Hello all,

Those of you who were able to be with us the Annual Swimming Carnival might recall how I expressed my pride in the College. We all know that our Swimming Carnival is much more than a sporting event. It is an expression of community that is the envy of other schools. It is an example of students, staff and parents enjoying the company of one another. It is an inclusive event, where people go out of their way to “play their part”. I have congratulated the year 12 leaders and their class mates, both personally and at assembly this week, on the magnificent way that they led the student body. My sincere gratitude to the many parents who travelled long distances. My congratulations to our new sports organiser, Adam Chilko and his team of staff officials. Most importantly, I congratulate the students. I had no need to make any corrective direction to any student during the whole day. I enjoyed the swimming carnival very much and I trust that everyone else did as well.

I was very nice to welcome Fr Tony to Leeton Parish, the new Assistant Priest for Fr Anthony Dunne. Fr Tony hails from Nigeria. His English language is excellent and he has a quite beautiful singing voice. At the Opening College Mass on Monday, Fr Tony gave an inspiring homily, based around the theme of being uncomfortable with our faith and the importance of asking the challenging questions. We look forward to Fr Tony’s continued involvement at the College.

It was an extremely proud moment at Mass to witness the new student leadership team receive their badges from their parents and extended families. My congratulations to all involved.

Fr Dunne has commenced a series of seminars to students of Year 8 around the sacrament of Reconciliation. Fr Anthony is keen for students to have greater opportunities to receive this sacrament at school. The seminars will prove vital in preparing students, many of whom have not received the sacrament for a number of years. Thank you Fr Anthony.

House Leaders will commence collections for Project Compassion next week. The emphasis is on people donating what they can, perhaps in replacement of some luxury like food or entertainment. If a person donates the equivalent of a coffee and a newspaper each week, then they’ll make a $20.00 contribution over the period of Lent. That makes a difference!

May the Lord bless us, protect us from all evil and bring us to everlasting life.

Amen

Thank you for your continued support.

Mr Seb Spina
Principal
IMPORTANT NEW ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

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From the Assistant Principal

Uniform and Appearance

Piercings, other than a single piercing in each ear, are also not permitted at the College. If parents have any questions surrounding these expectations, please feel free to contact me through the College Office.

School Photos

School photos will be taken next Wednesday 2 March. Photo packages are included in student fees. If families wish to have a sibling / family photo taken, there are envelopes to order these photos at the College Office. All students MUST be dressed in full school uniform on photo day.

School Social

Next Thursday March 3, the SRC will host a social in the College Hall, with a 60’s theme in keeping with the College’s 60th Birthday this year. All students are encouraged to attend for a cost of $5.00. All monies raised will be used to fund SRC School Fee Scholarships for needy families.

SOCIAL GUIDELINES & EXPECTATIONS

Students and parents should be aware of the following GUIDELINES and EXPECTATIONS regarding Student Behaviour at the Social:

- The Social commences at 6.30pm and ends at 9.30pm;
- No use of cigarettes, alcohol or illegal substances, High Energy Caffeine Drinks prior to, or during, the social;
- NO BACKPACKS are permitted in the Hall;

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• NO use of phones or cameras in the Hall;
• No one other than current SFC Students and their parents will be permitted on the School Grounds during the social;
• Tickets for the Social must be bought in person and are only available at the door at the beginning of the Social. Ticket price is $5.00 per person;
• A “PASS OUT” System will apply for visits to the Toilets;
• Latecomers will not be given entrance to the Social unless a parent/guardian brings them to the door of the Hall;
• Students are not permitted to leave early unless parents/guardians call to the Hall to collect those students;
• Dress is to be suitable and appropriate, eg. clothes need to be clean, tidy, no bare midriffs or too skimpy skirts;
• Behaviour is to be appropriate throughout the Social — activities such as head banging’ or ‘crowd surfing’ are not permitted. No student is to be on the stage at any time during the Social. Inappropriate displays of affection between students is not appropriate behaviour at a School Social;
• Any student not following these Guidelines could be asked by Staff to leave the Hall. It would be unlikely such a student will be welcome at future Socials, and could put the holding of future Social in jeopardy.

Kind Regards,
Marni Milne
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2016 SFC Twilight Swimming Carnival Wrap-Up

The annual SFC Twilight Swimming Carnival was again a huge success and continues to be a highlight of the school year. This year we were again greeted with beautiful weather resulting in a huge number of students participating in a variety of events. Congratulations must go to the champion house of 2016 CHAMPAGNAT who again prove to be the benchmark for swimming success at SFC. The points tally and house positions for the day were as follows:

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In what proved to be a dominant display both in and out of the pool, CHAMPAGNAT also won the coveted ‘5 minutes of fame’. Mr. Spina and returning students from year 12 2015 were faced with a difficult decision as all houses performed admirably showing a good deal of house spirit in the process. Mr. Spina awarded the other 3 houses ‘highly commended’ awards after some praising comments.

Another highlight of the day out of the pool was the house ‘dance-off’. Too tough to pick a winner here, although, the staff probably won via an age handicap!

Congratulations must go to the following Age Champions and Runners Up for their outstanding performances in the pool:

**BOYS:**

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<td>Maddison Clyne (Champagnat)</td>
<td>Joanne Irvine (Tension)</td>
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A number of records were also broken on the day including:

Emily Clyne in the 15 years girls breaking a record in each event that she swam - **200m IM, 200m Freestyle, 50m Breaststroke, 100m Freestyle, 50m Backstroke, 50m Freestyle, 50m Butterfly.**

Maddison Clyne in the 17+ years girls breaking the **200m IM, 100m Freestyle and 50m Freestyle** records.

Joshua Thomas in the 17 years boys breaking the **50m Freestyle** record; and

Macy Rogerson in the 14 years boys breaking the **50m backstroke** record.

A huge thank you must be extended to the parents/carers and family members that attended the swimming carnival throughout the day. It makes for a wonderful atmosphere and I’m sure that your sons and daughters really appreciate your support, as do the staff at SFC.

Thank you also to the staff for their assistance in performing a variety of roles including marshalling, timekeeping, starting, announcing, recording, first aid and hospitality. The carnival was all the better for your hard work.

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“Starting the day, Champagnat went all out with decorations and a special thanks to everyone who helped with the decorations, the end result was awesome. Everyone arrived and after handing out camo headbands, we had our last house meeting. The seniors successfully pumped everyone up and made a point to push participation and, thank you Champagnat, you did not disappoint. Notable Champagnat swimmers include Rohan from year 7, who dominated the under 12’s boys age group. He even swam some races by himself and an impressed Champagnat house didn’t hesitate to cheer him on. Others include Emily and Maddie Clyne who both blew a decent chunk on the under 15’s and open Girl’s swimming records out of the water. Champagnat also dominated many of the Age Champions and Runner-up age Champions. Our 3 Minutes of fame was….. interesting courtesy of Mr. Doyle’s DJ-ing skills. A planned ‘Whip Nae Nae’ turned into an unplanned ‘Single Ladies’ dance. Although thank you Mr. Doyle, you inadvertently made Mr. Rowlings channel his inner Beyoncé dance movies making it all worthwhile. For 5 minutes of Fame we were up last and seeing all the other houses roll out their best was extremely stressful. Although, when the gun went off we went nuts. Harry resembled a camo bush, screaming crazily at everyone, the year 12’s all screamed so hard we lost our voices. Mr. Rowlings and Mrs. Ryan transformed into a helicopter, we had a war cry, there was saluting, marching, screaming, even an air raid. In the end it was our timing, discipline and enthusiasm that got us over the line - it was extremely close but Champagnat won. After hearing this we were then told we won the whole swimming carnival, and everyone just went nuts. Again, thank you for everyone who made the day work. As for Champagnat house thank you for making it the best last swimming carnival for us year 12’s and good luck next year!”

Champagnat House Leaders – Amy Creece and Harry Leeds

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“Luckily, the heat didn’t drain the atmosphere of the Swimming Carnival last Thursday- a top effort made by all! Henschke may have been fourth in the pool but they were definitely number one for team spirit. This reflects upon the hard efforts of year 12 Henschke as a whole. A big shout out also goes to the Henschke juniors for their great enthusiasm and participation in all events on the day- both in swimming and chanting, and of course the School Captain, Tom Dore- leading from behind in the 200m IM! Henschke proved to have some quality swimmers with a good deal of potential as some of the younger age swimmers received runner up or age champion and all relay teams went exceptionally well. Everyone got in the spirit by wearing their best hoedown outfits and Mrs Hill said she has never heard Henschke sing as loud for over 9 years!! Our thanks go to Mr. Chilko- for making the day a success, Mr. Doyle- for his enthusiastic commentating, Mrs Mudford for her enthusiasm and leadership, Mr. Greatz- for holding the chants up in the Henschke 5 minutes of fame (almost to perfection... almost) and Mr. Handsaker- Henschke’s professional mascot and song writer! The words of our ex-principal Mrs. Brenda King perfectly sums up the day- ‘best swimming carnival ever!’ ”
“We couldn't have been prouder of everyone in Lacey house. Their team spirit and enthusiasm in the weeks leading up to the carnival was amazing, and their participation during the carnival was outstanding. The mellow vibe of our Luau section was fantastic all day and we couldn't help thinking that the other houses wanted to sit there too! Our result definitely reflects everyone's commitment to the house and we just want to thank everyone for doing their best in such a great event!”

Lacey House Leaders – Tahlia Amato and Todd Pattison
“Tenison’s congregation were out to stop the nation but fell short, however, the placing did not equate to the blues’ energy and enthusiasm. Despite the modest size of the house, our roaring war cries during the day resonated throughout the swimming complex. Special mentions to Aussie Mauger and Ally Milne, whose eagerness and determination carried and set the standard for the team; we should expect BIG things from these two youngsters in the future. Tenison’s peak of the day was the three minutes of fame, where they watched us crank it and watched us roll. Elwyn was in his element and it was clear Mr Doyle was mesmerised. We ended the carnival with a 5 minutes Tenison should be proud of. Thanks to Kirtis Fisher, Braxton Wallace and Angus Morschel for their exceptional assistance. Shout out to Tom Savage raking up Age champion for Tenison but also to everyone blue who participated on the day. And finally a special thanks goes out to Mr Chilko, Mr. Doyle, Mr. Werner, Mr. Norman, Mrs Vant and the timekeepers and marshalls for ensuring the smooth running of the day”.

Tenison House Leaders – Bethany Tyson and Luke Wilson

Well done to all the house leaders and all of year 12 who led each house commendably!
Finally, we thank the student body for an outstanding day. We look forward to the next installment of this ‘must see’ event in 2017!

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The BISSA swimming meet is on next Thursday 3rd March at the Oasis Regional Aquatic Centre in Wagga Wagga. A bus will depart the SFC carpark at 6:40am and will do a pick-up at the Narranderra Shell at 7:00am. Estimated return time will be approx. 6:00-6:30pm. Students have received permission notes with all carnival information and they are asked to make it a priority to return these by next Monday 29th February 2016. A carnival program has been attached for interested parents/carers.

Good luck to our representative swim team!

Mr. Adam Chilko
Sports Coordinator
Welcome to the end of what has been a very hot Week 5. It was a great start to the week with our Opening School Mass.

- There are now stricter rules in place in regards to students being absent from school. Please read the following:

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- Students will be given fortnightly updates on their absences during Pastoral.

Here’s what’s happening next week:

- Wednesday 2nd March: School photos
- Thursday 3rd March: - BISSA Swimming Carnival (Wagga)
  - Yr 7-9 League Tag (Griffith)
  - School Social: 6:30-9:30, Theme: 60's

**Assessment Tasks Coming Up:**

- Week 8: Religion, English
- Week 9: PDHPE, PDM
- Week 10: Music, PASS

If you are having concerns please do not hesitate to contact myself via email: **vantc@ww.catholic.edu.au** or phone: 69533622.

Mrs Clare Vant
Year 9 Leader

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Year 9 HSIE excursion to Jindabyne, Mt Kosciusko and Canberra is Tuesday 29th November to Thursday 1st December. Please put this on your calendar. All Students are expected to attend and booking have been made, if for any reason your child cannot attend please contact Mrs Preston as a matter of urgency.
HSC Chemistry Day at CSU Wagga Wagga Campus

Last week, Year 12 Chemistry students attended a HSC Chemistry workshop at Charles Sturt University, Wagga Wagga Campus. The purpose of the visit was to allow chemistry students to perform experiments in the university labs, interview currently practicing scientists from a chemistry and non-chemistry background in regards to their research and take part in some demonstrations and activities related to concepts that feature in the HSC syllabus.

Students tested the pH of household substances using a digital pH meter, determined the concentration of vinegar using titration methods, used an Atomic Absorbance Spectrometer (AAS) to measure the iron content of Nutri Grain, made elephant’s toothpaste and heard jelly babies scream when placed in hot, molten potassium chlorate.

The day also provides students with an opportunity to experience a university campus and hear about the opportunities available for tertiary studies within the Science and other faculties.

YEAR 7 NEWS – WEEK 5

Year 7 will be participating in ‘connexions’ on Tuesday the 1st of March.
Pastoral will run as normal.
Period 1 there will be some team activities in the MAC building.
Period 2 Father Anthony Dunn will have a mass in the chapel.
Normal classes for period 3, 4 and 5.
Students will be allowed to have their PE uniform on all day.

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AFTER SCHOOL HOMEWORK CENTRE
St Francis College AFTER SCHOOL HOMEWORK CENTRE is open from 3.30pm to 5pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays in ROOM 18 (from Week 3, Term 1 to Week 9, Term 1). All students are welcome to participate (with parental knowledge and permission).

The Homework Centre has two SFC teachers running it with a staff of eight that will work on a rotational basis. Students are required to sign in and out and be responsible in organising their transport home at 5pm.

Students are required to bring homework and/or assessment tasks to the Homework Centre to work on. The room is one of the computer rooms on campus and students will be able to access these resources. If you require more information about the Homework Centre please contact the College Office or Mrs Creece, Homework Centre Co-ordinator on 02 6953 3622 or via office@sfcww.catholic.edu.au

Want help with Maths?

Maths teachers are available in the homework centre to help you.

Come to the ARC from 3:30pm-5:00pm on the days below.

Bring along your Maths books.

For help with:
- your homework,
- work you have missed
- work that you don’t understand fully.

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**SFC SCHOOL PHOTOS**

*School Photos will be taken on Wednesday 2 March 2016* for all students and staff.

If a family would like a SIBLING PHOTOGRAPH, please ask your eldest child to call to the College Office and collect an Order Envelope.

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**BUS SUBSIDY APPLICATIONS**

PVC Applications are available through the College Office. All new students to SFC will need to complete an application for private vehicle conveyance or any family who have changed addresses and/or bank account details.

**PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR COMPLETED FORM TO THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.** I request all completed forms TO BE RETURNED to me at the College Office for verification and copying before sending to the Ministry of Transport. This helps me to answer questions on your behalf by the Ministry if I have a copy of your application on hand… thank you, Ms Denise Campton

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**ONE STOP TRAVEL OFFICE!**

All bookings/ travel variations for boarding students must be made through the College Office.

All students are requested to submit/advise ALL TRAVEL variations to the College Office (C/- Ms Denise Campton) no later than 4pm on a Monday for the following weekend’s travel. **A LATE VARIATION** to normal routine will be accepted in the case of an emergency only.

We have a duty of care to our students and in conjunction with the support of all families can we ensure that travel arrangements are correct at the time of our students departing and returning to the College on a weekly basis. Therefore it is expected that students and/or parents/carers take the responsibility of notifying the College Office to advise of any changes to the normal routine of weekly travel.

The best method for this is via a written note, Boarding Students’ Travel Variation Notice, either in person, via fax or through email. Phone notifications will be accepted with a written notification to be forwarded.

If a change happens over the weekend for a Monday travel, please email Ms Campton at the College Office camptond@ww.catholic.edu.au. If you have a query or you are uncertain of the term “**VARIATION TO NORMAL BUS ROUTINE**” please don’t hesitate to contact Ms Campton at the Office.

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**INFORMATION AVAILABLE FROM THE COLLEGE WEBSITE**

[www.sfcww.catholic.edu.au](http://www.sfcww.catholic.edu.au)

You will find information about our school, learning and teaching, a virtual tour, Pastoral Care, services we provide, forms and policies, Boarding School information, employment and fee paying options.

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**WEEKLY NEWSLETTER**

We encourage families to receive the Weekly Newsletter electronically (via email) or view the College Website as we copy a small number of newsletters only each week. If you wish to have the newsletter emailed to your email address, log on to college website and subscribe for newsletter on that page. You will then automatically receive a newsletter each week. If you don’t have internet access please ask your child to collect one from the College Office. Newsletters are available on Fridays.

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**WEEK 6 – Term 1 TT2 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

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ATTENTION CURRENT & NEW PARENTS : CANTEEN VOLUNTEERS WANTED!!!!!!!!!!!!

Canteen Volunteers from all families associated with St Francis are urgently needed. The St Francis Canteen is for the convenience of the students and is run by volunteers under the guidance of Canteen Leader, Ms Lyn Vant. Canteen Hours are from 10.00am to 2.30pm (school days only). If you are able to help out for a day a term or even two days per term please contact Lyn on 02 6953 2901 (AH) or email vantl@ww.catholic.edu.au Or during school hours please contact Lyn Vant directly on 6953 3622, Extension 219.

CANTEEN VOLUNTEER RETURN

Name: .......................................................... Student’s Name:..........................................................

Phone Number/s: .......................................................... Pastoral/Year: ..........................................

I am able to help at the St Francis Canteen [ ]

Please CIRCLE the DAY you would prefer:

MONDAY  TUESDAY  WEDNESDAY  THURSDAY  FRIDAY

Times per TERM:  Twice a Term [ ]

                      Once per Term [ ]

I do not wish to serve on the Counter. [ ]

I am willing to help in an EMERGENCY YES [ ] NO [ ]

Signed:............................................................................... Date: ...................................................

If out of town Volunteers wish to travel together please indicate below:
## YEAR 12 MID COURSE EXAM TIMETABLE 2016

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- **BACK TO NORMAL CLASSES PERIOD 3 WEDNESDAY (6th April) AFTER THE MATHS EXAM**
- **STUDY MAY BE DONE IN THE NEW LIBRARY**
- **YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED ON CAMPUS IF YOU DO NOT HAVE AN EXAM.**
- **STUDENTS STUDYING THROUGH DISTANCE EDUCATION WILL HAVE THEIR EXAM TIMETABLE FOR THOSE SUBJECTS NEGOTIATED WITH MRS HAMMOND, UNLESS THEY APPEAR ON THIS TIMETABLE.**
REMINDER TO YEAR 7 PARENTS AND NEW PARENTS TO THE COLLEGE COMMUNITY ........

TO ENSURE THAT YOU RECEIVE A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER IN YOUR EMAILS WHICH IS THE EASIEST WAY TO ACCESS THE NEWSLETTER, PLEASE LOG ONTO THE COLLEGE WEBSITE

www.sfcww.catholic.edu.au

THEN WHERE INDICATED SUBSCRIBE TO THE COLLEGE NEWSLETTER BY ENTERING YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS AND FOLLOWING THE PROMPTS.

THANKS

COLLEGE FRONT OFFICE

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**RAIDERS**

**LEETON JUNIOR RUGBY LEAGUE**

**2016 registrations for**

**Under 7 – Under 14 Rugby League Players**

**Under 7 - 16 League Tag Girls**

All registrations must be completed online.

Simply go to [www.playnrl.com](http://www.playnrl.com) to hit register now.

Type in Leeton and select Leeton Juniors and follow the prompts.

You can pay online or by cash at our first training session.

Registration Cost - $50 per player, which includes our club training shirt.

**All new players must supply a copy of their birth certificate or passport** (which will be sent off with regos. Unfortunately blue books, immunisation records and letters from schools are no longer accepted. **Proof of ID can be handed in at our first training session.**

Training starts Thursday 24th of March

4pm at the Leeton High School Oval

All enquiries to Aliesha McDonald 0418 968 387
LEETON JUNIOR BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION
2016 AUTUMN COMPETITION NOMINATION DAYS

SATURDAY 13th FEBRUARY (JARRAH MALL 10:00-12:00 NOON)
THURSDAY 18th FEBRUARY (LEETON INDOOR STADIUM 5:00-7:00PM)
MONDAY 22th FEBRUARY (LEETON INDOOR STADIUM 5:00-7:00PM)

PROPOSED GRADES & TIME SLOTS:

Aussie Hoops 5:15-6:00pm (Kindergarten – Year 3): $70
C-Grade 6:00-6:45pm (Years 4-6): $80
B-Grade 6:45-7:30pm (Years 7-8): $90
A-Grade 7:30-8:15pm (Years 9-12): $90

(Payment MUST accompany nomination and includes all game and registration fees)

Girls play Monday nights commencing 7th March
Boys play Tuesday nights commencing 8th March
Competition finishes MONDAY 27th June

(Parents are required to be in attendance when children are playing)

NOMINATION FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE NOMINATION VENUES AS WELL AS AT AINTOINETTES JEWELLERS AND SPORTSPOWER

For further information, please contact The President, Tracy Fletcher on 0439 483 760

Junior basketball Comp starts this week.
The Narrandera Basketball Assoc Junior comp will commence this week.
If your child is wishing to play and you have not yet registered please turn up at the respective times.
The boys will play Wednesday and the girls on Thursday.
Wednesday will see Junior boys Yrs 1-3 play at 5.00pm, Intermediate boys Yrs 4-6 Play at 6.00pm and the Senior boys 7+ play at 7.00pm.
Thursday Junior girls Yrs 1-3 will commence at 5.30pm any Yr4 girls wishing for a second game please feel free to come at 5.30pm as well.
Intermediate girls Yrs 4-6 will play at 6.30pm with the Senior girls Yrs 7+ at 7.30pm.
Registration and game fees are $90 for the season and are to payed at the Kiosk.
Those who are wishing to help out refereeing please let Lee know on 0409443711
Before Wednesday so I can organise referees for the games.
Aussie Hoops will commence this Thursday at 4.30pm if you haven’t already registered
Please go on line at Aussiehoops.com.au and do so cost is $50 for returning participants and $70 for new participants.

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**NIFNC Junior Netball & Footy Info**

**Thursday 3rd March “Meet & Greet”**

All players born from 1 January 2001 to 31 December 2006 who are interested in playing Junior Football or Netball for the Narrandera Imperials this year, are asked to come along between 5pm & 6pm for a light training run with a Family BBQ to follow from 6pm.

Footballers will be at the Narrandera Sportsground and Netballers will be on the Netball courts (outside the Narrandera Stadium).

Each family is asked to bring along a salad to share. NIFNC will supply the BBQ.

For further information please contact Jason Williams 0427 593 311, Katie Grintell 0429 720686 or Suzanne Litchfield 0428 592 786

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**Mothers’ Union Teddy Bears Picnic**

St Peter’s Anglican Church, Leeton

**Sunday 6th March**

9.30am

Bring your Baptism teddy bear along for some fun and games!

Mothers’ Union will have some surprises for you and your little friend.

Anglican Men will cook us a sausage sizzle!

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Leeton Shire Council invites you to:
Harmony Day Event 2016

Sunday 20th March ...... 12:00 - 3:00pm
at
St Francis College, Yanco Ave, Leeton

Come and enjoy the food from different cultures,
the fun of the activities
and the pleasure of meeting new friends

The colour for Harmony Day is orange.

Harmony means friendship, peace, unity, understanding,
compatibility, cooperation.....

Harmony Day gives us a chance to think about our acceptance
and respect for the differences of others around us.

Harmony Day gives us an excuse to celebrate the diversity and
differences within our Australian multicultural society.
Each of us can embrace our own culture and traditions while
coming together in unity to appreciate those of others.

For more information please contact - Nateaka Blake,
Leeton Shire Council - phone 6953 0951

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Urana Community Inspirational Event

Topic: The Inspirational and Entertaining Show!
Welcome to an uplifting, inspiring and fun SHOW that will have you laughing out loud, and feeling great about who you are today while feeling challenged about who you can be tomorrow! You can expect to be taken on a lively, fun and spell binding journey that will stir your emotions, rouse your senses, revive your spirit and empower you to take action on the messages from the event. Julie shares powerful real life stories in her down to earth, unique and sometimes, comical style reminding the audience about the impact they have on the people around them and how we lead ourselves to success and happiness.

Date: Saturday 2nd April 2016
Time: 7.30pm
Venue: Urana Memorial Hall
Your Investment: $40
(includes entertainment, finger food, complimentary drink on arrival & lucky door prizes)

Your support: Help Emma cross the Simpson Desert and raise funds for JDRF

This AWESOME EVENT is being brought to the community to Fundraise for the Born To Run Foundation-raising funds for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Fund. The Big Red Run is a 250km, 6 day Simpson Desert Ultra Marathon. The foundation seeks to raise money for research into finding a cure for Type 1 Diabetes, as well as raising awareness of the disease with an emphasis on leading an active and healthy lifestyle as an important component of managing diabetes and reducing its long term complications. Greg Donovan was the Urana Shire 2015 Australia Day Ambassador and is the founder of this fantastic foundation.

So please, do yourself a favor (and bring a friend or two) and come and see this FANTASTIC SPEAKER deliver a message that will send you home with a different outlook on life and a new energy to take on anything and everything. From the everyday tasks and demands of family, work and life in general to that something big that has been sitting at the back of your mind.......

For tickets & info please contact Emma Jones on 0269208466 or 0429208464 before 1st April 2016