Bishop Justin Bianchini is currently the eighth Bishop of Geraldton in Western Australia. He was Ordained Bishop of Geraldton on 19 May 1992. He has submitted his resignation due to retirement and it has been accepted by Pope Francis.

On Monday 25th July Bishop Justin celebrated Mass with us as a whole school. It was a very special Mass as it was his last Mass with us as a school before he retires. We wish Bishop Justin all our best and pray for him in the next chapter of his life.

The ninth Bishop is currently being decided, so as a Diocese and a school we can all pray the following prayer.

**PRAYER FOR THE 9th BISHOP OF GERALDTON**

Gracious Father and Provider, we thank you for giving us your Son, Jesus, as the Good Shepherd. We thank you for the Church that he established and the Bishop Shepherds that he chose then and for the Bishop Shepherds He has given our Diocese over its long history. We pray your Holy Spirit's help and guidance on all those involved in the selection of a new Bishop for us, to choose the one you already have in mind. We make this prayer through Jesus your Son and our Good Shepherd. Amen.
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Tutoring Timetable

TUTORING TIMETABLE
3:00PM TO 4:00PM
Welcome back to Term 3 to all families!

Welcome to Mr Cameron Broad who has joined the staff of the College this term, replacing Miss Leah Stone. Cameron is working in the Science and Maths departments and we are pleased to have him on board. In addition, we are hosting two practicum teachers this term, Ms Shelley Arnott and Ms Hayley Tunstead who are working across the areas of Drama, Social Sciences and Geography.

This Tuesday gone, we were treated to the wonderful event which is King and Queen of the Mountain. The annual race, which really is unlike anything at any other school, was a great celebration of our College identity and the wonderful Pilbara landscape. Robbie Patterson and Taylor Sparks earned the title of King and Queen this year, Taylor for the third time running and Robbie within a whisker of the record. Well done to all participants and thank you to Mrs Govender and all staff who assisted.

Last semester, the College moved to an online reporting scheme where all families were asked to access their student’s report through our parent portal, SEQA Engage. As with all new systems, some families may have experienced some teething problems with accessing the report, but I hope that all families have now been able to do so. As our usage of this system increases, parents will be able to access student results, notices and homework in real time thereby allowing regular and up to date feedback being available to students. All future College reports will be issued electronically, so if families are in need of assistance in accessing SEQTa please contact the College.

As the College continually seeks new ways to engage our students and improve their literacy levels, we are undertaking some additional activities throughout the school currently. Throughout 2016, pastoral care teachers have engaged in spelling activities with their group during morning PCG and, commencing this week, all students will be involved in the Drop Everything and Read (DEAR) program on a Friday morning. All students, and teachers, will be reading during Friday PCG time and we hope that this initiative will be taken on board heartily by our students. In addition, the English department is encouraging students to DRESS UP for Book Week. Teachers will also be joining the celebrations by dressing up – stay tuned for details about the parade!

Throughout this week, we have seen students competing in a worldwide Education Perfect challenge. Many of our students have embraced this competition and are demonstrating high rankings within Western Australia and Australia.

The College has embraced a new professional learning model for our staff, focussing on the College as a Professional Learning Community (PLC). All staff are involved in one of four focus groups, who learn from and with each other. This model is in keeping with our Strategic Plan and School Improvement focus on building a team of expert teachers. Our areas of focus for this year are: Learning Intentions & Success Criteria, Student Engagement, Using Data and Literacy through Reading and Spelling; the areas have been formulated by our school improvement team based on areas of need for our students. Staff have shown a strong commitment to the model and have been working hard to ensure it is sustainable.

Next week is census for the College. This date is when we submit our student numbers, which are tied to our funding. The College receives government funding based upon the number of students enrolled so it is crucial that our census details are correct. You can assist us by ensuring that your child is at school next Friday 5 August. If they are unable to be at school, we must have confirmation of their absence in writing.

Thank you in advance for your assistance! Alanna Otway, Principal
Welcome to Semester 2. It is quite unbelievable how quickly this year is going, and particularly challenging for the Year 12 students who are so close to the end of their school career.

**Term 2 Reports**

Thank you to all parents who have signed up to SEQTA Engage in order to receive the Term 2 Reports. Overall, it was a smooth transition, and the few problems we did experience seem to be resolved now. If you do experience any issues, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

**SEQTA Engage**

As mentioned above, St Luke’s has moved to SEQTA, a comprehensive teaching and learning management system. Whilst teachers began using this system from the beginning of the school year, we have just recently incorporated SEQTA Engage, a parent portal that allows parents to be involved in their child’s education, enabling them to understand what is happening at school, in all aspects, both academically and pastorally. As we begin learning more about Engage and incorporating it in our practice, there will be more and more features opened to parents. These features include access to Homework tasks, assessment details, academic results in real-time, programmes of study, lesson content as well as course descriptors that are matched against the Australian Curriculum. It is thus highly recommended that you ensure you have access to SEQTA Engage, and you spend some time becoming familiar with it. Please look out for emails and future newsletters with information and instructions on new features as and when we incorporate extra functions of Engage.

For reference, the website address is https://engage.stlukescollege.wa.edu.au/.

Further instructions on Engage have been posted on the school website.

**Parents of Year 9 Students - Bishops’ Literacy Test**

At the request of the Western Australian Bishops, Year 9 students in Catholic schools across Western Australia took part in The Bishops’ Religious Literacy Assessment (BRLA) this week. The Bishops’ Religious Literacy Assessment is a large-scale, standardised assessment program. The students sat a practice test during Week 1 so to become familiar with the online nature of the test, as well as the possible style of questions that may appear. The actual test took place on Thursday 28th July, and the students are to be commended on their attitude and approach to the test.

**Student Wellbeing Guest Speaker**

Renowned speaker, Greg Mitchell, will be visiting St Luke’s College on August 16th to lead sessions on Student Wellbeing. There will be three different sessions throughout the day, each tailored with age-related content based around the needs of the students. Year 7 and 8 students will attend a session together; the Year 9 and 10s will combine, as will the Year 11 and 12s. Greg will lead each session over two periods, and if his previous history is anything to go on, the students will be totally engaged and completely enthralled. Please ask your child/children how the session went - I’m sure they will have a lot to tell you.

God Bless

Melanie Caddick
Deputy Principal
Deputy Out Box

Dear Parents, Students and Friends of St Luke’s

Welcome to the start of the second semester. I trust that St Luke’s families have enjoyed the activities typically associated with school holidays.

Wednesday 27th August was the parent teacher interviews. These evenings are central items in a student’s education as it allows parents to gain feedback from teachers on a individual basis. I hope parents along with their child used this opportunity to touch base with teachers and found the information imparted useful.

This term is an exceptionally busy one in many other ways - in week 2 there is the Bishops’ Literacy testing and week 3, the Interhouse athletics Competition (Thursday 11th August). This term also has a number of outdoor Education camps, lightning carnivals, the Feast of the Assumption (Monday 15th August) and OLNA testing in week 7 (29th August to the 2nd September) as well as the Year 12 exams in week 9 and week 10.

College Standards of Grooming

Once again, thank you to those students who do the right thing by the College and themselves by wearing the uniform correctly. Parents are asked to please check their child’s uniform. In particular girls’ skirts are to be worn at a modest length. Many shoes require polishing and students are only permitted to wear the College jacket to and from school. Can I also please remind you that all students, with the exception of Year 12s (this year) should have a school bag to bring their work to and from school. No other type of bag is allowed. Students are also reminded to ensure haircuts, styles and colours are in accordance with St Luke’s grooming expectations.

It is also important that students take pride, not only in the way they wear the uniform, but also in their class work and the school environment.

Thank you to all the Year 10 students who have returned their subject selection forms. I am now in the processing stage and will be interviewing all students with regard to their subject selections. Students will be sent an appointment time and I am more than happy for parents to accompany them to the interview. Please also feel free to contact the school and make an appointment to see me if you have any questions or concerns.

God Bless

Sunniva Antonucci
Deputy Principal
Blessings All,

Welcome back to Term Three.

On Monday 25th July the whole school celebrated Mass with Bishop Justin Bianchini and Father Brian Ahearn. Father Brian is the new Priest in Charge of the Parish. This Mass was very special as it was the last Mass that Bishop Justin will celebrate here at St Luke’s College, as his resignation as the Bishop of Geraldton has been accepted by Pope Francis.

Fortescue Patron House Mass

On Monday the 8th of August, Fortescue House will hold their Patron House Mass at St Paul’s church at 12.10pm. This day is also the Feast Day of their Patron Saint Mary of the Cross.

Mary Mackillop is not only the first Australian to be recognised by the Church as a Saint; she is truly a very Australian saint. She characterises the spirit of the Australian mythology. She was a prodigious hard worker who put the needs of others before herself. She exhibited something of the larrikin spirit: constantly in dispute with authority but pressing on, regardless. She used the strengths of others but also didn’t tolerate those who were not genuine.

Her commitment to the schooling of children from poor and rural communities established a model of Catholic education that continues to today. A Saint for and of Australia!

Why is Daily Prayer Important?

Quite simply, for followers of Jesus Christ prayer is the best way to communicate with God. Prayer is the vehicle for daily dialogue with the One who created us.

The importance of daily communication through prayer cannot be overestimated. It is so important that it is mentioned over 250 times in Scripture.

So why is daily prayer so important? First, daily prayer gives us an opportunity to share all aspects of our lives with God.

Second, daily prayer gives us the chance to express our gratitude for the things He provides.

Third, daily prayer provides the platform for confessing our sin and asking for help in overcoming that sin.

Fourth, daily prayer is an act of worship and obedience. And finally, daily prayer is a way to acknowledge who is really in control of our lives.
The Question of the Week (Luke 11: 1 – 13)

Jesus said, ‘So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you’.

- Have your most recent prayers been prayers of praise, petition, or sorrow? What kind of prayer do you need to practice more often?

God Bless

Mrs Rhondda Tittums
Religious Education Coordinator
Things are all abuzz in the English Department with lots of exciting, challenging and fun events taking place this term. We kick off in week two with students in Years 7 – 10 participating in the international competition run by Education Perfect. This is an ideal opportunity for students to test their English skills, broaden their knowledge and win some awesome prizes.

Start planning your costumes for week six as it is Book Week! Year 7s and 8s are invited to dress up in their favourite book character and to participate in the parade to win some great prizes. Staff have been challenged to dress up too, and knowing their competitive nature, the coveted title of Best Dressed Staff Member could go to anyone! The week will also include activities such as guest speakers, book quizzes, pop-up libraries and much more.

This term we have initiated the Drop Everything And Read program (DEAR), which challenges all students to spend every Friday in PCG actively reading for ten minutes. Students are asked to bring in their own reading material or their PCG teachers will provide them with something of their choice. No IPad or digital books will be allowed. Students can bring magazines, newspapers, comics, Manga books, novels, picture books, or whatever their preferred genre is, as long as it is a paper copy. The emphasis is on reading, not playing games or searching for Pokemon.

In addition to our DEAR reading program, we are also running the St Luke’s Reading Challenge which is open to all students who enjoy escaping into an imaginary world. The competition will run for eight weeks (see poster on the next page) encouraging students to read as many books and different genres as possible over this period. An iPod shuffle and iTunes vouchers are up for grabs in this competition. More information can be obtained from the English staff.

According to Richard Steele, reading is to the mind, what exercise is to the body. So with that in mind, I am definitely going to Drop Everything and Read!

Happy reading!

Helen Koekemoer
Head of English and the Arts
St Luke’s College Reading Challenge
Read as many fiction books as possible during the term.

Duration: Term Three
Closing date: 16th September 2016

First Prize - 2GB IPod Shuffle
Second Prize – $50.00 Itunes Voucher
Third Prize – $30.00 Itunes voucher

Rules:
- You may include no more than 2 comics, 2 Manga books and 2 picture books
- Years 7 – 9 must include at least one novel of a 100 pages or more.
- Years 10 – 12 must include at least two novels of a 150 pages or more.
- You may only include 2 novels written by the same author.

English teachers will verify and sign off on the reading logs.

Everyone who completes the challenge will receive a participation certificate.

Go on, we dare you to Drop Everything and Read!
ST LUKE'S COLLEGE AND KARRATHA SCIENCE ENGAGEMENT NETWORK PRESENT

STEAMfest
Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics

SCIENCE 20 WEEK 16
AUG 19, 2016
5.00PM - 8.30PM
ST LUKE'S COLLEGE

FREE EVENT!

COME AND ENJOY A FREE NIGHT OF ENTERTAINMENT, FAMILY FUN, 2016 INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE FILM FESTIVAL WINNERS SHOWN ON THE BIG SCREEN, STEAM ENTRANTS, GAMES, RIDES AND MORE!

Like KSEN on Facebook for more information
KING/ QUEEN OF THE MOUNTAIN

Every year it is traditional for students to participate in the King & Queen of the Mountain race, to honour the Patron Founders of the College. Although this date is normally in term 2 to coincide with Founders Day we had to postpone the event to Tuesday 25th July due to bad weather. Students were expected to run up the Yaburara trail and the first male and female to reach the top of the hill are crowned King & Queen of the Mountain. This is a very gruelling and challenging race for the students and there are 2 categories of races for the event – competitive and fun.

It is a very colourful and fun event in which students participate in their house colours. The weather on Tuesday was beautiful, with a gentle breeze and a typical Pilbara winters day with bright blue skies. Both students and staff look forward to this event and 308 students and 20 members of staff completed the challenge up to the top of the mountain. Students rose up to the challenge of negotiating the trek up the mountain with great gusto.

The pristine views of the Dampier archipelago at the top of the mountain were a magnificent sight and the tradition of a photo being taken of all students against the beautiful background of the Pilbara Mountains and the sea was accomplished.

Robert Patterson was crowned the King of the Mountain with an outstanding time of 4 minutes and 58 seconds. Taylor Sparks was crowned the Queen of the Mountain for the third year running.
POINTS AWARDED FOR THE LEPRECHAUN CUP:

1st Place  Maitland House   with 120 points
2nd Place  Nickol House    with 112 points
3rd Place  Harding House   with 111 points
4th Place  Fortescue House with 101 points

Congratulations to all students on your participation and a big thank you to all staff for their involvement and participation.
The students at the College, with the help of the City of Karratha, have been on a litter pick up campaign to help fundraise for their ACC Athletics Carnival and the Pilbara Carnival to be held later this term. Our students have been involved in two litter pick up campaigns on the North West Coastal Highway towards Roebourne and have successfully managed to fill up two skip bins.

This clean-up effort by the students displayed good community service and brought about awareness to students about keeping our city tidy.

We had 25 students that did an amazing job picking up the litter and a few parents who came out to help as well. Thanks to the FOSL members Lorraine Marshall and Andrea Guthrie for taking time out to join the litter pick up. Our students from Years 7 to 12 have been involved in the campaign and they showed great resilience and commitment towards ensuring the area allocated to them was thoroughly cleaned up.

Many thanks to Mrs Stephanie Sparks for helping organise this event and supporting us in our fundraising efforts.
NORTH WEST REGIONAL NETBALL REPRESENTATION

Congratulations to Taylor Sparks and Leyla Sharpe on being selected as representatives from the North West Region to compete in the Netball Academy Cup against other regions in the Western Australian State Championships. This tournament is in Perth in October this year.

Good luck with your training and participation. We are very proud of you. We look forward to hearing about your experience.

INTER-HOUSE ATHLETICS CARNIVAL PERMISSION SLIPS

Students from Years 7 to 10 have been practising their throwing, jumping and running in preparation for the Inter-House Athletics which will be held on Thursday 11th August. Students have the opportunity to learn the techniques involved in all the track and field events for athletics. All students will be transported to the Bulgarra Oval during their PE and Health lessons to practice for the upcoming Athletics. Letters of consent to transport students by Fortescue Bus Hire were sent out to parents. Please can you sign and return the permission slips to grant permission to transport your child to the Bulgarra Oval.

We look forward to your support at our Athletics Carnival and if you are available to help out on the day with duties, please contact me.

Field events for Year 11 and 12 students will be held on Friday 5th August at the Bulgarra Oval from 8:45am – 12:30pm.

K. GOVENDER
Year 12 Breakfast Feedback from Talia Crowhurst:
Year 12 breakfasts are very rewarding as it gives us all a chance to come together as a group outside of our classes. It is beneficial as it provides a perfect opportunity to ask questions about university and opportunities after school. I have learnt much about what I want in my life that I initially would not have thought about, it also allows me to think about how I can achieve this and answered many questions I have had about the pathway I can take to achieve my dream job and future.

I believe Year 12 breakfasts are very beneficial, and the only downfall is how they are not every Friday. If they were ever removed from the Year 12 timetable, it would mean that the students of future years would miss out on a great opportunity to learn and discover what is open to them.

Jaymie - School Based Training
With the assistance of Mia Zaknich from SMYL, we are delighted to congratulate Jaymie Harris for securing an SBT with Pilbara Nissan in the LIA. Jaymie signed up on the 10th June and will start on Thursday the 28th July and each Thursday after that. Thank you kindly for all parties’ support.

Woodside Presentation
On Wednesday the 22nd June representatives from EAG and Woodside attended St Luke’s College to discuss upcoming apprenticeship opportunities. This session offered a panel of expertise from current apprentices, an experienced member of Woodside and Raelene from EAG. Students from Years 10 to 12 were able to ask questions with regards to the process of applications and interview tips etc.

Year 10 Parent Information Evening
We are very privileged to have such supportive students, parents and community members. Despite the inclement weather on this night, the attending numbers were very high. Thank you to all including our guest speakers on the evening, David Atkinson from Woodside, Raelene from EAG, and Josh Stronach from Apprenticeships Support.
Smart Presentation

On Wednesday the 29th June Leana Mulyono from Start Smart presented at St Luke’s College to the students from Year 7 to 9.

Year 9 to 10 students enjoyed an informative presentation beginning with an analysis of different celebrities and what career they started with before becoming famous. The question and answer session continued with the presenter asking students about their dream job, asking students about current jobs they have and if they wish to spend the rest of their lives doing this job. The presenter discussed the rewards of finding a job or career that suits each individual, what to put on your resume when applying for jobs, interview techniques, then continued to explore why do people work. The presenter supplied an array of knowledge and contact numbers useful for students to be aware of when they take up a job. Looking at tax file numbers, and how it works, how to apply and why we pay tax and what the tax money goes towards, looking at payment summary, etc.

Information provided were such as the below:

- “P.A.C.T. fairwork” Pay and Conditions tool – to find award rates
- Fairwork.gov.au / 13 13 94 – to find out about employment conditions
- ato.gov.au – to find out about and lodge tax
- Get a tax file number – begin application at ato.gov.au, print off online form and take to Auspost for interview
- Remember that having a good positive attitude and taking advantage of all opportunities is the key to success regardless of what “success” is to the individual

The presenter for Year 7 to 8 began by asking students what they would buy if everything were a dollar? There were some interesting answers; Matisse Creighton mentioned she would buy the Pelago and give it to SAFE, Mananui Tito advised he would buy America /Europe, another suggestion was to buy all the airlines. Students reflected on the influences in their life, how to be responsible with their money, understanding needs and wants, looking at types of choices they make on item prices and brands, looking at saving money, and what questions and consequences they need to consider when making purchasing decisions.

The Year 7 to 10s thoroughly enjoyed their presentation. Thank you to Leanna for such engaging presentations.
Woodside and EAG Presentation/ Workshop

Students attended a presentation by Woodside and EAG on Tuesday the 26th July at the Pilbara Institute. The presentation/ workshop was conducted to advertise the upcoming apprenticeship opportunities within Woodside. Woodside staff from a variety of departments were present to answer any questions the students may have had about the different apprenticeships on offer. Many tools and equipment were also displayed. EAG were at hand offering sample interview questions.

The purpose of this presentation was to offer students a deeper insight into the variety of apprenticeships available and to gain experienced feedback about the day and life of these roles, thus allowing interested applicants to take this invaluable information to an interview should their application be successful.
A big thank you to Mrs Govender and Miss Pollard, who attended the Year 12 revision courses in Perth. From all accounts, the students found the courses to be very beneficial. Students thoroughly enjoyed their stay at UWA, the courses of study which they attended and spending free time studying in the library. Thank you to KEI for sponsoring the cost of these sought after revision courses. The parents, students and school are grateful for this fantastic opportunity.

Mrs Dalton would like to wish all students a very productive term. Thank you to the teachers, parents and students for their ongoing support.

Best Regards
God Bless

Mrs Johann Dalton
Career Advisor
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ENGINEERING AT MURDOCH UNIVERSITY

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The 2017 Murdoch engineering programs, including scholarships and entry pathways, such as the TISC early offer trial for Year 12 students, are four years duration, are Honours degrees, and include:

1. Chemical and Metallurgical Engineering
2. Electrical Engineering, comprising
   - Electrical Power Engineering
   - Industrial Computer System Engineering
   - Instrumentation and Control Engineering
   - Renewable Energy Engineering
3. Environmental Engineering

For 2017 Murdoch University Dean’s Scholarships for Scientific Excellence will be available for high performing students (valued up to $9,000). Dean’s Scholars will have access to all the research facilities in the School, will be paired with academic mentors and will be provided with an additional $2,000 to help them pursue their own research interests and travel to laboratories and conferences, in Australia and overseas.

To be eligible to automatically receive the Dean’s Scholarship, your students will need to:
1. Place one of the above courses as their first preference on TISC;
2. Achieve an ATAR of 90+; and
3. Achieve English Language Competence

Not all students will attain an ATAR of 90+. Murdoch would still like to reward and encourage these motivated students to pursue studies in engineering. To this end, we welcome direct applications for the Dean’s Scholarship of Scientific Excellence, where applicants can demonstrate strong aptitude and performance in a STEM subject. Details and application forms can be downloaded from the University’s Scholarships website.

Regarding the TISC early offer trial for engineering applicants, Murdoch University will start processing TISC applications for the Murdoch University engineering courses from 24 July 2016. These conditional offers will be made to current Year 12 students who place one of the above courses as their first preference on TISC.

The conditions to be met will be:
1. Attaining an ATAR of 80+
2. Achievement of WACE; and
3. Achievement of English Language Competence
Some students may not be expecting to reach an ATAR of 80. These students may still have a pathway into engineering. Students with a predicted ATAR above 70, can start their engineering education at Murdoch by enrolling in one of the following two Majors that function as pathways to engineering:

- Engineering Technology (which is a pathway to Electrical Engineering), or
- Mineral Science (for Chemical and Metallurgical Engineering or Environmental Engineering)

Students in these courses can transfer into one of the engineering programs, subject to good performance in year 1.

The School of Engineering and Information Technology has undergone a major revamp in the last two years. We have developed a vision and a plan that have transformed the School into a premiere educational and research unit, truthful to our Western Australian style and student first attitude, and recognised and respected in Australia and around the globe. An extensive investment in recruiting 27 outstanding new academics marked the beginning of this exciting journey.

The Murdoch team now includes world-leading scientists in diverse areas from human genetics to bio-medical physics and leaders in crucial future technologies, from water desalination and photovoltaic technology to big data. This has led to the development of exciting new courses and new ways to integrate teaching and research. We have new state of the art physics and fire-safety laboratories, new research facilities and teaching venues.
Updates from the Admissions office:

1. **Due date for the Early Offer Program**

   Applications for the Early Offer Program commencing in Semester 1, 2017 are due by 5pm Friday 29 July 2016.

   Students must be nominated by their school, and have a predicted ATAR of 93 or above if they are applying to study Bachelor of Physiotherapy or Bachelor of Laws;

   or an ATAR of 90 or above if they are applying to study any other course at Notre Dame

2. **Due date for Semester 1, 2017**

   Applications for Semester 1, 2017 are due by 5pm Friday 30 September 2016.

   Due to the increased interest in many courses at Notre Dame, applications received after this date cannot be guaranteed an interview or offer for admission. This is particularly pertinent in the Schools of Physiotherapy, Education and Nursing.

3. **Tertiary Pathway Program (TPP)**

   In Semester 1, 2017 the University is offering the Tertiary Pathway Program (TPP). The TPP is a 1 semester/6 month course designed for students who have not met the minimum academic requirements for entry into Notre Dame’s bachelor degrees.

   The TPP assists students in mastering competencies needed for successful undergraduate study by focusing on academic literacy, analysis and research.

   In the TPP, students complete one unit as an intensive unit in the week prior to semester starting and four other units over the course of the coming semester. The first unit helps with the transition to university study. Of the remaining units, two units focus on academic literacies, one unit is focused on numeracy and one unit concentrates on developing research skills and information literacy.

   Students intending to undertake a nursing or health sciences degree will undertake an Introduction to Human Biology unit in substitution for the academic literacies unit Communications Skills (these students will still undertake Academic Writing). Students intending to study an education degree have a dedicated Mathematics unit designed for pre-service teachers.

   The Foundation Year program that we have previously offered will still be available.

4. **Change of minimum academic entry requirements for Secondary Teaching**

   The minimum indicative ATAR requirement for the Bachelor of Education (Secondary) and the Bachelor of Health and Physical Education (Secondary) has changed from 70 to 80.
A career in primary health care!
Taking expressions of interest for students.

Subsidised funding now available for:

Certificate III in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care

Certificate IV in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care Practice

When
KARRATHA. Classes will run 3 days per week, excluding school and public holidays. Work placement will be negotiated between students and their host employer to determine attendance. It is anticipated students will initially commence 1 day per week of placement outside of scheduled classes.

Where
Classes will be held in Karratha from a convenient location.

Cost
The WA government requires students to make a contribution towards subsidised courses. Please contact us directly to discuss your circumstances as concession rates are available, as well as payment plans and fee waiver for people experiencing financial hardship.

Included
Fully qualified and experienced Trainer, Educational Mentor for 1 on 1 support including outside class, cost of public transport (if required) to and from class and work placement, morning tea and lunch on class days, all books, stationary and learning guides, flexible learning to cater to student’s needs. There are no extra costs.

Eligibility
Must be at least 18 years of age and a permanent resident of WA. Available for Indigenous job seekers, or who are underemployed or Indigenous people not working in the Primary Health Care sector.

Please email or call Anita for further information and to register your interest
apacey@healthindustrytraining.org
0418 300 962

Health Industry Training

RTO National Provider No: 32145
A message from the Finance Department....

Reminder: Year 12 Fees
This is a reminder to families that all Year 12 fees must be paid by the end of Term 3. Could those families who have yet to organise payment please contact the College urgently to make arrangements.

Tuition Fees Payment
If you are experiencing difficulties in paying your fees, please be assured, there is always a solution. Please contact the College to make a private and confidential appointment with the Principal to discuss what arrangements might be put in place to assist you in moving forward with your account, whilst still ensuring that your child remains part of our St Luke’s community.

Thank you!
SCHOOL ACCIDENT INSURANCE

To learn more about the School Care Accident Insurance, please go to the St. Luke’s College website. Information can be found under the heading ‘Enrolment’.

BUSES

A reminder to all students and parents that the afternoon buses start leaving the school at 3.05pm and the last bus is gone by 3.15pm. Students catching buses need to make their way as quickly as possible to the bus area at the 3.00pm bell in order to avoid missing their bus.

LOST PROPERTY

- Brown leather BOSS glasses case and glass
- School jacket size 12
- Black Ralph Lauren glasses Case found in H3
- Reading glasses black frame
- Glasses case - hard/black
- Black sports shorts size small
- Green USB wristband
- Water bottle (glass with spotted cover)
- Earphones - blue and white
- Earphones - purple
- Bracelet - grey elastic with diamond charms (found on steps near science block)
- Pink watch (found at the gym)
- House Council badge (blue)
- Ring - heart shaped
- Earings - diamond
- Mobile Phone - gold Alcatel brand - lost on fortescue bus to point Samson (run W2)

Kimberley Catholic Volunteer Service

URGENTLY WANTED: VOLUNTEER WORKERS

The Diocese of Broome, WA, requires volunteers to assist with the work of the local Church on Aboriginal Missions. We are currently urgently seeking a couple to assist the Priest in the community of Balgo and a couple to manage the Warmun Retreat Centre over the wet season. There are several other roles also available.

Placements are preferred for a period of 6 months.

For further details, and an application form, please contact:

Volunteer Coordinator Anneliese Rohr: 0415 526 142
Email: volunteers@broomediocese.org
Web: www.broomediocese.org
Mail: PO Box 76, BROOME WA 6725
FeNaCl FESTIVAL

Horizon Power would like to thank the St Luke’s students below for volunteering their time and bringing Gilbert, our much loved mascot, to life at the FeNaCling Festival 2016.

- Jasper Otway
- Cate Elstone
- Samantha Wills
- Thomas Southern

Gilbert the frill-necked lizard was a great hit at the festival and we would not have been able to put so many smiles on the general public’s faces without the help of these wonderful students.
Point Samson
KIDS ART AWARDS
and PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION
Saturday 6 August 4 – 6pm
Sunday 7 August 11am – 3pm
Point Samson Community Hall

ENTRIES from KINDY to YEAR 12
- One painting or drawing no larger than A3 in size
- Label with your name, age, address and phone number on the back
- Deliver to your local library by Tuesday 2 August
- NEW! Digital photography!!
Entry details www.karratha.wa.gov.au/events

OPENING and AWARDS PRESENTATION
Saturday 6 August, 4 – 6pm

Your artwork will be available for collection at the Karratha library from Tuesday 9 August

WIN CASH PRIZES

For more information call
Claudia 0428 949 919
kidsartawards@pointsamsoncommunityassociation.com.au
FREE LIVE ONLINE INFORMATION SESSION FOR ST LUKE’S COLLEGE
STUDENTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE IN 2016

Student Exchange Australia New Zealand is a not-for-profit organisation that is registered with all state and territory Departments of Education around Australia and with the Ministry of Education in NZ. We are the first and only secondary exchange organisation in Australia and New Zealand to be certified to ISO 9001 (Quality Management System) and we ensure the highest standards of care and support to our participants.

We would like to invite your students and families to our FREE Live Online Sessions in August. Students are welcome to register for Thursday, 11th August at 5.30pm - 6.30pm AEDT. If this session does not suit, there will be another online session on Thursday, 1st September at 7.30pm.

The LIVE Online session gives students and families the opportunity to learn more about becoming an exchange student and the various scholarship options that are available in 2016.

Students can find out more about our exchange programs to over 26 countries, listen to former exchange students share their experience and learn about our scholarships and discounts on offer in 2016.

We offer scholarships and discounts worth over $100 000 to students each year. These include 3 x Language, 2 x International Affairs, 2 x Indigenous and 3 x Digital Video Scholarships and 2 x Volunteer and Community Involvement Scholarships.

"You come back a different person, with so much more confidence & you feel that you can conquer the world" Jessica, Semester Program to Italy

FREE LIVE ONLINE INFORMATION SESSION
Hear from our very experienced, National Director, find out more about discounts and scholarships available and ask questions.

Thursday, 11th August at 5.30pm
or
Thursday, 1st September at 7.30pm

Register now

Visit www.studentexchange.org.au or call 1300 135 331 for more information
RIO TINTO GROUND BREAKERS COMPETITION

Would you like to win a Mac Book Pro or an IPad Air?

Now is your chance!

'A pivotal point in the Pilbara's history' is a creative writing competition designed for students enrolled in years 7, 8 and 9 across the Pilbara.

Go to the following website for details on how to enter:

Years 7 - 9
https://riotintogroundbreakers.com/schools/student-competitions/year-7-9/

Years 10 - 12
https://riotintogroundbreakers.com/schools/student-competitions/year-10-12/