Jubilee Thanks: As our formal Jubilee celebrations come to a close, I remind people that there are still some exciting activities planned throughout the rest of the year. I would, however, take this opportunity to thank a number of people for their vision and drive along with their steadfast commitment to the College in bringing our celebrations to fruition over this last week. To Mrs Isabel Browne, Mrs Ricki Saunders (P & F President), Mrs Karen Irvine, Mr Conrad Tamblyn, Mrs Beth McMillan and others who worked so hard to ensure a wonderful celebration. I also take this opportunity to thank Bishop Jarrett and our Director of Catholic Schools, Mr David Condon, for their support during this week. Finally, I thank Fr Paul Gooley for his generous support and confidence in me, in bringing this all together. There are many others who have worked towards this event, but space prevents me from mentioning them all. To one and all, though, I say a heartfelt THANK YOU.

Book Launch: Mrs Isabel Browne has been busily writing the history of the College and will soon launch this book for sale to the College and Parish community. Further details about this will be forthcoming in future newsletters. Pre-orders may be made through the office.

Student Free Day Tomorrow (Friday 26): Whilst preparations for Jubilee get into full swing, Friday, 26 June will be a pupil free day for all students. The College will be open for supervision so parents who cannot provide care for their child may send them to school. Students should come to school in uniform and be prepared to assist with our setup, hosting College tours and working in rooms for visitors.

Evangelii Gaudium: We have spoken at length about joy and love, but the word of God also speaks about the fruit of peace (cf. Gal 5:22) – Let us pray for peace in our world these holidays (Page 217).

Subject Fees: Thank you to all those families who have made attempts to catch up on these fees. I remind families that it is these that allow us to run the variety of electives and offer extra opportunities for students at school. For those with overdue accounts, an interview with me will be necessary.

Return Date Term 3: Students will return to school on Monday, 13 July.

I wish everyone a safe and restful holiday

God Bless

Mr Kevin Lewis – Principal
klewis@lism.catholic.edu.au

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IT’S SIMPLE: from Wednesday, 15 July, when anyone from our school community – staff, parents, friends shop at Woolworths they can collect stickers and place them on sticker cards. There’ll be one sticker for every $10 spent. Place your stickers or cards in the collection box, either at the College or at Woolworths. Points collected are tallied and will be used to purchase valuable educational resources. It is a great way to support the College.

Real Women: The next Real Women’s Meeting will be held on:
Sunday, 5 July
1.30 – 3.30 pm
In the Parish Hall
Speakers: Health Professionals from Macleay/Hastings Unit on Stroke and Recovery
Colour Theme: Red
Tickets on sale at church $10 each

Assistant Principal’s Message

Parent-Teacher Evening: Parents, we have organised a Parent/Teacher Evening for Years 7 to 12, to give you the opportunity to discuss your child’s progress with us or to inform us of any relevant information that would assist us in your child’s learning. We believe it is essential that all parents take the opportunity to speak with their children’s teachers. As such, a Parent/Teacher Evening will take place for parents of all students on Wednesday, 22 July, in the Edmund Rice Hall, from 3.45 pm to 6.15 pm. More information has been sent home, however, it can also be found on the College website under Parents; Parent/Teacher evening.

Students driving to College: Parents, just a reminder about the College policy on students driving onto College grounds. The policy reads:

Students, who are wishing to drive either themselves or other students to school and park on the College grounds, must complete and submit a ‘Permission to Drive to School’ form to their Year Co-ordinator. This will also be retained on file.

Students wishing to be a passenger in a vehicle driven by another student and parked on the College grounds must complete and submit a ‘Permission to be a Passenger in a Vehicle Driven by Another Student’ form to the Year Co-ordinator. This will be retained on file.

When students are given written parental permission to leave the College grounds, and are doing so by driving themselves, this must be stated in the letter, otherwise the student needs to be picked up and signed out by parents.

I thank you for your support in this matter.

Mr Guy Campbell – Assistant Principal

Speech Night

At the College’s first Annual Speech Night and Prize Distribution, the “prize list” was headed by awards for Religious Knowledge, followed by a special Leadership prize, Academic and Sports Prizes. The Col Kennedy shield for house teams aggregate was won by Daley House (Golds) led by Chris Chapman.

Year 11 Street Retreat: Four Year 11 students participated in a Street Retreat in Brisbane, June 18 – 21. Evronia Allan, Bridget Barber, Callum Sinclair and Matthew Walker were accompanied by Mr Scott Edwards and Miss Lucy Barber. They worked with organisations that provide support for the homeless on the streets of Brisbane. This was a huge life experience for the students. They passed some of it on to the College assembly this week. A huge thankyou to Mr Edwards and Miss Barber for their support.

Year 10 Retreat: The Year 10 Retreat will be on 30 - 31 July, at the Coffs Coast Adventure Centre. The aim of the retreat is to get students to reflect on the life choices that they will soon be making and to build on their relationships with each other. The retreat is a compulsory component of a student’s education at St
Paul’s, and as such, prior approval must be obtained from the Principal for non-attendance. **Non-attendance without approval will still incur the cost of the retreat**, which is $115.

**50th Jubilee Mass:** The 50th Jubilee Mass was held today and celebrated by Bishop Geoffrey Jarrett in the Edmund Rice Hall. Past students and teachers joined with current ones and a range of dignitaries for the occasion. Some 60’s cars and fashions were evident to help celebrate the 1965-2015 milestone. Tributes were paid to the Christian Brothers and Mercy Sisters who laid the foundations for Catholic education in the Macleay Valley. The pre-Vatican II choir and a smoking ceremony also helped to emphasise the importance of the occasion. A big thank you to everyone who attended.

**NAIDOC Ceremony:** A NAIDOC ceremony and associated activities are planned for Wednesday, 20 July. The ceremony will be held in the College Hall in the morning. Parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Mr Conrad Tamblyn – Leader of Evangelisation

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**CURRICULUM**

**Year 10 into 11 Course Selection Market Information and Interviews:** A Course Selection Market will be held at St Paul’s College on Wednesday, 15 July, between 4 pm and 6 pm for students who are currently in Year 10. The Market includes representatives from all the courses which are on offer in 2016. There will also be opportunities for you to speak with Subject Co-ordinators and course Teachers from all areas of the curriculum including the VET Co-ordinator and Careers Advisor. I strongly stress the importance of your attendance, and that of your son or daughter at this meeting. Please ensure that you bring the Course Selection Booklet with which your child will have been issued.

**Please Note:** It is not necessary to attend the Course Selection Market for the entire time scheduled. Parents and students ask questions and visit booths at their own discretion.

Following the Course Selection Market, there will be an information session between 6 pm and 7 pm presented by me and other KLA Co-ordinators. Here, Board of Studies requirements for both the Preliminary and HSC courses will be discussed, and any questions or queries you may have will be answered.

On Monday, 20 July, Year 10 students and their parents are asked to attend school for interviews with the KLA Co-ordinators in regard to suitability of Course choice. Please note that **this is not a normal school day for Year 10 students as they are not required to attend school for lessons**.

Bookings for these interviews will be taken at the Course Selection Market and Information Evening, however, if necessary they can be made at the College office up until 3.30 pm Friday, 17 July.

**Trial HSC Examination Timetable:** All Year 12 have now received their Trial HSC Examination Timetable. These begin on Monday, 27 July (Week 3) and conclude on Monday, 10 August (Week 5). This is a stressful and hectic time for our HSC students and I wish them well and encourage them to adopt a healthy study/life balance, which includes daily exercise and plenty of sleep.

A reminder that students must wear full winter school uniform to the Trial Examinations. They must assemble at the Edmund Rice Centre **thirty minutes** before the scheduled start of Exams, and cannot start an examination if they are more than sixty minutes late. Students must stay for the duration of each exam and do not have to attend school when they do not have one. All students are welcome to come to school and consult teachers or use College facilities when they do not have an examination.

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Mr Leon Robinson – Leader of Curriculum
**HISTORY**

**Nam Bus Visit:** On Friday, June 19, five Vietnam veterans visited St Paul’s College with the ‘Nam Bus’, a bus which has been fitted out as a travelling museum about the Vietnam War.

Year 9 History and Elective History students viewed the bus and the displays, along with a talk given by the men about why the Vietnam War happened, their roles in the conflict and how the war affected them, their fellow servicemen and all of their families.

The students were very interested in the veterans’ stories, the displays and all of the equipment and uniforms that they brought with them.

The HSIE staff would like to thank the Vietnam Veterans Association for travelling to Kempsey with their ‘Nam Bus’ and its fantastic history resources, and thank the students for their politeness towards the veterans and their enthusiasm and interest in their stories and war memorabilia.

Mr Peter Pitt – Teacher of HSIE

**ART REPORT**

**Art Excursion to the Regional Art Gallery Port Macquarie:** “On 27 May, Year 10 and 11 Visual Arts students went on an excursion to the Glasshouse Regional Art Gallery in Port Macquarie to see multiple exhibitions as well as the Koala Installation pieces along the town green. These pieces were an inspiration to us as we began to create our own sculptural works in Visual Arts.

During our excursion, we also visited the local Charles Sturt University for a short lecture on photo-media. We were taught basic techniques for using Photoshop to combine two images and adding effects.

At the Glasshouse Gallery we also looked at the Ceramic Work by Phil Greed from Coffs Harbour. His work was described as “being constantly captivated by the ever-changing shoreline where land meets sea and the fragile balance, natural beauty and ecological significance of the coastal edge throughout the Mid North Coast. We sketched some of his works and explored some useful influences on our future artwork possibilities.

The Bright & Bold exhibition showed colourful Abstract artworks from the Port Macquarie - Hastings Council Collection. These caught our imagination.” – Emma-Leah Ducat.

“It was a lovely experience seeing all the local works at the gallery. It was challenging trying to figure out the ideas for all the installation pieces of the koalas as they were all diverse and creative. Charles Sturt University was an eye-opener, seeing all the lecture rooms and departments involved in creating a campus. It was fun and different trying out Photoshop although and we had to share the computers so we could all participate. Overall, I had fun and found new inspirations and different forms of art that I would not usually encounter.” – Sarah Ball, Year 10

“I thought it was an educational experience and I enjoyed looking at all the art and experiencing the reality of it being right in front of me. It was great seeing how an artist produces the finished product. The Charles Sturt University lecture was a lot of fun and I learnt how to use Photoshop basic elements. Seeing the facilities at the University in Port Macquarie gave me the opportunity to see what I could do in the future in the next stage of my education.” – Kathryn Johnson, Year 11

**STUDENT SERVICES**

**Homework Club:** Homework Club WILL NOT be open after school, until Week 4, Term 3 (Wednesday, 5 August). Apologies! Look forward to seeing all those committed to the Homework Club after that.

Mrs Jan Stubbs – Additional Needs Teacher
The annual Kempsey Eisteddfod was held last week with students from Years 9, 10 and 12 Drama competing. All students worked very hard in rehearsals to prepare for the occasion and consequently received fantastic results. The group performance for Years 10, 11 and 12 saw the Year 10 group comprising of Claire Brennan, Tess Harwood, Daniel Emery, Joshua Duff and Ebony Hawken take second place, with the Year 12 group of Mitchell Emphied, Kate Sutherland and Emily Miguel-Leigh taking third place. The other Year 12 and three Year 10 groups also received a Highly Commended. The short play section for Years 7, 8 and 9 was won by our Year 9 group of Ruby Colling, Cassidy Hartman, Trinity Raison, Madeleine Rowe and Erin Whalen.

The Impromptu section of the Eisteddfod is extremely difficult with each group of students given a topic and three minutes to prepare before they have to perform. It requires a lot of skill and confidence. Again, we were rewarded with a first with the Year 12 group of Tim Brenton, H’Raani Pilbeam and Tahlia Webster, and a Highly Commended to the Year 12 group of Mitchell Emphied, Kate Sutherland and Emily Miguel-Leigh.

The final section for our school was the HSC Monologue performance. All students performed with confidence and flair, with Tahlia Webster taking out first, H’Raani Pilbeam second and Mitchell Emphied third. Highly Commendeds were awarded to Tim Brenton and Kate Sutherland.

A big thankyou to Beth McMillan and Kristy Carney for all their hard work in assisting the students. It was a fantastic opportunity for them and we look forward to next year.

Mrs Amanda Jordan – Drama Teacher

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**LIBRARY NEWS**

**Golden Jubilee:** St Paul’s wasn’t the only good thing to have come out of the 1960’s. How about this for a top-10 “Best Books” list: To Kill a Mockingbird, The Outsiders, One Flew Over the Cuckoo’s Nest; Slaughterhouse-Five, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, A Wrinkle in Time, Catch-22, Green Eggs and Ham, Where the Wild Things Are, and In Cold Blood. Whether you agree with their spot on the list or not, what better time to re-acquaint yourselves with them (and other titles) than at this special time. If you can’t find them on your book cases or local library shelves, try here at school after the holidays.

**Year 12 Study:** Many students from within our current group of Year 12s have really shown a positive approach to their exam preparation in the past. Because of this, Library hours will be extended even further in the build-up to their Trials, starting with 8.00 am opening from the very first day of next term. Closing time will stay at 4.30 pm. This will continue until the Trials are over.

Students in other years are also welcome, of course. Everyone is reminded that, for this time, the Library will be an “iPad free zone” unless they are at the desks and being used for silent reading, study or revision.

**Overdue Books:** Keep them coming!!! Students are still asked to do one of three things:

1) Ask for the loan/s to be extended
2) Return the overdue item/s
3) Pay for it/them.

**Anzac Display:** As recently as yesterday, an ANZAC Acknowledgement Card was placed in our current display. Dozens have now appeared, and will stay there until December 20, marking the date when our
The students were evacuated from Gallipoli. Students are still welcome to place a card on display, honouring relatives, past or present, who have been members of any of Australia’s Defence Forces.

Enjoy your holidays, everyone, and…

Happy Reading

Mr Peter Garty – Teacher/Librarian 😊

AGRICULTURE NEWS

Year Eleven Agriculture Excursion: Last week, seven students from St Paul’s and five Kempsey High students spent five days studying various Agricultural enterprises in the state’s far west. The students left at 5 am on Tuesday morning and travelled to Wee Waa. The first stop was a tour through the Merah north cotton gin. This facility processes raw cotton from the field, separating the lint from the seed and removes the trash in the process.

The next place visited was Australian Classing Services which grades the cotton using visual assessment by trained cotton classers, as well as mechanical testing to determine fibre strength, density and quality.

Our first night was spent at the Wee Waa showground where we used the Pony Club’s facilities. The second day of the trip, we visited the Australian Cotton Research Institute which is a joint venture between DPI NSW and the CSIRO. This organisation carries out research into various crops grown in the district, investigating the pests and improvements to crop management techniques. The cotton industry uses genetically modified plants and this visit provided the students with a greater understanding of the use, management and control of this technology.

After our visit to ACRI, students were able to have a quick swim at the Burren Junction Artesian Bore Baths, where they enjoyed lunch cooked by Miss Lawrence. The next stop was Kia Ora Feedlot. The property Kia Ora is 77,000 acres and operates a six thousand head capacity feedlot, as well as growing its own crops and breeding many of its own cattle. Property owner, John Swain, gave the students a guided tour through the feed mill, the cattle intake shed as well as the feedlot pens.

From Kia Ora it was short 180 km hop to Bourke and to our excellent accommodation at Kidman’s camp on the Darling River at North Bourke. In Bourke, students visited a large irrigated cotton farm (Clyde Cotton) and saw firsthand the logistics involved in shifting irrigation water from the Darling River to the farm’s massive four hundred hectare dams. Students also got to examine the technology involved in modern cropping with almost all tractors employing GPS guidance and satellite monitoring.

The rest of the afternoon was spent visiting Fred Hollow’s grave, the Bourke exhibition centre and having a look around the town of Bourke itself. We also had a great time watching NSW annihilate Queensland in the State of Origin.

On Friday morning we left Bourke at 6 am and travelled to Hermidale, 200 km to the south. We visited a property called “Thorndale”, operated by the Ward family. Here the students drafted and weighed twelve hundred fat lambs, got to try crutching sheep and had the opportunity to drive a large caterpillar tractor sowing chick peas. The remainder of the day was spent doing seedling counts in...
wheat and chickpea crops, looking at native vegetation regrowth and inspecting the impact of feral pigs on farming systems. We spent that evening around the camp fire before sleeping in the Thorndale shearing shed.

The trip home through Dubbo took us through some new territory and lasted twelve hours, including some stops.

I would like to thank the students from both schools. They were excellent. I would also like to thank Miss Di Lawrence for taking the trip with us again. She organised the camp each day and did a great job keeping everyone fed. She also helped a lot with the driving. Thanks, also, to Gavin Saul from Kempsey High for coming along as well.

Tonight, we had a presentation night for the parents where the students recounted their experiences.

Mr Graham Bramley – Agriculture Teacher
SPORT NEWS

**Athletics:** Week 1 of next term on Thursday, 16 July, our College Athletics Carnival will be held. It is one of our three biggest sporting events of the year and I encourage lots of participation from all students Years 7-10. Long-course running events will be held during lunch times in the first week back. I encourage students to listen to morning notices that will outline what event will be on each day. All parents are welcome to come and support their children and if any can help on the day, please contact me at the College.

**Cross Country:** On Friday, 12 June, three of our students, Shanna Wood, Kolby Wood and Chloe Saunders, competed for the Lismore Diocese at the NSWCCC Cross Country Championships at Eastern Creek in Sydney. They did well against some very strong runners. Chloe finished 18th out of sixty; Shanna finished 25th out of fifty six and Kolby finished 11th. Congratulations to Kolby, who is a first shadow reserve, so if any one pulls out he will have the opportunity to compete at NSW All Schools. Congratulations to you all.

**Touch:** Last Tuesday, Nathan Phillips and Angus Bird represented the Lismore Diocese at the NSWCCC Touch Football Championships in Port Macquarie. Nathan played for the U15’s boys team and they won three games, drew one and lost one. These results allowed them to make the semi-finals, but unfortunately lost to MCC. Nathan scored four tries throughout the tournament. Angus Bird played for the Open boys team and had a tough competition. They won two out of their five games. Angus scored three tries in the tournament. Congratulations to both Nathan and Angus on their performances.

**Football:** Last Thursday, our Open Boys and Open Girls football teams travelled to Coffs Harbour to compete in the Lismore Diocese Final. Our girls side were up against some more fancied opponents. The Trinity College team were the state champions in 2014. The game started at a very fast pace and the class of the Trinity team began to show. They went ahead 2-0 early in the first half. Our girls dug deep, however, and defended resolutely for the rest of the game. “We always looked dangerous on the counter attack and remained a threat”, commented their coach, Mr Tom Salter. “Olivia Creswick hit the post with ten minutes to go. If that ball had gone in, there may have been a different result - as our girls were finishing stronger”, he said. “The whole side could hold their heads up high and everyone gave their all. Best and fairest points on the day went to Lindsay Morrison, Olivia Creswick and Joanne Filipcic.”

Our boys team were up against Xavier Catholic College in what some might say was a tough and fiery encounter, both teams were putting in solid tackles. Our boys went in to half time 3-0 up. Goals went to Nick Wright, Eli Cosic and Evan Clarke. Xavier tried to get back into the game early in the second half but our boys’ defence stayed solid and Mitch Clarke played very well to keep a clean sheet in goal. Nick Wright scored his second to put the game beyond doubt. “I could not award best and fairest points”, said their coach, Mr Conrad Tamblyn, “as each player did what I asked of them.” The team now progresses to the next level of the competition, where they will play the winner of the Armidale diocese. “The boys have their sights set on making the NSW state final this year, to help celebrate the 50th Jubilee of the foundation of the College”, said Mr Tamblyn.

Congratulations to both teams and thank you to Mr Salter and Mr Tamblyn for coaching.

At the time of this report going to print Mr Salter and Mr Pugh are taking our boys and girls Years 7-10 football teams to Coffs Harbour to play in the Lismore Diocese 7-10 Gala Day. We wish them well and I will have a full report in the next newsletter.

I’d like to wish everyone a happy and safe break and I look forward to another very busy term for sport at the College.

*Miss Dianne Lawrence – Sports Co-ordinator*
Dear Parents/Guardians and Students,

The St Paul’s College Athletics Carnival will be held on Thursday, 16 July (Week 1, Term 3). This is a normal school day and ALL students are expected to attend. Students are also encouraged to participate fully in the carnival in order to gain points for their House.

All students are required to attend school in the morning for roll call at 8.55 am in the Hall. If we have to postpone due to bad weather, an announcement will be made prior to 8 am over the radio and on our St Paul’s College Facebook page and website. Families who have supplied a mobile number will also be notified via SMS.

Students will be transported to and from the Kempsey Services Club park (off Belgrave Street) by Cavanagh’s Bus Company. At the conclusion of the carnival, students are expected to return to school and will not be allowed to leave the venue unless a parent is present to pick them up. Prior to leaving the carnival, the student and parent must speak to either their PC teacher or their relevant Year Co-ordinator (in order to mark the child off the roll).

This year to encourage participation and House morale, students from Years 7-11 are allowed to attend school dressed either in house colours, or their sports uniform, (see below for appropriate dress), with Year 12 only allowed to attend dressed as novelty characters, as in previous years.

I would like to highlight to parents and students our College policy for appropriate dress to the athletics carnival.

‘All clothing worn to school the day of the athletics carnival must be appropriate. If a student arrives at school the day of the athletics carnival, in clothing deemed to be inappropriate, parents may be contacted and asked to collect the students in order to rectify the matter. It is inappropriate for brief and revealing clothing to be worn to school. This includes low-cut, strapless, backless or mid-riff tops, mini-skirts and brief shorts. Parents are also asked to consider the appropriateness of all writing and graphics on T-shirts.’

Students should also bring wet weather gear in case it rains on the day. Sunscreen will be provided, however it is suggested that students bring their own sunscreen and hat for sun protection as well as a full water bottle.

The cost of the day will be $3.00, which covers the bus fare to and from the venue. This money is to be paid on the day as the students board the bus. A canteen will also be available on the day. Students may wish to bring money to use at the canteen facilities.

We encourage all students to go in as many events as possible. Remember that participation is the main focus so just have a go, as most of the house points come from participation in events.

We also encourage as many parents as possible to come along and support your child on the day. If you are able to help out by doing a job on the day, could you please give me a call at the College or send me an email at the address below.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Di Lawrence
Sport Co-ordinator
dilawrence@lism.catholic.edu.au
Dear Principal,

Hi! Just a note with some information for you regarding this year’s Diocesan Young Adult Weekend: OASIS 2015: ‘Who will you Serve?’.

The weekend will be held from 9am Saturday 22nd August – 3pm Sunday 23rd August 2015 at “Koinonia by the Sea”
Terrace St
EVANS HEAD NSW 2473

You and other of your parish staff or community are most welcome to drop in at any time.

“OASIS” Poster and Registration Brochure will be emailed for you to duplicate in colour if possible. Please place a poster (A3/A4 size) in your school office and in the school staff room/s for teachers and staff to browse, along with printed copies of registration brochure (which is meant to be folded in three). Also, as the weekend is coming up soon could you please advertise this weekly in your school newsletter, up until the last week of May.

The poster would be best duplicated in colour in A3 size.

As our Weekend Facilitator, we have been fortunate enough to procure the services of Roby Curtis, founder of Blind Eye Ministries, who works with the Emmanuel Worship Community in Brisbane QLD. Blind Eye Ministries is a grass-roots Catholic ministry devoted to journeying with the most vulnerable in our society. We achieve this one person at a time. Our current areas of focus are; Homeless, Indigenous and Pro-life issues.

We would like you to particularly encourage younger members of the teaching staff in your parish school/s to attend, as it will be a particularly enriching experience that will have a positive effect upon their life and work with the students.

May I suggest that, as you start promoting this weekend, and become aware of any young adult who might like to attend, but may struggle with the cost, the parish might be prepared to partly subsidise them.

Thank you for all the great work you have done in the past and are still doing in the support of young people in your area.

Please keep in your prayers, the young people of the Diocese who will be participating in “OASIS 2015!”. Thank you for being prepared to promote it.

Yours faithfully

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