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The Olivet News

Threads and Textiles Class at work; some of the terrific poster work produced by students this term

TRUE SUCCESS

Young US gymnast Gabby Douglas won 2 Gold Medals at the London Olympics - and gave glory to God for her success.

Before the contest Gabby (16) told a US TV News Service that one of the ways she prepares for the pressure is meditating on God's Word, the Bible. After the victory, she said "Let all that I am praise the Lord, may I never forget the good things He does for me."

Gabby's story is a reminder of God's promise to all who choose to live for Him. 1 Samuel 2:30 "Those who honour Me I will honour."

Our next Scripture passage, Joshua 1:1 - 9 talks about true success. This passage reminds us that true and lasting success only comes from following God and His commandments - walking in His ways. "Meditate on God's Word day and night, for then you shall make your way prosperous and you shall have good success." (v8)

So if you are struggling with any aspect of life at present, know that God is there with us to enable us to see success as we turn to Him for our strength and courage.

"Be strong and of good courage, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go." (v9)

PLEASE PRAY THIS WEEK for the NICHOLSON PATTERSON PERCY and RADNELL-SWANSON Families.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you Mrs Donaldson for taking the time in Chapel yesterday to explain what this is all about. What a joy it is to package up a shoe box for a girl or boy overseas to receive at Christmas time!

Continue to pack a shoe box with gifts for Christmas for a specific age group. In Week 3 of Term 4, the College will collect the boxes and send them on to Melbourne to be processed.

PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEW DAY

was held on Tuesday 18 September. There are a number of families who were not able to be there on the day. It would be terrific if these families could see their class teachers after Presentation Afternoon to receive reports and talk about the progress of their students.

FRI 21 SEPT Last day of Term 3.

All students are to come dressed in sports uniform for a sports day to be held between recess and lunchtime after classes have completed their clean up for the term. Thank you to Mr Steel and to the students concerned for their leadership and running of the Sports Day.

The sports day will have an Olympic focus with all buddies being placed into teams (countries).

The students will be participating in a number of different activities between Recess and Lunch time. Parents, please feel welcome to come along and watch. If you are wanting to assist in any way with the day then please notify Mr. Steel.

PRESENTATION AFTERNOON will begin at 1.15pm and will conclude with student dismissal for the 2-week break at approx. 2.30pm.

We invite all Parents, Grandparents, other family members and friends of the College to come along and join us for the occasion as we celebrate the end of term and the certificates and awards of the students.

There will be no school Hot Lunches tomorrow - last day of term.

VICTORIAN ACE STUDENT CONVENTION

Gary Chapman (opposite IGA) in Mostyn Street will frame or mat board your art and photography. Art and Photos need to be handed into Mrs Donaldson by the first day next term.

On the first day back next term, we will complete all judges forms. If you have some spare time this week, please start your judges forms. The teachers can show you how to do this if you haven't completed a judges form before.

CONVENTION CONCERT

On the Friday of the first week of Term 4, there will be a Convention Concert to allow students to have an audience before going to convention the following week. this concert will be held from 1.30 - 2-30 pm on Friday 12 October. Parents, Grandparents and Friends of the College are very welcome to attend to be a part of the audience.

COMMUNITY NOTICE - BASKETBALL

Registrations are now being taken for the Castle-maine summer basketball season
Commencing Monday 8 October.
Please register by the 26th of Sept.

Under 12 boys and girls up to under 18 boys and girls in juniors and senior mens and womens teams.

For more information or to register,

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SUMMER UNIFORMS We are in full summer uniform from the first day of Term 4.

Please make sure that all uniforms fit and are in good repair for the start of next term. If you need to order any pieces now is the time to contact Mrs Revell and arrange to purchase them.
