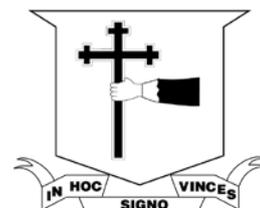


YURA: Means 'Welcome' in the language of the Quandamooka people of the Bayside and its islands.



BRINGING CONFRATERNITY TO THE BAY IONA COLLEGE 2020



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Rector's Welcome – Fr Michael Twigg O.M.I.

Yura (Welcome) is a word that we expect you will hear numerous times during the 2020 Confraternity Carnival. This traditional Quandamooka greeting has been used for centuries within our region and we hope you hear it joyfully and often and that you also make use of it while you are here. Iona College appreciates the deep and respectful relationship that we have with the people of Quandamooka country and we are sure that you will as well.



Iona College is a community of Ionians who bleed black and white and who make it a priority to welcome guests and visitors to our school. We passionately believe in the God-given dignity of each person and our culture is one that promotes respect, curiosity, teamwork and gratitude.

The beautiful environment that will greet you has been cared for by a team of families and workers for our entire 63-year history and we are so looking forward to sharing our facilities, environment and culture with our wider Confraternity Family. While being a south-side city school, we think that you will feel like you are in the best of a rural community as well. We think every school can feel at home with us during the carnival.

The great sport of Rugby League has had a varied journey at Iona since 1957. Our first 30 years was dominated by Rugby League and our next 30 years was dominated by Rugby Union. Happily, our school has breathed again with both lungs and the two sports co-exist with 15 other sports, including 5 codes of football (League, Union, Football, Australian Rules and Touch).



Our students, families and wider community are preparing to welcome you all to our College. We have been conscious that many schools within our Confraternity Family are facing difficult circumstances with drought and bushfires and we want to assure you all of our prayers.

We are extremely confident that we can inherit and build upon the great traditions of the 40 previous Confraternity Carnivals and we also think we can add a touch of our Bayside and Iona culture to them as well. Our gifts to all players should reflect the special nature of our local community.

As the Rector of Iona, it will be my privilege to lead our opening Mass. Alongside Mr Trevor Goodwin, our Principal, Mrs Susan Boban, our Manager Corporate Services and Mr Peter Holmes, our Confraternity Convenor, we are ready to lead a dedicated team of Ionians during the carnival.

We wish every school community a Happy, Safe and Holy Christmas. We sincerely look forward to welcoming you to Iona 2020 where Rugby League makes a triumphant return to enrich our community. Best wishes for all of your preparations and please make contact if we can be of any assistance.

Fr Michael Twigg O.M.I.



The Iona community looks forward to welcoming you to the 2020 Confraternity Rugby League Carnival from Sunday 28 June to Friday 3 July. A large contingent of volunteers and staff will welcome you to our beautiful grounds in Lindum on Brisbane's bayside. They are already preparing enthusiastically and diligently for your arrival. They do so because of their passion for Rugby League, Iona and the desire for you to have a wonderful confraternity experience.

In his book, *Start With the Why*, Simon Sinek tells the story of the two stonemasons which perhaps helps explain the enthusiasm of our staff and volunteers.

The story begins when a man approaches the first stonemason and asks: "Do you like your job?"

The stonemason replies: "I've been building this wall for as long as I can remember. The work is monotonous. I work in the scorching hot sun all day. The stones are heavy and, the work is back breaking. I'm not even sure this project will be finished in my lifetime. But It's a job and pays the bills".

The man thanks him for his time and moves on to the next stonemason only about 10 meters away and asks the same question: "Do you like your job?"

The second stonemason replies: "I love my job. I'm building a Cathedral. Sure, I've been building this wall for as long as I can remember. And yes, the work is monotonous. I work in the scorching hot sun all day. The stones are heavy and, the work is back breaking. I'm not even sure this project will be finished in my lifetime. But I am building a Cathedral."



For the second stonemason the work is more than a job, more than a place he has to go to ensure his bills are paid. It's a passion project. It has meaning not simply because of his contribution but because of what it means to him and others. It's important because of the experiences and connections it will provide.

Confraternity is like that for so many here at Iona. It's a passion project. Our staff and volunteers are passionate about their contribution to the 2020 event not only because they love their Rugby League but because it will build for you an experience; an opportunity to connect with players, coaches, managers and volunteers from other participating schools. While we are not quite building a Cathedral our 'why' is to create a wonderful experience for you which we hope you will enjoy.

We will therefore enthusiastically continue our preparations and warmly welcome you to the 2020 Confraternity Rugby League Carnival.

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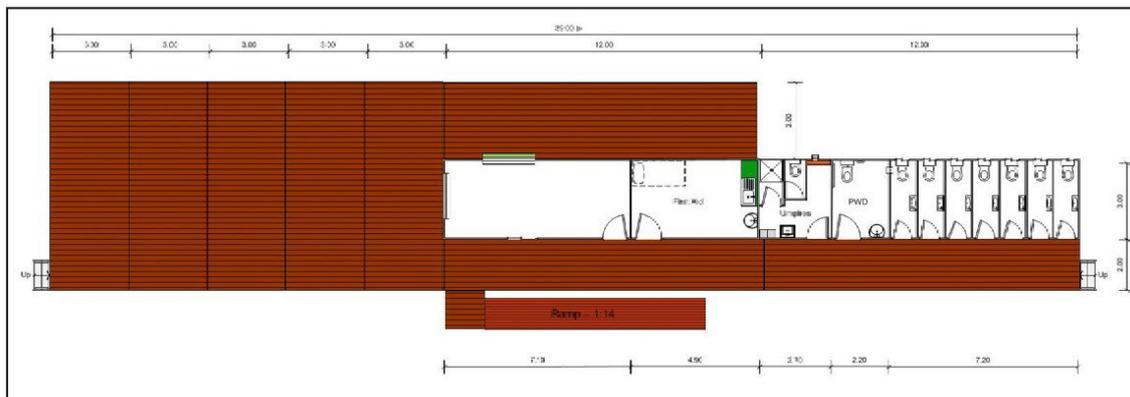
Introduction from Susan Boban

Very soon, Iona College will be hosting the 2020 Confraternity Carnival. Iona, together with our local Bayside community, will be welcoming thousands of people to our campus and surrounding areas where they will take part in one of Queensland's leading Rugby League competitions.

This is an opportunity for us to promote our local attractions, accommodation and transport services and to develop new infrastructure and facilities on our campus to create long-term benefits for future Ionians and Bayside residents. Some of the planned works are detailed below:



- The Iona grounds team have been planning oval upgrades and extensions – these works are to be done over the Christmas break.
- The College has invested in a portable Coffee Cart to serve carnival patrons and provide another canteen option for school sport on weekends.
- The College P.A sound system is being upgraded to cover the full campus including all ovals. This will be a key investment for future sporting events and safety.
- Plans are currently being drawn for a new First Aid, Amenities and Spectator Pavilion which will be built over the coming months in readiness for the Carnival.



- A golf cart will be purchased in the coming months for transporting visitors and players requiring first aid. Due to the size of our campus, this will be utilised by the College after the Carnival.
- A 12-seater minibus will be purchased during Term 1, 2020 to cater for the movement of spectators and students. Currently the College owns two 25-seater buses and this smaller bus will be a welcome addition to our current fleet.

To plan, prepare and deliver an event of this magnitude is a huge challenge - one we do not undertake lightly. We will need to work hard and together with our community to successfully host this event and will do so with shared pride and shared success.

The Confraternity Carnival is about much more than providing the best competition for our school and local area, it has enabled us to realise opportunities before and after the event, to create a positive, sustainable legacy for our students and wider community.

Susan Boban

General information from Peter Holmes, Convenor



- We would like to acknowledge Greg Bath and Best Sports Medics who will be our sports medics for the carnival. This is the same team that was employed so effectively in Bundaberg this year.
- I would also like to thank all the Q-Cup and NRL teams who have provided support and memorabilia for our players of the match awards.
- Struddys will once again be the supplier of Confraternity memorabilia.
- Laundry services for the carnival will be provided by Orange Sky. Using their services will help them raise the necessary funds to keep providing their regular laundry and shower service to homeless Australians. Their

focus is on creating a safe, positive and supportive environment for people who are too often ignored or who feel disconnected from the community.

- We are currently developing catering options, but there will be a number of good value options for breakfast (hot and cold) and lunch packs for players and staff.



- All games will be live streamed across all six fields for the duration of the carnival.
- Iona College and the local Council are developing an off-street parking plan for buses and cars to reduce traffic issues at the carnival and ensure there is plenty of parking.
- There will also be roaming security provided overnight on the grounds, with guards and lighting for school tents and equipment.
- The annual dinner will be held at Wynnum Manly Leagues Club on Tuesday 30 June and initial costs are aiming at \$85 for a two-course meal and three-hour drinks package.
- More details to follow in 2020 Term One newsletter.



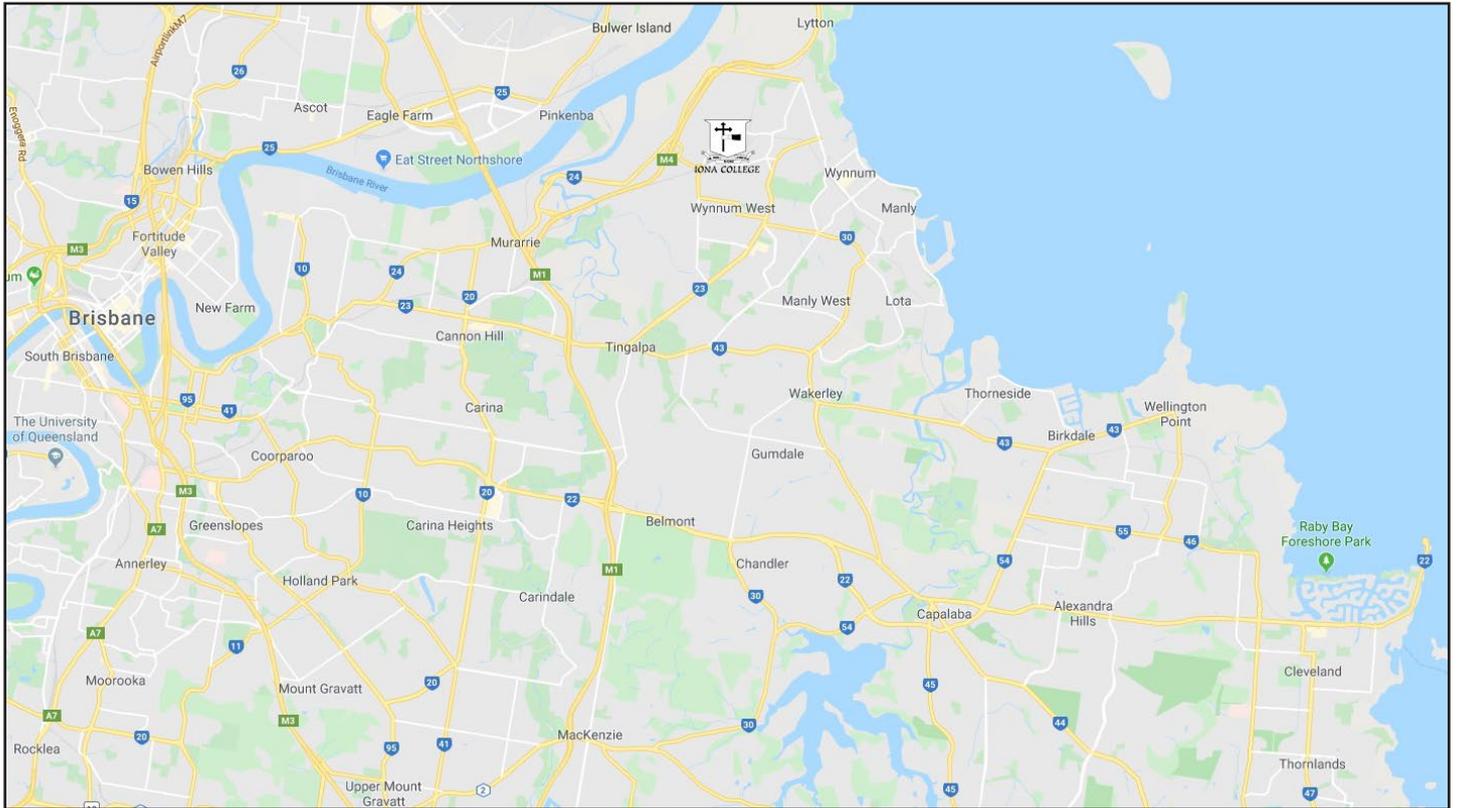
Event timeline

Sunday 28 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Opening ceremony and mass, Oblate Hall, Iona College at 5.00pm• Coaches and managers meeting, FitzPatrick Room, Iona College at 6.30pm
Monday 29 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pool games
Tuesday 30 June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pool games• Carnival dinner - in partnership with Wynnum Manly Leagues Club
Wednesday 1 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rest day• Annual general meeting, FitzPatrick Room, Iona College
Thursday 2 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Quarter and semi finals
Friday 3 July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Finals and presentation ceremonies• Teams depart

Map of the grounds



Venue map



Getting there

Situated on the edge of Moreton Bay, the suburbs of Wynnum and Manly are less than 20 kms (30 minutes) drive or 45 minutes by train from the Brisbane City Centre. The Gold Coast and Sunshine Coast are approximately one hour's drive away.

Brisbane Airport is an easy 20-minute drive from Iona.

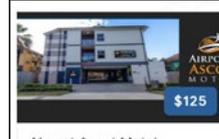
Accommodation

Accommodation will be at a premium and we suggest schools reserve their accommodation as soon as possible. The area offers many accommodation options to suit all budgets. Some of these options are listed below.

Boarding Colleges

Marist College Ashgrove	142 Frasers Road, Ashgrove Ph 07 3858 4586	Ellen Kassulke venuehire@marash.qld.edu.au
St Joseph's Nudgee College	2199 Sandgate Road, Boondall Ph 07 38650594 Mob 0418 686 285	Vicki Dodds vdodds@nudgee.qld.edu.au
St Peters Lutheran College	66 Harts Road, Indooroopilly Ph 07 3377 6100	Kelisha Winn k.winn@stpeters.qld.edu

Hamilton / Ascot

 <p>Alcyone Hotel Residences 4.5 ★★★★★ (95) Unfussy apartments in a contemporary hotel featuring an outdoor pool, a gym & river views. https://www.alcyone.com.au 35 Hercules Street, Hamilton Q 4007 (07)3505 5200</p>	 <p>DOMAIN SERVICED APART... 4.5 ★★★★★ (23) - 4-star hotel Contemporary studio to 3-bedroom lodgings with flat-screen TVs & kitchenettes/kitchens. https://www.domainservicedapartments.com.au/ 110 Racecourse Rd, Ascot Q 4007 (07) 3630 1001</p>	 <p>Novotel Brisbane Airport 4.2 ★★★★★ (652) - 5-star hotel Polished rooms & suites in a bright hotel featuring a rooftop pool & a restaurant/bar. http://www.novotelbrisbaneairport.com.au/ 6-8 The Circuit, Brisbane Airport Q,4008 (07) 3175 3100</p>	 <p>Kingsford Smith Motel 4.2 ★★★★★ (128) - 4-star hotel Laid-back lodging featuring complimentary Wi-Fi, plus a BBQ area and an outdoor pool. https://www.kingsfordsmithmotel.com.au/ 610 Kingsford Smith Dr, Hamilton Q 4007 (07) 3868 4444</p>	 <p>Airport Ascot Motel 4.2 ★★★★★ (95) - 4-star hotel Casual lodging with optional breakfast and an airport shuttle, plus free Wi-Fi and parking. http://www.airportascotmotel.com.au/ 550 Kingsford Smith Drive Hamilton, Q 4007 (07) 3268 52 66</p>	 <p>Best Western Airport 85 M... 4.0 ★★★★★ (172) - 4-star hotel Straightforward lodging with an outdoor pool, a hot tub and a BBQ, plus free breakfast and WiFi. https://www.bestwestern.com 40 Lamington Ave, Ascot Q 4007 (07) 3268 4966</p>
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Wynnum / Morningside

 <p>Wynnum Anchor Motel 4.5 ★★★★★ (47) - 3-star hotel Relaxed pick offering rooms with kitchenettes and free Wi-Fi, plus an outdoor pool and a... https://wynnumanchormotel.com.au/ 14 Adam Street, Wynnum 4178 (07) 3396 3037</p>	 <p>Shangri-La Gardens & Syiv... 4.5 ★★★★★ (70) - 4-star hotel Traditional rooms in a posh choice offering a high-end restaurant and an outdoor saltwater... http://www.shangrilagardens.com.au/ 1969 Wynnum Road, Wynnum West, Q 4178 (07) 3308-5100</p>	 <p>The Colmslie Hotel 4.0 ★★★★★ (763) - 4-star hotel Modern rooms in a hip lively property, plus a restaurant, a beer garden and gaming facilities. https://www.questapartments.com.au/ Wynnum Rd & Junction Rd, Morningside Q 4170 (07) 3399 8222</p>	 <p>Quest Cannon Hill 4.6 ★★★★★ (15) Top location, friendly staff... nice place to sleep! https://www.questapartments.com.au/ 930 Wynnum Rd, Cannon Hill Q 4170 (07) 3556 6000</p>
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Cleveland

 <p>Pacific Resort 3.8 ★★★★★ (103) - 3-star hotel Relaxed property offering a pool, a bar, and simple rooms, plus villas with kitchens and... https://www.pacificcleveland.com.au/ 128 Middle St, Cleveland Q 4163 (07) 3286 2088</p>	 <p>Bay Air Motel 4.1 ★★★★★ (68) - 3-star hotel Casual motor inn offering subdued rooms with dining areas and free Wi-Fi, plus a salt water... http://www.bayairmotel.com.au/ 128 Middle St, Cleveland Q 4163 (07) 3286 2088</p>	 <p>Cleveland Visitor Villas Mo... 4.4 ★★★★★ (34) - 3-star hotel Laid-back redbrick villas with kitchens and free Wi-Fi, plus an outdoor pool and a BBQ area. http://www.cvmotel.com.au/ 214-216 Bloomfield St, Cleveland Q,4163 (07) 3286 5756</p>
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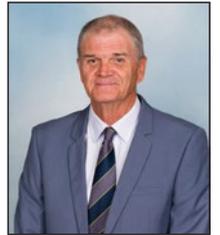
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