

OLIVET CHRISTIAN COLLEGE NEWSLETTER



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From the Principal's Desk

In last week's newsletter, we saw in Proverbs 1 that the first way to get wisdom is by being a good listener. Specifically, by listening to God. In Proverbs 1:7, we find that the second way to be wise is to have an attitude of Godly fear. Or to put it another way, we need to have a reverence of God or, have a healthy perspective of who God is. This fear is not the fear you may have in a scary situation. Rather,

it is to have respect and reverence for His wisdom and an understanding of the benefits of being obedient to God's directions in our lives. We need to see God correctly to become wise. He is the Creator and King. We need to see Him as the powerful, loving Saviour.



SWIMMING SPORTS

We're looking forward to a great time tomorrow! All parents and friends are welcome to come and enjoy this day with us and cheer on the students!

All students are to wear summer uniform for the day. We expect to be finished around 2.45pm. Students can either leave with their families or return back to school to go on the school bus home as normal.

We look forward to seeing you there!

FAMILIES TO PRAY FOR THIS WEEK
Watson ~ Westcott ~ Williams ~ Arnephy

ENCOURAGING...EQUIPPING...EMPOWERING

AUSTRALIAN DENTAL HEALTH VAN

Forms have been sent home today for this visit that is scheduled for early May here at Olivet. We do need to have a minimum number of forms returned for the visit to go ahead, so if you are interested in having your child/ren seen, please return the form before next Wednesday 1 March.

SECONDARY LAWN BOWLS

Secondary students will be beginning 3 sessions of lawn bowls for Sport on Thursday 9 March at the Castlemaine Lawn Bowls club.

STUDENT ABSENCE

A reminder to parents that if your child is absent from school, it is your responsibility to let their class teacher and/or the office know that they will be away, prior to school starting for the day. If we have not heard from you, we will be in contact with you. This is for children's safety.

AFTERNOON PICK-UP

Parents are reminded that the school must be advised if your child's normal after school pick-up/bus travel has changed for the day. This is for children's safety.

YEAR 7 IMMUNISATIONS

Will be held next Tuesday 7 March.

TERM ONE PLANNER

Monday 30 January - Thursday 6 April

Dates to be confirmed for:

- Primary End of Term Excursion

3 Mar	Swimming Sports - Chewton Swimming Pool
7 Mar	Primary Swimming
7 Mar	Year 7 Immunisations
9 Mar	Secondary Lawn Bowls
13 Mar	Labour Day Public Holiday - NO SCHOOL
14 Mar	Primary Swimming
15-27 Mar	NAPLAN
16 Mar	Secondary Lawn Bowls
20 Mar	Primary Radio Incursion
21 Mar	Primary Swimming
23 Mar	Secondary Lawn Bowls
28 Mar	Primary Swimming
29 Mar	Compulsory Parent Teacher Interviews
30 Mar	Year 5-9 Orienteering
4 Apr	Primary Swimming
4 Apr	Secondary End of Term Excursion
6 Apr	Last day of Term 1



PARENT-TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Interviews are held during the day and a schedule will be sent home next week. Interviews are compulsory and students do not attend school on the day BUT we ask that Secondary students attend their interview with Parents/Guardians. Primary students often come to school but don't need to sit in the interview.

SECONDARY SWIMMING

Over the last 2 weeks, Secondary Students have been able to participate in some swimming sessions for PE. The first session was held at the Newstead

Swimming Pool, with the second session at Chewton Swimming Pool, completing a water safety and swim session with one of their instructors.



Protection from getting hypothermia!



Dragging to safety!



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Wednesday 15 March



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