

McAuley News



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MERCY DAY 2003



PRINCIPAL'S LETTER

Dear Parents, Staff and Students,

Mercy Day and the Opening & Blessing

Mercy Day was a wonderful day of celebration for the school community last Friday. We began our celebrations with a drama performance of the works of Mercy both spiritual and corporal and a renewal of the Mercy pledge. We celebrate Mercy Day at Catherine McAuley to:

- honour the feast of Our Lady of Mercy and celebrate what Mercy means in our lives in Australia in the 21st century
- acknowledge and honour the contributions of the Mercy women and men who have helped to make this school the Mercy school it is today
- commission our new school leaders
- enjoy a day as a school community and also to fund-raise for Mercy works.

This year we also used the occasion to formally bless and open our new and refurbished buildings. Our special guests included **Bishop Kevin Manning**, **Dr Anne Benjamin**, Executive Director of Schools, **Mr Ross Cameron**, Federal Member for Parramatta, **Mr Nic Vidot**, Area Administrator, **Fr Peter Williams**, three former Principals - **Sr Eugene**, **Sr Edith** and **Sr Barbara** - as well as two ex-students **Mrs Jenny Allen** (Principal, Mercy College, Chatswood) and **Ms Bernadette Fabri** (Acting Principal St Paul the Apostle, Winston Hills).

Bishop Kevin Manning concelebrated our Eucharist with **Father Brian Rooney** and **Father Joshi Velikkakath**. The choir and our musicians sang beautifully and our students responded with customary Mercy spirit



Blessing & Opening of the TAS & Visual Arts Complex

L→R: Rachael Kama, Fr Peter Williams, Evangeline Aguas, Kayte Hodgson, Rita Fara, Dr Anne Benjamin, Mrs Hilary Johnston-Croke, Bishop Kevin Manning and Carly Adams

Leadership Ceremony

Our Leadership Ceremony has been an important part of Mercy Day for many years and that sense of continuity is important. In our ceremony we inducted the new School Captain and School Vice Captain/President of the SRC and the Year 11 Captains and Leaders and the Year 10 Vice-Captains.

We also blessed our Year 11 students because from the beginning of Term 4, they will be the senior class of the school and role models for all the other students. Our vision for our student leaders comes from Catherine McAuley herself. She wrote to her Sisters in the 1830s: *"I have great confidence in you to do what you think best. State your opinion and always act with courage"*.

This is our philosophy of leadership here at Catherine McAuley - we aim to give our students the opportunity to make decisions and act accordingly and they are certainly good at expressing their opinions!

One of the symbols for the handing on of the Mercy story is the passing on of the crosses. Each year the Captain's Crosses are passed from School Captain to School Captain and from Vice-Captain to Vice-Captain. This passing on of the Mercy crosses symbolises our living heritage of loving care within the Circle of Mercy. We hope that each one of our new leaders will show that loving care to other students which we sing about in our school hymn, *The Circle of Mercy* as they take on their leadership roles.

The new School Captain is **Carly Adams**, and **Rachael Kama** is the new School Vice-Captain/President of the SRC. In their letters nominating themselves, many of our leaders talked about making a difference to the lives of others. **Carly** wrote "to me leadership is action, not

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position. A good leader is willing to make a difference and act upon specific issues within the school community that will benefit all members involved”.

Rachael wrote “I want to focus on elevating student learning expectations and create a drive to encourage all students to be involved in school activities...which will not only benefit the school but also build their self esteem for their future aspirations”.

Opening and Blessing of New and Refurbished Facilities

Dr Anne Benjamin opened our new facilities and Bishop Kevin blessed them. They visited the:

- The McAuley Forum
- The Technology and Visual Arts Complex which includes facilities for Design & Technology, Food Technology and Information Communication Technology
- The New Science Laboratories
- The Information Resource Centre

This project was supported by a NSW Government interest subsidy, the Diocesan Community through the Building levy and by the fundraising efforts of our school community through selling chocolates and the school walkathon over the last four years. We also had a donation from the Parish building fund of St Paul the Apostle Parish at Winston Hills and we would like to thank **Father David Scott** for his generosity which enabled us to refurbish the Information Resource Centre as a totally school funded project.

Dr Benjamin talked to our students about leadership and the importance of stewardship, and both the Bishop and she appreciated the opportunity to tour the new and refurbished facilities. Then all our guests and the parents of our leaders enjoyed morning tea served by our hospitality students in Mercy Square.

Mercy Day comes about through the generosity and Mercy spirit of many people. Particular thanks to **Sister Helen Stannard** for coordinating the Eucharist, to **Ms Kate Picone** and **Ms Tenille Gibson** for the wonderful Music and to **Mrs Maree Pascoe** and **Mrs Sandra Vassallo** for the hospitality and to **Mrs Margaret Kingston** for her overall coordination of the day. **Mrs Lynette Butler** coordinated many aspects of the opening.

Sight and Sound 2003

We were treated to many fantastic student performances in Music, Drama and Dance last Wednesday in the McAuley Forum. Congratulations to **Ms Kate Picone**, Director of Performing Arts for bringing to reality her vision of showcasing student talents. It was a joy to listen to the many individual and group performances. We heard different musical ensembles – string, clarinet, senior and junior vocal and the Band as well as many individuals and duets. Drama students from classes in Year 7, Year 11 and Year 12 also performed interesting pieces and the Year 11 Dance ensemble put on a performance called *Vision*. Congratulations and thanks to

Ms Tenille Gibson, Ms Sam Kelly, Mrs Gabby Smith and **Ms Talitha Jonczyk** for working with the students.

Visual Artworks and Year 12 Design & Technology major projects were also on display. Congratulations to the Visual Art and Design & Technology students and thanks to their teachers **Ms Indira Fernades, Ms Nadia Matteucci** and **Ms Angela Bourke**.

Hospitality was provided by the Year 11 Hospitality students directed by **Mrs Maree Pascoe** and **Mrs Sandra Vassallo**.

I wish all our students an enjoyable break. Please remember our Year 12 students in your prayers as they prepare for their HSC examinations which begin on Monday 20th October.

Thanks to all our staff for their hard work this term. I end with a reflection on A Mercy School from a *Reflection of Mercy* by **Sandy Flaherty**.

*If we are to honour our history,
Implement our vision,
And live out our mission,
We must echo the tenderness of Christ Jesus,
The courage of Catherine McAuley,
And the dreams of those who have gone before us.
We must gather the young,
Welcome the stranger,
And teach as Jesus did.
If we are to answer the call before us,
We must create a school
Whose soul is Mercy.*

With regards,



Mrs Hilary Johnston-Croke
Principal

STAFF NEWS

Mr Daniel Bittoun has now completed his contract for Term 3 at Catherine McAuley and I thank him for his contribution this term.

Best wishes to the following staff who will be enjoying long service leave of differing lengths, **Ms Liz Kayrooz** (one term), **Mrs Shirley Jones** (3 weeks), **Ms Rosa Raciti** (4 weeks) and **Ms Deborah Clarkson** (1 week).

Staff and Student News

FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL (LEARNING AND TEACHING)

Staff Professional Learning

On Tuesday, 23rd September the staff participated in professional learning sessions after the students were dismissed. Staff in their KLA teams discussed and reflected on:

- the implications of the School Review Final Report
- current pedagogy
- issues such as class structure
- inclusiveness in mixed ability classrooms

With the data obtained from these discussions staff then considered the future directions for their department in terms of the School Strategic Plan, the Leading Learning initiatives and the incorporation of them into their classroom learning environment. Also on the agenda were the implications for the implementation of the new Board of Studies syllabuses. The HSIE team attended a workshop on ICT and how they could incorporate the computing skills involving Multi-Media into their lessons.

This work not only provided valuable time for professional dialogue among staff but also provided the data for future planning in staff professional learning. This is essential if Catherine McAuley is to continue to provide for the future needs of our students.

Year 12 2003

Year 12 finished their formal classes this week. We wish them all the best in their study for the Higher School Certificate examinations over the next few weeks. A tutorial program has been organised for Year 12 during Week 1 of Term 4. The program covers all classes and provides an opportunity for the students to refocus on study. It also lets the students consult with their teachers and to resolve any problems they have encountered during their preparation.

Lastly, I would like to wish all the staff, parents and students a restful and safe holiday.

Mr John Neaves
Assistant Principal
(Learning and Teaching)

FROM THE ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL (PASTORAL CARE / ADMINISTRATION)

The last two weeks have been very busy but very successful.

Mercy Day 2003

Bishop Kevin Manning was the presiding celebrant for our Mercy Day Eucharistic celebration. On this day the 2003-2004 School Leaders were blessed and commissioned as well as the blessing of the new buildings. In

true Mercy Spirit hospitality flowed to all invited guests provided by the dedicated Hospitality students.

Farewell to Year 12 2003

These last days have been spent farewelling our Year 12 students with breakfast, School Assembly, Graduation Awards Assembly, Mass and Dinner. I wish all Year 12 students the best of luck for their HSC exams and may their journey into the next phase of their life be rewarding.

School Leaders 2003-2004

The elected School Leaders signed an agreement before their commissioning on Mercy Day. This agreement is a very important step in the overall process for the leaders as they agree to commit themselves to uphold the Mercy Spirit, support the School Behaviour Code, co-operate with and respect staff and their co-leaders as well as maintaining a strong level of commitment to their studies. Each student signs an agreement to carry out their duties to the best of their ability. Leader's parents were also asked to sign this agreement as a support to their daughters' undertaking.



Mrs Margaret Kingston and Mrs Diana Cox with
Year 11 School Leaders 2003-2004

Term 4 2003

All students will return to school on Monday 13th October in full summer uniform. This being; school hat, short sleeve blouse junior/senior, school summer skirt, short white ankle socks with turnover tops and standard black lace-up school shoes.

I wish everyone a restful and safe holiday and hope you come back energised for an active Term 4.

Mrs Margaret Kingston
Assistant Principal
(Pastoral Care/Administration)

Staff and Student News

Dates for the 2003 Calendar

Fri 26 Sept	End of Term 3
Mon 13 Oct	Term 4 Begins
Wed 15 Oct Thurs 17 Oct	Year 10 Exams
Mon 20 Oct - Fri 14 Nov	HSC Exams
Mon 27 Oct Tues 28 Oct	Year 9 Reflection Day
Friday 31 Oct	Staff Professional Development - School Community Service Day
Mon 10 Nov Tues 11 Nov	School Certificate Exams
Mon 17 Nov	Year 7 2004 Information Evening
Fri 21 Nov	Year 7 2004 Orientation Day
Thurs 18 Dec	HSC 2003 Results (Internet & Phone)
Fri 19 Dec	School Closes Term 4 Ends

FROM THE DIRECTOR OF STUDIES

Year 10 Exams

Year 10 Exams take place Week 1 Term 4 from Wednesday 15th - Friday 17th October. Students must attend exams and study periods each day. Students will also attend activities on Thursday afternoon.

HSC 2003

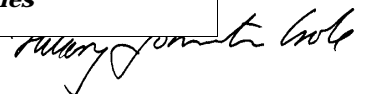
Good luck to our Year 12 students. Please arrive 30 minutes before each exam. Smaller exams may be run in portables. Bring your student numbers and all equipment. In an emergency please phone the School Office on 9849.9100 and notify **Mrs Michele Laing**. No mobile phones are to be taken into the exam centre. Special Provisions will be in the Portable Area.

All Year 12 students should have received their School Report. Please contact **Mrs Laing** if your report has not arrived.

Year 12 2004 Booklists

Year 12 Booklists and orders will be available in Week 1 of Term 4 for HSC texts.

Mrs Michele Laing
Director of Studies



NEW FROM THE CAMPUS MINISTER

Thank you to all staff and students for helping to make a wonderful 175th Mercy Day Celebration. May each of us continue to 'Shine' forth in our Works of Mercy - as our Gospel reading for the day implores:

"You are the light of the world ... let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to God".
Matthew 5:14,16

Sister Helen Stannard
Campus Minister

Dance - Performing Arts Challenge

On Sunday, 7th September Catherine McAuley's Dance Performance Troupe participated in the Performing Arts Challenge event held at the Sydney Opera House.

The school's dance troupe is made up of students from Years 7—12 who successfully auditioned to be part of the troupe at the beginning of the year.

We have been working on two pieces this year which we performed in the Challenge, a modern dance piece *"I'm With You"* and a jazz dance piece *"Fame"*. The troupe performed extremely well on the day and received a Highly Commended for *"I'm With You"*. This is an excellent result as the standard at this competition is high.

For many of the students, it was the first time they had performed at the Sydney Opera House and it was an experience that many of them will not forget. Thank you to all the parents and students who gave up their time to compete on the day. The atmosphere and the excitement was immeasurable.

Ms Talitha Jonczyk
Dance Teacher
and
Lindzi Caswell
Year 10

Student News

SPORT NEWS

MCCS Junior Soccer

Last Thursday the Junior A Soccer team competed in the Grand Final of the MCCS Soccer Competition. The team was up against Woolwich who went through the season undefeated. The teams knew it was going to be a tough encounter but were ready and eager to play. The team played above themselves but unfortunately were not able to topple the premiers. Best player on the day was **Stacey O'Loughlin** with special mention to **Rebecca Tannous** who made a number of brilliant saves in goal. The Junior team consisted of:

Theresa Assaf, Kelly Attard, Jemima Brown, Morgan Hiam, Casey Horner, Natalie Joseph, Naji Lecunzi, Keira McGowan, Andreina Midon, Stacey O'Loughlin, Divya Paligaru, Rosa Pedavoli, Talea Russell, Rebecca Tannous, Samantha Titley

Mrs Bev Smith
Sports Coordinator

Tournament of Minds

Tournament of Minds is a competition held at regional, state and national levels. It is designed to promote lateral thinking skills and cooperative learning. Students take six weeks to prepare for this competition by writing a play in response to a pre-set problem, to be performed on Tournament Day. This year our students chose to enter the 'Language Literature' category, where the problem was *'bringing harmony to a convention of troublesome characters from nursery rhymes and famous stories'*.

Tournament Day was held on Saturday 30th August at the Australian Catholic University, Strathfield. Our school team was represented by **Samantha Abdallah** (Year 7), **Marife Cruz** (Year 7), **Ashley-Rose Prophet** (Year 7), **Marina Eltakchi** (Year 8), **Caitlin Hosking** (Year 8) and **Sophia Kolnar** (Year 9).

Our students performed very well, reflecting much effort, time and enthusiasm on their part. The adjudicators of the play complimented the team for an interesting presentation with a great backdrop. Also in their spontaneous problem (the girls get no preparation time for this) they were praised for working well as a team and for their highly creative response to the problem. This led the judges to comment that one of their solutions was 'really outside the square'. The standard of competition was high and whilst not winning their regional level, the team acquitted themselves well with much verve and competence. Well done girls.



Mrs Jo Harris and the Tournament of Minds Team work on their entry

Miss Jo Harris
Team Facilitator

Australian National Chemistry Quiz

In July this year, students from Years 8-12 competed in the Australian National Chemistry Quiz. The State awards are as follows:

Year 12	Distinction:	Sonia Rubbo
Year 11	High Distinction:	Claire Burden
	Credit:	Madeline Raymundo, Manoorie Sinha, Sandra Sukkar
Year 10	High Distinction:	Kerenze Chippendale
	Credit:	Margaretta Doran, Holly Forster, Emma Gallagher, Amy Khattar, Michelle Martyn, Natassha Mazic, Nicole Poitrowski, Sinduja Sritharan, Fay Teh, Catherine Wiley
Year 9	Credit:	Nancy Huynh, Chevelle MacFarlane

Congratulations to these girls and to all who participated.

Mrs Claire Carter
Science Teacher

AMC 2003 DISTINCTION & CREDIT CERTIFICATES

This year was the 25th year of the Australian Mathematics Competition (AMC). Our results have just been received. This large competition attracts entries from 3,300 schools worldwide and 462,000 students took part.

At Catherine McAuley the AMC continues to elicit good performances from our best mathematicians. This year 277 students participated with Credit Certificates being awarded to 97 students, Distinction Certificates to a further 10 students. The winner of the Highest School Performance for 2003 was Catherine Wiley of Year 10 with a percentile rank of 94. Congratulations to all participants and especially the certificate winners listed. To earn a Distinction Certificate students must be placed in the top 15% or better of students in the state. Those with a Credit Certificate would have scored in the top 50 % of the state or better.

My thanks also go to **Miss Barbara Davis** who helped coordinate the competition on the day. We look forward to many more successes and challenges for our talented mathematicians.

Mrs Julie Brown
Mathematics Coordinator

YEAR 7

Distinction Certificates

Alice Joo (top 14% of the State)

Caroline Rabbat (top 14% of the State)

Credit Certificates (order of merit)

Samantha Abdallah	Daniella Hall	Olivia Ranosz	Hui Lyn Wong	Kritika Baraska
Beverley Hernandez	Vanessa Daaboul	Lynette Vaguez	Rebecca Kyriacou	Rebecca Hill
Kirilly Lowcoj	Sucheta Soora	Sunayana Kataria	Natasha Kelaher	Miram Tarraf
Klara Thwaite	Rebecca El-Khoury	Anthea Jayaratnam	Katie Erdelj	Alison Katipunan
Casey Tonna				

YEAR 8

Distinction Certificates

Hayley Cadogan (top 8 % of the State)

Belinda Martins (top 14% of the State)

Credit Certificates (order of merit)

Mae Raymondo	Stacey O'Loughlin	Roxanne Pineda	Samantha Taouk	Natasha Akib
Mariana Rubcic	Jessica Bisazza	Jennifer Lai	Serena Chin	Michelle Perez
Caitlin Caldwell	Melissa Tanudjaja	Justine Aoun	Natalie Salazar	Marielle Morales
Danielle Fry	Jordan Vines	Natalie Chalouhi	Laurice Eltenn	Prudence Hajjar
Eleni Lagoutaris	Jenny Kim	Maxime Godlee	Francheska Nimes	Clare Dunne
Sarah Kent	Domenica Vitale	Stephanie Alfred	Susan Botross	Grace O'Leary

YEAR 9

Distinction Certificates

Nancy Huynh (top 6 % of the state)

Credit Certificates (order of merit)

Janice D'souza	Carol Douyere	Nanditha Reddy	Bridie Travers	Katelyn Sweeney
Jacqueline Farhat	Jonajoy Lomibao	Nina Markovic	Alysar Aboumelham	

YEAR 10

Distinction Certificates

Catherine Wiley (top 6 % of the State)

Diana Hourani (top 13 % of the State)

Credit Certificates (order of merit)

Amry Santiago	Simone Touma	Nina Mlinarevic	Grace Park	Jessica Burden
Louise Lim	Jubelyn Sobrevega	Alisa Blakeney	Jenina Tolentino	Kerenze Chippendale
Anna Molnar	Emma Petchell	Kathleen Tomas	Holly Forster	Natasha Mazic
Amy Khattar	Stephanie French	Laura Brown	Stacey Younan	Marie Aguila
Theresa Moran				

YEAR 11

Distinction Certificates

Clare Burden (top 7% of the state)

Maysam Hassoun (top 15% of the state)

Credit Certificates (order of merit)

Kiri McPherson	Kimberley Anshau	Santina Di Gesu	Charlene Ebejer	Kylie Huynh
Laura Mobbs	Merella Nehme	Madelene Raymundo	Sandra Sukkar	Vanessa Moss
Sainuka Sureshkumar	Kristine Tan	Swati Sangar		

YEAR 12

Distinction Certificates

Megan Grewcock (top 13 % of the state)

Credit Certificates (order of merit)

Kate Irvine **Shemin Tejani**

The Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians

The Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians is a nation wide competition run by the Australian Mathematics Trust in Canberra. It is an elite competition offered to top ranking students of Mathematics.

Students who enter the competition are given 3 weeks to answer 6 mathematical problems without any help from others. However, 2 questions can be done with a partner who is also doing the competition.

Although such a task does not sound too demanding each question is quite difficult and requires a lot of thought and logical thinking.

Our students were given time in their Mathematics classes to work on the competition. Students worked diligently and independently and were enriched by the task. Their collaborative and problem solving skills were extended and they enjoyed working together. This year 24 students entered the competition. The results are as follows:

CREDIT:

Year 10 *Sylvia Kaszubowski*
Year 9 *Nancy Huynh*
Year 8 *Marielle Morales, Samantha Taouk*

PARTICIPATION:

Year 10 *Holly Forster, Diana Hourani, Natassha Mazic, Jubelyn Sobrevega, Kathleen Thomas, Stacey Younan*
Year 9 *Janice D'Souza, Jacqueline Farhat, Ashley Langton, Maja Laurovic, Elise Tonna*
Year 8 *Hayley Cadogan, Caitlin Caldwell, Laurice Elten, Eleni Lagoutaris, Grace O'Leary, Isabel Perez, Natalie Salazar, Jordan Vines, Domenica Vitale*

Congratulations girls on your efforts.

Ms Christine VanRyswyk
Mathematics Teacher

Sight and Sound 2003

On Wednesday 17th September, the second annual Sight and Sound Night was held in the McAuley Forum, Visual Art Rooms and the new Design and Technology area.

This night showcased performances from the Dance, Drama and Music departments in the McAuley Forum. We also had the opportunity to admire and marvel at the talents of our visual art and design students as their works were on display in the Visual Art and Design and Technology Rooms. I am sure all who viewed these works were astounded and impressed with the richness and diversity of the pieces on display.

The night opened with the Senior Vocal Ensemble performing a medley from 'Sister Act' at their usual high standard. The Year 11 dance students followed with a performance called "Vision". In the first half we were entertained by a vast array of music performances, both solos and ensembles, from various year levels. The drama performances from the year seven and eleven groups proved a real hit with the audience and showed how talented the students are in this area of the performing arts.

The Hospitality students under the guidance of *Mrs Maree Pascoe and Mrs Sandra Vassallo*, prepared and served very welcome and delicious refreshments at interval.

The second half opened with the McAuley Instrumental Ensemble playing 'Rondo Alla Turca' followed by the Junior Choir performing a 'Gershwin Swing Set'. The second half then continued to highlight the talents from a diverse range of students, including the Year 12 HSC group drama performance.

This evening really showed how many students are willing to participate in events such as this and we are fortunate to be able to hear and see so many students at all levels of achievement.

We look forward to the next event when many of our first time participants will reappear as more confident and skilled performers.

Thanks to all teachers involved: *Ms Tennille Gibson, Ms Samantha Kelly, Mrs Judy Smith, Mr Bob Cavill, Mrs Maree Pascoe, Mrs Sandra Vassallo, Miss Angela Burke, Mrs Diane Cronin, Mrs Diana Cox and Ms Kate Picone.*

Ms Kate Picone
Creative Arts Co-ordinator



SIGHT & SOUND evening



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School leaders 2003 - 2004

Carly Adams School Captain
 Karen De Guzman Liturgy Captain
 Marilou Francisco Music Captain
 Alana Santi Rock Eisteddfod Captain
 Gemma O'Donoghue Social Justice Captain
 Andreea Alecu School Leader
 Kisten Baldini School Leader
 Bianca Costa School Leader
 Katrina Grieve School Leader
 Katie Killen School Leader
 Louisa Lebnan School Leader
 Tamilini Narendan School Leader
 Sara O'Donnell School Leader
 Michelle Sweeney School Leader
 Nicole Tunchon School Leader
 Monica Zaiter School Leader
 Amy Khattar Hospitality Vice Captain
 Lisa Kowalski Performing Arts Vice Captain
 Lindzi Caswell Rock Eisteddfod Vice Captain
 Melissa Rubbo Sports Vice Captain

Rachael Kama
 Lauren Fearnley
 Grace Chamia
 Ana Gacis
 Leigh Perry
 Stacey Andia
 Lil-Milagro Caballero
 Charlene Ebejer
 Rebecca Hill
 Corina Lattao
 Kiri McPherson
 Merella Nehme
 Lara Parker
 Stephanie Poczwardowski
 Nichole Woods
 Lorena D'Souza
 Margaretta Doran
 Sylvia Kaszubowski
 Kerenze Chippendale

Vice Captain & President of SRC
 Hospitality Captain
 Performing Arts Captain
 Public Speaking & Debating Captain
 Sports Captain
 School Leader
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 School Leader
 Liturgy Vice Captain
 Music Vice Captain
 Public Speaking & Debating Vice Captain
 Social Justice Vice Captain



Rachael Kama
School Vice Captain and
President of SRC



The Catherine McAuley School Community
blessing the New Leaders



Carly Adams
School Captain



Opening & Blessing of the Information Resource Centre
 L→R: Sister Edith, Sister Barbara, Mr Ross Cameron, Ms
 Bernadette Fabri, Bishop Kevin Manning, Evangeline Aguas,
 Dr Anne Benjamin and Mrs Hilary Johnston-Croke



Past Principals
Sister Barbara and Sister Edith

Year 11 Business Studies Excursion to Coca Cola Amatil Northmead

On Tuesday 16th September Year 11 Business Studies students attended a seminar tour at Coca Cola Amatil. This day was filled with interesting facts about the production and distribution of Coca Cola as well as history, marketing strategies, employment relations and many more fascinating facts, which has extended our knowledge in relation to our current studies. We were given the opportunity to tour the factory in which the production of Coca Cola takes place. At the end of the day we each received a sample bottle of Coca Cola.

Joanne Lichaa and Monica Zaiter
Year 11 Business Studies

The University of New South Wales Business Studies and Economics Competition

Students in year 11 and 12 currently studying Business Studies and Economics were given the opportunity to participate in the University of NSW Competition. Congratulations to the following girls who achieved credits and distinctions.

Year 11

Distinction:

Antonia Barker

Melanie Martirez

Credit:

Cassie Boese
Ana Gacis
Connie Giannopoulos
Angeline Whiting
Cheirlene Roque
Lucia Turley

Claire Burden
Helen Constantinou
Swati Sangar
Joanne Lichaa
Elise Saez

Maree Bouari
Christina Kumar
Uvette Hughes
Sarah Mikhael
Lauren Smith

Year 12:

Distinction:

Megan Grewcock

Credit:

Arwa Naif

Flora Wong

Mr Tony Nader
Business Studies Teacher
