FROM THE PRINCIPAL Kaye Mathwin-Cox

Last Friday the staff celebrated and thanked our many Volunteers with a special morning tea. These people help make this College the amazing place it is. In a growing school volunteers make such a difference to the College community as they support all our staff to undertake those extra activities that we can sometimes find difficult to achieve. We have volunteers at Navigator College who help in so many ways, from work in the library, reading, excursions, prayer groups, facilities as well as in the classroom. To our volunteers, we hope you enjoyed this small token of fellowship as a heartfelt thank you.


This week we were pleased to finalise an opportunity with Foundation Education to support the delivery of curriculum for a Certificate 3 in Allied Health Assistance and Early Childhood Support. This partnership will allow Foundation Education and Navigator College to continue to deliver high quality education to students on the EP.

This partnership will also open the door for the community to enrol in programs to increase skills in these areas.

In 2016 Foundation Education will extend the offer to a Certificate 4 Diploma in Health Practice Management. This will be delivered using the Trade Skills Centre after school hours and is an exciting opportunity for all who wish to pursue a career in the health industry, including adult students.

PICTURED here are the Year 12 Child Studies students undertaking their cooking prac with the Year 2/3 students. The assessment task was based on creating and maintaining a safe environment for children to participate in cooking activities and to help students discover the benefits of learning to cook and prepare food for themselves and others.

STUDENTS SEND MESSAGES OF SUPPORT TO THE CFS IN SA AND WA

These packaged sweets made by the Navigator College Year 10 students will find their way to the CFS crews in Western Australia and South Australia’s Mid North.

The students said “It was Mrs Fords idea, she knows someone in WA that has been affected by the devastating fires”. They continued to say that the Port Lincoln Community knew all too well how a bushfire can affect communities, and how it is ‘close to home’ after the tragic 2005 bushfire in Port Lincoln. The students were thrilled to be able to show their support with this gesture and hope it can bring some encouragement to the CFS crews on the ground in these affected areas.

A Message of support:

“Thank you for your courage and perseverance during this time of extreme challenge. From the Year 10 Class at Navigator College in Port Lincoln, SA. We are praying that you stay safe and feel the presence of God in your work.”

ONE MAN’S JUNK IS ANOTHER MAN’S TREASURE!

This week saw the launch of our Junior School Playpod. Various scrap materials have been donated to the school and at recess and lunchtime the students have used these materials to transform their play. Using their imagination, the students have created amazing structures and in doing so have solved problems together collaboratively.

Playtime in the Junior School has certainly taken on a very creative and imaginative slant and students have enthusiastically engaged with their new equipment.

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Important Dates

Thursday 3rd December
Year 12 Valedictory Dinner

Friday 4th December
Class of 2014
Old Scholars First Year Reunion

Tuesday 8th December
End of Year Service (1)
Nautilus Theatre 6.00pm

Wednesday 9th December
End of Year Service (2)
Nautilus Theatre 6.00pm

Thursday 10th December
LAST DAY Dismissal as per normal school hours

2016 START DATES

Office Opens:
18th January

Year 12 Retreat:
1st February (Mon)

Year 11:
3rd February (Wed)

Middle School:
Year 6-10
4th February (Thu)

Junior School:
5th February (Fri)

Early Learning Centre:
1st February (Mon)

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