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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### TERM 4 - 2017

#### YEAR 7 LIGHTNING CARNIVAL

**Friday 3 November**

#### GIRLS ACADEMY AWARDS NIGHT

Altone Function Room

**Tuesday 14 November**

#### YEAR 11 EXAMS BEGIN

**Thursday 16  
November**

#### ORIENTATION DAY - LOCAL INTAKE PRIMARY SCHOOLS

**28 - 29 November**

#### COLLEGE DEVELOPMENT DAY STUDENT FREE

**Friday 1 December**

**STUDENTS LAST DAY**

*Principal's speech to Year 12 students at their final assembly*

### GOOD MORNING KIARA COLLEGE COMMUNITY

As we gather in our gym for last Whole School Assembly for 2017 that includes our Year 12s, we look at you and see a wonderful group of young adults who have come to the end of 12 years of schooling, with your final steps of the journey having been taken here at our great school. You are set to leave us for new, exciting and unknown adventures.

Today marks the end of your 12 years of formal schooling.

You entered Year 1, as innocent 6 year olds, now you are young adults with adult responsibilities. It is about now that the Principal gets a chance to offer his or her advice. Giving advice for the future is tricky. You are leaving a safe school environment and facing a future where more change will occur than has occurred in the years all of us teachers have been alive.

Let's take the next 12 years of your life for instance. If we look at future trends we see increased Global competition and blurred country borders, an aging population and the greatest change of all, an increasingly automated and technologically influenced lifestyle. This means you will be in a world with a greater demand for healthcare and aged care, more work for marketers, analysts and management consultants and an online world with more jobs for the

**Thursday 14  
December**

**PRESENTATION  
NIGHT**

**TUESDAY 24  
OCTOBER**

**The Rise in  
Maylands**

**Function Suite  
First Floor  
28 Eighth Avenue  
MAYLANDS**

**STUDENTS ARRIVE  
5.00pm**

**PARENTS/VISITORS  
ARRIVE  
6.00pm**

**SPEECHES  
COMMENCE  
6.30 - 8.30pm**

**SUPPER AND  
PHOTOS  
8.30PM**

technologically-savvy . A recent study has shown how nearly 50% of all jobs that exist currently will be lost in the next 20 years.

It is though, important to remember that since the beginning of time, technological advancements have both killed jobs and created them.

I will be talking more towards this at your Presentation Evening next week, but I'll provide a brief summary here :-

Based on projections from the Federal Government's Future Focus Report, Australia will have between 5.6 million and 6.4 million job openings in Australia up until 2025. Jobs creation will be a reflection of Australia's projected increase in population and the impact of the aging population on healthcare and changing technologies. According to the Federal Employment Department, the top three growth industries by 2025 will be :-

1. Health Care and Social Assistance – projected to increase by up to 798,000 jobs
2. Professional, Scientific and Technical Services – projected to increase by up to 583,000 jobs
3. Education and Training – projected to increase by up to 503,700 jobs

With all these numbers and a very clear trend that your future will be something no one here has experienced before, I would like to offer some useful thoughts that might assist you in the journey of life. I call these thoughts "***How To Beat The Robots At Their Own Game***".

SO here are my tips :-

**1. Master things that machines suck at :-**

- Complex problem-solving
- Critical thinking
- Creativity
- People management
- Coordinating with others
- Emotional intelligence
- Judgement and decision-making
- Service orientation
- Negotiation
- Cognitive flexibility

**2. Pivot, pivot, pivot**

What you need to do is take the skills above and pivot into a different part of the industry – one that's far less likely to be automated.

### 3. Retrain in a field that's booming

Be smart about it and retrain in one that's set to flourish far into the future.

### 4. Retrain in a job that will always need a human touch

Jobs with the lowest risk of being automated (less than 2%) include :-

- Nurse, Civil Engineer, Architect, Office Manager, Occupational Therapist, Marketing and Sales Director, Hotel Manager, Teacher (*Special Needs*), Psychologist, [High](#) School Teacher

The industries least susceptible to automation are :-

- [Management](#) and Business, ICT, Engineering and Science, Finance [Education, Community Services](#), Creative Arts, Healthcare

### 5. Strike out on your own

In the face of a digital revolution, entrepreneurs will play a particularly important role in supporting the economy and creating new jobs.

***That's it, 5 tips. Take what you want from them.***

Over the last five years of your Secondary Education, we have continued to instil the word **RESPECT** in you as an essential quality.

At the beginning of this year, I wondered about this particular group of students, what were they like?

How good was this group of Year 12s going to be?

- Do they work hard enough?
- Do they have the drive and passion to aim for their personal best?
- What are their aspirations?
- What were their Year 11 results like, as an indicator for this year?

The pressure was on from the beginning :-

- Ms Cook and Mrs Richardson and their passionate team which included your Year12 teachers were closely monitoring your every move and result.
- I have listened to the discussions and strategies which included much parent contact, homework and revision classes, often after hours.

We discussed how we could get each and every one of you to pass your OLN, reach Attainment either by completing a Certificate II or achieving an ATAR greater than 55, achieve the number of C grades or better to obtain your WACE, and of course assist you to be prepared to follow your chosen pathway to reach your own personal goals.

I sincerely thank all staff and parents for their efforts. Believe it or not, they've had your back for a long time.

During your time here, each and every one of you :-

- has made a contribution to the positive culture of Kiara College
- have made many friends and maybe they will become lasting friendships
- have experienced the care and respect of staff who always strive to do their best for you. They take pride in knowing that they have contributed to your successes.

Remember, all the people who have assisted and supported you to reach the end of 12 years of schooling - it's a tremendous effort - be proud of this.

Show your appreciation with respect. Your family love and respect you, have supported you and want the best for you - go home and give them a hug today.

I watched with interest and humour at the interactions between you all, especially the changing nature of many relationships. Will Brennan and Jasmine make it? Is Zac still driving Caitlyn to school? Will James' mates ever get him to school on time? Can Liam, Tahlia, Chelsea and Scott enjoy a day in each other's company without the need to apologise for something? Will Shayne Hetutu be accepted into the bloods? Did Liam Hazel get in the way of Emily and Hayley's friendship? So many questions.....

I watched with interest your reactions as we try to teach you the values and high standards that we believe in and want you to emulate to your next generation. The values and standards that Kiara College staff and your family have taught and reinforced, I hope that you

understand and model them to the next generation.

Our moral values and high standards are our most valuable asset.

As you reflect back and now look forward, it is now that time where you will contribute to the wider community and its reputation. How will you contribute?

This is an important step as you now have more responsibilities in contributing to making our community a safer place.

Like it or not, you all have an important job as an ambassador for Kiara College and you do honour to those who have cared for your progress these many years by taking the responsibility to spread the good reputation of this school.

As you leave this school, your pathways are many, some will seek further study or training at TAFE, University or other places, while others are moving to jobs.

The changing future of jobs and the economy means you have fantastic opportunities that many of us never experienced in our youth.

We have watched you grow into a wonderful group of young men and women.

Make sure your behaviours are safe for yourself and others. Make sure you're all hooked up on social media so you all stay connected. Drive carefully.....

Good luck in your future endeavours, may they all be successful, safe and remember learning never stops.

Go now, and as my mum always told me "***make a difference***".

Thank you

RICHARD KARDOL  
PRINCIPAL

### **HOW TO REPORT CYBER-BULLYING**

Statistics say that one in five Australian children aged 8 to 17yrs have been the target of cyber-bullying in the last year. Most social media networks have rules

banning cyber-bullying and have complaints tools for reporting.

- Firstly, take screenshots so you have evidence.
- Then report and block the bully on whatever social media app is being used. Some social media sites can take up to 48 hours to remove the reported post but you **MUST** report through these channels before reporting to The Office of the Children's eSafety Commissioner.
- Report it to The Office of the Children's eSafety Commissioner by filling in the online complaints form at [esafety.gov.au](http://esafety.gov.au) if the site does not act in 48 hours.
- If the bullying is threatening someone's life or involves child pornography immediately contact your local police station.

To all Parents/Guardians

### **STUDENTS RIDING THEIR BIKES TO SCHOOL**

I'd like to draw your attention to a couple of bike thefts that have occurred over the past few weeks. The College has experienced two separate incidents where strangers (not part of the College community) have broken in to the bike enclosure during school hours and stolen bikes by either throwing them over the fence or, as recently as last week, cutting the fencing and pushing a bike through.

In both incidents the bikes that were stolen were not secured with a bike lock. I am asking all parents/guardians of students who ride their bikes to ensure their child has a bike lock for securing their bike within our bike enclosure.

Significant security upgrades to the bike enclosure have been made which includes a roof being installed to prevent bikes being thrown over the fence. The College also has CCTV pointed at the bike enclosure which can be used to provide Police a visual description of offenders targeting our bike racks.

We look forward to your cooperation in this matter.

Yours sincerely

RICHARD KARDOL  
Principal

## THE 2017 END OF YEAR VIDEO

It is a Kiara College tradition to have an End of Year Video which celebrates the Year 12s educational journey over the last five years. The video will be shown at the final assembly for the Year 12s and uploaded onto our Youtube channel with a link on our Facebook page. From Mrs Hudson and the Year 12 Media Students, we hope you enjoy and have a laugh or two!

Mrs Hudson  
MEDIA TEACHER



St Vincent de Paul Society  
(WA) INC

*good works*



*Enjoy a Sausage  
sizzle and cool drink  
as you explore  
whats on offer!*

*\$2.50 Hot Dog  
\$1.50 Cool Drink*

**Where:** *Good Shepherd Church  
Cnr Altone Rd & Morley Drive, Kiara*

**When:** Sunday 5th November  
8:30am to 12noon

**Sellers:** 8am entry

**Cost:** \$10 per bay, as many bays as you like!

**Buyers:** Entry from 8:30am,  
Gold coin donation

***NO NEED TO BOOK!***

*For further information contact 0409 116 829 or 0409 118 951.*

## MOBILE PHONES and related devices

Students are encouraged **NOT** to bring mobile phones, IPODs and other electrical devices to school. **The school takes no responsibility for loss or theft of these items.** If they are brought to school the following

guidelines apply:

- Mobile Phones, IPODS and other electrical devices should not be turned on or used in class.

**Consequence** - Devices used in class without permission from the teacher will be confiscated.

- Students using their devices during breaks need to comply with school policies and demonstrate respectful and responsible cyber behaviour eg use appropriate volume levels, only access appropriate sites, only engage in positive social interactions and be mindful of privacy and safety concerns.

**Consequence** – Students who do not comply with school policies and do not demonstrate respectful and responsible cyber behaviour will have their mobile devices confiscated and will be banned from having or using mobile devices at school for a period of time determined by staff.

Students who ignore the ban will be suspended.  
Students who facilitate others' negative use of mobile technology eg by loaning a phone will be subject to the same consequences.

- Confiscated items can only be collected by parents/carers from the Front Office.

Please note – if a parent or carer needs to communicate with a student during the day they should contact the Front Office in order to arrange this.

**All students need parental permission to leave school grounds. Contact to arrange this must be made through the Front Office.**

### **CAREER PATHWAYS**

**For information on Careers and Vocational Education and Training opportunities follow this link to the KIARA COLLEGE WEBSITE**

<http://www.kiaracollege.wa.edu.au/career-pathways.html>

**VOCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**



## 1. School Based Traineeships

In 2018 SMYL has limited numbers of school based traineeship places available for Aboriginal year 11 and 12 students. SMYL are currently seeking expression of Interest form year 11 and/or 12 Aboriginal students going into 2018 to be a part of the ASBT and take up a school based traineeship.

Under the ASBT and SBT, SMYL will facilitate:

- A certificate II qualification
- 1 paid day in the workplace per week
- Structured mentoring visits
- Monitoring in the workplace
- An assigned field officer/mentor

2. North Metropolitan TAFE are holding an **Open Day at the Clarkson Campus** (Trades North) on Friday, 27 October from 10am until 2pm and again on Saturday, 28 October from 10am to 12pm. Students will have the opportunity to meet lecturers, check out the campus and gather information about future training options.

3. We are looking for the best WACE students entering Year 11 in 2018 who are keen to start a career in WA's building and construction industry!

The Construction Training Fund (CTF) is offering up to 200 (*value up to \$10,000 each*) Scholarships across the following VET qualifications:

- Certificate II Building and Construction - Trades Pathway (52824WA)
- Certificate II Building and Construction - Construction Business Pathway (52825WA)
- Certificate II Plumbing (52700WA)

**For information on Vocational pathways book an appointment with:**

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