedic to attend Year 6 Camp 2 at Glendalough on the Sunshine Coast next week. If you would be available from Wednesday 16 March to Friday 18 March (three full days and two overnights) or Wednesday 16 March to Thursday 17 March (two full days and one overnight) please contact Mrs Karen Cook on 3893 8892.

If you are unavailable for this camp, but would be interested in attending future camps, please contact Karen Cook on 3893 8892 or cooek@iona.qld.edu.au.

ENGLISH TUTORING—TERM 1, WEEKS 4 - 8
Where: St Eugene de Mazenod Resource Centre
When: Tuesday and Thursday 3.15pm – 4.30pm
Students from Years 7-12 are welcome to come to English tutoring to develop their English skills, for help with homework and assessment tasks or to work independently on homework and assessment tasks knowing that support is there if required. Tutoring sessions are staffed by English teachers.
COMMUNITY NEWS

IONA UNDER THE STARS—SATURDAY 12 MARCH
TICKET SALES CLOSE AT 9.00AM, FRIDAY 11 MARCH!
This is your last chance to purchase tickets for Iona Under The Stars on Saturday night. Ticket sales must close at 9.00am on Friday 11 March.
Please click here to purchase your tickets.
Tickets are $45 each which includes a three-course meal, tea and coffee. Alcohol and soft drinks can be purchased separately on the night. Saturday’s weather forecast is being checked hourly and so far it looks promising.
Can you help set-up?
If you’re at Iona for sport this Saturday and have half an hour to spare, the P & F Committee will be setting up the quadrangle from 9.00am and would very much appreciate some help!

IONA PASSION PLAY
It’s not too late to be involved in the Iona Passion Play! A full run through of the play will take place this Sunday 13 March from 1.00pm to 3.00pm, across the road (North Rd) near the tennis courts. Please feel free to attend if you would like to play your role in this year’s play.

IONA PASSION PLAY PERFORMANCES
Saturday 19 March—7.30pm—Iona College grounds
Good Friday 25 March—7.30pm—Iona College grounds
Click here to book your tickets or visit the Iona Passion Play website.

Thank you to the students who have already volunteered their involvement with the Passion Play. It is wonderful to see them supporting this special community event.

SHERMAN LUNCH DATE CLAIMER
We are very excited to announce Sherman Lunch details for this year with guest speaker Mr Wayne Bennett. Please see further details below.

Mr Damian Courtney
Dean of Community

SHERMAN LUNCH
Friday 13 May 2016
11:00am - 4:00pm | Gamba Bar, 299 Tingal Rd, Wynnum
Presented by the Iona Old Boys' Association and the Iona College Foundation.
For more information contact Saranga De Alwis
Phone: 3950 8930 | Email: foundation@iona.qld.edu.au

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YEAR 6 FAMILY PICNIC
When: Sunday 20 March
Where: Lota Park, Esplanade, Lota
(look for the black and white!)
Time: 2pm - 5pm
Bring: BYO plate, drinks and something to keep the lads busy
RSVP: Just turn up!

YEAR 7 END OF TERM BREAK UP
All Year 7 boys and their families are invited to get together for fish and chips and some fun on the last day of term.
When: Thursday 24 March
Where: Lota Boxhead Park, Esplanade, Lota (across from Bart's Place)
Time: 3.30pm
Bring: Money for fish and chips, drinks or bring plate to share
Boys may catch the train to Lota Station, where they will be met by a parent, and walk together to the park. Boys must be registered by a parent to do this. To give your permission for this to happen please email the name of your son with your name and contact phone number to Shannon Edwards craigandshannon12@bigpond.com.

YEAR 7 COFFEE CATCH UP
Year 7 parents are invited to catch up over coffee after drop off next Friday. No RSVP required. Please see the details below.
When: Friday 18 March
Where: Rabbit Hole Café, 399 Tingal Rd, Wynnum
Time: 8.30am
RSVP: Just turn up!

TICKETS ON SALE WEEK 1, TERM 2!
When: Sunday 15 May
Venue: Cloudland, Fortitude Valley
Time: 12pm to 4pm
Tickets will be limited so make sure you secure your numbers early!
Tickets will be on sale from Friday 15 April (Week 1, Term 2).
Limited capped parking for $8 will be available across the road from Cloudland and the option to book a bus, from Iona and back again, will also be available.
For further information please contact the Event Co-ordinator Kelly Hoar-Guthrie on 0481178 856.

Raffle Donations Required
• Donations of raffle prizes would be greatly appreciated.
• Please leave any vouchers or gift donations at the College Reception, labelled ‘Mothers’ High Tea’.
• Please also include the name of the person/company donating the prize so we can include you on our list of appreciations.

YEAR 7 COFFEE CATCH UP
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
Glazing Apprenticeship: SJ Glass Aust Pty Ltd at Slacks Creek is seeking an Apprentice glazier for an immediate start in a full-time permanent position. Driver’s licence and own vehicle are required. No experience is required as training will be provided in conjunction with attending College for a five week period each year over the course of three years. Please email your resume and cover letter to sjglass@optusnet.com.au

LOOKING AFTER YOURSELF
A lot is required of you during Years 11 and 12. At times it can become quite stressful. It is important to build your resilience to meet the challenges of this time in your life. The Generation Success website contains strategies and resources for looking after yourself. Have a read and start the year off with healthy habits.

SUPPORT FOR SENIOR STUDENTS
The Desk at https://www.thedesk.org.au/ has been developed by the University of Queensland to help students cope with the ups and downs of study and life. While it has been developed for tertiary students, senior students may find it helpful. The Desk covers topics such as study skills, stress management and communication skills. It also has a number of self-development tools. Do one of the quizzes on the website to get started. The website includes a ‘Breaking Out! Get Help’ button with links to helpful websites. Senior students using this website should follow up any personal concerns they have with their guidance officer/counsellor.

FINDING AN APPRENTICESHIP OR TRAINEESHIP
The Australian Apprenticeships My Gap website has videos in which actual apprentices and trainees talk about their work and how they went about finding it. Click here to access the videos.

GRADUATE STATS AND SALARIES
Knowing the destination of graduates in the university courses you are considering can be helpful for your decision making. Graduate Careers Australia (GCA) surveys university graduates throughout Australia as part of the Australian Graduate Survey. The participants are asked about themselves, including whether they are in full-time or part-time employment, in further full-time study, or are unavailable for either. The survey findings on forty fields of education, from Accounting to Visual and Performing Arts, can be obtained from the GCA website. Salary levels are included.

CAREER CHECKER - A QUIZ FOR CAREER EXPLORERS
Career Checker is a five-minute quiz to find out how well you are doing in the three career planning areas of ‘knowing yourself’, ‘getting career ideas’, and ‘deciding and adapting’. You can find this quiz here.

JOIN THE AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CADETS (AACP)
Any young Australian who is between the ages of 13 and 18 years and is physically fit enough to participate in the activities is welcome to join the AACP. Through this organisation you will gain important life skills in leadership, self-reliance, self-confidence, self-discipline, self-respect, good communication, teamwork and citizenship. You will also have an opportunity to experience life in the Air Force. Click here to find out more.

WORK EXPERIENCE WITH CSIRO SCIENTISTS
Work experience is a great way to explore your career interests. If you are interested in a science career, you could consider applying for a work experience placement with the CSIRO. The CSIRO offers students in Years 10 - 12 the chance to gain first-hand experience of research in a scientific environment. Applications for 2016 will open on Monday 21 March. Click here for details.

CSIRO SCIENCE BOOTCAMP IN BRISBANE
This is a two-day non-residential camp for secondary school students. It will be held on 5 and 6 April, 2016 (during the Easter holidays) at the Ecosystems Precinct, Dutton Park. During the camp, students will explore acoustics, sound and personal electronics. They will also visit CSIRO labs and meet research scientists. Interested students can register here to attend.

NEWS FROM GRIFFITH UNIVERSITY
• Trimesters in 2017 – Griffith will change from a semester system (two semesters per year) to a trimester system (three trimesters per year) in 2017. Tentative start dates are 27 February, 3 July, 30 October, 2017.
• Assumed Knowledge – In 2017 Griffith undergraduate courses will have assumed knowledge rather than prerequisites. There are course exceptions that include engineering, education, science and health science courses.

• Education in 2017 – Students wishing to study education will apply for a B Education with English and Maths prerequisites. In the second year of this course, students choose a primary or secondary teaching pathway. Students choosing a primary pathway will be required to have a Year 12 science subject (biology, physics, chemistry) or an acceptable alternative (e.g. through a bridging course).

UPDATES FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF QUEENSLAND (UQ)
• Undergraduate UQ Guide 2017 – This publication lists the UQ courses that will be offered in 2017 and topics related to university study at UQ. You can use the activity on page 41 of the guide to help you choose a course. Download the guide here.
• B Music (Honours) auditions – One of the prerequisites for entry to this course is an audition. These will be held in September and October. The closing date to apply for an audition is Monday 15 August 2016. Click here to access the audition information guide and the application.

FEAST registrations are now open – FEAST is a five-day residential program held at the UQ Gatton Campus for students in Years 10 – 12 who are interested in agriculture, animals, vet science, food and/or the environment. It will be held from 26 - 30 June, 2016 (during the school holidays). This is a popular program, click here to register early. Registrations close on 24 April, 2016.

UMAT CUT-OFFS FOR 2016 ENTRY
Sitting for UMAT is one of the prerequisites for entry into the provisional entry medicine courses at UQ. Because entry is competitive, the UMAT result required for entry can change from year to year. The UMAT scaled score aggregate cut-offs for entry in 2016 were:
• 187.69 for Doctor of Medicine (MD) (Provisional Entry for School leavers)
• 181.67 for Doctor of Medicine (MD) (Provisional Entry for School leavers) (Bonded)
Click here for information about how the UMAT Section 1 score is used.

REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR EXPERIENCE SCIENCE 2016
This program provides students in Years 10 - 12 an opportunity to find out what it is like to study science at UQ and how science is applied in industry and everyday life. It will be held on 14, 15, 19 and 20 July. Students can register to attend one of these days as an individual or through their school. Click here to register.

UQ COLLEGE AT ST LUCIA CAMPUS
UQ College is a company owned by the University of Queensland (UQ) and located at the St Lucia campus. It provides alternate pathways to university study. The programs offered include:
• Tertiary Preparation Program – This free 28-week program is offered in January, May and September. The program helps students gain tertiary study skills and provides a rank for entry into UQ’s degree programs when applying through QTAC. Apply directly to UQ College for this program.
• Associate Degree in Business – This is a 16-month program. Successful completion may provide an option to gain entry to UQ’s Business Management with advanced standing. You apply through QTAC for this program.
• Mathematics B, Chemistry and Biology bridging programs – These intensive, full-fee courses will be offered from 22 November–17 December, 2016. Successful completion will meet the subject prerequisites in these subjects for UQ degrees. Results will be available in time to be used in the QTAC January 2017 major offer round. Apply directly to UQ College for these courses.

You can access more information about these programs from the UQ College website.

WHAT’S UP AT THE AUSTRALIAN CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY?
• University Experience Day - This event provides future students with an opportunity to sample a degree they are interested in and to check out the ACU staff and campus. It will be held on 7 July, 2016 at the ACU Brisbane campus. Click here for more information.
• 2016 Open Day - This year ACU Brisbane campus will hold its open day on 23 July. Open days are opportunities to explore courses and to meet current students. Click here for more information.
• Information for future students - Click here for information that can assist you in making decisions for your future study. Find out if you are eligible for bonus points to help you gain entry and check out ACU's Early Achievers’ Program.

Ms Helen Murdoch
Head of Department—Careers
MUSIC CAMP #1
Last weekend we held our first music camp for 2016. We enjoyed some serious rehearsal time, mass with Father Michael, some study time and marshmallows over the fire. We are looking forward to our choir camp later in the year. We would like to thank class of 2007 Old Boy Mathew Merlehan for his very kind recent donation of a violin to our department. We always enjoy hearing from our old boys and very much appreciate this thoughtful gesture.

IONA SINGERS PERFORMING AT IONA UNDER THE STARS
For those of you attending Iona Under The Stars this weekend, please come along to mass at 6.00pm and hear our very own Iona Singers who will perform in the chapel and then again during this very popular evening. The singers will be ready for collection by families at 7.30pm.

MUSIC ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION
Monday to Thursday: 8.00am to 3.30pm
Friday: Closed
Email: zulloj@iona.qld.edu.au
Phone: 3906 8908

RESOURCE CENTRE NEWS
CLOSED AFTER SCHOOL ON MONDAY 14 MARCH
Please note that the Resource Centre will be closed on Monday afternoon, 14 March from 3.10pm onwards.

Mrs Catherine Shaw
Head of Library and Information Services

ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS IN YEAR 10, YEAR 11 AND YEAR 12
The Rotary Club of Wynnum and Manly are now calling for candidates for their next Rotary Youth Exchange Program in January 2017. The flyer attached to this newsletter provides further details on this program. Applications close 31 March.

TUCKSHOP AND LIBRARY ROSTERS
MONDAY 14 MARCH TO FRIDAY 18 MARCH, 2016

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND TUCKSHOP PLEASE CONTACT Ms Karen Grifferty: 3906 8934.
Due to Work Health and Safety regulations, it would be greatly appreciated if all tuckshop volunteers could please wear closed in shoes and sleeved shirts.

IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND LIBRARY PLEASE CONTACT Mrs Catherine Shaw: 3893 8817.

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IONA UNDER THE STARS
Experience Iona under the serenity of the night sky!

SATURDAY 12 MARCH

6.00 PM MASS—IONA COLLEGE CHAPEL
7.00 PM DINNER—ON THE QUADRANGLE

TICKETS SALES HAVE BEEN EXTENDED.
BUT MUST CLOSE AT 9.00AM ON FRIDAY 11 MARCH!

Entertainment by LEAVE PASS
Starring Iona College Teachers, Mr Peter Dougherty and Mr Mark Dimento

Drawing inspiration from a varied music catalogue ranging from folk to rock; classic to contemporary, LEAVE PASS’ music includes artists such as: Paul Kelly, Crowded House, Weddings Parties Anything, Mumford and Sons, Australian Crawl, The Angels, INXS, Bruce Springsteen, Pink Floyd and Violent Femmes.

Plus dance numbers from artists such as: Depeche Mode, Soft Cell, The Romantics and John Mellencamp (just to name a few).

Three course meal including
ANTIPASTO ENTRÉE
GOURMET BBQ
DESSERT

Features a special performance by
IONA SINGERS

MULTI DRAW RAFFLE
SMART CASUAL DRESS

SEATING IS UNALLOCATED—TABLES OF 8

ADULTS ONLY EVENT

$45 PER PERSON

price includes 3-course meal, tea and coffee
alcohol and soft drinks purchased separately

CLICK HERE TO BOOK YOUR TICKETS
or follow the link on the College website

Please contact Mrs Anne Stone pa-stone@bigpond.net.au if you have further enquiries.
IT’S NOT TOO LATE TO PLAY YOUR ROLE IN THIS YEAR’S PASSION PLAY

If you are interested in being involved, please attend a full run through of the play on Sunday 13 March between 1pm - 3.00pm across the road from Iona College (near the tennis courts on North Road)

Your commitment will include:

PERFORMANCES
Saturday 19 March – 7.30pm – Iona College Grounds
Good Friday, 25 March – 7.30pm – Iona College Grounds

TICKETS ON SALE NOW VIA THIS LINK OR VISIT IONA PASSION PLAY WEBSITE
SPORTS NEWS: PLAY YOUR ROLE 2016

Our swim team achieved excellent results in the annual AIC Championships. Our Year 5/6 team won aggregate back to back titles and our 12 Years to Open team gained third place against quality opposition. With our current swimming strength being with our younger ages, the future of Iona aquatics looks strong.

Our home volleyball performance against Padua was formidable and the efforts of our Year 6 and 7 cricketers was eye catching. The 1st XI toiled to achieve the required result and need to maintain their form over the final two rounds.

Our teams face St Peters this weekend as well as other Colleges in supplementary fixtures.

DATE CLAIMERS

- Saturday 12 March: Round 6 of AIC sport vs St Peters (H)
- Sunday 13 March: Sailing Round 5
- Saturday 19 March: Round 7 of AIC sport vs Villanova (A)
- Sunday 20 March: Sailing Round 6
- Week 9: Training / trials for rugby and football
- Wednesday 23 March: 1st XV, 16A rugby, 1st XI vs Villanova at Villa Park (pm)
- 30 - 31 March: AFL Schools Challenge Maroochydore (Years 7 - 9)
- 6 - 8 April: Open rugby camp at Runaway Bay

VOLLEYBALL

Results against Padua were rewarding with two rounds to play in the AIC competition. Last game this weekend for 8D and 10D.

Results vs Padua

| 1st VI | 0 - 3 lost |
| 2nd VI | 2 - 0 won |
| 3rd VI | 2 - 0 won |
| 4th VI | 2 - 0 won |
| 11A | 2 - 0 won |
| 11B | 2 - 0 won |
| 10A | 2 - 0 won |
| 10B | 2 - 1 won |
| 10C | 0 - 2 lost |
| 10D | 2 - 0 won |
| 9A | 3 - 0 won |
| 9B | 1 - 2 lost |
| 9C | 2 - 1 lost |
| 9D | 2 - 0 lost |
| 8A | 1 - 2 lost |
| 8B | 0 - 3 lost |
| 8C | 2 - 1 won |
| 8D | TBC |
| 7A | 1 - 2 lost |
| 7B | 3 - 0 won |
| 7C | 2 - 0 lost |
| 7D | TBC |

CRICKET

The 1st XI, Year 7 and Year 6 teams led the way last weekend, while the close fought win by the 10As was one of the pressure matches of the weekend. Last game this weekend for 7 White.

Results vs Padua

| 1st XI | won 159 Pad 85 |
| 2nd XI | won 6/208 Pad 64 |
| 3rd XI | lost 89 Pad 214 |
| 4th XI | lost 109 Pad 2/279 |
| 10A | won 9/67 Pad 66 |
| 10B | won 6/88 Pad 66 |
| 10C | lost 4/185 Pad 9/75 |
| 10 Gold lost 7/91 Pad 3/184 |
| 9A | lost 92 Pad 5/141 |
| 9B | won 90 Pad 45 |
| 9C | lost 7/80 Pad 6/74 |
| 9 Gold lost 51 SLC 5/174 |
| 8A | won 5/99 Pad 5/98 |
| 8B | lost 8/75 Pad 9/116 |
| 8C | won 72 Pad 71 |
| 8 Gold lost 6/132 Pad 6/148 |
| 7A | won 3/92 Pad 9/91 |
| 7B | won 5/129 Pad 8/110 |
| 7C | won 3/126 Pad 4/125 |
| 7Gold | won 158 Pad 129 |

HIGH PERFORMANCE SPORT

District and Met East News

The Sports Department is currently accepting nominations for the following trials:

- Lynton District - 12 Years Softball, 12 Years Hockey.
- Composite District - Open and 15 Years Touch.

Congratulations to the following boys selected in Lynton District teams:

- **Baseball 14 Years**: Lachlan Hyde, Hayden Snell, Ryne Zarcy.
- **Volleyball (Open)**: Josh Coombes.
- **Volleyball (15 Years)**: Michael Sullivan, Jefferson Morrow.

Congratulations to Zack Pankhurst who came fourth in the 14 years boys at the Australian BMX Championships. He also raced in the 13-14 years male cruiser division coming third.

SWIMMING

Our 100 strong swim team performed excellently at last week’s championship at Chandler. It is a large task of preparation and performance in a high standard competition. Our relay performance, the essential aspect of team swimming, secured our aggregate positions. Our Year 6 and 12 Years teams gained age level wins based on gutsy efforts under pressure. Special thanks must go to Head Coach Brian Glass and his assistant Josh Scibilia who guided the team through training, camps and final preparations.

**Team Results**

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**Individual Winners**

**Year 5**: Zayne Thomas (4 wins, 1 record).

**Year 6**: Nelson Hockings (1 record), Zahn Percy (2 wins, 1 record), Kelly Kerr, Luke Hartley, James Brenton, Kyan Muir, Thomas Ball.

**12 Years**: Hayden Wasiak (2 wins, 2 records), Matthew Hamilton, Beau Brown.

**13 Years**: Brendan Staal, Cody Blacka

**14 Years**: Hayden Ivanisevic (2 wins)

**Open**: Daniel Hey

Relay Winners

**Year 6 Div 1 Free**: James Brenton, Nelson Hockings, Thomas Ball, Zahn Percy.

**Year 6 Div 1 Medley**: Thomas Ball, Zahn Percy, Kyan Muir, Jack Hudson.

**12 Years Medley**: Eoin Davidson, Hayden Wasiak, Beau Brown, Charlie Cole.

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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)
**IONA COLLEGE SPORTS INFORMATION**

### AIC CRICKET ROUND 6 VS ST PETERS

#### SATURDAY 12 MARCH

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### RUGBY TRIAL PROCESS

All players are reminded of the following dates for rugby training / trials:

**After School - 3.15pm - 4.30pm**
- Monday 14 March: 16A/B training - McCarthy (Mr Harron)
- Monday 21 March: 16A/B training - Davine (Mr Harron)
- Monday 21 March: U15 trial - Davine (Mr O'Brien / Mr Dwyer)
- Tuesday 22 March: Year 7 - McCarthy (Mr S Devlin)
- Tuesday 22 March: Year 9 - Harron (Mr Nalatu)
- Wednesday 23 March: Year 8 - Davine (Mr Comish / Mr Adams)

**Boys will also trial during Year 5 - 10 HPE double lessons.**
**Open squad - as advised**

### Trial Games

Wednesday 23 March
- 1st XV vs Villa (Villa Park) 4pm (Mr Cassidy / Mr Devlin)
- 16A vs Villa (Villa Park) 4pm (Mr Harron)

### FOOTBALL TRIALS

Any boys wishing to trial for 4ths, 5ths or 6ths football (soccer) are asked to meet on Thursday 10 March on Fuller Oval from 3.30pm until 4.30pm. Boys will also trial during Year 5 - 10 HPE double lessons.

### IONA CROSS COUNTRY TRAINING (YEARS 7-12)

Training times for the remainder of the term are as follows:
- Weeks 7 & 8: Friday morning, 7.15am – 8.00am, Iona Strong
- Weeks 8 & 9: Tuesday morning, 7.15am – 8.00am, intervals

There are no structured training sessions set for the Easter holidays. YOU SHOULD STILL BE TRAINING: Parkrun, run with mates etc.

### IONA STRONG PRE SEASON TRAINING - YEARS 5 AND 6

Fitness training for any interested boys in Years 5 and 6 will continue this Friday morning before school at 7.45am – 8.10am. Boys can meet Mr McClure and Mr Overland in the Year 5 eating area and then we will move down to McCarthy oval.

### SAILING

Fortunately, all boys were able to get out on the water this week. The fleet boys are continuing to train hard and improve each week. There was some exciting racing during the Teams in the afternoon - Iona Black remain undefeated and Iona White were able to challenge some of the top teams on the water. With the Team Racing States being scheduled for 20 March, we hope this good form continues. Fleet training continues Wed afternoon and Teams on Friday - start times will be advised by coaches.